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EDITORIAL

Our impression of a man who is completely down in when he is down on everybody.

There would be plenty of parking space if cars were owned only by people who can afford them.

You never learn much from the mistakes of others. It seems that in order to profit by a mistake you must have pride of ownership.

SOMETHING GOOD

That there is something good in the worst of us may be tied in with the pronouncement of the value of the pesky, noisy, nasty, stinging, Dr. C. H. Curran, curator in insects at the American Museum of Natural History, says that in the area of New York, the starlings have helped wipe out the Japanese beetle by digging up and eating the larvae. These annoying birds have done more good in eradicating the Japanese beetle than all of our DDT and yellow traps that have been spread and planted. So however ugly they are, how disagreeable you find the starling, you must give the bird credit and a nod when he visits.

JUST IMAGINE

The 1949 corn crop is a bundle of statistics that add a bumper harvest. To visualize what the yield means, let us imagine that Indiana, Illinois and Ohio were one of enormous cornfields. It would cover 583 miles east to west and 385 miles north to south. This would be the acreage of corn grown this year. A fast train going west, through this cornfield, would enter it at sundown and not leave it until sunrise. Now, if you could bring all of the shelled corn to a single landing platform, it would require 1,934,249 boxcars to hold it. The same amount, weighing in short tons, would be far greater than the gross tonnage of the entire merchant marine fleet of the whole world. Some corn crop!

THERE'S NOTHING SACRED

Those who own a television set are pleased there are less wrestling matches and more variety in the entertainment. A man is protesting the use of the word entertainment with regard to wrestling and perhaps he is right. Professional wrestling has fallen to a pretty low repute in these later years. Boxing is no longer the mighty art of self-defense. You see, the ladies have moved in! Another man protests the use of the word ladies with regard to wrestling and boxing and perhaps he too, is right. The dictionary defines a lady as: a woman of social distinction or position; a well-bred woman. Maybe we might better say that families have moved into the boxing arena. Who ever said a woman's place is in the home?

Activities of Our Police Officers

Chief of Police Park Neiss reported several accidents and a misdemeanor in the past week's activities.

Rev. Lewis Stewart, Marshfieldtown, N. J., ran into the rear of a truck operated by Harry Shisler, of Lebanon, Pa. Damage to the Stewart car amounted to \$50.00.

Dale F. Eyster, York, Pa., collided with a car operated by Gertrude H. Troop, Lancaster, at the New Haven St., Marietta Ave., intersection.

The Troop woman was treated at Dr. Schlosser's office and admitted to St. Joseph's Hospital for an injured side.

Eyster's car had \$100.00 damage, and the Troop car \$200.00.

On Saturday evening, a freight car on the Old Line at Stehman's Mill was entered and five bags of feed slashed open, spilling the contents. Damage was estimated at \$25. Officer Neiss is investigating.

School News From E. Donegal Twp.

Class elections, recently held under the direction of the Student Council, resulted as follows: Seniors: President - Mele Arnold, Vice President - Wilmer Longenecker, Secretary - Hazel Crankshaw, Treasurer - Jean Miller, Historian - Marion Ney; Juniors: President, Peggy Hicks, Vice-President - Joseph Brandt, Secretary - Jean Shirk, Treasurer - Wilbur Brubaker, Historian - Barbara Doles; Sophomores: President - Colleen Ibach, Vice President - Robert Swope, Secretary - Margaret Clark, Treasurer - Helen Shirk; Ninth grade: President - Gerald Lindemuth, Vice-President - John Waser, Secretary-Treasurer - Donald Geib; Eighth grade: President - Yvonne Brubaker, Vice-President - Donald Wolgemuth, Secretary-Treasurer - Fred Wetzel, Historian - Jere Henderson.

The high school student body recently completed its magazine selling campaign to earn money to support extra-curricular affairs. Students sold more than \$2900 worth of magazines. Leading salesman were: Mabel Goss with a total of \$256.25, June Arnold - \$146.15, Arlene Hubley - \$127.20, James Shank - \$90.35, James Kinsey - \$77.00 and Wilbur Eberle - \$74.70. The magazine drive was sponsored by the entire student body—Mr. John Hart and Mr. Eugene Saylor, acting as advisors.

Industry On Parade

All county residents are invited to attend the Industry on Parade industrial products exhibit to be held at the State Armory, Lancaster, October 18 through October 21, Daniel Rhoads, Chairman said today.

At least 50 percent of the products to be shown are made in the factories in County boroughs and rural districts, Mr. Rhoads said. The products represent the fruits of the labor of county men and women and many of them also are used in county homes and businesses to make living easier. Admission to the show is free.

A feature of the exhibit sponsored by the Manufacturer's Association and the Foremen's Club will be a huge map of Lancaster County on the Armory stage, showing by means of streamers all the cities of the world to which local products are shipped. The exhibit will also include many unique displays and unique products developed here in Lancaster County—in the fields of machine tools, foods, clothing, and other goods that make for more convenient existence.

The four-day exhibit is keyed in with the state-wide Pennsylvania Week observance which occurs during the same week.

It is also planned to have dignitaries attend opening ceremonies Tuesday night, October 18th. The exhibitors will offer souvenirs to the visitors and many valuable door prizes also will be awarded.

AUTO MANUFACTURERS HAD NO WORRY ON THE STRIKE

Automobile manufacturers have little worry coming concerning the steel strike now. A report out of Detroit says that passenger car production in the United States for the first nine months of this year has far exceeded the entire output for 1948. The report further stated that September production would total 619,000 cars, the third highest in history.

Seemingly the biggest worry from now on will be the sale of all these 1949 cars with the 1950's ready to go.

SALUNGA NEWS

Mrs. Frank Diechler, Upper Darby, Pa. spent the week-end with her brother Dr. J. S. Kendig and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shoffer of Spring Grove were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Peifer Sunday.

LOCAL MILK PRICES

The Pa. Milk Control Commission announced the following milk prices on Wednesday: Grade A, 22 1-2 qt.; Vitamin D, 21 1-2 qt.; Standard, 20 1-2 qt.; Single cream 22c half pint; Double Cream 37c half pint.

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Borough Limits

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Greiner \$734.74 for water tax collected.

A letter was received from the Commonwealth asking Council to hold a meeting appropriate to Pennsylvania Week, October 17 to 24. It was decided to hold a public meeting Monday, October 17 at 7:30 at which time a guest speaker and probably movies will feature.

The Burgess turned over \$10 for street permits, \$11 peddlers' licenses, \$14 parking violations.

Burgess Zephery recommended No Parking at any time on the South side of Apple Tree Alley at the Fire House. He also suggested prohibiting parking on the West side of North Barbara street from Park Avenue to the Boro Line. Both were ordered.

The Burgess suggested making an effort to get two traffic lights for Main Street and hiring another full time police officer to replace the present part time officer. No action on either suggested.

Pumping Engineer Schatz pumped as follows: by motor 232 hours, 9,815,690 gals.; by turbine 45 hours, 426,000, total 10,241,690 gallons for September.

Mr. Zephery reported for the Fire Company, four calls during the month.

Mr. Dillinger of the Board of Health, asked Council to appoint J. G. Eicherly as a member of the Board to fill the unexpired term of Roy B. Squeez. Also that Dr. D. C. Stoner be re-appointed Health Officer. Both requests were complied with.

Police Officer Neiss reported 21 arrests during the month and that he traveled 1,748 miles in the Boro car last month.

Mr. Chas. Dillinger stated that school children should have better protection crossing Main street in going to and from school.

Charles Latchford said he was interested in the purchase of a portion of High street if the Boro decides. Treasurer Krall reported these balances: Boro, \$28,138.01; Water, \$11,254.48.

The Town Planning and Zoning Commission asked to have its by-laws amended as follows:

No domicile originally designed as a portable vehicle or trailer, will be permanently located in A or B district.

Council granted the request. There will now be a public hearing on the above on November 7 at 7 p. m.

The ordinance annexing a tract of nearly thirty-one acres of land in Mount Joy township to the Boro was adopted. This was requested by a majority of the property owners recently.

These bills were paid: Boro, \$766.68; Water, \$166.52.

Community Exhibit

Mount Joy's annual Community Exhibit will open next Thursday evening for three big days of events starting with the crowning of the Corn Queen Thursday evening between 8 and 9 p. m. Nine contestants from six high schools and three 4-H Clubs have been selected.

Friday afternoon the Corn Husking contest will take place at 1 p. m. on the John Melhorn farm located at the boro limits on the Marietta pike. Immediately following the contest there will be a demonstration of corn-pickers by various dealers.

The Soap Box Derby will be run Saturday afternoon at 12:45 on the Market Street hill and at 2:30 the Horse and Pony parade will move.

The Quoit Pitching Contest is scheduled for the three nights at the boxes on Henry Street.

All these features are among the added attractions for the three days event. The "big top" housing the many displays will be situated on the P.R.R. parking lot as in previous years.

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NEWTOWN

Mrs. Giles Urban and son Billy spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rollman and family of Lititz.

Miss Louise Rhoads of the Odd Fellows Home, Middletown visited Mr. and Mrs. Abram Gamber over the week-end.

Mrs. Kate Moore visited Mrs. Mary Engle of Palmyra Friday.

Mrs. Lillian Witmer was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Garner of Mt. Joy R1.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Rodgers spent the week-end in Philadelphia visiting friends.

Charles Kauffman, U. S. Navy, stationed at Patuxent River, Md. was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Witmer and family.

Mr. Victor Fogie and Kenneth Schoelkopf visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fogie of Braddock over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Hippler of Lancaster RD were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Schoelkopf. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Crowl of Mt. Joy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wittle and family of Marietta, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wittle of Columbia, Mrs. Ragner Hallgren of Mt. Joy and Mr. Harry Hamilton were Sunday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Aristic Wittle's and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Geltmacher and Mrs. Katie Deterline who was visiting there visited Mrs. Bertha Broek of Marietta Saturday.

Mrs. Galen Frankhauser and son David of Reamstown, Mrs. Ralph Keith of Brunnerville and Mrs. Jacob Erb of Columbia RD were Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Geltmacher.

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