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THE EDITOR'S VOICE

Rubber ships frequently fooled those Germans but over here a rubber check fools nobody.

One of our rural subscribers says the postwar world is about like the prewar model, except that it rattles much more.

We would advise the girl who wants to marry to get a home of her own, had better wait until the housing shortage adjusts itself.

As the season has about drawn to a close the average victory gardener has come to the conclusion that the pictures in the seed catalog are inflation and his harvest deflation.

MAIL IT NOW

Though many have returned to civilian life after serving their country, there are still a large number of men in uniform overseas. This means again mailing those Christmas packages early. The mailing date is October 16-November 15. To insure Christmas delivery to China, Islands of Pacific, India and the Middle East, send gifts by November 1. Not more than one package a week from one sender to the same addressee, weight limit 70 pounds, not over 100 inches in combined length or girth, package marked "Christmas Parcel", the complete and correct address, no perishable and inflammable goods, no poisons or intoxicants. Get your shopping done early.

GETTING TOO FAT

We haven't any way to tell exactly the number of people who are too much over-weight but we conclude that there are far too many for their own good. A nation of eaters, after we reach the forty mark our surplus fat begins to over-advertise. A people who follow all kinds of reducing diets, we admit our obesity. Eating regularly and generally eating too much, is a habit and a custom with Americans. It is not that we eat because we are actually hungry or in need of renewing strength to undertake heavy work. Folks considered saving when asked to provide food for those who were starving in other countries, they might now consider it from the standpoint of improving their health.

CARRYING ON

If the newly named Farmers Home Administration will continue to handle the long-term loans where tenants can purchase their own farms, with the efficiency of the deceased Farm Security Administration, it will be of satisfaction to many. The FSA did cost the taxpayer money to maintain it and in spite of much criticism its mistakes were over-balanced by its farm services. The man who had to foot the bill for its functions has seen much of its effective and helpful measures in his own country. There was much political opposition to the FSA and there will naturally be much to the new organization. But, that there will be some good coming from it, through opposition and because of it, we don't doubt.

SEPTEMBER CALM

Crisp and cooler are September days as insistent milkweed, Jimson and Queen Anne's Lace crowd the sod. Marigolds, clover and swamp meple do honor to the month as crickets and katydids bestow their friendly chirp. High and thick the stubble along the roadside, low and colorful the petunias and asters along the driveway. Locusts, goldfinch and butterflies sooth the senses as September lavishes its lushness and steadily marks time towards cold weather ahead. No artist can compete with Nature who splashes purple grapes, ripe peaches, yellow cucumbers, plox, zinnias and portulaca upon the living fall canvas. It is a welcome sight to tastes where God wills this glorious hour for the restless. No land so flat and drab but that there flowers a glory of red, yellow and green. No country so poor that apples, peaches, grapes and plums aren't found there. The summer sun retreats and with a change of spirit touches and creeps. Work to be done, but man listens and looks as the day's change grazes us. Mellow and

soothing are the briefer days and the gray squirrel points the way to increased effort in the face of fall's warning. Sept. a gentle rhythm and a tame reminder.

CATCHING UP

The number of new cars appearing doesn't begin to fill the demands of the cars ordered. There is no definite figure since so many people have put in orders for more than one make of car. Some have listed with four or five concerns, taking what comes in first and cancelling the rest. The production line will have to count this duplication of orders and perhaps take half of it. The actual demand no one seems to know. It is the popular guess that the manufacturers have need to do some cutting in their high hopes of greatly exceeded figures. If a dealer compares notes with another he will find this to be a fact. It is true that the production of cars is far behind the consumers demands yet will it take as long a time to meet these demands as they first thought? In the near future that auto dealer coming around to the house to ask you to let him demonstrate the shining model. This is beginning to happen in other lines such as gas stoves, refrigerators, washing machines. We have grown so accustomed to priority ratings and waiting lines that we have taken it for granted it was still necessary to go through this ritual to get radios, electric appliances and such. This is not true, in most areas.

The Firemen Won

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newed its accident policy on members. The Mount Joy Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, was granted permission to use the fire hall for meetings, and it was announced that new kitchen equipment and an electric clock for the social room would be purchased. Chief John Schroll reported that the pump on the Dodge truck had been repaired and re-installed, and that another pump had been sent away for repairs. A committee of 10 members headed by Ray Myers, was named to complete arrangements for the Lancaster County Firemen's Convention to be held in Mt. Joy next summer.

Hoffer Plead Guilty,

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fer pushed the knife at Miss Emmert's chest and told them both not to move as he "wanted to think." Miss Shue slipped from the car perked on the dirt road and ran for help. Meanwhile, Miss Emmert wrestled with Hoffer and managed to take the knife away from him. She stumbled through the fields with the knife and managed to get to Baker's Diner where she met Miss Shue. Hoffer was originally charged with assault with intent to ravish and assault with intent to kill as well as the charges on which he was sentenced but the former were dropped without prosecution by Assistant District Attorney John W. Beyer after he pleaded guilty.

INCORPORATION APPROVED BY THE COUNTY COURTS

The articles of incorporation of the Girl Scout Council of Lancaster County were approved by the court. The assets of the corporation were listed at \$11,000. Among the list of incorporators is Esther Musser, of Mount Joy Rl.

DEEDS RECORDED

Roy H. and Miriam M. Siegrist, West Hempfield, to Charles W. and Clara H. Everhart, Lancaster, lot in Rapho township, \$1,200.

ATTENDING STATE PICNIC

Members of Farm Women's Societies of Lancaster County are attending the State picnic at the Ebensburg Fair Grounds today.

Everybody reads newspapers but NOT everybody reads circular advertising left on their door step.

HAPPENINGS

—of—
LONG AGO

20 Years Ago

Formal opening and dedication of the new High school building will take place October 1st.

Rev. I. A. MacDannald gave a reception in honor of the choir, orchestra and ushers of the Church of God.

Dr. E. W. Garber installed a new and up-to-date fountain at his pharmacy here.

Amos Bricker Jr. purchased the Mrs. Frances Nissly property at Florin.

Applications for examinations as postmaster at Florin are now being filed.

Mr. George Loraw injured his left hand when a piece of lumber he was sawing struck him.

Mount Joy Baby Clinic stands first in attendance and registration for the month of August, out of eight clinics in the county.

Markets: Eggs, 34-36c; Butter, 30c; Lard 18c.

Dr. Kendig, Salunga, entertained a corn bake in honor of several guests from Virginia.

Borough Council is considering a new plan of streets for the southern portion of the borough.

Several boro residents accompanied the excursion to Coney Island on Sunday.

Benjamin Herr, 86, years old, accidentally fell down a flight of stairs at his home in Florin.

Miss Christine Moyer entertained to bridge at her home.

Local supporters of the KKK burned a cross in front of the Farmers' Inn Hotel here.

An American Stores truck struck the Heilig & Hallgren dairy wagon, injuring the horse and damaging the wagon.

The Capital and Hamilton theatres, at Lancaster, were sold to the Stanley Corporation.

A farmer near Brickerville now claims that melons are the best paying crop he can grow on his gravel soil.

The eighth annual Brubaker reunion held near Luray, Va., was attended by many from this section

NEWTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Petersen of State Teachers College and Mrs. Freda Skulnik of Braddock visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fogle and Mrs. Serenana Fogle last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Salter from Selmsgrove and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Isler of Elizabethtown visited Mr. and Mrs. Victor Snyder Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob McGonigal spent the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Orin McGonigal at Brush Town, Cumberland County.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gamber and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frank and family on Sunday.

Mr. John Landis of Lititz visited Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Witmer and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Barton of near Marietta visited Mr. and Mrs. William Fogle on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Walters of Lancaster visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fogle and Mrs. Serena Fogle on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fogle were Monday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Fogle and son Thomas on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Kennard Franklin left for West Virginia last Thursday where she will spend her vacation visiting relatives.

Peggy Miller of Lancaster, Mrs. Miller of Bird-in-Hand and Mrs. Alice Otto of Lancaster R. D. were Monday guests of Mr. William Fogle and family.

Mr. David Hess of West Lancaster visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mahan on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Miller and sons and daughter-in-laws visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weaver Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Witmer Jr. and family visited Mr. and Mrs. John Kaufman and family of Silver Spring on Sunday.

Mrs. Daniel Moore visited Mrs. Emma Givens of Middletown on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Winters and daughter of Manheim visited Mr. and Mrs. Abram Gamber on Monday evening.

The monthly Ladies Aid meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Fogle on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Geltmacher spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. William Shearer of Mount Joy.

Rev. and Mrs. Chester Hartman called on Mrs. Irvin Witmer and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Geltmacher on Tuesday evening.

Causes and Prevention of Home Accidents Listed

Falls on stairs, from porches and ladders, and on slippery floors and sidewalks are among the chief causes of home accidents, the National Safety Council points out, adding other reasons:

Burns by gasoline and kerosene, matches, smoking in bed, and steam and hot liquids; suffocation by bedclothes, and baby sleeping with adults; firearms from playing with guns and examining or cleaning guns; poison gas from stoves badly vented or otherwise in disrepair, and gas failing to ignite, and poisons from failure to identify the bottle before taking medicine, and harmful substances left within a child's reach.

Home accidents can be prevented by: repairing stair treads and banisters, installing handrails, insuring adequate light, and removing ice and snow, or spreading sand or salt; never using gasoline or kerosene to start fires or dry-clean, keeping matches out of children's reach and never smoking in bed; never using heavy blankets or fastening them on a child's bed or using pillows in a child's bed and always treating a gun as if it were loaded. Unload and lock up all guns in the house.

Find Small Percentage Possess Large Savings

To get the answer as to who held savings deposits and U. S. bonds, economists of the department of agriculture interviewed about 3,000 family groups representing a scientific cross-section sample of the people in the entire United States. That sample included farm people, town people, and city people of different income levels.

After careful survey and weighing the results, the economists conclude that only a small minority of the people have much money in banks or bonds. Over half the families have from less than \$500 down to nothing. If this poorest half spent all they have saved up, their spending would represent only 3 per cent of the holdings in the country.

On the other hand, the highest 10 per cent of the people, those who had an income last year of \$4,450 or more, hold sixtenths of the bonds and money in the bank. The top 30 per cent hold nearly nine-tenths of all these funds that are available for spending.

Safe Dress

If you are a woman who does outdoor work in slacks or overalls, wear flat heels. High heels may cause you to fall by catching in the cuff of your slacks or overalls. Flat heels will not only avert this danger but you will be less tired at the close of the day than when you wear high heels. Another way to guard against the danger of being tripped by a too-long or too-wide trouser leg is to fasten a short strap to the inside seam and attach to a button sewed on the other seam. A long pair of gloves slipped on when taking food from the oven will save you many a burn. When cooking wear short sleeves that will not catch on the handles of pans of hot food. Many women and small children have been burned by such mishaps. Long sashes or tie belts on dresses are a common cause of accidents. If you must wear a belt that ties, use a short one that ties at the back.

Food Storage

Store onions, potatoes and foods canned in glass in a cool, dry and dark corner. For meat, the best rule is to keep it clean, cold and covered. A temperature of 45 degrees or lower is the best. Wash poultry thoroughly inside and out, pat it dry and store in a very cold soiled spots on them wipe off with a dry, rough cloth, but don't wash them before storing because the water destroys the protective film on the shell that keeps the air out. Vegetables also need careful handling to preserve their goodness. Wash, drain and store your salad greens in a covered pan and keep cold. Cauliflower, brussels sprouts and broccoli lose freshness faster than cabbage so leave them uncut and keep cold but not too dry. Keep your root vegetables—beets, turnips, rutabagas and carrots—in a cool, ventilated place and it's all right to cut the tops to two inches in order to save space.

Range Efficiency

It is generally known that coal ranges, if completely covered, use only about 18 per cent of the heat supplied. Kerosene and gasoline stoves are about 25 per cent efficient, and gas stoves 35 per cent; electric stoves, on the average, use 50 per cent of the energy supplied. An emersion heater unit can be expected to use up to 90 per cent. Another thing that determines efficiency and length of time it takes food to cook is the utensil in which it is placed. Quickest cooking can be done when a pan slightly larger than the element is used; it is always best to use the smallest utensil possible for the job to be done and the unit to be used. A pan with straight sides is more efficient than one with sloping or curved sides. Straight-sided ones have less surface and therefore lose less heat through convection.

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MacIntosh Apples	fine for eating	3 lbs	25c
Bartlett Pears	Calif. Mountain	2 lbs	29c
Fresh Prunes	Northwestern	2 lbs	25c
Seedless Grapes	Thompson	2 lbs	29c
Sweet Potatoes	Golden	3 lbs	23c
Fresh Broccoli	Jersey . . . 1 lb. bunch		25c

"Natch Mom expects us to put on the feed bag after school!"

Mastering the "Natch" 12" consumes lots of energy, so smart mothers see that it's renewed with after-school snacks. And that's where A&P comes to the rescue.

Keebler Butter Thins	12 oz. pkg	24c
Peanut Butter	1 lb. jar	25c
Evap. Milk	3 full cans	35c
Sigared Donuts	12 in. pkg	20c
Sandwich Bread	34-slice loaf	15c
Mel-O-Bit Process Cheese	2 1/2 lb. loaf	59c

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