THE WAY IT WAS!

LEBANON COUNTY
IN APRIL 1920

- The *Lebanon Daily News* was published daily but not on Sundays. A. B. Schropp was Managing Editor, President and Treasurer.
- Lebanon had a new Theater - THE JACKSON - with a pipe organ and cushioned chairs to be installed later.
- Easter Services at St. Mary's Catholic Church featured music led by organist and chorister James E. Eckenroth.
- The admission price at a dance on Easter Monday at Armory Hall was just 55 cents. Specht's orchestra from Reading provided the music.
- Patschke's Garage at 1105 Cumberland Street advertised an Overland "4" automobile at $845.
- The Lebanon Clearing House reported that over half a million dollars in checks alone changed hands in Lebanon on April 1.
- "Buy your Easter suit at Seitser's"
- "Thousands take Hood's Sarsaparilla as their spring medicine for that tired feeling, nervous weakness, and impure blood. Hood's Sarsaparillo increases the "little soldiers" and enables them to resist germs."
- "Buy your Purina Chick Feed at Monarch Milling Co., Cumberland and 12th Street, Lebanon."
- Monuments, Headstones and Markers were sold at William D. Ebling's in 181 N. Eighth Street, Lebanon, and at rear of Good Will Hall, Myerstown.
- "Remember when we used to load up our fliver with 10-cent and 11-cent gasoline. Them was the happy days." [Yes, them were the happy days].
- "Wedding Bells Rang Merrily Over Easter." Light/Leininger; Shay/Crist; Hornstein/Menger; Carpenter/Huntington; Henne/Dierwachter, and more.
- Daily delivery by carrier of the *Lebanon Daily News* - ten cents per week.
- "Chicago is using 8000 gallons of whiskey a day for medicinal purposes, according to the Illinois State Prohibition Director. There must be a frightful lot of sickness in the city."

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