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EDITORIAL

It seems unfair to expect a dog to like you when nobody else does.

A good place to find out how old you are is behind a lawn mower or a snow shovel.

Its a lucky man who can telephone his home without busy signals blocking him for half an hour.

OUR OLD PEOPLE

Often state hospitals can be called an old folks home. When families don't know what else to do with older men and women, though they are fundamentally healthy, these old folks are often committed to state institutions. There are enough problems in the state mental institutions without the added burden of caring for people just because they are old. Thousands of these people end up in mental hospitals, falsely and labeled as insane. Some though feeble, well-meaning and with a human's self respect, they are "dumped" into these state hospitals. Why increased social security tax, why millions of dollars out of pay envelopes, if such a thing is common practice?

FROM SIX TO FOUR TO TWO

Brazilian droughts and wage increases to coffee plantation workers, exportation of coffee is down so many number of bags, are explanations to the housewife of why increased cost of coffee. Whatever the reasons, the eight-ounce percolator gives way to the four-cup pot in local tables. Being practical, women don't like the price per pound, so they use less coffee. Tea is becoming more popular here due to high cost of "java". Folks will figure they have been drinking too much coffee anyway and now is a good time to cut down. The thing may become a habit and the nation become a land of tea drinkers, heaven forbid!

THE TRAPPED PUBLIC

We, the captured public, are so listed according to radio standards for commercial broadcasting, if you can't be rid of listening, you are trapped. When music, news and especially, commercials are fed you in street cars, buses, railroad terminals, trains, it is enforced listening since you can't turn the knob and shut off the program. When music on the radio is offered factory workers, hospital patients, it is supposed to be a healthful purpose, for the good of the individual. But, when private enterprise exploits through radio advertising an advantage over the travelling public from which they can't escape, they become captives and this is not healthful!

Justice Brandeis pronounces the right of privacy is the right to be let alone. Strange such a pronouncement is even necessary in this land of the free. Rural areas fortunately haven't the degree of annoyance over this forced listening that is invading the privacy of the traveller in the cities, but it might come into every village hamlet on public carriers, behind the rear of disapproval is heard by commissions and committees. The vanishing right of the individual is something to roar about and the noise issuing from the captive audience in protest should be loud enough to drown out the price of washers, too much Brahms or the economy size soap powders.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN

Benjamin Franklin was not only celebrated as one of our first great Americans, but as the greatest national writer of the eighteenth century. Consider what he

The Bulletin's Scrapbook!

Week's Best Recipe

Cheese Ring Salad: 1-2 c Roquefort cheese, 2 pkgs. cream cheese, 1-4 c milk, 1 t Worcestershire sauce, 1-4 t Worcestershire sauce, 1-4 t paprika, 1-2 t lemon juice, 1 t gelatin, 1-4 c cold water, 1 c cream whipped. Combine cheese, blending well together. Add the milk, sauce, seasoning. Soften gelatin in cold water, dissolve by holding over hot water. Blend into cheese mixture. Fold in the whipped cream. Turn into mold which has been rinsed with cold water. Chill until firm. When serving unmold onto plate lined with watercress or lettuce. Fill center with mixture of fruits or vegetables. Serve with mayonnaise or French dressing.

Try This

Dip a cloth into melted fat then cover the chicken or turkey which you plan to roast. Keep oven heat low at 300-325 degrees and baste over the cloth. Still another variety of muffins, besides the ones mixed with tomato soup for liquid, is the standard muffin recipe but flavored by adding a cup of grated American cheese. However, do not use more than two tablespoons of sugar in the recipe. Put canned peach halves in shallow baking dish, pour over each a little sherry and broil. Serve with meat or as a dessert.

Inspirational

And whosoever shall give to drink unto one of these ones a cup of cold water only in the name of a disciple, verily I say unto you, he shall in no wise lose his reward. Mathew 10:42.

had to say on the subjects below:

On Absenteeism: Dost Thou Love Life. Then do not squander Time; for that's the stuff Life is made of. On Education: The doors of wisdom are never shut. On Freedom of Speech: Whoever would overthrow the liberty of a nation must begin by subduing the freedom of speech: a thing terrible to traitors. On Inflation: Buy what thou hast no Need of, and ere long thou shalt sell thy necessities. On Public Service: My rule, in which I have always found satisfaction, is never to turn aside in public affairs through the private interest; but to go straight forward in doing what appears to me right at the time, leaving the consequences with Providence. On Religion: Sin is not hurtful because it is forbidden, but it is forbidden because it is hurtful. On Tax: There are no gains without pains. The penned words of Franklin have been passed down through the ages and many are familiar in local families. His homely wit, his humble wisdom, his faith and hope in America, makes Benjamin Franklin a household character, a fireside friend and mentor.

WILL YOU HELP?

During the last holiday season, as in the past, tragedy came to many homes. It came in the form of fire. In some instances, it left dead, maimed and suffering human beings behind. In one case a fire which started with a Christmas tree destroyed most of a town.

So, again, the nation has been shown that fire is one of the greatest menaces to life and property—and a menace which is always waiting for a chance to strike. Yet the terrible toll which took in 1949 need not be repeated in 1950. Fire is not an enemy against which there is no practical defense. It is, on the contrary, an enemy which can be captured and controlled. The experts say that something like 90 per cent of all fires are unnecessary—they could have been prevented with just a little thought, a little time, a few simple precautions. Most fires start from the simplest hazards—carelessness with smoking materials, frayed electric cords, improperly maintained stoves and furnaces, accumulations of trash and so on. You don't have to be an authority on fire prevention to get rid of these hazards in your home or place of business and the cost is small. This year, organized fire prevention will go ahead in high gear. It will be successful if and only if it is given public cooperation everywhere. Your life and property may be at stake. Are they worth protecting?

SHOOT STORY

Randy's Girl

By Richard Hill Wilkinson

RANDY SUMNER told the girl he loved her. She was beautiful and he was human and he couldn't help himself. He felt chagrined when he thought of it later because that night he had forgotten that he was a police detective and she the notorious Tony Quarles.

3-Minute Fiction

"What the hell! The dame will take a powder on you. If she blows it's curtains as far as our chance of bringing in Tony is concerned." Randy felt like telling the chief to jump in the lake. But he didn't. He knew the chief was right, Pamela was Tony's girl. A new one. They'd been seen together at The Lobster Club and the story was that Tony was nuts over her.

Right after that the Ryegate job was pulled; a night watchman and a cop shot dead. Of course Tony vanished. They couldn't hope to find him. The girl vanished too. A week later one of the boys saw her down at Ocean Bluffs. She was an usher in a movie theater.

They didn't pick her up. The chief was too smart for that. He sent Randy down. "You're a good looking kid, Randy, with a nice, friendly smile. Go down there and play the sucker game. Sooner or later she and Tony will join up. It's our only chance."

Randy made plans. The payoff was due to come soon now. He had orders to take both the girl and Tony. Well, he'd do just that. Days passed. They saw each other once at least every 24 hours. They danced and went sailing and swam and played tennis. Randy suffered. He was haunted by the scene that was inevitable.

There was a haunting light in the girl's eyes also. He wondered if she, too, were suffering because the same thing had happened to her. THEN ONE DAY he called for her and found wild fright in her eyes. "Randy! I'm afraid! He's here!" "Who's here?" "That man. The man I tried to tell you about—why I left Chicago. He—he's horrible! At first he was nice to me, then I had to run away to keep him from—from—" "What's his name?" said Randy hoarsely.

"Lancey. Tom Lancey. He's at the Seaside. He called and said—" "We'll go down and have a talk with him," Randy snapped. "Randy! I can't! I—" "You're coming too!" She didn't understand Randy's attitude, but she trusted him.

They went to the Seaside. Inside the door Pamela stopped. "There he is!" she whispered. "On the divan reading the newspaper." It was Tony Quarles. Randy felt sick. He put his hand under his



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HAPPENINGS

—of—
LONG AGO
20 Years Ago

H. B. Williams of Texas City, Texas rolled a whoop 2500 miles to New York City.

Jesse Watson purchased the Griff Saddler Shop on N. Market Street and will convert it into a dwelling. Kinsey's Restaurant held a shooting match for turkeys and ducks at their establishment.

A joint meeting of the Boosters and Rotarians was held at the Garden Spot Restaurant.

Ice 24 inches thick was harvested on the Susquehann river at Columbia Jan. 9.

Seven deer were seen in hills south of Columbia. One buck and six doe.

Bus service between Columbia and Safe Harbor beginning Jan. 18.

B. F. Heistand and Sons, Marietta, had Wolgemuth Mill at Florin grind 1400 pounds of roasted corn, put up in 12 lb. sack to distribute to the poor people at Marietta.

One of the highest prices reported for 1929 filler tobacco was 25 and 16 cents.

1950 Farm Show

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story of progress. It was actually Pennsylvania Agriculture on Parade. The great assemblage of the Commonwealth's agricultural might—the cream of her crops, livestock, poultry and products of the farm home—fulfilled the original educational objective of the Farm Show.

A Great Agricultural University is the title to the 34th Farm Show by the Evangelical United Brethren Bishop who gave the invocation preceding the formal opening on the first night by Governor James H. Duff. That phrase fits the Farm Show like a glove and impressed the opening evening audience of more than 10,000 in the coliseum. The Governor declared Pennsylvania has the biggest and best Farm Show in the United States and the best Farm Show in the world.

If the 1950 show means anything, it means the Farm Show will live for many years to come, Secretary Horst declared. The educational objective was met in every division of the show. It carried through 120 meetings and events, providing incentive for the farmers further to advance Pennsylvania agriculture, a two billion dollar industry. The show had more color, greater attractiveness

and more showmanship than for many a year. It had greater support of farmers and more farmers came to see it.

New records set up at the 1950 Farm Show included: largest livestock show, totaling more than 1-650 head; largest dairy show, 550 head including the largest Holstein display of over 200 head; largest premium offering, nearly \$54,000; largest number of cash awards, over 9,700 offered; nearly 400 commercial exhibitors, close to 100 more than ever before. In addition, the housing bureau of the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce made more advance reservations for rooms for visitors in private homes.

From Alabama came a delegation of farm leaders for the second year to examine operation of the Pennsylvania Farm Show. That state will dedicate a \$1,500,000 perfectly round coliseum in January 1951 and they will pattern their operation on that of the Pennsylvania Farm Show. A representative from Kentucky said they are planning a new state fair under one roof and asked for Pennsylvania Farm Show building plans. Visitors came from more than 25 states, Canada and foreign countries to see the show.

There is no better way to boost your business than by local newspaper advertising.



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Here Is Another Time The Anti-Trust Lawyers Were Wrong

Ever since the anti-trust lawyers filed their suit to put A&P out of business, they have been making, in the newspapers and over the radio, various "allegations" about how they think this company does business. Please remember that "allegations" are charges that have not been proved. In this case they will be disproved.

There have been times in the past when the anti-trust lawyers made very damaging "allegations" about this company that the courts eventually decided were utterly without foundation.

In our last advertisement we told you about the time the anti-trust lawyers charged that A&P, two other food chains and two labor unions conspired to fix the price of bread in Washington, D. C. And yet, when this case came to trial, it was revealed that the defendants were actually selling bread cheaper than most other stores in Washington, and there was absolutely no evidence that they had ever engaged in any such "alleged" conspiracy.

That was the time Federal Judge T. Alan Goldsborough instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of "not guilty."

It was the time he said to the anti-trust lawyers:

"If you were to show this record to any experienced trial lawyer in the world, he would tell you that there was not any evidence at all. 'Honestly, I have never in my over forty years' experience seen tried a case that was as absolutely devoid of evidence as this. That is the honest truth. I have never seen one like it.'"

But this was not the only time that the anti-trust lawyers made such serious "allegations" against A&P, which were false. Again, and still again, they brought cases against A&P and suffered defeat. As we have said, we think you are entitled to know about these other cases. And now, we are going to tell you about the second time the anti-trust lawyers were wrong.

The North Carolina Potato Case

In December, 1941, the anti-trust lawyers brought a criminal suit in Wilson, North Carolina.

They charged that A&P's fresh fruit and vegetable buying subsidiary, and other good American citizens, had conspired to fix and depress prices paid farmers for potatoes in North Carolina, Virginia and Maryland.

Can anyone imagine any charge calculated to be more damaging to a retail grocery business that must rely on farmers, day after day, for the food we distribute to our customers?

In this case the anti-trust lawyers gave a story to the newspapers, telling millions of farmers that we were the kind of people who would force their prices down, deprive them of a decent income, and lower their families' living standard.

These charges were false.

They made these charges despite the fact that it has always been A&P's policy to pay our farm suppliers fair market prices for all produce; to aid agriculture through better distribution of its products; to narrow the spread between farm and retail prices; and to help farmers build better markets for their products.

That is why many thousands of farmers all over the country are now coming to our support.

When the case finally came to trial, the anti-trust lawyers put on as their first witness a potato expert of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

This expert, who was the anti-trust lawyers' own witness, testified that contrary to the anti-trust lawyers' "allegations," the defendants made every effort to help the Department of Agriculture in its efforts to aid the potato farmer in better marketing of his products and in getting a better price for his products.

When the anti-trust lawyers had put in their evidence and had argued their case Federal Judge C. C. Wyche directed the jury to bring in a verdict of "not guilty."

Judge Wyche said to the anti-trust lawyers:

"I have studied this case from the very outset. In my opinion there is no testimony produced from which it can reasonably be inferred that the defendants entered into a combination to depress or lower the price of potatoes."

"I might say that I never tried a case in my life where a greater effort, more work, more investigation had been done, combing almost with a fine-tooth comb to gather evidence, as was done in this case."

"But, as was said a long time ago, you can't make brick without straw, and you can't make a case without facts."

So, here was a case in which the anti-trust lawyers made seriously damaging charges against A&P in which the Judge decided that there were no facts to support those charges.

That is why we say the anti-trust lawyers can be wrong and have been wrong.

That is why we say that they are wrong again, just as they were wrong in the Washington bread case and the North Carolina potato case.

We are going to show the American people that the suit to destroy A&P is really a suit against efficiency and against real competition.

The real question involved in this suit is whether businessmen are going to be encouraged to do a better and more efficient job; or whether we are going to let the anti-trust lawyers in Washington blow the whistle on anybody who gets big by giving the people more for their money.

No one can make us believe that it is a crime to try to sell the best quality food at the lowest possible price.

THE GREAT ATLANTIC &  PACIFIC TEA COMPANY