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EDITORIAL

Everybody has problems, but some people keep quiet about them, praise be.

From all indications General MacArthur's income isn't peanuts, even though he was "fired" by Pres. Truman. He has rented the Waldorf-Astoria 10-room Presidential suite for the next year. The yearly rental has not been disclosed but at first he paid \$130 per day.

The Armed Services are accused of favoritism and from all indications things don't look too good. During March 72 contracts were awarded. 53 went to one supplier, leaving only 19 for the "little fellows."

The June 25 issue of Quick tells us what Columnist Tom Stokes has to say of the beef situation. He says: "It is nothing but plain 'strike' in which the beef producers are engaged. . . . But so can consumers strike. . . . Just let the farmers watch their cattle sit on their rump steaks and we can sit on ours. . . . If we quit buying long enough, maybe they'll ask us to drop in and get a steak like grandpappy used to eat at a price closer to what pappy used to pay."

Elsewhere in The Bulletin it may be seen that Uncle Sam bought 2,750,000 pounds of Lancaster Co. tobacco under the price support plan.

Now, if that purchase can be sold at cost, everybody gets a break.

But, if it pans out like the wheat, corn, eggs, potatoes and other farm crops purchased under the same plan, the farmers who received the money, plus the tax payers, must make up the loss.

As to whether or not it's a wise move, we'll let you decide.

2 AND 2 STILL MAKE 4
Toward the end of May, a long-standing labor dispute between the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and the nation's railroad was settled. It is estimated that the new contract will cost the railroads an additional \$97,000,000 a year in wages.

Negotiations are still being conducted with other railroad unions. All in all, according to the best forecasts, the railroad payroll is due to rise by several hundred of millions annually.

In addition to these greatly increased wage costs, everything that the railroads must buy is more expensive than it used to be. In many instances the cost of supplies have doubled and then some in 10 years. The increases in railroad freight and other charges that have been allowed have compensated only in part for the rise in operating costs.

Here is why the railroads have found it necessary to ask the Interstate Commerce Commission for a general 15 percent increase in freight rates. In the words of the Wall Street Journal, "Somebody will have to pay for peace on the railroads. The railroad companies have no bottomless purse." Present railroad earnings are completely insufficient to meet present-day costs, to pay for the great expansion and betterment program that is needed, and to return to the people who have invested their savings in the railroads anything resembling a fair return.

Yesterday's income cannot cover today's inflated expenses. That is just as true of the railroads as it is of the wage earner, the farmer, the manufacturer or government.

FIRST LIEN ON BUSINESS
The first lien on any business is wages. The worker gets his off the top—before the suppliers, the tax collectors, or the investors.

If a business goes broke, overdu

The Story of Our Independence Won 175 Yrs. Ago

By H. FRANK ESHLEMAN
(Continued from last week)

Among the said charges against the King are that "He has refused his assent to laws wholesome and necessary for the public good"—"has forbidden the governors to pass laws of immediate and pressing importance"—"has refused to pass laws unless the people would relinquish the right of representation in the legislature"—"has dissolved their representative houses depending upon his will alone for the tenure of their office"—"has erected a multitude of new offices and sent hither swarms of officers to harass our people and eat out their substance"—"has affected to render the military independent of and superior to the civil powers."

This citation includes a sufficient number of the wrongs of the British usurpers of our Forefathers' sovereign rights in and title to their native land. The above mentioned 133th usurpation is most beastly of all. It sets forth the several operations of the attempt to "undo upon his will alone for the tenure of their office"—"has erected a multitude of new offices and sent hither swarms of officers to harass our people and eat out their substance"—"has affected to render the military independent of and superior to the civil powers."

How did the Thirteen Original Colonies of America organize and execute their momentous enterprise of consolidation and a concerted constructive course and military conquest so that they were able to, and did, defeat the great military power of Great Britain? They summoned two Continental Congresses to plan the Confederation of the Colonies and to execute the military power and action required.

The first Continental Congress met in Philadelphia, September 5, 1774. All the Colonies except Georgia attended. They agreed upon a Declaration of their rights and recommended suspension of all commercial intercourse with England and sent a petition to the King. In 1775 the British Parliament declared that rebellion existed in Massachusetts and was abetted by the other Colonies; and 10,000 troops were ordered to America. Real war was being waged then between our colonists and Great Britain.

The second Continental Congress was organized, and was appointed to meet in Philadelphia and met in May 1775 before the Battle of Bunker Hill. That Congress took over the authority of a general government of the Colonies which now received the name of "The United Colonies". It voted to raise an army of 20,000 soldiers and authorized an issue of Three Million Dollars paper money. The Revolutionary War went on. The American Army numbered 14,000, largely undisciplined. By the Fall of 1775 the power of every royal governor in America was destroyed.

The second Continental Congress, being the general government of the Colonies, was the proper body to proclaim independence. June 7, 1776, Richard Henry Lee a member from Virginia, offered a resolution in Congress that "these United Colonies are, and of right ought to be, free and independent states". The resolution was debated and passed. The "Declaration of Independence" drawn beforehand, was adopted July 2 and proclaimed July 4, 1776.

bills for labor are the first to be paid as the assets are liquidated. Not until that charge is met in full, can any other debtor get all or any part of what he has coming.

These facts are as obvious as day and night—and that's one reason we rarely think of them. All other kinds of obligations may be deferred, the owners may get nothing on their investment—but the worker is always paid in full.

This is as it should be. The old saying that the laborer is worthy of his hire has literally found its reflection in the law and in universal business practice. It is indicative of the place that labor holds free enterprise system under a representative form of government. In most businesses, the payroll is the largest single item of expense aside from the purchase of materials and supplies—and much of the money for those requirements winds up in pay envelopes all over the country.

Labor in America gets more money than labor anywhere else. It has far better living standards. It receives many valuable benefits—unemployment compensation, pensions, old age payments, sickness compensation, and so on. No group has a greater stake in the American economy and the American system of doing things.

BE ALIVE ON THE FIFTH
Independence comes high. Many Americans bought it with the price of their lives in the Revolution and many more have died since to preserve it. It is written into the Constitution and into the hearts of the American people.

Americans will never question the value of independence, but it is time for all of us to weigh the price we pay each year just to celebrate it.

Last year, when the Fourth of July provided a four-day weekend holiday for many persons, the accident death toll hit an all-time high of 792. Traffic accidents alone took 491 lives. Other miscellaneous accidents, such as drowning and fire, claimed 302.

The calendar will save lives this year, since the Fourth falls in mid-week, bringing only a one-day holiday for most persons. But even so this annual celebration of our national independence will bring tragedy and death to many Americans.

The traffic accident death toll is up 10 per cent this year. Add to that heavy travel and recreational activity of a holiday and the Fourth remains on the nation's danger day list.

With traffic accident deaths now numbering more than 971,000—and the millionth victim expected in December, according to the National Safety Council—it is time for Americans to apply voluntary controls to accidents.

Since the invention of the automobile, the number of Americans killed in traffic accidents is nearly twice the number of patriots killed in all the nation's wars.

The Constitution guarantees every man liberty and independence. In America no one questions anyone's right to go wherever he pleases to celebrate Independence Day, or any other holiday, but level-headed Americans are questioning the right of a minority to endanger the lives of the majority.

The police alone cannot curb accidents without the whole-hearted support of the nation's motorists—the very people whose lives are at stake.

There is much talk today about preserving the American way of life. If we are to preserve American lives we must set up voluntary controls over carelessness.

Those In Service
Parris Island, S. C. — Marine Pfc. Frank S. Nolt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Nolt, Cooper Ave., Landisville, recently climaxed training here at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot by receiving a promotion to his present rank and winning the silver badge of Marine Marksman.

Nolt finished training in field tactics, precision drill, military courtesy and Marine Corps history. He fired other infantry weapons in addition to the Garand rifle, and observed operation of the machine gun, mortar and the flame thrower.

Overweight Trucks
Overweight trucks the past week included Walter R. Cromley, Milton Rl, 7,500 lbs. overweight; Earl R. Swanger, 403 S. Brown St., Lewistown, Pa., 4,180 lbs. overweight; Guy W. Clinger, Lewistown R3, 8,230 lbs. overweight. They were summoned for hearings before Justice of the peace Robert K. Brown.

FERTILIZE FARM POND
To grow fish in a farm pond apply 1 1/2 lb. 8-8-4 fertilizer, says R. H. Thompson, Penn State extension wildlife management specialist. The fish eat insects and small water animals. The insects get their food from algae plants which grow in the water. The fertilizer, 100 lbs. per acre, feeds the algae plants.

PROTECT VEGETABLES
To protect vegetables from rabbit damage, spray with one ounce of aluminum sulfate in a gallon of water to which is added a cup of hydrated lime, or you can scatter dried blood near the plants, remind Penn State garden specialists.

HAPPENINGS —of— LONG AGO 20 Years Ago

Mrs. Elsie Boyd, of Harrisburg, has a coverlet, which has woven on the side, made by S. Hippard, Mt. Joy, Pa., 1835.

Mr. Benj. N. Dillinger opened a studio of election at 118 E. Main Street.

Mrs. Clarence Newcomer was elected president of our American Legion Auxiliary.

Miss Anna Mumma is a member of the graduating class at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.

Mrs. Ella W. Herr was given a surprise birthday party.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hivner celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary.

The swimming pool of Albright and Rodkey near Ironville has been completed.

Markets: Butter, 28c; Eggs, 17-18c and Lard 10 1/2c.

A concert by the Mt. Joy high school orchestra was broadcast over WGAL Wednesday evening.

D. S. Warfel, Lancaster, received a contract for a Filter Plant here at \$29,932.00.

Sixteeners held their 4th annual reunion at the American Legion Home.

Ira D. Brandt, near Elizabethtown, raised strawberries 6 in. in circumference.

M. A. Rollman was granted a patent on an electric plug.

The ladies of the Lutheran Church held an ice cream festival on the lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sheaffer.

Mr. John A. Bachman was named president of the Penna. Confec-

tioners' Association.
The supreme picture of all time "The Birth of a Nation" is being shown in the State Theatre at Columbia.

Mathew Hoffman, Bainbridge, fractured his left wrist while helping to unload ties.

Lancaster county farmers and merchants are warned to be on the lookout for counterfeit twenty dollar bills and stolen money orders, being passed in the county.

Three dwellings were struck by lightning at Ironville during a severe electrical storm on Tuesday afternoon.

Gibney Diffenderfer was elected president of the Mount Joy Alumni Association.

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All prices in this advertisement effective through Saturday, June 30th

In Every Department of your A & P You'll find

BUY-AFTER-BUY FOR Fourth of July!

You'll be money ahead if you shop at your A&P for the holiday ahead. It's brimful of budget-saving buys . . . from cooling summer juices to luscious cakes and pies. Don't miss the big parade of grand values we've lined up to help you have a glorious Fourth! Stop in today and get your holiday marketing off to a good and thrifty start!

Jane Parker Treats

Potato Chips
2 1/4-oz bag 13¢
4 1/2-oz bag 25¢
9 1/2-oz bag 47¢

HAMBURGER OR FRANKFURTER ROLLS \$1.96
SANDWICH BREAD 30-oz loaf 19c
JANE PARKER FRESH CHERRY PIE each 59c
JANE PARKER DESSERT SHELLS pkg 20c
STICKY CINNAMON BUNS # pkg 35c

ANN PAGE SALAD **MUSTARD** 6-oz jar 9¢

Customers' Corner

As you know, A&P has led the way in seeing that every item you purchase has the price marked on it.

This is not an easy job, but we took it on because we felt it would help you in your shopping, and help our expert checkers be sure that you are charged the correct price.

So, when you return home from your A&P, you can be sure that the price will be plainly marked, not just on some items, but on every item you purchased.

Do you find this price marking helpful? Have you any suggestions as to how we can improve it? Please write: CUSTOMERS RELATIONS DEPT. A&P Food Store 420 Lexington Ave., New York 17, N. Y.

Sunnyfield FANCY CREAMERY **BUTTER**
1-lb Solid 75¢
1/4-lb prints lb 77¢

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Mayonnaise ANN PAGE pint 39¢ quart 71¢
Peanut Butter ANN PAGE 12-oz jar 33¢ 24-oz jar 59¢
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Cans 23c

Grapefruit Juice FLORIDA 2 1/2-oz cans 17c
Florida Blended Juice 46-oz can 25c
Pineapple Juice DOLE, LIBBY OR DEL MONTE can 31c
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Orange Juice SNOW CROP 3 4-oz cans 35¢
Orangeade SNOW CROP 2 6-oz cans 35¢
Tomato Juice BIRDSEYE 2 6-oz cans 33¢
Orange Juice OLD SOUTH 2 6-oz cans 35¢

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