

THE WAY IT WAS!

LEBANON COUNTY

IN AUGUST 1937

- David Lockart of Myerstown, son of Rev. and Mrs. David Lockart, attended the International Boy Scout Jamboree in the Netherlands along with 30,000 other scouts.
- The "Prowler" reported by a tenant in Jackson Apartments at Cumberland and Liberty Streets in Lebanon was discovered by police to be a bat.
- The Fifteenth Annual Picnic of the Wenger family was held at the Lititz Springs Park with Miss Ruth Wenger a Principal of the West Philadelphia High School as speaker.
- "Cool Nite, Dustless Auto Races" at the Landisville Speedway, Wednesday nights, free parking.
- In Case of Fire, *The Lebanon Daily News* listed 69 street-corner locations of "fire boxes" to notify the fire company. [not many homes had phones].
- Mr. and Mrs. Tyrus Lengel of Pine Grove entertained family and friends at a dinner and outing in their apple orchard.
- "Tropics Explorer Dr. W. E. Aughinbaugh tells Lebanon residents to beat the heat by drinking tea. Tea lowers body temperature."
- The Rotary Club of Lebanon dedicated new camp showers at the YMCA camp at Grebel in memory of Abner C. Jones.
- "Card Party Every Wednesday 8 PM - Lincoln Republican Club. Bingo Every Saturday Night."
- The Hill Lutheran Church in Annville held a church picnic in the grove with the appearance of the famous Laysville Orphan Band of 37 boys under the direction of Professor Paul Fisher.

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