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COMMUNITY LOCALS

Mr. Edwin Baumgardner returned home Tuesday after a week in a Baltimore hospital.

Mr. Arthur Angell, near Harney, is a patient at the Annie M. Warner Hospital, Gettysburg.

The scrutinizing eyes of old auctioneer, Earl Bowers, saw the first robin pulling a worm from his lawn on March 8th.

Mrs. Keith M. Brown has accepted into the William Winchester Chapter of the DAR, on Friday, March 8th.

A/2C Robert S. Fitz, son of Mrs. LaView Fitz, departed this morning (Thursday) for Mathers Air Force Base, California, following a 30-day leave at his home.

The Good News Clubs which meet on FRIDAY will have their meeting at 1:30 P. M. this week instead of the usual time. This change is due to early dismissal from school on Fri.

The Taneytown Girls 4-H Club received a White Ribbon on their window display entitled, "Good Grooming" at the Ma-Da-Sha Shop last week during 4-H Club Week.

Mrs. Julius (Vicki Lambert) Schraff is a surgical patient in Mercy Hospital, Room 229, Scranton, Penna. She is expected to return to her home in Canadensis, Penna., Friday or Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Baker of Annapolis, Md., visited the Rev. and Mrs. William F. Wiley and Deborah over the week-end. They also attended the worship service at Grace United Church of Christ.

Final Registration for The Midget League Baseball Club will be held in the Firemen's Building on Friday, March 29, 7:30 to 8:30 P. M. Age from 8 to 12 years. Sponsored by the Taneytown Lions Club.

The Taneytown Girls 4-H Club is sponsoring a Talent Night program at the Carroll County Agricultural Center in Westminster on Friday, March 15th at 8 P. M. Various talents from clubs in Carroll County will be presented.

Miss Stella May Study, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Elvin Study, 40 Frederick St., Taneytown, and a sophomore at Bob Jones University, Greenville, S. C. is among the students on the Dean's List. Students listed earned at least a B average during the first semester.

Woltz Studios, Inc., of Dansville, N. Y., will be at the Fire Hall in Taneytown on Wednesday, March 20, from 3:00 P. M. to 7:00 P. M. to show the proofs of the children's pictures taken March 6 to be published later in The Carroll Record. There were 48 families that took advantage of this feature, with about 80 children being photographed.

Miss Patricia Lambert, Fairground Avenue, presented a public voice recital on Tuesday afternoon, March 12, in Levine Music Hall, Western Maryland College. Included in the program was a cycle of six songs, "To The Distant Beloved," Op. 98 by Beethoven. Miss Lambert, a senior music major, will be graduating from Western Maryland College in June.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey, Barbara and Ruth, near Taneytown had as dinner guests at their home on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Poole and Alfred, Taneytown; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond E. Poole, Jimmy, Linda, Jack and Joanne, Poolesville; Mr. and Mrs. James Rippon and Brenda Kay, Mrs. Anna Poole of Dickerson, and Mrs. Edith Poole of Keymar.

The meeting of the Carroll County General Hospital Auxiliary was postponed until Monday, March 18, due to inclement weather. Members are urged to attend these meetings, as it is quite expensive to send cards and no response to the meetings. A food sale will be held in the Municipal Building on Friday, May 3, for the benefit of this Auxiliary. Your patronage is solicited.

Mr. George Motter, vice president of the Taneytown Elementary School P. T. A., has been named as Gen. Chm. of the annual "March of Dimes" card party. It will be held Thursday, April 25, 1963, at 8 P. M. in the Elementary School Auditorium. "500" and "bridge" will be played. Mr. Motter announced the following chairmen of the various committees: tickets, Mrs. Glenn Bollinger and Mrs. Robert Waddell; tables, Mr. John Harner; refreshments, Mrs. George Naylor, Jr., and Mrs. E. Everett Hess; prizes, Mrs. John Harner; and publicity, Mrs. Theodore Jester.

On Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Kiser, Mrs. John S. Harner and Mrs. Alice Reifsnider, attended the Spring Luncheon of the Federation of Republican Women of Maryland, in Carvel Hall, Annapolis, Md. 375 guests were present. Delegate Jacob M. Yingling was our guest of honor and showed us around the State House, quite a bit. Attended the Sessions of Legislature in both the House and Senate, learning how a Bill becomes a Law in Md. Our delegation was recognized in the House. Witnessed the presentation by Governor Tawes of many gold wrist watches to the 40-year State Employees. Before leaving, we visited the "Crypt of John Paul Jones" the Revolutionary sea hero, in the Chapel of the Naval Academy. An educational day well spent.

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HIGH SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

Schools will be closed at noon on Friday so that teachers may attend the various professional meetings to be held in Westminster on Friday afternoon. No lunch will be served that day.

Members of the Key Club of Taneytown High School will leave Friday morning for Roanoke, Va., to attend the annual district convention of Key Clubbers. The Hotel Roanoke will host this convention. One of the highlights of the convention will be an address by Charles T. Vetter, Jr., who is presently on the staff of the United States Information Agency. The following boys from T.H.S. will attend the convention: James Myers, Donald Bowers, Travis Dutterer, Donald Koonz, Gerald Tracey, Terry Bell, Chalmers Warehime, Steve Feeser, John Shorb, Keith McCurley, Edward Howarth, Ronald Airing, Ronald Baumgardner, Ricky Airing and Edward Koons. Bernard Decker and Edward Corbin will be the teachers in charge of the group.

The student teachers will begin their duties at Taneytown High School next week. From Western Maryland, Miss Patricia Lambert will be with Jean Bowers in the Music Department and Mrs. Richard Yobst will be under Bernard Decker. From Mt. St. Mary's College, Mr. Bigham under Francis Smith, Mr. Micari under Donald Stanley and Mr. Toner under Mrs. Lillian Rodgers.

The high school band under the direction of Warren Eshbach is making preparation for the annual spring concert to be held on Saturday, March 23.

The six week's marking period will end on Friday.

HIGH SCHOOL P.T.A.

The Taneytown High School P.T.A. met on Monday evening, March 11. Following the teachers' conferences, the Physical Education Department, under the direction of Mr. Bernard Decker and Mrs. Kay Clower, presented a program of gymnastics, dancing, and other exhibitions. Approximately 150 students participated. It should be noted that Physical Education provides learning experiences that develop abilities, skill, attitudes and values in harmony with the purpose of education. These learning experiences are presented through sports, games, gymnastics and dance to contribute to the physical, mental, social, emotional and spiritual growth of the individual and the group. Thus Physical Education is education through the physical.

The Physical Education program consists of class instruction, intramurals and interscholastics which, together with knowledge and appreciations, contribute to youth's total fitness.

In the course of the program, selected girls performed basic gymnastic movements, folk and bamboo dancing, rope skipping, rebound tumbling and other tumbling. The boys participated in fencing, wrestling, rebound tumbling, high bar and tumbling.

Physical Education is often considered as a muscle-building program or one of physical fitness or one of team spirit and skill. In other words, much emphasis is placed on the physique or bodily ability. This is as it should be, but, while the body is being refreshed, the soul may also have its food. Accordingly, a group of nine boys matched skill with art by presenting five exhibition tableaux. These tableaux pictured Courage, Aspiration, Patriotism, Strife and the Olympics.

The boys and girls really presented a very enjoyable program, one of which they can be justly proud. Congratulations!

Taneytown Elementary P. T. A.

The Taneytown Elementary School P. T. A. will meet March 19, with visitation in the class rooms at 7:30. The program for the evening will begin at 8:00 in the auditorium. The first part of the program will be a film on Mental Health. This film will be followed by a speaker on the subject of "Mental Health in Relation to Children of Elementary Age." The speaker, Miss LeVeta Ligon, is currently a member of the faculty at Western Maryland College, and instructor in Psychology. She received her Masters Degree at Baylor University at Waco, Texas. Please plan to attend this interesting meeting. Refreshments will follow.

MEETING OF SECRETARIES

The members of the Carroll Chapter, National Secretaries Association, (International) literally "Played Post Office" at their last regular monthly meeting. To further explain, the project for the month was secretaries all over the nation learning more about postal regulations and the proper way to address and mail letters as well as the service to buy when mailing valuables. Mrs. Maybelle Baker, Postmaster of the Union Bridge office, was the guest speaker. She acquainted the group with pertinent information for mailing letters and parcels. Doris Clapsaddle, program chairman, arranged the program.

Carroll Chapter is planning a workshop in April. Watch for the publicity!

GIRL SCOUT TROOP 820 NEWS

The Junior Girl Scouts of Troop 820 met on Jan. 30 to make felt purses from old hats. On Feb. 6 Mrs. Fink instructed Scouts in sewing buttons.

Nancy Hitchcock was invested at the Feb. 20 meeting. Also star pins were given to the girls who have served a year. Games were played and plans were made for a bake sale so the girls could go skating.

On Feb. 27 Mrs. Fink taught the girls the running stitch. Mary Ann Motter was invested. On March 1 the Girl Scouts held a bake sale at the Taneytown Fire Hall; altogether they made \$12.45.

At the March 6 meeting new patrols were picked. Patrol I: Teresa Zent, Susan Miller, Mary Ann Motter, Connie Foreman and Barbara Morrison. In Patrol II are Donna Mae Eckard, Marjorie Stutzman, Ruth Harvey, Joan Alexander and Nancy Hitchcock. Patrol III are Shirley Milburn, Bernadette Pinkes, Anne Thompson, Linda Simpson and Barbara Hitchcock. In Patrol IV are Sharon Kelly, Patty Jester, Brenda Clem, Linda Glacken and Pamela Livesay. Newly elected officers are president, Susan Miller; treasurer, Bernadette Pinkes, and secretary, Barbara Morrison.

The Girl Scouts Troop 820 would like to thank Mrs. Fink for helping us on our sewing. The leaders are Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Kelly.

On Saturday, March 16, the girls will go skating at the Rainbow Roller Rink. The Scouts will meet at the church at 1:30 P. M.

Girl Scout cookies will be sold starting Friday, March 15 to March 30. Funds from the sale of cookies helps defray the troop's expenses and Girl Scout's camp sites. Thank you for your support.

WOMEN'S GUILD MEETING

The Women's Guild of Grace United Church of Christ met on Thursday in the Parish House of the church with the Taneytown Presbyterian Missionary Society as guests. The meeting was in charge of the Missionary Education Committee, Mrs. Wm. Wiley and Mrs. Carel Frock, co-Chairmen. The meeting was opened with a prelude by Mrs. Wiley followed by the hymn: "In Christ There is no East or West." Mrs. Frock read the scripture followed by responsive reading led by Mrs. Frock and Mrs. Wiley.

The theme, "On the Rim of East Asia," was explained by Mrs. Wiley. Pamphlets were handed out.

A very interesting film, "On the Rim of East Asia" was shown. The hymn, "Holy Spirit, Truth Divine" was sung by the group. Miss Elizabeth Annan gave a wonderful report on the book, "On Asia's Rim." Mrs. Otis Shoemaker, the president, welcomed the Presbyterian ladies and thanked Miss Annan for her report.

Mrs. Geo. Fream announced that five new books had been placed in the library. She also informed the Guild that Mrs. Guy Benchoff, of Woodstock, Va., would be our speaker at a meeting on April 25, to tell us more about the merging of our various organizations.

The Youth Fellowship will be in charge of the April meeting. The Easter Flower Committee—Mrs. Blanche Lookingbill, Mrs. Carel Frock, and Mrs. Paul Morelock, will have charge of placing the Easter flowers in the church.

Local Accountants will Attend NAA Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the York Chapter, National Association of Accountants will be held on Wednesday, March 20, 1963 at the Yorktown Hotel, York, Pa. A social hour will begin at 5:30 P. M. and dinner will be served at 6:30 P. M. The business meeting followed by the guest speaker will begin at 7:30 P. M.

The guest speaker will be I. Wayne Keller, Vice President and General Manager of International Operations of the Armstrong Cork Company. His subject will be Foreign Trade and the Common Market.

He was named Vice President and a Director of his company in 1960, having been in charge of International operations since 1959. Previously he was controller of the company from 1953. He began as a cost accountant in 1930.

The author of several books on various phases of accounting, published in this country and England, he has also held important offices in various professional organizations. In 1953 he was President of the National Association of Accountants.

He is a graduate of Elizabethtown College, of which he is also a Trustee. Accountants from Cambridge Rubber Company attending the meeting are J. Robert Waddell, George Naylor, Jr., F. W. Westine, Robert Klunk and E. M. Spwine.

WITH THE ARMED FORCES

WACKERNHEIM, GERMANY (AHTNC) — Army Stuart R. Buckingham, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart R. Buckingham, 632 Baltimore Blvd., Westminster, Md., recently was assigned to the 8th Infantry Division in Germany.

Lieutenant Buckingham, a platoon leader in Company B of the division's 8th Medical Battalion in Wackernheim, entered the Army in June 1961 and was last assigned at Fort Campbell, Ky.

The lieutenant was graduated from Westminster High School in 1957 and received his bachelor of arts degree in mathematics from Western Maryland College in 1961.

MEETING OF BOARD OF EDUCATION

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of Carroll County was held on March 12, 1963, with President DeVries R. Hering presiding.

The Board acted to approve the minutes of the February meeting and approved the financial transactions as submitted for the month of February, directing that they be made a part of the minutes.

The Board approved the contracts for employment in 1963-64 of the following: Louis J. Schwarz, Betty J. Souders, Mary R. Alexander, Barbara A. Jackson, Janet M. Kopp and Sarah G. Marks. Approval was also granted for the employment of an additional teacher in the Sykesville High School, effective February 1, Mrs. Virginia G. Law being assigned to this position at present.

Miscellaneous actions were taken in connection with other personnel matters.

Consideration was given by the Board to the contracts as approved in February for the Sandymount School construction. A number of communications were considered in connection with these contracts and the Superintendent was directed to be guided by all existing regulations in connection with the contractors and that all participating contractors be required to adhere to all existing laws and regulations.

The Board considered certain actions with respect to the allowance of days of absence for teachers in service and these revised regulations were directed to be made a part of existing policies.

The Board gave some consideration to the proposal of the Superintendent that the immediate study be given to the development of land at the Westminster Sr. High School and to the planning of additional instructional facilities at this location. This action is made necessary by the fact that the Westminster High School population is continuing to increase with a prospective 1963 graduating class of 207 pupils and a prospective graduating class in 1964 of in excess of 300. The entering 9th grade from the Westminster Jr. High School will consist of 330 or more pupils. The Board must plan for receiving and accommodating the increased school population with a view to making maximum use of the existing senior high facilities during the years immediately ahead.

Plans for the attendance of representative Board members at the Carroll County Council of Parents and Teachers meeting scheduled for March 19 at 8:00 P. M. in the Westminster Jr. High School followed. At this time Superintendent Jenness was directed to bring information to the Council regarding the attitudes and views of the Board of Education with respect to the consolidation of schools and the educational advantages related thereto.

Information was furnished to members of the Board regarding scholarship vacancies to be considered at the regular meeting in June.

Action was also taken to accept the proposal of the Colonial Pipeline Co. regarding a right of way across school property.

The Board approved the termination of the contract of C. Milton Eckhardt, effective March 15, 1963, as custodian in the Sykesville School. Further consideration was given by the Board to the problems existing in the operation and custodial services field at this location. The Superintendent was directed to continue efforts to secure adequate personnel.

The Board approved the temporary employment of Edward T. Atkinson to be responsible for the operation of the boilers at the Sykesville School.

The Board heard a brief report on the completion of the basketball season in the high schools of the county with Mt. Airy High School having won the county championship and with Mt. Airy, Francis Scott Key and Westminster High Schools participating to some extent in the State play-offs.

The Board approved the calendar for school operation in 1963-64 providing for the opening of schools on September 3. County teachers will be available during the week prior to September 3 for necessary organizational and professional meetings. Schools will be closed on October 17 and 18 for the Md. State Teachers Convention. Two school holidays were declared for the Thanksgiving holiday and schools will be closed on December 20, 1963 and remain closed until Monday, January 6, 1964, for the Christmas vacation. This revision was approved because of the occurrence of Christmas and New Year's holidays on Wednesday, December 25, and Wednesday, January 1, 1964. The calendar provides three days holiday including Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Monday, March 26, 27 and 30, 1964, as the Easter vacation. The closing of schools was set for June 12, 1964.

The Board took action to approve the continued effort of the Superintendent relating to planning for the provision of school facilities on the high school level in the southern part of the county with the objective of completing plans for this project in early spring 1964 and occupying the building in September 1965.

The Board took action to grant authority to the Superintendent to make whatever arrangements can be made in connection with the providing of summer courses at a central location in the county during the summer of 1963. The offerings are to be based on demonstrated needs and available teaching personnel. This area of school services was supported during the summer of 1962 by payments from those who took advantage of the opportunities.

The Board was advised of an im-

Taneytown Fire Co. Reports

At a recently held monthly meeting of the Taneytown Volunteer Fire Co. the Ambulance Committee reported 18 calls for the past month and the Chief reported six fire calls for the same period. The Sick and Resolution Committee reported three members on the sick list. The Carnival Committee reported that books for the car that will be given away at the Firemen's Carnival the week of June 10 through 15 are now available.

Bills for the past month were read to the amount of \$1238.16 with the months receipts at \$2561.35. The Delegates Convention of which will be held on May 18, at Union Bridge, are Charles D. Baker, John Perry, Harry Dougherty, Jr., Meredith Gross, Donald Clingan. The alternates are: Kenneth Houck, Thomas Smith, Charles Lookingbill, Jack Smith and Howard Welty.

The delegates to the Maryland State Firemen's Convention of which will be held at Ocean City, Md., on June 19, 20 and 21st, 1963, are: Robert Boone, Donald Clingan, Thurston Putnam, Charles D. Baker, W. F. Miller, Jr. The alternates are: Earl Lookingbill, Stanley King, John Perry, Thomas Smith, Mervin Conover.

HELP THE CRIPPLED CHILDREN

The 1963 Easter Seal Campaign for crippled children and adults is under way and continues until Easter. According to George Fream, Chairman of Taneytown District, the businessmen of the community are helping in this campaign by permitting a Special Easter Canister to be placed in their establishments, thus giving individuals an opportunity to contribute to this worthy cause. No door-to-door solicitation will be made. Through the courtesy of the Easter Seal Society, a special church bulletin has been provided for the churches to use during one Sunday in the pre-Easter season.

Each year as this appeal is made, nearly a quarter of a million crippled persons are in need of medical care and treatment, and the success of their future depends greatly upon our kindness and generous support of this project.

Our local clinic is located in Frederick, Md., and serves Carroll, Frederick, and Washington Counties. Last year more than 5,000 treatments were given at the tri-county clinic. Any crippled person in the county is eligible to receive treatment at the clinic through admission by a doctor. Your support in this campaign is urgently needed. Contributions may be sent to Carroll County Easter Seal Fund, Westminster, or to George Fream, Taneytown Chairman.

SOME SURE INDICATIONS OF SPRING

A pair of robins, stalking some unsuspecting worm.

A song sparrow and a mockingbird, spilling out their clear liquid notes in a happy duet.

The welcome sunshine and moderating temperatures, melting the stubborn ice and snow.

A few brave crocuses, making their traditional early spring-time debut. The gentle rain, bringing welcome relief from snow and sleet.

The swollen streams and brooks, rushing merrily along.

The stark tree limbs, swelling now with buds.

Those colorful seed catalogues, giving inspiration to countless gardeners.

The various shops, displaying lots of lovely new spring fashions.

The additional hours of daylight, giving our winter-weary spirits a definite lift.

The babies and small fry, being wheeled and walked in the warm sunshine.

The awakening country-side, looking somehow brighter and more on the alert, now that that Spring is just two weeks away.

A ring-winged blackbird, flashing over the meadow.

—Zola Cantwell.

Reserved Seats for "Minstrel Fair"

A community minstrel show, "Minstrel Fair" is being produced by the Taneytown Jaycees to be given April 18, 19 and 20, for the benefit of community youth projects. It is an original production and will feature a cast of over seventy-five.

George Fream, ticket chairman, announces that reserved seats will go on sale Friday, March 15. A limited number will be available for each performance to be sold in advance only. These seats will be sold on a first-come first-served basis. Phone and mail orders will be accepted through April 15.

Neal Powell, director, announces that practically all casting has been completed and rehearsals are underway. Due to the Jaycee Ladies' Night program Thursday evening, the chorus will rehearse at 8:30 and the end men at 9:00 P. M.

Important hearing in Annapolis on March 13 to be attended by the Superintendent and other representatives of the schools and parent-teacher organizations in connection with support for proposed legislation to increase available funds for general support of education through increased state appropriations made possible for suggested revenue from state income tax.

"A joint checking account is one that lets a wife beat her husband to the draw."—Harold J. Blaschko, Arcadia (Wis.) News-Leader.

"SPICE 'N' EVERYTHING NICE"

With all my heart, I wish you every morning a smile that shall last until the next day's dawn.

I wish you health—life's greatest wealth; I wish you always near so that I may help to cheer.

Each future day and in some way—help to bring you happiness!

Just all about people as I go along in life!

One of the Ten Commandments that God gave to man, "Love Thy Neighbor as Yourself"! My nice new neighbors feel just as I do about that. And to think the neighbors from "Rolling Green" informed me that they are giving another party for Your Observer!

Taking a dear little elderly widow down to the Welfare building for aid, only to be told that her children must positively support her! One son is a single man and getting a big pension, monthly! How awful!

Taking the couple also who are in their 80's for aid who live on so little a week and were told they could not get any aid because they had a little more than \$500.00 in the bank.

The elderly lady being the Librarian in another State without any pay and she is the widow of an Episcopal Minister with such a little pension!

A strange lady coming up to me making inquiries as to the Orthopedic shoes I was wearing right from that store of "Van Dyke & Bacon," on North Charles Street, above Lexington! That was odd but she remarked how sensible it was and then I replied, "I can walk miles and miles with these kind of shoes." And that reminds me, folks maybe I could walk as far as those 50 miles and it would not have to be for physical fitness either! Ugh! Now, what I tell every one to do to be really powerfully strong is to eat meat once every day. One day, I was asked, "I'll bet you had and always have plenty of milk to drink daily and that your entire life?" My quick reply was, "I never drank milk after I was weaned! But was given substitutes as cream sauces and as I stated plenty of meat!"

A lady recently asked me if it was necessary to have a lawyer to draw up a will. Well, I wrote to the Government on that one sometime ago and the reply stated that it is not necessary at all but after you write it yourself then you must have it witnessed by two individuals and dated. That is all there is to it. They even send you a form to go by. Nice?

A woman who has been running a boarding home just for men for years has saved enough money as she stated to buy herself a Mink Coat! Now, I don't think she was foolish, folks. If that is what she longed for and she worked hard for it—more power to her!

A widower telling me that he had been living since 1933 without a mate and he regrets very much not marrying after one year when his wife passed away. Then, he stated, "My daughter is very good to me with whom I make my home but that is not the companionship a man longs for and I advise any widower to marry after the year is up!" So there you have it, Mr. Widower!

A letter arrived from a woman of 50 asking me as to cremation and she had her Mother's body cremated and to be frank with her as to my opinion about cremation, to that I will write that many people are having their loved ones cremated today but I do not believe in it as I always have thought if it was the right thing to do, it would have been done in Biblical Times!

Another elderly "bride to be" asking my advice as to living in the same house where there were two wives before who past away but in hospitals. To that, I write in reply that if she has any ill feeling about that right now, tell the man in her life that she would prefer either going into another house and selling this one or live in an apartment. Be kind and talk things over beforehand and then there will not be any misunderstanding when the knot is tied!

An elderly lady also writes who is a widow that she lives with her daughter and she has always enjoyed Oatmeal for breakfast and the daughter will not even have it in the house! What should she do? Such a little thing, folks to satisfy one! Perhaps, you could go out and buy it yourself and cook it! What is her reason? You did not state!

Life Can Be Beautiful if we only try to think of others and do for them. It pays off and brings in such big dividends, folks, which is more wonderful than any coming from a bank? Eh?

Will be seeing you next week D. V. and until then just try loving one another and keep it that way.

I am,

Faithfully,
YOUR OBSERVER.

WITH THE ARMED FORCES

FORT EUSTIS, VA. (AHTNC) — Army Cpl. Jackie M. Ketterman, whose wife, Darlene, lives on Route 2, Hanover Pa., recently graduated from the Non-Commissioned Officer (NCO) Academy at Fort Eustis, Va. Corporal Ketterman received five weeks of training in various military subjects with emphasis on leadership and combat tactics. The purpose of the academy is to broaden the soldier's professional knowledge and to instill in him the self-confidence and sense of responsibility required of a capable leader.

The 21-year-old soldier, son of Mrs. Helen C. Ketterman, Route 1, Littlestown, Pa., is a 1959 graduate of Littlestown High School.

A soul is our most precious heritage. If we throw it away we have nothing of value left.