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THE EDITOR'S VOICE

For the benefit of my angling friends, my candid impression of fishing is a delusion entirely surrounded by liars in old clothes.

We want to commend our veteran townsman, Mr. Clarence Schock, upon having reached his seventy-ninth milestone of life, Friday, December 22. Mr. Schock is enjoying most excellent health and is still quite active in his business as well as local civic organizations including the Chamber of Commerce, Mount Joy's Town Planning Commission, Rotary Club, etc., saying nothing about the most marked improvement ever made in the Mount Joy cemetery, (which will be described in detail in these columns in the very near future). But, to our way of thinking, most important of all, his effort in "Helping Our Schock's" thru the annual distribution of the profits of his Sico Oil Company.

Mr. Schock is one of Lancaster county's philanthropists. In addition to his numerous achievements he further demonstrates his love for mankind by making provisions for the future of all his faithful employees. May he continue to enjoy the best of health and be spared for many more years, thereby enabling him to accomplish numerous other heart's desires.

Exactly one year ago we wrote and published the following editorial in these columns. Read it again: **OVER-CONFIDENCE**

Here and elsewhere, many people are happy in believing that Germany is collapsing within. There have been reports by certain commentators that have led one to take hope in the prediction that the people inside Germany are becoming so terrified over the bombings, suffered so long under Hitler, that they are ready to seek peace and a probable unconditional surrender. Such type of wishful thinking is not good for national morale for it is not a completely true picture of the conditions. Analysts insist that the people are so controlled by the Nazi party, the military organs, they are practically helpless in overcoming them. Bear in mind that not one Allied soldier occupies one toe of Germany and consider that if they are crumbling within, they are holding out mightily well. Wishful thinking perhaps on our part, we must not relax for one minute our effort to make it come true. Over-confidence has jeopardized many a position in history's past wars. We must not make this mistake. After reports of reverses to our armies on the German front during the past ten days, it appears we gave mighty good advice exactly one year in advance.

WON'T MIX IN SAME POT
The government of the United States is launched on a great experiment. It has undertaken to guarantee minimum living standards for all. It will endeavor to furnish jobs when needed, the social security system is to be expanded, farm prices are to be maintained by subsidies, and an almost unlimited program of public works has been proposed. The experiment will cost untold billions, and will come on top of a war that promises to run the public debt up to three hundred billion dollars or more. There is only one way in which this experiment can be carried through successfully, and that is by stimulating to the greatest possible extent the productivity and the initiative of the people. For, notwithstanding the clear propaganda of patronage dispensers that government grants are gift, every dollar distributed by government must first be taken from the people in taxes on their earnings and their businesses. A government spending program requiring maximum taxes and maximum production, cannot be mixed in the same pot with socialism.

FARMER'S FORESIGHT
The farmer of this vicinity is looking ahead, planning along post-war lines, thinking of tomorrow's market, exportation trading and of domestic demands for the future. Feeding the world won't be for so long, for after the fighting, many countries will soon return to feeding themselves. The farmer knows his biggest market is here at home and he wants employment in lines not agricultural to be kept going, since through them he prospers or fails. He knows that at the war's end, there will be a rush to produce autos, radios, refrigerators, houses. So will industry buzz with activity and so will the farmer in his turn flourish. But after what? Well, the smart producers know they can't continue indefinitely to make money from the unusual wartime needs, and they are consequently determining today to keep inflation in hand, starting at home! Curbing the buying of goods that costs more, is one way. To buy war bonds today is a stake in tomorrow when they know that increased taxation must come to pay war costs that must be met. They look about at present machinery wearing out, buildings in need of repair, general equipment needed to be replaced. They plan wisely to put away today this higher income from war to take care of future's purchasing. Every farmer hereabouts remembers the rural indebtedness that followed the last war. Never again—and mean it.

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News From The Boys In The Service

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holiday here with his family. Pvt. Robert D'Arcy, of Greensboro, N. C., spent the Christmas holidays with his wife.

Sixteenth December, nineteen forty-four, Dear Sir: Have been receiving the Bulletin regularly, so thanks to you and the Remembrance committee. I find your column, "News About These In The Service" very interesting and helpful in keeping up with many of my friends in the service. Thank you again. Yours Sgt. Jim Widman.

Second Lt. Franklin M. Shupp, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Shupp, of town, has been awarded the Distinguished Unit medal, symbolic of the presidential Citation, recently received from the War Department by the U. S. Troop Carrier Force to which he is assigned in the European Theatre of Operations. The Presidential Citation commends Lt. Shupp's outfit for outstanding performance of duty in powered aircraft and glider sorties, which were part of the mass airborne assaults on enemy-held terrain.

Atlanta, Ga., December 21, 1944, The Bulletin, Mount Joy: Dear Mr. Schroll: I am writing to you concerning the gift subscription of The Bulletin and to the Remembrance committee to thank them for the two dollar bill. I am not sure that this is the correct procedure but please know that regardless of the correct or incorrect routing on this, that all of us greatly appreciate receiving things from those at home. If this feeling exists when one is only in Georgia, you can be sure it must be double and triple for those on foreign duty, so I would say you are making people happy through this gesture. All of you at home are to be commended on the fine attitude you have for the boys in the service and as a member of S.A.F. (Services to the Armed Forces) I was pleased to be included on this Christmas list. Thank you again. With best wishes for the New Year I am very truly yours. Helen C. Schule, Program Consultant Military and Naval Welfare Service, Southeastern Area.

Dec. 7, 1944: Dear Mr. Schroll—First I want to wish you and your employes a very Happy Christmas. Also lots of luck in 1945. I still receive your paper and believe me it is always welcome. When our mailman comes around and hands me

that paper it makes me feel at home I appreciate your kindness and I bet everyone in the service does. I am not the only one who reads the Mount Joy Bulletin. There are lots around me who do the same. Sometimes there is bad news in. Believe me I feel for everyone who gets that kind of news. We, also, like you, had a Bond drive and I thought, well, there goes one more Jap or Nazi and bought a \$100 bond. I know you people think the same way. Let's hope that victory soon is ours, so we can come home again and enjoy our living. I just finished a big laundry with cold water, of course. Here's where a woman would come in handy. A week or so ago I received a Christmas gift from the Mount Joy Remembrance committee, which I say is the best outfit in our town. To this committee I will say it is so thoughtful of you people to do such wonderful things for the men who are in the service, I myself and I know everyone of us, appreciate your kindness. A thousand thanks for the gift. Let's hope by next year you won't have to send any more gifts overseas. Let this be the last Christmas for us service men and women away from home. A friend and devoted reader, George Leibshultz.

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Strasburg Twp.	506.00
Strasburg Boro	364.00
Terre Hill Boro	300.00
Upper Leacock Twp.	1,068.00
Warwick Twp.	1,280.00
Washington Boro	106.00
West Donegal Twp.	758.00
West Earl Twp.	544.00
West Hempfield Twp.	566.00
West Lampeter Twp.	1,136.00
	\$64,064.00

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TIRE Vigilance Must Continue!

The tire scarcity is not over. We must still conserve every tire in America so transportation may continue. It has been only by the ingenuity of American scientists and the loyalty of American business with the cooperation of the motoring public that we avoided a complete breakdown. Recapping kept America rolling. It will continue to do so.

RECAP IN TIME!

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GEO. W. LEAMAN

MOUNT JOY 230 ELIZABETHTOWN 95

A traveling salesman tells us that the snow storm was so bad out around Pittsburgh that on the night it snowed he had his girl out driving and got lost. Finally, she yelled: "Oh, look, George! There's a chicken so we must be near a farm." He says he looked and replied: "That's not a chicken. That is the weathercock on the township school house." Yes, sir. It must have been mighty deep.

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Best Wishes For a Happy And Prosperous New Year!

A&P SUPER MARKETS
FLORIDA JUICY (150 Size)

Oranges Golden Jersey Sweet	dozen	48c
Potatoes Texas Sweet Red	3 lbs	20c
Beets	2 bunches	15c
Apples STAYMAN Eating or Cooking	3 lbs	29c
FRESH SPINACH TENDER	2 lbs	15c
CARROTS CALIFORNIA	2 large orig. bunches	17c
Yukon Club Ginger Ale or Club Soda (plus deposit)	3 29-oz bottles	25c
SALTINES NABISCO	1 lb pkg	19c
BEANS VAN CAMP'S in Tomato Sauce	2 21-oz cans	25c
POTATO CHIPS JANE PARKER	6-oz bag	25c
OLEOMARGARINE NUTLEY	1-lb print	18c
CAMPBELL'S TOMATO JUICE	2 18-oz cans	19c
PEANUT BUTTER SULTANA	1-lb jar	21c
OAKITE	2 10 1/2-oz pkgs	19c

Paper Towels 10c
Paper Napkins Pkg. 9c
Cutrite Wax Paper 125 Ft. 18c
Kitchen Charm Wax Paper 125 ft. 15c

Marvel Enriched Bread 34 Extra Thin Slices 28 1/2-oz loaf 12c
BREAD CRUMBS MARVEL 1b box 15c
PECAN RINGS JANE PARKER each 23c
POUND CAKE JANE PARKER cut 20c

Marvel "Enriched" Sandwich Rye Bread 17 1/2-oz loaf 11c

Swift's (3-lb cont., 58c) Bland Lard 1-lb print 18c
Kraft's Spread Velveeta 1/2-lb pkg 19c
Pabst-ett 6 1/2-oz pkg 18c

Mild and Mellow Coffee 3-lb bag, 59c
Eight O'Clock 2 1-lb bags 41c
RED CIRCLE COFFEE 2 bags 47c
BOKAR COFFEE 3-lb bag 75c 2 1-lb bags 51c

McCormick's Pure Extract Vanilla 1-oz bottle 19c 2-oz bottle 35c

FOR FINE LAUNDRY Ivory Flakes large pkg 23c
DUZ DOES EVERYTHING DuZ large pkg 23c

Vegetable Shortening Crisco 1-lb jar 24c 3-lb jar 68c Supply Limited
Octagon Laundry Soap 3 cakes 14c
MAGIC WASHER pkg 22c
NOLA FLAKES 21-oz pkg 23c

Granulated Soap Oxydol large pkg 23c
Octagon Soap Powder 39-oz pkg 16c
Sweetheart TOILET SOAP 2 regular cakes 13c Bath size Deluxe cake 11c