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The subscription lists of three other newspapers, the Mount Joy Star and News, the Landisville Vigil and the Florin News were merged with the Bulletin, which makes this paper's circulation practically double that of the average weekly.

EDITORIAL

At present it looks as though the 3-cent letter postage will remain for some time. Asst. Postmaster General Howes, at a hearing, stated if we return to 2-cent postage the government would lose \$90,000,000 a year.

THE LABOR RACKETS

Just as government reaches into business to punish fraud, dishonesty or use of violence, government should reach into labor unions to punish intimidation, abuses in organizing, unlawful picketing and other forms of coercion which are not now and never have been contemplated by the right to strike.

MORE THAN HOT AIR NECESSARY

The politicians "talk" about "cooperating" with business but do nothing. They will have to make "peace" with the common citizen investor by constructive action instead of political hot air before he will put up a dollar in any job-making activity.

WE SURE NEED IT

Every once in a while we hear some one mention the fact that there should be a walk for pedestrians between here and Florin. But simply talking about it won't get it. Some one must take the initial step.

There is a cinder walk between Landisville and Salunga and even something similar would suffice here.

THE WAY TO DO THINGS

We want to congratulate our School Board, the teaching corps and principal for their willingness in co-operating with a recent request. All have proven that they are only too pleased to do that which is best for the health, safety and welfare of our school children.

Rendering service is a credit to any one and all concerned are indeed to be complimented.

It was just learned at Washington last week that a clever Internal Department clerk set up a dummy CCC camp, and thereby defrauded the Government out of \$81,000 during a period of three years.

That is certainly good business. If a fellow can make believe there exists a CCC camp and keep it up for three years, what could have been going on in all the other camps that really existed.

Where were all the camp inspectors during that period or were they being "greased"?

If this is an illustration of the business methods at Washington today, God pity the people or tax payers.

THE TAXES WITHOUT A FRIEND

The regular session of Congress faces precisely the same problem that confronted the special session when it met November 15. That problem is, How can the business recession be stopped?

The special session reached a new high in non-achievement. There was a great deal of talk concerning ways and means to reassure business—and almost no action. If a similar statement is reached in the present session, the outlook for the future of the country will be serious indeed.

The greatest need of the time is actual cooperation by government with industry, which is the sole source of productive employment, investment, spending power and taxation. The first step Congress should take, if it is honestly interested in real national recovery, is to revise those two "taxes without a friend" which have done so much to kill business and investment—the undistributed profits tax and the capital gains tax.

Neither of these taxes is an important revenue producer. They actually tend to reduce tax revenues, because of their depressive effect on industrial activity. There is a remarkable unanimity of opinion among informed persons as to their dangers. Business men, large and small, are solidly opposed to them. Outstanding economists can find nothing to say in their favor. The nation's principal newspapers, of all political affiliations, are requesting that they be drastically changed. And a large number of public officials, of both parties, have gone on record in favor of revision or outright repeal.

To encourage a revival of business activity that will block the growing "recession," assuage the fears of industry and investors as to political and tax persecution.

MAYTOWN

At the card party held by the Ladies Auxiliary, Thursday night, prizes were awarded to the following: Alice Bell, Thomas Mayer,

Charles Houseal, Howard Strassbaugh, A. Torbut, M. P. Meshy, C. E. Hollenbaugh, Dick Albright, Mrs. Ray Peck, Charles G. Hicks, Helen Conrad, I. B. Ney, Mrs. Edward Zink, Harold Johnston, A. G. Bender, Sara Jones, S. B. Engle,

HAPPENINGS — of — LONG AGO

20 Years Ago

A number of our rural friends are enjoying the winter months at Miami, Florida.

Is selling out. Mr. H. E. Sager, East Main street merchant, will close out his entire stock and rent his store room.

When he fell asleep in his sleigh near Manheim, John Brandt, 22 years, narrowly escaped being frozen to death, when the horse plunged into a snow bank, upsetting the sleigh. Brandt was found next morning.

Mr. Clayton Metzler, who conducts a garage here, has purchased the residence of the late J. R. Missemer.

Some of the Newtown "shots" attended the Backenstoe shoot. Mr. John Fogle won two turkeys and Daniel Moore won one.

The scarcity of coal has aroused the citizens of Rheems, that a number of men are cutting down the locust grove adjacent to the church of the Brethren. The grove was started by the Ream family 75 years ago.

H. E. Hauer markets are: Eggs, 64c; Butter, 52c; Lard, 28c. Stehman Wheat, 2.00; Corn, \$1.60.

Haynes Witman, of Lebanon, was fined \$90.00 and costs for shooting 9 more rabbits than the law allowed in 1917.

Dogs are personal property for the first time under the new Penna. Dog Law.

The Bulletin completed a set of full sheet sale bills for the big farm sale of F. M. Coppenheffer at Dayton, Ohio.

E. H. Zercher, proprietor of the green house here, sent us a sample of sweet peas, and one can't help but admire the fragrance and beauty of these lovely flowers.

Purchased three papers. Today John E. Schroll, publisher of the Bulletin, purchased the plant, good will, fixtures, machinery, and subscription list of the Mount Joy Star and News, the Florin News and the Landisville Vigil. That's rather unusual. Mr. Cyrus Schroll, at Donegal Springs, treated his family to a fine fresh watermelon on New Year's Day. The melon was grown on his premises and placed in the cellar, where it remained until eaten.

A drastic order to meet the coal famine by Fuel Administrator Garfield was heeded here when George Brown Sons and Grey Iron Casting Co., closed their plants for five days. The former will pay their employes wages during suspension.

Our public schools were closed on Monday, thus observing Garfield's orders.

David Livingstone Long a Missionary, Explorer

David Livingstone was a Scotchman, born in Lanarkshire in 1817, and when a boy he worked in a cotton factory. In 1840 he landed in Port Natal, South Africa, as a medical missionary of the London Missionary society, and became an associate of Rev. Robert Moffat, whose daughter he afterward married.

For sixteen years he labored in the mission work, and during that time discovered Lake Ngami in the northwestern Bechuanaland, and crossed the continent from the Zambezi river to Loanda, a journey which occupied eighteen months.

While in England in 1857 Livingstone published "Missionary Travels and Researches in South Africa." Returning to Africa he devoted himself to exploration, and in 1855 resolved to find the sources of the Nile. During the remainder of his life, observes a writer in the Cleveland Plain Dealer, there were frequent periods when he was not heard from for months at a time, and it was during one of these protracted absences that Henry M. Stanley began his travels to search for him and found him in great destitution at Ujiji, on Lake Tanganyika.

Dr. Livingstone died in 1873 while exploring the river system of the Zambezi in the belief that these were the headwaters of the Nile, having penetrated to the south shores of Lake Bangweulu in Rhodesia. In 1874 his body was interred in Westminster abbey.

Mrs. Drake Gallagher, Mrs. Harold Johnston, Harold Engle, Mrs. Larry Barnhart, I. W. Carpenter, Chester Livengood, Mary Earhart, Jean Kramer, Edward Zink, Margaret Hauk, George Drake, Frank Houseal, Mrs. Amos Shank, Albert Drace, F. A. Eshleman, Ella Rinehart, John Meister, R. Seliz, Junior Sweigart, Ruth Henderson and J. S. Barnhart.

33 Years Ago

David Gable, N. Barbara St., grocer, raised a lemon that measures 12 inches in circumference, but Wm. Scholing west end baker, also raised one that measures 14 inches.

David Brubaker, Rheems, is the owner of a valuable hen that had one leg cut off in a reaper and some young men undertook to supply her with a leg and now she struts around with one wooden leg.

A new heating plant was installed at the Frank Malt house.

The Farmers Inn has a supply of choice sauer kraut for sale.

Messrs Gantz and Keener have installed a number one clipping apparatus at the Farmers Inn and are now prepared to clip horses on short notice.

Milk merchant, B. M. Haverstick made a lucky escape when crossing the railroad at the Frank Malthouse. He drove across the tracks just as the local came along, striking the rear wheel of the vehicle knocking it off.

B. H. Greider, of Rheems, received a carload of baskets, which will be used in supplying his many orders for eggs.

Martin Longenecker, of Milton Grove cut down an oak tree, the first eight feet of the butt of which made 520 feet of lumber.

Persons having sale and want their cattle clipped, please call on George Way.

A dispute arose as to who won the fat bull at the shooting match at Zeamers Hotel, Kinderhook, which ended in a hand to hand fight and the result Mr. Tyson, who held the shoot returned all

the money and took the bull home.

The Enola yards opened, the first train ran from Enola to Columbia, the engine drawing 68 cars.

In Chicago, a few days ago, Mabel Stoner (a granddaughter of the late David H. Stoner of Mt. Joy) put to flight an armed highwayman, who attempted to rob her.

After the organization of the Board of the First National Bank, the annual banquet was held at Alois Eube's Central House.

This morning M. M. Leib with drew as a candidate for council in the East ward.

Contractors are now engaged on work at the Mt. Joy Hall, which will require sometime, but when the hall is completed it will be one of the finest in the country.

Our Heartiest Congratulations

We want to congratulate each of the following for having reached another birthday:

January 20

Jonas Waltz, east of town.
 Mrs. Christ Brubaker, of Erisman's Church.
 Mrs. Harry Smith, Sr., N. Barbara Street.

January 21

Florence Ibach of Rothsville.

January 29

Mrs. Fred Ibach Sr. of Salunga.

February 2

Esther Kulp Ibach, of Brownstown.

February 6

Blanche Irene Ibach of Salunga.

February 15

Lloyd Ibach, of Lancaster.

ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doll, of near Bainbridge, announce the engagement of Anna Ruth Hartman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hartman, of Washington, D. C., to Isiah Edgar Lichty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Lichty, of Klinesville. No date has been set for the wedding.

LANDISVILLE

The regular meeting of the Landisville Parent-Teacher association will be held in the auditorium of the grade school building Thursday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

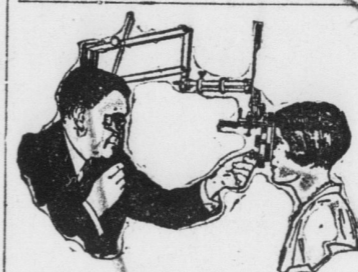
The guest speaker will be Caleb Bucher, principal of Brecht's school, Manheim township, who

will speak on "Gambling—A Detriment to Character Building." The musical feature on the program will be a trumpet trio, from

the local high school. Reports also will be given by various committee chairmen, John Herr, president, will preside.

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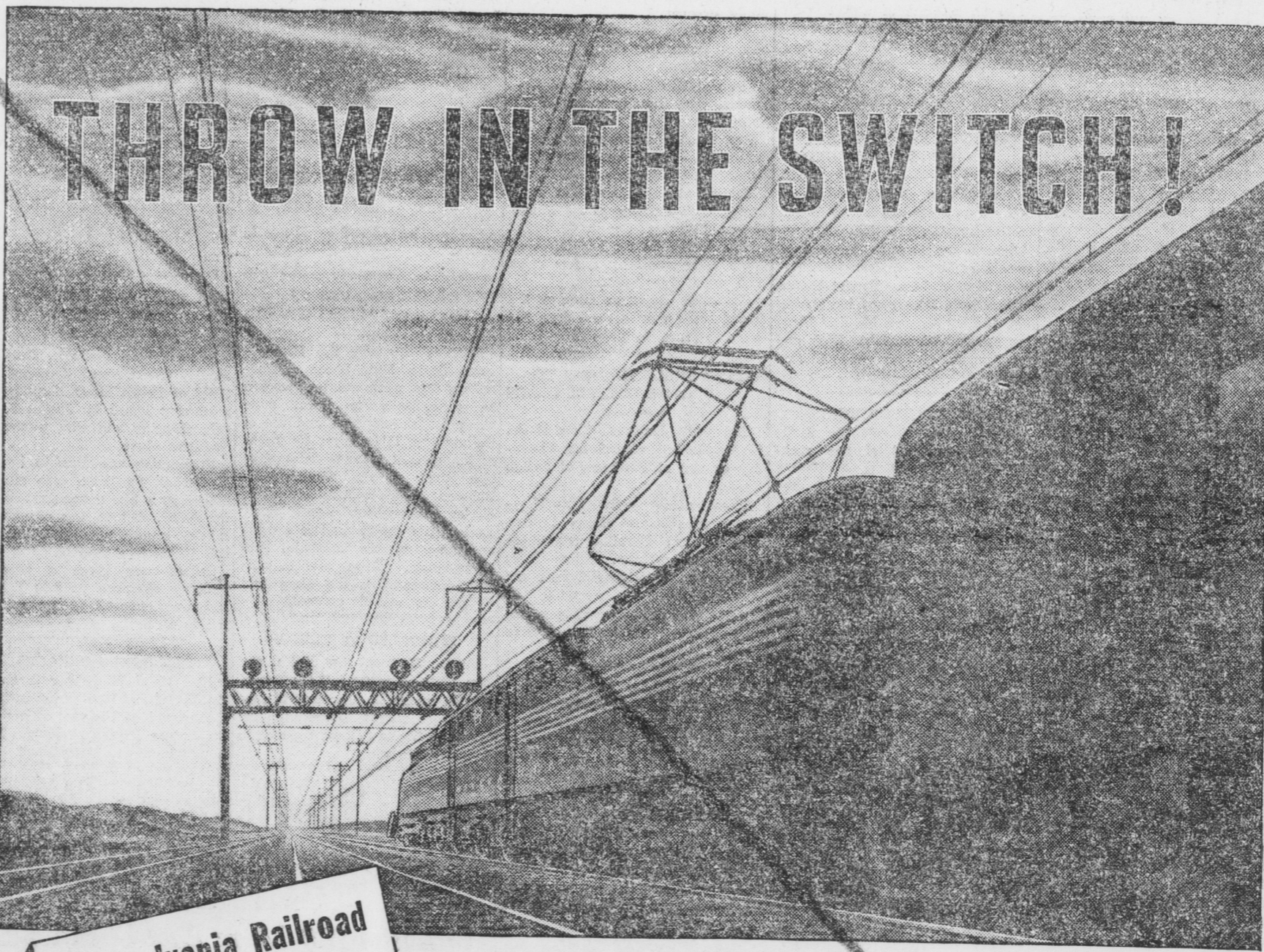
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Pennsylvania Railroad brings Electrification to Mount Joy

Another forward step in railroad history becomes a fact! Harrisburg is now linked by electrically operated trains with Philadelphia and New York. Every mile of the way you flash under the wires behind sleek streamlined locomotives powered by electricity.

Thus Pennsylvania Railroad extends its great area of electrified mileage . . . first between New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington . . . now between Harrisburg, Mount Joy, Philadelphia and New York—more than 40% of the elec-

trified standard railroad trackage in the United States. This electrified service (inaugurated January 15) will be in full operation by January 30. After that date all trains between Harrisburg and Philadelphia will be electrically operated.

First Electrified Trains

Of the first electrified trains, westbound—the Metropolitan passes Mount Joy at 11:48 A. M. Eastbound—the Pennsylvania Limited passes through Mount Joy at 1:32 P. M.

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