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EDITORIAL

The best way I know for a man to increase his vocabulary is to marry it.

One thing is certain. You can't tell a Communist by his whiskers these days.

The man who can save money these days is by no means a miser. He's a wizard.

We have all kinds of auto drivers but the kind we dislike most are those who try to save on tires by taking the corners on two wheels.

It's certainly a toss-up with the young men who are seeking wives. Should they seek the clever and homely or the dumb and pretty type.

A motorist at Lancaster was arrested five times, three of which were within a year, for various violations. We would like to have just one good reason why a man like that should even drive.

In his address at the dedication of the new library at Elizabethtown College, Dr. A. J. Brumbaugh, president of Francis Shimer College, said that the nation's school system needs a complete overhaul.

The Agricultural Department has a message that will interest every man, woman and child in the nation. It predicts higher food prices on everything—the highest ever—next year. No reason given.

HUMAN VALUES

Why should older workers be "junked"? More pressure is being brought to bear to force older people into retirement, though they may be willing and able to work. The problem of what to do about an old age when the working span is supposedly at an end, troubles anyone who is concerned about human values. Private pension plans more fully developed each year and on a wider scale, make it more difficult for middle-aged and older men and women to find new jobs. Unfortunately for the morale of the older person, today's work-a-day world is not geared for tomorrow's aged. Older men and women are not necessarily mentally or physically incapable of continuing to serve society and themselves thru employment. Many of them make reliable employees for additional years. The Social Security Law stipulates that the old-age benefits be paid only to those who quit their jobs at the age of 65 and so those who keep on working will get nothing back for the premiums they have paid through the years in the form of the withholding tax.

We should not penalize the older men and women who prefer to work. It is a tragic situation, a great human problem, and it is of concern to everyone in Mount Joy who is aware that time does not stand still for anyone.

GO TO THE BALLOT BOX

The ballot box stands between a free people and enslavement. The right to vote is the strongest defense we have against oppression.

Few people will deny this. Yet huge numbers of Americans, who regard themselves as good and patriotic citizens, fail to take advantage of their greatest privilege.

In local elections, it is common for less than half of the eligible voters to go to the polling booths. Even in national elections, in which men are running for the highest offices, and in which issues and principles of the utmost moment are at stake, millions of us don't vote.

The result, of course, is government by minority—there is no way to measure the views and opinions of the man who fails to exercise the right of franchise. Government of

the people is possible only when the people make their stand known—and that can be done only at the ballot box.

In a short time there will be another election of great importance. The control of Congress will be decided. The Presidential campaign of 1952 will be strongly influenced by what happens this November. Policies which will determine the future of the nation, for good or ill, will be established. The majority will rule, as usual. But the true voice of the majority can never be known if again, as in the past, millions of people who possess the right to vote shirk their duty and responsibility.

Study the candidates and the issues. Make up your mind as to which of them, in your opinion, can do the most to keep this country strong, solvent and free. And then vote.

According to the experience of a young man from Philadelphia, all truck drivers who carry an overload are certainly flirting with the law. The Philadelphia lad drove a truck with 18,700 pounds overload in Indiana. He was arrested, fined \$1,870 and jailed a day for each dollar fine.

The concern for whom he worked should pay the fine and the man should be given his freedom, but to date they refused to do so.
Moral: All truck drivers should know their employers.

THOSE ILL-GOTTEN GAINS!

A child learns early that honesty is the best policy. He soon begins to believe that "crime does not pay." As he grows older and sees the wicked prosper, he reminds himself that there is a reward in heaven for the good, the honorable, that the erring may lead a carefree existence upon earth but that some place they will receive their punishment. But in the recent investigations of big-time gamblers, of big-shots in crime syndicates, it appears that retribution is at work here on earth. The lap of luxury can turn a cold shoulder and become a hot spot. We don't intend to sound complacent and smug, but we do like to sit easy in our worn, comfortable chair. The filet mignon at our house is hamburger, but we won't have stomach ulcers worrying whether the FBI will catch up with us. As we say to our young: Virtue IS its own reward.

FIGHT FIRE EVERY WEEK

A short time ago, the 1950 observance of Fire Prevention Week took place. It is officially over. But, if Americans are at all interested in the health and welfare of themselves and their families, they will make every week a fire prevention week.

Safety from fire—whether in the home, on a farm, or in an industrial plant—can only be achieved by continuous, day in and day out work. That doesn't mean it's a hard job. It isn't. For the most part, it's easy. But it's a job which can never be neglected if we wish to avoid possible disaster.

The home which is safe today can be extremely dangerous tomorrow. An electric wire becomes frayed—a stove or a heating plant goes out of adjustment—someone is careless with cigarettes—flammable materials are carelessly stored in closets and attics—explosive liquids and oil-soaked rags are placed where the touch of a spark would set them ablaze. It is little things such as these that are responsible for the majority of fires. And it is these little things which we must look out for—not during one week, but every week of the year.

The nation's fire loss continues

HAPPENINGS —of— LONG AGO

20 Years Ago

Snow 9 inches to 4 feet covered the ground from Erie, Pa., to Buffalo, N. Y.

W. H. Clearwater former world's champion billiard player will appear at the Garden Spot pool room.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. R. Zug, near Mastersonville, celebrated their 39th anniversary.

Mr. Eli Bentzel employed at I. D. Stehman's Mill had two fingers cut, and had to be amputated.

Miller Bros., slaters received the contract to slate the new Memorial hospital at Masonic Homes.

It cost two men \$20.10 for shooting rabbits out of season, in Conewago Twp.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Breneman of Back Run, celebrated their anniversary.

Markets: Eggs, 45-47c, Butter 40c, Lard 13c.

General E. C. Shannon, of Columbia is seriously ill with blood poisoning.

Chester Rettew, son of Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Rettew was selected for membership in the League of Curtis Salesman by the Curtis Publishing Company.

A Marietta resident, charged with intoxication, didn't like accommodations in our Boro lock-up, so he unlocked the door and went home.

Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Smoker, celebrated their 31st anniversary.

Two armed youths posing as police officers, producing bogus warrants ransacked a house along the Marietta Pike.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ibach Jr., were honored with a wedding reception. Ground was broken at Elizabethtown for a Tabernacle. Rev. Chas. A. Fahl will be pastor.

Mrs. B. H. Greider, poultry fancier at Rheems was awarded first and a blue ribbon prize on her exhibits at the Mt. Joy Show.

FLASH STAFF SPONSORS PARTY AT LANDISVILLE

The annual Halloween party at East Hempfield Twp. High School, Landisville, was sponsored by the staff of the "Flash" newspaper, on Thursday.

The early party was held for 7th and 8th grade pupils, with games. Costume prizes were won by Dudley Myers, funniest; Suzanne Bender and Virginia Dissinger, best dressed.

The high school pupils were entertained at the later party. Costume prizes were won by Diane Rineer, most beautiful; Arlene Stehman, Doris Myers, Louise and Harold Graybeal, most original; Marjorie Minnich and Mary Anne Haldeman, most comical.

Refreshments were served, followed by a record dance for the older group.

KILL ORCHARD MICE

The annual battle against orchard mice begins this month. C. S. Bittner, Penn State College, recommends placing bait stations in the orchard now. Corn fodder, old hay, or straw may be piled where there is a grass cover. The poisoned bait is placed in late October or November.

at a disgracefully high level. Far worse is the fact that, each year, fire claims something like 10,000 lives—many of them infants and children. Many thousands more are permanently maimed and disfigured. This is the price we pay for our carelessness and ignorance. This is the grave problem which the annual fire prevention weeks are designed to help us solve. We can do it, if we only have the will.

Driver Takes Nap

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Wilbert H. Isenberg, thirty-seven, Main St., Akron, Lancaster Co., one of the drivers involved, and Clair Miller, 324 Stevens St., Lancaster, a passenger in Isenberg's car. The men were enroute to work at an Elizabethtown shoe factory.

Benjamin F. Painter, forty-two, 550 Schuylkill St., was driving the other car involved. He is a carpenter and also was enroute to work. Pvt. Batutis charged Cumberledge with reckless driving and he was fined \$10 and costs following an immediate hearing before Justice of the Peace George Shenck, Landisville.

PREVENT GRAIN LOSS

Stored grain can be saved from insect damage by fumigating with one part by volume of carbon disulphide and four parts of carbon tetrachloride, according to J. O. Pepper, Penn State extension entomologist. It can be bought ready-mixed.

The fellow who says he can go two weeks without food, is either a bridegroom or is on a diet.

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(Prices shown here guaranteed Thursday, Nov. 2 through Wednesday, Nov. 8)

PANTRY VALUES

Pillsbury Cake Flour Mix	WHITE AND CHOCOLATE FUDGE PKG.	1.18	33c
Pancake Flour	AUNT JEMIMA 2.00 PKG.	30c	16c
Post's New Krinkles	SUGAR KISSED RICE NO SUGAR NEEDED	16c	16c
Niblets Brand Corn	2.00 CANS	33c	33c
Cranberry Sauce	OCEAN SPRAY 3 7.0Z CANS	28c	2 31c
Red Sour Pitted Cherries	1910 PACK—IONA WATER PACK	21c	21c
A&P Grapefruit Sections	20.0Z CAN	23c	23c
Red Cheek Apple Juice	QUART BOTTLE	22c	22c
Educator Ice Box Cookies	CHOCOLATE OR VANILLA 9.0Z PKG.	20c	20c
Bachman's Pretzels	EXTRA THIN 4.0Z BOX	18c	18c
Banquet Whole Cooked Chicken	1.18 CAN	\$1.85	\$1.85
Oscar Mayer Wieners	13.0Z CAN	53c	53c
Vogt's Philadelphia Scrapple	1.18 CAN	27c	27c
Eight O'Clock Coffee	1.18 BAG	77c	77c
Red Circle Coffee	1.18 BAG	79c	79c
Bokar Coffee	1.18 BAG	81c	81c
Staley Cube Starch	2 12.0Z PKGS.	23c	23c

Long Island or Penna. Blue Label POTATOES 50-lb. bag 79c U. S. No. 1—"A" Size

Maine Potatoes	U. S. NO. 1—"A" SIZE 30.18 BAG	\$1.15
Red Delicious Apples	WESTERN—NONE PRICED HIGHER 2 BBS.	25c
Courtland Fancy Apples	NONE PRICED HIGHER 4 BBS.	25c
Sno White Cauliflower	1.00 HEAD	23c
Florida Grapefruit	THIN SKIN 54-54 SIZE 3 FOR	25c
Emperor Luscious Grapes	NONE PRICED HIGHER 2 BBS.	25c
New Crop Red Diamond Walnuts	1.18 PKG.	39c
Dromedary Pitted Dates	7.0Z PKG.	23c
Fresh California Dates	4.0Z PKG.	19c

Jane Parker CHOCOLATE LAYER CAKE 55c

Fruit Cake	1.18 CAKE	\$1.35	3.18 CAKE	\$2.65
Jane Parker Pumpkin Pie	EACH	49c		
Marvel Bread	16.0Z LOAF	14c	24.0Z LOAF	19c
Honey Buns	BROWN 'N' SERVE 8 BUNS IN PKG.	33c		
Sticky Cinnamon Buns	JANE PARKER	31c		
Sugared Donuts	DOZEN	21c		
Pfeffernisse Cookies	30 IN PKG.	35c		
Potato Chips	JANE PARKER 1.18 BAG	23c	3.0Z BAG	45c

CHEDDAR CHEESE Mild 45c Sharp 59c

Sunnyfield Butter	1.18 SOLID	72c	3.18 PRINTS	18.74c
Domestic Bleu Cheese	1.18	59c		
Breakstone's Yogurt	1/2-PINT	16c		
Muenster Cheese	1.18 RICH CREAMY	45c		
Borden's Sharp Pippin Roll	3.0Z ROLL	20c		

A&P Food Stores

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