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EDITORIAL

Now I know why some men behave — they fear being caught if they misbehave.

Even with the present prices of meats it hasn't put a stop to testimonial banquets.

My candid impression is that it would not be possible to give this country back to the Indians in its present condition.

See where Governor Duff has completed a 13-man flood control commission set up by the 1947 Legislature to handle a \$10,000,000 program to combat floods in Penna. Wonder whether our Little Chickies creek, which goes on a rampage so frequently, will be given any consideration?

MORE PUBLICITY

One of the arguments about sending more food to Europe and cutting down on our family supply here, is that we don't get any credit for our help. They feel we owe it to them, says a critic, and mentions what a to-do was made when Russia sent in to France an amount of wheat. Parades and slogans and tributes. We unloaded hundreds of times the same amount and there was scarcely a ripple. Perhaps we should give the U. S. more publicity, show Europe that it is the effort of American families, that is back of this country's foreign aid. It isn't just a matter of government in high places, it is the case of people reducing their own supplies, of saving bread, doing without meat, to help European families. It is a personal interest, a banding together of Americans for helping others. What we need is to have Europe realize that this is the way we work at democracy.

UNLESS SOMETHING HAPPENS

After Dec. 31st, it looks as if juke boxes, broadcasting recordings, phonograph records, are going to do without any assistance from the American Federation of Musicians. With the ban of "once and for all", of recordings and transcriptions of musicians belonging to the union, we are going to do without up-to-the-minute tunes and get our pleasure from music of yesterday. The way they revive certain old favorites to a return engagement, shows we have a store house of lovely music to draw from. We will more greatly appreciate the classical recordings too, since these will last forever. The enthusiasts of top new tunes of each week will be the chief mourners after December. Anyway we may get one benefit — less clutter from a noisy juke box during a meal.

A BIT OF A MUDDLE

How frequently we run into a situation where shortage and surplus is muddled, because of inefficiency some place along the line. It therefore affects our national economy. How many times we have had goods, at hand, a crying need, and no transportation for it. A hungry world and a surplus of grain without enough storage. A call for gasoline, lack of transportation and storage to utilize what we have. A report of a committee that the country is overbuilt and yet families all over, trying to find homes. We could follow this line further. But, take the recent statement from the scrap iron and steel industry, that "a scant five weeks' supply of iron and steel scrap remains in the hands of dealers and consumers." Yet, it is pointed out, more than a million "jalopies" lie rusting in the car "graveyards" that dot the landscape, and there are, on the average, about 500 pounds of castings contained in each car. We have a jumble of rusted old cars as an eyesore, yet these trucks and cars could be a relief to the steel industry. We would be benefiting industry and removing a litter of scrap from the roadside, if we could get rid of these rusty graveyards.

COMMUNISM AND THE MOVIES

In the accusations made by some witnesses called to the stand during the investigation of Communism and the movie industry, there have been inferences, personal opinions, certain suspicions. It is the object to uncover subversive tactics that would destroy American traditions, ideals, institutions. But, when individuals are named, accused of being Communists, it seems the accused should be given the opportunity, during the witness's testimony, to challenge it with cross examination.

None of us want our films dominated by Russian influence, ideas disloyal to this country implanted in the mind of American youth. As adults, we probably figure we can sift and judge the attack, but with our children, it is another matter. Yet, we do not want a censorship of movies that would go to the extreme where there would be no freedom of expression. We don't want it for our press. The trouble with Gestapo methods in Germany was in its suppression of liberty. Of course we don't want our films "Russianized", but we don't want to lose our rights of Americans either. This inquiry into Communism and the movie industry should be handled and judged most carefully. It is a serious subject.

HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF

"Lack of understanding on the part of men who are running our government appears to be as much to blame for the chaotic condition of prices and supply as any other one factor."
"Remember back in the days of the depression when the government was recommending plowing under crops because they were in too abundant supply? Those same experts today are trying to 'plow under' markets because the demand is too great."
"It doesn't take a student of economics to tell our government that prices are governed almost entirely by supply and demand — regardless of the controls placed on either as an artificial stimulus for increased or decreased prices."

"The plain truth is that our supply is high, but our demand is greater because of the export policies which this country has followed and is following. Suddenly there has been a drastic cut in export allocations of grain and flour in an effort to retard the upward trend of prices."

"Looking back over the years, it isn't difficult to see that history repeats itself. Wheat after the Civil war sold for \$2.85; after the Russo-Turkish war it soared to \$2.45; it went to \$1.85 after the Spanish-American war, and to \$3.50 after the first World War."
"Regardless of who is running America, the first truth which must be realized is the old fundamental economic law of supply and demand. It has never failed. It never will fail, — regardless of subsidies, grants, doles, price-pegging or other artificial stimuli. When the supply is good, prices tend to be lower. When supply is short, prices are high (provided there is no price control, in which case the short supply usually finds better customers in the black market — at higher prices)."

"We are experiencing high wheat prices because 40 per cent of the crop is going out of the country. We are experiencing high meat prices for the same reason. However, we are witnessing high corn prices because the crop this year was 800,000,000 bushels short because of weather factors. In any instance, the available home supply is not sufficient to meet the demand."

G. Graybill Diehm Is

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mine the value of real estate for tax purposes throughout the Commonwealth. The appointment is for four years.
The other two members are Edwin Winsor, Willow Grove, former State legislator and now treasurer of Montgomery county, and Walter J. Kress, of Johnstown, deputy State Secretary of Revenue. They will get \$10,000 a year.
Mr. Diehm has served as a county commissioner for the past twenty years. He has not as yet accepted the appointment.
The three members were sworn in Monday and immediately took up the task of establishing machinery to equalize state subsidies for education.

NEWTOWN East Donegal Township School Notes

The ladies aid society held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Daniel Geltmacher. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Witmer and family visited Mr. and Mrs. John Kauffman at Ironville on Sunday. Mrs. Emma Kauffman and daughter Verna, of East Lampeter visited Mrs. Lillian Witmer on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Keith of Lititz visited Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Geltmacher on Saturday evening. Mrs. Jacob Erb is on the sick list.

Mrs. Lillian Witmer entertained Rev. and Mrs. Umberger and son Paul Jay and Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Earhart and son Ronald last Thursday evening.

The Evangelistic services closed on Sunday evening. The services for the two weeks were fairly well attended. On Sunday evening before the close of the services the Pastor presented Gideons New Testaments to all who took part in the childrens choir.

The children choir the three oldest folks present, the youngest present and to the pianist.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Geltmacher entertained the Jubilee Quartet of Sheridan on Sunday.

Dedicated Memorial

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Scouts groups unveiled the memorials and taps was sounded by Miss Mildred Stehman. The Rev. Raymond H. Dahl, pastor of the Landisville Church of God and the Rev. N. L. Bowers, of the Sarunga Church of the Brethren, gave the invocation and benediction respectively.
The program committee consisted of Paul S. Baker, chairman; Arthur A. Hackman and Phares B. Stehman. William F. Hoffman is chairman of the general memorial committee.

CHRISTMAS SEAL SALE

FROM NOV. 24 TO JAN. 1
The Tuberculosis Society of Lancaster County will open the 41st annual Christmas Seal Sale on Monday, Nov. 24, to continue until Jan. 1, it was announced today by Dr. C. Howard Witmer, Society president.

A goal of \$35,000 will be sought in the sale, for the support of the services.

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REVEREND GABLE TALKS TO LIONS CLUB

At a regular meeting of the Lions Club of Mount Joy held on Tuesday evening in Hostetter's Banquet Hall, the Rev. John Gable of St. Mark's E. U. B. Church of Florin was the guest speaker. His talk to the club was on "the ways to a thankful heart."

Of the 42 present, additional guests were Dr. Tingley, Warren Mueller and Lion Bill Balmer of the Elizabethtown Club who spoke briefly on the participation of his club in the benefit football game being held at Elizabethtown.

Induction services were held for the following new members; Ralph Walters, Lewis Bixler, and John Zink. They were officially welcomed into the club by ex-president, John Dillingier.

Lion Jim Spangler presented the facts concerning the forthcoming mammoth "Minstrel Show" which is now in the process of production by the local Lions. Dates for the show were announced as January 28th and 29th.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Miss Shirley Ann Swarr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Swarr, Landisville, to Charles R. Engle, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Engle, Florin, is announced. No date for the wedding has been set.

St. Mark's Evangelical United Brethren

Erza H. Ranck, Pastor
Sunday, November 23, 1947
9:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:15 a.m. Morning Worship
During this service the service flag of the church will be removed from the walls of the church with appropriate ceremony.
6:30 p.m. Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m. Evening Worship
Wednesday
10:50 a.m. Week Day Class
7:45 p.m. Union Thanksgiving service in Trinity Lutheran Church Thursday
8:00 a.m. Girls Missionary Guild Thanksgiving Breakfast and Thank-offering service, Friday
7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

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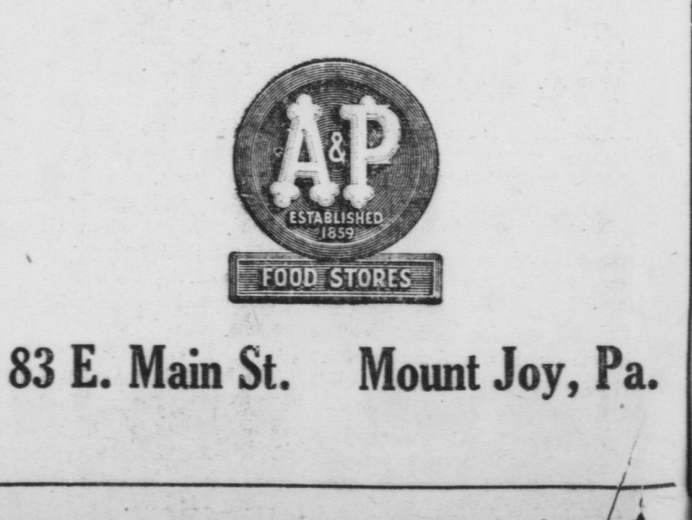
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