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Churches are especially given free use of our Church Notice Column, for brief notices concerning regular or special services. Larger events will be cared for elsewhere in our columns.
Churches, Lodges, Societies, Schools, etc, are requested to use our Special Notice Department for money-making events.

The Ladies' Aid of the Harney United Brethren Church will meet at the parsonage, February 8th.

Miss Myrtle Morris and Miss Nell Hess, Baltimore are spending the week-end at the home of Mr. Elmer Hess and daughters.

Glenn D. Smith spent a 24-hour leave with his parents Mr. and Mrs. David Smith and family. It was his first leave since his induction into the army.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Wood, daughter
Lee and Ann and Mrs. Nora Witherow, all of Washington, D. C., were
erow, all of Washington, D. C., were

460th Q. M. Ldy Co. A P O 957 guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Angell

Mr. Chas. L. Criswell and Mr. and Mrs. James Behney and family, of York Springs, Pa., spent Sunday afternoon and evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. T. Elliot.

The Rev. George E. Bowersox, Jr., pastor of the Lutheran Charge, Uniontown, will conduct the Devotional Services over WFMD, Westminster Radio Station, Saturday, Feb 5, at 9

Mrs Annie Keefer, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Keefer and Mrs. Irvin Wantz, spent Wednesday with the former's mother, Mrs. Benjamin Fleagle, of Catonsville, on her 94tb birthday.

Pvt. Merwyn A. Keilholtz, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is spending his furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Keilholtz upon his return to camp he will be sent elsewhere, where he will take up training for a pilot.

Rev. Charles S. Owen, president of the Carroll County Ministerial Association, is quite regular in his attendance. The next meeting will be held on Monday, at 10 A. M., with Rev. E. K. Sawyer of the Methodist Church of Taylorsville as speaker.

Taney Lodge No. 28, I. O. O. F will hold a special get-together meeting next Friday night, Feb. 11th. Grand Master Ryall and members of his staff will be present. Refresh-ments will be served. All members are urged to be present. Lodge meets at 7:30.

Saturday evening about 5 o'clock in the hall-way of her home, causing concussion of the brain and other combat.

Tearned in technical schools, and more important still, gaining the close-knit teamwork so essential in combat.

Crapster was active in campus literated in technical schools, and more important still, gaining the close-knit teamwork so essential in the boards of the "Lit," the "News" and the Press Club. He was also a Mrs. Mary M. Ott, George St., fell bulance to the Gettysburg Hospital. Her condition is critical. For some time Mrs. Ott has not been well. Her brother, Mr. D. W. Ott, of Mercersburg, Pa., came on to see her Sunday pass on their knowledge.

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 1, 1944 Mrs. Margarete Six was hostess to The Pythian Sisters Past Chiefs Club The meeting was conducted by the President, Mrs. Howard Baker. 14 members and a number of guests were present. The meeting was opened by singing "In the Garden" Scripture, Prayer, minutes and rollcall. which was answered by giving a short talk about the Presidents Washington and Lincoln. All responded promptly. After the business session the meeting was closed by singing "America." The hostess served refreshments. The next reg-ular meeting will be held on Tuesday evening March 7, 1944.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Russell Bishop and Bernice Hill, Taneytown, Md. Roy R. Masemore and Miriam A. Wildasin, Manchester, Md. Edward M. Little and Gladys E

Wagner, Hanover, Pa. Donald F. Stevens and Betty Diehl, York Springs, Pa.
Millard T. Garrett and Minnie M.

Brown, Hanover, Pa. Titus Bortner and Cora J. Hoover,

Hanover, Pa. Howard R. Niner and Mary M Bixler, Westminster, Md. Elmer F. Stull and Helen J. Broth-

ers. Gamber, Md. John E. Pinder, Jr. and Margaret A. McConnell, Baltimore, Md.

The Maryland Traffic Safety Commission, Governor Herbert R. O'Conor, Honorary Chair-

man, says: DO YOU KNOW?

"No person shall authorize or knowingly permit a motor vehicle owned by him or under his control to be driven upon any highway of this State by any person who is not authorized to operate such motor ve-

hicle. "Penalties: Fines may be up to Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars." Sec. 103.

Home-makers can take a tip from Navy cooks on soup making. let soups cool after cooking so that the fat will rise. When it has hard-ened, they remove it and reheat the soup for serving. When the fat can no longer be used for cooking, it is turned in for glycerine.

SERVICE MEN LETTERS

Many and Varied are their Experiences

Dear Mr. Stonesifer:
Greetings from the Hawaiian Islands, and after coming out from a nice swim I will take a little time out to drop you a few

Since I have been here I have seen two fellows from home, Fred Garner and Paul Knox, we have been together quite a lot and I mean it is really big help to see someone from home We have been into Honolulu and out to Waikiki Beach swimming a lot, but they are just like me, we would sooner be back home shoveling snow 2 feet high on even higher.

Would you please send me the paper to the below address, as I really miss hearing all the home town news, Fred says that he hasn't received the paper since he has been here, but I

care Postmaster San Francisco, California

Dear Mr. Stonesifer:

I am dropping you and my friends a few lines telling that we are going on a 60 day maneuvers in California which will be warmer than that around home.

We are stationed near the coast, on which King City is 14 miles away, and about 150 miles from San Francisco, which I will try to visit while here. Here now it is a rainy season, and we will have mud, as for you all know it is snow. I want to thank you all for the swell work you are doing in sending me the Carroll Record, as it makes us boys feel nearer home, even if we are so far away from our homes. Please change address, as I will be here a few months, and it means a lot of news from my home town friends.

PFC. JOHN O. GARNER

A. S. N. 33377954 Co. C 14th Inf A P O 360 Camp Roberts, California.

SCHOOLING AS A BOMBER PILOT

With months of specialized training in Army Air Forces Technical schools completed. 2nd Lt. Kenneth W. Nusbaum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Nusbaum R. F. D 2, Taneytown, has arrived at Peterson Field

With others manning a Liberator Bomber, he will, for several months, undergo final training before leaving for one of the theatres of war. The of the Academy, presided and precrew formed here trains as a unit, putting final polish to the techniques learned in technical schools, and Crapster was active in

At Peterson Field the new crewmen train and fly side-by-side with men teen, the honorary English society. recently returned from the frontsmen who have been seasoned in combat and who are well qualified to

MISSIONARY SOCIETY TO MEET

The Women's Missionary Society of Trinity Lutheran (surch will hold its annual February social on Wed-

with the sumptuous supper of previous years, and instead serve lighter refreshments in the form of a tea; thus conforming to Patriotism, which is our first consideration at this time. The Mission Circle, the Junior Society of the church has been invited

as special guests. The program will consist of devotions, brief resume of the lesson, by a Quartet consisting of Messrs group singing of Patriotic songs, Herbert Bowers, James Teeter, Geo. solos, reading and a play coached by

Mrs. Elwood Baumgardner. The leaders for the evening are solo, Mr. James Mrs. Edith Baumgardner and Mrs. by the Quartet.

ASSIGNED TO RADIO SCHOOL

Nettie Albaugh.

Pvt. John C. Elliot, son of Dr. and Mrs. Francis T. Elliot, Middle Street, Taneytown, has been assigned to the AAF Training Command Radio School at the Sioux Falls Army Air Field, Sioux Falls, S. D., for training as a radio operator mechanic. Upon completion of a 20-week course he will be fully trained to take his place as a member of a highly skilled bomber crew of the army air forces.

KITS GIVEN

The following men from Taneytown were given kits before entering the armed forces, viz: Herman Roscoe Miller, Theron George Clabaugh, Alfred Bell, George El-wood Koontz, Carroll Edward Forney, Walter Russell Shipley, William Frances Airing, George Elwood Airing, George Delmar Baumgardner, Kenneth McKinney, Elwood Fream.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

Invitations have been sent out for the fifteenth anniversary of the Car-roll County Children's Aid Society, which will be held in the Firemen's Building, Westminster, next Monday at 2:00 o'clock P. M. Mrs. Frank T. Myers is president, and Miss Cora Bell, secretary.

When cooking foods that keep well. occasionally prepare enough for two meals, and plan to use the food a different way at the second serving. This saves time and fuel.

ENDS LONG CAREER AS HIGH TEACHER

beautiful Rev. Guy P. Bready Has a Twenty-four Year Record

Rev. Guy P. Bready, who has for nearly twenty-four years occupied a high standing in the Taneytown schools, and all the time serving as pastor of Grace Reformed Church, Taneytown, as well as the Reformed Church of Keysville, retires as teacheer at the end of this week. He has filled a remarkable role, and enjoys the full confidence and esteem of the patrons of the school as well as of the members of his two congregations. He will continue his work as pastor, but will go on the retired list as teacher.

Rev. Mr. Bready was first asked by the then principal, Mr. J. L. Hunsberger, about the middle of March, 1920, to teach three days in the seventh grade. Then he was asked to teach two days more, and then to finish the year. In September of the same year he

was assigned to Pine Hill Elementary School, where he served until Febru-ary 1, 1921, when he was transferred to the Taneytown High School, where

he has served ever since.

During the time of Rev. Mr.

Bready's teaching, he has seen the
public schools of Taneytown develop from a group occupying an old building with seven rooms, to the fine institution it now is in the eastern part of Taneytown, and has credit for a full share in bringing that about. He has taught every academic subject in the curriculum except French, and has come in contact with over 1500 pupils. He has taught under five principals, himself being viceprincipal since 1926, and prevented from becoming principal only because

he was both a pastor and a teacher.

Age and condition of health compel this efficient and faithful teacher to retire, a necessity which he and the patrons equally regret.

RECEIVES DIPLOMA AT MERCERSBURG ACADEMY

Wirt P. Crapster, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Walter Crapster, Taneytown was awarded a diploma at the first and superstitions about midwinter graduation exercises Colorado Springs, Colorado, for assignment to the Combat Crew Training School as a bomber pilot. the Mercersburg Academy held Monday, Jan. 31. Because of wartime conditions, the Academy has accelsented the diplomas. The new sem-

Crapster was active in campus lit-

KIWANIS CLUB NEWS

The Taneytown Kiwanis Club held its regular weekly meeting on Wednesday evening, at 6:30 at Clear Ridge Inn, near Uniontown, President Clyde L. Hesson, presiding. Members present 25, also little Miss Doris Lee Wilson as the guest of Dr. nesday evening, Feb. 9, at 7:30 Legg, and a number of young ladies At a committee meeting held at the home of Mrs. Percy T. Putman, chairman, it was decided to dispense gram of the evening. The period of Legg, and a number of young ladies and gentlemen from the Taneytown gram of the evening. The period of group singing was in charge of Harry Mohney, with Mrs. Wallace

Yingling as accompanist. The program was in charge of the Music Committee, Harry M. Mohney, Chairman. The following program as arranged by Mrs. Yingling was presented by the committee: Trumpet solo, Francis Staley; Vocal Selections Null and Francis Staley; Piano selection, Miss Jean Mohney; Vocal solo, Mr. James Teeter; Selections

In accordance with a custom, initiated last year in inviting a student large surpluses of food, and there of the Taneytown or Union Bridge really is no need to practice wartime High School to temporary membership in the Club for one month, Mr. James Teeter, of the Taneytown High School, was presented as the student member for the month of February, having been chosen for this honor by the High School Faculty. He was duly inducted into membership by President Hesson.

Next week will be the occasion of the annual Valentine party and Ladies' Night, with the ladies in charge of the program.

TO DETERMINE TAX YOU OWE

As soon as wage earners get their wage and tax receipts from employ-ers they should make out their annual income and victory tax returns to determine how much if any tax are far below ours." they must pay by March 15, the dead-line for filing, the Treasury Department advises. Some wage earners will owe a substantial amount, many will owe a small figure, and others will get refunds.

FARM SUPPORT PRICE PROGRAM

Average prices to egg producers ranging from a low of about 30c a dozen during the spring to a high of about 40 cents a dozen in late fall or early winter are planned by the War Food Administration in its price support program for carlot graded eggs WFA also announced its sional action.

VALENTINE TEA

Held by the Ladies of Grace Reformed Church

A Valentine Tea and Social was held Tuesday evening, Feb. 1, by the members of the Ladies' Aid Society of Grace Reformed Church.

As it was the Society's regular time of meeting, devotions and business opened the program with Mrs. Clyde Hesson the president presiding. Hymn used was "Praise Him"; Scripture was read by Mrs. Clarence Dern followed with prayer by Miss Ruth

After the business session the committee Mrs. Carel Frock and Mrs. Lloyd Fitz presented the following

Recitation and song, "I Love You,"
Mary Alice Rue; Solo, Lois Ann
Hitchcock; Reading, "Abraham Lincoln," Miss Ruth Stamaugh; Solo. coln," Miss Ruth Stamaugh; Solo.
"Since You Called Me Sweetheart,"
Miss Doris Koons; Duet, "I Would
That My Love," Miss Margaret Hitchcock and Mrs. Marion Rue, accompanied by Mrs. Wallace Yingling; A
Quiz conducted by Mrs. Carel Frock;
"Things they missed in George Washington's Day." ington's Day.'

After participating in a series of Valentine games, refreshments of Valentine games, refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and tea were served from a long colorful table suitably decorated for the occasion.

Mrs. Guy P. Bready and Mrs. Harry Essig at either end of the table pouring from silver services.

The cut flowers of red and white

The cut flowers of red and white carnations contributed much to the decorations. These were a gift to Mrs. Edward Reid from her husband who is now serving in the armed forces overseas.

The committee in charge of the Tea was Mrs. Mervin Wantz, Mrs. Edna Baumgardner, Mrs. Delmont Koons and Mrs. Earl Clem.

HOME ECONOMIST EXPOSES FOOD SUPERSTITIONS

Food superstitions which throw the diets of many Americans out of balance were exposed Thursday, Jan. 27 by Miss Meehan, home economists for the Potomac Edison Company, in addressing a Health for Victory nutrition meeting at the Potomac Edison

Pointing out that fads, fallacies and superstitions about foods not only prevent some people from making full use of certain nutritious foods, the speaker said, "Old Lady Super-stition also is a pretty serious cause of food waste in wartime America."

"In these wartimes," Miss Meehan continued, "we cannot afford to allow groundless fears to affect our eating of obtainable foods, because if we do we can very easily disturb our diets and throw them off balance since there are not always enough other foods to replace those we pass by."

Among the food superstitions I nounced false by the home economist | Congress take action in the matter were the beliefs that lettuce con-tains opium, radishes cure wrinkles, the service what they must do in concarrots are so helpful to vision that a person wearing glasses can discard them, spinach is a sure cure for what ails you, asparagus is bad for the kidneys, citrus fruits and tomatoes create dangerous acids in our bodies,

and onions cure colds. One by one, Miss Meehan blasted these oldtime theories and explained why each is incorrect. She also described as fallacies the beliefs that fish and milk should not be eaten together, that milk sours when thunder cracks, that pasteurized milk does not contain as much food value as raw milk, and that buttermilk will prolong life and cure all diseases. These superstitions were cited as false ideas in the Health for Victory meal plan-ning guides prepared by the Westinghouse Home Economics Institute and distributed today to local house-

Turning to another kind of food fallacy, the home economist exploded the rumor that "America is such a land of milk and honey that we have really is no need to practice wartime food economy."

"That rumor is false," she empha-"Only if we civilians practice strict food economy will there be enough to satisfy our food needs for nutrition"

Another fallacy which the speaker said could seriously hurt the "Food Fights for Freedom" movement is the rumor that our Allies "don't really need all of the food we are sending them." Miss Meehan reported that the treat of the land lang food is that most of our lend-lease food is going to England and Russia, "yet this amount of food is only about 10 percent of our total supply.

"These Allies could use far more food than we actually are sending them, and even with what they receive from us their food standards

The third wartime food fallacy that the home economist termed er-roneous was the "misbelief that food rationing isn't necessary." Food rationing is necessary, the speaker pointed out, to insure that those who get to a store first don't walk out with all the food.

"The whole underlying idea behind rationing is to make sure that everyone has an opportunity to buy a fair share of the foods that are necessary for health, with no preference going to those who can get to the store first or have the most money to spend"

"Yes, and food prices can be kept proposal for support prices on other within reasonable limits if we and farm products, subject to Congres- all American homemakers co-operate," the speaker explained.

WOULD GIVE VOTE TO **ALL ABOVE 21**

In Service, Dispensing With Usual Registration

Declaring that "those who are risking their lives to preserve our Nation are entitled above everybody Nation are entitled above everybody else to vote," Governor Herbert R. O'Conor today, in an address broadcast over Station WFBR, declared that all Marylanders in the Armed Services should be entitled to vote in the coming election without going through the usual registration formalities. malities.

'I now propose," Governor O'Conor declared, "that Maryland consider membership in the Armed Services as a waiver of the usuallegal requirements for registration of voters. In other words, I propose that all qualified members of the Armed Forces be considered as registered voters in Maryland. As a result, our ser-vicemen and women will have the right of way" and will not have to take any other steps to register. If they meet the constitutional requirements, as to age, etc, they automatically would be considered as registered voters. This seems to me a common sense proposition, and I think is a fair way in which to afford our service men the fullest opportunity to choose their public officials. "You know that thousands of men

and women in the service have never registered for voting," the Governor went on, "Many of them could not have registered, if they had wanted to, because they entered the Armed Services before they reached 21, and have not been in a position to their names in the election books, even though they now are past 21 years. You know also, that the greatest care and caution in election matters must be exercised to prevent voting by unauthorized persons, up-setting the integrity of the ballot and resulting in dishonest elections. That is why, the law so definitely provides for registration and record evidence as to the eligibility of all persons entitled to vote. But here are great numbers of people, who are entitled above everybody else to vote, because they are risking their lives to preserve our nation. Yet, if we were to require them to go through the regular motions of registration, it would be equivalent to denying them the right to vote."

Governor O'Conor later made it clear that he had discussed the proposal fully with Attorney General William C. Walsh and that it was felt that this "waiver" of the usual registration, requirements, could be registration requirements could be brought about by Legislative action at the Special Session which probably will be required for the clarification of other phases of the absentee voting question.

nection with the handling and transporting ballots.

Warning was sounded by Governor O'Conor, however, that "Maryland will stand upon its sovereign right to determine the qualifications of its voters and to decide the other matters which properly must be reserved to the States"

ELECTION OF MANCHESTER PASTOR

Notice is hereby given that an elec-tion for pastor will be held in the congregations of Manchester Evangelical and Reformed Charge on Sunday, Feb. 6, as follows:
Manchester 10:30 A. M.; Lineboro

P. M.; Snydersburg, 2:30 P. M. The election will be held by Myers Alcorn who will conduct the worship and members of the pulpit committee. The election is authorized by the Synodical Council of Potomac Synod of which the Charge is a part.

Ration Reminders

Gasoline-In 17 East Coast states A-8 coupons are good through Feb. 8, and A-9 coupons become good Feb 9 and remain good through May 8. In states outside the East Coast area A-10 coupons are good through Mar.

Tire Inspection—For A coupon holders, deadline is March 31. For B and C coupon holders, deadline is farm labor deferments. February 28th. Sugar-Stamp No. 30 in Book

Four is good for five pounds through March 31. Stamp No. 40 in Book Four is good for five pounds of can-ning sugar through February 28, 1945 is good for one pair. Stamp No. 1 on the airplane sheet in Book Three

is good for one pair.
Fuel Oil—Period 2 coupons are good through February 7 in all areas except the South. Period 3 coupons, now valid in the Middle West, East, Far West and South remain good through March 13 in the Middle West, East and Far West, and through February 21 in the South. Periods 4 and 5 coupons, now valid in the South, remain good through Sept.

Meats, Fats-Brown stamp V and W good through February 26.
Processed Foods—Green stamps G. H and J in Book Four are good thru

February 20. Green stamps K, L and M are good through March 20.

Income Tax—Deadline for filing returns March 15. Earlier filing is These

HOMEMAKER'S CLUBS

Activities are Numerous and of Special Interest

The February meeting of the Taneytown Homemakers' Club met at the Potomac Edison Demonstration Room, Thursday, Feb. 3, at 2 P. M.
Mrs. George Harner, music chairman, conducted the singing. The roll-call response by the members was "What new food you have used."
Mrs. Ibach, chairman of the peace

committee, gave most interesting ex-planation of the eight points which make up "The Atlantic Charter."

The Project Demonstrators, Mrs.
Ibach and Miss Belva Koons, reported on "The Family Food Needs" by

Several reports from the various committees were givn.
A donation of \$5.00 was given to the

Boy Scouts. The next meeting will be the first Thursday in March at 2:15 P. M.

On Friday evening, Jan. 28, the Misses Elizabeth and Eloise Miller entertained a record size group of 43 4-H Senior Council members at their home, East Green St., Westminster. The Council President, Richard Hull, presided at this meeting.

ong.

During the business meeting the following officers for 1944 were elected: President, John Harbaugh, Reisterstown; Vice-Pres, Glenn Garner, Westminster; Secretary, Mary Florence Peltz, Westminster; Cor. Sec, Marlin Roser, New Windsor; Treas., Belva Koons, Taneytown.

The tentative program for the

The tentative program for the coming year which was set up by the program committee consisting of Elizabeth Miller, chairman; Glenn Garner, John Harbaugh, Dean Hess, Richard Hull, Justina C. Crosby, Home Demonstration Agent, and L.

C. Burns, County Agent, was presented to the group discussed.

Following this, Glenn Garner gave a very complete report of the 4-H a very complete report of the 4-H Club meetings which were held on Wednesday, Jan. 12, at the Lord Baltimore Hotel, Baltimore, during the Maryland Farm Bureau annual meeting. Next, Mary Hull and John Harbaugh reported on their trip to the 4-H Club Congress held in Chicago in December. The club members were all interested in hearing of their go in December. The club members were all interested in hearing of their experience and seeing their many souvenirs. At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served by the hostesses. The next regular meet-ing of the Senior Council will be held in February at the Hillsdale Club.

A group of Homemakers' Club project demonstrators met with Miss Justina C. Crosby, Home Demon-stration Agent, at the Home Demon-stration Office in the postoffice, Westminster, on Thursday afternoon, Jan 27, in order to receive the information strongly urged that ction in the matter delay and instruct

27, In order to receive the information to be presented at the February meetings of the Clubs. The subject for the month is "The Family Food Needs" and in addition to reviewing briefly some of the Nutrition highlights, each member will figure out a weekly food plan for her own family. After the demonstration, Miss Venia M. Kellar, Asst. Director of the Maryland Extension Service,

spoke briefly to the group.

Those who attended the meeting, were: Mrs. Howard Bankert, Myers Club; Mrs. Roland Shipley, West-minster Club: Mrs. W. O. Ibach and Miss Belva Koons, Taneytown Club; Mrs. A. T. Shafer, Hillsdale Club; Mrs. A. T. Shafer, Hillsdale Club; Mrs. Herbert Snyder, Union Bridge Club; Mrs. Horace Brauming, Mrs. William Osterhouse Mrs. Edwin Rucker and Mrs. Leitner, Middlerum Club; Miss Lulu Birely and Miss Mildred Stull, Keysville-Detour Club, and Mrs. Elwood Angel and Mrs. Earnest Myers. Pleasant Valley Club Similar meetings were held at the

Similar meetings were held at the home of Mrs. S. G. Frederick, of Manchester, on Wednesday afternoon Feb. 2, for the Project Demonstrators from Manchester, Melrose, Snydersburg and Triple Valley. and at the Winfield Consolidated School on Thursday of termoon Tab. 2 for pro-Thursday afternoon, Feb, 3, for project demonstration from Eldersburg, Enterprise, Berrett, Mt. Airy, New Windsor, Winfield, Sykesville and Taylorsville.

OUR COUNTY AGENT

Mr. L. C. Burns, County Agricultural Agent and Secretary to the Farm Labor Sub-Committee, would like to call to the attention of all Carroll County Farmers the follow-ing information with reference to

First-Some workers, deferred as essential farm workers to a particular farm and having a C classification have since transferred to another The occupational deferment of such workers is jeopardized unless Shoes-Stamp No. 18 in Book One the new farm employer submits a request for deferment on form 42.
The basis of such workers' deferment is the number of war units on the farm from which he transferred and it is imperative that form 42 be filed for the new farm for the guidance of the county Selective Service Board Farmers hiring new farm workers should also make certain that the workers have notified their Selective

Service Board of the changes of jobs. Second-Some farm workers have been deferred by virtue of depend-ents. With the drafting of fathers, dependency no longer constitutes a reason for deferment. Therefore, the status of such farm workers is jeopardized and form 42 should be filed immediately by the present employer in order to obtain a C classi-

These matters should be taken care of as soon as possible.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1944

KEEP COOL

The country has been terribly stirred up recently by the reports of terrible abuse of American prisoners in the hands of the Japanese. Secretary Hull, usually moderate and selfcontrolled, used the terms "demons" and "fiendishness" in the report of the atrocities. "Hang the Mikado" and "Boom Japan out of existence" the high pitch of the excitement.

We endure great losses in battle and it is to be expected, but the handling of prisoners by the Japanese, and probably by other belligerents, is not ordinary warfare; it is savagery. Any nation that thus treats prisoners deserves to be called barbarians, not civilized people.

And yet this is a time for the advice we gave some time ago, "keep cool." We can not stoop as some have done, to the murder of hostages indiscriminately, or we will put ourselves on the same level with them. The real persons responsible deserve to be given the death penalty, though the movies and at social affairs are the arch-fiends have usually been allowed to escape; but we must know who the responsible persons are, and tainty of the future. must not act simply out of fierce

rests upon the Mikado? We do not could be more, of course. believe he is much more than a figpolitical bosses are the responsible experiences such as you have seen. culprits. The world will be wise if The attitude of the New Deal Ad-

agery because others do. Talk about "booming Japan out of yours. existence" is childish prattle. You can overthrow their government, but the fight to preserve freedom and they will still be there. We might sit democracy for the 125 million people in guardianship over them, but they who are backing the armed forces to will still be there. Even if every the limit, in addition to the ten mil-Japanese were a savage, which is not lion or so who may not be. In years true, you can not blot seventy mil-

lion people out of existence. God grind slowly"-not too slowly- Oakland. if only we see to it that they GRIND, and in a way to bring punitive justice to the real offenders, and to teach the whole world that no man can ig-nore the basic principles of civiliza- dig deeper into our pockets and help tion with impunity. L. B. H.

PROMISES THAT ARE KEPT

What does a man going into battle think about? What does he do? How does he act?

Lieut. Colton G. Morris, who was radio officer on the famous cruiser Helena, and once a member of this ! newspaper's staff, gives an intimate picture of what takes place aboard a cle in the Saturday Evening Post: It sibly afford, while others are reading ship as it goes into action, in an artimay be a picture slightly different the bond ads in an impersonal sort of from the conception of the average person, but it should gratify every wife and mooner of an American sail-

Returning from one of her successful missions, the Helena was ordered, together with other ships of a task force, to intercept a Japanese fleet in Kula Gulf. They were on their way ready for action, at 7 o'clock on a night that was to see a great victory -and the end of a gallant ship.

I went to my room and hit the sack for three hours, and read my Bible, I read the Twenty-third and Ninetyfirst Psalms over and over-"Thou shalt not be afraid for the terror by night. A thousand shall fall at thy side, and ten thousand at thy right hand, but it shall not come nigh thee." Those are comforting words. When I went on deck, I saw men thumbing worn pages of the little Bibles that many of them carry. Toughened old seadogs, veterans of many a battle and many a crap game, were unashamedly praying. Some listened with solemn concentration while others read aloud.

Yes, that's what they do.

There is nothing "sissy" about oraying. Joshua and Caleb and Hoatio Nelson and Stonewall Jackson and other great fighters prover that. Probably more American boys are praying and reading their Bibles today than ever before, and these are lads who are in a position to know what the prayer of faith and understanding means.—Christian Science

ANSWER TO A SOLDIER

A soldier in a letter to The Republican, being printed in this issue on page four, asks: "Are you civilians letting the fighting men down?"

He cites the strikes of miners at the same time that American soldiers were in want of fuel in an Arctic country; autos running around by the thousands, when there is a shortage of rubber and gasoline; civilians jammed into bar rooms like flies; people talking lightly in the moviesthe scenes of actual battle where American boys are being killed.

"What are we fighting for?" he concludes.

This soldier is just one of many who have wondered about the same things. There are millions of civilans who have wondered too.

But there are so many millions of naividuals on the home front doing commendable things who overshadow the others that we should all look to the majority.

There are the several million parents of the men and women in the armed forces, their wives and children; millions of individuals who are doing their patriotic duty in war plants, volunteering for any kind of were expressions heard, indicating additional service to help the war effort; millions giving blood through the Red Cross and making surgical without complaint, for that is war, dressings in order to save lives; knit-

Millions of farm people working harder than ever and with less assistance to raise more food; millions are purchasing war bonds to the limit; working extra hours in order to increase production of war materials: trying to keep America a

normal place when soldiers return. Millions of women are carrying on nobly in the homes in the absence of their sons and husbands, without complaint, but their hearts are heavy. Many who appear light-hearted in concealing their anxiety for the safety of their loved ones and the uncer-

Hundreds of thousands of letters are mailed each day to soldiers, from How much of the responsibility parents, wives and friends. There

Millions of people on the home urehead. The army officers and the front are disgusted, too, over similar it acts with little mercy toward these ministration in coddling strikers and fellows, but let us not stoop to sav- unreasonable labor union leaders makes their blood boil just as it does

But beneath the whole picture is to come even the ten million will apreciate what those on the battle front It will be better if "the mills of are now doing!-The Republican,

ANOTHER BOND DRIVE

Once again we are being asked to put over another war loan drive-a drive with the biggest goal in his-

In each of the previous drives the goal has been over-reached, and it probably will be in the present one. But in previous drives the goal has been reached because of the cooperation of banks, insurance companies and business houses rather than by real sacrifice among the people.

Many of us are regularly buying all of the bonds we think we can posway and concluding that the war will be won whether they do anything about it or not.

There are too many people, in this and every other town, who are willing to let others win the war for them--who are just standing on the sidelines, hoping that this thing will end shortly, but playing no part per-

We don't guarantee that the war will end any sooner if you buy an extra bond or if you don't but we do think that when the boys come home from war anyone who doesn't have a good-sized wad of bonds to show is going to be pretty much ashamed of himself. Buying bonds is the best way that those of us who are lucky enough to remain on the home front can show that we are doing our part. -Rhoderick Papers.



Africa Rich Source of Furs for United States

Most leopard skins have come from Africa. Ethiopia alone has supplied the United States market with as many as 100,000 in a year. Southern Asia also has provided pelts. The common leopard of India, Ceylon and China is much the same in appearance. Asia produces the prized snow leopard whose heavy fur grows in the cold Himalayan re-

Fur of the serval, an African wildcat, has been reserved in Africa for native chiefs. This tawny animal has black spots, widely separated on the sides and running together to form streaks on the back. The tail is ringed with black.

Found throughout Africa, except on the Sahara and in deep tropical forests, the wildcat was a sacred animal in Egypt, mummified before burial in the tomb of prince or princess. Less than 2 per cent of the wildcat fur normally came to the United States from Africa. A year's import of 200,000 pelts might come from every quarter of the globe.

African mole skins—silver brown in color-may be increasingly popular. None have come from Africa recently, the Netherlands supplying as much as 80 per cent, in pre-war years. Moles are plentiful in the United States, but their fur is regarded inferior to the imported pelt.

Jap Propaganda Builds Up

Hirohito as Divine Person The Japanese propaganda has for rears skillfully built up the idea of a Mikado who is different from any other ruler in the world in the following ways:

1. He is a divine person, descended from a goddess, and therefore

not subject to any human laws. 2. He is so aloof from mundane affairs that he does not take direct part even in the business of governing his own country.

3. He acts only on the advice of his ministers and is therefore not responsible for anything done in his

And, largely for home consumption, the Japanese propagandists have included the following points in their Mikado-fiction: 4. He occupies a throne which is

established forever, and continues a line of rulers "unbroken for ages 5. He is destined to be the ruler of all nations, when all peoples from the "eight corners" of the world

will be brought under "one roof." 6. Any war fought in his name is a holy war, and anyone who is killed while fighting his war becomes immortalized as a god in the Shinto pantheon.

Steam Press

Blends of wool and spun rayon should always be steam pressed A heavy dry cloth is placed next the fabric and covered with a damp cloth. The iron should not be moved back and forth but set gently down, then lifted as steam starts to rise. The press cloth is then removed and the steam beaten out with the hands or a wooden block.

Like wools, a rayon and wool snould never be pre The garment should still be slightly damp when the pressing is finished, then hung on a hanger to dry in natural lines. If pleats are lightly basted in place and buttonholes drawn together before pressing, the final job will look more professional. Hems, collars, lapels and other heavy parts of a garment should be pressed first, starting on the wrong side and finishing on the right side. When pressing these parts on the right side, double press cloths should be used to prevent

After-Images.

If you gaze fixedly for half a minsheet of paper, and then turn your sheet of white paper, you will see the country in which you enlist? the object again for an instant on the blank space. This sight of an object after its removal from the range of vision is known as an after-

There are two kinds of after-images, positive and negative. Positive after-images resemble the original object in color and brightness. Negative after-images are seen in complementary colors. If the object is red, the after-image will be green. Psychologists explain this curious shifting of after-images to complementary colors by the fact that the delicate nervous visual apparatus is easily fatigued. Ordinarily such fatigue is unnoticed because restoration of nervous balance is very

Leading Editor

Walter Williams, 1864-1935, of Boonville, Mo., was the first president of the Press Conference of the World and held that position from 1916 until 1925. Williams began his journalistic career in 1884 as part owner of the Boonville Advertiser He later edited the Columbia Herald, the Saint Louis Presbyterian and the Daily State Tribune, and in 1895 founded the Country Editor. He became professor and dean of the school of journalism at the University of Missouri in 1908, giving this work up in 1930 to organize the World's Press Parliament. Williams also wrote a number of books on journalism and was the author of a history of Missouri.

Executor's Sale

REAL ESTATE

By virtue of the power contained in the will of Louisa Kump, deceased, as well as by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, the undersigned ancillary Executor of the estate of the said Louisa Kump will offer on the premises on

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GEORGE A. SHOEMAKER, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 5th day of August, next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 3rd. day of January, 1944.

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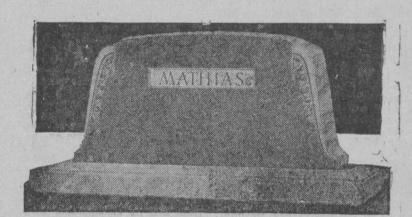
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Latest Items of Local News Furnished By Our Regular Staff of Writers

We desire correspondence to reach our office on Thursday, if at all possible. It will be necessary therefore, for most letters to be mailed on Wednesd. J. or by Fast Mail, west on W. M. R. R., Thursday morning. Letters mailed on Thursday evening may not reach us in time.

All communications for this department must be signed by the author; not for publication, but as an evidence that the items contributed are legitimate and correct. Items based on mere rumor, or such as are likely to give offense, are not want-

FEESERSBURG

Another bright Monday morning, after a beautiful Sabbath day. The S. S. lesson was about miracles and soon there'll be another wonderful one spread out before our eyes, when the day dead looking fields, and bare apparently lifeless trees revive to living green and beauty. Don't say there are no miracles now; the men who were lost at sea, floating for 3 weeks know better. Whittaker—the Athiest in the party of 8 men, is convinced of two remarkable mira-cles in answer to their earnest pray-

Here's February blowing in-the shortest month in the year, notable for famous birthdays, entertainments, speeches, parties and plays. 'Twas called the "Hunger Moon" by the American Indians; because then food was scarce for their hunting and trapping; but now the markets are full of good things, and 'tis time to get fresh parsnips out of the garden -a different flavor from any other vegetable, and roasted in butterum-m-m!

We would all like to be well, but Miss Grace Sullivan is still confined to the house in an asthmatic condition—tho improving; Mrs. Lulu Grinder is recovering from a case of laryngitis; and last week one of our youngest citizens—Jimmy Crum-backer was ill with ear ache and sore throat, but a visit of the Doctor gave quick relief. That's the kind to have.

Mrs. Lucille Sellers Sentz is home in New Windsor from Md. University Hospital, and doing very well after an appendectomy operation. The girls who were doing defense

work in Uniontown are having two weeks vacation.

Cards are out announcing the golden wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs John H. Shirk at their home in Taneytown, Feb. 13 from 5 to 9 P. Now that does make one feel old-for it seems but a dozen years since we were playing croquet in our yard and John and I were successful partners. Blessings on them.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Wolfe attended a very pretty wedding in the Lutheran Church at Creagerstown last Wednesday evening, Jan. 26, when Sgt. Staley Sanner and Miss Ruby Smith were united in marriage by her pastor, Rev. F. E. Reinberger, with the double ring ceremony, by candlelight. The bride wore a gown of white satin and net, and carried red rosebuds. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Hattie Saylor, of Frederick, who was dressed in aqua blue, with cream rosebuds. She was the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Smith, who gave her in marriage. A reception followed the ceremony at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Sanner returned on Friday to his camp in Texas.

At preaching service at Mt. Union on Sunday, Rev. Bowersox spoke on the theme "Revealing the Christ," and said to find God there are three mountains to climb; the Mount of Decision the Mount of Emulation, and the Mount of Surrender. A good sermon. It was pleasant to see two men and two girls in vestments with the choir. A beautiful growing vine was at the front--and the room comfortably warmed.

In the Church Bulletin there's a pen sketch of a cat getting out of a bag, and a sermonette on "harder still to keep one's true inmost self from shinning forth the worth of a good life." From each church in the parish cash donations were received for the Bulletin. Mrs. E. Scott Koons gave \$1.00 in memory of her husband who departed 12 years ago on his birthday, Jan. 8th. Within each paper was folded the booklet "Light for Today"—for daily devotional use during February.

A letter from Raymond K. Angel tells of his visiting one of his good neighbors on New Year's Day for 3½ hours—the first time he has been in any one's home for 9 years and he enjoyed every moment. His son John has enlisted in the U. S. Air Forces, and expects to be called soon. His daughter, Mary, Mrs. Robert Barthel and her son are with her husband who is in service at Long Beach, Miss. They have secured a nice apartment there and are housekeeping.

Mrs. Addie Crumbacker and small grandson and daughter, Catherine, and Miss Sue Birely spent last Thurs-day evening with Charles Crumbacker's at Clear Ridge. His mother, Mrs. George Crumbacker of Way-nesboro, is making her winter visit with them now still busy with her fancy crocheting—for which she has ready sale.

We are pleased with the Home-spun Philosophy of "Ezra," in his first article on the party line. When we first saw the title, we thought "now that's more politics, and we hear too much of that"—so passed it by; but when we read the notice of a new feature we turned back to it to hear from Ezra, and thoroughly enjoyed it, and admit its truth; only he left out the calls of sweethearts, when they soften their voice and manner, and can't talk for giggling—the older the worse. Come again,

If you've paid your dimes and danced a mile you have done well, may it bring good results in better health, and you need not bother about the shadows at noon on Wed-

UNIONTOWN

Pfc. Malvin Simpson who is stationed at a camp in New York State visited his home folks over the week-

Misses Dorothy and Betty vere hostesses to the Bethany Circle reshments were served to a good

Mrs. Harry Fogle attended a luncheon for Missionary women in Baltimore, on Wednesday. Four missionaries from China who had been interned and later returned on

Westminster. On Saturday they visited friends in Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Powers, of Baltimore, visited in town, on Sunday.

At the meeting of the Fire Country and Church, motor—ed to Harney, met with the Brother—hood of the Lutheran Church.

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day.
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lambert,
daughter Patsy, Taneytown, spent
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Dickensheets.

Mrs. Cora Stem and Mr. G. Fielder Gilbert, visited the former's moth-er, Mrs. Mary Moore, near Balti-

more, on Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. William Slonaker
and Miss Oneida Slonaker, Waynes-

boro, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wills. Snowdrops have made their appearance at the Church of God par-

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Greene, Jr., Bark Hill, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son on Sunday, January 30. The baby is named Lewis Lee Greene.

Mrs. Addison Koons was taken ill on Tuesday at the home of her sonin-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Zollickoffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Shirk, Taney-town, visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Zollickoffer, on Sunday. Mrs. Rose Caylor is spending a ortnight with her friend, Mrs. Allen

Jamison, Baltimore.
The Women's Missionary Society
of St. Paul's Lutheran Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Harry B. Fogle, Thursday evening, Feb. 3. Mrs. Wilbur Devilbiss was the leader

for the lesson. Dr. C. Gardner Warner, Baltimore visited his brother, Rev. Paul F

Warner, last Friday evening.
Cadet Robert C. Wallace, Mississippi, a member of the AST Unit at Western Maryland College was a visitor at the Methodist Church last

NEW WI Sunday, and a guest at the parsonage

for the day.
Mrs. Paul F. Warner and sons, David and John, are spending several days at Linthicum Heights.
The Westminster Sub-District Young People's Institute and Leadership Training School of the Methodist Church is being held in the Immanuel Building, of Westminster Methodist Church for three weeks. Sessions are held on Monday and Thursday evenings. Rev. Paul F. Warner is the Dean, Misses Rayona and Nora Hurley and Alice Waltz from our community, are in attend-

HOOPER'S DELIGHT

Kerley P. Snyder, Keymar, left Monday to report for duty in the U.

Sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Chas. Gray. The family has our deepest sympathy.
Mrs. Ervin Crabbs, daughter,
Patsy. of Uniontown, spent Tuesday

afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Church with Mrs. Dr. Link as leader. Harry Farver Harry Farver. Mr. Ervin Crabbs is suffering after having some teeth extracted.

Miss Hilda Jenkins spent last week

end with her mother, Mrs. Mary Jenkins and family. Those who visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Farver and daughmr. and mrs. H. Farver and daughter, Westminster, on Sunday and the week-end were: Mrs. E. Crabbs, Mrs. D. Long, Mrs. H. Vanfossen. Miss Alma McCaffery. Miss May Farver, Patsy Crabbs, Doris Myers, Ruth and Nadine and Shirley Stonesifer, Hilda Jenkins, Billie Reese, Miss Hilda Jenkins, of Westminster.

Hilda Jenkins, of Westminster.
Mrs. James Fritz called on Miss
Hilda Jenkins Thursday evening. Those who visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kerley Snyder and family on last Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. H. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. E. Crabbs, Miss Mildred Bankard. Patsy Crabbs, Joseph Snyder, and Ross Snyder.

MANCHESTER.

On Monday, Jan. 31, Rev. Dr. John S. Hollenbach and family moved to 1308 Beason St., Baltimore (30) Md, where he becomes pastor of Christ Evangelical and Reformed Church. Dr. Hollenbach, was pastor of the Man. Hollenbach was pastor of the Manchester Charge for over 19 years.
Children of the following families

were baptized recently at places indicated by Rev. Dr. John S. Hollenbach pastor of the Manchester Evangelical anl Reformed Charge. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Miller, Snydersburg Church; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Tracey, Hamp-stead R. D., and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn C. Bixler, Westminster R. D. 3, at the parsonage; Mr. and Mrs. George Myers, Brodbeck, Pa. R. D., at their home

A WEDDING RECEPTION

A small wedding reception was held for Cpl. and Mrs. Alvia Ray Hyser, Jan. 26, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvia B. Hyser, near Harney.

The guests were: Cpl. and Mrs. Alvia Ray Hyser, Mr. and Mrs. Nor-Alvia Ray Hyser, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Miller, grandson Earl Groft; Mr. Ernest Hyser, Mrs. Roy Lambert, daughter, Vyonne; Mrs. Thurston Putman, son Ronnie; Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Spangler, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Moser, Mrs. Felix Florence, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller, Charles Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Alvia B. Hyser sons Fred and Clarence. Cpl. Hyser is stationed at Camp Gordon, Georgia.

LITTLESTOWN.

During the regular assembly held in the High School, Robert Finger, Radioman, who was injured while on duty in the South Pacific was the speaker. He told how he was wounded in action against the Japs while he on Friday evening of last week. Mrs. Franklin Stippick had charge of the devotionals. Delicious re- 1938, was placed in the main corridor of the school as a tribute to Glenn A.

Four for several weeks is about the same. George Fowler, near town, who has been confined to the house since last the Gripsholm were present.

Miss Mildred Horning spent Friday night with Miss Naomi Fritz, of

day night with Miss Naomi Fritz, of of St. John Lutheran Church, motor-

> pany this Tuesday evening motion pictures with sound were shown by the U. S. Signal Corps.

Mrs. Martha J. Harner, widow of Raymond S. Harner, died Friday evening at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Bowers, W. King St., followed an extended illness. She was aged 84 years, and a life-long member of St. John Lutheran Church, and was also a member of the Sunday School also a member of the Sunday School and Ladies' Aid Society, also a member of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the John W. Ocker Post American Legion. Surviving are six children. The funeral was held Monday afternoon with services conducted at the J. Little and Son Funeral Home by Rev Kenneth D. James. Interment was made in St. John Church cemetery

John T. Koontz, aged 28 years died Friday evening at his home at Silver Run. He had been ill since last July. Mr. Koontz had been employed by the National Advertising Company, West-minster, prior to his illness. He was a member of St. Mary's Reformed Church and a member of the Young Men's Alert Bible Class. Surviving are his wife, his parents and nine sisters and brothers. The funeral was held Tuesday morning with services conducted at his late home by the Rev. Albert E. Shenberger his pastor. Interment was made in the Union

The saving of coal during the sum-mer-like weather of last week, did not help the people much, as so many took a cold and must spend the

NEW WINDSOR

Mrs. Russell Lambert and Mrs. Paul Kuhns are both on the sick list.
Mrs. W. Cora Stouffer entertained
the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church at her home on Wednesday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Adamson and son, of

Takoma Park, Md, spent the week-end here, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nusbaum. Mr. James Smith is having the

house he recently purchased from Mrs. Margaret Ensor shingled with white asbestos shingles which will add very much to its appearance Mr. McClure Rouzer, of Baltimore, visited his mother, Mrs. Jennie Myers

on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bower, of Taneytown, visited Mrs. B's parents here, on Saturday. Mrs. Lulu Smelser, Mr. Robert

Pilson and Mrs. J. C. Baumgardner, who have been sick for some time do

not improve.

The World's Day of Prayer will be

LOOMS AS SPEAKER



CALVERT C. MERRIKEN

The Denton attorney, who is a candidate for the First District Demo-cratic congressional nomination from the First District of Maryland, is being prominently mentioned as speaker of the House of Delegates for the proposed extra session of the Maryland Legislature. It is reported that the plans for calling the special that the plans for calling the special session in order to take up the soldier vote problem already are taking shape. Mr. Merriken, a World War veteran, is president of the Denton Chamber of Commerce. He is 56 years old and a son of Harry R. Merriken, of Federalsburg. (Reprint of The Wilmington Journal Every Evening, January 20, 1944).

WHAT HAPPENS TO CHILD MOVIE STARS?

For most juvenile movie stars it's a few big years, then screen oblivion A celebrated movie writer reveals how and why many children skyrocket to fame and fortune only to be forgotten. Don't miss this unusual story in the February 13th issue of The American Weekly printed in new size with the Baltimore Sunday American. Order from your news-

LETTER FROM DETROIT

As we are now allowed to write about the weather, we will start this letter by telling you about the kind we are having out here just now. All week the thermemeter has been telling us that the temperature has not been above the freezing point, and indeed as a neighbor of ours remarked, no one need go to California or Florida, if our weatherman keeps this attendance.
Raymond Louey and the Shreeve
Shriner family, Westminster, called
on Mrs. Flora Shriner on Sunday

Mrs. Arthur Gitt, R. D. 2, was discharged from the Annie M. Warner

Charged from the Annie M. Warner

Wrs. Harry Parr who has

The street of the records of the records of the Calendar and we feel that we are justified in bragging about it, as we notice people had gotten out their old sleighs and were enjoying winter sports. This winter, on the whole, has been quite a contrast to last year's, as then we had some pretty deep snows, and had to be constantly shoveling snow off the sidewalks, while, so far, no snow has fallen this month. Let us hope that this kind of weather continues, but have our doubts as to that, for our experience since living in Detroit tells us that we have the two worst months ahead of us in this line. Anyhow we are thankful for present favors, and hope for the best later on.

Although there is no doubt in their minds that the coming National Democratic Convention will be held Chicago, the leaders of that party are not letting up in their efforts to have that decision changed, and are still hard at work, trying to get pledges of money from the business men in order to offer something substantial toward bringing the Convention to Detroit. This city does not have much luck in this line, as for a num-ber of years, efforts have been made to have both parties select this city for a meeting place of their quadriennial big meeting, and have not as yet landed the prize, if indeed it is one.

We notice that Canada is one step ahead of us in the matter of saving steel, as they have this year decided to use a paper sticker on the wind shield, while the motorists in Michigan will be required to use only one plate, on the rear of their car but even then are helping to save a considerable amount of this most vital metal. Personally, we do not see why any change of plates need be made, and think that the folks in our neighboring country have made a step in the right direction.

Alarm clocks have been among the hardest articles to obtain, in our city, but the other day we noticed a queer sort of advertisement. One of the large stores stated that it would give free, as an inducement, a good alarm clock with every \$20.00 worth of We have not noticed that this offer brought in any extra trade, but we are wondering if the regular dealers in these clocks are not puzzled as to where this enterprising firm obtained so large a number of them that they could offer them as prem-

The efforts of the Union leaders to prevent the passage of any laws to com-pel them to make any reports to their receipts, seems to have been success-This seems to have been a foregone conclusion, as everyone who has followed the coddling of these organizations in the past must come to the conclusion that any such legislation would have been vetoed by their great friend. Our opinion is that such an organization should be as accountable as any other business, for a business it is just as sure as mer-

chandising, etc. The old question of compelling the railroads to erect gates at their crossing is still being debated by the City Council, and we make the guess that it will take a few more serious accidents at these places to bring the matter so near home that action will follow. Already a large number of

persons have been killed or injured by the lack of proper precautions. The last trial of participants in the riot of a few months ago, was finish-ed this week, with the conviction of three young Polish boys of being guilty of the murder of a young negro. Five of these young hoodlum's were tried and two found not guilty. Several more murders remain unsolved, and we are of the opinion that

they will remain so.
We have made mention in some of our previous letters, of the investigation that is being made into the rumored rottenness of the Wayne County representatives in the Legislature of 1935. Well, this inquiry is still going on, and has implicated almost all of these men, who of course protest that they are innocent. But the confession of one of the out-state representatives, late last week, makes almost every one, except the most partisan minded, believe that further research into this matter will show that a thorough attempt was made by the finance corporations to buy such legislation that would enable them to continue to charge the exor-bitant rates of interest that they had been getting out of those who, not able to obtain money they felt they needed, from regular banks, would apply to them for loans. As high as 40% was charged, in some cases, and we do not wonder that the Loan Companies were willing to pay large sums for the defeat of a law that would put a stop to such a lucrative business, especially as they were sure that the honor of these representatives was for sale. JOHN J. REID.

CANNING SUGAR NOW AVAILABLE

Housewives may now get five lbs. of canning sugar by using stamp No. 40 in War Ration Book Four, OPA has announced, and additional canning sugar later will be available on application to local boards. Stamp No. 40 will be good 13 months, through February 28, 1945.

-----Most cabbage waste-27 percentoccurs in trimming away outside leaves and discarding tender core. These parts actually have more mineral content than the blanched inner Eggplant should be peeled thin and vantage as a foundation or blanket stored in a cool, but not too dry place | for a baked meat dish or as an addi-

PROCEEDINGS ORPHANS' COURT

Alvah E. Young executor of the estate of Mollie C. Young, deceased, returned inventories of goods and chattels, real estate and current

Calvin E. Bankert and Jonas Sterling Zepp, executor of the estate of Jonas E. Heltibridle, deceased, settled their first and final administration account.

Horatio A. and Arthur F. Albaugh administrators d. b. n. of the estate of John Markle, deceased, returned inventory of real estate.

George H. Fringer, administrator of the estate of Dellia M. Fringer, deceased, returned inventories of good's and chattels and real estate.

Letters testamentary in the estate of Frances Cordelia Walsh, dceased, were granted unto William H. Walsh Charles C. Walsh and Paul J. Walsh, who received order to notify creditors warrants to appraise goods and chattels and real estate and returned inventory of debts due.

Allen C. Wiest, ancillary executor

of the estate of Louisa Kump, deceased, received order to sell real estate. Letters of administration on the estate of Minnie M. Allison, deceased, were granted unto Cora B. Witherow, who received order to notify creditors and warrant to appraise goods and chattels.

Sarah E. Arter, administratrix of the estate of Nahin Arter, deceased, returned inventories of goods and chattels and real estate, received order to sell and reported sale of goods

and chattels. Letters of administration on the estate of Andrew P. Frizzell, deceased, were granted unto Hollus V Gartrell, who received order to notify creditors and warrants to appraise goods and chattels and real estate.

J. Walter Thomas, administrator of A. Florence Thomas, deceased, settled his first and final account. Kathryn A. Trayer, administratrix of the estate of Catherine I. Kennedy, deceased, settled her first and final

Letters of administration on the estate of Ada S. McDaniel, deceased, were granted unto Dorothy M. Herr, who received order to notify creditors and returned inventory of debts due The last will and testament of John Edgar Myers, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary were granted unto John Edgar Myers Jr, and James Richard Myers, who received order to notify creditors and warrant to appraise goods and chattels and real estate.

The sale of real estate in the estate of Rufus W. Reaver, deceased, was finally ratified by the Orphans' Court. William Fridinger, infant, received order to witndraw funds.

-11-THE FIRE-FIGHTER

Staying at a boarding house, was a man not noted for his early rising. One morning about six o'clock he surprised the landlady by walking into the kitchen in his dressing gown, a small medicine glass in his hand. He asked for some water. She filled the glass and he returned to his room.

Three minutes later he returned, still yawning, with the same glass and the same request, and five minutes later he again asked her to fill the glass.

"Whatever is the matter," in-quired the landlady. "Aren't you well?"

The young man yawned. "I'm all right, but my-my room's

FAMILY PROVIDER



Bill—We're going to have a swell time tonight. I've got four seats for the movies.

Belle—Why do we need four seats? Bill-Two for your mother and father, and two for your little brothers, Jimmy and Billy.

Out of the Mouths-Johnny-See that snake, Rastus. I dare you to pick it up. Rastus-Not me, Ah ain't gwan to pick it up. Johnny-Don't you know God hates a coward? Rastus-Yeh, but Ah's suah he hates a fool worse!

English Slanguage Teacher—Can you give me a sentence using the name of the city 'Tuscaloosa''? Bright Boy - The difference be-

tween a young and old elephant is that in the old elephant the Tusca-

Something to Cry About! Auntie-What's the matter, Tom-Tom-Ma's gone and drowned all the kittens. Auntie-Oh, that's too bad. Tom-Yeh, she promised me I

'New Kind of Bomb,' Army Foot-Powder Can

could do it.

AN AMERICAN BOMBER STA-TION IN ENGLAND .- Lieut. Leonard F. Dawson of Lawrence, Kan., armament officer of this Fortress base, answered the telephone. An excited English voice said: "I say, I think we've found a new kind of bomb in a field."

Dawson went to the scene in a jeep. There stood a rural constable guarding a roped-off area. In the middle of it lay a small green tin can—an empty United States army foot-powder can.

ARCTIC TEST ROOM CLIMATE

Carroll County's record-breaking low temperature of 22 degrees below zero, which up to 1944 broke all previous records, was balmy compared with sub-zero temperatures recorded the year around at Lawrence Mass, in the Arctic room of the U.S. Army

Quartermaster Corps.
Created to test cold weather clothing for Uncle Sam's doughboys, this unique laboratory utilizes one of in-dustry's newest electronic devices, an electronic potentiometer developed by the Brown Instrument Co., of Phila-delphia, Pa., is was revealed. Each soldier volunteering for the

tests remains for hours at a time in the Arctic room, exposed to temperatures varying from 40 to 60 degrees below zero. During these test periods the new and ingenious electronic device is connected, it was stated, to a wired harness which each man wears under his clothing.

Temperatures at eight points on his body, beneath the clothing being electronically recorded in a matter of seconds by use of the Brown potentio-

MARRIED

HAIFLEY-UNGER

Miss Erma R. Unger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse D. Unger, of Westminster R. 1, and Pvt. Herbert L. Haifley, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Haifley, Taneytown R. 2, were united in marriage Monday evening, January 31, at the United Brethren Parsonage, Taneytown, by the Rev. Arthur W. Garvin. The bride wore a light blue dress with brown accessories. Mrs. Haifley, is a graduate of the Taneytown High School Class of '42 and is employed. School, Class of '42 and is employed at the Taneytown Manufacturing Co. The groom is home on a 13-day fur-lough and is stationed at Camp Rucker, Alabama, in the 98th Division of the Engineer Corps.

DIED.

Obituaries, poetry and resolutions, charged for at the rate of five cents per line.

The regular death notices published free.

EILEEN GRACE REEVER

Eileen Grace Reever daughter of Cletus and Marie Beaver Reever, died Monday, Jan. 31 at the Hanover Hospital, after being a patient there for three weeks. Besides her parents she is survived by a sister, Rebecca Louise at home, also her grand parents, John W. and Margaret Reever, Harney; two great-grand-parents, George A. Reever, Harney, and Mary Gorden, Gettysburg. Services were held Wednesday meeting at the late home at 2 o'clock, then at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Harney. The Rev. Herbert H. Schmidt was the pastor, assisted by the Rev. Rex, of Gettysburg. Burial was made in Mountain View cemetery, in Harney. Pallbearers were, Milton Reaver, Charles Everhart, Elwood Strickhouser, and Earl Welty.

ELI C. FOGLE

Eli C. Fogle died at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fogle, 418½ W. King St., York, Pa., Wednesday, February 2, 1944, after an illness of 3 weeks.

He was 77 years old.

He was the husband of the late Matilda Fogle and is survived by four children, Mrs. Effie Otto, York; Mrs. Helen Dennler, of Baltimore; Charles Fogle, of York, and Mrs. Julia Johnson, of Baltimore. He is further survived by nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren, and two sisters, Mrs. Florence Naud, of Morgantown, W. Va, a Adler, of Frederick. Va, and Mrs. Esther

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 1 P. M. at the Etzweiler Funeral Home, 732 E. Market St., York. Interment will be made in Haugh's church cemetery.

JOHN T. LEMMON

John Thomas Lemmon, Hanover, died Saturday afternoon at the Hanover General Hospital, where he had been a patient for eight days and had been a patient for eight days and had undergone an operation. He was aged 64 years. Mr. Lemmon was a son of the late George Washington and Mary Ann Halter Lemmon, and was born December 6, 1879. He had been employed by the Tritzel Baking Company, York. Years ago he was a farm implement dealer in Taneytown and Harney.

town and Harney.
Surviving are his wife, who before marriage was Elenora Catherine Bowers; ten children, Mrs. Irene Homan, Eastport, Long Island, N. Y.; Mrs. Ethel Shriver, New Oxford R. D.; Mrs. Vada Weigle, Westminster, Md; Mrs. Blanche Welk, Taneytown; Cpl. Geo. F. Lemmon, Camp Breckinridge, Ky; Pfc. Kenneth L. Lemmon serving with the United States Army overseas; the United States Army overseas; Seaman Fred W. Lemmon, serving in the United States Navy; Mrs. Verna Herman, Miss Naomi Lemmon and Theron Lemmon, at home; fourteen grandchildren; one great-grandchild, grandchildren; one great-grandchild, and the following brothers and sisters William Lemmon, Littlestown; David Lemmon, Pittsburgh; Jesse Lemmon, Waynesboro; Mrs. Allen Eppley, Littlestown; Herbert R. Lemmon, Hanover; Mrs. William Renner, Littlestown; Grover Lemmon, Baltimore; Mrs. Elwood Harmon, Westminster R. D. 7; Mrs. Earl Young, Westminster; Mrs. Curtis Flohr, Gettysburg. The funeral was held Wednesday morning with services conducted at the W. A. Feiser Funeral Home, Han-over. The Rev. A. W. Garvin, pastor of the United Brethren Church, Tan-

officiated; interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery, Taneytown. CARD OF THANKS

eytown, and the Rev. George C. Daugherty, pastor of Lohr's Memorial United Brethren Church, Hanover,

We take this way to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all those who helped in any way while our daughter Eileen was in the hospital and after her death. We especially want to thank the blood donors, and those who sent cards ard flowers. Their acts of sympathy were

greatly appreciated. MR. and MRS. CLETUS REEV-ER and DAUGHTER.

SPECIAL NOTICES

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CHURCH NOTICES.

This column is for the free use of all charches, for a brief announcement of services. Please do not elaborate. It is always understood that the public is invited to services.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Taneytown, Rev. Arthur W. Murphy, pastor. Masses: Sunday, 8:00 and 10:00 A. M.; Holy Days, 6:00 and 8:00 A. M.; Week days, 7:30 A. M.; Sunday evening, 7:30, Novena Miraculous

St. Mary's Reformed Church, Silver Run—Sunday School, at 9:00 A. M.; Morning Worship, at 10:30 A. M.; Christian Endeavor, 6:30; Worship, at 7:36 P. M. alternate Sundays.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Taneytown—Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.; Worship, 10:30 A. M.; Luther League, 6:30 P. M.; Worship, 7:30. Tom's Creek M. E. Church, Rev.

Dean Kessler, Pastor. 10 A. M Morning Worship, Sunday School Keysville Lutheran Church—Wor-ship, 9 A. M.; Sunday School, 10:00 A. M.

Reformed Church, Taneytown.— Sunday School, at 9:30 A. M.; Morn-ing Worship, at 10:30; Christian En-deavor, (Senior and Junior) at 6:45

Keysville-Sunday School, at 1:00; Worship, at 2.

Taneytown Charge of the United Brethren in Christ Church, A. W. Garvin, Minister. Taneytown—S. S., Garvin, Minister. Taneytown—S. S., 9:30 A. M.; Worship, 10:30 A. M.; Sr. C. E., 6:30 P. M.; Wednesday, Jr. C. E., 4:00 P. M.; Wednesday, 7:30 P. M., Bible Study and Prayer Service, "Faith in the Guidance of the Holy Spirit."

Harney—S. S., 6:30 P. M.; Worship 7:30 P. M.

Pipe Creek Methodist Charge, Rev Paul F. Warner, pastor. Uniontown Morning Worship, 9:15; Sunday S., 10:30 A. M.; Evening Worship, 8:00, conducted by the Youth Fellowship. Book Review, Chapter II, "Strong as the People," by Miss Rayona Hurley. Special music.

Piney Creek Presbyterian Church, Rev. Charles S. Owen, pastor. 9:30
A. M., Service of Worship and sermon; 10:30 A. M., S. S.

Taneytown Presbyterian Church—

7:30 P. M., Service of Worship and sermon. 10 A. M., S. S.

Church of God, Uniontown, Rev. John H. Hoch, pastor. Uniontown—Sunday School, 9:30. Mr. Edward Caylor, Supt. Preaching Service, at 10:30. Theme: "The Second Epistle to Timothy". Evening Service, 7:30. Theme: "Romans Ten." Prayer Meeting on Wednesday evening, at 7:30.

ing on Wednesday evening, a Leader, Mrs. Ruby Haines.
Wakefield—Sunday School, 1:30.
Mr. James Staub, Supt. Mr. Charles
Schaffer will teach the lesson. Preaching Service at 2:30; C. E., Sunday ing Service at 2:30; C. E., Sunday evening, 7:30. Miss Dorothy Barber,

Pres. Frizellburg—Sunday School, 10 A. M. Mr. Scott Sullivan, Supt.

Manchester Evangelical and Re-

Manchester Evangelical and Reformed Charge, Manchester—S. S., at 9:30; Worship, 10:30; C. E., 6:45; Catechise, Saturday, aat 2. Lineboro—Worship, at 1:00; S. S., at 2:00; Catechise, Saturday at 10 A. M., at the home of Marion Kaltrider. Snydersburg—S. S., at 1:30; Worship, at 2:30

ship, at 2:30. Mr. E. Myers Alcorn, a student of the ministry will conduct worship at the three Churches.

An election for pastor will be held 1-21-3t | at the three ch of worship. This will be conducted by Mr. Alcorn and the several mem-

The Joint Consistory will meet in adjourned session to count the ballots and issue a call to pastor elect in event of majority vote on Sunday evening 7:30 in Trinity Church, Man-

---CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Spirit" will be the subject of the Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Febru-

ary 6th.

The Golden Text will be from Gal. 5:5—"We through the Spirit wait for the hope of righteousness by

Among the citations comprising the Lesson-Sermon will be the following from the Bible—Lev. 19:31—"Regard not them that have familiar spirits, neither seek after wizards to be defiled on them; I am the Lord your God."

your God."

The Lesson-Sermon also will include passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, among which is the following page 70—"The supposition that corporeal beings are applicable on the theory are good and spirits, or that there are good and evil spirits, is a mistake."

Gas Lamer Adjustment

Question: We have hot air heat and burn gas. When the basement air is cold the gas flame is blue, but as the basement becomes heated, the flame is red. How can we improve this condition?

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Answer: A blue flame indicates correct adjustment of the burner, while a red flame shows that the air supply is insufficient. Consult your gas company.

Cleaning Sidewalks Question: Is there some kind of a solution that I can use to wash

my front porch and sidewalk? Answer: I presume the porch floor is of concrete or stone. If so, scrub the floor and sidewalk with a strong solution of trisodium phosphate or washing soda, about a cupful in a pail of hot water. Rinse with clear water. Scouring powder, in addition to the solution, may be necessary on stubborn spots. Badly stained areas may need special treatment. depending on the nature of the stain.

Lights of New York by L. L. STEVENSON

Happy days are here again for those who live by tips-and the number is legion in New York. Headwaiters once more know the feeling of the \$20 note and some captains of waiters average from \$100 to \$200 weekly in gratuities. Doormen, porters, bellboys and waiters are all experiencing a new prosperity. Taxi drivers have bank accounts. The bootblack gets his extra dime. There was a long, hard pull when a dollar tip was something about which to boast. War has changed all that. Spenders are once more on the loose and where there are spenders, are tips. True the Golden Age (for tip recipients) when a play boy would slip an orchestra leader \$500 just to hear his favorite tune, hasn't re-turned and Canada's Harry F. Mc-Lean hasn't distributed \$50 and \$100 bills here as yet, but enough silver and greenbacks are thrust into palms to satisfy the itching.

Taxi drivers, who in prewar days would often earn only about \$20 a week unless their luck was good, now average that in tips. They'll still accept a dime gratuity, but only grudgingly. Just why a New York taxi driver should be tipped isn't quite clear. Nine times out of ten, the passenger has to open and close the door himself. But the driver expects-and gets-a tip just the same. There has been some trouble with outsiders who thought that when they paid what the meter registered, they had satisfied all obligations. To keep from being "skunked," drivers have adopted a formula. This usually consists of "You know it's customary to tip in New York." That always brings results. In many cases these results are double what they usually are because of the embarrassment of the one so reminded.

While bellboys are doing all right again after a lean period which set in right after the First World war, what they are making today is nothing compared to the first 15 years of the century, according to Albert Stevens Crockett of the Biltmore, whose memory of New York's past is fertile. In a recent article in Hotel Gazette he tells how a sharp-witted youngster could make more money than an assistant hotel manager. Tips of a dollar to a fivespot were frequent. "Of course," writes Mr. Crockett, "not all tippers were as extravagant as the German count who once gave a bellboy at the Waldorf \$50 for bringing to his room a 35-cent whisky and soda. Nor were all tippees as fortunate as some of the bellboys who were put on the coatracks on festive nights.

"One such who is still hereabouts though he has long since ceased checking coats," continues Mr. Crockett, "tells me that on a New Year's morning after a particularly hilarious evening, he left the hotel with his pockets so weighted down with \$5 gold pieces that he gave a news dealer one, instead of a twocent piece, for a morning paper. Didn't discover his mistake until that when the news dealer, who rterno knew him, called at the hotel and showed him the half eagle. Then there were the bellboys who would collect from a dollar to five dollars just for providing some show-off with a couple of gold chairs at a Waldorf Sunday night concert."

Night club tip-takers are also getting theirs-they always have, but now it comes in bigger chunks. An out-of-town friend informed me that when he tried to get a reservation for a well-known room he was told it was sold out for two weeks ahead. He ended with a ringside table-but the location cost him three \$10 tips. Waiter captains frequently increase their income by taking holders of reservations to undesirable tables. Money changes hands and the location is improved. Sometimes to do this, the captain has to switch a "reserved" card to another table. But a big enough tip will quiet his conscience. Incidentally, those who Estate, at Kump's Station. Real obtain ringside tables aren't sure of keeping them. They aren't movedmore tables are merely brought in and placed in front of them.

Railroads have denied emphatically that there is a black market in reservations. It seems that they are making sincere attempts to make | 15-12 o'clock. Elmer C. and Maude this a fact. But a traveler in from the West coast told me he had started with a lower berth and by slipping \$20 to the "right person" he had ridden in a compartment. Florida-bound travelers also claim that if the "right person" is compensated they can get accommodations even on sold-out trains. Sometimes the "right person" is a hotel porter. Sometimes, he isn't. But in each case, there is a fee. Be all that as it may, happy days are here again for those who live by tips.

Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features.

Vet Gets 25th Letter

From Yank He Saved

NEW YORK .- Robert S. MacCormack added another letter to a stack of 24 he has received annually for the last quarter of a century from Harry D. Parkin of Los Angeles, whose life he saved on a battlefield in France in World War I. In his 25th letter, Parkin wrote

as follows: "I am very grateful for the 25

years of life which, except for you, I wouldn't have."

Woman Takes Jobs With Eye to Loot

Habitual Thief With Record Given Another Term.

LONDON.-"In telling you how long you are to go away again, it is only like telling you to go home, because prison must indeed be home to you, and no amount of punishment seems to have the slightest effect."

With these words Justice Cassels, at Lewes, England, sent Maude Harrison, alias Kathleen Abbott, 50 years old, to penal servitude for three years, to be followed by five years' probation.

Miss Harrison, a tall, bespectacled woman, had pleaded guilty to stealing property belonging to women with whom she had stayed at Bexhill and Sidley, and also to being an habitual criminal. She asked for 45 outstanding offenses to be taken into consideration.

In the calendar she was described as a cook, and Superintendent Simmons said that during the last 281/2 years she had spent 25 years in custody, and twice previously she had been convicted of being an habitual criminal.

In all parts of the country, Miss Harrison had obtained situations as a domestic helper, and she had been employed at many well-known restaurants in London.

The superintendent added that she had confessed that she obtained those positions only for the purpose of robbing her employers.

When apprehended by the police at Bexhill, the woman was alleged to have said: "I have given you a good run for the last 14 months." During that period she had not done a stroke of work.

Mr. Harold Brown, defending, said his client had told him that he could not say anything in her favor.

Before she disappeared from public view for another eight years, the judge told her: "Your occupation is to prey on the public and you have often robbed people who could ill afford to lose their property."

Burning Ashes

Question: Is there a saving of coal when I wet the ashes and burn them again and form clinkers, or should I not use the ashes again?

Answer: Ashes should not be placed on a fire. They will not only dampen the fire, but the formation of clinkers will certainly do the furnace no good. If you wish to be thrifty, the ashes might be sifted and the unburned coal picked out and reused.

Repointing Brickwork

Question: I have been told that lime should be added to cement and sand for repointing brickwork. If this is so, what is the proportion?

Answer: Yes, the addition of lime makes a smooth and workable mortar mixture. The usual proportions are one part portland cement, one part hydrated lime and five parts clean, coarse building sand. . . .

Rough Drawing Board

Question: I would like to have your advice on smoothing the rough ened surface of a drawing board. It was roughened by a pocket knife to give a better bond between the wood and rendering paper.

Answer: If the wood has been deeply gouged, the surface of the board will have to be planed, then sanded with a medium coarse sandpaper, and for a final smoothing use a "0" or "00" sandpaper. If there are no deep gouges in the board, sandpapering should be sufficient.

SALE REGISTER

Sales for which this office does printing or advertising, will be inserted under this heading (4 lines free of charge) Charge for sale register alone, \$1.50 until date of sale. Notices longer than 4 lines must be paid for extra.

FEBRUARY

Estate. Earl Bowers, Auct.

MARCH

- 11—12 o'clock. John Study, near Pleasant Valley. Live Stock, Farm Implements and Household Goods. Earl Bowers, Auct.
- M. Krise, near Kumps Station. Live Stock, Farm Implements and Howsehold Goods. Harry Trout Auct.
- mile south of Emmitsburg. Live Stock, Farming Implements and Household Goods. Earl Bowers,
- 16-12 c'clock. Charles Bridinger, 1 mile east of Harney. Live Stock, Farm Implements and Household Goods. Earl R. Bowers, Auct.

17-12 o'clock. S. O. Thomas,

- Keymar-Taneytown road. Live Stock and Implements. Earl Bowers, Auct. 22-11 o'clock. Paul M. Halter, Halter's Mill. Live Stock, Farm Implements and Mill Tools.
- Harry Trout, Auct 25-12 o'clock. Stanley Horner, of near Tyrone. Live Stock and Implements. Earl R. Bowers,
- 30—10 o'clock. John S. Teeter, Taneytown-Littlestown road. Live Stock and Implements. Earl Bowers, Auct.

FIRST-AID AILING HOUSE By ROGER B. WHITMAN

Roger B. Whitman--WNU Features. MUSTY SMELL

Question: We live in a very old garage flat over a clean private garage. The woodwork, however, is very old, and the windows high and not suited to cross ventilation. There is a musty smell in the house that is present in some old houses, although the place is not damp. We have a gas furnace and there is nothing to cause this odor except aged woodwork. Can you suggest some deodorant to overcome this condition? We have more trouble in

summer than in winter. Answer: Where there is a musty smell of that kind you may suspect rotting wood somewhere. It would be well to make a thorough examination to see if any of the timbers or parts of a building are damp, or if there is leakage. In the meantime you can clear up much of the odor with special preparations that are on the market for just this purpose. Inquire at your hardware or drug store. One or two saucers of household ammonia would also sweeten the air. You can help the ventilation along by placing an electric fan on the floor, blowing toward an open door or window.

Champagne Launching Staggers Kaiser Boat

RICHMOND, CALIF.—Purely for fun, officials at Henry J. Kaiser's Permanente shipyard "No. 4F" built, launched and delivered a sturdy and seaworthy vessel, the USS Doodlebug, in just 10 minutes.

The Doodlebug is a flat-bottom skiff, eight feet from stem to stern. The craft needed slight repairs right off. Her bow was bruised by the one-pint champagne launching.

Minus Arm, He Runs Farm And Works in War Plant

CLEVELAND, OHIO.—Despite the loss of an arm, William H. White. an expediter at the Fisher Body bomber plant, not only holds down his full-time war job but runs a 54-acre farm. His farm chores include care of two cows, two horses and 150 chickens and he does all the planting, plowing and harvesting without help.

Prove It's Women's World-Even in Army

BLYTHE, CALIF .- It's a wom an's world-even in the army. For 10 weeks the WAC detachment has come in first among all Blythe army air base units in weekly squadron inspections. Then the WACs wanted to compete in a drill contest-and won that, too. The war bond contest ended the other day. The WACs,

naturally, were first.

Warped Table Leaf

Question: How can I straighten out a one-hundred-year-old mahogany table leaf that has become warped? It is three-fourths inch thick, 14 inches wide and 3 feet 6 inches long. It has been planed and finished with linseed oil and shellac.

Answer: For such a very choice piece it would be best to entrust it to an experienced cabinet maker, or someone else who has had experience. A home method would be to lay the leaf in a space where it can remain for several days. Rest it on blocks of wood with the concave side up. Place weights of about 50 pounds on the high ends of the warped corners; you can use large books for this. After several days the piece should straighten, and the other way. should be allowed to bend slightly

Coating Wallpapers

Question: I wonder if shellacking Chinese wallpaper, which has a cloth base, would make it washable. Is it a mistake to shellac ordinary

wallpaper? Answer: Pure white shellac can be used satisfactorily, but I would prefer coating wallpaper with what is known as a water-clear, white dammar varnish. Wallpapers of any type will last longer when coated with varnish or shellac.

Know Your Butter! Harry-If the back end of a Billy

goat was in Minnesota and the front end was in Iowa, in what state would you milk it? Jerry-No state. A Billy goat

doesn't milk! Rest in Peace

Johnny-Mom, what will become of all those flowers on the altar? Mother-They will be given to those who are sick at the close of the services.

Tommy-My mother told me to

Our Sunday School Teacher-Now, how many of you want to go to heaven? Don't you. Tommy?

come right home after school. Papa Dionne Mr. Blue-How's the wife? Mr. Black - Not so well, she's

you've got now? FEET OF CLAY

Mr. Blue-Gee, how many is that



'Figures don't lie." "They're not supposed to. They are simply raw material in the hands of the expert."

Cream of the Crop Customer-Why are all the big apples on the top of the basket? Grocer-Well, ma'am, you never

saw cream on the bottom of the

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All other Fraternities and organizations are invited to use this directory, for the public information it carries. Cost for one year, only \$1.50.

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Window Service Opens Window Service Closes Lobby Service Closes 7:15 A. M. 6:00 P. M. 8:00 P. M. MAIL CLOSE MAIL CLOSE
Star Route, York, North
Train, Frederick, South
Train, Hanover, North
Star Route, Frederick, South
Star Route, York, North
Taneytown-Keymar 1-M
Taneytown Route 1
Taneytown Route 2 8:25 A. M. 9:25 A. M. 2:05 A. M. 3:23 P. M. 6:00 P. M. 8:10 A. M. 8:10 A. M.

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JOHN O. CRAPSTER, Postmaster.

No Window Service or Rural Carriers on Legal Holidays. Holidays for Rural Carriers are: New Year's Day; Washington's Birthday; Me-morial Day, May 30; July 4th; Labor Day, 1st. Monday in September; Armistice Day, November 11: Thanksgiving Day and Christmas. When a holiday falls on Sun-day, the following Monday is observed.



• In 1928 Dr. Franz Miltner, an Austrian archaeologist, unearthed a tomb which gave the legend of the Seven Sleepers some basis of fact. Dig a little and discover the Seven Sleeping answers to the questions below and then check for your score and your rating.

(1) One of the following men is not a radio comedian: (a) Jack Benny; (b) Ken Murray; (c) Red Skelton; (d) Eddy Spenser.



(2) The device for carrying milk pails shown above is called (a) milkman's bar; (b) yoke; (c) carrier; (d) shoulder hoist. (3) Atlantic City's famous steel pier is known throughout the nation. But is it in the state of (a) Dela ware; (b) New Jersey; (c) Pennsylvania; (d) Maryland?

(4) If a doctor told you a friend of yours had dementia praecox would he have (a) a diseased mind; (b) aching stomach; (c) wrenched ankle; (d) spinal trouble? (5) Antonius Stradivarius was a famous (a) mathematician; (b) physicist; (c) Roman gen-

eral; (d) maker of violins. (6) Kangaroos are found on only one continent (a) Europe; (b) Africa; (c) Australia; (d) South America.

(7) In the Boer war, the principal belligerents were (a) the British and French; (b) the Chinese and Russians; (c) the Dutch and the English; (d) the Germans and the Danes.

"GUESS AGAIN" ANSWERS



Roger B. Whitman-WNU Features.

'MISSION' FINISH

Question: Please tell me how a black "mission" finish can be removed from an oak dining room

Answer: First, the varnish or other finish must be taken off. This can be done with varnish remover, which will soften the finish. Scrape and wipe off thoroughly, and fol-low with benzene to take off every trace of the remover. Provide plenty of ventilation, as these liquids are inflammable and very strong smelling. Be careful of fire. Instead of the commercial remover you can soften the finish with a hot solution of three pounds of trisodium phosphate in a gallon of water. Rinse off afterward with clear water. The dark "mission" stain can then be bleached out with a prepared wood bleach, to be had at a well-stocked paint store. (This may also take out the natural wood color of the table.) Follow the printed instructions carefully. When dry, smooth the wood with very fine sandpaper and wipe off the dust. Consult the paint dealer about the finish that you will decide on-oil stain, varnish stain, or whatever you prefer.

SUMP PUMP

Question: We would like to know how-to keep our sump pump clean. The refuse from the laundry tubs



is all that drains into it. After each laundering, I flush it several times and put some bleach into it. Even so, scum forms on the sides.

Answer: Try scrubbing off the scum with a strong solution of ammonia and hot water, then rinse with clear water. A handful of borax in each tubful of laundry water may help to prevent the formation of scum, particularly if the water in your locality is hard.

Signed Contract

By MEREDITH SCHOLL Associated Newspapers. WNU Features.

WELDON PALMER could never hope to be as great a salesman as Dana Bowen. That was too much like reaching for a star. To begin with, Dana was tall and fine looking, and possessed one of those winning magnetic personalities. Couple this with an easy flow of words, the ability to drive home his arguments with persuasive phrases, and emphatic gestures, and you have your super-salesman.

But despite everything, including his meekness, his limited vocabulary, his shyness, his unimpressive manner, his negative personality-Weldon cherished an ambition. He wanted to be a good salesman. He wanted to be almost as much as he wanted Martha Coman to like him. He felt grateful to Mr. Dempsey for keeping him on the sales staff. It never occurred to him to resent Dana Bowen's smirking remarks. And despite the fact that it hurt when Martha seemed to be amused at Dana's kidding him, he was even willing to withstand that.

Martha Coman was Old Man Dempsey's private secretary. She was a good secretary and had made herself invaluable to him. Therefore, she wasn't very much surprised when one day he called her into his office and confessed anxiety regarding the Good Value Stores'

"Weldon Palmer could fix it." Mr. Dempsey swung around, and there was on his face an expression that might have been the prologue to either a burst of anger or hi-

Before the old man could adjust his senses, Martha said, "I know just the kind of a man Mr. Gorsey is, and I know just the kind of a man Weldon Palmer is. I've been watching him a long time." She paused, flushed, hurried on. "I mean, he's always wanted a chance like this. He wants to be a salesman, but everyone laughs at him. Why, I suspect he thinks even I do. But I don't. And I think if he were given a chance he'd make good"

Mr. Dempsey stared and gulped incredulously. "Miss Coman, are you sure you know what you're saying?" Old Man Dempsey sat down with

a thud. Ten minutes later he rang for Weldon Palmer. And afterwards -long afterwards-folks in the outer office recalled a curious expression on Weldon's face when he emerged from the boss' den.

At any rate, a week later Weldon burst into the Dempsey Food Products, Inc., and his face was beam-No one paid him much attention, because it had become habit never to pay the meek little man much attention, unless someone were making him the butt of a joke.

And so the fact that Weldon's shyness, and meekness and unimpressiveness had fallen from him like a mask, was overlooked until a quarter of an hour later, at which time Old Man Dempsey appeared at the door of his private office and announced that the contract for the Good Value stores had been secured, and Weldon Palmer had secured it.

Behind the closed door of Old Man Dempsey's private office, the head of the organization sat at his desk and looked across at his private secretary.

"I can't understand it," he was saying, and there was still a perplexed look in his eyes. "It seems

too impossible."
"That," she said, "is because you never stopped to analyze the situation, Mr. Dempsey. Haven't you ever wondered why it was that you kept Mr. Palmer on your staff at

Old Man Dempsey nodded. "You bet I have. I've been on the point of firing him more times than one. And every time it's ended with me taking pity on him and hiring him I've always kicked myself back. for being too sentimental about

Miss Coman's eyes twinkled. "It isn't sentiment, Mr. Dempsey. It's because Mr. Palmer is a good sales-He knows how to listen. He's the only man on your staff to whom you can blow off steam without being insulting. That's why you never fired him, because he just sits and listens to everything you have to say and never offers an argument or an excuse. There isn't much you can do to a man like that.

"That's why I suggested giving him the Gorsey assignment. Mr. Gorsey is a man not unlike yourself. He likes to blow off steam. An ordinary salesman would get him mad by arguing and trying to explain the merits of our products. Well-Mr. Palmer simply listened to him and then asked for the contract
—and got it."

Mr. Dempsey arose. "Just a minute, Miss Coman." He coughed. "It's just occurred to me that your interest in young Palmer seems a bit more than-er-ordinary. Might I

ask what lies behind it all?" Martha Coman shook her head. "Nothing," she said brightly. "Nothing-yet. However, Mr. Palmer has asked me out to dinner tonight. It seems he's been wanting to take me out to dinner for a long time, but has just summoned up the courage to ask." She paused. "I expect he will ask me a question and then plan on spending the evening listen-ing. Of course," her eyes twinkled, "a great deal will depend upon the nature of the question."

Homespun Philosophy

MINUTE MEN

I read by the paper that the Minute Men dined at Clear Ridge Inn. As I read the item I had a queer sensation. I felt that this was the Swan Song of a fine group of men. A home guard, so to speak. Some one that would grab anything from an air rifle to a 30-cal, high powered deer gun and go out to shoot Hitler in the East and Tojo in the West. It was a noble idea, only Hitler didn't come to the East, nor is Tojo coming to the West. There were two men standing in the path of those two fanatics, Eisenhower and McArthur. They didn't get past them.

Minute Men—what a glamorous name. It goes back to the birth of our nation. On the night of April 18, 1775 General Gage, then governor of Massachusetts, sent troops to seize the powder which the provincials had collected at Concord. At the same time they were to arrest John Hancock and Samuel Adams as traitors.
They had taken refuge with preacher Jonas Clark of Lexington. But, Paul Revere galloped ahead of the British troops and aroused the farmers along the way. When the British column reached Lexington, they found a company of "Minute Men" on the village green under Captain Parker. The British moiore Bitains and area the British major Pitcairn ordered the "rebels" to disperse. Suddenly, a volley of musket shot rang out, leaving eight minute men dead or dying on the green. The British marched n. Reaching Concord, troops were stopped at Concord Bridge, by the minute men.

It took courage for those farmers to stand up before an army of trained soldiers. I, for one, never questioned the courage of our present day minute men. But they weren't going to be as unprepared as were those of 1775. So about a thousand men of all walks of life, throughout Carroll County, banded themselves together, took the oath of service to their country, drilled once a week, and learned to shoot straight. Hitler and Tojo

The Governor says there is no danger from Hitler and Tojo, so the swan song. Of course it could be argued that there are others dangers poking up their nasty heads. But who am I, Ezra, humble philosopher, to argue with the Governor. However, let me say here, I think the Governor missed a big chance.

Diversifies Agriculture Cuba, with aid from the United

States, is increasing production of food crops and making wartime strides toward diversification of agriculture, long centered on sugar.

For many years, the name of Cuba has been linked with the production of raw sugar, leaf and manufactured tobacco, chiefly for the United States market. Sugar, even more than tobacco, rules the economic life of Cuba and makes it prosperous or unsuccessful according to the price, the competition of other producing areas, and tariffs in the importing countries.

But the growing of peanuts and food crops for local consumption is increasing. This follows the hemisphere-wide trend toward larger food production and the growing of new crops to meet war-generated demand. In strategic materials, for instance, Cuba is experimenting in the development of fibers to help offset the Western hemisphere's loss of fiber imports from the Far East.



FEBRUARY 5—Harlan F. Stone appointed associate justice of the Supreme Court, 1925. 6-U. S. declares war on Tripoli, 1802.

7—America and Britain agree to protect fur seals in north Atlantic, 1911 8—Boy Scouts organized,

9—Dept. of Agriculture was made a cabinet office, 1889. Texas oil boom begins in Beaumont, 1901.

11—Jefferson and Burr tie for electoral presidential vote, 1802. Way Service False Armistice

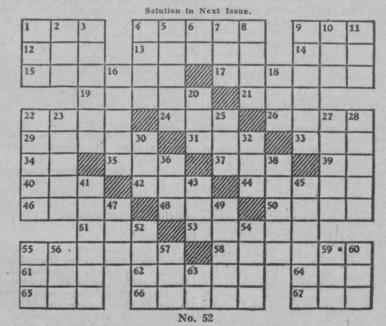
Eifteen minutes after midnight on November 7, 1918, a news agency announced the signing of a truce and by 11 a. m., it was known throughout the nation. A wildly joyful populace staged day-long celebrations. At 2:15 the state department issued an official denial, but, reluctant to accept the unpalatable truth, the people this time spread the news slowly. Actually the real truce was in preparation and the true Armistice was signed on November 11, 1918, at 5 a. m. (French time). Cessation of operations occurred six hours later and at 2:15 p. m. (EST) on November 11 the state department made the an nouncement.

Don't Be Charged With Non-Support





Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL 1 To soak 4 Hallowed

person 9 Rodent 12 Period 13 Church official 14 Peer Gynt's 15 Written official agreement

17 Fencing term 19 Part of the 21 Prefix: three 22 Son of Adam 24 To bow 26 Back of neck 29 Lustrous

textile fiber 31 Part of "to be 33 Gaelic seagod 34 Siberian river 35 Negative 37 Public conveyance 39 Toward

40 Encountered 42 Strife 44 Fabulously rich man 46 Landed 48 Pikelike fish 50 Heelless slipper

53 Mexican gentleman • 55 Persian governor 58 Pertaining to a dog 61 First woman

62 Mammal related to the monkeys 64 Untried 65 Music: three 66 To accustom 67 Teamster's cry

9 Characteristic of 'descent 10 Timber tree 11 Mound HEAR

VERTICAL

2 Anglo-Saxon

money

3 To hold a

4 To leak

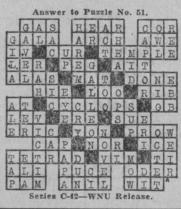
7 To yield

8 To jog

conference

5 Man's name

6 European fish



16 Claw 18 Vase 20 Having little elevation 22 Odor

23 Biblical tower 25 Small portion 27 Corolla leaf 28 Eaten away 30 At once

32 Total 36 Label 38 Simpleton 41 To giggle 43 Ethiopian title

45 Within the time of 47 Sticky

substance 49 To happen again 52 Sacred Buddhistic language 54 Son of Loki 55 To place

56 Hail! 57 To write 59 By birth 60 Female sheep 63 Greek letter

UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

CUNDAY CHOOL Lesson

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for February 6

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JESUS FEEDS THE MULTITUDES

LESSON TEXT—Mark 6:35-44; 8:1-9.
GOLDEN TEXT—I am the bread of life: he that cometh to me shall never hunger; and he that believeth on me shall never thirst.—John 6:35.

Hungry! That word describes the crying need of the greater part of the world's population. Men who have vaunted themselves because of their ability and ingenuity have brought the nations of the earth into such awful confusion that even God's abundant provision cannot reach the needy ones.

God is concerned about man's physical need just as truly as He is about spiritual needs. This story brings Christianity into action on a level that all will appreciate—the need of food for the body. It works there as it does everywhere.

The supply of every need of man is God. "My God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus" (Phil. 4:19). Countless Christians have found it to be true that we may trust Godcompletely-and for everything.

The stories of the feeding of the two groups of people show the wrong and the right attitude toward man's need. In two approaches to the problem the disciples were wrong. Then Christ showed them the right

I. They Can Take Care of Their Own Need (6:35, 36).

"Send them away"—that was the plea of the disciples when the multitude of those who had followed Him became hungry. The people were there because they were interested in Christ. They had come in a hurry (v. 33) and had not brought food. The problem was on the disciples' hands, and they sought the easiest way out. Let them shift for themselves-"Send them away."

The church has followed their example in dealing with the social problems of the people down through the years. The result is that being denied fellowship, comfort, and help by a church which was too busy building up a vast organization or a beautiful order of worship, the common people have responded to the appeal of political leaders who have provided a substitute for what the church should have given them.

When Jesus put upon them the direct responsibility to feed the people, the disciples changed their "slogan"

and said: II. We Should Like to Help, but

We Cannot (6:37). Reckoning hastily on what a small boy had brought for his lunch (trust an alert boy to be ready!), the disciples soon demonstrated that it was impossible to feed this great (See similar reasoning in throng.

Logic is such a devastating thing when it operates apart from faith in God. They were absolutely right in their reasoning and in their calculations, but they had forgotten the one factor that really counted. Jesus was there, and Jesus is God, and God is omnipotent.

As we face the need of the world now and after the war, we wonder how the peoples of other lands can be fed without depriving our own land of what it needs. It is a great problem, and we ought to pray for those who must work with it.

But let us not forget that all that we have comes from God, and that He is able to do "exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think" (Eph. 3:20). The Christ who multiplied the loaves and fishes is our Living Lord today, and ready and able to do it again.

III. Jesus Said, "I Have Compassion on the Multitude" (6:38-44;

He started right. Instead of shutting His heart against the tender desire to help, He let His love for the people control. Then instead of magnifying the difficulties, He multiplied the provisions. And lo, there was enough for all, and to spare.

"He commanded . . and they did all eat" (vv. 39, 42). When God speaks, all the limitations of the finite disappear, and the needs of men are fully met—with "twelve baskets full of fragments" left over!

Note the orderly manner in which our Lord met this situation. Five thousand men, with women and children to swell the throng, were seated on the grass. Jesus took the loaves and fishes and blessed them. You who forget to return thanks at the table, notice that quiet and meaningful act. Then He broke the loaves and divided the fishes. No doubt othey were multiplied as the disciples passed them out to the

God is able to do that very thing even in our day. Perhaps not in just the same manner, but surely those who serve Him have marveled as they have seen that "little is much when God is in it." Let those who labor in difficult places with limited resources take heart—and trust God.

Note the care with which the fragments were collected for future use. It took this war to teach America how shamefully wasteful it has been.

Electricity Everywhere; Difficult to Define

"What is electricity?" is often asked of the scientists in General Electric's research laboratory, popularly known as the "House of Magic." L. A. Hawkins, executive engineer of the laboratory, has an answer, although he says whether an answer is possible depends on the kind of definition desired.

"For instance, the question 'What is water?' may be answered in three different ways," explains Mr. Hawkins, whose company for the past 65 years has been applying electricity to everything from a minia-ture light bulb slightly larger than a pinhead to a mammoth 208,000kilowatt turbine in a power station.

"First, we may define water by its composition; second, by its source or occurrence, and third, by its properties, its boiling and freezing points, its density, its action as a solvent, its part in maintaining

"But when we come to electricity, we find only one kind of definition is possible, because electricity is the most fundamental thing in the

universe and is the thing of which everything else is made. Electricity cannot be defined by its composition, for it is composed only of itself. Neither can it be defined by its source or occurrence, for it is everywhere, wherever there is matter or radiant energy.

Therefore, electricity can be defined only in the third way, by its properties-and to describe these properties adequately requires a book or several books."

List Five Pointers for Care of Water Heaters

Here are a few pointers on care of gas water heaters:

1. Brush burners at least twice a year. Clean burners give a clean flame and eliminate backfiring.

2. Open the drain faucet at the bottom of the heater once a month or every two months to drain off sediment. Sediment, if not drained off, impairs the efficiency of the heater because it has an insulating effect. It is not necessary to drain off much water, just a quart or two until the water runs clear.

3. Water heaters as well as hot water piping should be insulated to conserve heat.

4. The thermostat of the water heater should be adjusted so that the temperature will not exceed 140 degrees. Excessive temperatures not only waste fuel but may be injurious to the heater and the piping.

5. Conserve fuel by having leaking faucets repaired and by not washing dishes in running hot wa-

Calving Cows Bringing the dairy cow through the calving period in best possible shape is one way of adding to total milk production without using more feed. On the other hand, trouble during this critical time can reduce the cow's production for the entire lactation period. Some recommend reducing the grain ration a week before calving. During the last few days give a light, laxative feed of bran, oats and a little oil meal, together with water from which chill has been removed. The cow should have a clean, well-bedded box stall. It is a good idea to wash the udder with soap and water to protect the calf. After calving, the cow should be offered lukewarm water and left with the calf in the box stall for a few days. Continue the laxative grain mixture, but do not overfeed. If the calf can be induced to suck all quarters, no hand milking is needed. After the cow is returned to her stall and milking resumed, increase the grain gradually. It will take three to six weeks before the cow can take full feed, depending on production.

Air Express

For flying shipments within the United States, air express began in September, 1927. Only 26 cities were served. A coast-to-coast shipment then spent 36 hours in the air, and made 16 refueling stops. Today's transcontinental trip is an overnight flight of 16 hours. Last year 1,405,000 air express shipments were made, nearly 100 times as many as in the first complete year of the service. This year express cargo has hurtled through the skies at the rate of more than 40 tons each day, over 18 commercial airlines whose routes aggregate 45,000 miles.

These air-borne tonnages include lightweight merchandise such as flowers and latest-style Easter bonnets, but shipments are headed by machinery, electrical parts and hardware. These items amount to 27 per cent of the total weight.

Strawberry Mulch Strawberries need a mulch of straw or hay for the winter, both to protect the roots from the alternate freezing and thawing which breaks them and heaves up the then rootless plants, and also to protect the fruit buds from extreme cold. The mulch usually should go on the strawberry bed in late November, before the ground freezes thoroughly. Several inches of straw or hay make the best mulch. Leaves mat down easily and kill some of the crowns of the plants, but may be used if nothing else is handy. Corn stalks are too coarse to give the strawberries much protection without making the covering too heavy and thick. Marsh grass is an ex-

cellent mulch.

Fourth War Loan Sales More Than Double 1st Week

Sales to Individuals Jump From \$7,700,000 to \$17,000,000

While Maryland is eagerly awaiting an over-all total of War Bond purchases up-to-date in the State, buying is brisk in both Baltimore and throughout the counties. Howard W. Jackson, State Chairman of the War Finance Committee reported that through January 26, Maryland individuals had purchased \$17,000,000 worth of War Bonds. There will be no full release of totals from the Federal Reserve until after February 1. However, the \$17,000,000 indicates that Maryland has more than doubled in individual sales since the last figure on January 17.

The "Buy A Plane Campaign" being carried on by the schools indicate strong competition. The Cambridge Upper Elementary School is putting on a speedy campaign to buy a Fair-"Cornell" Training plane for \$15,000. Their drive will run from January 24, to February 15, the closing day of the Fourth War Loan. Kensington Elm School, Kensington, Maryland, is also purchasing a training plane.

Denton, Maryland, reports a phenomenal turn-out for the exhibition of the Messerschmitt plane. There are 1500 inhabitants in Denton, but 3,000 people, including 900 school children were present to see the Nazi fighter. In just a few minutes time \$8,037.50 worth of War Bonds were sold. The Cambridge Shipbuilding Company at Cambridge, Maryland, achieved its quota in two days and is still going strong.

Film Star Makes Appeal Miss Anne Baxter, film star who spent a week in Baltimore and vicinity to boost the sale of War Bonds, spoke at a War Bond luncheon held at Carvel Hall in Annapolis last Friday. She also visited the Annapolis Yacht Yard and the Germantown School. Last Monday she joined three ex-world champions of the ring

in a Court House Plaza Bond Rally, in Baltimore. The three champs were Lieut. Commander Jack Dempsey; Lieut. Lenny Leonard and Capt. James J. Braddock.

Miss Baxter in her appeal to the workers in Maryland said, "I would like to impress you with some financial reasons why we, the citizens of this country, must buy Bonds and extra Bonds to support the Fourth War Loan Campaign. But I can't. I can't think of war bonds in cold, matter-of-fact terms. I don't think that any American has to be sold on the value of War Bonds, because they are a good investment as a hedge against inflation and a safe place to put your money. These are merely the advantages of buying Bonds. They are not the reasons you should buy them. Think for a minute of Guadalcanal, of Sicily, of Tarawa. Think of the thousands of American men who are dying so that you and I can live and men and women have no future. They are dead." Miss Baxter concluded her appeal by stating, "Thousands of our men will be spared pain and will return that much sooner to those of us who love them, and peace will come a few days sooner to wipe from the face of the earth, the blood and misery and terror of war. And this, we the people of the United States, the citizens of Baltimore, can do by contributing regularly to the purchase of war bonds. Is this too much to ask? The answer is in your heart."

Savings & Loan Associations Pledge \$5,000,000

Last Thursday night the Maryland Council of Insured Savings and Loan Associations pledged over \$5,000,000 at a Banquet held at the Belvedere Hotel in Baltimore. Miss Baxter accepted the pledges as they were made from the floor.

Mrs. Sydney M. Cone, Chairman of the Women's Division of the Maryland War Finance Committee reports that the Hospital Equipment Campaign being carried on by the Women of Maryland is doing exceptionally well. Mrs. Cone said, "I am convinced that the counties are working as hard as they have done in the past on previous campaigns. I know they are standing by their men. The Baltimore office would be interested to receive reports of their work as it progresses.'

MAPLE BREAKFAST SET

Question: I am taking the paint off our breakfast nook set and want to finish it a maple color. Should



I put on an undercoat before I put

the maple color varnish on? Answer: If, after removing the paint, the wood is of a uniform color, apply the varnish stain directly to the wood; but should the bare wood turn out to be varied in color and shade, apply a coat of buff-colored

| Home Conditions Chiefly

Blamed for Delinquency Family discord is the major cause of delinquency, according to probate court judges, prosecuting attorneys superintendents of schools, sheriffs and other local officials in Mich gan. This information was obtained from replies to letters sent 2,000 local officials of Michigan by the governor recently. Questions asked included the following:

1. Is there a delinquency problem in the community or the county? 2. What are the ages of the children involved?

Is the problem war related?

What local facilities are available to meet the situation and what local leadership is available? 5. What is being done in the home

community to meet this problem? 6. In your opinion, what are the actual causes of delinquency? 7. What might the cure be?

The question with the most uniform reply dealt with the causes of delinquency, the answers placing most of the blame on the conditions within the family. Family discord and breakdown were named the prime factors in problems of children. Among other causes listed in the analysis were employment of mothers outside the home, leaving children unsupervised; lack of religious training in the home; increased earning power tempting parents to seek personal pleasures away from home; frequent indulgence in alcohol and gambling; general lowering of standards of conduct; and separation of fathers from the family group for military service or employment in distant war plants with ensuing emotional strain and increased financial responsibility on the mother.

Urges Care to Avoid Contracting Rabbit Fever

Families who may be using wild rabbits for meat are warned to be on their guard against tularemia or "rabbit fever" by Dr. W. V. Halversen, bacteriologist with the University of Idaho agricultural experiment station. For handling wild rabbits he offers the following suggestions:

Leave the too-easily secured rabbits alone. If a rabbit is an easy shot, the chances are it is infected with tularemia.

2. Do not clean the rabbit if you have any open sores, cuts or other lesions on your hands. It is always advisable to wear rubber gloves when cleaning the rabbit. Infection is usually acquired through contact with the animal's blood or internal organs.

3. Be careful in cleaning the rabbit not to cut yourself with the knife, puncture a finger on a broken rib, or in some other way cause a break

4. Cook the rabbit meat thorough-The infection can be acquired by eating insufficiently cooked infected rabbit meat.

English Bedrooms

In many houses and flats built in England before the war began, the bathtub is placed in a separate little love and think about the future. These | room of its own. Thus if one bather likes to splash for 20 minutes, he doesn't tie up traffic for the rest of the family.

Another interesting touch in some of the newer English houses and flats which seems to appeal to American soldiers is the placing of the lavatory or washbowl in the bedroom. In many of the newer houses, there is a lavatory with hot and cold running water in every bedroom.

While the idea of a lavatory in every bedroom has been used to some extent in American homes, it has never found wide application. Equipped with a wide ledge serving as a convenient shelf for cosmetics, the lavatory in a bedroom in postwar homes will be used as a dressing table.

Dried Fruits

Spoilage in dried and dehydrated fruits is not a matter of life and death as in the canned products. Darkening in storage of apricots, peaches, pears and apples is undesirable because it indicates a loss of vitamins and change in flavor, but the dark fruit is not poisonous, says Dr. E. M. Mrak, assistant professor of fruit technology on the Berkeley campus of the University of California.

Darkening can be prevented by sulfuring the fruits before dehydrating, by drying as rapidly as feasible, and by storing in closed containers in a cool place. Prunes and figs should not be sulfured. They will ferment unless dried to the proper degree. To test the dryness, take a handful and squeeze tightly; if the fruit retains the shape of the hand and does not fall apart, it is too wet.

Pastry Scraps

There are many variations of tasty tidbits that can be made from scraps of pastry. Cheese sticks can be made by sprinkling grated cheese over the pastry and then cutting it into strips. Poppy seed or paprika can be used in the same way to give variety. These sticks are particularly nice as appetizers, or soup or salad accompaniments. For afternoon tea, sugar and cinnamon pastry sticks are very attractive.

Another dainty use for pastry is to bake two rounds together, the top one having a hole in the center, fashioned with a small cutter. When the pastry is baked there will be a small depression in the center that can be filled with jam, jelly or and filling one may d



Something Saved

Recently I attended two meetings in one night. They were nothing alike but together they threw revealing light on America's post-war planning. Both were open and informal. Anybody might have attended either gathering but both were small. The first, lasting until late, was a group of earnest business men trying to plan so their firms could avoid laying-off workmen after the war.

In order to "shift gears" from war production to peace-time work and avoid bankruptcy, employers will need a great deal of capital but they can't save enough. Tax laws, designed originally to keep profiteers from getting rich off the war, are being used in a way to keep employers from saving enough. Unnecessary government red-tape uses up the time of high-paid men. Unfair labor decisions overload costs and make the future look uncertain. The Second Meeting.

Serious thoughts busied my mind on the way home. It was not a long drive but the hour was late and hunger overtook me before I sighted an all-night restaurant and gasoline station. Several out-of-state trucks waited nearby, a favorable testimonial; truckers know where the good eating places are. I drew in and presently joined the hearty road-men on stools at the pie counter.

The other guests were young fellows, sober, pleasant and talkative. None addressed me; I was clearly an outsider. But they continued exchanging rowdy pleasantries along with weather and road information. Finally one of them rose to go and rolled a crumpled \$10 bill toward the cashier.

"I'll match you for it," said the man on the next stool. "You mean supper?" asked the

departing guest. 'No, I mean I'll match you for the ten," he replied, flashing another bill and brandishing a coin.

"Phooie," exclaimed the owner of the first greenback. "I'll play you \$50 of poker. Or would you rather shoot pennies at a crack?" Food for Thought

The other men laughed and began donning caps and leather jackets. My second meeting had adjourned leaving me other thoughts to ponder. . . . When this war is over: when money is scarce again, how many of these reckless young men will have something saved? Unless history quits repeating itself, only a negligible few will have enough capital to justify a checking account.

For some unaccountable reason most people never save anything. It is a statistical fact that if employees of the Pennsylvania Railroad had saved & percent of their wages and invested it in company stock they would own the "Pennsy" now. They didn't do it but somebody owns this great railroad—an enormous investment providing steady, gainful work for thousands.

Who Will Employ? Only a scanty few of the people now enjoying (or throwing away) the highest incomes they ever heard about will have anything for themselves when the war ends. Gainful work will be in keen demand. It can be supplied too, if production keeps up. Production is the secret of all wealth and the first essential of production is something saved to pay the people whose work creates prosperity.

Government is saving nothing. Government is squandering money beyond necessary expenditures for war. Workers are saving too little.

r investments in war bonas, ich are excellent savings, are disappointingly low. Bond issues have een bought too largely by banks. Unless companies that make things people will want to buy after the war are permitted to save enough now, America will face a crisis at war's end that may cost us our Free Enterprise system; the only system that ever gave comfort and convenience to people in all walks of life.

More Serum Production

Checks Hog Cholera

The story of how America's farm front fighters have won a nationwide victory over the No. 1 threat to pork production, hog cholera, was revealed in a recent report of the American Foundation for Animal

Every authority knew that a devastating wave of cholera could wreck our whole pork production effort, the foundation's report says. "The bottleneck in hog cholera control was the nation's capacity to produce serum and virus, with which to immunize the tremendously increased pig crop, vaccination being the only known protection against cholera.

"Two factors saved us: First, the control program of the department of agriculture, under a marketing agreement and order by which producers of serum and virus are obligated to have a May 1 reserve totaling 40 per cent of the previous year's sales-much like the 'ever normal granary' plan. Second, an all-out production effort which sent this year's hog cholera serum and virus output 52 per cent above the total of two years ago. It was just as serious a production battle as that of our shipyards and munitions plants, and we won it, as they won

Plenty to Eat in '44, Say WFA Chiefs

Average Citizen Will Find Table Well Supplied.

WASHINGTON .- The two men in Washington in position to know about the average American civilian's dinner table say you'll be comfortably

fed in 1944. Even if large quantities of food are sent abroad to our armed forces, to our Allies and to starving people in countries released from Axis domination, there still will be enough for Mr. Average Citizen and his family to furnish them above the average prewar diet barring an upset in crop

prospects, these men say. "Our national diet will be as good as in prewar years," predicts Mar-vin Jones, war food administrator. "Decisions now made probably will mean as much food per capita as in

the prewar years.' "The American diet in 1944," says Roy F. Hendrickson, director of food distribution of the War Food administration, "though differing somewhat in composition, will be about the same in quantity and nutritive value as that of 1943 and above the average prewar diet if crops are

favorable. What will Mrs. Housewife find on grocery store shelves this winter and next summer and what will the average family have on the table? Civilians, says WFA, will have about the same amount of white po-

tatoes, rice and canned vegetables

during the next year as they had

from 1935 to 1939. They will have more meat, if WFA predictions are fulfilled, a larger supply of eggs, sweet potatoes, citrus fruits, dried peas, dried beans and likely a good supply of coffee, flour and other commodities.



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U. S. Soldiers' Training Continues Even Overseas

To prepare for and meet everchanging battle tactics and conditions, the training of American soldiers overseas is a continuing process and will be right up to the day of the unconditional surrender of the Axis, the war department announced.

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This training includes the battlehardened veteran just out of the lines as well as the soldier just off a transport and assigned to a replacement depot. Naturally, it is not the same for the veteran as for the new arrival, but it has been designed to integrate and co-ordinate both to produce the teamwork essential to success in combat.

As a rule, large replacement training depots are set up in each theater. Here troops fresh from this country are given the final polish and become acquainted with the climatic and terrain conditions under which they will be called to go into

In reality, these are finishing schools. In the United States the soldier's instruction was largely in the fundamentals of his specialty, since it was not known at the time he started his training to which theater he would be sent. Consequently, his instruction had to be such as would meet the basic requirements for any or all theaters.

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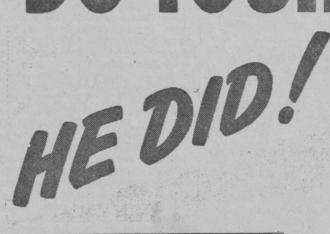
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