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EDITORIAL

Always remember that the man who shouts the loudest thinks the least.

Remember, love softens the heart and, frequently has the same effect on the brain.

There is always more room at the top of the ladder simply because it is harder to climb.

Not satisfied with President Truman's trouble in Korea or just how he's going to handle those newcomers in the senate, now along comes a guy and heckles him about his daughter Margaret's singing. Better let him alone. He has enough trouble.

The new sewage treatment works at Lemoyne, near Harrisburg, was recently placed in operation. As this town is only a trifle larger than Mount Joy, and we, in due time will be obliged to install filtration, here's some information sent out by the State Sanitary Water Board.

Lemoyne has about 4,600 people. The treatment works has a capacity of 580,000 gallons daily and will serve 7,000 people, and cost \$880,000. Bonds were issued for that amount.

THE SQUIRRELS

Comes a story from over Hanover way that the squirrel situation there is so serious that the telephone company recently obtained permission from the State Game Commission to trap the animals in the city and remove them to nearby wooded areas.

When they do that better bear in mind to feed or see there is feed where they are liberated. If you don't these same squirrels will soon migrate to Hanover again. That's characteristic with these little fellows. In the woods, where there's feed one usually finds squirrels.

LEANER DAYS AHEAD

That wage and price controls will be slapped upon us by the first of the year isn't unexpected news. With the order for a vast military appropriation something like this will be necessary and, according to many people, should have come before this. But, with the worry of increased taxes, controls, loss of luxuries, we fret aloud at the cost of military might for security and for war, forgetting the true cost that is the penalty for such stringent measures. The payment of the mother who again, so soon, hangs a service flag in the window, is a far greater demand than tightening the belt. Austerity is a word familiar in most of the world and before next year is out, it will be better known here. But, as we really learn its meaning, remember that the star in the service flag brings mere agony, more pinching of the heart than of the pocketbook.

SAME SONG, SECOND VERSE

In 1946 a former Navy officer studied a sales list of surplus goods offered by the War Assets Administration, to buy in small quantities items to improve his farm. Seeing aircraft computers, thinking they were cardboard calculators on the order of a slide rule, which could be used for computing land areas, he sent in a bid of 5 cents each. The bid accepted he suggested the computers he sent him parcel post, and learned this was impossible for they covered an acre of ground. Seems he had acquired for \$6.89, 163 serviceable, unused aircraft parallax computers, electric fire control instruments of the very latest design and the packing slip stated value at \$7,200 each. He didn't want them but was under contract to accept, so wrote Air Force procurement officers the computers were available if ever needed. Later, the Texas was contacted by them and offered \$63,000, a fair profit with the

original \$6.89 plus \$4,000 for crating, shipping and storage. No wonder a Senate sub-committee is investigating and criticizes the Air Force procurement officials—a value of \$1,209,600, sold for \$6.89 and purchased back for \$63,000!

MY ACHING BACK

We enjoyed the return in popularity of the square dancing, the gaiety of swinging, the abandon in the routines, the calling and the fiddling. But now comes the renaissance of the horrible dance of the Roaring Twenties called the Charleston. Time was when we could make two feet work as four, fling innumerable arms in all directions, knock knees and hey-nony-nony, but we are way past the Charleston age. Of course, purely as an experiment, we might like to see what our feet and hands remember from yesteryear, but chances are we will give the Charleston to the young folks and television, and give our panting and puffing, our arthritic joints to good old square dancing.

THE DIFFICULTY OF THINKING

A business acquaintance recently remarked that thinking for oneself seems to be difficult that in an age of newspaper columnists, radio commentators, magazine writers, polls and surveys, too many of us find it easier to follow the crowd in thought, to repeat what we read or hear rather than think and form our own opinions. "As a man thinketh, so is he", whether right or wrong, it is commendable that he thinks. It is the individuals who think who guide and inspire the character of our society. The man who does not exercise his mental muscles will find them growing weak from disuse. After working at our jobs are we just too plain tired to think and seek leisure activities to avoid reflection and contemplation?

There is a stimulation in the study of what other people have done and are doing and forming an opinion for oneself. There are tens of thousands of people who think as parrots, repeating as parrots, follow the majority as sheep. We pride ourselves as a nation that we encourage freedom of expression but are there enough independent thinkers in this society of ours to accept their values and standards without our own thoughts being given expression?

Is contemplation a lost art? Surely we are willing to put the mind to work and in so doing gain the respect of others, and great satisfaction for ourselves.

The Bulletin's Scrapbook!

Week's Best Recipe:
No-Knead Dinner Rolls: 1 c milk, 1 t salt, 2 T sugar, 1/4 c shortening, 1 cake compressed yeast, 3/4 c lukewarm water, 1 well-beaten egg, 3 1/2 c sifted flour. Scald milk, salt, sugar and shortening and cool to lukewarm. Soften yeast in water and well-beaten egg and add to milk mixture. Beat until smooth. Stir flour into yeast mixture. Grease hands and pinch off dough to fill greased muffin pans half full. Brush tops of rolls with melted butter and let rise until double in bulk. Bake at 425 degrees for 15 minutes. Makes 15 to 18 rolls.

Order From Chaos:
There are so many handy "holders" to buy or make, that dresser drawers should not be disorderly and unattractive. We can be neat, practical and organized in following the trend for order. Line the drawers with a plastic fabric or waterproof material that can be sponged clean, or paint them in attractive colors, adding a scent to the paint to act as a sachet. Divide drawers into sections or units, as a glove or stocking box for combs, brushes, hair pins, barrettes, hair dressing and oil. Use painted, shallow baking pans for makeup and manicure trays. There are all kinds and sizes of plastic bags for stockings, gloves, undies, hankies, sweaters and so forth.

Old-Fashioned Sauce:
Cranberry sauce fixed the old-fashioned way, is always pleasing at this time of year. Combine 1 1/2 cups water and 1 cup granulated sugar with 1 cup brown sugar and bring to a brisk boil. Add 4 cups fresh cranberries and a half of lemon, thinly sliced. Cook over medium heat until berries pop (about 8-10 minutes). Cool in saucepan, then chill before serving. Makes about one quart of sauce.

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HAPPENINGS

—of— LONG AGO

20 Years Ago

At Harrisburg, the Susquehanna river froze over, the earliest in 60 years.

Mr. Andrew Keiser, a native of this town, retired after serving 52 years with the PRR.

A family reunion was held on Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ebersole at Milton Grove.

Raymond Kaylor of near Risser's Mill was seriously injured when he was drawn into the fly wheel on a gasoline machine.

The school children contributed to a fund to purchase two small Christmas trees to be planted in the Park.

Walter Greiner, W. Donegal St., purchased the Ray Myers property on Marietta Street.

At Columbia, farmer's were selling home raised turkeys at 30 and 35 cents per pound.

Mr. Michael Klessinger who conducts the Farmer's Inn, will move to Lancaster.

Mr. Clyde Gerberich was re-elected president of the Mt. Joy School Board.

A birthday party was given in honor of Jay Barnhart. Radio music and games were features of the evening.

J. D. Easton, Florin, purchased four Florin properties from Mr. A. Peris.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tressler, entertained at a pig roast and sauer kraut supper at their home in East Donegal.

Mr. Ray Myers bought the Ezra Nye property on South Barbara St.

The little daughter of Michael Kossinger was bitten on the face by their chaw dog.

Mrs. Schlegelmilch was honored with a birthday surprise supper at the home of her daughter, Mrs. P. Franck Schock.

The Benjamin Bradley, Sr. family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Witman at Manheim.

Borough Council decided to trim the two Christmas Trees in the park with lights and adjustments.

The new fire house at Landisville is rapidly being finished and a community reservoir will be built.

Markets: Eggs, 48 to 51 cents; Butter, 35 cents per pound and lard 13 cents per pound.

Mrs. J. S. Kuhn, Mt. Joy Street, fell while ascending a flight of steps and fractured her shoulder.

While returning home from work the Chevrolet of Harold Wolgemuth caught fire and was badly damaged.

Jacob Bulock, Rapho Twp., cut down a buttonwood tree on his farm that was more than 100 years old.

The Newtown Church is planning for their revival services to be held in March.

Thursday evening the Ladies Aid Society will have their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Lillian Witmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shaffer of Elizabethtown, visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Isler and family on Saturday evening.

Callers of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Geltmacher during the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Landis, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Keith of Lititz RD, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Furlow and family of Hopeland and Mrs. Pearl Breneman and Mrs. Walter Kopp and daughter Ruth, of Mount Joy RD.

Mr. Roy Barton of Columbia visited Mr. and Mrs. William Fogie on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Reigle of New Jersey, Mrs. Minnie Geltmacher and son Ray, of Kinderhook were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Geltmacher.

Mrs. Clarence Hogendobler and daughter, Jane and grandson Jimmy and Mrs. Ada Brubaker of Lancaster RD visited Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Geltmacher on Wednesday.

MURPHY EMPLOYEES SHARE IN CHRISTMAS GIFT BONUS
Employees of the G. C. Murphy Company's store here participated in the distribution on December 13 of the firm's annual Christmas Gift Bonus.

In commenting on the Christmas Bonus Plan, R. W. Reed, manager of the local store, stated that it has been in effect for over 25 years. In addition, the company offers its employees other benefits which include a very liberal vacation policy, company paid life insurance, sickness and retirement benefits and a wage increment system based on service.

ELECTRIC BILLS PAYABLE AT NEAREST BANK AFTER DEC. 30

The Pennsylvania Power and Light Company sent the following letter to its patrons here:

This office will be discontinued as of Dec. 30, 1950. For your convenience, we have arranged with the Union National Mount Joy Bank and The First National Bank and Trust Company of Mount Joy to act as our agents to receive payment of your electric service bills during their normal business hours. Your electric service bills may be paid at any of our bill payment stations or offices. Some of these nearby stations are: First National Bank, W. Market Street and the

Exchange National Bank, E. Market Street, Marietta; Maytown National Bank, Maytown; First National Bank, Landisville.

For service, billing or any other inquiries please call Mt. Joy 3-3611 after December 30th.

LOCAL MUSICIAN TOOK PART

When the University of Michigan Symphony Orchestra presented the first of a series of three concerts at Ann Arbor, Michigan, last Thursday, Russell S. Sumpman, of this town, was one of the four Pennsylvanians who were members. Russell plays a trombone.

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Prices shown here guaranteed through Wednesday, Dec. 20

A TIP FOR BUSY CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS

You can make your Christmas food shopping easier by buying all the non-perishables you'll need for Christmas, this week, and the early part of next week. You'll save time and trouble. Come to A&P early for a wide variety of fine Christmas foods.

NEXT WEEK OUR STORES WILL OBSERVE THE USUAL OPENING & CLOSING HOURS.

Jane Parker Fruit Cake
Over 2 1/2 of Every Cake in Fruit & Nuts

1 1/2-lb. cake \$1.35 3-lb. cake \$2.65 5-lb. cake \$4.25

Jane Parker Pumpkin Pie each 49c

Marvel Bread White 1-lb. loaf 14c 1 1/2-lb. loaf 19c

Pappas Cranberry Sauce 2-lb. 25c

Cranberry Sauce Ocean Spray 2 1-lb. cans 29c

A&P Pumpkin Grade "A" 2 17-oz. cans 15c

Bell's Poultry Seasoning 1-oz. pkg 11c

Sultana Fruit Cocktail 30-oz. can 36c

Pastry Flour Enriched 5-lb. bag 71c

A&P Royal Anne Cherries 10-oz. can 19c

dexo 100% Hydrogenated Vegetable Shortening 1-lb. can 31c 5-lb. can 85c

Iona Tomato Juice 18-oz. can 12c 46-oz. can 25c

Grapefruit Juice Florida 2 18-oz. cans 23c

Grapefruit Juice Florida 46-oz. can 25c

Sparkle Gelatin Desserts pkg 6c

Mushrooms Brandied, Sliced 19c Button 2-oz. can 20c

Del Monte Apricots Halves 30-oz. can 31c Unpeeled 17-oz. jars 31c

Mott's Apple Sauce 2 12-oz. jars 32c

Ann Page Peanut Butter 17-oz. jar 19c

Schimmel's Grape Jelly 17-oz. jar 13c

Dash Dog Food 1-lb. can 13c

Keebler's Sand Tarts 10-oz. pkg 33c

Town House Birds Eye French Style 8-oz. pkg 19c

Scott Tissue roll 11c

A & P Sauer Kraut 19-oz. can 9c 27-oz. can 11c

Granulated Sugar 3-lb. bag 48c 10-lb. bag 95c

Ann Page Mayonnaise 10-oz. can 40c 6-oz. can 69c

White House Evap. Milk 4 1/2-oz. cans 47c

Sharp Cheddar Cheese lb 59c

Pabst-ett Cheese Food 1-lb. pkg 47c

Green Giant Peas 2 17-oz. cans 39c

Mince Meat ATMORE'S TACKER BRAND 28-oz. jar 37c

Mince Meat ATMORE'S KEYSTONE BRAND 28-oz. jar 55c

Sweet Potatoes DULANEY WHOLE 29-oz. can 21c

Tomato Catsup GIBB'S OR HUNT'S 14-oz. bottle 18c

Iona Tomatoes FINE QUALITY 2 19-oz. cans 29c

Cream Corn Starch STALEY'S 16-oz. pkg 12c

Large Dried Lima SEASIDE 1-lb. pkg 18c

Hershey's Cocoa 1/2-lb. can 23c

Flour CERESOTA, PILSENER 2-lb. OR GOLD MEDAL 23c 5-lb. bag 49c

Mott's Apple Juice 32-oz. bottle 22c

Salad Dressing ANN PAGE 31c 4-oz. jar 57c

Blended Syrup ANN PAGE 26c 24-oz. bottle 48c

Our Own Tea Bags 16 in. pkg 14c 48 in. pkg 39c

Ranger Joe HONEY FLAVORED 2 6-oz. POPPED WHEAT 27c

Waldorf Tissue roll 7c

Ched-o-bit Cheese Food 2-lb. can 77c

Homogenized Spry 1-lb. can 34c 3-lb. can 95c

Eight O'Clock Coffee MILD AND 1-lb. MELLOW bag 75c

Red Circle Coffee RICH AND FULL-BODIED 1-lb. bag 77c

Bokar Coffee VIGOROUS AND WINERY 1-lb. bag 79c

A&P's Christmas Gift FRUIT BASKETS

A fruit basket makes a wonderful Gift for Christmas. A&P's value-packed fruit baskets are heaped high with tempting fruit, nuts and other festive holiday foods. Place your order with any employee at your A&P store.

Iceberg Lettuce California 16-oz. head 13c

Fresh Broccoli California 1 1/2 bunch 29c

Red Emperor Grapes None Priced Higher 14c

Fresh Cranberries Lots More 1-lb. Variety pkg 19c

Florida Grapefruit 46-54 Size 3 for 29c

Red Delicious Apples lb 12c

Red Rome Apples Excellent For Baking lb 10c

Sno-White Mushrooms lb 49c

Sweet Potatoes U. S. No. 1 Golden lb 7c

Diamond Walnuts Large Budded lb 39c

Sun-Glo Mixed Nuts lb 49c

Imported Pitted Dates Hollow lb 23c

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