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BY A WISE OWL

Editorially . . .

Those Happy Days!

As one looks back (as most of us will be doing next week when schools re-open) it won't be difficult to recall those joyous shouts which marked the first day of school each September. How we showed up in our Buster Brown collars all scrubbed and shined up until we glistened, glistened that is until at least the morning recess period.

It wasn't all laughter, either, and we can recall the class bully, the practical jokes and those nightmares which preceded just about every examination we ever took.

But all in all, those were happy days even if we wouldn't give up the excitement of our adult work-a-day life for those days way back in our memories.

Vote — Vote As You Please, But Vote!

We've had our share to say about registering and we've watched all the furore being raised this year over registering—and all the effort being put forth is mighty encouraging.

As we said last week, your vote is important. We gave a few examples we had in mind of how important your vote is. But thanks to one of our readers we received a list of historic incidents this week in which one vote, mind you, swayed whole nations and gave history a different twist.

The list is so good (it was originally compiled by Ripley) that we are re-printing it here for the benefit of J-C's and all others who are putting forth such effort to encourage voters to enroll:

- "Be sure and vote because . . ."
- "One vote elected John Q. Adams president."
- "One vote elected James Jefferson president."
- "One vote elected Rutherford Hayes president."
- "One vote enacted military conscription in 1941."
- "One vote made California a state."
- "One vote made Oregon a state."
- "One vote made Texas a state."
- "One vote made Idaho a state."
- "One vote beheaded Charles I of England."
- "One vote elected Oliver Cromwell."
- "One vote made France a Republic in 1875 and ended it in 1940."
- "One vote placed George I on the throne."

The Korean Mess

What, we would like to know, do we care about the repatriation of Chinese prisoners held up and prolonged those ridiculous Korean truce talks for months. And what has happened during the period of those truce talks? That, to us, is important. And, if you will, just take last week's casualty list.

It shows that last week 106 more Americans were killed in action, 549 wounded and 33 reported missing. We don't give a hang whether some well-fed Chinese prisoner wants to go home or not. But we do give a lot more than a hang over the lives of those Americans lost in a confusing conflict which becomes more confusing as it continues.

The National Rose Show

Let's get our mind on something other than war—and we can think of nothing at the moment which can get us more excited than the thought of the big rose show up at Hershey next month. On that occasion, September 19 and 20, more than 2,000 amateur rose growers and backyard gardeners will show over 10,000 rose blooms. Hershey's not far away and we can think of nothing more relaxing in a big way than to run up and see such a sight! Just mark it on your calendar now!

The Weather

Here in this corner of the Garden Spot of the world, we know how important weather can be. But weather shapes business in more ways than ruining or bettering crops like tobacco or tomatoes. Take this summer's record hot spell, it is being credited with having boosted the soft drink business a total of 30 per-cent ahead of last year.

Makers of air conditioning units couldn't keep up with the demand. On the other hand, drought throughout a big stretch of the land created "disaster conditions" in eleven states. In these sections the government stepped in with long-term three per-cent loans to help tide farmers over the bad spell.

Us, we had a hard time getting a quart of limas last Saturday, much as we love Lima Beans.

Trying to get this column together in this unpredictable weather is getting to be more difficult all the time. If it doesn't soon stay cool, I'm gonna take off and join the uranium prospectors in Alaska. . . . Come to think of it, I'd like to do that anyway.

"Little Willie" Willms made the column again this week. She took a film to be developed and when she called for it and asked what it cost, the clerk answered: "No charge." Willie asked, "Why not?" And the clerk explained: "The film was never even exposed, so there were no pictures to develop." — Willie!!

Can't quite get the story together but the gravine tells me Russell Kramer has a new hair shampoo. — Dill pickle juice, no less! Could be a new tonic for growing hair on bald spots but that's just a guess. How about enlightening us, Buss?

Tim Schroll, Jr., out riding with his Daddy, didn't think much of the new clock in the car cause it only had one hand. When he told his Daddy about it, Pop said: "Look again, its ten minutes to ten."

I've been wondering why it is that fat men are always good-natured. Guess because it takes them so long to get mad clear through—Can I help if I have different ideas than most people.

Asher Neiss took his date on a picnic. As they were driving through the Mt. Gretna hills his date thought that a certain spot would be swell for a picnic. Asher got out of the car to examine the spot. After a thorough investigation he said, "It must be, Fifty million insects can't be wrong."

An angry husband on Frank St. yelled at his wife — "You don't seem to realize on which side your bread is buttered."

A group had a corn roast last Friday night. As the women were preparing the food the men decided to go Register to Vote. About a half hour later they returned with the excuse that the line had one hundred people in it. The wives didn't think anything of it and an hour later all the hubbies took off again to "Register to Vote". About one hour later they returned—but it was after 10 P. M. (the deadline to register) when they left and the wives got wise. When they got back it was like a Frozen Food locker. Ask Sonny Rye or Frank Morton or Jack Matoney where they registered.

I asked Sixty Groff why he rolls his own cigarettes now, when he never did before. He informed me his doctor told him he needed a little exercise.

Lucy was telling Frances Shank that more than 5000 elephants go each year to make our piano keys.

Frances in amazement replied, "Really Well it's remarkable what those beasts can be trained to do."

I find the most difficult thing on the piano is to pay the installments. Yes!?!

A would be advertiser asked the editor of the Bulletin if he is certain that the advertisement in his paper bring results.

Mr. Editor replied "Absolutely. Why, the last time a man advertised a lost dog, the dog walked in while the man was writing out the ad."

Ooh - I'll get fired for that.

Joe Coover went in a restaurant on his way to Norfolk and asked the waiter if they serve fish there.

The waiter said, "Certainly, we cater to everyone."

He also told the waiter the soup tasted like dish water.

The waiter ask, "How do you know?" That's a good question.

If all the boarders in all the boarding houses were placed side by side at a table, they would still reach.

Al was about to tell one of his customers a story so he said, "I have a hair-raising story."

Tell it to some baldheaded man," his customer said. Poor Al.

That's not as bad as George. He asked his customer if the razor he was using on him hurt. "Can't say," replied the victim testily, "but my face does."

Nothing about Charlie, he was on vacation. A WISE OWL.

HAPPENINGS — of — LONG AGO

20 YEARS AGO

August 17, 1932
 Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the barn on the Roy Bates farm. Loss was estimated at \$10,000. The seasons crops and most of the machinery was destroyed.

The marriage of Miss Mary K. Strickler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Strickler, south of town and Walter W. Barto, of this boro, took place last Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Misses Dorothy Webb and Dorothy Baker will broadcast over WBAL on Thursday from 1:30 to 1:45 P. M.

Last Thursday Messrs. C. N. Mamma, Lester Roberts, Christian Charles, James Krall and Harvey Hawthorne spent the day fishing. They succeeded in catching nine bass, all being of good size. Mr. Roberts hooked one so large that it broke his rod and got away.

Miss Martha Melhorn, Florin, spent Sunday at Harrisburg.

15 YEARS AGO

August 18, 1937
 Miss Bertie Snyder, Florin, spent Sunday at Accomac.

More than 700 persons from Mt. Joy, Florin and Newtown attended the annual union Sunday School Picnic at the three towns on Friday at Hershey Park.

Joseph Leroy Eshleman, of Florin, and Emile Jane Kraybill of Mt. Joy R2, were issued a marriage license.

Mrs. A. G. Walter, of Florin, is improving after a long illness.

The Church of the Brethren, Florin, will hold a Harvest Home Service on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bowers, of Florin, are spending several weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bowers in Louisiana.

10 YEARS AGO
 August 20, 1942
 Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wagner, of this Boro, a daughter Tuesday at St. Joseph's Hospital.

The Ushers League of the U. E. Church entertained their families to a corn and doggie roast at the Cove, last Friday night.

The Rotarians had the pleasure of hearing Noel Squibs of British Headquarters, Marietta Depot, speak at their luncheon. Squibs is one of the survivors of Dunkirk.

A bolt of lightning killed 3 cows on the Coho farm north-east of Bainbridge, about 2 P.M. Sunday.

Inter-School athletics were dropped by county schools because of the war.

Illness Diagnosed As Polio By Doctors

Frances Gerberich, age six, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde E. Gerberich, Jr., 335 W. Donegal Street has been taken to a Lancaster Hospital for an illness that has been diagnosed as polio.

Everybody reads newspapers but NOT everybody reads circular advertising left on their door step.

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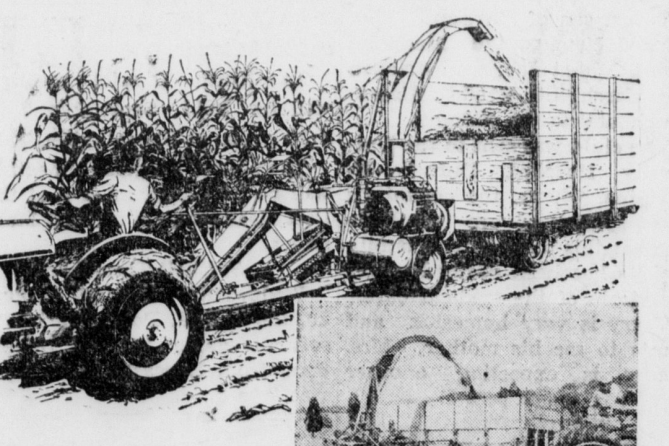
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 - BEVERAGES** BOOTH'S CLICQUOT CLUB 2 large bottles 29c
 - MARSHMALLOWS** CAMPFIRE SPECIAL PRICE! 1-lb pkg 29c
 - '4 to 1' GRAPE DRINK CONCENTRATED** 2 6-oz cans 27c
 - CHED-O-BIT** CHEESE FOOD AMERICAN & PIMENTO 2 lb loaf 89c
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 - CHEE WEES** SPECIAL PRICE FOR LIMITED TIME ONLY! 5 1/2-oz cans 27c
 - TOMATO JUICE** LIBBY'S 2 15-oz cans 27c 46-oz can 29c

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NONE PRICED HIGHER **2 for 33c**

PICKED TODAY: SWEET "MORNING DEW"
CORN NONE PRICED HIGHER **6 ears 25c**
PLANTER'S SALTED PEANUTS 8-oz can 33c
LUMMIS SALTED PEANUTS 14-oz pkg. 39c

OLD SOUTH FROZEN
ORANGE JUICE 2 6-oz cans 29c
GRAPE JUICE WELCH'S FROZEN 2 6-oz cans 45c

- PULLET EGGS** Sunnybrook or Wildmere Dozen in Dated Cartons 53c
- GREEN GIANT PEAS** 1952 NEW PACK 2 17-oz cans 39c
- HEINZ KETCHUP** A BIG VALUE! 14-oz bottle 23c
- MAINE SARDINES** IN OIL OR MUSTARD SAUCE 4 3/4-oz cans 25c
- HEINZ TOMATO SOUP** 3 11-oz cans 32c
- A&P GRAPE JUICE** 2 12-oz bottles 29c 24-oz bottle 25c
- CRESCENT MINTS** SPECIAL PRICE! 1-lb pkg 25c
- EDUCATOR COOKIES** ICE BOX 2 pkgs. 35c
- YODEL CHEESE** IMPORTED, SPECIAL PRICE SWISS GRUYERE 6-oz pkg 37c
- EVAPORATED MILK** WHITEHOUSE 4 tall cans 53c
- WEAVER ALUMINUM FOIL** 25 ft roll 25c
- YELLOW MUSTARD** GULDEH'S PREPARED 8 1/2-oz jar 15c
- CUCUMBER SPEARS** KLEIN'S FRESH quart bottle 21c
- POUND CAKE** JANE PARKER GOLDEN REGULARLY 59c THIS WEEK! 45c
- JANE PARKER POP CORN** 7-oz pkg 19c

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 pint jar 29c quart jar 49c
ANN PAGE KRUNCHY LUNCH Peanut Butter 12-oz glass 29c

87 East Main St. MOUNT JOY, PA.