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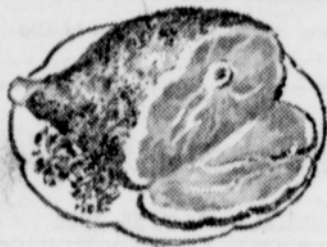
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By Frank J. Laheney

Q: I am a widower and I've been retired by my company this year. I get \$120 a month from social security. Recently, my former employer called me about part-time work at \$200 a month for all of next year. Can I get any benefits next year while I'm earning \$2400?

A: Yes, you would be entitled to receive \$490 in social security benefits. If you didn't work, you would get \$1440. While working you lose \$1 in benefits for every \$2 you earn above \$1200 and under \$1700. For every \$1 you earn over \$1700 you lose \$1 of benefits. In your case, you lose \$950 in benefits for your \$2400 earnings, leaving you \$490 in benefits.

Q: I am 67 and I have had to stop working, on doctor's orders. Should I file for old-age benefits now, or will I get more if I wait until six months after I stopped working, and then file for disability?

A: File now for your old-age benefit. Since you were able to work until age 65, we can compute your benefit without even considering disability, and we can start paying you the first month you stopped work, without any six-month waiting period. We don't consider disability, unless it occurs before age 65.

Q: I am 42 years old and worked steadily as a truck driver until I had a serious accident in March of 1961. I have been unable to work since that time. I have a wife and two minor children. My return to work is doubtful. Can I collect social security disability benefits?

A: If your injury is so severe that you are unable to do any substantial work, and if it is unlikely that your condition will improve, you may be eligible for social security disability insurance benefits. Benefits may also be payable to your dependents. However, you should talk to the social security district office about the situation.

QUESTION: I reached age 72 in April. Up until that time I was earning \$200 a month. In May I began earning \$350 a month. I don't believe I have to notify the Social Security Administration of my increased salary as I am now over 72, but a friend of mine tells me I'm wrong. Who is correct?

ANSWER: You should notify your social security office of your increased salary and give a revised estimate of your earnings for this year. This will not be necessary next year when you will be over 72 in all months of the year. But this year it is, because your total earnings must be counted in determining whether you have any social security benefits coming to you for the months of January, February and March, before you reached 72.

QUESTION: I have heard that the social security tax rate will go up in January 1963. Would you tell me what the tax rate is scheduled to be for that year?

ANSWER: Beginning with January 1963, the social security tax rate will be 3% for both employers and employees. For self-employed people, the rate will be 5.4%.

QUESTION: I'm retired, but I'm planning to take a job that will pay me about \$3,000 a year. Is there anything I should do concerning my social security checks?

ANSWER: Notify your nearest social security office of your new job. Since you expect to earn more than \$1200 a year, you must make an annual report in which you estimate your earnings to social security not later than April 15 of each year. Later, if you find that your actual earnings will be different from your estimate, notify your social security office again. An adjustment will be made and you will receive the proper amount of benefit payments.

QUESTION: Right now, I'm "between jobs" and I've exhausted all of my unemployment benefits. Since I will be 62 in two months, could I apply for my old-age benefits now until I find another job?

ANSWER: By all means. But remember your benefit will be reduced from what it would have been had you waited until age 65 to apply. However, if, when you are between 62 and 65, you do not receive all of your benefit

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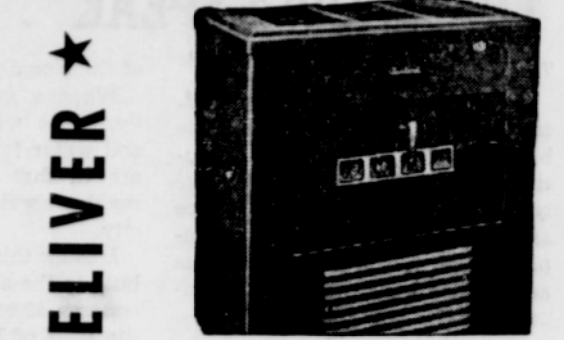
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Driving for pleasure, according to a massive report by the Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission, is the nation's favorite outdoor recreational activity. Most other outdoor activities—swimming, golfing, hunting, fishing—require a motor vehicle to transport the recreation-minded American from home to his favorite haunts.

Driving for business, it goes without saying, is almost a necessity.

Considering the amount of the investment, the pride involved in driving and owning a car, and the use to which the auto is put for both pleasure and business, the need to know the laws relating to its use and ownership should be evident to everyone.

Failure to know these laws can result in a series of legal problems, both costly and time-consuming. The consequences can include suspension of both driving and registration licenses, loss of

Car Owners to Get Reminders

Renewal reminders will soon be in the mail to car owners whose license plates expire in November.

Owners should use the reminder form when renewing by mail or at a field office. Instructions for use are printed on the reverse side of the form.

The department said car owners may not receive reminders if they have moved since the last registration card was issued and have not notified the department of their new address.

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