

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.

Mrs. James Miller and daughter, Georgia, spent several days visiting Mrs. Frances Bader, in Wilmington, Delaware.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Naill, of College Park, Md., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Naill and family.

Mrs. Charles F. Hoffman who has been ill for the past six weeks is now able to sit up in a chair in her room a part time each day.

Mrs. Theodore Jester, spent the past week-end in New York City with her husband who is stationed at Fort Jay, on Governor's Island, New York.

Due to the I. O. O. F. Hall being otherwise occupied next Tuesday night, the Jr. I. O. O. F. Band will meet for rehearsal on Thursday night, instead. This is for this week only—thereafter, rehearsals on Tuesday, as usual.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ott were: Mrs. Richard Little, Miss Janice Little and Master Johnny Little, of Hanover; Miss Jo Ann Shipley, of Glyndon Park; Mrs. Clifford Ott, of Uniontown, and Mrs. C. C. Combs, of Emmitsburg.

In a letter to us from Cpl. Kenneth E. Clem, stationed in England, informing us of a change in address, he says: "Well its been a long time between letters but I am still kicking around. I received my first copy of the Carroll Record several days ago."

Dr. Rev. Gould Wickey, Secretary of the Board of Education of the United Lutheran Church in America will be the guest preacher in Trinity Lutheran Church Sunday morning. We are happy to make this announcement to his many friends in Taneytown.

A son, Wilbur LeRoy, was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Grossnickle, on Thursday, Feb. 24, at the Frederick City Hospital. Mrs. Grossnickle before marriage was Louise Sharrer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David L. Sharrer, of Taneytown.

Frank Parish, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Parish, Taneytown, earned membership in the Stony Batter dramatic club at Mercersburg Academy, according to a recent announcement of Pratt L. Tobey, coach of dramatics at the Academy. Membership in the club is gained by participation in any one of the plays given by the students during the course of the year. The play given several weeks ago was "Seven Keys to Baldpate."

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clingan and family served a turkey supper in honor of Mrs. Dalbert Spangler's birthday. Mrs. Spangler is a sister to Mrs. Clingan and Miss Ruth Ridinger. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Dalbert Spangler, son Gene; George Fream, George Warner, Fredie Warner, Eva, Ethel and Marie Warner, of Taneytown; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mummert, son Jimmie, of Littlestown. Other visitors in the evening were Miss Thelma Spangler, Miss Marie Fream, Miss Dorothy Kint and Fredie Spangler, of Taneytown.

The Hawaiian Sharps, who broadcast over Radio Station WFMD every Saturday morning from 9:30 to 10:30, gave a program of delightful Hawaiian music in the Opera House last Wednesday evening. The band is under the direction of Mr. Harold Pratt, of Hanover, Pa., and with special lighting and appropriate costumes make a fine appearance in addition to the playing music that is pleasant to hear. This excellent band will be in the Opera House for a return engagement on Thursday evening, April 6th.

The Berean Bible Class of the Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mrs. Thomas Tracey, on Tuesday evening, at which time new officers were appointed for the year: President, Mrs. Thos. Tracey; Vice-Pres., Mrs. Paul O. Bankard; Sec'y, Mrs. Ray Crumbracker; Treas., Mrs. Robt. McVaugh. The class presented the retiring president, Mrs. Wilbur Shorb with a brooch pin. Refreshments were served consisting of ice cream, cake and coffee. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Charles Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cluts, of Keyville, delightfully entertained several invited guests at their home on Friday evening in honor of their twenty-ninth wedding anniversary and the birthday of Mrs. Cluts. The guests were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Heaps, of Street, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde L. Hesson, Mr. and Mrs. Norman R. Baumgardner, Mrs. David Mehring and Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Stonesifer, of town. Various games were played during the evening. The hostess served delicious refreshments. Everyone congratulated Mr. and Mrs. Cluts and wished them many more happy wedding and birthday anniversaries together.

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SERVICE MEN LETTERS

One From Lt. Wm. R. Sell in New Guinea

Somewhere in New Guinea February 8, 1944.

Dear Mr. Stonesifer: It's always easy to say "Tonight I shall write to Mr. Stonesifer," but when the occasion comes, it's not so easy to find a subject to write about. It would be so much easier and simpler if the censorship ban would be lifted, but I think we all agree that it is better to keep some things to ourselves.

We can always mention the weather, should we get desperate for something to write. But I certainly can't say much along that line either, for our weather down here hasn't been anything to brag about the past few weeks. I believe I told you in a previous letter that we were in the midst of the rainy season. Let me tell you that it was only the preview, for since I made that statement, we have really been having rain. Not just in the evenings, but all day long. The mud is terrible, over-ankle deep at times. But the only thing such weather hampers is the daily operations against the Japanese. And that, in my mind is a serious proposition, for the more often we can continue to blast away at the little yellow sons of Nippon, the quicker we can get this job done.

Believe it or not, I saw a coca cola the other night! That, in this country, is just about the highest morale builder some of us have. We used to take them for granted—now we're lucky to take one! I'm still looking forward to my leave in March when I intend to go to Australia and revel in all the luxuries, including a bed with a mattress. Ever try sleeping on a piece of canvas? With two or three thicknesses of blankets as a mattress? But that's just part of the fun—the main event comes when you wake with about six small lizards playing tag all over you. And you slowly let one eye open to find yourself staring into the eyes of some mammoth spider who has decided to let you become the base for his web.

Then there's the minor disturbances, such as a ten or fifteen foot snake, the screech of some frightened bird out in the jungle; or the pitter patter of little feet you are imagining. These little feet are those of the jungle rats, just a little bit larger than our ordinary rat in the states. No, you can hardly say that we don't have company here in the jungles. Only, if you don't mind I prefer to pick my own companions.

Once in a while we happen to see a picture portraying the "Beautiful South Sea Isles". That's always good for a few chuckles. For we know what they are like, and we can't stretch our imagination that far. Am I disillusioning you? I'm so sorry, but you should have seen the expression on my face when I found out what the South Seas was like. Sometimes I would like to lay hands on the movie producers who contrive such beautiful scenes from such an ungodly place.

Am I complaining? So sorry, please, but it is a well known fact that if you see a soldier who never complains—he's dissatisfied. It's the one who is always telling his troubles who is really content. But don't get me wrong—when the boat pulls back into the Frisco harbor, I'll be right up front, waiting for the gang plank to be lowered. Life can be beautiful! Sincerely,

LIEUT. WM. R. SELL, U. S. Army Air Corps 5th Bomber Command A P O 929 care Postmaster San Francisco, Calif.

Dear Editor: I want to thank you for fulfilling my request and sending the "Home Town Breeze" to my new address. I enjoy the Carroll Record very much and look forward to it each week. I do not want to miss any issues. So please do not change of address which now is:

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SCHOOL NEWS

The Taneytown Elementary School cordially invites the parents and their friends to attend their annual folk dance assembly, Thursday afternoon, March 9, at 2 p. m., in the school auditorium.

The program is as follows: Star Spangled Banner, Assembly; The Chimes of Dunkirk, Grade I; Did You Ever See a Lassie, Grade I; Carousel, Grade II; Clap Dance, Grade III; Dance of Greeting, Grade III; Shoemakers Dance, Rhythm Band; Danish Mountain March, Grade IV; Ribbon Dance, Grade V; Military Schottische, Grade VI; Medley of Folks Tunes, Tonette Band; Part Songs, Grade VI; Tarantella, Grade VII (Girls); Military Drill, Grade VII (Boys); Highland Fling, Grade VI and VII (Girls).

TANEYTOWN 4-H CLUB

The Taneytown 4-H Club met on Thursday, Feb. 24, at the home of Charles Null with 7 members present. New officers were elected.

Those elected were: Charles Null, President; George Amoss, Vice-President and Reporter; Secretary, Richard Rinehart. Games were played and refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held on March 30th, at the home of Charles Null.

1944 RED CROSS WAR FUND DRIVE OPENED

The Needs of This Agency are Great During War Times

The American Red Cross is the only agency collecting and processing blood plasma to be used by the armed forces. During the past twelve months 5,000,000 pints of blood was collected and processed. How many thousands of lives that have been saved by this magic fluid cannot be estimated, but Major General Norman T. Kirk, Surgeon General, U. S. Army and Rear Admiral Ross McIntire, Surgeon General, U. S. Navy, have both declared that only one percent of the personnel wounded have died, thanks in large part to blood plasma.

The American Red Cross stands as the humane link between the members of the armed forces and the members of the home front, and has extended more hands to help than could be counted. These hands lifted loads of worry and fear from the hearts of men in military and naval hospitals on land and sea. They have packed over 5,000,000 prisoner-of-war packages which are forwarded at regular intervals, through channels open only to the Red Cross, to comfort those who have had the misfortune to become prisoners of war. Anxious relatives have been helped to establish contact with men in the field when all other means have failed. It supplemented military communications regarding the sick and wounded and has furnished the family with additional information about a service man's physical condition and whereabouts.

These are some of the reasons why you should contribute to the Red Cross. Their tremendous field of effort is only limited by the funds made available by the American public, and your contribution will insure its continuance. If you are not contacted in the very near future, won't you please approach any Red Cross worker and offer your financial assistance.

LEADERSHIP TRAINING SCHOOL

The Leadership Training School of Taneytown District was the best enrolled group for a number of years. The enrollment was 67. The enrollment by churches are as follows: Taneytown Lutheran 20; Keysville Lutheran 13; Grace Reformed, 17; Presbyterian Taneytown, 6; Piney Creek, 4; United Brethren, 7.

The courses offered were well attended and very evenly enrolled. The class taught by Rev. John N. Link, D. D., "Enriching the Spiritual Life," had enrolled 33 and 16 were presented the "Certificate of Award" by the President of the S. S. Association, Mr. Harry Mohney. The course in "Teaching in the Church School" taught by Rev. Douglas R. Chandler, had enrolled 34. The number receiving the "Certificate of Award" was 23.

The total number attending the three night course was 39. The teachers of the Leadership Training School are from the Westminster Theological Seminary, Westminster, Md.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

C. Francis Bridger and Ethel M. Bowers, Taneytown, Md. Paul E. Steger and Caroline L. Leppo, Hampstead, Md. Wilfred B. Scheivert and Helen B. Hoff, Hanover, Pa. Klair L. Stonesifer and Helen C. Zepp, Westminster, Md. Vernon L. Shaffer and Esther M. Tracey, Brodbeck, Pa. Eugene Keyton and Virginia E. Utz, Westminster, Md. Calvin L. Bortner and Emily W. Magin, Westminster, Md. Charles H. Halter and Helen E. Cashman, Westminster, Md. Arthur Joseph Hull and Mary Ruth Emig, New Oxford, Pa.

EVERY MARYLANDER URGED TO HELP IN CAMPAIGN

In a fervent appeal to the people of Maryland to support world-wide activities of the American Red Cross, Governor Herbert R. O'Connor today proclaimed Tuesday, March 7, as "Red Cross Day" in Maryland. Citing the services rendered to the "millions of men and women in our Armed Forces at home and abroad, in battle, in prison and in internment camps," Governor O'Connor made known that the American Red Cross national goal of \$200,000,000 included \$3,145,000 to be raised in Maryland. He urged all Maryland citizens "to participate substantially in this effort through volunteer service and financial contributions to the fullest extent of their ability."

FARM GASOLINE RATIONS

Six month gasoline rations for non highways use on farms may be issued in instalments rather than all at one time, as in the past, the OPA has announced. If the local board has issued the farmer only part of his ration, when the farmer needs more gasoline he makes no formal application but simply asks the board for it. The board then either will issue the remainder of the total six-month ration as originally determined or issue such portion of the remainder as the board decides the farmer needs for the rest of the six-month period.

AWARD PRESENTED

The B. F. Shriver Company Receives the WFAA "E"

Last Saturday at noon ceremonies in the Westminster High School were held and the B. F. Shriver Canning Company was the recipient of the War Food Administration Achievement "A" presented by Commander H. R. Dye (SG) U. S. N. R., of the Naval Supply Depot, Norfolk, Va. The President of the Company Mr. James M. Shriver accepted the award.

About a thousand persons were assembled for the occasion and the 392nd. Army Band, of the Edgewood Arsenal gave a fifteen minute musical program. Dr. Fred G. Holloway Western Maryland College, was the master of ceremonies. Gov. Herbert R. O'Connor delivered the address.

The raising of the flag was a climax of the occasion. Mr. Shriver and Miss Barbara Ann Fogelsanger, as the band played "Anchors Away" gave it to a color guard, who hoisted it to its position on the platform. Flags will fly from each of the three plants at Westminster, New Windsor and Littlestown. Its verdant green symbolizes agriculture; the center design a beautiful head of wheat and a gear, signifying full production; the true-blue "A" emblematic of outstanding achievement.

F. D. Cronin, Regional Director, Office of Distribution, War Food Administration, directed the pin citation. He called upon Torpedoman Fe. Ellsworth S. Zink, Baltimore county, who has served in the United States Navy for seven years and wears the Purple Heart, to pin on the awards. They were received by: Charles E. Manger and Barbara Ann Fogelsanger, representing the Westminster plant; Isaac M. Smelser and Mary Frounfelter of the New Windsor plant, and Lowell S. Ruggles and Abigail Gouker of the Littlestown plant.

At the conclusion of this token presentation, all the employees attached their pins. The cards, on which the pins were received, read: "Food is a decisive weapon of war. Victory depends as much on our ability to produce food as on our ability to manufacture guns, planes and ships. Our army of farmers and processors are fighting an important battle on the food front. Working diligently and skillfully, they are speeding this nation and our Allies on to victory."

Harry C. Hesson, a veteran in canning work with 35 years spent in the local plant, made the acceptance speech on behalf of the employees.

A luncheon was served in the cafeteria room in the basement. Nicholas T. Shelton, regional officer of New York City, assisted with the arrangements. Everett M. Vester, special assistant to the Chief of Industry, Operations Branch, Office of Distribution, War Food Administration, Washington, D. C., also helped direct the ceremonies.

The employees presented Mrs. Shriver, wife of the president, with a bouquet of American Beauty roses. Many letters and telegrams of congratulations as well as flowers were received. Girl Scouts in uniforms served as ushers.

COMMITTEES FOR HOMEMAKERS DAY

At the recent meeting of the Carroll County Homemakers' Club Council, Mrs. Walter Horton, Council President, announced the committees for the annual meeting which will be held on Wednesday, May 3rd. The committees are as follows: Program committee, Mrs. John Young, New Windsor Club, Chairman; Mrs. Ezra Arbaugh, Snoddersburg Club; Mrs. Blanch Hackins, Sykesville Club; Mrs. George Starr, Union Bridge Club; Mrs. George Gorsuch, New Windsor Club.

Committee for luncheon arrangements, Mrs. Samuel Frederick, Manchester Club; Mrs. George Ruch, Eldersburg Club; Mrs. Roy Graham, Enterprise Club; Mrs. Howard Bankert, Myers Club; Mrs. Ernest Dunbar, Taneytown Club; Mrs. Howard Price, Taylorsville Club; and Mrs. Elmer Ehrhart, Triple Valley Club.

Committee for miscellaneous arrangements: Mrs. Walter Horton, Hillsdale Club, chairman; Mrs. Donald Harner, Keyville-Detour; Miss Hillis Grimes, Middlerun; Mrs. William Hare, Triple Valley; Mrs. Thos Koontz, Winfield; Mrs. W. O. Ibach, Taneytown.

Decoration Committee: Mrs. Edw. Little, Chairman, Westminster; Mrs. Allen Weller, Berrett; Mrs. Randall Spoerlein, New Windsor; Mrs. Loyd Spencer, Hillsdale; Mrs. Smith Eckener, Manchester Club; Mrs. Mark Leatherwood, Mt. Airy and Mrs. Frederick Myers, Pleasant Valley.

The hostesses for the day will be the members of the Westminster Homemakers' Club with Mrs. Linn, their president, as chairman.

CHECK ON COUPON ENDORSEMENT

Beginning the week of March 6, OPA will attempt to check all gasoline ration books to see that the coupons are properly endorsed with license number and state, as part of the nationwide campaign against black markets in gasoline. Motorists found with unendorsed coupons will be notified to report to their local board within 10 days with endorsed books. Anyone who fails to do this faces revocation of rations.

JOHN J. REID WRITES FROM DETROIT

Covers a Number of Timely Topics

The big headache that is epidemic in Detroit, as well as all over the rest of the country, just now is the making out of Income Tax returns. I know that this is not a new or may be, an interesting subject, but it is something that must be done, and the Internal Revenue people are urging that it be done at once, to avoid the rush later on. Well, if you could see the crowds down at the Federal Building, and walk along the streets and notice the signs over nearly every real estate office, and many other places, and see the crowds that are going into these places, you would make up your minds that people are now making big money, and also come to the conclusion that they want to get the thing off of their minds.

The forms are so hard to understand, that one of the daily papers, in conjunction with Radio Station WJR have set up a service in order to give advice to those who may want to try to puzzle out the thing themselves. So-called experts, will on each of the next two Sunday noons try to explain some of the intricacies of the law. But we can hardly see how that can help much, as even the most expert of these wise fellows cannot agree, as notice the case where the same figures were sent to five different men, who were supposed to know all about it, and just five different solutions were received, ranging from the Government owing something to be entitled to over two hundred dollars, and then the head expert member of a local revenue office tried his hand and got a result different from any of the others. It seems as if there ought to be some one who could work out a simple method of making these returns, but I suppose, that until we can get rid of mere politicians at Washington (Continued on Fourth Page)

PROCEEDINGS ORPHANS' COURT

Minnie Gertrude Rinehart, executrix of the estate of William C. Rinehart, deceased, returned inventories of real estate and personal property.

Georgia S. Getty, administratrix of the estate of Herbert R. Getty, deceased, settled her first and final account.

Myrta Voneta Berwager, executrix of the estate of Harry G. Berwager, deceased, settled her first and final account.

Corra B. Witherow, administratrix of the estate of Minnie A. Allison, deceased, returned inventories of money and personal property, and received order to sell.

Horatio A. Albaugh and Arthur F. Albaugh, administrators of the estate of Flora Markell, deceased, received order to transfer title.

Nora V. Shoemaker, administratrix of the estate of George A. Shoemaker, deceased, returned inventory of goods and chattels.

Allen C. Wiest, ancillary executor of the estate of Louisa Kump, deceased, returned report of sale of real estate.

Luther B. Hafer, executor of Viola M. Slaugenhaupt, deceased, returned inventories of goods and chattels and debts due, and received order to sell goods and chattels.

Letters of administration on the estate of Lewis E. Hull, deceased, were granted unto Herbert A. Hull, who received order to notify creditors and warrant to appraise goods and chattels and current money.

Estate of Frances E. Gray, deceased, sale of real estate ratified by the Orphans' Court.

Frank Hoffman, administrator of the estate of Allen M. Hoffman, deceased, returned inventory of debts due, orders to deposit money and settled his first and final account.

Gliudis G. Schaeffer and Algrude D. Schaeffer, administrators of the estate of Elmer J. D. Schaeffer, deceased, filed additional report of sale of goods and chattels and received order to transfer stock.

F. Neal Parke, administrator of the estate of Samuel Ruby, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Georgetta Marie Beall, administratrix of the estate of Raymond W. Beall, deceased, returned inventory of goods and chattels, received order to sell and transfer title to automobile.

FARM MACHINERY REPAIR CENTER OPENS

The Farm Machinery Repair Center is operating each Tuesday and Friday night, 7:30 to 10:30. The shop is located in Taneytown at Oher's Garage opposite the Reformed Church.

Everyone is welcome to attend these classes. Remember everything is furnished, tools to work with, bolts, paint, etc., except new parts.

The repair center is for the benefit of the farmer, sponsored by the Board of Education, to help the farmer repair his used machinery, in order to meet war time production goals. Because it is a program to help the farmers, the farmer can not be helped unless he takes advantage of the program. By bringing used machinery of broken parts in to the shop and repair them, he will be helping himself and also will be furthering the war effort by producing more food with better equipment.

KIWANIS MEET

Rev. Leeming, Hoffman's Orphanage, Speaks

The Taneytown Kiwanis Club held its regular weekly meeting at Clear Ridge Inn, near Uniontown, on Wednesday evening, at 6:30. President Clyde L. Hesson presiding. The period of group singing was in charge of Wallace Reindollar with Mrs. Wallace Yingling, as accompanist. Members present, 29. George Null, a member of the Senior Class of the Taneytown High School, was inducted into membership for the month of February. Donations to the Red Cross for Taneytown and Union Bridge Districts were made.

The program was in charge of the Committee on Attendance, Edgar H. Essig, Chairman. He introduced as the speaker of the evening Rev. Arthur Leeming, Superintendent of the Hoffman Orphanage, and a member of the Kiwanis Club of Glenside, Pa. Mr. Leeming spoke of his work among underprivileged children as head of an institution devoted to caring for children who are distinctly underprivileged. He described the children who are cared for in the Orphanage as "hurt"; often physically hurt from bad treatment, neglect, poverty, carelessness, and especially hurt from brutal handling. Such children are hurt mentally and spiritually also. It is the purpose of the Orphanage and all such institution of like character to heal these hurts by loving care, by good companionship, Christian environment, education, and especially a demonstration of genuine interest and concern in the welfare of each child in the Home. Such ministrations give many evidences of their effectiveness in the improved health and hopeful attitude of the children.

The program was concluded with the rendering of two vocal numbers by Mrs. Marion Rue, with Mrs. Wallace Yingling as accompanist.

The program next week will be in charge of the Agriculture Committee Edmund Nusbaum, Chairman.

REMEMBER TAX RETURNS

George Hofferbert, Collector of Internal Revenue, reminded taxpayers of the Maryland district today that 1943 income tax returns must be filed not later than March 15th.

With March 15 so close at hand, Collector Hofferbert said it was important that every taxpayer understand his legal obligation to complete his return on time.

"This is a time for frankness," Collector Hofferbert added. "Much has been said about the difficulty of tax forms, about the complexity of tax laws, and so forth. As I understand it, every branch of the government is committed to future simplification of taxes."

"But, no taxpayer can afford to misunderstand this. Whatever changes are eventually enacted into law, they will not and cannot alter the 1943 forms which 50,000,000 of us taxpayers must file by March 15."

"The intelligent, the democratic thing for all of us to do is to make out and file 1943 returns to the best of our ability, as soon as possible, and in as good humor as circumstances permit."

"I take the liberty of giving this advice for a very simple reason. The law requires these returns to be filed on time. The law requires penalties to be added to the tax of those who fail to do so. Neither I nor the Bureau of Internal Revenue wants to assess such penalties. We hope the patriotic good sense of our citizens will make such action unnecessary."

LESS SUGAR FOR CIVILIANS

U. S. civilian supplies of sugar will be 6 per cent less than 1943 consumption according to WFA, due to use of sugarcane molasses for industrial alcohol to increase needs of the armed forces and our Allies, and to wartime shipping conditions.

Ration Reminders

Meats, Fats—Brown stamps Y and Z in Book Three are good through March 20. Red 10-point stamps A8, B8, and C8 in Book Four are good through May 20. Waste kitchen fats are redeemed at two ration points plus four cents a pound.

Processed Foods—Green stamps K, L and M are good through March 20. Blue 10-point stamps A8, B8, C8, D8 and E8 in Book Four are good through May 20.

Sugar—Stamp 30 in Book Four is good indefinitely for five pounds. Stamp 40 in Book Four 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 8. In states outside the East Coast area, A-10 coupons are good through March 21.

Tire Inspection Deadlines—For A coupon holders, March 31, and for B and C coupon holders, May 31.

Fuel Oil—Period 3 coupons are good through March 13 in all areas except the South Period 4 coupons are good in the Middle West and South and remain good through Sept 30th.

Shoes—Stamps No. 18 in Book One and No. 1 on the airplane sheet in Book Three are each good for one pair.

Income Tax—March 15 is deadline for filing 1943 returns. Date for filing 1944 Declarations of Estimated Income and Victory Tax is extended to April 15th.

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THE VETO

The exciting scenes in Washington last week over the President's veto of the tax bill have been fully justified by the issues involved. The Constitution clearly puts the matter of taxation in the hands of Congress, and to bring the matter closer still to the citizens, it provides that all revenues measures shall originate in the House of Representatives. Even the Senate can do nothing in the way of taxation until the House starts the ball rolling, and the upper body gets its turn by its privilege to amend. The President may, and ought to, recommend, but there his prerogative ends until a measure is laid before him. He ought never attempt to compel Congress to do anything. Even his veto power is only to prevent improper legislation, and even this is limited, so that when Congress by a decisive majority, or two-thirds of both houses, considers a piece of legislation wise, that body controls, not the President.

Of course, this is theory. In practice, especially since the first Roosevelt, there has been much inclination to wield "the big stick." And many people seem to think that is the President's business. It is often said that the President, and it has been said of other presidents, has lost the "control" of Congress. Well, the Constitution never intended that he should "control". If it did, then Congress might as well be abolished, and absolute monarchy established in form, as well as in fact. In this case the President was guilty of a flagrant violation of the spirit of the Constitution, an abuse of the veto power, and he received a thorough, undisguised spanking. There is no doubt whatever about that. It was chastisement well deserved.

This is not an attempt to discuss the tax bill itself. We will be able to express an opinion about that when we shall have had opportunity for further study. Congress has made a bad mess of the whole tax business, but it would not help matters by turning the business over to a few so-called Treasury experts. What we need is more common-sense cooperation between Congress and the President, and without regard to party lines. We need to get back to the spirit of the Constitution, from which we have departed very far in this, and in many other matters.

And, speaking of taxes, this is a matter that demands immediate action, not merely comments and criticisms. Any body of intelligent citizens half the size of the Ways and Means Committee of the House, ought to be able to draft an effective and just revenue law in a fraction of the number of pages now covered, that would give us a sensible income tax, instead of the normal tax, surtax, victory tax, unforgiven tax, and what not, that we now have, with details and interpretation so involved able judges and lawyers openly confess they do not understand it, or that they can not even read the law without becoming bewildered. We beg the law-making branch of the government to get down to business.

L. B. H.

CROWDED TRAINS

The railroads have a tremendous job to carry all the service men who are being shipped about the country, also to carry those on furlough, and to haul a great body of ordinary civilian travel. Passenger travel has increased more than four times since the war began. If people have to stand up for a time on some trips, they should realize that this is what we can expect in wartime. It is not exactly pleasant to stand up for a considerable time, but it's a lot better than standing in a foxhole or in

battlefront, with your feet in water, and perhaps rain coming down from overhead, and maybe a burst of artillery fire.

It takes an enormous amount of travel to carry on the business of the country, so it is doubtful if this congestion can be avoided. People who manage to make their trips in the middle of the week are not so likely to get into this jam. Good nature, when people meet inconveniences, smooths the way and helps pass the time. Nothing will be accomplished in a crowded train by sour remarks.

—The Frederick Post.

CHOPPING WOOD

The editor of The Pathfinder must have been brought up in the country. The article in last week's issue on chopping wood, which we reprint here is so true to life that we are sure every one who has had experience in preparing a supply of fuel for winter will enjoy it. Read it:

It's pleasant to go into the woods on a winter's day. It's difficult to decide which is more pleasant—a cold, sunny day when the thermometer hovers near zero and the snow crunches under foot, or a cloudy, warmer day, when the world is dressed in soft, gray clothes.

There's something about the feel of a good axe in a man's hands which makes chopping wood one of the more enjoyable tasks in the cycle of seasons. It's interesting to choose the trees ready for harvest and then to feel the heft of the axe as it flashes through the air and bites into the wood which means warmth and security a year hence.

Perhaps a reason why chopping wood is such satisfying work is that one can see the results. Hour by hour the pile grows. As the thick chips fly it means wood for the kitchen stove, the parlor base burner, and the fireplace. Stacked between two trees the pile inches upward as the hours pass.

It isn't rushing work. Out in the woods life seems peaceful and invigorating—another world from those places where men are fighting that we may enjoy our homes and farms. The black-capped chickadees hunt busily for food and call their throaty "chick-a-dee-dee-dee." A partridge may start with its thundering whirr-r-r-r. A rabbit may hop off unconcernedly from a brush pile. There's time to study the beautiful, ridged bark patterns of maples, oaks, and birches, and to sniff the good, clean smell of fresh-cut wood.

When the sun gets low and shadows begin to settle a man walks along the woods road to the field with his axe over his shoulder. He sees the golden, friendly light streaming from the farm house kitchen. Part of the joy of chopping wood is the knowledge that a light will be burning when day is done.

LESS RED TAPE—MORE FOOD

To obtain maximum milk production the government should take steps to make more feed available to dairy farmers and to obtain a better distribution of such grain as is available. More farm machinery and supplies must be made available to dairy farmers. Farmers should also be assured enough gasoline and fuel oil for all needs. More gas should be made available to hired help on farms since life is essential for farm help morale. Farmers should be relieved of needless restrictions and regulations. These include restrictions on repairs, on machinery, restrictions on purchases, restrictions on marketing that cause loss of product and all the other regulations that undermine the efforts and morale of farmers. Farmers are individualists and as such have become the greatest food producers per man in the world.—Industrial News Review.

THE BIBLE

This Book contains the mind of God, the state of man, the way of salvation, the doom of sinners and the happiness of believers. Its doctrines are holy, its precepts are binding, its histories are true, and its decisions are immutable. Read it to be wise, believe it to be safe, and practice it to be holy. It contains light to direct you, food to support you and comfort to cheer you. It is the traveler's map, the pilgrim's staff, the pilot's compass, the soldier's sword, and the Christian's charter. Here Paradise is restored, heaven opened, and the gates of hell disclosed. Christ is its grand object, our good its design, and the glory of God its end. It should fill the memory, rule the heart and guide the feet. Read it slowly, frequently and prayerfully. It is a mine of wealth, a Paradise of glory and a river of pleasure. It is given you in life, will be opened in the judgment, and will be remembered forever. It involves the highest responsibility, will reward the greatest labor and will condemn all who trifle with its sacred contents.—Author Unknown.

POOR TEAM WORK

There is an absolute lack of coordination and agreement between the Executive and Legislative branches of the Government, despite the necessities in time of war. As a rule Congress has yielded to the President on all measures concerning the future of the world. But upon questions regarding the future of the United States, the White House and Capitol Hill are just about as far apart as they were in the days when Woodrow Wilson lost the support of Congress. Recent voting in the Lower House indicates its opposition to the President concerning Home Front programs.

The public is being told in newspaper headlines and over the air that the Capital is seething with controversy. That is true but it is a very mild description of the bitter struggle that is being waged in Washington. National Industries News Service.

NEW EXCITING SERIES BY G-MAN HOOVER

Are we slipping back into the gangsterism of the prohibition era? J. Edgar Hoover, chief of the F. B. I., tells of the new type of thugger that has developed as result of war shortages. Don't miss the first of these remarkable articles in the March 12 issue of The American Weekly America's favorite magazine with The Baltimore Sunday American. Order from your newsdealer.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at public sale at the Halter Mill, midway between Silver Run and Mayberry, Md., on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 1944, at 11:00 o'clock, the following personal property:

LIVE STOCK

gray mare, 12 years old, weighing 1600 lbs. works wherever hitched; black mule, 11 years old, works anywhere but in the lead.

40 HEAD OF CATTLE

consisting of Holsteins and Guernseys 16 head of milk cows, several will be fresh by day of sale, several close springers, remainder will freshen in Summer and Fall; 4 yearling heifers, 15 stock bulls large enough for service; 5 head of Aberdeen Angus, 4 Cows and 1 bull.

50 HEAD OF SHOATS,

weighing from 40 to 100 lbs.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

1941 Ford tractor (Ferguson system) mounted in rubber; 12 in plows, cultivators, wood saw, pulley, wheel weights and swinging draw bar; 2 horse wagon and bed, 16 ft.; flat bottom bed, McCormick-Deering manure spreader, Wiard 80 furrow plow, 4-section lever harrow, harrow and roller combined; alfalfa harrow, 28x7 disc harrow, 24x7 disc harrow, smoothing harrow, cultipacker, steel roller, lime sower, used one season; McCormick-Deering corn planter, 3 cultivators, McCormick-Deering mower, cutter bar and pea guards; dump rake, hay tedder, McCormick-Deering 7 ft wheat binder; McCormick-Deering corn binder, with sheaf elevator, 16 ft hay rack for truck bed; McCormick-Deering 10x7 disc grain drill, sieveless wheat cleaner, 8 in chopping mill, Davis-Bradley cylinder corn sheller, with fan and bagger 180 bu. capacity; 2 hand shellers, hog feeder, ½ horse power heavy duty electric motor; Stewart electric clippers, electric hedge clippers, with 100 ft cord; electric fence, cement mixer, wheelbarrow and trowels; ground scoop, 50-ft 1 in cable, hay fork, rope and pulleys; 50 sawed locust posts, dump sled, 3 sets block and tackles, 1 ton chain, block and tackle, screw, die plate set, 2 grindstones, work bench, steel drums, hog trough, thermol wheat heater, clipper belt lacer, 3 truck canvases, tools of all kinds; 1936 CHEVROLET PICKUP TRUCK, with racks, good rubber. HARNESS: 4 sets lead harness, collars, bridles, halters, 2 sets check lines, single, double and triple trees, jockey sticks, digging irons, log chains, shovels, jacks, pump jack, 300 WHITE LEGHORN LAYING HENS, brooder stove and feeders.

DAIRY EQUIPMENT

Westinghouse electric milk cooler, 3 can size; everready double unit electric milking machine, double metal; wash tub, six 10-gal cans, two 7-gal cans, pails and strainer.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Upright piano, gray enamel range, 2 room stoves, one double heater, 5-burner Kero stove, like new; large gray enamel kitchen cabinet, white cabinet sink, 2 extension tables, screen doors, iron kettle, sausage stuffer, carpet, 9x12 rug, 6x9 rug, 9x15 congoium rug, electric lamps, and other articles too numerous to mention.

PAUL M. HALTER

HARRY TROUT, Auct.
HAWK and WEYBRIGHT, Clerks.

NOTE: Lunch stand rights reserved for Cleaners Sunday School Class of St. Mary's Reformed Church. 3-3-44

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, in Maryland, letters of Administration on the personal estate of

MINNIE M. ALLISON, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 4th day of September next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate.

Given under my hand this 31st day of January, 1944.

CORA B. WITHEROW, Administratrix of the estate of Minnie M. Allison, deceased. 2-4-44

PUBLIC SALE

We, the undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at public sale on the Edward Harner farm, on the state road between Taneytown and Littlestown, near Kump's Station, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1944, at 12 o'clock, the following personal property, to wit:

FIVE HEAD OF HORSES,

pair bay horses, 9 years old, well broke; bay mare, 5 yrs old, work anywhere, but the lead; bay mare, 15 years old, work anywhere; black mare, 6 years old, strap mare to work.

18 HEAD OF CATTLE,

of which are 13 milk cows, 4 of these that the calves were sold off; 1 with calf by her side; 1 fresh in March and 1 in April; three will be fresh in June; 2 in September; 1 in October; 2 heifers, will come in the summer. These cows are our own raising but two; these cows run from 1 to 6 calves; 2 bulls, large enough for service, both Holsteins; 1 heifer, 3 months old. This is a creditable herd never had no reactors. All are heavy milkers.

THREE BROOD SOWS with pigs by their side; 9 shoats run from 40 to 70 lbs. CHICKENS by the pound.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

McCormick Deering tractor 10-20; 8 ft cut Deering binder, 3 mowers, 1 McCormick, 5 ft, 1 Advance, 5 ft, 1 Osborne, 4½ ft; E. B. Hay loader, Keystone side-delivery rake, 9 ft. Thomas dump rake, Kentucky corn planter, fertilizer and check row attachment; Moline drill, 9x7 double disc; 2 manure spreaders, one E. B. one Black Hawk; 1 riding, 1 walking corn plow, one 14 in tractor plow, international; 361 Syracuse plow, John Deere riding barshoar Syracuse plow, 5-shovel cultivation, 15-20 disc harrow, two 25 tooth harrows, 17-tooth harrow, 18 wooden frame harrow, single shovel plow, corn coverer, 3-shovel drag, 2 log rollers, 4-horse wagon and bed with double sideboards; 2-horse wagon and bed, 2 hay carriage wagons, low iron wheel wagon, 3 sets hay carriages, two 16 ft, and one 20 ft; U. S. corn husker, four roll; fodder shredder, hay car, for wooden track; 1 grab and two prong; hay rope and pulleys, 2 pitch forks, 3-prongs; 2 dung forks, wood saw, with 30-in saw; 3-horse stretcher, 2-horse stretcher, lot middle rings, double trees, triple trees and single trees, 2 log chains, fifth chain and stretcher combined; toll chain, lot of cow chains, and other chains, 4 pair breast chains, jockey sticks, corn sheller, set platform scales, 700 lbs; ½ H. P. Fuller and Johnson gasoline engine, beam scales, 300 lbs; spray pump, emery wheel, hand power; set wagon irons, new; old buggy 2 buggy poles, 8-in New Holland chopper.

BLACKSMITH TOOLS.

Cast anvil, blower, 2 pair tongs, ball hammer, drill press and bits; 2 vices, brace and bits; crosscut saw, sledge hammer digging iron, shovel, scoop shovel, corn basket, iron hog trough, 8 ft; 2 oil drums, lot of bolts, 1½-ton junk, sacks, 6 sets front gears, 2 sets breechbands, set single harness set double harness, work bridles, 10 collars, 4 pair check lines, 3 wagon lines, 4 housings, wagon saddle, 6 halters, coupling straps, 2 string sleigh bells, 29 Model PLYMOUTH SEDAN.

DAIRY UTENSILS

Electric milk cooler, 2 can size; Oriole milk cooler, four 10 gal, four 7 gal, one 5 gal milk cans; 2 covered buckets, 2 milk stools, strainer, stirrer, ¼ electric motor, with belt and wheel for pump jack; Newtown coal brooder stove No. 11; 2 iron kettles and rings; sausage stuffer and grinder, pudding stirrer, gambling sticks, 2 hog scrapers, 2 hooks, holy laddle, meat barrel.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Home Comfort range, Windsor oil stove, 4-burner, with built-in oven, like new; small egg stove, sink, kitchen cabinet, cupboard, with glass front; 8-ft extension table, drop-leaf table, library table, 6 caneseated chairs, 3 lawn chairs, writing desk, bureau, vanity, New Queen sewing machine, 2 wash stands, organ, piano, phonograph, radio cabinet, bed, Child's bed, high chair, home-made brooms, matting by the yd; 2 Brussels rugs, 9x12 and 11x11; two linoleum rugs, lot window blinds, mirror, lot empty jars, half gal crocks, plates, dishes, 4 galvanized wash tubs, lantern, lamp, gasoline iron, gasoline lamp, electric table lamp, and a lot of other things not mentioned.

TERMS CASH—Settle day of sale. No goods to be removed until settled for.

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. . . that unity shall rise above all squabbles, and differences;

. . . that this war shall be fought through to a finish with all that we have and all that we are;

. . . that the sacrifices of today, and the larger sacrifices of tomorrow, shall be accepted willingly, in the

humble knowledge that they are small when set beside the sacrifices of our men who are fighting;

. . . that we will not turn our backs on the rest of the world after victory is won; but will reach out the hand of friendship, and assume our proper share of responsibility in seeing that freedom, equality, and orderly justice become possible for all people, everywhere;

. . . that neither our own fighting men nor any of our allies shall be let down in any way whatsoever now, or in the hard-fighting days to come, or in the peace that will follow victory;

. . . that we, the people, will dig into our pockets, purses, and savings to make the success of the War Bond program a symbol of our determination.

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5 gal Can Roof Paint \$1.48

Cuban Candy, lb 39c

Feed Wheat 100 lbs \$3.00
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Front Quarter Beef, lb 26c
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Lebanon Bologna, lb. 39c

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Aluminum Paint, per gal \$3.98

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Alfalfa Seed, lb 49c

10 lb Bag Carroll Flour 39c

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Just received a car of Ground Corn Chop, only \$3.45 per 100 lb bag

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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—Sawed Stove length, (Dry), delivered—Harold Mehrling. 8-28-41

FOR RENT—6-Room House on W. Baltimore St. Possession April 1st. Apply to Mrs. Samuel T. Bishop.

LOST—Oil Ration Sheet. Finder please return to Lillian Graham, 5 York St., Taneytown.

CARD PARTY—Tuesday evening, March 11, 1944, at 8 o'clock, in the Taneytown H. S. Auditorium. Sponsored by Taneytown P. T. A.

FOR SALE—Hearthstone, will heat 5 to 7 average rooms, used one season—John Stonerifer, at Tom's Creek.

WANTED—Small Brooder House; also a Brooder Stove—G. LaVerne Keilholz, Keymar, Md.

FOR SALE—Stove Wood, \$12.00 a Cord; \$17.00 one and one half Cords (a truck load)—Wm. B. Nail, Taneytown.

WANTED—Couple Bushels of Yam Sweet Potatoes—Notify The Carroll Record Office.

FOR SALE—White Chester Sow, will farrow first week in May; also 2 horse Wagon.—L. Oden Eyer, Taneytown Route No. 1. 3-3-21

FOR RENT—Farm of 60 Acres near New Midway—Apply to Mrs. Celia Baker, living in Keysville, Route No. 1 Keymar.

LADIES OF THE AID SOCIETY of Grace Reformed Church will hold a Food Sale in Mr. Clarence Derr's Store Room, Good Friday, April 7, at 1:00 o'clock. The sale will be continued on Saturday afternoon, April 8th. Will appreciate advanced orders for Easter Eggs. 8, 10 & 24

BABY CHICKS—Buy now and save—Heavy Breeds \$9.00 per hundred. Payment with order—Free Delivery—Worthwhile Hatcheries, 101 W. North Ave., Baltimore (1) Md. 2-18-31

FOR RENT—Half House, with electricity, along hard road.—Mrs. Jesse Angell, near Taneytown. 2-25-21

CUSTOM BROOM MAKING—Anyone interested bring broom corn before March 15. No charge for cleaning seed if blades are removed. Bring old handles. Also pay cash for old handles.—Paul W. Robertson, at Crouse's Mill. 2-18-31

POTATOES FOR SALE—All from certified seed, No. 1, at \$1.50 per bushel.—John H. Menges, McSherrystown, Pa. Phone 3-4264. 2-11-41

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THE MEMBERS of the Mite Society of Trinity Lutheran Church will hold a food sale in the first floor of The Potomac Edison Company building, Saturday, March 11, 1944, at 2 o'clock. 2-18-41

BARRED ROCK, R. I. and New Hampshire Red and White Leghorn Chicks 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.—Schild's Hatchery, near Taneytown, Md., R. 1, Phone 28-F-4. 1-28-181

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FOR SALE—Air Mail and V-Mail Stationery. Just the kind of paper to write letters to Service Men.—The Record Office. 7-16-11

THE PRAIRIE Pals with Shorty Fincher and Ray Myers, the armless wonder, will be in the Opera House, Tuesday, March 7, at 8 P. M. Sponsored by the Daughters of America. Come out and hear a full program of playing, singing and comedy. 2-25-21

KEEPING ALL YOUR machinery in running condition is essential, and the repair of your electrical farm machinery is our specialty. Tractor Magnets, Starters and Generators.—F. W. Grosche, 405 S. Hanover St., Baltimore (1) Md. Telephone Calvert 0087. 1-7-131

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. 1-7-11

FOR SALE—Just received new supply of Floresent 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. 10-22-11

FOR SALE—Typewriter Ribbons and Supplies; Carbon Paper—Charles L. Stonerifer, Representative of Remington Rand, Inc. 7-16-11

SALESMEN'S Order Books are supplied by The Record from the manufacturers, at standard prices. About six weeks are required for filling such orders. 3-22-31

WANTED—Collies, Shepherds and Collie and Shepherd crossed Puppies. Drop card and will call—W. L. Eckert, Taneytown, Md. 1-21-21

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, 9:30 A. M.; Morning Worship, at 10:30 A. M.; Christian Endeavor, 6:30; Worship, at 7:30 P. M. alternate Sundays.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Taneytown—Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.; Worship, 10:30 A. M., the Dr. Rev. Gould Wickey, will be the guest preacher; Luther League, 6:30 P. M.; Worship, 7:30.

Piney Creek Presbyterian Church, Rev. Charles S. Owen, pastor, 9:30 A. M., Service of Worship and sermon; 10:30 A. M., S. S., Taneytown Presbyterian Church—7:30 P. M., Service of Worship and sermon; 10:00 A. M., S. S.

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. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet in the Sunday School room on Tuesday evening, March 7, at 7:30. The Consistory will hold its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday evening March 7, at 7:30 o'clock in the auditorium.

Keysville—Sunday School, at 1:00 P. M.; Worship, at 2:00.

Taneytown Charge of the United Brethren in Christ Church, A. W. Garvin, Minister, Taneytown—S. S., 9:30 A. M.; Worship, 10:30 A. M.; Sr. C. E., 6:30 P. M.; Wednesday, 4 P. M., Jr. C. E., 7:30 P. M., Prayer Meeting and "Faith in the Guidance of The Holy Spirit." The 5th Chapter will be used.

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

Pipe Creek Methodist Charge, Rev. Paul F. Warner, pastor, Uniontown Morning Worship, 9:15; Sunday School, 10:30; Evening Worship, at 8:00, conducted by the Youth Fellowship, Chapter III, "Strong as the People" reviewed by James Zollick-offer.

Pipe Creek—Sunday School, 9:30; Morning Worship, 10:30. Wednesday March 8, 8 P. M., Uniontown Woman's Society of Christian Service, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ecker.

Keysville Lutheran Church—Worship, at 9:00 A. M.; S. S., at 10 A. M.

Uniontown Lutheran Charge, Rev. George E. Bowersox, Jr., pastor. Baust—S. S., 9:30; Church, 10:30. St. Paul's—S. S., 9:30; Church, 10:30. Mt. Union—S. S., 9:30. St. Luke's—S. S., 9:30.

On March 8, at 7:45, the second series of Mid-week Lenten Services will be held at Mt. Union Church. The Lenten series is entitled, "We Would See Jesus." This second service in the series has as its theme, "We Would See Jesus—In Dark Gethsemane."

Church of God, Uniontown, Rev. John H. Hoch, pastor. Uniontown—Sunday School, 9:30. Mr. Edward Caylor, Supt. Preaching Service, at 10:30. Theme: "The Christ of the Jerusalem Road; or the Steadfast Face." Prayer Meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30. Leader, Mrs. Carrie Caylor.

Wakefield—Sunday School, 10:00. Mr. James Staub, Supt. C. E., Sunday evening, at 7:30. Mr. James Staub, leader.

Frizellburg—Sunday School, at 10. Mr. Scott Sullivan, Supt. Mayberry—Bible Study at 2:30. Rev. John H. Hoch will be present to teach with the aid of a large colored chart.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Man" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 5th.

The Golden Text will be from Gen. 1:27—"God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him, male and female created he them."

Among the citations comprising the Lesson-Sermon will be the following from the Bible—Romans 8:6—"The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children 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 615—"Man is the family name for all ideas—the sons and daughters of God."

Daddy on Lost 'Sub'—How to Tell Butch?

LOS ANGELES.—Just how do you tell a five-year-old son that the submarine his father commanded is "presumed to be lost?"

Mrs. Grace Schneider, 23, saw her husband, Lieut. Comdr. Earl Caffray Schneider, in the East recently.

Returning home, she found the navy telegram awaiting her.

She was talking to reporters about her husband and the submarine Dorado which he had commanded when Butch—that's Earle Jr.—rumped in.

"They want your picture, Butch, with me," she said. "You know, daddy won the Silver Star . . ."

Butch posed gladly, and ran gleefully outside again.

"You see how it is?" Mrs. Schneider said.

"I wonder about all the other wives . . . and how they tell their children."

Dog Saves 13 Sailors Off Ship Sunk by Submarine

LONDON.—Spitfire, a pet dog, is credited with saving the lives of 13 sailors, survivors of a Dutch vessel sunk by a German submarine. The sailors were drifting for the fourth day when they saw what they believed to be the hulls of two submarines headed directly for them. Spitfire started barking, and the submarines headed about and disappeared.

They were whales, and would have capsized the lifeboat had they continued on their course, the sailors said on arriving in England.

Draft Clerk, a Father, Drafts Self for Army

DURANGO, COLO.—John Craig, county draft-board clerk for three years, has selected himself as the first pre-Pearl Harbor father from Durango to face army induction. Craig, the father of four children, left for the Denver induction center. He placed his name at the top of the list of eligible fathers after drafting every available non-father in La Plata county. Then he resigned. State selective service headquarters named his wife the new clerk, and she promptly ordered her husband inducted.

Bear Finds Beer Cache And Has Glorious Time

GREAT FALLS, MONT.—Game Warden Bruce Neal, answering a complaint that a bear had broken into a dugout where some beer was cached, found the animal frolicking in a tree. On the ground was the evidence—several dozen broken beer bottles. The animal, Neal said, evidently was "gloriously drunk." The bear missed the hangover. Neal shot it.

U. S. Realty

The federal government's largest real estate holdings as of April, 1939, are in New York state, totaling \$480,401,000, including the cost and improvements, as against a "fair market" value of \$361,401,000. Second largest in value are its holdings in the District of Columbia, followed by California, Pennsylvania, Alabama and Virginia.

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.

MARCH

4-12 o'clock. Scott Leatherwood, in Pleasant Valley. Household Goods. Earl Bowers, Auct.

8-12 o'clock. William T. Bentz, 1 1/2 miles south of Emmitsburg, on old Frederick road. Live Stock and Farming Implements. Ben. Ogle, Auct.

9-11 o'clock. Robert Troxell and Regis Sanders, Taneytown—Westminster road. Live Stock, Farming Implements and Household Goods. Earl Bowers, Auct.

10-10:30 o'clock. Emory Ohler, on Emmitsburg-Taneytown road. Live Stock, Farm. Implements, Household Goods. Harry Trout, Auct.

11-12 o'clock. John Study, near Pleasant Valley. Live Stock, Farm Implements and Household Goods. Earl Bowers, Auct.

15-12 o'clock. Elmer C. and Maude M. Krise, near Kumps Station. Live Stock, Farm Implements and Household Goods. Harry Trout, Auct.

15-11 o'clock. James A. Trout, one mile south of Emmitsburg. Live Stock, Farming Implements and Household Goods. Earl Bowers, Auct.

16-12 o'clock. Charles Bridinger, 1 mile east of Harney. Live Stock, Farm Implements and Household Goods. Earl R. Bowers, Auct.

17-12 o'clock. S. O. Thomas, on Keymar-Taneytown road. Live Stock and Implements. Earl Bowers, Auct.

18—Medford Grocery Store. Community sale. Earl R. Bowers, Auct.

22-11 o'clock. Paul M. Halter, Halter's Mill. Live Stock, Farm Implements and Mill Tools. Harry Trout, Auct.

24-12 o'clock. William Martin, on Emmitsburg - Keysville road. Live Stock, Farming Implements Harry Trout, Auct.

28-12 o'clock, sharp. J. Raymond Zent, Taneytown-Keymar road, 1 mile north of the new Bruceville bridge. Live Stock, Farm Implements, some Household Goods. Earl Bowers, Auct.

25-12 o'clock. Stanley Homer, of near Tyrone. Live Stock and Implements. Earl R. Bowers, Auct.

30-10 o'clock. John S. Teeter, Taneytown-Littlestown road. Live Stock and Implements. Earl Bowers, Auct.

APRIL

1-1 o'clock. Mrs. Minetta Powers, Uniontown. Entire Household Goods. Earl R. Bowers, Auct.

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Dollar Daring

Investments make jobs. Large investments make good jobs. Paying investments make permanent jobs. Communities where substantial capital has been put to work wisely are prosperous communities. Their ratio of gainfully employed people is high. Incomes are adequate for gracious living and merchants prosper because their customers have money to spend for something besides a bare living. These desirable conditions result from investments.

Not all projects prosper. Not all investments are wise. Nobody can be perfectly certain in advance whether a proposed venture is a good one, but if our enterprisers had always withheld their investments until they could know how things were going to turn out, America never would have become the world's most influential nation. We would be on the back bench with China and India today.

Fish in the Sea
An incident in the career of James A. Patten illustrates perfectly how boldness in business creates wealth. Deals in wheat, not fish, made Patten's name familiar to every adult American in the first ten years of the 20th Century, but he once laid out a million dollars to build the first fish cannery in Alaska. While it was still in the planning stage, the famous plunger consulted his banker. Bankers are proverbially conservative.

"The fish are still in the sea, Mr. Patten," the banker reminded, after hearing the business man discuss potential returns. "It is worth trying," Mr. Patten said. "If I lose, I lose. Out of three pioneering ventures, if two are successful, it is enough." He built the cannery and it prospered and grew. Hundreds of men were employed. Good jobs were created. People in many lands were supplied food at fair prices.

More Than a Gift
Fish taken from the sea and sold in cans the first year had a value somewhat above 1.5 million dollars. In the absence of Patten's venturesome spirit, this progress would have been delayed; might never have come. This is the spirit of progress and adventure that gives America leadership among nations; that currently is feeding the families of a war-cursed world.

A mellow millionaire than Patten might have endowed very richly some uplift movement for underprivileged Eskimos (if any) and accomplished much less for humanity than did this investment for profit that started a new industry in a new country.

After this war will come the greatest demand for new jobs that the world has ever known. The whole Earth will look to American enterprisers to offer gainful work. If we uphold America's living standards which are different from any in the world, and better than any, we will need all the good ideas our 130 million people can devise. Freedom of opportunity encourages venturesome investment; makes paying jobs.

A Tame Ending
But let me tell you the rest of the Patten story. He quit enterprising. Born before the Civil War, he lived until 1928 and witnessed the coming of taxes that tended to restrict the growth of new enterprises. Two successes out of three venturesome investments had been enough to encourage his early activities but, at that rate, if he were operating now and paying 66% percent tax on his profits he could only break even.

In later years taxes on profits have reached even more discouraging heights. A 75 percent tax makes two successful ventures out of three show an over-all loss. Some men pay taxes of 90 percent but Patten quit taking long chances before such rates were dreamed of. In his late years he invested in government bonds. To him this must have seemed tame. Government bonds pay returns and they are safe but they create no wealth; no jobs.

Rare Trumpeter Swan Is Now Staging Comeback

WASHINGTON.—The fabulous and nearly extinct trumpeter swan, America's rarest and largest migratory waterfowl, is on the way to a comeback. In 1933 the trumpeter swan population of this country was down to 73, but now there are at least 221. Dr. Ira N. Gabrielson, director of the fish and wild life service, recalls that 1935 was the year which the Red Rock lakes national wild life refuge was established in Montana for the protection of the species. Trumpeter swans nest in no other region. The birds weigh at least 25 pounds and have a wingspread of eight feet.

Blackout Lingerie Is The Vogue in London

LONDON.—Board of Trade investigators announced they had gotten to the bottom of the mysterious run on non-rationed blackout curtain material.

Women are using it to make their own panties.

"It will be most difficult to halt this practice," said the board spokesman. "How is one . . . er . . . to know?"

AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF



It cost her six weeks in the hospital, but plucky Pvt. Margaret Maloney, Rochester, N. Y., wasn't stopping for that when she saved the life of a soldier who fell into a pool of blazing gasoline. The first woman to receive the Soldier's Medal, she was a proud WAC at the regimental review in Algiers when the Medal was awarded. Buy More War Bonds—Keep in practice to beat the Axis.

U. S. Treasury Department

Pin-up for Those Not Buying Bonds



This American soldier took refuge under a truck during a Jap bombing raid of our positions on Rendova. A Nipponese bomb, however, had his number on it. Here you see his comrades gently removing his body from under the engine. When you are asked to buy War Bonds think of this picture. From U. S. Treasury

Right Vegetables Bring Big Yields from Little Space



Getting a lot of vegetables from a little garden plot is no sleight-of-hand performance. But it sometimes takes clever planning and knowledge of what varieties to select.

Pole beans produce many more pods in the same space than bush beans; Swiss chard is the most economical of all greens because one planting will give many a meal all summer and fall; beets are . . .

Next to the fence at the rear of the border train up some tomato vines. They will make a green background, and the ripe fruits will lend rich color. At the sides, plant pole beans and stretch strings for them to climb. In front, group various lower-growing vegetables. Swiss chard will give a light green note; beet tops will supply a darker green with hints of red in veins and stems. Plant a grouping of carrots—the foliage is feathery and dainty, and the roots are so nourishing. Accent can be supplied in the border by means of a pepper plant at each corner, and a few cabbage heads of the small compact type will add interest here and there.

Edge at least part of the border with parsley, and the rest with dwarf flowers such as Little Gem Alyssum, bright marigolds, and Lilliput zinnias in a gay blend of colors.

Perhaps you have a long narrow strip of ground next to the fence at one side of the lot. An ideal spot for a flower border in peace time, but now possibly the only space you have for raising Victory crops. By choosing wisely and arranging well, you can have a fine array of vegetables for the table, and they will also have some ornamental value in the border.

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Salesmanship

By **STANLEY CORDELL**
 Associated Newspapers.
 WNU Features.

THE secret to good salesmanship lies in the condition of one's mind. That is to say, if a man can convince himself that his product is good, that his prospect would benefit by having it; and if he can overcome that fear, that inferiority complex that shrivels him up inside when he knocks on a door or enters an office—more than half the battle is won.

That's what the sales manager of Everybody's Magazine Company told Leroy Foote. Leroy wouldn't have taken the job except that he was in desperate straits. He had always held himself a little aloof from salesmen. A salesman was only a salesman when he couldn't get himself a salaried job, hence his mentality must be low. Then there was that atmosphere of begging with which folks enshrouded the door-to-door canvasser.

Leroy went out on territory with a youth named Edwin Clay. Edwin had had some previous sales experience, about which, however, he talked only vaguely. But he was a likable youth and Leroy was glad the two of them had been teamed up together.

But despite all this Leroy, after leaving Edwin with a promise to meet him for lunch, began at once to feel squeamish. He passed by three houses in the hopes that the flood of courage and confidence, that Edwin had assured him was all a salesman needed to bring him success, would surge through his veins. But the flood continued to elude him, and after walking by his fifth house he automatically turned into the gate of the next, spurred by a vague notion that flood or no flood, walking along the street wasn't helping matters any.

Leroy rang the doorbell and had an impulsive desire to flee. The door was opened by a pleasant-



"I'm sorry . . . We have all the magazines we can use."

faceted lady, whose expression, (or at least Leroy imagined) grew cold at sight of the magazines tucked under his arm. She regarded him questioningly.

"I'm sorry." The woman was smiling at him benignly. "We have all the magazines we can use at present." Bang! The door closed in his face.

Well, that was that! What an ordeal! And what a curiously pleasant sensation, knowing that it was over. He sighed heavily. Forty-five dollars a week looked now remote.

At noon Leroy joined Edwin at the restaurant agreed upon. Clay grinned at him questioningly. "How many?" he asked.

"Two," said Leroy, obviously ashamed to admit it.

"Not bad. Not bad at all." Edwin was frankly kind in his applause. "I only knocked over five myself, and I'm supposed to be an experienced salesman."

Edwin drank his coffee and grinned. "I know how it is. It gets us all the same way at the start." He paused. "Tell you what. You come with me this afternoon. We'll work together, and the chances are we'll benefit by each other's method."

After that things went along quite smoothly. They made twelve calls during the afternoon and succeeded in selling eight subscriptions. It was really quite a lot of fun; even when they were turned away it wasn't half bad, because each was comforted by knowledge that the other knew and understood.

Leroy was overjoyed with the afternoon's work; and Edwin, too, seemed pleased by it all. Riding back on the bus they discussed tomorrow's work and agreed to try working together again.

"Edwin, you've been pretty square with me and I—well, I've a confession to make. I told you I made two sales this morning. Well, I didn't. I got turned down on my first call and didn't have the courage to make another. I quit. I was afraid. And at noon when you asked me, I didn't have even the courage to admit it to you."

Edwin looked at his companion in consternation. "Is that a fact?" he said, mildly astonished. Then abruptly he began to laugh. "Well, I guess we're even. As a matter of fact, I didn't have the courage to make one call. I spent the morning sitting in a park, feeling pretty low. And when you asked me this noon—"

But Edwin was holding out his hand.

ALMANAC



"Be always sure you're right—then go ahead"—Crockett

- MARCH**
- 1—First congress under constitution meets, 1793.
 - 2—Washington's birthday, 1732.
 - 3—Court affirms right to criticize congressman, 1942.
 - 4—Permanent census bureau created, 1902.
 - 5—Act commissions Annapolis graduates as ensigns, 1912.
 - 6—Pres. Monroe proposes recognition of South American republics, 1822.
 - 7—Organize civil service commission, 1883.
 - 8—Bell transmits first intelligible sentence on telephone, 1876.



LOOKING AHEAD
 BY GEORGE S. BENSON
 President Harding College
 Seaford, Arkansas

America Leads

George Washington never rode a wheel. If he had lived until the bicycle was invented, he would have been 110 years old. In Washington's day the United States with its Constitution, its popular vote and its representative law-making bodies was laughed at by people who discussed it in far-away lands. They called it a queer government experiment in a frontier country. Now look at us.

Last week this column said that anybody who wanted to change the American system much was an enemy of humanity, and we promised to say why. The reason is that America leads the world in benefiting all mankind. Since George Washington's day, America has used freedom that he and his contemporaries protected with the Constitution, to show the world how to live and make progress.

High Achievement
 Mortal man never created anything of more value to the race than America's system of open competition—Private Enterprise. Out of every 400 people on earth, 25 live in the United States, only 6.25 percent, but we send more young people to high school and college than all other countries combined. Our farmers are richer than Solomon. They never saw a golden sceptre nor a jeweled crown perhaps, but their homes and barns hold many useful things that Solomon would have enjoyed but could not buy.

Things not available to Solomon which any American can get now through Private Enterprise are countless. Imagine: Solomon's personal car was horse-drawn; he had to guess what time it was on cloudy days; he never saw a movie and all the news he ever got was hearsay. The royal palace was not wired for electricity, had no telephone and no radio. The king ate what grew in Palestine and liked it because transportation and refrigeration were in the early stages of makeshift.

Nothing Is Perfect
 Between Solomon's reign in Canaan and Washington's administration in U. S. A. (call it 2,500 years) there was surprisingly little gain in human well-being. But progress was made in America, where rewards of Free Enterprise inspired vast numbers of people to set their minds and hands to work doing worthwhile things. Out of it came the culture, convenience and wholesome enjoyments of the age in which we live.

America has passed through some periods that everybody in the country thought were bad. Our political leaders and industrial barons have made mistakes which anybody can see by looking backward. No longer ago than 1936 when employment was low, our jobless "unfortunates" drove to their relief work in private motor cars. When the American people's spirit was at its lowest, our national income was larger than that of six foreign countries—any six.

A Better System
 For purposes of comparison with America's living standards, almost any citizen of the United States would select Europe, and rightly so. Europeans are most like Americans and best understood by most of us. I have often contrasted life here with existence in the Orient where I spent eleven years, but the differences are too marked for comparison. Asia is still in Solomon's time.

Europe has advanced beyond Washington's day, but wages are three times as high in America, twice as high even as in England, which is a highly industrialized country with an old culture. Working people in America have twice as much and live twice as well. Has America had access to more natural resources than Britain? No. Britain long dominated the world's resources. Nobody boasts that Americans are smarter than the British. America has only one advantage, namely, freedom which includes Free Enterprise. The system can be and is being improved, but nothing better has ever been tried.

Homespun Philosophy
 By Ezra

BEAUTY

A certain man by the name of Adams once wrote "Beauty is like an almanac; if it lasts a year it is well". Let me tell you folks, those are words of wisdom.

Now, you take this beauty business. Beauty is a fine thing. When it comes into your life you feel good all over. It doesn't matter whether it is beauty of actions; beauty of face or beauty of nature.

Just let a little beauty slide into your actions and right off you begin to feel good all over. Did you hear about the fellow that was mistaken for God. Yes sir. That's what he was. It seems as though he took a little six year old tike to the hospital one day. And as they were riding along this little fellow looked up at him and right out of a blue sky said, "Are you God?" Well, that fellow was taken aback plenty. He had been called many times before, but he never was mistaken for God. He asked the boy "Why do you ask me such a question?" and the little boy replied, "Mother said that if I'd be awful good God would some day see to it that I'd be taken to a hospital to have this leg of mine straightened so that I could walk all by myself." Do you see what a little beauty of actions did for that guy.

Take beauty of face. Oh, I know that such beauty is only skin deep, by gum. But where is the fellow that don't get a big kick out of having a little beauty in his life. Perhaps you are like the guy who said, "I like beautiful babies; especially beautiful girl babies; any where from sixteen to sixty years of age." That fellow had something.

I don't believe people living in the country appreciate nature enough. They are right in the midst of it all the time. They don't notice it. But all you need to do is take it away from them and you hear an awful squawk. One of the most beautiful things in nature is plenty pure, fresh air. You can't see its beauty but you sure can smell it. If you don't believe it ask the fellow I heard about. He was living on the outskirts of a small town right among the freshest fresh air there was. And the city fathers, in their wisdom, deemed it necessary to build a garbage disposal plant in back of his house. Well, that fellow wished many a time he had his good fresh air back.

No sir, you can't beat beauty for bringing you a big hum of happiness and satisfaction. It doesn't matter whether it is beauty of action, beauty of face, or beauty of nature. All three of them contribute to our store of happiness.

The strange thing about all this here beauty is that it don't last. That's the pity of it. You can't get beauty into your life once and expect it to last until you die of old age. It just won't do it. You got to add to the stock all the time. It is like this guy Adams says, it is like an almanac it only lasts a spell. In an almanac the dates wear out day by day, the weather prognostications are worn out before they happen and the signs were never any good. You got to keep tearing off the pages month by month and at the end of the year you got to go to the store and buy ten cents worth of kick knacks to get a new one. So it is with beauty, you got to get new beauty into your life from time to time.

Editor's Note: Don't try to get a new wife from time to time.

WAR QUIZ CORNER

WHO IS HE?
 (40 points)



1. This is the man who headed Poland's ill-fated army. His name was—?
2. General Mannerheim became famous as leader of (a) Germany, (b) Denmark, (c) Finland, (d) Russia.
3. Who did Prime Minister Churchill visit at Casablanca?
4. True or false: American planes gained fame for night raids over Germany, and British planes for day raids.

ANSWERS

Count: Question one, 40; rest, 20 each. Score: 100, perfect; 80, good; 60, fair.
 1. Marshal Smigly-Rydz.
 2. Finland.
 3. President Roosevelt.
 4. False. Other way around.

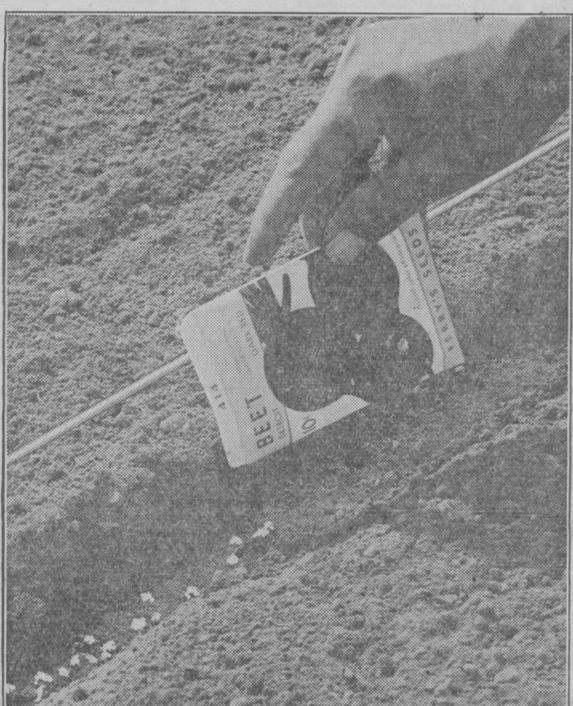
Coated Textiles

Armored or coated textiles have so improved and multiplied under war pressures that the consumer is assured of many better peacetime products. Fabrics coated and impregnated with pyroxylin, rubber, synthetic rubber and synthetic resins are serving a multitude of military uses.

Preserves Traditions

The marine corps, older than the Declaration of Independence, preserves traditions that were established through its activities from equatorial zones to the polar regions. "Esprit de corps" so often commented upon, is as much a part of the individual marine as his v-

Sufficient Seed for 1944 Victory Gardens



—Photo Courtesy Ferry-Morse Seed Co.

"Will there be seed enough to go around?"—This is again a vital question in the minds of the nation's Victory Gardeners as Uncle Sam asks for a substantial increase over the 20,000,000 vegetable gardens raised in the United States last season.

A confident reply comes from Ferry-Morse Seed Co., largest growers and distributors of garden seeds in the world.

"We are ready for a sizeable increase over last year's output for Victory Gardens," they declare, "in spite of tremendous handicaps and labor shortages." Seed of some varieties of certain vegetables is still on the short side, but this is a situation which is bound to occur even in normal times. Wise and experienced gardeners, however, know that if the dealer does not have the variety he has been accustomed to getting, there is always another of equally excellent quality to take its place. Take snap beans, for example. Whether round-podded or flat-podded, green or wax, each group is made up of several varieties differing but little from each other in form and growing habits. All are stringless, and in flavor and texture it puzzles even the experts to tell them apart. The same is true of numerous varieties among other kinds of vegetables.

While every Victory Gardener should grow as big a crop of vegetables as is practical to meet the needs of his family, buying more seeds than are needed will be a definite detriment to the 1944 War Food Program. Any seeds left over from early planting should be put in as repeat plantings or sown in mid-summer for fall harvesting. Be sure that the seeds are stored in a dry place, such as a tight-covered fruit jar, until time to use.

As during the past successful season, Victory Gardeners will do well to confine their efforts to standard vegetables, especially those that store, dry, or can to good advantage. During 1943, approximately 4,300,000 jars of fruits and vegetables were put up in this country, and the government hopes that this figure will be surpassed in 1944.

Water Garden in Dry Weather

Most Victory Gardens do better if extra moisture is supplied during the summer months.

When water is furnished regularly to fill in the gaps between rains, vegetables are likely to grow fast. This quick growth makes them tender and usually of better flavor than when the supply of water is uncertain as is often the case when a gardener must depend only upon summer showers.

If artificial watering must be done from above, evening is usually the most suitable time. Using the hose on the garden in the middle of the day in hot sunshine often wastes water because of rapid evaporation and may cause burn-

ing of the foliage.

An occasional thorough soaking at the roots is worth more than most artificial showering that can be done from above.

Let the hose trail along the ground at the base of the plants. Rest the hose nozzle on a wrinkled piece of sack or old blanket to help spread the water more evenly over a larger area.

Water only part of the garden each day. Give the plants in one row a thorough soaking for at least a foot down, then the next day turn the hose into another part of the garden. Continue for several days until the entire garden has received a good long drink.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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- 9 Royal family name
- 10 Blacksmith's block
- 12 Manila
- 13 Fragment
- 14 Sign
- 15 Body of water
- 16 Rib out
- 20 Depict
- 23 Narrow inlet
- 26 Prescription term
- 27 Cotton for quilts
- 29 Wan
- 31 Wavy (Her.)
- 32 To enliven
- 36 Transgress
- 37 A law (L.)
- 38 Withdrawal
- 40 Biblical character
- 41 Rancor
- 44 Verbal
- 48 Assumed name
- 50 Worship
- 51 Piebald horse
- 52 Sum: comb. form
- 53 Nourish
- 54 On the ocean

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- 1 Island off Florida
- 2 Jewish month
- 3 Pouch in garment
- 4 Epoch
- 5 Chance
- 6 Old-womanish
- 7 Layer of the iris
- 8 Pass the tongue over
- 9 Cap
- 11 Confederate
- 17 Polish
- 18 Macaw
- 19 Place
- 20 Pertaining to the Pope
- 21 Silly
- 22 A cup (Eccl.)
- 23 Cleanse of soap
- 24 Asian country
- 25 Representative
- 28 Thulium (sym.)
- 30 Type
- 33 Constellation
- 34 Thrice (mus.)
- 35 Greek letter
- 39 Mediterranean island
- 40 Kind of rock
- 41 Breach
- 42 Arabic letter
- 43 Contour
- 45 Actor's part
- 46 Melody
- 47 Zodiacal sign
- 49 Turf
- 50 Exclamation

Answer to Puzzle No. 1

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| AGUE | PERT |
| PROBE | SPOOL |
| ESNE | LOVE |
| GHEAT | PITTED |
| SUMAC | |
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| ROOTS | SUSAGE |
| ANTE | ANG |
| MARCH | |
| GASPS | OUNCE |
| ALTO | BORN |
| GLARE | EBBED |
| OVAL | RULE |
| WELL | ABED |

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TANEYTOWN INDUSTRIAL BOWLING LEAGUE

LEAGUE STANDING

| W | L | Pct | |
|-----------------------|----|-----|-----|
| Pleasant View Dairy | 50 | 19 | 724 |
| Taneytown Fire Co. | 40 | 29 | 579 |
| Taneytown Rubber Co. | 38 | 31 | 550 |
| Chamber Commerce | 28 | 41 | 405 |
| Model Steam Bakery | 26 | 43 | 376 |
| Littlest'n Rubber Co. | 25 | 44 | 362 |

| Taneytown Fire Co. | | | | |
|--------------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| W | L | Pct | | |
| A. Shank | 121 | 110 | 123 | 354 |
| S. Fritz | 97 | 100 | 115 | 312 |
| F. Hitchcock | 103 | 123 | 131 | 357 |
| H. Royer | 108 | 102 | 95 | 305 |
| T. Putman | 112 | 122 | 107 | 341 |
| Total | 541 | 557 | 571 | 1669 |

| Littlest'n Rubber Co. | | | | |
|-----------------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| W | L | Pct | | |
| N. Tracey | 118 | 110 | 98 | 326 |
| M. Tracey | 100 | 121 | 130 | 351 |
| R. Clingan | 99 | 107 | 110 | 316 |
| C. Ohler | 85 | 109 | 92 | 286 |
| H. Baker | 123 | 112 | 91 | 326 |
| Total | 525 | 559 | 521 | 1605 |

| Model Steam Bakery: | | | | |
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| W | L | Pct | | |
| W. Fair | 109 | 128 | 97 | 334 |
| M. Six | 100 | 97 | 84 | 281 |
| E. Baumgard'r | 92 | 98 | 84 | 274 |
| K. Austin | 135 | 136 | 104 | 375 |
| E. Ohler | 97 | 122 | 100 | 319 |
| Total | 533 | 581 | 469 | 1583 |

| Chamber of Commerce: | | | | |
|----------------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| W | L | Pct | | |
| J. Hartsock | 97 | 101 | 109 | 307 |
| R. Phillips | 85 | 93 | 84 | 262 |
| C. Foreman | 119 | 88 | 150 | 357 |
| H. Mohney | | | 91 | 91 |
| M. Fritz | 89 | 93 | | 182 |
| T. Tracey | 108 | 116 | 112 | 336 |
| Total | 498 | 491 | 546 | 1535 |

| Pleasant View Farm Dairy: | | | | |
|---------------------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| W | L | Pct | | |
| E. Poulson | 130 | 135 | 111 | 376 |
| R. Haines | 97 | 91 | 124 | 312 |
| D. Baker | 107 | 97 | 115 | 319 |
| C. Baker | 92 | 94 | 97 | 283 |
| E. Morelock | 106 | 116 | 121 | 343 |
| Total | 532 | 533 | 568 | 1633 |

| Taneytown Rubber Co.: | | | | |
|-----------------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| W | L | Pct | | |
| G. Kiser | 113 | 100 | 114 | 327 |
| J. Bricker | 126 | 104 | 99 | 329 |
| C. Foreman | 102 | 112 | 110 | 324 |
| E. Hahn | 118 | 108 | 133 | 358 |
| U. Austin | 105 | 105 | 126 | 336 |
| Total | 564 | 528 | 582 | 1674 |

Youth, 17, Croons Way Into Marriage With 3

KANSAS CITY, KAN.—Blanked by two wives, Thomas Robertson, 17, shuffled into Wyandotte county court to face a charge of bigamy. Judge John Blake asked him how he had made so much matrimonial time at such an early age.

"I sing love songs to them," replied Robertson. "My favorite is 'I'm Through With Love.'"

During the ensuing pause, a third Mrs. Robertson burst into the courtroom. She said Robertson had led her to the altar in Corpus Christi, Texas, last July 23, the first of his marriages. Judge Blake added another bigamy count to the charge and continued the trial.

Wife No. 1, the former Katherine Norris, is 20. The others, Mrs. Lucille Emily Miller Robertson and Mrs. Mina Frances Pugh Robertson, are 17.

12 Babies in 11 Years Drives Wife to Bigamy

MILLIGAN, SCOTLAND.—Christina Webster, 37 years old, told a magistrate in Edinburgh she had been driven to bigamy because her life had been made miserable by having so many children. She said she had given birth to 12 children in 11 years.

Having too many children might be sufficient grounds for desertion, but not for marrying another man.

Life insurance payments to living policyholders, other than cash values withdrawn, last year topped one billion dollars for the first time in history.

More than \$9,700,000,000 of U. S. government securities have been purchased by the life insurance companies of the country since the start of the war, and they now have \$12,600,000,000 or more than one-third of their total assets invested in them. This is, on the average, \$382 per family.

A conference sponsored jointly by the national Y. M. C. A. and the University of Maryland and designed to acquaint Maryland youths with governmental procedures will be held on the College Park campus Saturday March 18. High school boys from every county in the State will attend.

More than four and a half billion dollars were directed into anti-inflationary channels last year by life insurance policyholders through the payment of premiums and the repayment of policy loans.

TANEYTOWN GRAIN MARKET

Wheat\$1.71@1.71
Corn, old....Max. OPA \$1.25@1.25

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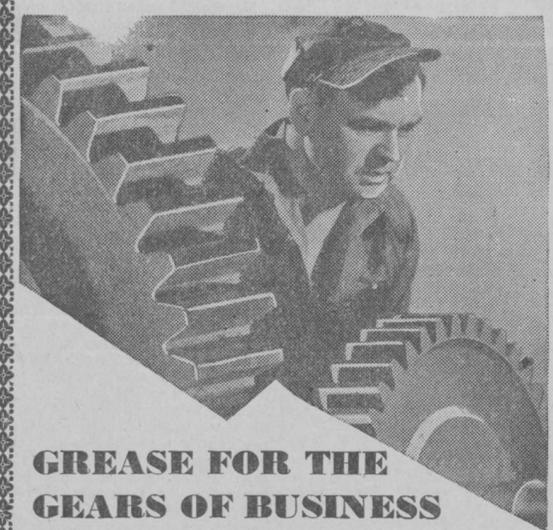
In the Orphans' Court of Carroll County: FEBRUARY TERM, 1944
Estate of Louisa Kump, deceased
On application, it is ordered, this 28th day of February, 1944, that the sale of Real Estate of Louisa Kump, late of Carroll County, deceased, made by Allen C. West, Auxiliary Executor of the last Will and Testament of said deceased, and this day reported to this Court by the said Executor, be ratified and confirmed unless cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 3rd day of April, next; provided a copy of this order be inserted for three successive weeks in some newspaper printed and published in Carroll County, before the 27th day of March, next.
The report states the amount of sale to be \$1025.00.

E. LEE ERR,
CHARLES B. KEPHART,
Judges.
True Copy Test:—
J. WALTER GRUMBINE,
Register of Wills for Carroll County. 3-3-54

NOTICE OF ELECTION

An election will be held at the office of The Reindollar Company, on Monday, March 20th, 1944, between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of electing eight Directors to serve for the ensuing year.

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Averts Barrage on Platoon By U. S. Artillery.

WITH U. S. FORCES ON BOUGAINVILLE ISLAND. — Private John Perella of Springfield, Mass., slipped through a hostile jungle undetected by Japanese patrols, swam a strange tropical river in darkness with enemy bullets splashing about his ears, and saved a United States marine platoon from possible destruction by American artillery during the battle of Koromokina river, it was disclosed.

The marines in that battle defeated the attempt of 21 barge loads of Japanese troops to fold up the flank of the American beachhead at Empress Augusta bay. After 26 hours of combat the enemy was beaten off with a loss of 240 killed.

Private Perella was in a platoon commanded by Lieut. Thomas H. Harvey of Kinston, N. C. After battling the Japanese all afternoon November 7, the platoon found itself cut off behind the Japanese lines.

The platoon was in an area the men knew was to be shelled by American guns early the next morning. About dark Private Perella volunteered to try to get word back that the barrage should be postponed.

Setting out from the marine position, he reached the beach unharmed and got into the water for the risky swim past Japanese lines. Enemy outposts sighted him and opened fire.

Private Perella swam doggedly along the river parallel to shore until he reached a point opposite the marine encampment. Fearing he would be shot by Americans, he waved a white handkerchief above his head and was permitted to come ashore—just a few minutes before the artillery was to have opened fire.

The barrage was postponed and the trapped platoon later was evacuated in boats.

Used Bare Hands to Save Bomber From Fiery Flare

PACIFIC ALLIED HEADQUARTERS. — An aerial gunner was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross recently. The highest medal in the power of Gen. Douglas MacArthur to award went to Staff Sgt. Donald O. Crandall, Bloomfield, Iowa.

Crandall's heroism was displayed during a bombing raid on the Japanese field of Boram near Wewak, August 29. The citation said:

"Before reaching the target the formation of bombing planes was attacked by approximately 30 enemy planes... A successful bombing run was made, destroying ground aircraft and firing oil dumps... The attack of enemy fighters continued. Crandall had shot down one of them when a burst of fire into the waist of the plane ignited a flare and shot out the plane's hydraulic system. To prevent the flames from reaching the hydraulic fluid, he kicked a hole in the camera door and threw the flare out.

"Wounded in the leg and an arm when hostile planes renewed the attack and with his hands badly burned, he turned to his guns and shot down another of the enemy planes... Crandall displayed high skill and courage in his prompt and heroic action of saving the lives of the crew."



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