

COMMUNITY LOCALS

This column is not for use in advertising any money-making program, fair, supper, party or sale. It is intended for news, personals, and such matters as may be of community interest.

Churches are especially given free use of our Church Notice Column, for brief notices concerning regular or special services. Large 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.

Mrs. Mary Forster, of Aberdeen, Md., visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Kiser, on Tuesday.

Pfc. Kathryn Alwine, Fort George G. Meade, Md., spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Doty Robb.

Miss Dorothy Kephart, of Pitman, N. J., spent last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Kephart.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Phillips, of near Emmitsburg, announce the birth of a son Fred Eugene, on Saturday, April 8, 1944.

Miss Mary Shaub, of Lancaster, Pa. is the guest this week of Miss Mary Ellen Leh at the parsonage of the Reformed Church.

Miss Helen Boston, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., spent the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. Charles Boston, E. Baltimore St.

Miss Beulah Castle and Mrs. Griest, of York, Pa., were Sunday afternoon guests at the home of Mrs. M. H. Reindollar.

Miss Elizabeth Kiser, of Harrisburg, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her father, Mr. William T. Kiser and sister, Miss Elmore.

Opl. George P. Lowman has returned to Newport, Rhode Island, after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Lowman, Keymar.

Pfc. Ray Hahn, wife and son, Wayne, are spending this week with their home folks. Pfc. Hahn is stationed at Camp Breckinridge, Ky. Mrs. Hahn and son have been living near the Camp.

Easter Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Kephart were: Lt. Col. Kephart and Mrs. Kephart, daughter Calva, and Burton Kephart, of Arlington, Va., and Russell Kephart, of Washington, D. C.

The Rev. Charles I. Wallace, pastor of the Morgan Methodist Church, Mt. Airy, Md., will conduct the Devotional Services over WFMD, Westminster Radio Station, Saturday, April 15, 1944, at 9 A. M.

Lt. (j. g.) Richard Mehning, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold S. Mehning, Lt. Mehning was stationed at Parris Island, N. C., but has been transferred to Bradford Station, Norfolk, Va.

Miss Nell Hess spent a week with her father, Mr. Elmer Hess and her sisters, Misses Edith and Hazel, returning to Baltimore Friday evening. Miss Myrtle Morris, Baltimore, spent Saturday and Sunday with the Hess family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baumgardner, son, Robert, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Claude Danton and daughter, Patricia, and Miss Lillian Pelton, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Reindollar and Miss Mabel Leister.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Naill, of College Park, Md., spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Naill and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Naill. Saturday evening dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baker and son, Billy, of Philadelphia, Pa. Mrs. Baker is a sister of Mrs. Daniel Naill.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew H. Hobbs and son, Andrew, Jr. and daughter, Dorothy Virginia, of Frederick, and Miss Bettie Dorn, of New Midway, Md., were entertained on Easter Sunday by their aunt, Bessie D. Mehning, of Keymar, Md. Other callers were Onida Dorn, of Gettysburg, Pa., and David Leakins.

Pvt. Paul Copenhaver, San Francisco, Calif., spent ten days with his wife, who rooms at the home of Mrs. William Ohler. Pvt. Earl Copenhaver, Indiana, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Copenhaver, of near Taneytown. Paul and Earl are brothers and had not seen each other since entering the service until their furlough. Both had the same length of time here, returning to camp on Monday.

The Maryland Synod of the Lutheran Church has just lost its senior member, the Rev. Wilson L. Renberg, D. D., of Finksburg, who died early on Good Friday morning, over 95 years of age. He was in the ministry about 63 years, and retired from the active pastorate only nine years ago. The funeral was held Easter Sunday afternoon, Rev. L. B. Hafer of Taneytown, attended and participated in the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Blacksten, of Keymar, gave a dinner Easter Sunday in honor of Mrs. Blacksten's mother, Mrs. Clay Putman and uncle, Percy V. Putman's fifty-ninth birthdays. In the evening the table was decorated with two birthday cakes. Ice cream, cookies, candy and coffee. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Blacksten, daughter Sharlot and Jennett; Mr. and Mrs. Percy V. Putman, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Putman, Mr. Earl Putman, Miss Kathryn Putman.

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OUR WAR MEMORIAL

Taneytown Will Honor Its Service Men and Women

The meeting of the committee on the War Memorial for Taneytown District met Tuesday evening in the Municipal Building. The following organizations were represented: The City Council, Chamber of Commerce, American Legion, the Fire Company and the I. O. O. F. Lodge. Partial organization was affected with M. C. Fuss, Chairman; Norville P. Shoemaker, vice-chairman. Other officers will be elected at the next meeting, April 27, at 8 o'clock, in the Municipal building.

Some discussion was had as to the type of memorial and further consideration of the matter will be taken up at the next meeting.

Each organization interested in this work is invited and urged to send two representatives to the next meeting.

PFC. CLIFFORD OTT WRITES—

Recently we received a fine letter from Pfc. Clifford Ott who is serving in the armed forces overseas. He says in part: "I will try to tell you about the place where I am (North Africa). We have French and Arab people here. The Arabs 'take the cake.' They will buy anything you have to sell. Cigarettes and soap are the main buy. You can get 40c a pack for cigarettes and a dollar for a bar of soap. The beer is not so hot but the wine is fine.

Paul Rodkey has been to see me a couple of times.

That was some boat ride coming over. I did not get sick but felt a little bad. Some of the fellows were sick almost the whole trip.

One place where we were a family of Arabs lived back of us. This man had seven wives and over 50 children. I have been getting The Record—two copies came today. They were a little old—Jan. 21st and the 28th but they were news to me.

I would like to tell you more but am not permitted to do so. I only hope that next year, this time I will be back in good old Taneytown. This country is like California—the only way you can tell you are out of the states is by the people. I wish I could describe their dress—they wear anything they get their hands on.

We have been getting a lot of rain every day and it is a little cold when the sun does not shine. I have been sleeping in a tent so long I am afraid that I forget how to sleep in a bed.

I hope this war is soon over. I don't believe that I will ever leave Maryland once I return.

(Since receiving the above we are informed by the family that Private Ott has been moved into Italy.—Ed.)

TANEYTOWN MAN APPOINTED FOREST WARDEN

Governor Herbert R. O'Connor today announced the appointment of the following Forest Wardens for the various counties:

Anne Arundel County—George E. Law, Ferndale, Baltimore (2), Md.
Baltimore County—Glenn Krout, Maryland Line, Md.
Carroll County—David Smith, Taneytown, Md.; Carroll C. Therit, of Hampstead, Md.
Wicomico County—Alan W. Knowles, Quantico, Md.

REAL ESTATE BOARD OF CARROLL COUNTY FORMED

The real estate brokers of Carroll County met in the office of George R. Mitchell, broker, Court Street, who acted as Chairman of the meeting and effected an organization headed by Carroll L. Crawford, President; Hubert P. Burdette, Mt. Airy, Vice-President, and Mable A. C. Necker, Finksburg, Secretary and Treasurer. Practically all brokers of the County were represented. The Constitution and By-Laws will be announced as soon as the Legislative Committee reports at the next regular monthly meeting.

A publicity committee was elected at this meeting and from time to time will report thru the press, or otherwise the activities of the Board. It has been thought for some time by the Carroll County brokers that such an organization should be formed and in as much as other Counties have such an organization it seemed desirable and expedient to organize now. The real estate business deserves the confidence placed upon it by the real estate buying public but at the same time it is important that the real estate buying public be made to understand fully with whom they are dealing.

OF INTEREST TO CANNERS

Mr. Allan Warfield, Maryland Field Representative of the War Manpower Commission will present "Training within Industry" which deals with the canning of foods at two meetings, one at Westminster, on Wednesday, April 19th, at 2 P. M., at the State Armory, and the other at Frederick, Thursday, April 20th, at 2 P. M., at the Winchester Hall auditorium. Anyone who devotes any time working in a cannery will find this lecture to be beneficial. All canners and their personnel are invited.

NOTICE OF DEATH

Word has been received at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. T. Elliot, of the death of Attorney William Hague, of Duquesne, Pa., on Easter Sunday, April 9, 1944, at Phoenix, Arizona. Attorney Hague is the father of Mrs. Francis T. Elliot, Jr.

LT. WM. S. LANE WRITES FROM NEW GUINEA

Life on That Island Ably Described

Somewhere in New Guinea

Dear Charlie:

From time to time, I've read with interest, articles from various Taneytown men overseas. However I don't recall one about New Guinea. So I'll try to do my best to decide this place which is almost half way around the world from my home.

New Guinea is an island of many climates. Here one can find most any type of topography they want. But of course the jungles and their constant mysteries predominate. They are as unfathomable as a Swiss watch and hence are always breath-taking.

We have abundant jungle life. In fact a trifle too abundant. Each night before retiring I have to take my wild broom and sweep the ants and various other creatures out of my sack. Wild Boars are now a common sight and better off when left alone we have found.

Snakes are very numerous and come in all sizes. We have them on this island from Pythons on down. In fact as I write this there is a snake about 4 feet long climbing straight up the side of a very tall cocoon palm. They are really very graceful reptiles.

Lizards are perhaps the most common of all animal life here except the mosquito. To make matters worse it is the Malaria Mosquito. But by using mosquito nets at night and by taking our new drug "Aterbrin" we are able to cut the malaria rate some.

New Guinea is a land famed for its butterflies. It is the home of the prized "Blue Empress" and many others. I'm going to try and bring some back when I come home because they are so nice.

The natives here are just as the pictures show. The men wear only Lion Cloths and carry huge knives. The women wear only grass skirts. Both sexes wear their hair about 5 in. long and it sticks straight out like a broom. Needless to say it is never washed and resembles a rats nest for looks.

Some of the natives have received some education at the various Catholic and Protestant Missions. I had a talk last Sunday with one and learned many things. He told me he wanted a "Big Man" in this tribe yet because he only had three wives but that when he got four wives he'd be a "Big Man."

Cocoanuts, pineapples, English walnuts, mangoes (green skinned oranges), betel nuts, mangos and bananas are plentiful. All one has to do is pick them. They really do taste good at times.

This island is a possession of Australia and their money system is used as well as their customs. It is very confusing to deal in pounds, florins, shillings or "Bobs," six pence and three pence. To add confusion items are priced in our currency. But perhaps my hardest job is to remember to drive my Jeep on the left side of the road. You can't imagine how unnatural that is.

Candy and gum are unheard of here and only seldom can you get a package of cigarettes. Pipe tobacco is also unobtainable as well as all the other "comforts of home" like pipes, lighter fluid, soap, shaving cream, toothbrushes and toothpaste, etc. The only way we can get anything to speak of is for it to be sent to us.

Perhaps the most beautiful sight I've ever seen has been here in the tropics. To see the moonrise across the water thru the palm trees is a treat not soon forgotten. A person could write reams about it and never tire.

One of the most disagreeable jobs I have is that one of censoring the mail. It is really pathetic to read some of the letters. But we're all in the same fix and that helps to make it easier to a degree.

I'm very sorry not to be able to discuss the military situation but you can follow that in the papers there. The weather is also forbidden by censorship.

As our name implies we are an Advance Base Unit and live in a most primitive fashion. A creek becomes a shower, old oil drums a place to boil our clothes and so on. An old native house complete with split bamboo walls, thatched roof and mahogany log floor was converted into our B. O. Q. It serves its purpose fine. Tents are used for storage and quarters for our men.

I've thought many times lately that anyone in the states who is griping about wages, rationing or the general inconvenience of the war should be sent out here for a tour of duty. I'm relatively sure there would be no griping when they returned.

Well, Charlie, I've rambled quite a bit here so I guess I'd better end. In closing I would like to extend my kindest regards to all my friends there and express the hope that every one of our boys may return soon and safely. Personally, I'd far rather be with my wife and son teaching school than anything I know of but there is a job to be done and you can rest assured we are doing it.

Sincerely yours,

WILLIAM S. LANE,

Lt. (j. g.) U. S. Naval Reserve

DETROIT LETTER

Conditions Existing in That City

This part of my letter ought to be very interesting to your lady readers, as it shows how one woman, at least, was well supplied with what we are sure, they will say, is a fine supply of clothing, which she says was purchased by means of the money given her by the German government in payment for her spy activities. We refer to the leader of the spy gang which was convicted a few weeks ago the so-called "Countess." Her personal effects had been seized by the United States Marshal, and on her being taken to the Federal prison, they were released to the man she was engaged to marry. Packed in boxes, these effects weighed nearly a ton, and comprised about everything that a woman would desire in the way of clothing, jewelry, etc.

We surely would not say that it was an honorable way to get such a fine wardrobe together, but suppose at the time she was engaged in her nefarious business, it looked to be quite an easy way to become one of the best dressed women in this country. Here is a part of the list of articles that are now packed away in mothballs, to await her release from prison, 12 years from now, some of which may be out of style when that occurs.

The papers say that while other women were wearing sagging rayon stockings, she had on hand 40 pairs of pure nylons, and also shoe rationing did not bother her, as she had 40 pairs of shoes. Other items were 29 dresses, mink coats, scarves and collars, silver fox jackets, scarves and collars—not one but two or more of each kind; Persian Lamp coats, muffs and 4 hats of mink, silver fox and Persian Lamb hats. Her jewelry list showed 27 rings, set with all kinds of precious stones, 29 jeweled bracelets, three of the pearls, and 3 gold watches. The above is only a partial list of her wearing apparel, but it shows you how liberal Hitler and his agents were to the tools that did and are now doing his dirty work. The most practical article in the lot is a German typewriter, which we do not think will be of much use for her if she should wish to try to make big and easy money when she comes out of prison, for surely we all hope that that war will be over long before that time.

The Lenten season came to an end here with appropriate services in all the churches. Good Friday was especially well observed, all business places being closed from noon until 3 o'clock, and services were held in the six largest theatres by the Detroit Council of Churches, and in a great majority of the Catholic and Ritualistic Protestant Churches. It seemed as if there was more attention paid to these services than in previous years, although all through the Lenten season, no broadcast was made the same day that the daily noon service was held, but a transcription was sent out over WWJ the next morning. A great many churches held Communion services on Thursday and Good Friday evenings, but some observed Easter Sunday by holding that service then, which reminds us that such services were always held on Easter, when we lived back in Taneytown. And now, that the great majority of our citizens have attended to their duty, as they see it, by attending such once a year, we think they can go back to their respective occupations in life, and sometimes we feel that some of these occupations are not worth writing about.

But if we were to write about only those things that are pleasant, we fear that we would have more trouble in filling up our columns than we have now. And so we have to tell you, from time to time about things that we do not even like to think about. One of these is the situation that is existing out in the trailer camps, that resulted in the killing of the young girl that we told you about last week. The police department has made a short work of this case by arresting a young man, an attendant at the gas station attached to the camp, and obtaining a confession from him. And now we learn of the

SPECIAL GASOLINE RATIONS

Full-time paid employees of farm organizations operating to increase food production are eligible for preferred mileage under gasoline rationing, the OPA announced. Their organizations must be chartered by the United States, or by a state and have a membership of at least 100 persons the majority of whom are farmers. Also, qualified Victory gardeners again will be granted special gasoline rations for up to 300 miles of travel to and from their plots this summer.

CARROLL CO. SCHOOLS TO BE VISITED BY NOTED MUSIC EDUCATOR

Dr. Glenn Gildersleeve, State Music Director for Delaware schools, will be in Carroll County for three days, April 26, 27 and 28.

A schedule of visitations to schools and conferences with the music teachers has been arranged by the Supervisor of Music for Carroll County.

This event will take the place of the usual combined Elsteddfod program held prior to the war but temporarily abandoned during the duration.

There will be local Elsteddfod programs in the various schools communities during these three days to which the public is invited to attend.

BOARD OF EDUCATION MONTHLY MEETING

Report of School Activities Received

The regular meeting of the Board of Education was held on Tuesday, April 4th. The minutes of the last meeting were approved and all bills presented were ordered paid.

The superintendent was instructed to advertise for coal bids to be considered at the meeting of the Board of Education in May.

The Board heard reports on their work in the schools from Miss Ruth DeVore and Charles Reck, elementary supervisors, and Samuel Jennings, high school supervisor. They also discussed with the Board the problem of teacher turnover, size and organization of classes, testing program, pupil withdrawal, and pupil attitudes.

The superintendent presented a program of summer work for consideration of the Board which included installation of stokers in some of the schools, inspection and repair of certain roofs in the county, and the painting of buildings.

The superintendents also brought to the attention of the Board the need for changes in the curriculum and the revision of certain courses of study. This work will be done this summer by members of the staff.

A letter was presented from the Board of County Commissioners in which they stated they would take care of the County's apportionment of the adjustment of teachers' salaries as provided for in the recent law passed by the General Assembly. The law requires that the County provide for three months and the State for nine of the salary adjustment.

PROCEEDINGS ORPHANS' COURT

Emma J. Formwalt, executrix of the estate of John Edward Formwalt, deceased, returned inventory of goods and chattels and received order to transfer stock.

Letters of administration on the estate of Ralph S. Reifsnider, deceased, were granted unto Norma C. Reifsnider, who received order to notify creditors and warrants to appraise goods and chattels and real estate.

Effie M. Lippy, administratrix of the estate of Charles E. Lippy, deceased, settled her first and final account.

Urith Ann Routson, administratrix of the estate of Melvin W. Routson, deceased, settled her first and final account.

Walter N. Wentz and Blanton Wentz, executors of the estate of Edward H. Wentz, deceased, settled their first and final account.

Corra D. Fitz, administratrix of the estate of Thurlow Fitz, deceased, settled her first and final account.

Harry R. Kelbaugh and Edna May Bull, executors of the estate of Richard Kelbaugh, returned report of sale of real estate and goods and chattels and received order to transfer stock.

The sale of real estate on the estate of Lydia Nagle, deceased, was finally ratified by the Orphans' Court.

The sale of real estate on the estate of Jesse Baile, deceased, was finally ratified by the Orphans' Court.

Granville Z. Stultz and David J. Stultz, administrators of the estate of John T. Stultz, deceased, returned report of sale of goods and chattels and received order to transfer title.

Lillian Baker Long and John Wood, executors of the estate of John W. Baker, deceased, settled their second and final account.

Luther B. Hafer, administrator of the estate of Alice Rebecca Ohler, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Letters of administration on the estate of Joseph Carbery Boyle, deceased, were granted unto Norman B. Boyle, who received order to notify creditors and warrants to appraise goods and chattels and real estate.

Letters of administration on the estate of Emma M. Hann, deceased, were granted unto Philip H. Hann and Charles E. Hann, who received order to notify creditors and warrants to appraise goods and chattels and real estate.

KIWANIS CLUB NEWS

The Taneytown Kiwanis Club held their weekly meeting at Clear Ridge Inn, near Uniontown, on Wednesday evening, at 6:30. In the absence of the President, Clyde L. Hesson; Vice-President Raymond Wright presided. Harry M. Mohney was in charge of the period of group singing, with Mrs. Wallace Yingling at the piano.

The program was in charge of the Committee on Publicity; the topic of discussion "American-Canadian Relations." Rev. Guy P. Bready, the speaker, briefly described Canada as a country, with reference briefly to its history, climate, people, geographic extent, production and exports, its economic situation, industry, religion, and post-war relations with the United States.

The meeting on next Wednesday evening will be a "Ladies' Night" and will be in charge of the Committee on Attendance, Edgar H. Essig, Chairman.

"I am firmly convinced that all news-crummen are nuts."—Pfc. J. W. Brennan, Brookhaven, Miss., writing home about a correspondent who interviewed him in a South Pacific fox-hole.

PUBLIC MEETING

Of Interest to Families of Service Men

Carroll Post No. 31, the American Legion will sponsor a public meeting for the benefit of the relatives of the men and women now serving in the armed forces at the Westminster High School, on Sunday afternoon, April 16, at 2:00 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to give the relatives an opportunity to hear at first hand information which directly affects the men in the services as well as certain pertinent information concerning the relatives at home.

Many questions that are on the minds of the people at home concerning allotments, insurance, medical care, education and other benefits concerning the soldier and the veteran will be explained at this meeting by high ranking U. S. Army officers and representatives of The Maryland Veterans' Commission.

Colonel Frank Strong, assistant surgeon of the Third Service Command will explain the care given the boys by the Medical corps; Lt. Colonel Walter Kress, director personnel affairs from the Third Service Command will explain the many activities under his command that are so close to the boys and their personal lives while in the service. The chairman of the Maryland Veterans' Commission, Joseph Cantrel, and the active executive director of the commission, Richard Manning, will be present to advise and explain the veteran benefits.

This will be one of the most important meetings for the relatives of the men ever held in the county. It is hoped that at least one representative from each family make arrangements to attend. A parade will form at Belle Grove Square at 1:00 P. M., preceding the meeting and march to the high school auditorium. All military and patriotic organizations are invited to participate.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

George W. Brown and Mabel E. Zimmer, Alpine, N. Y.

Andrew Miller and Anna M. Miller, Dover, Pa.

Lewis B. Gorsuch and Anna Sherfey, Westminster, Md.

Kenneth Eugene Smith and Erma R. Shearer, Railroad, Pa.

Clayton A. Zincon and Leta L. Zile, Westminster, Md.

Charles W. Diller and Mazie E. Mauck, Mt. Airy, Md.

Ralph N. Weller and C. Ruth Billingslea, Sykesville, Md.

Roand L. Smith and Alice J. Street, Manchester, Md.

Frederick S. Butler and Elizabeth M. Ward, New Windsor, Md.

Stanford G. Gross and Romaine I. Boose, York, Pa.

Edwin Hape and Velma Kidd, of Westminster, Md.

Kenneth W. Abbott and M. Catherine Haines, Finksburg, Md.

Milton H. Diehl and Catherine O. Sprinkle, Westminster, Md.

Curvin L. Rohrbach and Dorothy C. Bixler, Brodbeck's, Pa.

Alvin Becker, Jr. and Freda J. Snell, York, Pa.

John E. Bowman and Mary I. Grimes, Keymar, Md.

William J. Cullison and Louise T. Bosley, Gettysburg, Pa.

Curtis M. Haines and Reba L. Babylon, Westminster, Md.

Clarence W. Forsythe and Joan E. Currens, Gettysburg, Pa.

Robert W. Myers and Hazel L. Duvall, Sykesville, Md.

John W. Bupp and Dorothy H. Stambaugh, Dover, Pa.

Raymond G. Alban and Ruth S. Koerner, Hampstead, Md.

CARROLL COUNTY RED CROSS WAR FUND DRIVE

The 1944 Red Cross War Fund Drive for Carroll County has now reached the figure of approximately \$26,500 which exceeds our quota of \$24,500 by \$2,000.

I wish to personally thank your organization for its cooperation and assistance in making the Red Cross Drive a success.

National Headquarters advises me that the Carroll County Chapter will receive an Honor Certificate for its distinguished achievement in the 1944 War Fund Drive. This certificate will be on display at the Red Cross Office at Westminster, Md.

"If a person admits that government has the right to say if he can eat, there is no liberty left."—Rose Wilder Lane, novelist, giving up book writing to farm.

Ration Reminders

Meats, Fats—Red stamps A8 thru M8, good indefinitely.

Processed Foods—Blue stamps A8 through K8, good indefinitely.

Sugar—Sugar stamps 30 and 31 are good for five pounds indefinitely. Sugar stamp 40 is good for five pounds of canning sugar through February 28, next year.

Gasoline—in 17 East Coast States, A-9 coupons are good through May 8th. In other States, A-11 coupons are good through June 21st.

Tire Inspection—Regular inspections not required after April 2nd.

Fuel Oil—Period 4 and Period 5 coupons are good through September 30th.

Shoes—Stamp No. 18 in Book One is good through April 30th. Airplane stamp No. 1 in Book Three is good indefinitely.

Income Tax—Declarations of estimated 1944 tax and first quarterly payments are due April 15th.

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All articles on this page are either original or properly credited. This has always been a fixed rule with this Office.

The publication in The Record of clipped or signed editorials does not necessarily mean that such editorials are endorsed by The Record. In many instances they are published in order to show varying opinions on public topics.

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OUT OF THINE OWN MOUTH

"Out of thine own mouth will I judge thee," is a statement from the New Testament. It is also a quotation that could be frequently applied to people of any time, and never more appropriately than now.

Two folders have recently come into our hands, though they have been in circulation since early last year, which have to do with the domestic policies of the present administration, and are a conspicuous illustration of such judgment.

The first folder was prepared by E. M. Biggers, head of a printing establishment, 100 Sabine Street, Houston, Texas. It lists 104 alphabetical bureaus, commissions and the like, operating under the present administration in Washington, and says that only parent bureaus are listed, with no attempt to list the offspring. Mr. Biggers says "According to the Federal Register and the most reliable information I can secure there were 2,241 of these Agencies, Bureaus and Commissions on June 11, 1943."

Besides information like this, and the list of 104, the folder carries four statements made by F. D. R. when he was first a candidate for the presidency. They are in almost unbelievable contrast with his policy after he was elected. Here they are:

1. "I know something of taxes. For three long years I have been going up and down this country preaching that Government—Federal and State and local—costs too much. I shall not stop that preaching."

2. "I accuse the present (Hoover) administration of being the greatest spending administration—in all our history. One which has piled Bureau on Bureau, Commission on Commission. Bureaus and Bureaucrats have been retained at the expense of the taxpayers."

3. "The people in America demand a reduction of Federal expenditure. It can be accomplished by reducing the expenditures of existing departments; by abolishing many useless Commissions, Bureaus and functions, and by consolidating many activities of Government."

4. "But remember well, that attitude—the way we DO things—is nearly always the measure of our sincerity."

The last page of the folder carries TEN POINTS, touching on prosperity and well-being, quoted from Land O' Lakes News.

One of these folders, though not sent by Mr. Biggers, reached and stirred a member of Congress, who wrote Mr. Biggers, asking what business the latter was in, and whether he would like to go back to the conditions of 1930-1933. Mr. Biggers answered, and these two letters make up a second folder. The circulars were furnished free in the start, but the demand grew to hundreds of thousands, and Mr. Biggers had to put a price of \$1.00 a hundred to help bear the cost. Here is one Democrat who would like to help scatter them until every voter could have a chance to read them. L. B. H.

AAA SEEMS TO STAY

People who watch the farm scene these days are aware that the Agricultural Adjustment Administration stays pretty steadily in the news. The other day two Republican Congressmen were complaining that AAA people in some rural areas were compelling collaboration with AAA programs by the threat that a farmer might otherwise lose his draft deferment or his gasoline ration. On Wednesday the AAA in Ohio reported that mobs had recently descended on several of its field offices and destroyed, among other things, gas ration records.

These reports doubtless reflect a

change in the AAA's status forced by the war. As everybody knows, the AAA was set up originally to run a crop-reduction program. But the war has changed all that. In almost all lines production is now wanted in maximum volume. That means that an elaborate "action" program with some thousands of full time, or part-time employees really find itself with relatively little to do.

To be sure, the AAA continues to have some utility. It administers several of the war-subsidy programs, notably that in the dairy field. It continues to administer the soil-conservation program. Even this last function is cut down in importance, however. For in our anxiety to get out the food, we have dropped many conservation projects and for the year or two of the emergency are taking the risk of policies which in some cases amount almost to a mining of the soil.

But if the AAA's reason for being has been whittled down to this extent, why continue it? Here a most significant development is to be noted in the attitude of the right-wing American Farm Bureau Federation. For though the Farm Bureau has long been critical of the AAA, its leaders appeared a few weeks ago before the House Appropriations Committee to urge AAA continuance. One of the reasons was "to insure an effective agricultural safeguard for the uncertain post-war future."

In other words, even the conservative Farm Bureau wants to retain the AAA on a stand-by basis, ready to swing into action after the war if the old troubles of our agriculture reappear. During the war period, however, it is a question whether the AAA cannot be much more skeletonized than it has been.—The Sun, Baltimore.

TEN POINTS

1. You cannot bring about prosperity by discouraging thrift.
2. You cannot strengthen the weak by weakening the strong.
3. You cannot help small men by tearing down big men.
4. You cannot help the poor by destroying the rich.
5. You cannot lift the wage-earner by pulling down the wage payer.
6. You cannot keep out of trouble by spending more than your income.
7. You cannot further the brotherhood of man by inciting hatred.
8. You cannot establish sound security on borrowed money.
9. You cannot build character and courage by taking away man's initiative and independence.
10. You cannot help men permanently by doing for them what they could do for themselves.—Land O' Lakes News.

DEFINE THE CHARTER

When the Atlantic Charter was written there was a need for a statement of aims to which many nations could immediately adhere. The Charter's phraseology was bound to leave much room for interpretation. The general approach was the shortest route to the unity required to stop the Axis tide. But the surest road to the unity required to build an enduring peace is to be found in definiteness. The Allies now need to know that they really do agree on specific meanings.

So it is good news to learn, from the statement by Viscount Cranborne in which he appealed successfully to the House of Lords to postpone debate on application of the Charter to Germany, that efforts are under way among the Allied Governments to reach common definitions of their war and peace aims as stated in the Charter. Postponement of the debate in the House of Lords was probably all to the good. As Viscount Cranborne pointed out, even a statement by the British Government unilaterally might only impede the needed international discussions.

Nevertheless, more than a promise of government efforts will be needed, in both Britain and the United States, to satisfy the peoples' demand for clearer and more vigorous attitudes toward postwar solutions. Peoples fighting the Axis ask assurances that Fascism or other forms of reaction are not going to be nursed in one quarter by overcautions diplomacy while being fought in another by soldiers who are not permitted to be too cautious. They want to know that their Governments are handling relations among themselves in a way which will cement the present alliance into a foundation for a world association for peace. They want proof that secondary questions are not being permitted to threaten basic common interests.

A joint statement of war and peace aims by the United States, Britain and Russia would do much to assure the people that the peace as well as the war is going to be won.—Christian Science Monitor.

JET-DRIVEN AIRPLANES POST-WAR PROMISE

Traveling at a terrific speed in luxurious comfort is a promise of the future. How jet-driven airplanes, science's new invention, will work is revealed in the first official drawing of the operation of this speedy aircraft. One of many features in the April 23rd issue of The American Weekly favorite Magazine with The Baltimore Sunday American. Order from your newsdealer.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at a public sale, at his home on Middle St., Taneytown, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 1944,

at 12 o'clock, the following:

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

6-piece walnut veneer bedroom suite, 4-piece maple bedroom suite, bed room chair, 7-piece bedroom suite, 5 good congolem rugs, new 9x12 fibre rug, inner spring mattress, 2 bedroom chairs, wash stand, clothes hamper, 4 rockers, 2 metal porch chairs, porch swing, full length mirror, medicine cabinet, lot throw small rugs, living room suite, 2 end tables, coffee table, console table, sewing table, 9x12 Belgium rug, 1 Crux 9x12 rug, 2 pull-up chairs, straight back chair, 6 mirrors, 7-way floor lamp electric lamps of all kinds; good drop-leaf sewing machine, 10-piece dining room suite, sewing cabinet, porcelain top breakfast set, kitchen cabinet, 5-piece breakfast set, 7-ft extension table, 2 electric cabinets, work table, twin wash tubs, electrox sweeper, Sunbeam electric mixer, electric coffee urn set, electric fan, 108-piece dinner set, lace curtains, lace table cloths, bed clothing, kitchen utensils, dishes of all kinds; set crystal ware, jarred fruit and jellies, full set of Rogers silverware, other silverware, china tea set, silver seal oven kettle, egg stove, clothes trees, garden tools wheelbarrow, garden plow, garden hose. The above furniture all very good.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, in Maryland, letters Ancillary Administration w. a., on the personal estate of
LESTER STUART WITHEROW
late of Dauphin County, Pa., 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 6th day of November, next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate.
Given under my hand this 3rd day of April, 1944.
LUTHER B. HAFER,
Ancillary Administrator with the will annexed of Lester Stuart Witherow, deceased. 4-7-5c

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will have public sale on the S. W. side of Taneytown, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 18, 1944,

at 5:00 o'clock, P. M., the following:

17-TOOTH LEVER HARROW,

riding corn plow, corn drag, single shovel plow, International 1 1/2 horse power engine, corn sheller, feed chopper, sled, 50 LAYING HENS, grindstone, buffets, 3 tables, 6 chairs, Columbia Coral cook stove, 5-burner oil stove, brooder stove, stand, sink, large cupboard, beds, wardrobe, 3 congolem rugs, blinds and window screens, screen door, dishes, jars, benches, barrels, junk, etc.

TERMS—CASH

NEWTON J. HAHN
EARL BOWERS, Auct. 3-31-3t

AT FIRST SIGN OF A
COLD
USE
666
666 TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS

PUBLIC SALE

Real and Personal Property

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Carroll County passed in cause No. 5732 Equity, the undersigned Trustee will sell at public sale on the premises in the village of Detour, in Carroll County, on

THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 1944,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., all that house and lot of land located as aforesaid of which Mollie C. Young, died, seized and possessed, the same being described in a deed from Nellie Key Essick and husband to J. H. Edward Young and wife, dated February 3, 1929, and recorded among the Land Records of Carroll County in Liber E. M. M. No. 152, folio 28, etc. This lot fronts about 40 feet on the main street in Detour, and contains 36.05 square perches, more or less. It is improved by a 4-Room

STONE DWELLING HOUSE

and necessary outbuildings. The dwelling house is wired for electricity. Possession can be given as soon as the terms of sale are complied with.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third cash on the day of sale or upon ratification thereof by the Court, the residue in two equal payments of one and two years respectively, the credit payments to be secured by the notes of the purchasers with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchasers.

ALVAH E. YOUNG, Trustee

At the same time and place the undersigned Administrator of Mollie C. Young, will sell at public sale for Cash the following goods and chattels:

ONE BEDROOM SUITE

consisting of bureau, washstand, bed, spring and chairs, dining room set, consisting of buffet, table and chairs, clothes rack, iron bed and spring, 2 rocking chairs, mantel clock, radio, ice refrigerator, 4 lid coal or wood stove, 3-burner kerosene stove, hall rack, mirror, garden plow, lawn mower, sewing machine, trunk, davenport bed, phonograph and records; carpet sweeper, lamps, irons, tableware, cooking utensils, coal, canned fruit, canned vegetables, window shades, and other articles.

ALVAH E. YOUNG, Administrator.

HARRY TROUT, Auct.
BROWN and SHIPLEY, Attorneys.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Mollie C. Young, late of Carroll County, deceased, to file their claims with the vouchers thereof, duly authenticated, with the clerk of the Circuit Court for Carroll county within two months from the 20th day of April, 1944.

ALVAH E. YOUNG, Trustee. 3-31-3t

NOTICE OF Nominations

Notice is hereby given that a Public Meeting will be held in the Municipal Building, on

MONDAY, APRIL 17, 1944,

at 8 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of nominating at least two persons for Mayor and four for City Councilmen of Taneytown, of whom one is to be elected for Mayor and two for City Councilmen by qualified voters of Taneytown, on Monday, May 1, 1944.

By Order of the City Council,
NORVILLE P. SHOEMAKER,
Mayor.

CHARLES L. STONESIFER, Clerk. 4-7-2t

PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm and equipment, I have no use or available storage, for the following articles to be held on the premises of Victor Weybright, Hollow Rock Farm, two miles north of Detour, Md., on

SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 1944,

at 12:30 P. M., the following articles all goods offered will be sold.

TWO SHOATS

averaging about 90 lbs each.

FARM MACHINERY

Good walking corn plow, McCormick-Deering riding corn plow, used but little; New Idea manure spreader in good condition; 9 bh wagon bed, good as new, with double sideboards; 2/0 gal wood tank with drip pan; Newtown brooder stove, in good condition; U. S. milk separator, good; Stewart hand power cow clippers, patent hay loading device, 4-horse binder hitch, block-in-falls, chicken water stand, 28-in Oriole Milk Cooler, spray barrel and force pump, 2 Ice hooks, 2 sets of harness, single and triple trees, hand saw, seamless milk pail, level, brace, leather belt, 6 in. 50-ft long.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

electric radio and aerial; 2 bureaus, one with glass; velvet couch, bed davenport, living room suits two; 3 hanging lamps, two are Alladdin; buffet, antique cradle, Child's crib, drop side; high chair, Child's commode, 2 iron beds, several wood beds, lamp shades, 5 stands, 4 rocking chairs, 6 dining room chairs, 6 cane-seated chairs, hobby horse, 2 brussels rugs 9x12, 1 rug 8 1/2x10 1/2, cherry seeder, sewing machine, scrapple pans, large flour sifter, lot jars, lot buckets, two 2-gal jars, 10 glass, 1 gal. jugs, chow-chow grinder, lot stove pipe, lot gal. crocks, umbrella stand, Xmas tree yard and trimmings, lot dishes, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS CASH. No goods to be removed until settled for.

S. R. WEYBRIGHT,
HARRY TROUT, Auct.
RALPH WEYBRIGHT, Clerk. 4-7-3t

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THE ordinary copper penny has lost a lot of its purchasing power these days — and even some of its copper. *But it still buys as much electricity as ever.*

For example, right now in your home a penny will toast about twenty slices of bread — or brew ten cups of coffee — or clean five big rugs — or run your refrigerator for several hours.

Rather startling what a penny will do when you think of it that way, isn't it?

Actually, the price of electricity came down so steadily before the war — and it has stayed down so successfully since — that today the average family gets about *twice* as much electricity for the same money it paid fifteen years ago.

All this didn't just happen, of course. It's due largely to the hard work, efficiency and experience of your friends and neighbors who man and manage this company. That's why a penny, spent for electricity, buys so much.

CAUTION: *Even though electricity is cheap — even though it isn't rationed — PLEASE DON'T WASTE IT. Coal, oil, manpower, transportation go into the making of electricity and these are critical war resources.*

* Hear "Report to the Nation," outstanding news program of the week, every Tuesday evening, 9:30, E.W.T., Columbia Broadcasting System.

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Benjamin Franklin

Lifelike and lively as the prose of his pen stands James Fraser's statue of our "first great American" in Franklin Institute, Philadelphia. His common sense, his articles on thrift, his homely savor was the cement that held together our revolutionary forefathers.

Thrift and fortitude and determination made the 13 colonies these United States. Now it is our turn to preserve the things for which our forefathers died.

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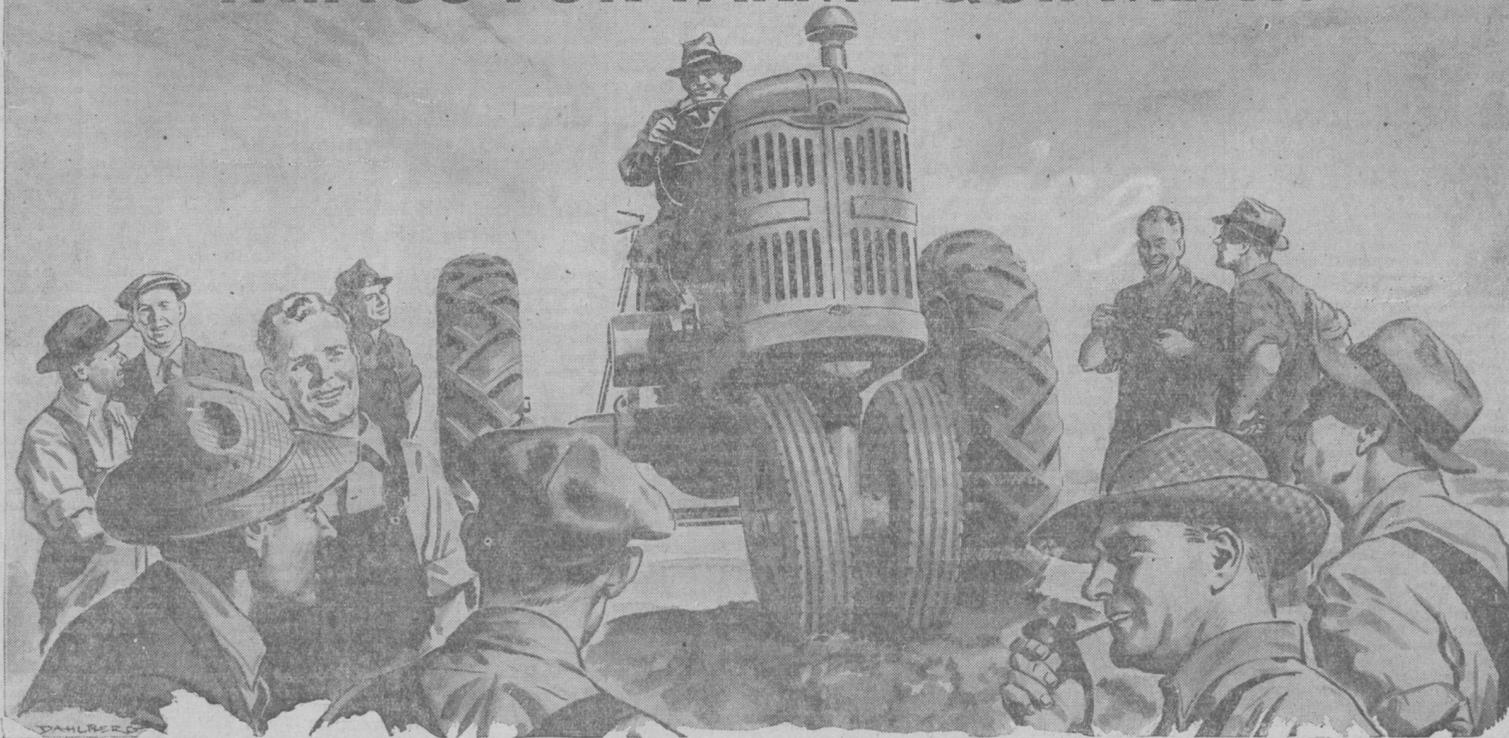
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THIS WAR IS SURE DOING THINGS FOR FARM EQUIPMENT!



BONDS TODAY WILL BUY IT TOMORROW!

OUR implement industries engaged in the war effort are learning a lot. Today, this growing knowledge is going into the tanks and planes and guns with which our boys are doing such a magnificent job on the fighting fronts. But when the war's over, that "know-how" will go into new equipment for you. The tractors and cars and machinery which will replace your present equipment will be more efficient, easier to use. The manufacturers' post-war catalogs of new lines will make your mouth water!

Well, you'll be able to order as much as you want—if you have War Bonds stored away with which to pay the bill. On farms and ranches all over the country, wise, foresighted owners and tenants are keeping track of all the places where money will have to be laid out when the war is over. And against these future expenses they are

salting down their dollars in War Bonds.

Your boy is learning a lot while he's away fighting. When he comes home he's going to know what first class equipment is, and he isn't going to be satisfied unless you have it. Right now, of course, the War Bonds you buy *help back the attack* and hasten the day of victory. But after the war, the money you invest in them will come back, for you and the boy to use together on the farm.

War Bonds are backed by Uncle Sam. That makes them just about the safest thing in the world. They're the easiest way to save your money, because you can buy them at bank or postoffice or Production Credit Association. They come in large or small denominations, and in different kinds, to suit your needs. The important thing is—keep on buying them!

YOU NEVER GET LESS THAN YOU LEND! And you can get $\frac{1}{4}$ more than you invest. When held 10 years, Series E War Bonds yield 2.9% interest compounded semi-annually. You get back \$4 for every \$3.

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About War Bonds (Series E)

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\$18.75	\$25.00
37.50	50.00
75.00	100.00
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750.00	1000.00

You can buy War Bonds from your bank, postmaster, rural mail carrier or Production Credit Association. Don't wait. Do it by mail if you can't get to town!

For America's future, for *your* future, for your children's future—keep on buying WAR BONDS

★ ★ *Let's all* **KEEP BACKING THE ATTACK!** ★ ★

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100 lb Bag No. 2 Size \$1.98
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26-Gauge Corrugated Metal Roofing square \$11.00
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6x9 Rugs \$1.98

9x12 Rugs \$3.33

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Cobblers \$3.40 per 100 lb bag
Mountains 100 lb bag \$2.50
Katahdins 100 lb bag \$2.50

SELECT—

Cobblers 100 lb bag \$3.40
Mountains 100 lb bag \$3.40
Katahdins 100 lb bag \$3.40
Red Bliss 100 lb bag \$3.40
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Cobblers 100 lb bag \$3.90
Mountains 100 lb bags \$4.00
Katahdins 100 lb bags \$4.00

Rice 11c lb

We pay 7c for Lard and Exchange Cans

Barred Rock Baby Chicks \$10.00 per 100

White Rock Baby Chicks \$10.00 per 100

Lard 11c lb in can lots

Alfalfa Clover 45c lb

7 lbs Soap Powder 25c

Alsike Seed 33c lb

30x5 Truck Tires \$7.50

Red Clover Seed 42c lb

32x6 Truck Tires \$9.75

40% Red-Cross Dynamite \$7.25 box

Ditching Dynamite \$8.50 box

Special

Smoked Shoulders 24c lb

Innerspring Mattresses \$29.50

SEED CORN

8 Row Yellow Flint \$4.48 bu

90 Day Yellow \$4.48 bu.

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Golden Queen \$4.48 bu.

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Red Sweepstake \$4.48 bu.

Yellow Sweepstake \$4.48 bu.

Boonville County White \$4.48 bu.

Johnson County White \$4.48 bu.

Eureka Ensilage \$4.98 bu.

Blue Ridge Ensilage \$4.98 bu.

Oil Brooder \$11.50

Barred Rocks \$10.00 per 100

White Rocks \$10.00 per 100

Spotlestown Linseed Oil Paint \$1.98 gal

Oats Chop \$2.35 bag

1/2 Barrel Flour for \$2.98

Cocoa 19c lb

1 gal. Jug Chocolate Syrup \$1.98

Spraying Lime 48c bag

4 Cans Tomatoes for 25c

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Medford Maryland

CORRESPONDENCE

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 Wednesday, or by Fast Mail, west on W. M. R. R., Thursday morning. Letters mailed on Thursday evening may not reach us in time.

UNIONTOWN

Rev. J. H. Hoch is the speaker at a Bible Conference being held at Elizabethtown, Pa.

The Samuel Talbert family, Silver Spring, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Halbride.

Miss Louise Keidel, of Catonsville, and Miss Julia Speicher, Baltimore, called on Mrs. G. W. Baughman, on Monday.

Week-end guests in town included Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard West and son, Barton, at the H. B. Fogle home;

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lambert and daughter, Patsy, Taneytown, at the William Dickensheets home;

Miss June Bond Dennings, at the T. L. Devilbiss home.

Mrs. Clarence Lockard and daughter, Juliann, spent from Thursday until Sunday with the J. C. Hoy family, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Howard Rodkey, visited with her daughters, near Tyrone, over the holiday season.

Sgt. Ralph K. Smith, who is stationed at Hamilton Field, California, is enjoying a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Smith.

Mrs. Russell Martiney and son, Ichesler, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Simpson.

Joseph Englar, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Englar, Jr., New Windsor, called on Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Cookson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilhite, Baltimore, visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Granville Erb.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Smith and son, Jeffery, Maplewood, N. J., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Smith, Woodside.

Harry Stone will have sale of his late father's household goods on April 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Little and family, Hanover, visited Mrs. Flora Shriner and Blanche Shriner, on Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Formwalt, Mrs. Wm. Stremmel and Mrs. W. P. Englar are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Smith, Sgt. Ralph Smith and Miss Helen Albaugh, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray LeGore, Silver Run.

A miscellaneous shower was given to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Fritz, Wednesday evening at the home of the bride. Many useful and beautiful gifts were received.

The W. S. C. S., of the Methodist Church, will hold a food and bake sale, on Saturday, at 11 A. M., at the parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth H. Linthicum and Pfc. Milton Linthicum, of Linthicum Heights, spent Easter at the Methodist parsonage with Rev. Paul F. Warner and family.

The Uniontown Boy Scout Troop Committee met recently for the purpose of selecting merit badge counselors from the community to instruct and act as examiners for the boys working for merit badges.

Those in attendance were: Harry B. Fogle, chairman, and committeemen Rev. George Bowersox, Clarence Lockard, T. L. Devilbiss, Elwood Zollicoffer, also in attendance were Franklin S. Gilds, scoutmaster; James W. Zollicoffer, assistant scoutmaster, and Charles Devilbiss, Junior assistant scoutmaster.

In the course of the meeting twelve men were selected as counselors to cover forty different subjects. These men are being contacted by members of the committee.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Fielder Gilbert and Mrs. Cora Stem visited with the Raymond Kaezel family, Boonsboro, from Thursday until Sunday.

Ann Brown spent the Easter vacation with her aunt.

FEESERSBURG

Monday, April 10, warm weather, bright sunshine, tiny leaves opening on lilac and early flowers, tender buds swelling on the trees, the fields green, low fires and open doors and everybody busy with out-door work—'altho' cannot work in ground as wet as it is now.

How about snow on April 4th and 5th? The unusually dark sky to the South on Tuesday evening, when lights had to be turned on at 5 P. M. was alarming; then came the most furious snow fall—as the clouds passed, and soon the ground was covered in white, but later there was a real sunset; and Wednesday more heavy snow fell. Once Uncle John W. and I went sleighing the middle of April.

The final Easter service held at Mt Union last week was well attended, and the lesson wonderful—with the picture by Piombo of "Christ bearing his Cross." These services were well planned, and instructive, 'twas a privilege to hear them.

'Twas a fine Easter Day, and good services. Many was absent from communion at Mt. Union—but considering sickness, war's demands, and other hindrances, there was a fair attendance. The church was beautifully decorated with potted plants and bouquets from a half dozen homes, the music was appropriate to the season and the choir sang a lovely anthem—"He is Risen." Rev. Bowersox based his remarks on the theme: "Life's Eternal Pleat" (the Cross). Mrs. Roy Reifsnider was received into membership on profession of faith; and Misses Thelma Crouse, Arlene Grindler and Vivian Grindler by baptism. The offering for Lutheran World Action was \$40.00.

The pen-sketch heading the church Bulletin is of two crosses on a low hill, with a glowing halo forming one in the center, with a brief sermonette on "Loves Story" beneath. Announcement is given of a county-wide rally of Lutherans this Thursday evening in Grace Church, Westminster; of the Easter donations for the Bulletin from each church in the Uniontown Parish of special work done in each—a good response to Red Cross appeal; and messages from some of the soldier boys concerning their worship services.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Crabbs returned to Green Gates the former F. Littlefield property, on Friday—after lodging with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wilhite the past season.

Our regulars attended the sale of goods at Paul Ogle's home in Union Bridge, on Saturday afternoon, but bidding was not too high for their taste—and some fine antiques also.

Miss Ruth Utermahlen, of Baltimore, spent the Easter holidays with her sister, Mrs. C. Wolfe and enjoyed dandelion greens—fresh from the ground; called on a few friends, and attended worship at Mt. Union on Sunday. She is still in the employ of the work shop of the blind, in charge of sales of their goods at North Market Place.

The class of Smiling Sunbeams of Mt. Union will meet with the Never Weary Class of Baust Church at the Hall in Frizellburg, this Tuesday evening—expecting to have a good time together.

The Rainy-day Bags were a joke last Fall when the weather was so dry, but they've come into their own these past weeks to pay up to date.

Announcement was made, and attendance was urged at S. S. to hear Homer Rodeheaver—the singing Evangelist, and B. D. Ackley—composer in High School auditorium in Westminster, this Wednesday evening.

Some of our sick are improving, and out again if not strong; but now the measles—in heavy doses are making themselves felt—badly, and Job wasn't the only mortal to entertain boils, for Miss Vivian Grindler is nursing the 19th boil on her arm—not large ones, but troublesome and painful.

Have you heard Tom Brennehan ridicule the women's hats that attend "Breakfast at Sardies?" We enjoy his and Carl Webster's laughs and they treat the old Ladies fine (including the kiss), but no need to go to California to see funny head-gear this season; here in Maryland, we only need keep our eyes open—not too wide, and our mouths shut, and then we can think what a busy old boy Santa is!

On April 9th, 1865—at Appomattox Court House, Va. Lee surrendered his army to Grant—on terms honorable to both parties. His surrender was soon followed by the other Confederate Generals. Jefferson Davis was captured in Ga. disguised in women's clothing, and the Civil War was at an end. It had lasted 4 years at immense cost in money, and more than half a million lives including both sides—but it had abolished slavery.

On both sides the self-devotion of the women at home equalled that of the soldiers in the field, but there were few families North or South, which did not suffer some bereavement during the long contest. There was joy and thanksgiving over the Nation when the weary war had ended but only 5 days later—April 14, 1865 it turned into mourning when the news that President Lincoln was assassinated in Washington, went over the wires.

HARNEY

April 16, at 9:15 a sermon by Rev. D. W. Rex in St. Paul's Lutheran Church; Sunday School, at 10:15. On April 23rd, at 7:30 P. M., the Rev. Robert Benner of Oberlin, Pa., will be the guest speaker. The theme is recognition of the young men of this church and community who are serving in the U. S. Army. The public are welcome to these services.

Mr. and Mrs. Quintin T. Eckenrode and sons, Tobias and Ronald, of Baltimore, spent Saturday night with the former's mother, Hannah C. Eckenrode.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice D. Eckenrode and children, Patricia Ann and Robert Wayne, spent the Easter holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snyder, Baltimore.

Lucille Stambaugh, Washington, D. C., spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stambaugh and sisters, just recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lambert, of Hagerstown, spent Sunday with Mrs. John Hesson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wolff, spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Smith, Bridgeport, Md.

Ruth Snider spent Thursday as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stambaugh, Mrs. Paul Rummel and sister, Janice.

Pfc. Paul Rummel of the U. S. A. arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stambaugh on Friday, to spend a furlough with his wife and other relatives and friends. He has been transferred to a camp in New Jersey, from Australia.

Mr. Wm. J. Reck and son Robert, had as Easter Sunday visitors, Mrs. Robert Recker, York; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reck, Manchester, Md., and Mrs. Walter Lambert, Hagerstown, Md.

Samuel D. Snider and sister, Ruth, had as callers over the Easter holidays: Mrs. Carl H. Baumgardner, daughters, Susan and Carole; Mrs. M. Elizabeth Snider, Gettysburg, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bower and daughter, Virginia, Taneytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Snider, spent Saturday and Sunday with their son, Charles R. Snider and family, Gettysburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sprinkle had as Easter Sunday dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Reaver and family; Mrs. Lillie Moser and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harvey, Taneytown R. D. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cline, Green Stone, Pa. were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wantz and Mrs. Wm. Kump.

The Aid Society of Harney U. B. Church held the regular monthly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strickhouser. 25 members and 3 visitors being present. Two friends, presented the Society with a

\$25.00 check, to be used in the Lord's work. This generous gift was greatly appreciated.

The annual covered dish social is to be held next month at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Haines.

Rev. and Mrs. Garvin, called Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Hankey.

Oscar Mummert, who makes his home with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strickhouser, was up for his physical examination on Tuesday at Harrisburg. He passed and is in line for induction into the Navy. Harney and vicinity can well be proud of the fine young manhood it has given to our country's service. The best of luck boys and may that victory be speedy.

We were surprised to learn from Pvt. Wesley Mummert, how mild the winter has been in Denver, Colo. In fact, Wesley informs us his Easter chocolate arrived in a melted condition. Some of that chocolate melting weather would be welcome around here. Wesley has completed his studies at Lowry Field and expects to be in gunnery school very soon.

George Marshall, Jr., left last Saturday for service in the U. S. Army, he was still at Fort George Meade, at last report.

Mr. S. D. Hawn wasn't feeling up to par for a few days, glad to say he is feeling better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Fuss attended services at Barts B. Church, Hanover, R. D., on Sunday afternoon.

Little Shirley Valentine received quite a bump on her head from falling in a store in Hanover, striking her head on a dress rack.

LITTLESTOWN

The Rev. Kenneth D. James, chairman of the Red Cross Drive in Littlestown and vicinity, has announced that the contributions in this area amounted to \$3,504.43 which is \$1100 more than 1943. The Regent Theatre turned in \$158 which was received in the Theatre during the last week, when the Manager had basket passed each evening.

Mrs. Fred Blocher has returned home after spending three weeks with her husband at Camp Breckenridge, Ky. Pvt. Blocher is now receiving his mail in care of the Postmaster New York.

Mrs. Ada Parr has returned to her home after having spent some time with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Miller, Baltimore.

William Wilt, steward at the home of F. O. E. Lodge who was taken suddenly ill while on duty was taken to the office of Dr. Coover. After receiving treatment he was removed to a hospital and on Thursday, and was discharged and returned home.

St. John Lutheran Church had a two-hour sermon on Good Friday afternoon. The service consisted of the seven last words from the Cross. The Rev. Theodore W. Boltz, the Rev. D. S. Kammerer, the Rev. F. R. Seibel, the Rev. Harold Crouse, the Rev. Philip Senft, the Rev. Wallace J. Cummings, and Frank Zeigler spoke.

Miss Ruth Anna Reindollar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Reindollar, York, formerly of town, is a patient in the York City Hospital following an operation for acute appendicitis.

Lt. and Mrs. George Hornberger visited their parents, they were enroute to Fort Worth, Tex.

Miss Jennie B. Cutelius, died unexpectedly Tuesday morning at her home on East King St. She had been in failing health for the past year but appeared in her usual health when she retired. She became suddenly ill during the night. She was aged 74 years, and was a life-long member of the Reformed Church. The funeral will be held this Friday afternoon with services at the J. W. Little and Son Funeral Home. The Rev. Theodore W. Boltz, officiated. Interment in the Mt. Carmel cemetery.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary held their meeting in the Post home. The members will take their penny-a-day bag to the meeting.

There were a lot of young people who joined the church on Easter. All churches had a nice number. An impressive Easter service was largely attended last Sunday evening in St. James Reformed Church. It was given by members of the Sunday School.

HOOPER'S DELIGHT.

Pvt. Harry J. Farver who has had ten months service in Africa and Italy, is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Farver, and sister, of Westminster. Mr. and Mrs. Farver has received word their other son, Pfc. Fred Farver has arrived safely somewhere in England.

Those who spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. H. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. E. Crabbs, Mrs. Kuby Snyder and daughters, Mary E., Sandra, Lee, Joice A., Nancy Snyder and Miss Mildred Bank and Patsy Crabbs, Mrs. H. Farver and daughter, Betty Jane and son, Pvt. Harry J. Farver, called at the same place on Monday.

Mrs. George Garver and daughter, Reba, called on Mr. and Mrs. H. Blacksten and family, on Easter Sunday.

We all were sorry to hear of the death of Pvt. Sterling Jenkins overseas. He is the son of Mrs. E. Jenkins. The family has our deepest sympathy.

Mrs. R. Davis, spent last Tuesday with Mrs. H. Farver and son, Pvt. Harry J. Farver.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Davis and Billie and Francis Reese, spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Stultz and son.

Congratulations to the newly weds Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard Bowman.

Those who visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Farver, of Westminster, were: Mr. and Mrs. H. Lockner, Mr. and Mrs. R. Stultz, Mr. and Mrs. R. Davis, Mrs. C. Colson, Mrs. Geo. Garver, Mrs. H. Poole, Mrs. Rosebaum, Mrs. Alice Pickett, Mrs. Mary Clay, May Farver, Ruth and June Stoner, June King, Hilda Jenkins, Doris Myers, Ruth Farver,

Shirley Stonesifer, Nadine Stonesifer, Aunt Liddie, Evelyn and Marchie Freberthouser, Mrs. C. Freberthouser, Elizabeth and Katherine Colson, Reba Garver, Ida May Jenkins, Pvt. Harry J. Farver, Billie and Francis Reese, Landa and Dimp Farver, Truman Poole, Wilmar Franklin, W. Vanfosse and H. Royer.

NEW WINDSOR

The Easter Services at both churches was well attended on last Sunday.

Mrs. W. Cora Stouffer entertained the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church, at her home on Wednesday evening.

Misses Ethel Ensor, Kitty Baile Devilbiss and Sara Baile, all of Baltimore, spent the week-end here at their respective homes.

Mrs. M. D. Reid spent the week-end in Thurmont with her sons.

Miss Betty Jane Roop and her friend, Miss Ann Logan, of Chestertown, Md., both student nurses at the Maryland University Hospital, Baltimore, spent their leave here at the home of Miss Roop's parents.

Harold Putny and Ann Roop are on the sick list.

Mr. David Haines who has been sick is not so good this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Englar attended a conference of the Brethren Church in Baltimore, on Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. George P. B. Englar entertained the Missionary Society of the Methodist at her home on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Getty, spent the Easter holidays in New York City.

Mrs. Ralph Coe is at the Maryland University Hospital, Baltimore.

Edgar Guyton, U. S. Army, left on Wednesday after a 5-day furlough here with his mother.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

A surprise birthday party was held Friday evening, April 7, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Flickinger, in honor of Mrs. Flickinger's birthday. The birthday cake was attractively decorated in green and yellow in keeping with Easter, and was baked and presented by Mrs. Carroll Wilson and daughter, Ann Carl.

Refreshments were served consisting of chicken salad sandwiches, pickled eggs, potato chips, pretzels, grape-lemons, coffee, cakes, candy, peanuts and mints. An enjoyable evening was spent by all.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. William Flickinger, children, Doris, Jean and Bobby; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Erb, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Keefer, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Flickinger, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Flickinger, children Janet and Phyllis; Mrs. Carroll Wilson, daughter, Ann Carol; Mr. and Mrs. Newton Stair, daughters, Evelyn and Anna Mae.

LETTER FROM DETROIT

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disappearance of two more 14-year-old girls from the same vicinity. And to top it off, the body of what is supposed to be a woman, so badly decomposed that it must have been placed over a year ago in the ground at the spot where it was found, along the Clinton River, near Utica, on the dude ranch of a prominent prize-fighter.

About a year ago the body of a woman was found near the same place, the solution of which crime has not been solved. Of course no reflection can be placed on the owner of this property where these crimes were evidently committed, but it looks as if some friend had chosen this place for the commission of these crimes, as being the most suitable location, for it is a lonely and deserted sort of place, where no one would be likely to discover the bodies.

We do not often say anything about politics. But we want to express our gratification at the withdrawal of Wendell Wilkie from the contest for the Republican nomination for President, as we had about made up our minds to not vote for any one for that office if he was nominated. Not that I do not doubt that the New Dealers, Communists, Negroes and Union Labor Racketeers, will be able to send their beloved leader back for a Fourth term, but that, being a good Republican, as every one of my friends in there probably knows, now some one who I can vote for, will be nominated.

While Spring is here, officially, the weather man has given us but a few days that promised warmer and more seasonable weather. We had several light snows the past week, but nothing to compare with the heavy ones we read about, as occurring in some of the Eastern States. We hope you folks were not in that unseasonable weather zone.

JOHN J. REID.

COUNT THE COST.

Count the cost, America, What will war bring to us? Perhaps a few million yen While death hovers o'er us.

Gave at the America— Land of Liberty— War will take these boys of ours, Kill and cripple—War devours,

Placemore burdens on our back, And all for what? Do you lack That discernment that's required To say what avarice desired?

Can you tell me now the cost In men there dead and money lost? Is there glory to be found Rotting on an alien ground?

Call in Congress, dogs of war, Bid them stand by, protect our shore Send not our men across the sea To fight for alien treasury.

W. J. H.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my thanks to those who sent me cards, flowers and fruit, while my stay in the Frederick City Hospital; also to those who paid me visits.

MRS. SAMUEL S. CLINGAN.

Worry Sent Her Home

In Time to Save Three

MEMPHIS, TENN.—Mrs. Emmett Galloway said the thought that something was wrong at home kept troubling her Sunday night as she watched a motion picture. She left in midfilm, found her two children and a neighbor's son lying on the living room floor, overcome by furnace fumes. All were revived.

U. S. Flier Dodges

Shell in Midair

Odd Adventure Befalls Yank Pilot in Italy.

U. S. BASE IN ITALY.—Ducking an American mortar shell in mid-air gave Lieut. D. R. Garrels of Diller, Neb., a bigger thrill than dodging German flak, an American correspondent in Italy writes.

The odd adventure befell the 23-year-old invader pilot as he returned across the Volturno river battle line.

"We had just bombed and strafed German road targets a couple of miles the other side of the river," he said, "I had pulled up at about 450 miles an hour and was only about 500 feet off the ground when I saw a flash from the other side of the river where our troops were at that time.

"Then suddenly I saw a black mortar shell hurtling toward me. It was only about 100 feet ahead and 20 feet to the right—just barely off my course.

"It was right on top of me, and I did what I could, but if it had been a few feet to the left I would have run right into it. It ripped over my plane and landed down among the Germans, where the guy who fired it meant it to go.

"Boy, if I had caught that one there wouldn't have been enough left of my plane to make a jigsaw puzzle."

Cases of planes being accidentally or intentionally knocked down by mortar or artillery fire are extremely rare, although some enemy aircraft have been caught taking off from a field as it was being brought under American artillery fire.

"When a plane runs into a mortar or artillery shell in the air there generally won't be any people left in it in shape to talk about the experience," one flier said.

Sinner Songs Replace

Jails in South Seas

WASHINGTON.—You don't go to jail for wrongdoing in the South-Sea Islands. You get a song written about you, telling the world of your disgrace.

Describing the use of Polynesian music at a meeting of the Anthropological society in Washington, Dr. Edwin G. Burrows, of the University of Connecticut, gave some examples of the native custom of singing about sinners. Songs were composed mocking the mother of an illegitimate child; disgracing two over-ambitious chiefs who tried to monopolize the copra trade; denouncing those who would not become Christians.

Guardhouses and jails are American culture elements introduced into the islands that have become military bases, Dr. Burrows explained. But while our men behind bars may sing about "having wings like an angel" the native offenders, free as the air, squirm at the sound of a song.

Other forms of punishment described by Dr. Burrows consisted of fining a male offender a pig and a female law-breaker a mat or some barkcloth.

'Let's Get Hurt' Game

Is Fatal to Inventor, 11

CHICAGO.—Dennis Dannert, 11, "split a coke" with his mother before she left for work in a war plant Monday night, then called on two brothers in the apartment across the hall.

The three tried various games, but all turned out to be dull. Then Dennis invented a new game, "Let's get hurt." When it was his turn to be "it," he told James Godfrey, nine, and Tom, six, "Now I'll play like I'm hanging myself."

He ordered them to stay in the kitchen until he was ready. When he didn't answer they investigated and found him hanging from the head of the bed with a bright silk scarf around his neck.

They telephoned the war plant for his mother, with whom Dennis had lived alone since his father died when he was one year old and she was 16. Neighbors helped her unfasten the scarf. When a doctor arrived, Dennis was dead.

Homing Pigeon Loses

Its Way; Becomes Spy

HEMET HEMPSTEAD.—When a homing pigeon lost its way over Britain it flew to Holland and became a spy. J. Thorpe, of Hemet Hempstead, England, released four pigeons in Scotland to race home. Three arrived. The fourth was caught in Holland two days later and, after being rested was released once more. This time it found its way home, bringing with it the following message: "The Germans have killed all my pigeons. I will communicate with you after the war." A message in code was attached.

GUY M. COOKSON

Guy M. Cookson, retired farmer, died Monday evening, April 10, 1944, at his home in Uniontown following a year's illness. He was a son of the late Dennis and Mary Smith Cookson and was aged 71 years.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ada Royer Cookson; two daughters, Mary Elizabeth and Grace I., at home, and one son, Guy, Jr., near Uniontown; also a brother, Burrier L. Cookson, Uniontown. He was a lifelong member of the Methodist Church.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the late residence, with further obsequies in the Uniontown Methodist Church. The Rev. Paul E. Warner, officiated. Interment was made in the church cemetery.

COMMUNITY LOCALS

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All persons who are not registered for voting should register April 25, in order to qualify as voters at the election this year.

Dr. Harry Baughman, Professor of the Theological Seminary, Gettysburg, Pa., will be the guest speaker at Trinity Lutheran Church, Sunday, April 16th, at 10:30 A. M.

Among the service men that spent the Easter holidays with their home folks were: David Myerly, Richard Mehring, Henry Reindollar, Robert Wantz, Kenneth Smith, Delmar Baumgardner, Hay Hahn, Kenneth and Ralph Bankard and Leon Hill.

A large display of articles from a South Sea Island is exhibited at Miller's Smart Shop, John T. Miller, Prop'r, on the square. These articles have been sent to Mrs. Nettie Albaugh by her son, Ship's Cook 1/c Petty Officer, J. Thomas Albaugh, who has been in the South Pacific over two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Keilholtz, of Emmitsburg, entertained on Easter Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Troxell, of York, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Grier J. Keilholtz, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ohler and family, of Taneytown, and Miss Glass, of Emmitsburg, Md.; also Mr. and Mrs. Murray Roop, Emmitsburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Grier J. Keilholtz, on Sunday.

Dr. Paul Henkel and wife, (nee Edith Viola Zent), left Washington, last week for Texas, to see his brother get his wings. They stopped over for Chicago and Kansas City to visit relatives enroute. They expect to return to Washington. But Dr. Henkel a Lieutenant in the U. S. Medical Corps expects to leave for service in China in the near future.

Visitors during the Easter holidays at the home of J. Raymond Zent and daughter, Miss Agnes Zent, Keymar, were: Mrs. John Meshejian, of New York; Maurice R. Zent, Ordnance man at the Norfolk Naval Air Station; John Leonard Zent, Naval Aviation Cadet Reserve, now a student at Howard College, Birmingham, Ala; Miss Dorothy Zent, of Hagerstown, and Mrs. Marshall Bell, of Keymar.

Solemn High Mass was celebrated Easter Sunday morning in St. Joseph's Catholic Church with Rev. Arthur W. Murphy, as celebrant, Reverend Mr. Irving F. Klister

SPECIAL NOTICES

SMALL ADVERTISEMENTS will be inserted under this heading at One Cent a word, each week, counting name and address of advertiser—two initials, or a date, counted as one word. Minimum charge, 25 cents.

REAL ESTATE for sale, Two Cents each word. Minimum charge, 25 cents.

THIS COLUMN is specially for Wants, Lost, Found, Short Announcements, Personal Property for sale, etc.

CASH IN ADVANCE payments are desired in all cases.

FIRE WOOD, Sawn Stove length, (Dry), delivered—Harold Mehring, 8-28-47

NOTICE—All persons are warned not to trespass on or about my property. —Mrs. Raymond Reynolds, Harney, Md.

LOT 80x200 TO FARM on shares, was plowed last Fall.—Percy V. Putman, Taneytown, Phone 40W.

FOR RENT—Two Houses, at Trevanion—Joseph Coe, Trevanion.

NEW HAMPSHIRE and Rock-Red Cross Chickens, U. S. approved and blood-tested. Turkey Poults each week. Place your order now for future delivery. Special price starting May 1st.—Stonesifer's Hatchery, Keymar, Phone 85-F-13 Taneytown. 4-14-37

FOR SALE—3/4 tons of Hay.—Chas. F. Kiser, on Taneytown-Keysville road, near Keysville.

FOR SALE—Cabbage Plants. Please call after 5 P. M.—C. R. Cluts, Keysville, Md. 4-14-27

BIG PARTY, Saturday evening, April 15, at 8 o'clock, in the School Hall. Benefit of St. Joseph's Church, Taneytown.

FOR SALE—Nice Hay at a reasonable price.—John Keilholtz, midway between Taneytown and Emmitsburg.

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by any one except myself.—C. I. Shank.

WANTED—Housekeeper, middle-aged woman.—C. I. Shank.

SUN VALLEY Serenaders will be in Taneytown Opera House, Thursday evening, April 20th. A full evening of good entertainment.

3 SHOATS FOR SALE, 100 lbs. each.—Mahlon Brown, near town, Phone 48-F-15.

FOR SALE—Early Jersey Wakefield Cabbage and White Bursuma Onion Plants.—Apply E. J. Nubbaum or Gulf Service Station, Taneytown.

FOR RENT—Modern 4-Room centrally located Apartment. Rent \$27.50. In replying state size of family.—Address "A" care Carroll Record, Taneytown.

WANTED—Man above draft age to drive a light truck. Good pay. Write Russell Z. Horman, Middletown, Md., R. F. D. No. 1. 4-7-27

FOR SALE—Bred Does and Young Rabbits.—Elmer Null, Bethel Church

WANTED—Puppies, Collies, Shepherds, Collie and Shepherd crossed, white and black Spitz, Cocker Spaniels, Fox Terriers; drop card.—W. L. Eckert, Taneytown, Md. 3-31-37

HORSES FOR SALE or exchange.—L. E. Smith, Taneytown-Emmitsburg road, 2 miles from Taneytown. Phone 31F13. 3-31-47

BARRED ROCK, R. I. and New Hampshire Red and White Leghorn Chickens every Wednesday. Repeat orders our best endorsement. See our fine 2 and 3 year old Hens from R. O. P. State Bloodtested and culled breeders, from which your chicks will be hatched.—Schildt's Hatchery, near Taneytown, Md., R. 1, Phone 28-F-4. 1-23-187

FOR SALE—Air Mail and V-Mail Stationery. Just the kind of paper to write letters to Service Men.—The Record Office. 7-16-47

FOR SALE—Pianos, Pianos, Pianos, Big Bargains. We save you money on good New and Used Guaranteed Pianos. Easy terms. Tuning, Repairing.—Cramer's Palace of Music, Frederick, Md. 1-7-47

FOR SALE—Just received new supply of Florescent Lights, with Chrome Reflectors for Kitchen, Dining and Bath, 5 types to select from; we hang them.—Lambert Electric Store, Frederick St., Phone 1-R. 10-22-47

FOR SALE—Typewriter Ribbons and Supplies; Carbon Paper—Charles L. Stonesifer, Representative of Remington Rand, Inc. 7-16-47

SALESMEN'S Order Books are supplied by The Record from the manufacturers, at standard prices. About six weeks are required for filling such orders. 3-22-37

NOTICE—Give us your order for Daily Record Form Cards for trucks as ordered by the Office of Defense Transportation, so that you may comply with your War Necessity Certificates.—The Carroll Record Office. 12-25-47

WEDDING INVITATIONS and Announcements. Have three grades. Work almost equal to engraved, and prices to please you. 5-31-37

TRY THIS Column for your needs, both for selling and buying. It brings customers and makes sales. Good business men make use of it! Many readers examine it. 1-14-47

"The one thing the world will need desperately after this period of world-wide destruction ends is production—mass production of more things in greater quantities than the world has ever needed before. No government can fulfill that need. It can be fulfilled by the labor of the hands and minds of people."—George W. Romney, Director, Automotive Council for War Production.

CHURCH NOTICES.

This column is for the free use of all churches, 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 Medal.

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 7:30 P. M. alternate Sundays.

Tom's Creek M. E. Church, Rev. Dean Kessler, pastor. 9:15 A. M., Sunday School; 10:00 Morning Worship.

Keysville Lutheran Church—Holy Communion, 9 A. M.; Sunday School 10 A. M. Rev. Dr. Kelley, Supply pastor.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Taneytown—Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.; Worship, 10:30 A. M. The guest speaker will be Dr. Harry Baughman Professor of the Theological Seminary, Gettysburg, Pa. Luther League, 6:30 P. M.; Worship, 7:30.

Reformed Church, Taneytown.—Sunday School, at 9:30 A. M.; Morning Worship, at 10:30; Christian Endeavor (Senior and Junior), at 6:30 P. M.

Keysville—Sunday School, at 1:00 P. M.; Worship, at 2:00. Election of Elder and Deacon immediately after the worship service.

Piney Creek Presbyterian Church, Rev. Charles S. Owen, pastor. 9:30 Morning Worship and Sermon; 10:30 S. S.

Taneytown Presbyterian Church—7:30 Evening Worship and sermon; 10:00 A. M., S. S.

Pipe Creek Methodist Charge, Rev. Paul F. Warner, pastor. Uniontown Morning Worship, 9:15 A. M.; Sunday School, 10:30 A. M.

Pipe Creek—Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.; Morning Worship, 10:30 A. M. Uniontown Lutheran Charge, Rev. George E. Bowersox, Jr., pastor. St. Paul's—S. S., 9:30; Communion, 10:30.

Baust—S. S., 1:30; Church, 2:30. St. Luke's—S. S., 9:30. Mt. Union—S. S., 9:30.

Church of God, Uniontown, Rev. John H. Hoch, pastor. Uniontown Sunday School, 9:30 A. M. Mr. Edw. Caylor, Supt. Preaching Service, at 10:30 A. M. Mr. Franklin Stippich, preaching; Prayer Meeting on Wednesday evening, at 7:45. Miss Mildred Horning, leader.

Wakefield—Sunday School, at 10 A. M. Mr. James Staub, Supt. Preaching Service, at 7:45. Mr. Franklin Stippich, preaching. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study on Thursday evening, at 7:45.

Frizzellburg—Sunday School, at 10 A. M. Mr. Scott Sullivan, Supt. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study on Friday evening, at 8:00. Theme: "The Conscript."

Taneytown Charge of the United Brethren in Christ Church, A. W. Garvin, pastor. Taneytown—S. S., 9:30 A. M.; Worship, 10:30 A. M.; Sr. C. E., 6:30 P. M.; Jr. C. E., Wednesday 3:30 P. M.; Prayer Meetings and Bible Study, Wednesday, at 7:30 P. M. Official Board and Church School Board, will be announced from the pulpit Sunday.

Barts—S. S., 10 A. M. Harney—S. S., 6:30 P. M.; Worship, 7:30 P. M.; Holy Communion will be observed during the 7:30 P. M. service. Cemetery Board will meet at 7:30 P. M. Monday evening at the home of Mr. Wm. Hankey.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Probation after Death" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 23.

The Golden Text will be from I Cor. 15:26—"The last enemy that shall be destroyed is death." Among the citations comprising the Lesson-Sermon will be the following from the Bible—Col. 3:1—"If ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of 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 430—"Mortal mind must part with error, must put off itself with its deeds, and immortal manhood, the Christ ideal, will appear."

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.

APRIL

15—12 o'clock. Wm. R. Geisbert, Middle St., Taneytown. Household Goods. Earl Bowers, Auct.

18—5 o'clock. Newton Hahn, near Taneytown. Household Goods. Earl Bowers, Auct.

20—1 o'clock. Alvah E. Young, Adm. of Mollie C. Young estate. Real Estate and Personal Property.

22—12:30 o'clock. S. R. Weybright 2 miles north of Detour. Farming Implements and Household Goods. Harry Trout, Auct.

29—Benjamin Hurwitz, Union Mills. Live Stock, Farming Implements and Household Goods. Earl Bowers, Auct.



Order Fertilizers Now, Urges WFA

Heavy Demands Will Swamp Dealers Later

Prompt action by farmers in placing orders for fertilizers with their local dealers is being urged by the War Food administration. Farmers are being advised, also, to take delivery as soon as their requests can be filled.

Because manufacturers and transportation systems alike are faced with manpower shortages, the WFA says it is imperative that as many farmers as possible get in their fertilizer supplies this winter, instead of waiting for spring. Ordering now will be insurance against disappointment later on, it is pointed out. The fertilizer industry asserts it will be able to get the fertilizer manufactured and delivered, if allowed sufficient time. But instead of the usual peace-time spring rush period, about six months is now needed.

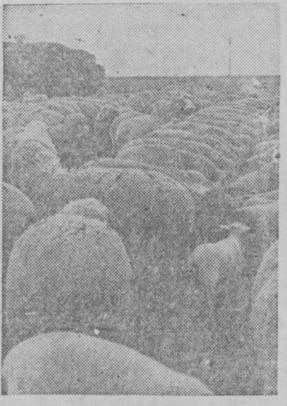
With the heaviest demand in history in prospect, the present outlook indicates that in total tonnage there will be 5 to 10 per cent more fertilizer in 1944 than in 1943. There is a definite prospect for more nitrogen and superphosphate than in 1943, but a certainty of less potash, government reports show.

Plenty of mixed fertilizer is reported as available for shipment at present. Unless it goes to farms now, however, there is a possibility, says the War Food administration, that the facilities of manufacturers and dealers may be swamped later on, so that they will be unable to make full delivery in time for spring planting.

It is reported that many local dealers can give immediate delivery on orders. Storage facilities on the farm may be met, studies have shown, by putting the sacked fertilizer on a platform slightly raised off the ground and situated so it will be protected from night winds. It is advised that sacks, wagon sheets and other materials be used to cover the fertilizer.

Under new revisions in the WFA's Food Production Order No. 5, provision is made for the addition of a few grades of fertilizer needed in some states to achieve more equitable distribution of potash in relation to nitrogen and superphosphate. The application form farmers use in obtaining fertilizer from local dealers has been simplified. Provision is also made for special measures whereby some fertilizers—new materials or of larger than usual quantity—may be directed into specific areas to encourage production of crops not given priority. Those that respond readily to the application of fertilizer, but which have not been customarily fertilized in the past, will be the most affected by this part of the order.

Counting Sheep



More sheep are shipped from Ketchum, Idaho, than from any other point in the United States, according to the Ketchum Chamber of Commerce. This year it is estimated that 90,000 animals will be sent out.

Turnips for Chickens

When turnip salad is fed in unlimited amounts, the chickens consume less mash and this, in turn, will cause the flock to slump in egg production. Not over four pounds of turnip salad should be fed to a flock of 100 birds in a day. Any feed that causes a decrease in the consumption of mash by the flock is likely to cause a slump in egg production.

Alcohol From Artichokes

Laboratory-scale fermentations of artichokes are being studied by Joseph E. Seagram and Sons of Louisville, Ky., as another source of fermentable sugars. Unlike grain, from which dextrose is obtained, artichokes contain inulin, a type of starch which, upon hydrolysis, yields fructose sugar. The enzyme necessary to break down inulin is inulase, whose presence in artichokes eliminates the necessity of adding any enzyme for conversion.

FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE

By ROGER B. WHITMAN

Roger B. Whitman—WNU Features.

HOUSE WITH NO BASEMENT

Question: We have just taken over a house that has no basement. The foundation is only a step or two above the ground. The floors seem very damp and are rather uneven. The former owners had linoleum on the bedroom floors. But underneath there seems to be a mold forming, causing an odor. Would inoleum cemented down keep out the dampness? What do you advise?

Answer: If there is enough space to crawl under the house, coat the underside of the floor and the floor beams with a liquid asphalt or tar. While you are at it, you can make the house much more comfortable by placing a blanket insulation between the floor beams. Do not cover the floors with linoleum until you have cleared up the dampness. If there is not sufficient space to work underneath the house, your only recourse will be to provide plenty of ventilation under the floors.

Building Shakes in Wind

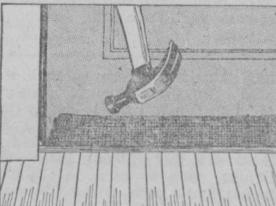
Question: We have a garage with an apartment over it. This building, by the nature of its construction, is somewhat topheavy. After the last high wind, the tenants said the building seemed almost to shake. Would it be of any benefit to drive three 15-foot lengths of pipe into the ground on each side of the house very close to it?

Answer: I have been in many houses that actually shook and vibrated in high winds with no damaging effect. Many of these buildings were old. If, as you say, the building is well constructed, nothing further need be done. However, if you have any misgivings, get a reliable builder or architect to examine the building and give you his advice. I do not think much of the pipe idea.

DRAFT UNDER DOOR

Question: There is a one-inch space under a door, due to the old-style threshold having been removed. How can I close this space?

Answer: Use a piece of heavy felt as long as the door is wide, and a foot or so in width. Tack one edge of it to the bottom of the door on one side and the remaining edge to the other side of the door, so that the felt forms a loop which scrapes the sill when the door is closed. A less convenient method would be to make a bag of heavy canvas four inches or so in diameter and as long



as the doorway is wide. It is filled with dry sand and placed against the bottom of the door to shut out the draft. A well-known expedient is simply to drag a rug in front of the door on cold nights.

Refinishing Dolls

Question: My two daughters have several dolls that I would like to refinish and dress for other youngsters. Can you tell me what kind of paint is used on the bodies and features of dolls? Is it baked on?

Answer: Yes, the finishes are baked on the dolls. The flesh-colored enamels are made especially for doll manufacturers and are not sold through paint stores. If you want to experiment get a flesh-colored enamel. Dull the gloss of the old finish on the dolls, wipe with turpentine and then put on the enamel. Bake in your oven for five minutes at a temperature of about 250 to 300 degrees.

Rancid Grease

Question: When I stored my iron chicken fryer, I greased it to prevent it from rusting. Now everything I cook in it tastes of rancid grease. How can I remove this taste and odor from the iron?

Answer: Wash the fryer with a solution of washing soda, about a quarter-cupful in a quart of hot water. If necessary, allow the hot solution to remain in the pan for a half hour or so. Then rinse thoroughly with clear, hot water and wipe dry. Always wipe the fryer dry after washing it. If this is done rusting should not occur.

Removing Carbon

Question: Will you give me the name of the powder used for removing the carbon from an oil burner? You just throw it on the burner and start the furnace.

Answer: There are several makes of such powders. But if your burner carbonizes badly it should be adjusted. Your oil burner service man or your local heating contractor should be able to supply you with the soot-removing compound; it is on general sale. But you should not allow the sooting to continue.

Farm Organization Officials Confer With Republican Leaders

The high commands of the major farm organizations converged on Chicago for a two-day discussion of agricultural problems with the Committee on Agriculture of the Republican Post-War Advisory Council April 3 and 4.

Spearheading delegations from the National Grange, the American Farm Bureau Federation, National Farmers Union, National Council of Farmer Cooperatives and the National Cooperative Milk Producers' Federation were the highest ranking officials of those organizations.

Out of the sessions will come definite recommendations for presentation to the platform committee of the Republican National Convention. Farm organizations participating in the discussions and their official representatives included the National Grange: A. S. Goss, Master, and E. A. Eckert, Secretary;

National Council of Farm Cooperatives: John H. Davis, president, P. O. Wilson, Quentin Reynolds, Earl W. Benjamin, N. L. Allen, F. R. Wilcox, D. W. Brooks, M. D. Guild, James H. Lemmon, Clyde C. Edmonds;

American Farm Bureau Federation: Edward A. O'Neal, president, and Earl C. Smith, vice president, and the following presidents of State Farm Bureau Federations—Warren W. Hawley, New York; Francis Johnson, Iowa; Hassell E. Schenck, Indiana; R. E. Short, Arkansas; J. F. Porter, Tennessee; H. J. King, Wyoming;

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National Farmers Union: James G. Patton, president; Glenn J. Talbot, president, North Dakota Farmers Union; Mrs. Gladys Edwards, national director, department of education; M. W. Thatcher, general manager, Farmers Union Grain Terminal Association, St. Paul.

In the fiscal years, 1933-1943, no less than 2,735,000 persons have been added to the federal government pay roll. The monthly pay roll was \$75 million in 1933. It is now \$522 million, exclusive of all military personnel.

AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF



Torpedoed at night, men of the Merchant Marine abandoned their fast-sinking ship. Frederick R. Zito, Cadet-Midshipman, left his lifeboat, climbed hand over hand up the falls to free a 250-pound fireman. Unable to loosen the ropes, he cut them free, then towed the entangled man until they were picked up by a lifeboat. His is heroism beyond the line of duty. That extra War Bond you buy may save a life!

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Hot and Cold

By SARAH S. PFEIFFER
McClure Syndicate—WNC Features.

WHEN Ted Carleton let himself in the front door at four o'clock he had two hours to decide the biggest problem of his life. Two hours to determine whether he would accept Verne Chandler's offer of a vice presidency or work with a new competitive company.

Tight little arms suddenly enveloped his knees. Then he remembered they were celebrating Deborah's sixth birthday. He lifted her to his shoulder; received a warm, moist kiss. If he could only talk over the matter with Janet quietly. There seemed little chance now.

Debbie's hand was smoothing his brown hair while he took in the picture. Ten dressed-up children were climbing over the living room furniture, having a marvelous, wide-eyed time. Janet's hair was loosened in damp curls on her forehead. She took his hat, put away his topcoat.

"Janet, won't you send the kids home early? I have something important to settle by six. Can't we talk it over upstairs?" It wasn't that she gave advice or tried to run his life. But he might be able to clear his mind if she just listened to him think aloud.

"Is it—about business?"
"Yes. Verne offered me the vice presidency and a small raise. A new company—Carstairs and Keith—want me to come in as treasurer at my present salary. It's a gamble but—"

He turned to Janet. "I've been with the company eight years. Verne is a pretty shrewd president. His



Tight little arms suddenly enveloped his knees.

offer sounds like a good thing. Of course, our financial setup has been shaky but Verne says—

"Ready, Daddy!" piped a small voice.

"O. K. Battleships before business I suppose."
Eager little faces watched him. Their eyes darted quickly to the drum table at the front windows, then back to him. That's where they hid a toy sub, he thought, but I'll play along a few minutes. He walked to the back, examining bookcases with mock seriousness.

But his thoughts were relentless. Verne is sharp, all right. Suddenly, he remembered swapping stamps with Verne in high school and always getting the worst end of the deal. Verne invariably swore they were genuine but added that, if they were not, he would take them back. Yet when the stamps proved to be imitation, Verne insisted on selling Ted's own lot back at a neat profit.

Still, he thought, if I join the new company, I am taking a terrific chance for my family. He liked the organization of Carstairs and Keith, liked the reputation of the men. He had experience and knowledge they could use. Funny, wasn't it, that the promotion in the old firm came only after Verne was told of the new offer? He had never known Verne to think of others first. Maybe the old company was shakier than he realized. There was a narrow line between shrewdness and dishonesty. And Verne's sudden cordiality was puzzling. Usually he was hard and cold.

Small suppressed sounds filled the room. He had searched everything except the drum table. When he reached it, a small boy began to clap eagerly.

"Why," Ted said to himself, "this is just like a game I used to play called 'Hot and Cold.' The children applauded louder and louder when you were near. It's the same game—under a different name!"

The little boys and girls crowded around him. "Boom! Boom! You're torpedoed! You're blown up in a million pieces!" Debbie fished the submarine from under his hand.

Janet was calling. "Light the candles, dear. Then the little ones can come in. I'll try to hurry them." Candlelight made a halo about her small head.

"There's no need to rush."
"But you just said—"

"I know, darling. Playing with the kids made me see things straight. Verne's methods are always the same, no matter what bait he uses or what he calls the game. I intend to leave him."

Her eyes did not leave his face. "I'm glad. But are you sure—"

"Sure as I am of my love for you. I've suddenly realized there's no more certain way of being right than doing the opposite of what your enemy wants."



Cattle Select Most Nutritious Pasture

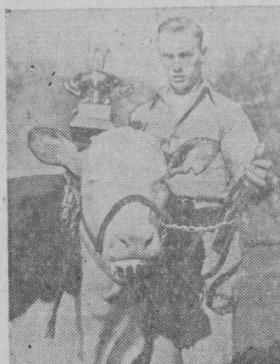
Instinct Leads Them To 'Greenest Grass'

That "the grass is greener on the other side of the fence" for the cow is more than bovine fancy.

When the cow will risk injury from barbed wire in order to get out on the highway or into another field for the grass on the other side, surely there must be some compelling force responsible, Dr. William A. Albrecht, chairman of the department of soils, University of Missouri, asserts.

"Perhaps farmers have never thought that animal instinct and soil fertility are at the basis of what may be wrongly considered just so much 'crazy cow' psychology," said Dr. Albrecht. "In this adage about animal behavior, there is given to us a significant suggestion for making our shortage of labor more effective and the farm business more profitable. Recent soil studies using animals as means of measuring soil fertility are pointing out that animal choices represent more effective gains by them, better animal health, along with more regular and more prolific reproduction.

"Lime treatments on the soil, for example, are the areas commonly selected when cows graze lespedeza in one part of the field in preference to another, as numerous farmers testify. Hogs acted similarly toward corn left in the field. The corn was



BABY BEEF CHAMPION—This Hereford calf won the grand championship at the Quad County 4-H show at Clinton, Iowa, and the Pillsbury Medal for his proud owner, 16-year-old Benjamin Greve of Bryant.

left untouched where no lime was used even though the hogs passed to and fro through it. Barley has been grazed out first where 200 pounds of fertilizer was applied in contrast to that with only 100 pounds. Grains, such as corn, in the self-feeder, have been selected by hogs according to the soil treatment where the crop was grown. Guinea pigs have selected various grains with differences in choice according to the fertility of the soils growing them.

"Yes, 'the other side of the fence' is sought by the animal because its better judgment as to its nourishment, and therefore its better health, better growth, and more efficient reproduction are involved. The cows usually break out on to the highway or railroad right-of-way where crops have grown annually but have not been removed. Crops have not carried away the soil fertility. We have been alarmed about the danger that some valuable meat or milk producer might be killed by traffic. Instead, we should be recognizing the fact that by means of the more fertile soil on the other side of the fence our efforts and the animal's time can be used more effectively.

"The cows have been pleading with us to give soil improvement some needed attention but we have turned them a deaf ear. We may well profit by using these animal assays of our soil fertility as well as by calling on the chemist for soil tests.

"How can we best accomplish the job of soil replenishment? There are a number of ways. Liming is beneficial because it helps both the plants and the animals to get their needed calcium, more than because this soil treatment fights soil acidity. Calcium in limestone, or even in gypsum, phosphorus in the acid, or raw rock forms; potassium as salts; and all the other nutrient elements included on the soil fertility list, need our attention as soil treatments to make the grass greener on our own side of the fence."

Agricultural Notes

Sorghum syrup is not a good sweetener for fruits. Its flavor is apt to crowd out the delicate fruit flavor.

To render fat, cook it over very low heat until it is melted. Do not let fat smoke. Strain it through cheesecloth or old muslin. Cover the strained fat and keep it cool until used.

Homespun Philosophy

By Ezra

HITCH YOUR WAGON TO A STAR

I think it was Emerson who first said those six little words. They are the summary of human achievement, —an everlasting inspiration to the future races of men. From Adam to the present day every forward step taken by mankind through the fleeting centuries, every step of progress by humanity towards the ultimate victory, has been led by some valiant dreamer whose eyes were fixed upon the dawn. Moses, with fading eyes, saw a star blazing in the Promised Land; the radiance of an eternal star led Three Kings of the Orient to the manger in Bethlehem; Columbus pinned his faith on a new star; Kepler announced the laws of the unchanging spheres; Marconi harnessed the element of the stars upon which to send the spoken word; and the Wright Brothers paved the way for man to visit those distant orbs. Each looked beyond the transpiring present into the future.

Success does not lie in the achievement of that at which you have aimed. Success depends upon your aiming at what you ought to achieve, and then pressing forward with a determined will to achieve it. If you do not attain it here you probably will hereafter.

Marines and seafaring men, men flying the night skies in aeroplanes, plot their course by means of celestial navigation. They hitch their wagons to a star. Those stars guide and direct these men to their destination without faltery or error.

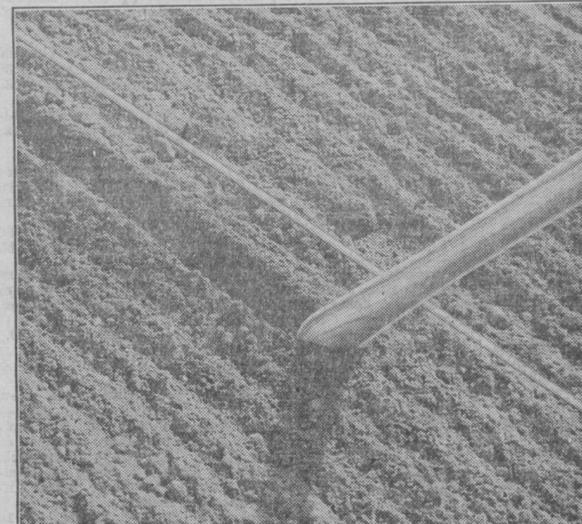
We cannot touch the stars with our hands, but we can see them. Beholding, we stand in wonder and awe before the mysteries of the heavens, though he were president of many royal societies, had memorized the whole Mechanique Celeste, and carried Hegel's philosophy and the epitome of all laboratories and observatories, with all their results, in his single head, is but a pair of spectacles behind which there is no eye.

It will be just too bad for any man when he becomes contented with the thoughts he is thinking and the deeds he is doing. There must be beating at the doors of his soul some great desire to something bigger, something larger, which he was destined to do.

So hitch your wagon to a star and go sailing through the bright blue yonder towards tomorrow, determined to do larger, better, and more glorious things.



Straighten That Victory Garden Row



—Photo Courtesy Ferry-Morse Seed Co.

How straight are the rows in your Victory Garden? In general, the most satisfying gardens from the standpoint of easy cultivation, good appearance, and maximum amount that can be grown are always laid out in unwavering parallel lines.

No better method has been found for marking rows for seed furrows and trenches in a small garden than the "string-and-stake." Two well sharpened wood stakes about eighteen inches long are needed—one for each end of the row. Strong white wrapping twine is ideal because it lies flat and shows up well against dark soil. The twine should be stretched tight from stake to stake, not more than an inch or so above ground.

Many experienced gardeners have their own pet ways of making seed furrows and trenches. For large seeds such as peas, beans, and corn, using the corner of the hoe is efficient since seeds of that size should be planted from one-and-a-half to two inches deep. Grasp the handle firmly and pull the hoe along toward you close to the tightened string. For medium sized seeds like

beets which usually should not be sown more than an inch deep, drawing the end of the hoe or rake handle gently through the soil alongside the string is a good means of getting the proper depth. Or, lay down a long slender square-sided piece of wood beside the string and press it corner-wise into the soil. When the stick is removed, there's a convenient little trough ready for the seeds and their covering.

For such tiny seeds as those of lettuce and carrot it is sometimes difficult to make a trench shallow enough. Lay the rake handle on the ground close to the string and parallel with it, pressing it evenly into the soil just enough to make a slight indentation. Then, sprinkle in the seeds and cover them with not more than a quarter-inch of fine soil.

WAR QUIZ CORNER

WHO IS HE?
(40 points)

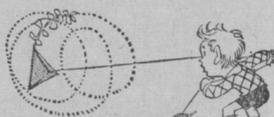
1. He was Hitler's No. 1 stooge in Czechoslovakia. What was his name?
2. Pearl Harbor was attacked Dec. 7, 1941. Were the Philippines attacked same day?
3. Graf Spee was (a) a species of whale, (b) Nazi battleship, (c) Dutch town.
4. True or false: Japs' "knee mortar" is held on the knee.

ANSWERS

Count: Question one, 40; rest, 20 each. Score: 100, perfect; 80, good; 60, fair.

1. Konrad Henlein, the Sudeten.
2. No. It was Dec. 8 in Manila.
3. Nazi ship sunk off South America.
4. False—it would break your kneecap.

ALMANAC



"Have a care where there is more soil than ballast"—Penn

APRIL

- 15—New York authorizes construction of Erie canal, 1817.
- 16—First tariff law enacted, 1816.
- 17—Iron and Steel Workers Union organized, 1858.
- 18—Paul Revere's ride, 1775.
- 19—Start of Revolutionary war; battle of Lexington, 1775.
- 20—State constitution adopted by New York, 1777.
- 21—Webster's dictionary published, 1828.

Grayish-White Metal

Bismuth is a grayish-white metal with a reddish tinge. Most of that used in the United States is obtained as a by-product from the smelting of copper, lead, silver and gold. More than half the domestic supply comes from United States smelters, most of the rest from smelters in Peru. Bismuth ores are mined in Bolivia, Australia and northern Europe.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

- 1 Long incision
- 5 Simians
- 9 Indian of the Bahamas
- 10 Valleys (poet)
- 12 Egg-shaped
- 13 Male bee
- 14 Not one
- 15 Part of church
- 16 U.S. president
- 18 Smooth and glossy
- 19 To track game
- 21 Feminine name
- 24 Erbium (syn.)
- 25 A cheese
- 29 Ponder
- 32 Lake port
- 33 Conjunction
- 34 Church seat
- 35 More uncommon
- 38 Marks of injuries
- 41 Barks shrilly
- 45 Famous exile island
- 46 Hollow-horned ruminant
- 47 Poles of team-drawn vehicles
- 49 Immature insect
- 50 Potato
- 51 Wood used in tanning
- 52 Canvas shelter
- 53 Botch

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- 8 Meaning
- 9 Chinese society
- 11 Search
- 17 Woody plant
- 18 Yes (Sp.)
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- 21 High card
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- 23 Keel-billed cuckoo
- 24 Digit
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SAUL'S EARLY PREACHING

LESSON TEXT: Acts 9:19-30; 11:25, 28.
GOLDEN TEXT: I am not ashamed of the gospel; for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth.—Romans 1:16.

"A changed man"—that oft-used expression assumes real meaning as it is applied to one who has experienced the redeeming grace of God in Christ. In a special way this was true of Paul, whose transformed life amazed those who knew him before he had met Christ on the Damascus road.

In our lesson we find him in three different cities, serving his new-found Master and Lord.

I. At Damascus—Confounding the Jews (9:19-25).

"Straightway." What a good word to apply to the servant of the Lord. Paul did not hesitate to declare his faith in Christ, to proclaim that the One who had redeemed him was able also to save others.

It is the normal and proper expression of Christian faith to give testimony to others. That should be true of every believer. With Paul there was the added element of his call to preach, for God had ordained that he should be His chosen vessel for that purpose (Acts 9:15).

One is impressed by the prompt and unquestioning obedience of so many of Christ's followers of whom we read in the New Testament. No doubt that explains their power and wide usefulness. We could learn of them.

Paul's message was Christ. He proved to the Jews that Jesus was the Christ (v. 22), the One of whom their Old Testament Scriptures spoke and for whom they professed to be looking. He declared Him to be the Son of God (v. 20).

They were unwilling to accept the message. They were "amazed" at Paul and "confounded" by the truth he proclaimed, but they rejected both it and him, and he had to escape for his life. But another city must hear his witness, so we find him—

II. At Jerusalem—Disputing With the Grecians (9:28-30).

Knowing his violent persecution of the church, the disciples in Jerusalem were suspicious. Perhaps there was a measure of justification for such an attitude, but one is glad that there was present the generous, open-hearted Barnabas, ready to believe in his new brother in Christ and to sponsor him in the church.

A word of admonition to the church of our day is necessary, regarding the making of a new convert or a stranger at home in the fellowship of the saints. There is no need of putting such a one quickly into office or a place of honor, but let him know that he is accepted and believed in, and thus give him an opportunity to grow.

Paul remained in Jerusalem this time for two weeks (Gal. 1:18), going in and out, that is, in friendly fellowship. That is just what the young Christian needs, and should seek.

He also had something to make right. He had joined the Grecian Jews when they disputed with Stephen (6:9) and stoned him. Paul had agreed with and joined them on that occasion. Now by the miracle of regeneration he is a new creature and is on the exactly opposite side. Now he disputes with the Grecians, declaring that Jesus is the Christ. What a blessed change!

They refused to tolerate that word, and prepared to kill him. But the servant of the Lord was kept by Him, and delivered through the good offices of Christian brethren. How often it is true that the minister must look to the brethren for that kindness which delivers him from distress and danger.

Paul returned for a time to his home city of Tarsus, but when a need of his services arose he was called out, and we find him—

III. At Antioch—Teaching the Christians (11:25, 26).

Persecution spread the believers abroad (Acts 11:19), and like the scattered brands of a beaten fire they carried the flame of Christianity far and wide. Thus the gospel came to Antioch, the third greatest city in the world of that day. A revival broke out, and Barnabas was sent from Jerusalem to be of help.

Good and spiritual man that he was (Acts 19:23, 24), Barnabas did nothing to hinder this work of God, but admonished the people to "cleave unto the Lord," that is, to follow Him closely. Would that all spiritual advisers had such a spirit and such sound judgment.

He was also wise in sensing his need of help. So he went after Paul, the very man to teach these young Christians, and to lead them out into a radiant and abundant life for the Lord.

Here it was that the beautiful name of "Christian" was first applied to believers. It is believed to have originally been a term of ridicule, but even then it was a testimony, for it declared that these believers were devoted to Christ and concerned only with pleasing and serving Him.

**FIRST-AID
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AILING HOUSE**



by Roger B. Whitman

Roger B. Whitman—WNU Features.

VARNISH REMOVER

Question: I understand you have a formula, a combination of acids, for removal of old varnish from floors. May I have a copy of the formula?

Answer: Trisodium phosphate can be used, in the proportion of three pounds to the gallon of hot water. This is an alkaline remover, not an acid. The chemical can be bought in bulk from a large paint store or mail order house, and also from a dealer in chemicals. It is not carried at drug stores. It can be bought at a grocer's under various trade names. Ask for a colorless cleaning powder that makes no lather.

After varnish is removed, rinse off all traces of the solution with clear water, and allow the wood to dry thoroughly. You can have the floors scraped with a floor-sanding machine. This will save you hours of work and eliminate much of the mess that goes with a liquid varnish remover job.

Cracked Enamel

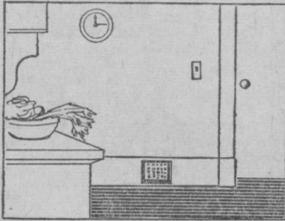
Question: My house had varnished natural wood. I scrubbed the wood-work clean and put on two under-coats of white flat paint and two of semi-gloss white paint. The flat and semi-gloss paint started cracking as soon as the paint dried. Could you advise me what to do to get good results without removing the finish? The walls are freshly papered and the floors have been re-finished. I do not wish to damage them.

Answer: Try sanding the wood-work with fine sandpaper, then wipe off the dust. What remains of the cracks can be filled with "spackle," which you can get at a hardware or paint store. You never should apply paint, varnish or enamel over a glossy surface. The gloss first must be dulled.

KITCHEN IS COLD

Question: The kitchen does not heat as much as the living and dining room and bath. This is a hot air furnace and it is centrally located in the basement.

Answer: When installing a heating system the contractor usually al-



lows for the heat generated by the kitchen range, when cooking, and puts in a smaller radiator or hot air duct. If more heat is desired a larger air duct and opening will be necessary.

Washing Outside Paint

Question: I should like to wash the outside of our house. The paint seems to be all right, but it is very dirty. What is the best way to do a good job?

Answer: You can wash the painted surfaces with plain soap and water, or you can use a solution of washing soda or trisodium phosphate in water. Do not use the solution stronger than a tablespoon to a pail of water; if you do, the paint will be damaged. To simplify the work, use a scrubbing brush on a long handle. Your garden hose, if you have one, would be handy for rinsing.

Amateur Insulation

Question: We are going to build a small home. The shell or inside frame will be of old lumber. I can get wood shavings to pack between the walls for insulation. Is this advisable? Or would there be danger of termites or mice?

Answer: Do not consider using the shavings, for it would hold moisture and attract insects, mice and other vermin which would find it an ideal breeding place. Get good commercial material.

Leaking Aquarium

Question: My goldfish aquarium has developed a leak. Can you suggest something that would make it leakproof?

Answer: A good cement for that purpose is litharge mixed to a paste with glycerin. For an alternative, use an asphalt roof cement stiffened with a small amount of dry Portland cement.

Tarnished Kitchen Sink

Question: My kitchen sink is badly tarnished. How can I bleach it white again?

Answer: Clean the sink by rubbing with a paste of a scratchless scouring powder and a half-and-half mixture of ammonia and water. Rinse well with clear water.

If the stains still remain, you may be able to bleach them out with a solution of javelle water left in the sink overnight. Use about a quarter-cupful in each gallon of water, and stir well.

Can Scientifically
One of the resolutions that American housewives may well make this year is to put up food only by scientifically approved canning methods. Canning specialists say that for safety from spoilage, all such non-acid foods as meats and most vegetables, except tomatoes, must be canned under pressure. Now that pressure cookers are no longer rationed, no one should be tempted to take a chance on putting up foods by risky methods of canning.

**Lays Egg in Court;
Jury Is Hardboiled**

LOS ANGELES. — Harry Zacky's hen did its best to prove its quality—it layed an egg in the court room—but Zacky nonetheless was fined \$25. A jury decided that, legally, the hen's performance was not pertinent, and convicted Zacky on charges of selling two cull hens at the price of first-grade roosters.

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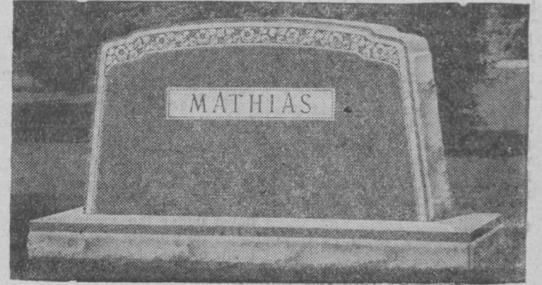


**AMERICAN HEROES
BY LEFF**



The Marauder bomber Jezebel had just completed a bomb run over Beauvais-Tille airdrome when a Focke-Wulf 190 swept in, pumping two cannon shells into the plane and killing the tail gunner. His face torn by shrapnel, Staff Sgt. Donald C. Maryott of Hooper, Neb., waist gunner, gathered up exploding incendiaries set afire by the hit, and saved the plane from destruction. Are you fighting with that extra War Bond?
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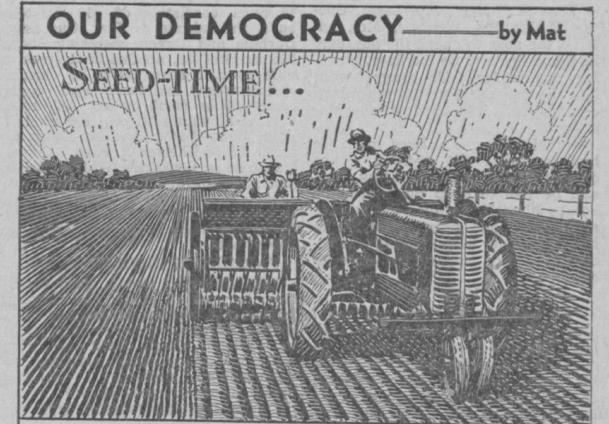


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Loyalty of Flier Cripples Him for Life, Doctor Says

Sense of Duty Keeps Him at His Guns Though Badly Wounded in Fight.

FLYING FORTRESS BASE IN ENGLAND.—This is the story of a bombardier who may never walk again because his sense of duty kept him at his guns in the torn nose of a Flying Fortress in a freezing hell over Bremen.

The army's doctors told Second Lieut. Charles W. Spencer, Peoria, Ill., that he will spend the next two years on a hospital bed and will be crippled for life.

They told him, too, that his bombardment group had recommended him for America's highest military award—the Congressional Medal of Honor.

Turns Flesh Black.

It was over 40 degrees below zero that day over Bremen when a 20-millimeter cannon shell ripped open the glass nose of the Flying Fortress "Stardust." The "flak wind" streamed over Spencer at 150 miles an hour, a wind so cold the flesh turns black in a matter of minutes as if it had been seared by a hot iron.

Doctors who have seen men exposed to that wind before say most men would not live through it for even a few minutes.

The blast of the German shell ripped off Spencer's head gear, slashed his face, and left him unconscious and without oxygen. The Stardust's navigator, Harold J. Rocketto, New York city, was killed instantly.

When Engineer Tech. Sergt. Grover C. Mullins, Windsor, Mo., entered the nose to check the damage, he found Spencer on the floor, bleeding and frozen. He dragged him into the passage beneath the pilot's compartment and tried to give him oxygen.

But Mullins was a busy man. He had to assist the co-pilot, whose oxygen had been shot away, too, and he had to drop the Stardust's bombs himself, because the release mechanism had been smashed. So he left Spencer in the passage, semi-conscious and apparently close to death.

One Main Idea.

"He seemed to have one main idea in the back of his mind," Mullins explained. "He thought he ought to release his bombs and man his guns. He was still conscious enough to crawl back, and after we landed I found him unconscious beneath his guns."

The co-pilot, Second Lieut. McDonald Riddick, Beaumont, Texas, said Spencer insisted on getting back to his guns, "and he even struggled to get there, although all he could do at first was to roll over."

That was on November 26. Spencer's superiors thought at first of recommending him for the Distinguished Service Cross. Then the medical report showed the full implications of his experience and they decided to recommend him for the highest award—for gallantry "above and beyond the call of duty."

Doctors hope to make Spencer a new man with plastic surgery, but it will be a long, slow process, and it will never fully restore the use of his crippled hand and foot. "Nothing but grit and courage enabled this man to live," was the report of Flight Surgeon Capt. Harold Broady, Lowell, Mass.

8 Billions in Minerals Mined in U. S. in 1943

WASHINGTON.—Reporting that \$8,000,000,000 worth of minerals, an all-time record, was dug, scooped and pumped from United States soil in 1943, Interior Secretary Harold L. Ickes expressed concern over dwindling resources and called for measures to assure this country "its share of the world's minerals at fair prices."

The secretary made public year-end estimates by the bureau of mines, headed by Dr. R. R. Sayers.

Metallic products for the year were valued at \$2,500,000,000, a 6 per cent gain; mineral fuels, \$4,566,000,000, a 12 per cent gain; other non-metallic minerals, \$964,000,000, a decline of 14 per cent. This decline was mainly in sand, gravel, stone and cement and reflected the reduction in construction activities. Aluminum production increased more than 75 per cent from 621,106 short tons in 1942 to about 920,000 tons in 1943.

Soldier Draws a Blank With His Note to Donor

AKRON, OHIO.—Somewhere overseas is a disillusioned soldier.

Behind his sadness is the story of workers in a war plant here who took up a collection to buy cigarettes for the boys overseas. Some of them included their names with the smokes.

The soldier who received his was much impressed with the name of the donor—"Fay Willoughby." He was so impressed that he wrote back a thank-you letter, ending it with a romantic p.s.:

"Who knows? This note may be from your future husband."

Back to the romantic doughboy came the answer—from a Mrs. Willoughby, who kindly explained that Fay was married to her and made a very nice husband.

Back Yard Fruit

Home grounds with few exceptions are capable of producing some fruit, and in small yards food-producing plants can be made to do double duty. The pecan and walnut produce excellent shade; a fruit tree can be made into a very presentable specimen plant; a row of berry bushes will form a good screen or background; and strawberry plants make an excellent ground cover under rose bushes and in beds. In making small areas thus doubly effective, extra attention to watering, fertilizers and sometimes pruning are necessary.

Soot Smudges

Young mothers who live where soot and cinders fill the air often are appalled to find baby and his carriage covered with small black flecks. To keep these oily specks from smudging the fabric, shake off as many as possible, then immerse the baby things in lukewarm soapsuds. Let the suds float off the remaining specks; don't try to rub them off. Push the garments way down under the soapy water, bring them up quickly again and remove them to another tub or container of lukewarm suds.

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Protein Food

If you are using soya flour, remember that it is primarily a protein food and do not expect it to have the baking qualities of wheat flour. If a small amount of soya replaces some of the wheat, the resulting product will have higher food value and yet keep the texture with which you are familiar.

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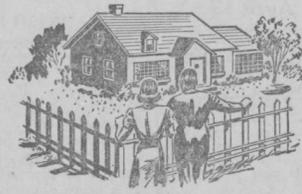
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