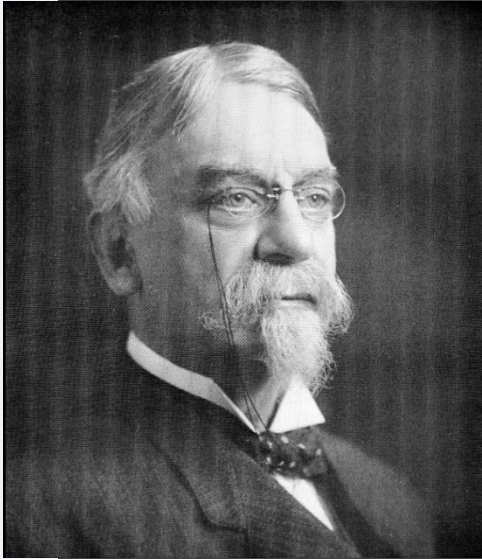




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MICHAEL GROSS, <i>Lat and Heat-maker, in the Borough of Lancaster,</i>	ROBERT HARRIS, Jun. <i>DRUGGIST,</i> <i>Lat of the Town of Wile & Harris,</i>	HENRY ORTH <i>MAK. removed from the office of Market and Fisheries, to No. 111, on the next day of Market, between 12 and 1 o'clock.</i>	<i>To Physicians, Druggists, and Country Stock-keepers.</i> STEPHEN M. NORTON.
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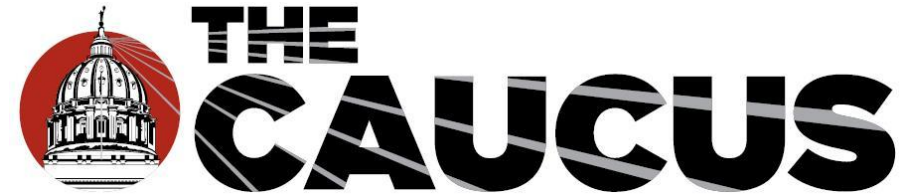
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CHANGING HANDS

Steinmans pass LNP | LancasterOnline baton to WITF



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Robert Krasne, chairman and CEO of Steinman Communications, left, holds hands with Beverly R. "Peggy" Steinman, chairman emeritus of Steinman Communications and co-chairman emeritus of The Steinman Foundation, during a farewell luncheon in the LNP Media Group office in Lancaster. **Below:** Steinman addresses employees Friday during the luncheon.

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The granddaughter of the first Steinman to own a newspaper in Lancaster helped mark the end of the family's long history as publishers of a daily newspaper Friday.

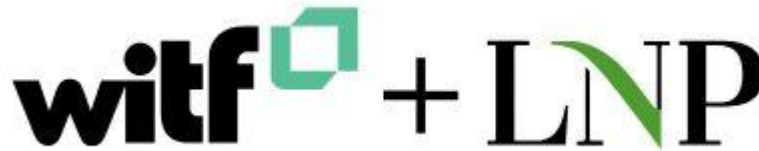
"LNP has been in my family for nearly 158 years. In fact, four generations of Steinmans have supported daily news in the Lancaster County community. Now after careful planning and much thought, we're gifting ownership of LNP to WITF," Beverly R. "Peggy" Steinman, chairman emeritus of Steinman Communications and co-chairman emeritus of The Steinman Founda-

tion, said in a video message played during an employee luncheon she attended Friday in LNP's downtown Lancaster offices.

Beginning today, LNP Media Group becomes a public benefit corporation and will operate as a subsidiary of WITF, the Harrisburg-based public broadcasting station operator.

"We're grateful for the opportunity to steward this wonderful organization in Lancaster County into the future," said Ron Hetrick, president and CEO of WITF. "There's a legacy here of service and we're going to continue that legacy of serving

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MEDIA

Steinman family gifting LNP to WITF

Arrangement with station for 'preservation of robust journalism' locally

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The Steinman family's 158-year ownership of a daily newspaper in Lancaster will end in June with a gift meant to safeguard the future of its flagship publication.

Steinman Communications leadership on Tuesday announced to staff their plans to give LNP Media Group, publisher of LNP | LancasterOnline, at no cost to WITF, the Harrisburg-based public radio station operator. WITF will oversee the Lancaster media



Ron Hetrick, WITF president and CEO

company, which will be converted to a public benefit corporation and become a subsidiary of WITF.

To support the mission and activities of both LNP | LancasterOnline and WITF, Steinman Communications and WITF have also announced the creation of the Steinman Institute for Civic En-

gagement, which will be overseen by WITF and funded by a donation from The Steinman Foundation.

"To advance their legacy of supporting local journalism and media literacy, the Steinman family sought to pair LNP with another locally based media organization — one with a self-perpetuating community board and a track record of strong leadership," said Robert Krasne, chairman and CEO of Steinman Communications. "The family identified the

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Turning the page

Steinmans pass LNP | LancasterOnline baton to WITF

By Chad Umble

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Robert Krasne, chairman and CEO of Steinman Communications, which includes LNP Media Group Inc., announces during a company meeting Tuesday that after 158 years of ownership, the Steinman family is gifting LNP | LancasterOnline to public radio station WITF.

SUZETTE WENGER
STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER



- + Founded 60 years ago**
- + Based in Harrisburg, PA**
- + Community-owned, non-profit**
- + PBS and NPR member station**
- + Significant radio and TV assets**
- + Leader in education program and distribution**
- + Robust community events and forums for civic engagement**

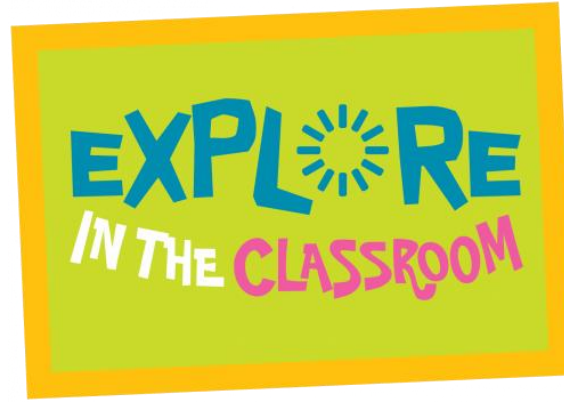
- + Founded 230 years ago**
- + Located in Lancaster, PA**
- + Family-owned, for-profit**
- + Top source of local news**
- + Daily newspaper and digital news platform**
- + Deep local reporting**
- + Longstanding support of education**

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Forging a New Model for **Local News, Community Education and Civic Engagement** in Central Pennsylvania



Steinman Communications **converted LNP to a Pennsylvania Benefit Corporation**; LNP will be a subsidiary of WITF



Seeded by The Steinman Foundation, WITF established **The Steinman Institute for Civic Engagement** to build stronger communities by fostering a more informed and engaged citizenry

The Steinman Institute for Civic Engagement

- + Journalism**
- + Professional Development**
- + Innovation**
- + Education**
- + Civic Engagement**

"I subscribe to the digital news since my parents got the newspaper every day while I was growing up and I like reading local news. I use the archive feature constantly and it helped me learn that my father's family can be traced back to the Civil War bugler Washington Potts. I also learned that much of my father's family lived on Beaver Street, which is where my father was born and my grandparents lived. Not all the family history news was good news but it is interesting to learn and good to know. I have saved many articles from the archives about both my father, Officer Robert Potts, and my mother Louise Potts. I even found an article about my husband swallowing a whistle at 4 years old. As I said, I like being able to read local news every day but the archives have really opened up my family history to me and I find that invaluable."
- Anne Carson

"My husband and I are newer Lancaster County residents. We enjoy reading LNP in both print and electronic versions. LNP is such a superb source to learn and experience what the Lancaster area has to offer. It's refreshing to read a newspaper that is a true newspaper. Thank you for enriching our daily lives and our world."
- Karen Dodd

"I really like the new layout of the LNP app because I like to read stories in the "Community" section so that I know what's going on with municipalities and school districts. The updated design of the app allows me to do that more easily."
- Duane Ober

"What LNP means to me. Every morning before work I read the newspaper with my dog Jack. He knows that he gets his dental bone when I read the paper. Then in the evening after dinner he gets a treat while I do the puzzles. When he hears the word newspaper or puzzles it causes instant drooling. Lol it is our quiet time together."
- Ann Canfield

"My husband and I have always subscribed to LNP for as long as I can remember. I also order them through our school district because I have used them weekly for current events as well as political cartoons. Being a Civics and Government teacher, it is important to have a great resource for our students to use on a regular basis. My teacher assistant who is a high school senior has the job of cutting out articles that relate to U.S. government or state or local government. LNP never fails to deliver unbiased stories on major events that keep my students informed of what is happening in our world. Thank you so much LNP!"
- Amy Derr, **Winner: \$50 Sheetz Gift Card**

"Enjoyed so much reading stories about my parents, grandparents, uncles and aunts, plus CV classmates (class of 1967) from the archives section of the paper!"
- William Stauffer

"I wrote a letter to the editor and ended up with my picture on the front page!"
- Steve Hofmann

"I grew up in Mount Joy from 1942 until 1964. My grandfather and father were both Postmasters and very active in the community. I graduated from Donegal High School and worked for the Lancaster County Historical Society. I graduated from Donegal High School and worked for the Lancaster County Historical Society. I graduated from Donegal High School and worked for the Lancaster County Historical Society."

Unknown Soldier Of Confederacy Buried At River

Lonely Grave At Wildcat
Falls Believed Resting
Place Of Rebel Scout Of
1863



There could be a Confederate flag lying over a solitary grave along the Susquehanna this Memorial Day. Instead of the Stars and Bars, however, it's the Stars and Stripes. In a few days, it is now said, will be the flag of the Union. It is an old man's story, but it is a story that is being told in the quiet of the night. It is a story that is being told in the quiet of the night. It is a story that is being told in the quiet of the night.

Chicken & W At The Wild Falls Hote

Have you discovered family history through the archives?
"Have you ever thought, "What would have happened if my mom and dad had never met?" I don't think of this possibility very often, but my mind traveled there after Lancaster Newspapers made their archives public via Newspapers.com, and I discovered an article from years before I was born.

Since I have been actively working on genealogy for many years, I paid a subscription to Newspapers.com and found it helped me immensely. I could access wedding announcements, articles of general information, and obituaries of individuals in my database. I was ecstatic when Lancaster Newspapers submitted their archives of newspapers to Newspapers.com, now an extension of Ancestry.com.

While doing a search on my mother and dad, I was astounded to find that my mother, Mary Billow, had almost drowned in an accident in the Susquehanna River when she was eighteen years old. According to the New York Times, Mary's dad, W. Lloyd Billow, had taken her and a neighbor friend of her father's, Chiques, close to Marietta, PA, but described in the article as "a policeman on the beat" who had been drinking water, when suddenly, they stepped into a hole in the ice. He was a policeman on the beat who had been drinking water, when suddenly, they stepped into a hole in the ice. He was a policeman on the beat who had been drinking water, when suddenly, they stepped into a hole in the ice.

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- + Maintains core community connections**
- + Informs & educates**
- + Gives voice to all**
- + Promotes local economy**
- + Keeps government and electeds accountable**
- + Power to connect and unify**
- + Critical ingredient in democracy**

Opportunities

+ What would you like to see more of?

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