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EDITORIAL

A SLAP IN THE FACE

The city of Breckenridge, Texas, turned back to the U. S. \$750,000 of already allocated Federal housing funds and asked that the money be used to "arm our men to fight."

WHY THE STRIKES?

We really can't understand why there are so many, many labor strikes throughout the country. Could Communist representatives have crept in at these places? Surely true Americans would not think of striking at a time like this particularly those 4500 Air Force employees who are producing the C-119 Packet for the Government at Hagerstown, Maryland. They walked out Monday.

ON OUR OWN

The matter with voluntary controls is human nature. Why didn't the government begin earlier to impose mandatory controls, asks a local critic? Maybe capable men needed at such a time are difficult to lure to Washington. To take on hard, thankless jobs that are unsteady, pay low salaries, are open to constant, severe political attack. Anyhow, we are now asked, as patriotic folk to voluntarily refrain from charging too much, paying too much, buying too much. Self-controlled, duty bound, civic-minded citizenry would make an ideal situation but, unfortunately, the plan didn't work when voluntary price control was tried during World War II, and human nature hasn't changed since then. It did not work at the time of the Civil War when voluntary enlistment, with an inducement of cash bonuses, didn't appeal and finally the draft system was inaugurated. It is the same old story over again, to hold the excess demand over the limited supply, to make a stable price level. Voluntary or mandatory, the control may restrain or dam inflation, but the pressure is still there. Taxes and credit controls are used to reduce the consumer's demand for goods. This is hateful to us but is a necessary measure to reduce spending, though it lowers our level of standard of living. This comes under the heading of sacrifices. During wartime, surely price control is not the greatest sacrifice asked of us. Americans can take it, the majority want it and feel the government should have acted sooner.

OPENING THEIR EYES

Many of you will remember, particularly our farmers, how the Government tried to keep demand and prices of farm crops above normal by controlling production. To us this always seemed silly. When a farmer has productive land he is forbidden to produce crops thereon. Last Friday the government removed all restrictions and this year, at least, farmers can grow all the corn and wheat they care to—provided the Supreme Ruler provides the rain and sunshine to mature what they plant. It is far wiser to have one ear of corn or a bushel of wheat in your bin when you need it than to depend on next year's production.

NOT THIS YEAR

In the unusually cold New England states last January, flowers were blooming outside the house while folks inside were busily removing the Christmas greens. Not so this year. For those who feel that New Year should be a date when the seasonal year is really new, such as Spring, they had their wish last January. This winter weather has been a tough customer, snow came early and stayed, ice persisted. But it is not a dead world. Snow and frost are fresh and new, they are the cover on the bank that tells the tale of Spring. The flowers that bloomed in January of 1950 were out of order in the scheme of things, and 1951 has seen to keeping them in their place until the proper time. Who are we to argue with Nature?

HAVE THEY FORGOTTEN

China has seemed to stand in past history, as a pacifist nation, a people either unable or unwilling to defend themselves against countries who despoiled her. Fifty years ago Russia looted China while America protested. In one century France and England warred with China for privileges. Japan and Germany added their names to the roster of nations fighting China for spheres of influence. America's interest in China was establishing missions and schools there, pressing for an open door policy, advocating the dealing with China as an equal. Today when Russia in-

AMERICA SINGS

When Borden invented condensed milk in January 1874, little did he think the day would come when Elsie would talk, a much later invention of radio and television. Elsie will probably soon sing, everybody else is! You just can't get away from advertising songs. They sell soap and cigarettes, chewing gum and beauty lotions, beer and scouring powder. We wouldn't be surprised to find the butcher and baker greeting us in the shop with a singing commercial, the plumber and milkman offering a tune-festful of their brand, the newsboy and haberdasher bursting into a snappy number, all based on the premise that a catchy air makes a snappy sale. Imagine carrying a tune so far that a motorman sings the station stops, the postman basses a profundo as he delivers the mail, the pover company sends tested tenors to read the meter. Hosten, James, my throat gargle and spray, that I may raise my voice in song.

LEGION TIDE OF TOYS

SHIPPED TO NEEDY CHILDREN

The W. S. Ebersole Post No. 185 of the American Legion wishes to take this opportunity to sincerely thank all the school children and people of the community who participated in their "Tide of Toys" making it a decided success. Two large tobacco cases were packed with toys and sent to Pier 38, South Philadelphia, to await transportation to foreign countries in a Legion Liberty ship. In order to assure absolute delivery to needy children, American Legion representatives accompany the toys to each country and distribute them personally. In this way none can go astray, be sold or in any way received by anyone other than the needy children. It was through the courtesy of the local Grey Iron Casting Company that the toys were packed in water proof paper for overseas shipping, and any available space filled with jacks, toy rakes, etc. from their own stock.

FORMER OIL TANKS

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present location by floating them on a large man-made lake. The four tanks alone provide storage space for 1,000,000 bushels of grain. In addition to the four large tanks, eight smaller tanks are being built with a capacity of 50,000 bushels, and the grain elevator was thus designed and built around these tanks.

A large 3 1/2 story grain dryer has

Instructions For

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come on one of the routes, or have changed from one route to another call at the post office, fill in a change of address card, and then you can be assured of your mail being delivered. If you have decided to move out of town, or off our routes entirely, just before you leave, drop in at the office and fill out a change of address card. This will assure you of the forwarding of your mail to your new address. Those who move away, and fail to notify the office, the only alternative left is to return your mail to the sender, marked, "Address Unknown". Please keep this in mind, and there will never be a delay in receiving that important letter you might be looking for.

This portion is for rural patrons. If more than one family or person is receiving mail through your box, place the names on the inside of the lid of your box. When the mail man has mail for your box, and if he is in doubt as to who lives there, the names on the inside of the box will be a big help in this respect. This is not only a help to him, but to you also.

This office is starting a drive for the purpose of obtaining the correct names and addresses of patrons in the town. If you are living in the West Ward, you no doubt have received a small oblong paper, which the mail man left at your box. Take time to fill it in carefully, and after you have done this hand it, to your mail man, or drop it in any letter box, or bring it to the office. No stamp will be required for dropping it in a letter box.

In the near future, there will be a drive for putting complete addresses on all letters mailed in the town for patrons in town or on the rural routes. There are many persons living in town and on the rural routes by the same name and initials. This means a delay and confusion, and if the mail is of a personal nature, some one else may receive it, open it and then bring it back to the office.

You will be doing yourself a favor as well as being a big help to this office, if you will not only place the name on the envelope, but also the address. By doing this you can be assured of prompt, courteous, and correct delivery on your mail.

OWL SAY!

NOT GO ANYWHERE! YOU CAN'T STOP ON A SUPERHY DOME!

Subscribe to the Bulletin.

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HAPPENINGS

—of— LONG AGO

20 Years Ago

JANUARY 14, 1931

The American Legion held its annual banquet. The membership now totals 51. B. A. Shupp is the newly elected commander.

Miss Ruth Kaylor entertained the Christian Endeavor Society Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Eicherly gave a birthday surprise for their son Gene on his fifth birthday.

Nathan R. Buller, fish commissioner for 20 years lost his job. Pinchot appointed Richard Beams.

John Beamesderfer of town, sold P. W. Baker of Landisville, 42 cases of 1929 tobacco at 20 cents a pound.

The Mount Joy Building and Loan Association has sold over

1,000 shares of installment stock to date.

Friendship Fire Co. held its annual banquet Friday evening with 135 present.

Russell Cramer, of town, installed the officers of Court Ephraim, Forcesters of America.

The authorities are looking for Solomon Fisher, one of four men who conducted a clothing store here—and then disappeared.

Jacob Swope, Elizabethtown RD. fractured both his arms when he fell off a tobacco scaffold in a shed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hawthorne gave a surprise party for Stanley Wilker, of Lancaster.

Paul Brubaker, 44, son of M. M. Brubaker, died at Reading.

Mrs. Peter Zerphey fell and fractured her arm.

A prayer for our Soldiers

BY MAJOR GENERAL ROY H. PARKE
Chief of Chaplains, United States Army

Almighty God, the Creator and Preserver of all mankind, we commend to Thy special care and keeping those serving in our Army. Though they be in the midst of dangers, do Thou send Thy guardian angels for their protection. Walk beside them as they go through the valley of the shadow of death.

Knowing that all good things come from Thee, grant them courage and loyalty, through a firm faith in freedom's cause, in the present conflict. When sacrifices are called for, let them be made in the knowledge that Thou art the rewarder of Thy servants. Enable them to live valiantly and serve nobly, in the full realization that no man liveth unto himself. Grant them clear minds, strong bodies, resolute wills, and pure hearts free from hatred and bitterness, renewing them each and every day with strength, like strong men of old, who against enthroned wrong stood with confidence and courage.

Awaken in them a lively faith that will keep them close to Thee. Enable them to rest their cause upon Thy Word that though the foe be strong, yet knowing the cause as they battle for the right, they can never fail. Fill their hearts with the assurance that with Thee nothing is impossible and that all things work together for good to them that love Thee.

If it be Thy will that injuries be sustained, let them experience the touch of Thy healing hand and do Thou bless the means and the ministries employed for the restoration of their health.

In these difficult times, when the forces of evil are running rampant and many hopes seem about to be crushed, fill their hearts with an abiding sense of Thy reality and the certainty of Thy continual presence. Enable them to look to Thee when loneliness and longing overtake them; fulfill their yearnings by granting them Thine own companionship and fellowship. Enable them to realize the full meaning of Thy promise, "Lo, I am with you always."

Thou who are the Protector and Helper as well as the Giver of victory, grant unto them every good gift of body and soul and unite us with them in faith and love unceasing. Amen.

NESTLE'S COOKIE MIX

NESTLE'S SEMI-SWEET MORSELS 6-oz pkg 22c

14-oz pkg 33c

Jello & Royal GELATIN DESSERTS AND PUDDINGS 8c

Mazola Oil 43c

A&P Peas FANCY GRADE A 25c

Cooked Macaroni FRANCO AMERICAN 13 1/2-oz can 16c

O & C Potato Stix 2 1/2-oz can 10c

Butter Beans BEANESIDE 3 1/2-oz cans 25c

A&P Apple Sauce FANCY GRADE "A" 20c

Red Cheek Apple Juice 37-oz bottle 12c

3 in 1 Oil 3-oz can 18c

Orange Drink Nodick's Concentrate 6-oz can 19c

Cake Mix X-PERT 14-oz pkg 24c

Town House CRACKERS BY KEEBLER 16-oz pkg 32c

Keebler Cookies COTTAGE ASSORTMENT 12-oz pkg 47c

"Junket" Rennet Powder pkg 10c

Lipton's Tea ORANGE PEACH 4-oz pkg 33c

Tea Bags LIPTON'S 20c

Lipton's Soup Mix NOODLE 3 1/2-pkg 35c

Lipton's Soup Mix VEGETABLE TOMATO 3 1/2-pkg 35c

Butter Kernel Corn 17-oz can 17c

Pillsbury Pie Crust 9-oz pkg 18c

Ann Page Beans 16-oz can 11c

Ranger Joe Popped Wheat 6-oz pkg 14c

Bassett's Liquorice Candy 8-oz pkg 19c

All 5c Candy Bars 6 for 25c

Pineapple Juice A&P, DEL MONTE, DOLE OR LIBBY 46-oz can 35c

Grapefruit Juice FLORIDA 18-oz can 11c

Mixed Vegetables SUPER-FINE 8 1/2-oz can 5c

Pineapple Cheese Cake BERKE'S 1-lb cake 39c

Pies JANE PARKER APPLE, CHERRY OR LEMON MERINGUE each 57c

Famous Jane Parker Treats:

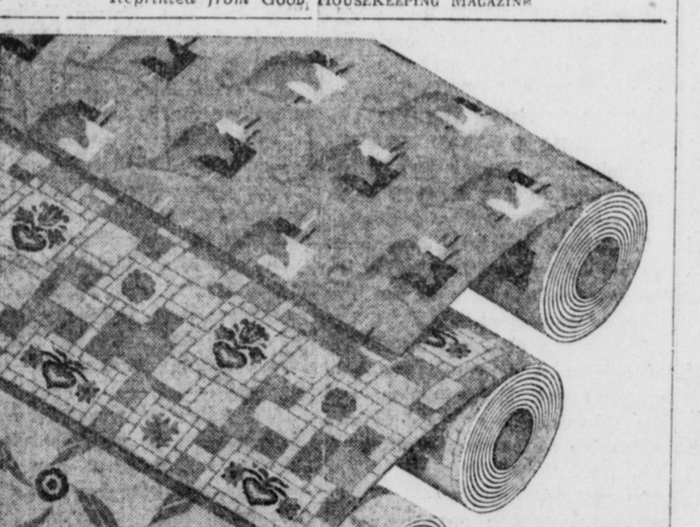
Potato Chips 4 1/2-oz bag 23c

Apple-Raisin Coffee Cake each 24c

Apple Turnovers 3 for 23c

Sticky Cinnamon Buns pkg 33c

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All prices shown here, not just grocery prices, are guaranteed Thursday, January 11th, through Wednesday, January 17.

A & P TEAS

Less Than a Cent a Cup

Nectar Tea 1/2-lb pkg 27c 3/4-lb pkg 52c

Our Own Tea 1/2-lb pkg 25c 3/4-lb pkg 47c

Uncle Ben's Rice CONVERTED 14-oz can 21c

A&P Sliced Beets 20-oz can 14c

Pickled Beets GREENWOOD'S SLICED HOMESTYLE 1-lb jar 19c

A&P Spinach GRADE "A" 18-oz can 16c

Pastry Flour SUNNYFIELD 5-lb bag 38c 10-lb bag 75c

Apple Jelly OLD VIRGINIA 2-lb jar 28c

Chivers Jam BLACK CURRANT 2-lb jar 39c

Sparkle Desserts GELATIN & PUDDINGS pkg 7c

Peanut Butter ANN PAGE 12-oz jar 32c

Pancake Flour PILLSBURY 20-oz pkg 17c 2 1/2-lb pkg 33c

Lake Shore Honey 4-oz jar 10c 16-oz jar 31c

Wheatena 22-oz pkg 30c

Pillsbury Enriched Farina 14-oz pkg 15c

Dried Pea Beans 1-lb can 15c 2-lb can 29c

Daily Dog Food MEAT OR FISH FLAVORED 1-lb can 9c

Tomato Soup ANN PAGE 3 10 1/2-oz cans 29c

Marcal Dinner Napkins pkg 40 17c

Scot Tissue roll 12c

Ritter's Catsup 14-oz bottle 19c

Mother's Oats 20-oz pkg 16c 48-oz pkg 35c

Daily Laying Mash 25-lb bag 1.12

Daily Scratch Feed 25-lb bag 1.10

Grapefruit

FLORIDA JUICY THIN SKIN

3 for 29c

LARGE 48-54 SIZE

Red Delicious Apples lb 12c

Western Crisp Carrots 2 bunches 19c

Emperor Grapes NONE PRICED lb 14c

New Green Cabbage SOLID HEADS lb 10c

Macintosh Eating Apples lb 12c

Anjou Pears None priced Higher lb 15c

Iceberg Lettuce NONE PRICED Higher large head 15c

Assorted Salted Nuts large head 49c

Diamond Walnuts LARGE BUDDED 1-lb pkg 39c

Sunsweet Prunes 1-lb pkg 26c 2-lb pkg 50c

Seedless Raisins SUNMAID 3c pkg 6 pks 25c

FROZEN FOODS

Birdseye Peas pkg 23c

Birdseye Spinach pkg 24c

Mixed Vegetables BIRDSEYE pkg 24c

Orange Juice SNOW CROP 2 4-oz cans 27c

Broccoli Cuts SNOW CROP pkg 23c

Peas & Carrots SNOW CROP pkg 23c

Birdseye Peaches pkg 28c

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