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Reid-Murdoch Celebrate 'A' Award

THIS FRIDAY, APRIL 28, AT 8:30 P. M., AT THE ELLSWORTH COMMUNITY HALL

Reid, Murdoch and Company at Ellsworth, Michigan, has extended invitations to over 1,200 regular and seasonal workers, farmers and prominent guests, to attend the formal ceremonies in connection with the presentation of the Achievement "A" Award flag and pins to the plant and workers, E. H. Rood, plant manager, stated recently.

The ceremony will be held in the Ellsworth Community Hall at 8:30 p. m., April 28. The program will be short, but impressive, in keeping with the wartime character of the Award. Brief talks by military and civilian government officials and others at the ceremony will emphasize the important part taken by the plant and its employees in the national food program. "The Achievement 'A' Award is the government's recognition of the patriotic service rendered to our war food program by the officers and employees of the Reid, Murdoch and Company plant. Food is a weapon in this war and the men and women who help to process it are performing a definite war job. I am happy that the government has awarded our employees and plant this recognition," Mr. Rood said.

The Charlevoix City Band under the direction of Earl Beach will provide music for the program. Mr. A. T. Flynn, a director of Reid, Murdoch and Company, will preside as Master of Ceremonies. The ceremony will open with an invocation by Rev. H. Rikers of the Ellsworth Christian Reformed Church. Col. John N. Gage, Executive Officer at the Chicago Quartermaster Depot, will make the formal presentation of the Achievement "A" Award flag to Mr. Rood who will accept it as representative of the management and workers of the plant. A token presentation of the "A" Award pin, which may be worn by all officials and workers of the plant who shared in winning the Award, will be made by Mr. Donald E. Smith, Deputy Director of Food Distribution, War Food Administration. Mrs. Laura Wilson will make the acceptance speech on behalf of the employees. The color guard of the Charlevoix Coast Guard will formally raise the flag on a special pole erected near the stage as part of the ceremony. Boy Scouts will act as ushers.

In addition to the invited guests and their families, the Reid, Murdoch and Company plant has invited the general public to the ceremony. Prominent guests who have been invited will include the Governor, Congressmen and other state and county officials. The plant employed an average of around 500 men and women during 1943 and invitations have been extended to as many of these people as could be contacted, Mr. Rood stated.

Growers who produced the vegetables for the foods processed in the Reid, Murdoch and Company plant have also been invited. "Our farmers have a fundamental part in our processing operations in that they grow the foods that go into the finished product. We want them to know that we appreciate their help and we want them to be with us when we receive the Award," Mr. Rood stated.

The ceremony will be broadcast over Station WTCM, Traverse City. The Award by the War Food Administration to the Reid, Murdoch and Company plant at Ellsworth was based on a record established by the workers and management during 1943.

Charlevoix County Protestants Meet at Ironton

Ministers and laymen of every Protestant Church in Charlevoix County are invited to attend afternoon and evening meetings to be held at Ironton Congregational Church Friday, May 5. The meetings are being held under the auspices of the Michigan Council of Churches and Christian Education, and will be led by Rev. Kearney Kirkby. This will be Mr. Kirkby's first appearance in Charlevoix County.

The afternoon session will start at 2 o'clock. The first hour will be spent in discussion of problems related to Vacation Church Schools. Beginning at 3 o'clock the balance of the afternoon will be spent in discussing the possibilities of a County Wide Leadership Training School. Ministers and laymen who are present will join in a cooperative supper at 6:15. The evening address will be given by Mr. Kirkby and it is expected that a large number will come for the address who were unable to be present for the earlier sessions. The evening meeting will begin at 8 o'clock.

All sessions are free of charge. An offering will be taken in the evening to help defray the expenses.

Mrs. C. H. Maddaugh Celebrates 80th Birthday Anniversary, Sun., Apr. 16

The Misses Mary and Winnifred Maddaugh of Flint, assisted by their sister, Nellie, of Highland Park, held open house Sunday, April 16, honoring the eightieth birthday of their mother, Mrs. C. H. Maddaugh.

Many greetings and gifts were received by the honoree from friends far and near, as well as the many personal calls, all of which Mrs. Maddaugh, in spite of her advanced years, greatly enjoyed.

Confirmation Service In St. Joseph Church Friday, April 21

The Most Reverend Francis J. Haas bishop of the Grand Rapids diocese, administered the Sacrament of Confirmation to seventy-nine girls and boys and nineteen adults Friday evening, April 21st in St. Joseph Church. Included in the group were members of the East Jordan parish, Bohemian Settlement and Bellaire.

Several neighboring priests attended the services. They were: Fathers: Austin Monaghan and Emmeran Fox from Petoskey; Emmett Fraser and Albert Bernott from Cadillac; Albert Radawski from Wayland; Francis Kaminski from Gaylord; Frank Kupinski from Boyne City; Jerome Winkatits from Mancelona; Edward Neubecker from Lake Leelanau and A. Ulanowicz from Charlevoix.

During his three-day stay the Most Rev. Bishop visited all the northern parishes and all mission churches attached to the parishes. He remained in East Jordan until Saturday morning.

Temple Highlights

Friday and Saturday: Woman of the Town, with Clare Trevor and Albert Dekker. Out of the legend of the West. An exciting and true love story. The ill-fated romance of beautiful Dora Hand and Bat Masterson, the most famous marshal in the history of Dodge City.

Sun., Mon., Tues.:— Destination Tokyo, with Cary Grant, John Garfield and Alan Hale. This picture is one of the outstanding pictures of the year. It is so real that you will feel that you yourself will be right with this submarine crew.

Wed. and Thurs.: Three Russian Girls, starring Anna Sten and Kent Smith. A mighty tribute to the women of Russia. The dramatic and inspiring story of Russia's heroic nurses who feared nothing and made unbelievable sacrifices to bring comfort to the wounded in Russia's most trying hours.

Coming attractions to watch for are: Johnny Come Lately, Shine on Harvest Moon, Around the World and Stage Door Canteen. We'll see you at the Temple.

State Ferry Now on New Schedule

The State Highway Department ferry City of Cheboygan has replaced the ice-breaker Chief Wawatam on the St. Ignace - Mackinaw City run and the following schedule of departures is now in effect, Highway Comr. Charles M. Ziegler announces: Leave St. Ignace daily at 6 and 9 a. m., 12 noon, 3, 6 and 9 p. m. Leave Mackinaw City daily at 7:30 and 10:30 a. m., 1:30, 4:30, 7:30 and 10:30 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time)

Men to Go May First for Pre-Induction Exams

The following men have been ordered to report at the City Hall, Charlevoix, Michigan, at 7:30 a. m. CWT, May 1st, 1944 for transportation to the Detroit Induction Station for Pre-induction Physical.

Glen Ray Gee	East Jordan
Gordon L. Bennett	East Jordan
Donald W. Johnson	East Jordan
Clifford L. Gibbard	East Jordan
Howard C. Malpass	East Jordan
Lyle D. Danforth	East Jordan
James D. Coblenz	East Jordan
Louis C. Cihak	East Jordan
Jack Richard Craig	East Jordan
William Gaunt, Jr.	East Jordan
Willis B. Rude	East Jordan
Russell H. Weaver	East Jordan
Elgy W. Brintnall	East Jordan
James Haney	East Jordan
Everett L. Ash	East Jordan
Robert F. Wood	Charlevoix
Chester E. Belfy	Charlevoix
Jacob F. Norton	Charlevoix
Lawrence R. Dillon	Boyer City
Malcolm E. Bergy	Boyer City
Howard Homer Dell	Boyer City
Dwight L. Bondy	Boyer City
Claude E. Pearsall	Boyer City
Charles J. Moore	Boyer City
William F. Sparks	Boyer Falls
Ernest A. Jenkins	Boyer Falls
Felix T. Wasylewski	Boyer Falls
Walter Sevinski	Boyer Falls
Walter David Kipisz	Boyer Falls
Charles R. Bradford	Boyer Falls
Robert E. Eilke	Petoskey R 1 W L
Emmett G. P. McCann	St. James
Francis L. O'Donnell	St. James
Peter J. McCauley	St. James
Ralph V. Peters	Clarion
Clarence C. Miller	Clarion

Trout Season Opens Saturday

DEPT. OF CONSERVATION REPORTS ANGLERS HAVE GOOD CHANCE FOR LIMIT CATCH

Unless there are heavy rains, or snow, prior to or on the opening day of trout season — Saturday, April 29 — anglers' prospects seem excellent, the conservation department reports today. Plantings of legal-size trout are well advanced in all trout waters and further plantings will be made, particularly in advance of the Memorial Day and Fourth of July holidays.

Boats are being used this year to effect wider distribution of fish in larger streams.

In event of heavy rains, small spring-fed creeks will offer better fishing than will larger streams which carry much surface drainage and are subject to roil. Bait fishing is apt to prove more successful than fly fishing, especially if weather and water are cold.

Runs of large rainbows will be found in the large streams on the west side of the state.

Funeral Services for Mrs. Margaret Green Held Monday, April 24

Mrs. Margaret Green passed away at her home at 409 Main Street, Thursday, April 20, after an illness of two years, at the age of 84.

Margaret McElroy was born in Montreal, Canada, Nov. 11, 1859, later she came to Ludington with her parents.

On Nov. 11, 1880 (her birthday) she was united in marriage to Felix Green, who preceded her in death on March 1, 1915. For eight years Mr. and Mrs. Green lived in Kalkaska, coming to East Jordan in the fall of 1899.

She was a member of the Alter Society of St. Joseph's Church.

Three daughters, Agnes Brown, Helen VanPoucke of Detroit; Alice of East Jordan; and two sons, James of East Jordan and Felix of Lansing; 2 grandchildren and one great grandchild survive her.

Services were held Monday morning, April 24, at 8:30 at St. Joseph's Church, conducted by Rev. Jos. J. Malinowski, with burial in Calvary Cemetery.

Those from away to attend the funeral were Mrs. Agnes Brown and Mrs. Helen VanPoucke of Detroit; Felix Green of Lansing; and Mr. and Mrs. John Green of Cleveland, Ohio.

Thomas Crooks, aged 84, Passed Away Here Wednesday, April 19

Thomas Crooks passed away at his home on State Street, Wednesday, April 19, after a three-year illness due to advanced age.

Thomas Crooks was born June 18, 1859 in Gouldsboro, Pa. Later he came to Midland where, in 1884, he was united in marriage to Rebecca E. Merson, who preceded him in death nineteen years ago.

Forty years ago Mr. and Mrs. Crooks and their family moved to East Jordan where they made their home.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. May Hale and Mrs. Bertha Bowman, and one son, Thomas Crooks Jr., all of East Jordan; four grandchildren, and two great grandchildren, also two brothers, James Crooks and Bert Crooks of Gouldsboro, Pa.

Funeral services were held from the Watson funeral home, Saturday afternoon, at two o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. W. Sidebotham, pastor of the Presbyterian church, with burial at Sunset Hill.

The bearers were: Dell Hale, Clarence Bowman, Hollie Bayliss, Orvie Gonsul, Harry Simmons and Leslie Gibbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bramer of Traverse City were here for the services.

Victory Garden Versus Helping the Axis

Do the Citizens of East Jordan want to see a prolific Victory Garden on every plot of land, or are there some who want to help the Axis.

In other words, keep your dog on his own premises. Your neighbor don't like your dog tramping out seed beds and young plants, nor do they want to complain against a neighbor.

If owners of dogs want to be fair to their neighbors they will keep their dogs confined to the premises. If they THINK their dog is different they have another guess coming.

Should anyone wish, they may file a written and signed complaint with the Justice of Peace and the matter will be taken care of.

It would be much pleasanter all around if dog owners would approve of Victory Gardens and not be an indirect Axis sympathizer. HARRY SIMMONS, Chief of Police. adv17-4

E.J.H.S. News

(by Donna Holland) KINDERGARTEN — Miss Wolf

Our garden is up and growing very nicely.

We are learning to write our numbers.

2, 3, & 4 GRADES — Miss Deitz We are watching for spring birds and are putting up their pictures as we see them.

We saw some frogs eggs and found out what changes take place, etc.

THIRD GRADE — Mrs. Hager

We have started a health unit and we have a contest started on keeping ourselves clean.

We have started a new book called "Neighbors on the Hill."

SECOND GRADE — Miss Muck

We enjoyed a visit to the library recently. Miss Clink gave library cards to those of us who are eight years old.

The Bomber section have finished reading "Down the River Road." Our next book will be "Friendly Village."

Mrs. Hager gave us a petunia plant last fall. It has several pretty blossoms on it now.

HIGHEST HONORS GO TO GIRLS

This year two girls are on top for the highest honors of the senior class. Heading the class as Valedictorian is Mary Ann Lenosky. Coming next as Salutatorian is Elizabeth Penfold.

However two of the boys are right behind them in third and fourth place. In third is Parker Seiler and in fourth is Russell Weaver.

Congratulations and the best of luck in the future.

BAND WILL GO TO PETOSKEY

May 5th has been set as the day the band will go to Petoskey for the District Spring Band Festival. Activities will begin at 1 o'clock with a parade. The rest of the afternoon and the evening will consist of the individual bands playing a massed band and a pick band.

There is a great need for cars to take band students to Petoskey so if you are going that week end and cared to arrange to go on Friday, please let Mr. Winkle know.

BOWLING

Frankfort's invasion of East Jordan was not quite as successful as the visitors might have hoped and ended in their defeat by the narrow margin of 26 pins, which indicates the evenness of the two teams. It was one of those matches that hold interest right till the last ball is rolled, with never a let-up in the competitive tension. Results are set up below for the match:—

Player	Frankfort				Total	
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th		
Beidler	151	186	176	513		
Houghton	124	187	163	474		
Sylvester	197	213	180	590		
Jwell	164	164	175	503		
Hull	162	132	180	474		
Totals	798	882	874	2554		
		East Jordan				
Boswell	175	180	206	561		
Nemecek	122	188	172	482		
Sinclair	152	133	161	446		
Campbell	181	186	188	555		
Sommerville	176	167	193	536		
Totals	806	854	920	2580		

And for the past week everybody has been wondering just where Don Magee collected that high 257. He certainly found "that certain spot!"

And the Ladies acknowledge Grace Irvin the week's champ with her healthy 170.

AAA PROGRAM IN CHARLEVOIX CO.

Last week the AAA starting the potato price support program, loaded four 40 ton coal cars with potatoes destined to become alcohol.

This was only the starting, however, as it is expected that about twenty cars will be shipped from Charlevoix County.

Last year when the AAA Community Committeemen planned with farmers their 1943 productions, they assured the farmer that he would receive the support price for his potatoes. The farmers patriotically planted more potatoes. A very favorable season nationally produced a record potato crop and also a record surplus.

In order not to waste any of these surplus potatoes they are now being converted into starch, alcohol and dairy feed. These carloads are consigned to the Monitor Sugar Co. at Bay City. The potatoes are graded at the shipping point and the farmers receive payment according to the average grade of their shipment.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation to friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness during the illness and at the death of our mother, Mrs. Margaret Green. Also for the beautiful floral offerings. The Green Family.

Lewis Boyer Farm Home Destroyed by Fire Last Saturday Morning

The East Jordan Fire Department was called to the Lewis Boyer farm home on M-66 just north of the Holy Island turnoff, Saturday morning, April 22. The house, which was partially covered by insurance, was completely destroyed. Our firemen kept the blaze from spreading to the other building.

At present, Mr. and Mrs. Boyer are staying next door at the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Boyer.

Princess Watassa In Program at East Jordan School Next Wednesday

On the war path against tuberculosis, an Indian princess is scheduled to visit schools in Charlevoix county next week. She will be giving programs in the East Jordan and Charlevoix Schools on Wednesday, May 10.

She is Princess Watassa, of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, a real Indian princess whose great-great-grandfather was a medicine man and chief. In private life Princess Watassa is Miss Verna Wallette, a Chippewa Indian from the Turtle Mountain reservation, North Dakota, where her family still lives.

WITH THE ANTRIM COUNTY AGR'L AGENT W. Kirkpatrick, Extension Agent

COUNTY 4-H ACHIEVEMENT PROGRAM ANNOUNCED

At a recent meeting of the Antrim County 4-H Club Council, the County 4-H Achievement Day Program for Thursday, May 4, was made up.

The all-day program will be held at the Community Hall, Bellaire. Exhibits will be open for public inspection from 7 to 9 p. m. Wednesday evening, besides all day Thursday.

Program

9 to 10 a. m. — Viewing exhibits. 10 to 12 a. m. — Movie.

12 to 12:30 p. m. — Wood Identification Contest. Loyd Reiley, Alba, in charge.

1:30 p. m. — Dress Revue. Mrs. Verd Carpenter, Central Lake, general chairman. Assistants: Ruth Chapman, Mancelona; Dessie Farrell, Ellsworth; Maxine Sage, Alden; Mrs. Frances Curtis, Central Lake.

Address of Welcome — Dr. John R. Rodger.

Response — Lucile Shisler.

Musical number.

Comedy Skit.

Citizenship Ceremonial.

Men Behind The Chamber of Commerce

Vern Whiteford is on the membership committee. He was born in East Jordan March 15, 1899, and raised here, and graduated from our schools.

Vern is a first World War veteran, is a Past Noble Grand of the IOOF, Commander of the American Legion, and has just been elected Mayor of our city. We wish him all the luck in his new duties. He has always been active in city affairs. Has been in business for himself for the past twelve years. You can get anything you need in his store if its cost is not over \$1. His kind of store is a must in all small towns.

Vern's family consists of his wife, Goldie, and three children, Helen, Ann, and Donald. Goldie, his wife, assists him in the store, spends a good share of her time as a substitute teacher in our school, and takes an active part in the Auxiliary of the Legion. She is a very good neighbor and her hobby is good housekeeping.

Vern is an outdoor sportsman, hunting and fishing are his best. His famous fishing stream is on the Manistee, where he gets his limit nine times out of ten. Save a few of the big ones for me this summer, neighbor.

To the Members of the East Jordan Co-operative Co

I would like to thank the membership of this organization for the trust and confidence they have placed in me by honoring me with the second longest term any director ever held, and I appreciate being relieved of the responsibility of further service.

Further, I wish to state that the vicious attack on me by George Ferris, at the annual meeting, was nothing short of false and without any foundation whatever.

17-1 GEORGE JAQUAYS.

AN APPRECIATION

The Keith O. Bartlett chapter, Blue Star Mothers of America, wish to express their appreciation to the local printers, Bert Lorraine for making posters and Mr. Lisk for space in the Herald, also the general public for their support in making the tea last Saturday a success.

E. J. Co-op. Co. Annual Meeting

HELD AT SCHOOL GYMNASIUM TUESDAY EVENING. SEVERAL PRIZES GIVEN

The annual meeting of the East Jordan Co-operative Company was held in the high school gymnasium Tuesday evening.

Following the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, reports were given by Mrs. Mabel Secord, delegate to the annual State Farm Bureau meeting in East Lansing and George Ferris, delegate to the annual meeting of the Michigan Potato Growers' Exchange at Cadillac.

Three directors were elected for three-year terms, Elmer Murray and George Ferris being re-elected and Robert Barnette replaced George Jaquays.

Food rationing precluded the usual dinner and an innovation was the giving of several five dollar prizes to lucky holders of the duplicate numbers.

These included Sam Houtman, Will Shepard, Joseph Sysil, John Kotalik, Charles Stanek and Jay Ransom. Sam Colter won the grand prize, a \$25 war bond.

Candy bars were also distributed during the evening. It was unanimously voted to have the next year's meeting again in the evening.

The directors met at the close of the meeting and elected officers. Elmer Murray and Elmer Hott were re-elected as president and vice president. Charles Shepard was elected delegate to the annual meeting of the Potato Growers' Exchange and Mrs. Secord was re-elected delegate to the annual meeting of the State Farm Bureau.

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WHO AM I? WHISKEY, THAT'S ALL

"I am Whiskey, that's what I am — not Mr. Whiskey, nor Colonel Whiskey, but Plain Old Whiskey. I have several aliases and pet names, such as 'Bug Juice,' 'Corn Juice,' 'Old Rye,' 'Fire Water,' and 'Oil of Joy.' Some folks call me 'Soul Destroyer,' 'Liquid Murder,' 'Lingering Death,' and 'Rectified Ruin.' I am all these and more. I am 'Family Disturbance,' 'Liquid Sin,' 'Bottled Death,' 'Crime Provoker,' 'Liquid Pizen.' When you hear a man call for 'O, Be Joyful,' 'Red Liquor,' 'Snake Bite,' 'The Cup that Cheers,' or 'John Barleycorn,' you may bet your boots that it's me he's looking for. Ask the bartender for 'Tangle Foot,' 'Eye Opener,' 'Night Cap,' 'Jersey Lightning,' 'Toddy,' 'Mountain Dew,' 'Gray,' or 'Booze,' and he will set me out. If it is a 'Flowing Bowl,' 'Nose Paint,' or 'Rot Gut,' you are seeking, I am it. I am the whole push. I am bad medicine. That's what I am. Don't monkey with me unless you are looking for trouble. When I get my clutches on a man he's my meat. Call me what you want. Before you tackle me, have your life and soul insured. All are my fish that fall into my net. Rich or poor, high or low, bond or free. I am no respecter of persons — man or woman, boy or girl, all are the same to me. I rob them of their honor, self-respect, money, home, I make widows and orphans, paupers and criminals, thieves and gamblers. adv.

RATIONING AT A GLANCE

Meats, Cheese, Butter, Fats, Canned Fish, Canned Milk

Book No. 4 — Red stamps A8 through Q8 (value 10 points each) valid indefinitely. Red stamps R8, S8, and T8 become valid May 7 for indefinite period.

Processed Fruits and Vegetables Blue stamps A8 through K8, (value 10 point each) valid indefinitely. Blue stamps L8, M8, N8, P8 and Q8 will be valid May 1. Thereafter good indefinitely.

Sugar Book 4 — Stamps 30 and 31 good indefinitely for 5 pounds. Stamp 40 five pounds, for home canning valid through February 28, 1945.

Gasoline No. 11 stamp of A books valid for three gallons through June 21. B2, B3, C2, and C3 good for five gallons.

Fuel Oil Period No. 4-5 coupons valid through Aug. 31. All coupons worth ten gallons a unit with most coupons worth several units each.

Stoves Purchase certificates obtainable from local boards.

Rationed Shoes Ration book No. 1 — Stamp 18 expires April 30. Book No. 3 — No. 1 "airplane" stamp good indefinitely. Book No. 3 airplane stamp No. 2 becomes valid May 1 and will be good indefinitely.

Hedda Hopper: Looking at HOLLYWOOD

DAME MAY WHITTY'S like a spring tonic. She should be "taken" regularly three times a day by all the women in the world. If by so doing they could capture even a part of her vitality and great courage it would be more than worth their while to make a textbook of her life.

A definite threat to Hollywood's glamour girls ever since she arrived, the gay little actress, who has chalked up some 70-odd years of living, is the center of attraction wherever she goes. Her background deals not only with folk of the stage and screen but with brilliant political figures as well. Some day it will be told in a book written by her daughter, the well known stage director and Shakespearean authority, Margaret Webster, who is carrying on the family tradition as established by her actress mother and actor father, Ben Webster.



Dame May Whitty

Dame May has brushed shoulders and opinions with newsworthy headlines, from princes to presidents, for the past decades. Her "political career," if you can call it that, dates back to a London party given by Mabel Terry, niece of the famous stage star Ellen Terry. Women's suffrage was just beginning to take form, and the conversation began drifting toward the suffragettes.

Goodness Gracious!
"How," went the general trend of talk, "could women lose their self-respect to such an extent? Where was their pride? Of what were they thinking?"

It was at this point that Dame May Whitty began to think, deeply and sanely. The more she thought the more she agreed with the movement. Suddenly she found herself defending the group.

"Why, I actually think you are a suffragette," Mabel Terry remarked with surprise.

"I believe I am," answered Dame May.

This marked a turning point in her life. From that moment she began coupling her make-believe life on the stage with the real business of fighting for a cause. She doesn't regret this decision, either. She feels woman's suffrage was prompted by courage and idealism and quotes H. W. Nevins, who said, "It was the greatest spiritual movement I ever saw."

Miss Debutante's Career
Shirley Temple has had more offers since "Since You Went Away," but she's being kept right on her own home lot and will co-star with Ginger Rogers and Joe Cotten in "Double Furlough," in which she'll have her first love scenes. At least first on the screen.



George Murphy, Pat O'Brien and Carole Landis will do "Having Wonderful Crime," at RKO with Eddie Sutherland. Yes, they'll have a wonderful time, too. Eddie's that kind of a director. This is the third straight picture Murphy's done at RKO.

Green Light for Movies

Comdr. William Chambliss of the United States navy has written "Boomerang" — fiction based on facts. The facts will not be known until the story comes out in the S. E. P. after which it will be done as a picture by 20th, with Louis De Rochemont producing, and probably Dana Andrews in the star part. Alexander Knox, who's just finished "Woodrow Wilson," leaves for his native land, Canada, and its army camps. Knox doesn't depend upon our writers; he's whipped up his own material. . . . Ethel Barrymore's play for the Theater Guild come fall is Franz Werfel's "Embezzled Heaven."

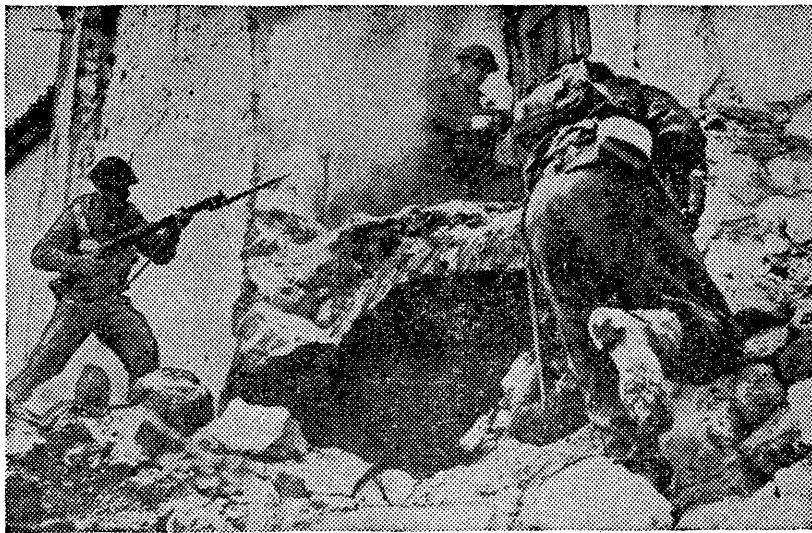
Still at It
Fanny Brice and Jimmy Durante do an act together for "Ziegfeld Follies." Maybe to teach youngsters how it's done, or bring back memories to oldsters who've been watching them do it for years. . . . Columbia's working on "Glamour for Sale," with Hugh Herbert in charge of beauty. It's to be a musical. Already Ina Ray Hutton and her band have been signed for it. It isn't star glamour in the studio, but concerns a lady on the street.

As She Wrote It
Preston Sturges telling about time his mother wrote a daily beauty column for a London paper. She got \$25 weekly. It supported three of them. Preston didn't think her grammar was good enough, and suggested rewriting it, but her husband screamed, "Hey! We've gotta eat, haven't we? If they like it, why shouldn't we?" . . . Which reminds me, that rugged individualist Lloyd Lewis once wrote about beauty, too. But Lillian Russell's name was signed to it.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Russian Blitz Clears Crimea Path as Allied Bombers Pound Western Europe; 'Stop Aiding Nazis' Neutrals Warned; Japs Press 3-Pronged Drive in India

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)
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Italy—New Zealand troops close on German sniper in Cassino ruins.

EUROPE: Invasion Path

While Russia's land armies carried the war into the Balkans, Allied bombers continued pounding Axis military and industrial installations throughout Fortress Europe, concentrating on the invasion path in the west.

As the Russians stormed into Rumania, other Red forces drove ahead in the Crimea, huge chunk of land thrust into the Black sea and guarding the water route to the eastern Balkans. As the Russians approached the Rumanian rail junction of Jassi, they encountered stiffening resistance from native troops, fighting by the side of German soldiers, strengthened by shorter defense lines.

In continuing their whirlwind assaults to smoothen an invasion path, Allied bombers struck at airfields, railroad junctions and military defenses throughout the French and Belgium area. Far to the southeast, U. S. bombers based in Italy hammered Nazi airplane factories in the Vienna and Budapest regions. In ground fighting below Rome, both sides were reported making extensive troop movements in preparation for a resumption of bitter fighting.

Warn Neutrals

Having suspended oil shipments to Spain and announced restriction of steamship service to Ireland, Great Britain and the U. S. next demanded termination of Sweden's ball-bearing trade with Germany in a determined campaign to halt the neutral countries' commerce with Axis Europe.

At the same time, it was announced that the Allies would look into Turkey's increased chrome shipments to Germany during the last three months, with a view toward limiting the traffic through a curtailment of our own trade with the Turks, whose lend-lease aid already has been cut down.

In hearing the Allies' demands, the Swedes said they were in no position to comply without breaking their formal agreement with Germany, which, they said, the Allies approved last September. Although there was objection to the ball-bearing shipments, Sweden's iron ore deliveries to the Nazis were not emphasized.

WOOL: Big Stocks

With an all-high stock of foreign and U. S. wool, the Commodity Credit corporation was directed to go into the market to support the 1944 domestic clip estimated at 450,000,000 pounds.

Whereas U. S. stocks stand at record levels today, there were prospects of serious shortages when the Japs launched their South Pacific drive, threatening the Australian and New Zealand producing areas. Approximately 400,000,000 pounds of foreign wool is now owned by this country, with the Defense Supplies corporation holding 330,000,000 pounds and dealers and manufacturers the rest. At the same time, 550,000,000 pounds, is being held in this country for British account.

Because the U. S. clip sells about 18 cents a pound above foreign wool, the CCC has encountered difficulty disposing of the domestic stock, although the army now specifies its use in purchases and about 10 per cent of navy orders are expected to call for it.

PACIFIC: India Threatened

With their backs against the rugged slopes of the Naga hills in central India, British and Indian troops fought desperately against persistent Japanese attempts to cut off their supply lines and entrap them in a huge pocket.

While the British and Indians were locked in their death struggle, U. S. bombers operated over a wide range in the Pacific, blasting Japanese installations in the Kurile islands, strung out to the north of Nippon, and plastering enemy bases on New Guinea, as part of the grand strategy to wipe out their strongholds on this flank of the Philippines.

In India, the Japs' continuing three-pronged drive pressed against British and Indian supply routes running both north and south and also to the west to the Assam-Bengal railroad, used to feed Lieut. Gen. Joseph Stilwell's American and Chinese troops clearing a communications highway in northern Burma to China.

INDUSTRY: Postwar Reserves

Looking forward toward the problems of postwar readjustment, U. S. industry has set aside hundreds of millions of dollars out of profits for switching back to civilian production, rebuilding plants or providing lay-off payments to workers during the period of change.

To meet the emergency, United States Steel company has established a nest egg of \$104,153,557; General Motors, \$76,051,805; General Electric, \$73,562,337; E. I. Du Pont, \$31,613,430; Sears, Roebuck, \$28,500,000; United Aircraft, \$28,004,464; International Harvester, \$20,000,000; Goodyear Tire and Rubber company, \$15,462,912; Borden company, \$11,305,135; National Dairy Products, \$10,000,000, and General Foods, \$4,492,712.

Since such reserves cannot be taken out of income before taxes like deductions for depreciation, debt retirement and depletion, they must be put aside out of industry's profits.

Economic Protection

To prevent a repetition of the widespread bankruptcies and foreclosures which followed World War I, the Commodity Credit corporation is empowered to make loans at 90 per cent of parity on basic crops for two years after the end of hostilities, War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes declared.

While outlining the protection for farmers, Byrnes also proposed to help labor laid off from slackening war industries, through a system of federal unemployment benefits to be paid in addition to regular state payments. To relieve the problem of future unemployment, Byrnes suggested that workers be shifted from lagging war plants to busier ones now while jobs were available.

Byrnes advocated legislation for quick settlement of cancelled war contracts to aid industry in the re-conversion to civilian production, and he also called for congressional action to facilitate the orderly disposal of surplus war goods without disruption of regular markets.

Washington Digest

Egg Glut Calls Attention To School-Lunch Question



House of Representatives Decides Against Spending Taxpayers' Money on Food for School Children After July 1.

By BAUKHAGE
News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Service, Union Trust Building Washington, D. C.

You have often heard the lament when guests came and the larder was bare: "If we only had some ham and had some eggs, we could have ham and eggs."

If we had the man power and the machinery, equipment and distribution, we could step up American food production until, by 1954, we could feed 380 million people. That is what the Department of Agriculture says. Last year, we raised enough to feed 170 million.

Today, Washington is worrying over two problems brought into focus by that little "if."

This time we have over-production of one food product: eggs. Government agents are hurrying around trying to find a means of absorbing them. America has more eggs than were ever laid on these fair shores in our history, enough to have rolled some on the White House lawn on Easter Monday if the President had permitted such a wastage, which he wouldn't.

The government is buying eggs right and left (600 thousand cases of shell eggs, 13 million pounds of powdered eggs since January 1) to support the farmer's price, and giving some away — and here is where problem number two, which I said Washington was worrying about, comes in. We are giving away eggs to state and federal institutions and also for school lunches. After July 1, school lunches, supported by the federal government, will be no more if the senate follows the action of the house and refuses the appropriation for that purpose. And regardless of eggs, there is developing the other situation over which certain people in Washington are worried. I'll go into that later, but first, let us look at the egg glut.

We are told that we could feed a lot more people if we had the man power, equipment and machinery to produce the food. In the case of eggs, we could consume far more if we had the man power to run the drying equipment to produce the powdered eggs for the military forces and lend-lease although those institutions now consume 400 million pounds of egg-powder a year, and eggs run about three dozen to one pound of powder.

About Hen Power

In this case, the man power doesn't match the hen power. A contraction called a cyclone drier dries eggs. All you have to do is to crack the egg and drop it into a container and let the artificial breezes blow, but it's hard "to get crackers. One Kansas City drier who has a wage ceiling of 50 cents an hour for his crackers, has to compete with an airplane plant in the neighborhood which has a 50 cents an hour ceiling, for work no less attractive to young ladies than breaking eggs.

Right now, the country boasts the biggest hen population it ever had and egg production is 80 per cent higher than it was just before the war. Ever since March, something has gotten into the hens that has made them step up their production — feed was supposed to be hard to get so it couldn't have been something they ate. Maybe it's just patriotism. Anyhow, the War Food administration is buying all the eggs it can, and now it is giving eggs to schools for school lunches and to state and federal institutions, not entirely because it has a generous heart but because it wants to support the price to the farmer who (as usual) hasn't been getting the benefit of the retail prices which, in many places, have stayed up even in the face of the greater supply. Washington, however, was able to buy eggs for the Easter rabbit this year, 18 cents a dozen cheaper than they were in March.

This egg glut has brought into sharp focus the school-lunch question which is of considerable concern to the Office of Education as well as the War Food administration.

The present laying spree of the hens will not last forever, and there will be no eggs to throw around later on. And anyhow, the house of representatives has decided that even if there were a surplus of eggs and other food products, it does not approve of spending the taxpayers' money on school lunches even if

the four or five million school children won't get hot lunches after July 1 of this year.

Not all the parents of all of the four or five millions of school children are taxpayers. In fact, the truth is that many of them are too poor to buy a decent, or in some cases any, lunch for their children. The richer ones who can afford a lunch will have to be satisfied with a cold one and the chances are they won't get nearly as healthy a one as if it were provided by a school where parent-teacher and other groups have seen to it that a balanced diet is provided.

Educators Worried

This worries the Office of Education which is still working on congress to get an appropriation through to continue the school lunch idea.

School lunches started as "made work" back in the days of depression and the WPA. The original idea was to provide employment for women. But as the idea developed, it was discovered that here was an opportunity to do two things; to improve the health of school children and to absorb farm surpluses.

So the WPA furnished the woman power and some equipment and the Department of Agriculture furnished the food. For awhile, the department took the actual responsibility of buying the food and delivering it. Later, when the WPA went out of business, and in many cases local sponsors took care of the service, the Department of Agriculture merely contributed a certain amount of money (nine cents per child, matched by nine cents from the local community). This came out of funds provided for the purchase of surplus commodities and the school bought the food itself.

The proponents of the school lunch point out that on the principle that as a twig is bent the tree is inclined, furnishing a balanced lunch to school children will build good eating habits which will affect the whole community. It also points out that now that so many schools, especially in rural areas, have been consolidated with one school and bus service drawing children from many distant places, children can't go home to get a good hot lunch. Many can't afford to bring food with them.

Of course, the community ought to look after this question itself and in most communities great interest has been shown and local authorities have cooperated. But in the poorer communities which have the greatest need, it is impossible, and even in the richer locations it isn't easy, to get money for things pertaining to the schools — as school teachers' salaries all over the country testify.

Unless the appropriation bill now before the Senate Appropriations committee is accepted and passed by both houses, the next time the hens step up production, the school children won't benefit nor will they feast at federal expense even if other farm products are so plentiful the government has to buy them up to protect prices.

News From London

The London Daily Mail sets up a little special edition for the United States—a digest. It is photographed in London on microfilm, flown over to this country, enlarged to a four to six page brochure, about the size of ordinary typewritten sheets.

I do not know how large a circulation it has obtained so far or whether it is achieving its purpose of mutual understanding but it often contains some rather interesting items. For instance:

John Henry Jones, a 40-year-old steel smelter, came to America with other British trade unionists to visit our war factories. The Daily Mail quotes his reply to one of his wife's questions when he got back: "How about wages? Is the American worker really better off than the British worker?" And this is what Mr. Jones replied:

"Taking a chap with the same size house, same number of children, doing the same job as his counterpart over here — No. Our house here would cost \$18 a month clear, in rent. A similar house in the States would run away with \$30 a month."

HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

EGGS: Another record in egg production was turned in by America's hard-working hens during March, the third consecutive month of all-time highs. There were 3,763,000,000 eggs laid last month, 4 per cent above March last year and 49 per cent over the ten-year average, 1933-42. Number of laying hens increased 5 per cent from March, 1943, to 433,985,000.

MIDGET FURNACE: A tiny furnace, weighing only 21 pounds, may be sufficient to heat a 20-room house, if a new type of heating unit now used only in military aircraft can be applied to homes. The little furnaces would be only about the size of a waste basket and would cost about \$50. Demonstration models have given encouraging results it was said.

BRIEFS . . . by Baukhage

Gasoline needs in this war are 80 times greater than in the last one, according to the U. S. Petroleum Administration for War.

Since Dunkirk, more than 14,000,000 food packages have been sent by or through the British Red Cross to British prisoners of war in Europe, the British Information services report.

Fifty per cent of the outdoor advertising space in the city of Madrid must be reserved for the use of Spain's totalitarian party to present messages of the Falangists.

One million fewer work accidents in the next 12 months is the goal set by Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins for attainment by American labor and management.

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PROBATE ORDER
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of

Charlevoix in said County, on the 11th day of April A. D. 1944. Present, Hon. Rollie L. Lewis, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Nettie Hite, Deceased. Guy C. Conkle Jr., Administrator having filed in said Court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described. It is Ordered, That the 2nd. day of May A. D. 1944, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted; It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Charlevoix County Herald a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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Report of the Board of County Road Commissioners to the Board of Supervisors

TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN MEMBERS OF THE BOARD:

We herewith submit our annual report for the period beginning October 1, 1942, and ending December 31, 1943.

RECEIPTS	Cash	Transferred Debit	Transferred Credit	Total
Balance in County Road Fund October 1, 1942	4,048.90			4,048.90
Receipts (Oct. 1, 1942 to Dec. 31, 1942)	45,337.69			45,337.69
Receipts (Jan. 1, 1943 to Dec. 31, 1943)	167,381.89			167,381.89
	216,768.48			216,768.48
DISBURSEMENTS	Cash	Transfers Debit	Transfers Credit	Net Debit
S. T. L. Maintenance	29,855.43	39,927.57		69,783.00
Co. Road Maintenance	20,522.59	31,872.32		52,394.91
Township County Road Maintenance	19,844.61	33,787.70		53,632.31
Gas Tax & Refund	69.93		3,120.00	69.93
Gravel Pits	4,842.07	7,331.55	11,450.19	723.43
Miscellaneous Accounts	104.36	982.23	136.95	949.64
Material	27,528.87	16.03	26,419.07	3,049.87
General Expense	14,894.71	114.31	25,503.25	251.88
Equipment				
New Equipment	2,994.52	125.00	8,934.33	5,814.81
Equipment Repair	38,592.92	15,334.19	53,927.11	
	159,677.13	129,490.90	129,490.90	180,854.77
				-21,177.64
				159,677.13
Balance on hand January 1, 1944				\$57,091.35

CLASSIFICATION OF CASH RECEIPTS

	Cash	Total
Balance in County Road Fund October 1, 1942	4,048.90	4,048.90
Weight Tax	61,363.86	61,363.86
Gas Tax	6,333.58	6,333.58
State Trunk Line Maintenance	68,873.15	68,873.15
Township County Road Maintenance	64,385.22	64,385.22
County Road Maintenance (Released from Banks)	3,118.40	3,118.40
Sundry Refunds	340.89	340.89
Accounts Receivable	418.87	418.87
Gravel Pits	938.25	938.25
Materials	3,338.12	3,338.12
Equipment Rental, Etc.	3,609.24	3,609.24
Total	216,768.48	216,768.48

EXPENDED FOR MATERIAL

	Cash	Transfers Debit	Total
Asphalt & Tarvia	14,606.00	13.50	14,619.50
Concrete Culverts	28.94	2.53	31.47
Gasoline	11,773.84		11,773.84
Diesel Oil	585.46		585.46
Wire	534.43		534.43
Total	27,528.67	16.03	27,544.70

CLASSIFICATION OF DISBURSEMENTS

Trunk Line Section No.	Cash	Transferred Debit	Transferred Credit	Total
U. S. 31-1	3,572.58	2,775.70		6,348.28
U. S. 31-2	3,507.01	6,466.58		9,973.59
U. S. 31-3	2,426.58	4,309.97		6,736.55
M. 32-1	2,168.02	3,780.30		5,948.32
M. 66-1	2,720.98	2,139.95		4,860.93
M. 75-1	7,645.60	11,741.58		19,387.18
U. S. 131-1	7,479.02	8,281.08		15,760.10
U. S. 131-2	59.17	41.79		100.96
(Antrim County) U. S. 131-2	175.35	110.27		285.62
B1-15-4-1		4.96		4.96
M. (66-1)-117	101.12	178.37		279.49
M. (66-1)-118		87.73		87.73
15-12-C1		9.29		9.29
Total	29,855.43	29,927.57		69,783.00

TOWNSHIPS

Township	Cash	Transferred Debit	Total
Bay	1,325.98	2,873.18	4,199.16
Boyer Valley	1,072.66	1,933.91	3,006.57
Chandler	924.02	1,210.55	2,134.57
Charlevoix	94.55	170.84	265.39
Evangeline	591.70	1,328.39	1,920.09
Eveline	803.20	1,351.68	2,154.88
Hayes	1,999.61	2,699.25	4,698.86
Hudson	1,114.65	1,653.31	2,767.96
Marion	3,143.48	5,742.20	8,885.68
Melrose	938.77	2,045.91	2,984.68
Norwood	738.52	1,441.93	2,180.45
Peaine	1,935.49	1,963.85	3,899.34
St. James	498.92	498.92	997.84
South Arm	2,545.51	4,524.96	7,070.47
Wilson	2,147.12	4,298.82	6,445.94
Total	19,844.61	33,787.70	53,632.31

ROAD

Road	Cash	Transferred Debit	Total
King's Highway	1,456.24	1,218.07	2,674.31
Lake Shore Drive	16.85	41.32	58.17
Norwood	184.93	294.62	479.55
Barnard	1,149.36	1,773.44	2,922.80
Marion Center	1,486.57	2,193.71	3,680.28
C. & E. J.	1,048.15	1,408.92	2,457.07
Ellsworth	2,229.34	2,960.36	5,189.70
Central Lake	185.80	286.79	472.59
Bellaire	6.17	28.13	34.30
Alba	60.50	142.09	202.59
Peninsula	1,259.07	1,358.89	2,617.96
Advance	1,666.98	3,899.16	5,566.14
E. J. & B. C.	1,458.18	2,275.06	3,733.24
Wilson	154.05	295.47	449.52
Ferry	1,606.83	2,933.63	4,540.46
B. C. & C.	1,858.02	3,179.38	5,037.40
H. B. N.	725.47	1,205.24	1,930.71
W. H.	560.93	1,130.66	1,691.59
Chandler	563.51	1,150.90	1,714.41
B. F. E.	2,205.75	3,067.91	5,273.66
Deer Lake	395.71	624.43	1,020.14
County Line	99.02	185.13	284.15
McSaub	145.16	219.01	364.17
Total	20,522.59	31,872.32	52,394.91

EXPENDED FOR GENERAL EXPENSE

	Cash	Transferred Debit	Total
Clerk	2,510.00		2,510.00
Postage	95.00		95.00
Telephone and Telegram	996.23		996.23
Insurance	2,758.30		2,758.30
Commissioners' Salary	912.60		912.60
Engineer's Salary	4,050.00		4,050.00
Office Supplies	242.45		242.45
Stenographer	2,656.67		2,656.67
Superintendent's Supplies	200.41		200.41
Gas and Oil	1.75	114.31	116.06
Traveling Expense	410.25		410.25
Rent	61.05		61.05
Total	14,894.71	114.31	15,009.02

NEW EQUIPMENT

	Cash	Transferred Debit	Total
Small Tools	628.59		628.59
Licenses	42.50		42.50
Trucks	5.00	125.00	130.00
Superintendent's Car	813.90		813.90
Roller	1,499.03		1,499.03
Tractor Mower	5.50		5.50
Total	2,994.52	125.00	3,119.52

EXPENDED FOR EQUIPMENT REPAIR

	Cash	Transferred Debit	Total
Labor	76.05		76.05
Hardware	122.18		122.18
Tractors	1,452.33		1,452.33
Gasoline		11,712.96	11,712.96
Oil and Grease	2,338.16	11.31	2,349.47
Diesel Oil		489.92	489.92
21 Trucks — Labor	6,409.63		6,409.63
21 Trucks — Material	9,829.33		9,829.33
21 Trucks — Tires	2,331.12		2,331.12
Truck No. 4 — Labor	582.38		582.38
Truck No. 4 — Material	686.38		686.38
Truck No. 4 — Tires			

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Want Ads

LOST AND FOUND

LOST — Coin purse containing money and tokens. Finder please leave with Chief of Police, East Jordan. 17x1

WANTED

WANTED — Feeder Pigs.— HESTON SHEPARD, Phone 129-F2, East Jordan. 16x2

WANTED — 40 acre Farm with good buildings near East Jordan.— ETHEL MILLS, Central Lake. 16x2

WANTED — Ashes, Cinders or sand for filling in the back of my Buildings. No glass or cans.— AL THORSEN. 15-t.f.

WANTED — Middle aged couple to care for aged woman in their home. Will pay reasonable charges. Inquire at Herald Office. 17x2

FOR SALE — MISCELLANEOUS

SEED OATS For Sale. LEO. LALONDER. R. 1. East Jordan. 17x1

FOR SALE — New Idea Grain Drill— MARION BEST, Ellsworth. 16x2

FOR SALE — Grimm Alfalfa Seed. HESTON SHEPARD, Phone 129-F2, East Jordan. 17x2

HIGHEST PRICES paid for Cedar Bolts and Tie Cuts. — MILLER BOAT CO., Charlevoix. 2tf

FOR SALE — No. 1 Sweet Clover Seed.—EARL RUHLING, R. 2, East Jordan. Phone 163-F2. 17x2

DRY HARDWOOD For Sale Delivered. Price \$4.75 per cord.— EUGENE SCOTT, 504 Third st. 10t.f.

FOR SALE — Two Cows, 1 Guernsey, 1 Jersey. MRS. BUD THOMAS, 503 Lake St. East Jordan. (M-66) 17-2

FOR SALE — Early Seed Potatoes, blight free, at 50c per bushel.— HARVEY McPHERSON, R. 1, East Jordan. 17x2

PRICES at Boyne City Live Stock Sales April 24; Beef Cows top \$9.90; Veal \$15.00; Hogs mostly \$12.70. 17x1

FOR SALE — Garland Heating Stove. Large size. For wood or coal. — HOLLIE BAYLISS, East Jordan. 16x2

FOR SALE — Home Grown Alfalfa Seed. Price and Germination Test on inquiry.— GEO. KLOOSTER, Phone 163-F21. 16x1

FOR SALE — Black Gelding, wt. 1400, age 9 yrs. Sound and well broke. — MRS. HARRY FYAN, R. 1, East Jordan. 15x3

HIGH PROFIT in pickling cucumbers. Prices highest ever for contract and seed. See JOHN KNUDSEN or write. H. J. Heinz & Co. Charlevoix. 16-3

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FARM FOR SALE — The Harnden farm of seventy acres, six miles north of East Jordan.—LEW HARNDEN 505 Marlow Ave., E., Hazel Park, Mich., 16-3

LAWNMOWER GRINDING— Please have your lawnmower ground now, as I will not have time for this type of work later in the year. Grinding \$1.25.— PAUL LISK, E. Jordan.

SHRUBS —EVERGREEN —TREES —are good house tonic through the entire year. Contact us early—on planting. CHARLEVOIX COUNTY NURSERY or see Geo. Hemingway— Hotel Dilworth. 16-4

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FOR SALE — Early Yellow dent Seed corn. Early Seed Potatoes. One Red Durham Mooley Bull 1 year old. One Jim Brown Silver Flash Washing Machine. LUTHER BRINTNALL, Phone 212-F24 17x1

FOR SALE — At a bargain. About 100 bu. large Cobbler Seed Potatoes, 80c bu., disease free; 50 bu. good Russett Burbank table stock, 80c bu. Also about five tons mixed hay, \$75.00.— CHAS. J. STAN- EK, R. 1. East Jordan, Phone 212-F41. 14-2

FOR SALE — Well Equipped Saw Mill, 7 to 10 thousand feet daily capacity, located on D.S.S.&A. Railroad ¼ mile west of Hulbert, Michigan; Yard area 14 acres; Plant completely electrified; power supplied by Fairbanks Morse Diesel Electric at low cost. Outside electricity also available. Adequate timber reserve, both soft and hard woods. Reasonable labor costs. For further details write SLATER PONTIAC CO., 94 E. Huron St., Pontiac 16, Michigan.

PENINSULA... (Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

Robert Myers of Mountain Dist. is the first to report having his garden planted.

The 239 telephone line is still out of commission, only being in service a few times all week.

A. B. Nicloy of Sunny Slopes farm took a trailer load of fat pigs to the Gaylord market, Wednesday.

Will Gaunt of Three Bells Dist. buzzed wood for Robert Myers in Mountain Dist. Thursday, and for himself, Saturday.

Mrs. Byrel Riley, Miss Beverly Bennett, Miss Luella Reich and Miss Arlene Hayden spent Saturday in Petoskey on a shopping trip.

A delightful rain Sunday afternoon the first in months. While it was just what we needed, it will hold up the oat sowing for a few days.

Jr. Gaunt, who is employed at Willow Brook farm, had Sunday dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Gaunt, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Gaunt in Three Bells Dist.

Orvel Bennett of Honey Slope farm lost a valuable cow, Monday. She had not recovered from having trouble at freshening time about a month ago. The chemical truck from Gaylord came out and got it.

There was an unusual sight Thursday evening, when Mr. A. Reich of Lone Ash farm had a logging truck come out and get a truck load of logs and take them to Boyne Falls to mill and have made into lumber.

Charles Healey & Son who have operated a milk route in Boyne City for several years, will discontinue delivering milk May 1st and have purchased a power separator and will sell cream. Shortage of help is the cause of the change.

Mrs. Byrel Bennett Riley arrived at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orvel Bennett, Monday evening, to visit while her husband, Pvt. Jay Riley, is being transferred to some other camp from Great Lakes Training Station where he has been since last fall.

The Gaunts of Three Bells Dist. received word that Mr. Frank Ross, who often has worked for the Gaunts, had been killed by a car striking him, April 14, in Bay City where he was visiting. They also received a letter from their son, Ralph, of Bridgeport, stating they are well.

Pomona Grange Met With Barnard Grange

Charlevoix County Pomona Grange met with Barnard Grange with fifty-eight members and several visitors present.

Barnard served a delicious pot-luck supper at seven o'clock followed by a program conducted by the Lecturer, Mrs. Lulu Clark. Brother Brum told a funny story and gave two readings, "Essay on a Cow," and "Farmer's Calendar." Brother and Sister Crain sang "Little Brown Church." Sister Jensen gave a reading, and Neta Brum, age ten, played an excellent piano solo and an encore. Joe Clark read "Will a secretary go to heaven." Sister Warner and daughter sang "Face to Face."

Brother Bolthouse gave a short talk on improvement in rural living in past and present. He can remember when farmers didn't have mail service and how skeptical many were about it's being practical. He also stressed the value and importance of Rural Electrification to those living on farms. Clarence Murry sang a selection. The program was closed by the hymn, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," sung by the entire group.

The grangers were reminded to vote at the regular polls on the second Monday in May, on the Soil Conservation Program.

Pomona was invited to meet with South Arm Grange early in June, the date to be announced later.

Brother and Sister McKay took the obligation of the fifth degree. Barnard was given a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality.

E. J. Study Club Held Annual Dinner Tuesday

The East Jordan Study Club met at the home of the Misses Muck, Wolfe and Swedberg, Tuesday evening, April 25, for their annual dinner.

At seven o'clock thirty members and guests sat down to two long tables.

After the supper, the regular business was transacted after which those members who had been in the club for twenty-five years were presented gifts from the club in a very able manner by Mrs. Clarissa Goodman.

This marks the close of the club year. Meetings will be resumed the second Tuesday in September.

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CHIPPEWA potatoes, for sale—Seed and eating stock. Don't wait too long, they are going fast. WM. SHEPARD. 17x3

FOR SALE — Blood-tested and free range northern bred day old and started chicks, each week until July. All standard breeds. Bronze Turkey Poults. Custom Hatching Turkeys a specialty. — CHERRY-VALE HATCHERY, Phone 166-F2, East Jordan. 11-16

SOUTH ARM... (Edited by Mrs. Arnold Smith)

Hugh Graham, who has been working for the past year and half in Detroit, is back on the farm again.

Grandma Goebel is back home again after a few weeks visit in Chicago.

Aldeva Craft spent Monday night with Catherine Smith while Joe Smith stayed with Philips Craft.

Mrs. Anna Craft and children spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. George Wright and family.

Mike Eaton had a stroke of hard luck Sunday, losing a good cow.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Murphy and family spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Parsons of Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dougherty had a family dinner Sunday in honor of their son, Alfred, who left for the armed forces Monday. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. August Behling, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dougherty and family and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dougherty and children. All Al's friends extend their best wishes to him.

Miss Betty Dougherty was taken to see the doctor Sunday. She is quite ill with quinsy.

Mr. and Mrs. Versel Crawford and daughter Evelyn were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Crawford at East Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Crawford were

Sunday callers at the Irving Crawford home.

Mr. and Mrs. Versel Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Crawford and Audrey and Euly were Monday evening callers at the Boyd Crawford home.

Mrs. Eggersdorf and daughter Arleen were Sunday dinner guests of the Walter Goebel family.

Mr. Clapsaddle has started wiring Wally Goebel's home, as they expect to be moving in soon.

Mrs. Anna Craft called on Mrs. Arnold Smith Monday afternoon.

The 4-H Club girls of the Ranney School are busy this week getting their exhibit ready for the Achievement Day at Charlevoix, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Smith spent a couple rainy days at the Arnold Smith home helping paper.

ROCK ELM..... (Edited by Mrs. Fred Alm)

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hitchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Nasson and Adele were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kemp.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sutherland have rented the Kenneth Isaman farm and will move there this week.

There will be another dance at the Rock Elm Grange Hall, Saturday, April 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cooper and family of Flint are spending a few

days here visiting their mother, Mrs. Minnie Cooper.

Rude Kowalski called on Mrs. Minnie Cooper, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Bulmann, our new neighbors on the Tom Jensen farm, held a house-warming Saturday evening.

Lee Danforth attended the stock sale at Boyne City on Monday.

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Boyer was destroyed by fire Saturday morning.

Charlotte Burr spent Thursday night with Laura Alm.

The truckers from Saginaw have been hauling logs from Camp Nolan to Boyne Falls.

The Helping Hand Club met with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Alm Saturday evening. Progressive pedro was played. The next meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carlson.

ECHO.... (Edited by Mrs. Denzil Wilson)

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Drenth and son Larry of Ellsworth were Tuesday evening callers of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Wilson.

Sailor Archie Drenth who is station at Great Lakes, Ill. is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Drenth.

Pfc. Donald Bolser of Camp Haan, California, is spending his furlough

with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bolser.

The Ladies Get Together Club of North Echo will meet with Reva Drenth of Ellsworth, Thursday, May 4, 1944.

Mrs. Jeffery of Charlevoix spent the week end with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Theo Jeffery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Henderson and son who have spent the past three months in Detroit, moved to the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Murray last week where they plan to make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bolser and son were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bolser.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Hart and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Warren.

Norbert and Marilyn Bartholomew spent Sunday with the Derezny children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bolser were Sunday supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bolser and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Richardson and children of Atwood spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Wilson.

Mrs. Peter LaLonde of East Jordan spent Saturday night and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Murray.

Arleen and Joan Bolser spent Sunday with Ruth Wilson.



PRESENTATION PROGRAM

The War Food Administration will present to the Employees of the Ellsworth Monarch Factory the "A" Award Flag and "A" Award Pins in a colorful ceremony Friday evening, April 28, 1944.

Place: Ellsworth Community Hall, Ellsworth, Michigan

TIME: 8:30 P. M. Central War Time

PROGRAM

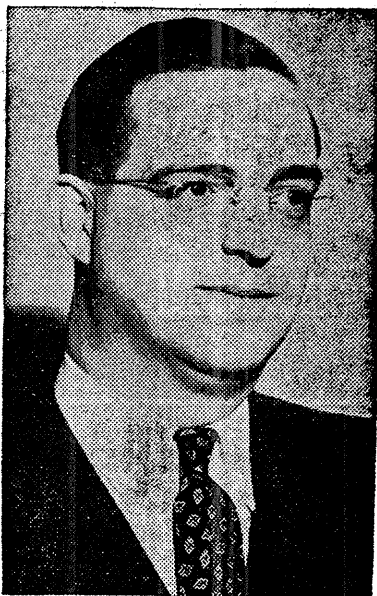
- "AMERICA" Charlevoix City Band
- INVOCATION Rev. H. Ridders
- OPENING REMARKS A. T. Flynn, Master of Ceremonies
- PRESENTATION OF AWARD Colonel John N. Gage
Chicago Quartermaster Depot, Chicago, Illinois
- RAISING OF THE "A" FLAG U. S. Coast Guard
Charlevoix Detachment
- ACCEPTANCE OF THE AWARD Elmer H. Rood
Manager, Reid, Murdoch & Co.
- PIN CITATION and TOKEN PRESENTATION OF "A" PINS
Donald E. Smith — Deputy Director of Food Distribution, WFA,
Chicago, Ill.
- RECEIVED BY Peter John Drenth, Laura Wilson,
Eva Peterson, Jessie Bricker, Andrew Kooyer
- ACCEPTANCE ON BEHALF OF EMPLOYEES Laura Wilson
- "THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER" Charlevoix City Band



All attending are especially requested to be in their seats no later than 8:10 p. m., as the program will be broadcast over radio station WTCM, Traverse City.



COLONEL JOHN N. GAGE



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Local Events

Francis Quinn from Mecosta spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Quinn.

T. E. Malpass and Earl Gee are attending the American Foundrymen's Convention at Buffalo, N. Y., this week.

Mrs. Eunice Sommerville is spending a couple of weeks from her work in Muskegon at her home in East Jordan.

We are selling our first quality shoes out at greatly reduced prices, many at only \$1.00 need no stamp. Malpass Style Shoppe. adv.

Mrs. Harry Simmons entertained with a birthday dinner, honoring Mr. Simmons Monday evening, four couples were present.

Mrs. Marie Fetterhoff R. N., and Mrs. Ed. Chaney of Muskegon are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Kenny. Mrs. Fetterhoff is remaining for a longer stay. Mrs. Chaney returned to Muskegon, Wednesday.

Supt. E. E. Wade attended the School Masters Convention in Ann Arbor last week. Mrs. Wade accompanied him to Lansing where she visited their daughter, Clare, assistant Dietitian at Sparrow hospital. Clare accompanied them home for a week's visit.

Mrs. T. E. Malpass is visiting friends and relatives in Detroit this week.

Mrs. Lon Shaw and her niece, Miss Marjorie Mayville were week end guests in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Ernest Marble of Mancelona was a caller on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Zess and family one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Porter returned home Monday after spending the past three months at Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.

G. A. Lisk is a surgical patient at Lockwood hospital Petoskey, having submitted to a major operation on Tuesday.

Miss Jean Bechtold spent the week end from her teaching in Detroit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Bechtold.

Clarence Valencourt and son, Jack spent the week end from their work in Traverse City at their home in East Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sherman of Pickford were week end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Sturgell left Wednesday for a visit with friends and relatives in Flint and Detroit also in Greenup, Ky.

Mrs. Luella Ruff has come from Romulus to make her home with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Meredith.

The Blue Star Mothers will hold their April meeting at the Legion Hall at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon instead of Friday evening.

Mrs. Cora Palmateer returned to her home at Luther last Friday after spending the winter with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Kopkaw, she was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Kopkaw and children who returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Lillian Hoover returned home last week after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Mel Roberts and family at Lake City.

Mrs. L. N. Jones who has been spending the winter with friends and relatives in Grand Rapids, Flint and Detroit returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Harold (Junior) Bates accompanied her husband Pfc. Junior Bates who has been here on furlough to Camp Hood, Texas last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dennison received word last Friday that their son, Douglas who is stationed in England had been promoted from Cpl. to Sgt.

John Edgar motored to Petoskey Sunday accompanied by his mother and Dad, Gertrude and Marian to visit Rosemary Edgar at Lockwood hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Porter and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Porter returned home Wednesday from Kalamazoo where they attended the District Rotary Conference.

See our lovely spring and summer crepe, rayon, bemberg, and cotton one and two piece dresses at most reasonable prices. Malpass Style Shoppe. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Archer sr., and Mrs. Pearl McHale visited the former's son, Frank a patient at Gaylord Sanatorium Sunday. Frank is reported as gaining.

Jane Ellen Vance R. N., and Patricia Vance student nurse at Munson hospital Traverse City were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Vance.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew J. Quinn returned home last Friday after spending the winter with Arthur and family of Lincoln Park and Francis and family of Mecosta.

John Edgar had the misfortune to get his glove caught in the saw while buzzing wood for Mr. Murphy and the saw cut through the two middle finger nails. Dr. Beuker has been caring for them.

Members of Jasmine Rebekah Lodge will meet at their hall at seven o'clock next Wednesday, May 3 for a pot luck supper, honoring the birthday of those who have anniversaries in April, May and June.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hamilton left last week Wednesday for Lansing after visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Stallard. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton are leaving Lansing for Colorado where they will reside.

Girls rayon and cotton two-piece suit dresses, sizes 12 - 18 at \$3.79 and \$4.79. Malpass Style Shoppe. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vogel accompanied their son-in-law and daughter and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. Slade to Grand Rapids last week end. Mrs. Slade and children have been spending the past month with her parents.

Mrs. C. A. Brabant returned home last Saturday after spending the winter in Ontario, Calif., Enroute home she spent some time with her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Isaman of Detroit, who accompanied her home.

Due to lack of help and having given all three of his sons to the Service of Uncle Sam. It has been reported that one of our farmers has decided to liquidate his cherry orchard, having started last Monday to cut down the trees.

Used fencing, rebuilt cream separators, tractor plows, harrows, cars, trucks, new lumber, paint and glass, electric stoves, vacuum cleaners, washing machines, etc., at Malpass Hdw. Co's. Also repairs for everything. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. King and son, Cpl. William D. King, who is home on furlough after serving eighteen months in the South Pacific, and Miss Mary Van Gennip of Kalamazoo, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Conway.

Mrs. Frank M. Cihak and daughter, Minnie recently made a trip to Fort Custer, Michigan to visit their son and brother, Frank C. Cihak Jr., who is located there in a hospital. Frank was drafted three years ago and spent much of his time overseas in New Guinea. He is doing very nicely.

Mrs. S. E. Rogers attended the one day conference on Alcoholism, its prevention and cure, held in the music building Auditorium. MSC. East Lansing. This conference was sponsored by the Michigan Temperance Foundation and Yale University school of alcohol studies. Mrs. Rogers also visited relatives in Lansing and Mt. Pleasant while away.

4-H Achievement Programs at Maple Grove and Bay Shore Schools

Parents gathered at the Maple Grove School to witness the youngsters in a 4-H Club business meeting and to inspect the handicraft articles made under the direction of Mrs. William Haire, teacher of the school. Talks were given by the youngsters to the proper display and respect to the American flag. Mr. Karl Festerling inspected the exhibits and gave a short talk on community leadership. The meeting was climaxed by a pot-luck lunch.

4-H Victory Club and Sewing Club members of the Bay Shore school gave a program attended by parents and friends on Friday evening. The program consisted of recitations relating to springtime, a flag folding demonstration and an etiquette skit. Mr. Karl Festerling, District 4-H Club Agent, gave a short talk and then entertained with colored slides. The game boards made by the children of Bay Shore 4-H Victory Club were on display. The youngsters have made five very large and attractive game boards for the Charlevoix County Junior Red Cross. This is an activity of the Victory Project. "Victory Clubsters" buy bonds, collect scrap, stockings, victrola records, paper, rags, keys and books, do Red Cross work, study safety, health, and fire prevention, pick milkweed pods, kill rats and do numerous other activities related to winning the war.

"These local achievements," said Mr. Festerling, "are appreciated, especially now that gas rations of most families are quite low. They have a tendency to cement Club work in that community. Parents here have an opportunity to compare their children's handiwork with that of others and to show their appreciation to local leaders for their efforts. Project articles of 4-H Clubsters will be on display at the Charlevoix High School Gymnasium on Thursday evening, April 27th, and all day Friday, April 28th. The public is invited to attend.

Karl C. Festerling
Dist. 4-H Club Agent

Pickle News

It is well known that some vitamins have a tendency to disperse in the presence of heat and air. Therefore, many inherently vitamin-rich foods are no longer vitamin rich when they arrive on the dinner plate after having been cooked in open containers and thus brought into violent contact with the air. But pickles are different. Com-

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ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (Including \$55.00 overdrafts).....	263,598.82
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	758,036.30
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	5,000.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	222,481.68
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	151,993.06
Bank premises owned	\$4,491.86
Furniture and fixtures	1,983.60
Other assets	6,475.46
	10,411.16
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,417,996.48
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	368,120.63
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	660,829.52
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	136,502.69
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	79,673.82
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	13,666.58
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$1,258,793.24
Other liabilities	8,685.38
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$1,267,478.62
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital **	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	10,517.86
Reserves	40,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	150,517.86
TOTAL Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$1,417,996.48
**This bank's capital consists of common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00.	
MEMORANDA	
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	269,279.31
Secured and preferred liabilities*	
Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	135,587.33
On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was	151,055.19
Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to	980,517.98
I, Robert A. Campbell, Cashier, of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
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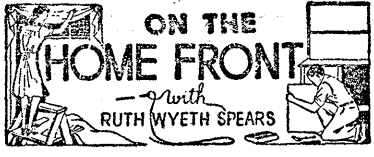


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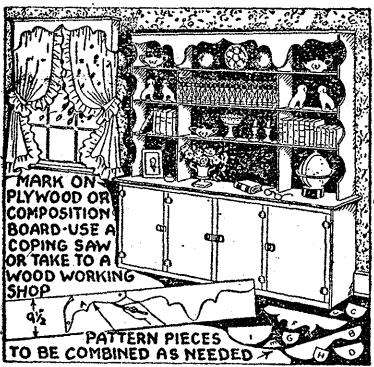
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Indian BEEF
by HAROLD CHANNING WIRE
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LEW BURNET is trail boss of the Cross T herd, which is being driven from Texas to the Indian agent at Ogallala. The year is 1875. TOM ARNOLD, owner, has been killed in a stampede. His will names Lew boss and owner until the cattle are sold, when STEVE and JOY are to receive their shares. After many difficulties and hardships they arrive in Dodge City. CLAY MANNING, Joy's fiancé, disappears in the town, and Lew, accompanied by Joy and most of his men, goes after him. Lew hires a dozen new hands, as he fears trouble with the rival Open A men. Clay is seriously wounded in a gunfight, and Joy stays behind to nurse him, while the rest move on with the herd.

CHAPTER XVIII

There were nine men in the party. Off at a distance their leader raised his hand. "United States marshal, boys. Hold back your dogs!" He came on in through the gray light, smiling, a stocky man in a black town suit. "I'm acting for the commonwealth of Keith County," he said. "Your boss here?"

Lew paced out toward him, saying nothing. He couldn't make this out. For a moment back there he had thought the same thing that was in Steve's head. The law was coming to make an arrest.

The marshal leaned across his saddle horn. "My friend," he said, "you've come a long way up from Texas. I know how long it is and hate to hold your herd up now. But we've got a dead line." He waved toward the ridge. "That's Keith County. We've got men camped for fifty miles along there with a quarantine order against all herds coming out of your state. Texas fever has been bad this year. You'll have to hold up sixty days or until the first frost."

He didn't answer. His breath had stopped. He felt like a man hearing the judge pronounce a sentence. And beside him Quarternight rumbled, "Good God! Sixty days!"

That was it—sixty days, with the contract for these longhorns ending in less than a week.

He knew the dread of Texas fever. A Southern herd that seemed immune could spread it like wildfire among cattle in the North, killing them off by thousands. The only thing these Northern men could do was stop the trail drives. Then he saw one hope.

"You've got me in a jack pot, sure," he said. "I won't try to buck your dead line. But since this is Indian beef under government contract to reach Ogallala by the first of September I feel I'm only bound by orders of the army commandant and the Indian agent up there. They might waive the quarantine in this case."

"That might be," the marshal granted. "You needn't lose any time finding out. The army is helping us enforce this dead line. A Captain Wing of the commandant's staff is camped straight north of here on the ridge." He led his little party off to the east.

"Well, boys," Lew said, "you might as well get out your cards. There won't be any work for a while. Keep the herd from drifting too far, that's all, until I get back."

He picked up his saddle, starting toward the picketed horses, and then behind the cook's wagon he came upon Steve. He had forgotten about Steve. "They weren't looking for you," he said. Then his words struck out with no softness. "So you're a gunman now—that's it! Going to be on the jump for the rest of your life whenever a badge shows up!" He wheeled on without waiting for any answer.

Saddled and riding north, he thought back over what he had seen. It was clear enough. Ever since they had left the Little Comanche Steve had been hounded by something behind him on the trail. This morning showed it was the law he feared, and that must go back to Sheriff Rayburn, killed in Ox Bow the night the bank was robbed. If Steve had done that he knew nothing could save him. For there was a certain dumb conceit in every bad man he had known. They hadn't sense enough to see how much the game was stacked against them and could go on to a fighting end. Steve was not that dumb. He was already scared, and when a man is scared he whips himself.

On top of the ridge the little military camp made a straight neat lane of pup tents, with a flag planted in front of a larger tent at the end. A bunch of yellow-legs currying down their horses stared at him and a sentry challenged him as he rode into the street.

He said, "I'm looking for Captain Wing." The sentry led him on.

Like Lieutenant Eaton at Doan's Crossing, Captain Wing, coming from his tent a moment later, was very young. He wore a saber and a pair of gauntlets, and his brown hair was down long beneath his campaign hat in the way the old Indian fighters had made popular for these boys. Looking stern and military, he showed his disapproval of all Texas trailmen, which had reason enough, and Lew thought, "Not much chance here."

But he gave his name and placed himself with the Cross T herd of Indian beef, then asked, "What's thirty miles, Captain, more or less? Since we've come twelve hundred to make this delivery, seems like your commandant might stretch a

point and accept it right here. Why not? It's going to be scattered anyway. You won't hold it in Ogallala."

Wing thought about it, frowning. "Your contract I know," he said, "calls for delivery across the river. As far as the army is concerned I can't see that thirty miles mean anything. All we do is act as escort for the Indian agent. But I think there's where you'll run into trouble." He shrugged. "Not telling tales out of school—you know how it is. The agent deals with the Indian Supply Company, and two partners of that company are in Ogallala now, waiting for a herd of their own."

"Sure," Lew said, "the Open A. Fought me all the way up. That's why I've got to beat this quarantine. If I'm held after September first my subcontract with them is broken. They can deliver their own herd any time." He looked at the officer and thought the army was a decent outfit after all. But he knew how it was with some Indian agents. They were in a place where money could turn the game. If this one in Ogallala had been reached that way there'd be no favors for the Cross T. "You think," he asked, "it would do any good if I rode in to see your commandant?"

"No," Wing said, "you needn't do that. I'm sending a courier in this



He didn't speak, and he kept his eyes on the campfire as if he were still alone.

morning. I'll write a note and have an answer back sometime in the afternoon."

"All right, thanks." He moved his horse and stopped and sat, gripped between a thing he wanted to know and didn't want to know either. She had said she would write and tell him how Clay was. In the end he said, "If it isn't too much trouble your man might bring out the Cross T mail."

Riding along the ridge afterward before turning south, he could see the wide twisting line of the South Platte river bottom and almost make out the town far across the gently sloping plain. For a man to be this close, hardly a frog's jump away, compared to the trail . . . He shook his head and put that sight behind his back.

His hope was small enough, but it carried him through that afternoon, riding guard on the loosely grazing herd until he thought it was time to get his mail. Then he saw a yellow-legged trooper loping out of the north. He waved the rider over, thanked him and said there was a good poker game going in camp and was alone then with two envelopes in his hand.

He opened the brown official one of the War Department first and was not surprised, only a little heavier inside, to read that it had been determined there could be no waiver of the quarantine. The Cross T herd would have to be delivered one mile north of the South Platte as per contract.

The other was a gray paper of the telegraph office. She never was much on letter writing, never a girl to waste a lot of words. It was like that in this message when he opened it: "Clay recovering. Will be able to come by train soon." He counted them. Ten exactly to tell him all he needed. He didn't even have to guess. They'd be married, he knew, before they started that journey of a week together. He looked at the date. It had been sent August fifteenth. Maybe they were now.

The night when he crossed August twenty-ninth from the cook's almanac was like every other. He watched Steve play at one of the games for a little while, saw him stand up and look around for something, then come on past the firelight.

Afterward he was able to know

what brought Steve to him. But that took time. His first thought now, as Steve came on and sat down at his side without a word, was that the kid was moved by a sort of pity, and that turned him bluntly silent. But it wasn't pity for him altogether that had brought Steve here now.

Perhaps that was part of it, a little. Steve knew he was almost licked, down under. It put them on some common ground. But what he saw in the hollowed, staring eyes was a loneliness that he understood. Let times get black enough and that was the last thing left.

There comes a time when you can't go it any longer alone. "Steve," he said and laid his arm across the drooping shoulders, "buck up. What is it, kid?" He closed his hand in a strong grip. "Get it off your mind."

There was a little wait. A whoop burst from the circle down cross-legged at the card game. From the darkness off toward the bed ground he heard Charley Storms' one guard song for all occasions.

A faint smile turned the straight set of his mouth and something in the clowning fool's song lifted the weight in him. Then Steve said, "Lew, what are you going to do?"

"Me?" He hadn't meant to talk about himself. "I don't know exactly. We can salvage something out of this. It won't all be lost. The market's gone for beef, but five dollars a head for hides and tallow, maybe." He figured it up. "That makes fifteen thousand. You can bank the money. Then there's this bunch of a thousand shes and young stuff, less two hundred the Cheyennes got. They'll start your new ranch in Wyoming. Beef is bound to pick up again. It always does after a drop." Out loud the future didn't sound so bad.

But he saw Steve move his head slowly back and forth, not looking at him. "Not for me, Lew. I told you once I can't go on." He paused, staring down. "I've got to go back." "Back where?"

"Texas. It's like you said; I'm going to be on the jump for the rest of my life whenever a badge shows up. Once I thought I could face it like that. But I can't. I found that out the other day. I'd rather hang than be on the dodge."

It was bitter talk and a little young in its remorse, he felt, swinging too far from one side clear to the other. "Want to let me in?" he asked. "Where did it start, the bank?"

Steve nodded. "That's it. Earlier in the evening I was with the bunch who did it and rode with them up Crazy Woman afterward that night. No one would believe this. I got drunk and haven't any idea what happened in between. But they said I held the horses and killed Sheriff Rayburn when he found me. It's the word of four of them against mine."

"Now wait," Lew said. He pulled his arm from the bent shoulders. "Who were the four? Do I know them?"

"One. Ed Splann. I don't think you ever saw the other three. But they're riding with the Open A."

This didn't tell much that he had not already guessed. He let Steve wait and when no more seemed coming he asked, "Where does Clay come in?" And then to keep it straight, he added, "I'll tell you what I know. Clay let some of that bunch run off your father's horses at the start. That put the traitor's brand on him right there."

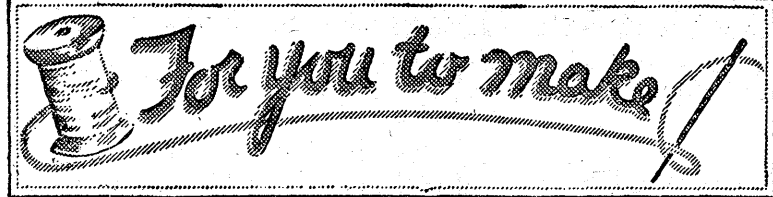
Steve's head turned beside him sharply. "Lew, it wasn't that! Clay tried to stand in front of me and got caught himself. I know how you feel about him. You've had plenty of reason to hate him on the trail. But after the robbery I let Clay know the fix I was in. Ed Splann and the other three hadn't joined the Open A. They were only drifting friends I'd picked up. Clay made a deal with them to get clean out of the country with what they knew I'd done. Their price was twenty head of saddle stock. I know now it was a blunder. They didn't leave and came back for more, and then riding north with the Open A, they could hold over both of us all they knew. Hadn't you thought of that?"

No, he hadn't, not Clay's part, trying to help Steve; and it held him silently thinking you could never wholly judge any man. Clay, he had thought before, had his tail in some kind of a crack. Tracing it through those unexplainable times of letting Splann run him and seeming only trying to block the Cross T herd, he could see now how Clay was acting under the Open A's threat of knowing that Steve Arnold had killed a man. It was like Clay, though, to make one blunder and then horn in deeper in his bullish way.

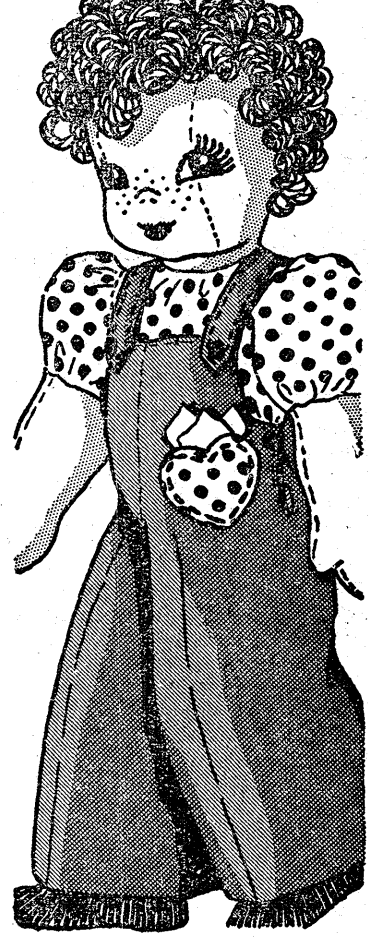
"Lew," Steve was saying, "you should've let me go into Dodge when Clay did. That was my fight. We'd talked about it. If we got Splann and the other three in a corner we'd wipe them out."

"If Clay thought that," he said, "something broke loose in his brain! But he's getting along all right." He hadn't told about the telegram. "I got word from Joy today. They'll be up here pretty soon." He thought about it. "They'll be married, Steve. I figure."

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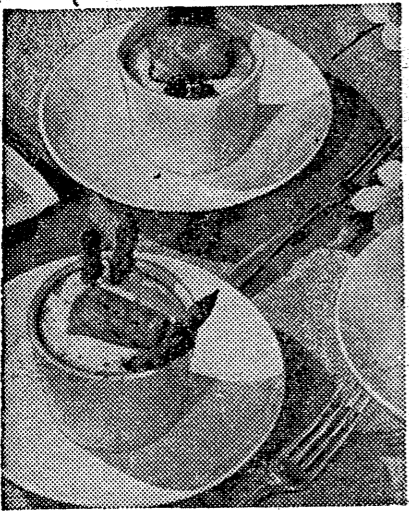
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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS

by Lynn Chambers

Keep to Simplicity In Foods, Serving For Good Hostessing



Create this spring tonic by using salmon and asparagus in a custard when eggs are plentiful. Bake in ramekins set in a pan of water, using a moderate oven so that the texture of the custard will be perfect.

Hospitality is unrated even in wartime. Food restrictions curb the serving of elaborate meals, but homemakers still want their friends over for a pleasant chat over luncheon or to "try out something new" in the way of a recipe. Simplicity is the keynote of good entertaining. It doesn't do to try out complicated recipes or menu patterns just to make an impression. If something goes wrong then everything is thrown off schedule and as a result the guests may be made uncomfortable, thus defeating the whole purpose of getting together.

With time at a premium, simple combinations are the order of the day. This will keep fluster at a minimum and the food budget within its bounds.

HOSTESS LUNCHEON MENU

- Meat Ball Pancakes
- Creamed Peas
- Endive Salad
- Crusty Rolls
- Celery Curls
- Jelly
- Lemon Tarts
- Coffee

Simple is as simple does! Bake tarts ahead of time, fill with a prepared filling if you're rushed for time. Set dough for rolls and shape before luncheon, and in the meantime make cream sauce for fresh, shelled peas or canned, and pop the



celery in ice water for curling purposes. Pancakes wait for the last. Mix batter—go powder your nose—and pop them on the griddle just before the guests come in. Easy does it!

Meat Ball Pancakes (Serves 6)

- 3 eggs
 - ½ pound ground beef
 - ½ teaspoon baking powder
 - ½ teaspoon salt
 - Dash of pepper
 - 1 teaspoon lemon juice
 - 1 tablespoon minced parsley
 - 1 tablespoon grated onion
- Beat egg yolks until light, blend in remainder of ingredients and last stiffly beaten egg whites. Drop spoonfuls on hot griddle. When browned and puffed, turn and brown other side. Serve with mushroom sauce, if desired.

HOSTESS LUNCHEON MENU

- Salmon Asparagus Custard
- Jellied Grapefruit—Lime Salad
- Whole Wheat Muffin
- Rhubarb Crisp

A delicate custard with perfect texture is the base of this menu—orange-pink in color with green asparagus tips. Rhubarb Crisp is a

Lynn Says:

Dress-Up! Domestic herbs will dress many a stew and pot-pie into a dish fit for kings. Try a dash of thyme, marjoram and sage, but remember, just a dash!

Meat loaves become party-ish if topped with catsup. Meat pies take on color if topped with green pepper rings before serving.

Muffins and rolls made in small-size muffin tins give distinction to dinners and luncheons. Pieces of leftover fruit atop muffins and breads are colorful.

Vegetables are gay if served in buttercups. Trim crusts off bread slices, press them in muffin cups and toast to a golden brown. Very pretty!

Give these beauty-aids to salads and garnishes: carrot curls are made by slicing carrots thinly lengthwise with a carrot cutter and winding the slice around finger. Let crisp in cold water. Peel cucumber thinly, and run prongs of fork down the length of the cucumber. Slice thinly.

Be a Hostess!

Not just in name but in deed! As a hostess, see that your guests are comfortable, not just in food you feed them but in the conversation channels into which you guide them; in the introductions by which you open up new worlds and friends to them; in the games which they play; in everything, be gracious, smiling and untroubled. Yours then will be the invitations they prize.

delightful dessert very much in season.

Liquor from the canned salmon contains precious vitamins and minerals; it should be used in the custard as part of the liquid and for purposes of flavor.

Salmon Asparagus Custard (Serves 4)

- 1 pound canned salmon
- ¼ cup salmon liquor
- ¾ cup chicken broth (or 1 chicken cube dissolved in ¾ cup hot water)
- 1 cup light cream
- 3 eggs, slightly beaten
- Salt, pepper
- 1 cup asparagus tips (cooked in boiling water for 10 minutes)

Flake salmon into large pieces. Scald salmon liquor, chicken broth and cream. Add to slightly beaten eggs. Season to taste with salt and pepper, then add flaked salmon.

Arrange asparagus tips around edges of ramekins so that the tips show just above the edge of the ramekin. Pour custard mixture into ramekins. Bake in a pan of hot water in a moderate (350-degree) oven for about 45 minutes until custard is set.

Rhubarb Crisp (Serves 5 to 6)

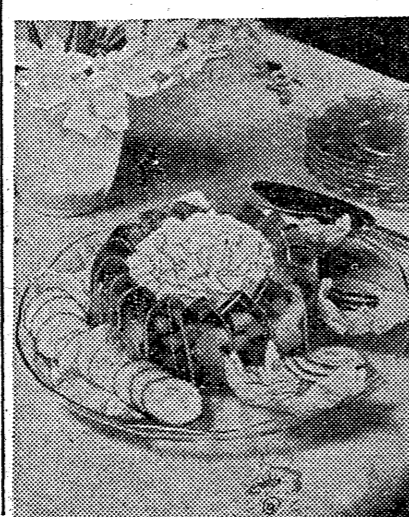
- ¼ cup butter or substitute
- ¼ cup sugar
- 1 egg
- ¼ teaspoon nutmeg
- ¼ teaspoon vanilla
- 1 cup toast cubes
- 2 cups cereal flakes
- 2 cups diced fresh rhubarb

Blend ¼ cup sugar with butter. Add egg and beat well. Stir in nutmeg, flavoring, toast cubes and cereal flakes. Spread half of the mixture in buttered baking pans and arrange rhubarb evenly over top; sprinkle with remaining sugar and cover with remainder of mixture. Bake in a moderate oven (375 degrees) about 40 minutes, until rhubarb is tender. Serve warm with cream, if desired.

HOSTESS BUFFET DINNER

- Ham Ring with Creamed Potatoes
- Garnish: Spiced Peaches
- Buttered Green Beans
- Cucumber Pear Aspic
- Hot Rolls
- Devil's Food Cake
- Spread Beverage

A few large, attractive platters will hold the menu placed on a large dining room table or buffet for easy self-service. As soon as the ham ring is unmolded, spoon creamed potatoes into center, and garnish outside of ring with parsley and spiced fruit. Set green beans in vegetable dish, salad on another large platter.



Cucumber in this jellied aspic salad is just the thing to give tartness to a bland meal. Make the salad in a large mold and serve from buffet for real effectiveness.

Cucumber Pear Aspic (Serves 6)

- 1 package lime-flavored gelatin
 - 1½ cups hot water
 - 2 tablespoons vinegar
 - ½ teaspoon salt
 - 1 cup drained diced cucumber
 - 1 cup diced pears
- Dissolve gelatin in hot water. Add vinegar and ¼ teaspoon salt. Chill until slightly thickened. Season cucumber with ¼ teaspoon salt; add pears. Fold into slightly thickened gelatin. Turn into mold and chill until firm. Garnish cucumber slices and crisp lettuce.

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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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

Lesson for April 30

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PAUL WINS RECOGNITION FOR GENTILE CHRISTIANS

LESSON TEXT: Acts 15:23b-29; Galatians 2:1, 2, 9, 10, 20, 21.
GOLDEN TEXT: Being therefore justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.—Romans 5:1.

Problems and differences of opinion need not be harmful if they are properly met and honestly settled. In the church at Antioch a question had arisen which had to be answered, authoritatively, and once for all.

The early converts of the church were naturally from among the Jews, and they carried with them into their new-found faith the traditions of their religion. Some of them did not recognize that the salvation they had in Christ was entirely by grace apart from any works of the law. They not only felt that they must observe the law, but insisted that the Gentile believers must also fulfill the Jewish rite of circumcision. This promptly raised the question whether Christ alone could save, or if men were saved by grace plus works.

To settle this matter, Paul and Barnabas went up to the church at Jerusalem, and there a great council discussed it freely, and came to a decision which was then transmitted by letter and a committee. We find—

I. Fundamental Principle Established—Salvation by Grace (Acts 15: 23b-29).

The believers at Antioch were to abstain from those things which would hinder their spiritual progress and harm their testimony. That was important and right, but it must not be allowed to confuse them regarding the basis of their salvation. They were not saved by works, no, not even by the most commendable.

Salvation is by grace, through faith, not of works, lest any man should boast (Eph. 2:8, 9). That principle, which is absolutely foundational in all Christian thinking, was established then, and is valid and blessedly true for all time.

Is it not strange, then, that all through the church's history there has been a determined effort on the part of some in the church to add something to God's redeeming grace as a ground for salvation? One would think that all the peoples of the world would rejoice in such a gloriously simple and altogether divine redemption.

It is well worth our attention to observe how the matter was handled. Observe the plain rebuke given to the teachers of error in verse 24. It is no light matter to trouble and mislead the souls of men, by injecting our worldly wisdom or our opinions, when we should be teaching the truth of God's Word.

Note that there was fine courtesy in sending the message to the church at Antioch by messengers who were men of distinction and great spiritual courage. It was not a case of abruptly telling this new church what to do, and end it there, but of using this trying situation as a means of drawing the churches together in fellowship and mutual faith.

II. Sound Practice Observed—Walking by Faith (Gal. 2:1, 2, 9, 10, 20, 21).

The life of grace is not just something to be written or talked about, or to glory in, although it is all of these. It is to show forth in the daily walk of the Christian.

Paul in Galatians 2 tells of his experience in Jerusalem, of his meeting and discussion with the brethren. It was all of vital importance to him and to the cause of Christ, but it is not the record of an academic argument, or the vaunting of a personal victory which he presents.

He rises to the high point of Christian experience, the realization of the fact that a believer has died to self. He is crucified with Christ—and yet he lives.

Yes, he lives in a newness of life which is not his own, but Christ living in him. This is the secret of real Christian living—a complete acceptance of all that Christ is, in and for the believer.

This truth is at once deeply spiritual and completely practical. Again we say, it is not something about which one theorizes. It is an actuality—something which Christians can and do live out in daily experience. It is "the life which I now live" of which Paul speaks, and that is by "the faith of the Son of God," who loved us and gave Himself for us.

To fail to receive and appropriate this grace by seeking to be made righteous through the deeds of the law is to deny the need of the death of Christ, in fact, to make it a vain thing.

Some may feel that all this is too deeply theological for them, but it really is not, for God does not expect us to explain it, but only to accept it. This is His work, and it is indeed wonderful in our sight (Ps. 139:6), but not too wonderful to receive by faith, to rest and rejoice in, and to declare to others.

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Jerry Shaw

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Most germs are useful germs; indeed, the world could not go on without them. They break up the things we have finished with—the leaves, the dead animals—and send them back to the soil. They are the scavengers of life. The war against germs is a war against a minority of disease germs, not a majority of useful germs.

If you know a Navy man, don't ever call him a "gob"—sailors consider the name an insult. You can get on the right side of him though if you offer him a Camel—or better yet, send him a carton. Camels are the favorite cigarette with men in the Navy (Army, Marines, Coast Guard, too, for that matter) based on actual sales records from the service men's stores. And though there are Post Office restrictions on packages to overseas Army men, you can still send Camels to soldiers in the U. S., and to men in the Navy, Marines and Coast Guard wherever they are.—Adv.

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Reveille on the Jordan

Just a little message to the boys in the service from the folks back home. Sponsored by the East Jordan Community Service Club.

Quite often we receive letters which say there is nothing new to write about or nothing going on which amounts to anything. Although it has not been our policy to print letters in full, in fact if we remember correctly this has happened only twice before, yet we believe that the following letter, which was received during the past week from Lt. ALBA BROOKS, merits printing in full because it gives an idea how much can be written even though there seems to be nothing happening. Of course we don't mean to say this is the only reason we're printing it, because we knew as we read it that we couldn't do justice to it unless we did print it word for word.

Camp McCain, Miss.
17 April, 1944

Dear Friends,
I believe it's been some time since I last wrote and I have been around a bit since then.

I spent February on maneuvers in La., and then my outfit went into garrison at Camp Polk. They were a hot outfit so the officers that were over-age were sent to other outfits. I don't know whether to say I was one of the unfortunate or one of the fortunate ones. The outfit was getting to be a fine one under the new command we had and I was surely enjoying my job as train commander on maneuvers, and would have gladly went into combat with them. The outfit had about 100 per cent over-age in officers so some of us had to leave and I was one.

I spent a 15-day furlough with my in-laws in Saginaw, Michigan, and for the first time this year saw snow. We had been down here in the south all winter where flowers bloomed and hot weather prevailed. So my wife hoped for a blizzard which we had for a couple days while home. We also enjoyed an evening of ice skating. For the first of March, the weather certainly was grand there though.

On the 16th of March I reported for duty here at Camp McCain and am in the 94th Div. From what I have heard from others, our Battalion is tops in the Division and from my own observation it is tops of all the outfits I've been in. I'm really fortunate to be attached to an outfit like this. It's a Michigan outfit activated at Fort Custer and very well trained. The spirit is high and a fine group of commanders. Transportation is the only sore spot here. My wife is still with me and to get home evenings is sometimes a trying fete, but as I grumble I realize that most of the bus drivers are in the army now and shouldn't expect pre-war service.

We live at Grenada, Miss., which is a town of about 4,000 normally but homes have rented every extra room till most of them live in their kitchens. Even front rooms, dining rooms etc. are transformed into sleeping rooms for soldiers wives till the population has tripled. It's a beautiful southern town. Loads of flowers and vines in bloom with nice lawns. It is full of large southern mansions and full of historical events. I have seen several large plantations. One in particular is on the way out to Camp from town. It covers several hundred acres and as beautiful as can be. They have a great number of registered Hereford cattle. It's a pretty sight to see those beautiful critters feeding in pastures of grass like lawns bordered with a white board fence with a large scattering shade trees. Then comes the mansions and swimming pools.

I have observed that colored people do most of the work here in the south. It seems that the women folk do very little. They all have their colored maids. Maybe that's why they get to the ripe old age of 90 in many instances. The south to me is a lot like it sounds in books. As yet, it hasn't gotten too warm, but from what I hear 115 degrees F is a common occurrence here. I'll take vanilla. Ha! Ha!

As I see different training films and news reels, I can't help but realize how fortunate we are here in the U. S. with our buildings still standing and our families able to sleep in their homes, without a fox-hole or bomb shelter in the front yard. I keep hoping that I may again see Abe Cohn, the Lilak boys, and many other friends who have already gone across. I would like to know if you have on your list any of the Jordanites here at Camp McCain. As yet I haven't run across any one I knew.

Tell Paul Lisk to change my address if you will please. Tell him I said hello. Will try and write more often in the future.

As ever,
Lt. Alba Brooks.

Again we want to thank Alba for this splendid letter and hope that the rest of you who read it enjoyed it as much as we did.

NEWS FROM THE HOME FRONT

Furloughs come and go as usual and we think we can imagine somewhat your feelings as you anticipate one for some time and then in contrast, your feelings when it's past. During the past week furloughs and leaves were enjoyed by Bob Crowell, Pete Hammond, August LaPeer, Louis Bunker and Alston Penfold, besides those mentioned last week. As usual, varied experiences are related by those with whom we come in

contact. A few of these experiences were told us by August LaPeer. As you undoubtedly know, August has spent some time in the Southwest Pacific area and so knows what it's all about. He also knows what it's all about when the order comes through to abandon ship and then later changed to stand by. However, August says that the boat was finally brought all the way home and now is undergoing some major repairs. Although he doesn't know what his future duties will be, August would like to know what boat GORDON EVANS is on as he expects, they have been in the same area, and might perchance run across him if he had only that much information. The anticipation of a furlough and getting back to Northern Michigan certainly was a reality for Louis Bunker. After waiting in line for some time to purchase a train ticket and then seeing the train pull out loaded even before the purchase was made, Louis and his Detroit friend decided that taxi service was faster at least, so a nice taxi ride for about 135 miles made it possible to make connections and enabled him to beat the train to Chicago, which he would have taken from Alexander. One experience told us by Louis was brought about because of his dislike for mud while on maneuvers, so he decided sleeping in a barn would be better. However, after receiving permission from the owner, he found the barn was already packed with soldiers so that it was necessary to retreat to the corn crib in which the nights sleep was enjoyed with several other soldiers even though this too was packed to such a capacity that no one was able to move without the cooperation of the others. Louis has been cooking almost since the very first of his army career during which time he has seen only one Jordanite, PETE HAMMOND, who is also home on furlough. However, not having seen him or the rest as yet, we have nothing to report.

NEWS FROM THE FRONT

The first letter in for this week's Reveille column came from that regular correspondent, CLIFFORD GREEN. Cliff in his previous letter told us how he was planning to meet Amos John, an old-time East Jordan friend, and in this letter the meeting was a thing of the past and the report was that they both had a swell time. Amos happened to have a three day pass so they were able to spend part of their time taking in the sights of Italy. We were sorry to hear that Cliff still hasn't had any word from his brother, CLYDE, and hope that those that are corresponding with Clyde will urge him to write his brother. . . . Maneuvers in Louisiana are evidently over for DICK McKINNON as his new address reports him as being stationed at Camp Swift, Texas. . . . In a letter from EDDIE THOMSON in Italy, we are able to learn his approximate location by comparing the following notations from his letter: "I received two papers today, the one having the article about ALFRED NELSON and the other article from KENNETH MORRIS. In order for Lt. Nelson to do what he did he would probably have had to pass within a couple hundred yards of where I was stationed at that time. I might add it would take a lot of courage to do what he did, according to what I've seen. As for Kenneth, I think I can safely say I passed within a very short distance of him not so long ago." It seems as if the boys in that region are near but yet so far. . . . Two notices of promotions have come to us this week, one from BILL WALDEN, now promoted to corporal, and one for LAWRENCE STANEK, now promoted to Sgt. Congratulations to all of you fellows. . . . This week brought us a very interesting letter from sailor, DESMOND K. JOHNSON, who is somewhere in the parts of Alaska. Desmond has been transferred to another base, so consequently is not with GEORGE WHALING anymore, however, this is only temporary duty so he probably will be keeping George company again before too long. He tells us that he has been out of the states for fifteen months now and has nearly forgotten what things are like in a civilized place. One thing that he misses is a tree as he hasn't seen one during the whole time he's been out of the states, and he says, after being around East Jordan most of your life, that is something you really miss. His chances of getting back to the states are not very sure at present but after fifteen months away it seems to us he's about due for a trip home. Desmond would like to take this means of directing his brother, DOUGLAS, to write him at Navy One Four Eight in care of Postmaster, San Francisco, California. He send greetings to all the fellows and still wants to know if there are any to dispute his claim of being the closest to Tokyo of all the fellows excepting George Whaling. Let's hear from Desmond's disputers. . . . As far as we know Farragut, Idaho, is now minus all of its East Jordan representatives. We have already reported RICHARD CLARK'S leaving for California, and this week we learn that the other Jordanite, DAVE PRAY, formerly stationed there, has also been transferred. Dave left with the intention of joining the Fleet

Marine Force at Camp Elliott, California, but the day following his arrival at Elliott the Field Medical School Battalion moved to Camp Pendleton, also in California. After just three days training with the marines, new orders came and Dave is back in the navy at the Amphibious Training Base there. This new setup for Dave was a disappointment as, had he completed the training with the marines, he would have been ready for overseas but this new assignment appears to Dave as though he will keep his feet on shore for a long spell. We are sure though that Dave felt somewhat better about the new set-up after he and CY DOLEZEL got together a few times. We learn from Dave that the squadron Cy is with is only ten miles from him so their meetings no doubt will be frequent. If plans developed, Cy and Dave spent the week end of the 16th in Los Angeles. . . . As soon as "JOHNNY" LAISURE became settled in Camp Davis, North Carolina, he took time out to write us a letter telling us of the trip down from Camp Campbell, Kentucky. He tells us that the biggest thrill of the trip for him was that they passed through Atlanta, Georgia, where he once lived, and also passed Stone Mountain which, at the time he left Georgia, he never expected to see again. He also told us that the evening before he left Camp Campbell, HARRY MOORE visited him and they spent an enjoyable evening together. As we are writing this we notice a change of address for "Johnny" which seems to indicate he is ready for overseas duty and is at an eastern port of embarkation. . . . Two sailors BARTON VANCE and STANLEY HALE moved to Treasure Island in San Francisco this past week. Barton believes he is facing a stiff course at Gyro school there, but after that long rest he just completed in Wyoming, we're sure he's prepared for what's ahead. If time permits maybe these home-town sailors will be able to meet at their location. . . . CHET BIGELOW must be really in the money as enclosed in his letter was a measly fifty dollar bill. As we read the letter though, we were told not to try and spend it as we might have trouble cashing it. You see, Chet sent a Chinese bill as he is stationed in the country of China. Thanks for making us feel good for a little while, Chet. The censor got out the scissors when this letter passed through his hands and this is what's left of the last paragraph — "I've (hole) run a mission over Jap Territory (hole) sure hope I don't meet any face to face." Let's keep hearing from you Chet and right now we don't seem to be able to recall anyone else from here over in your location. . . . We had been thinking all the time that HENRY GRUTSCH was stationed at Shoemaker, California, but a V-mail letter from him tells us he is at New Caledonia and finds it to be a very pretty place with a pleasant climate. He sends a hello to his brother CARL, BOB STREHL, BILL STURGELL, and DOUG GILKERSON. . . . BILL SAXTON now finds himself repairing engines at Mount Home, Idaho. Bill is a member of the ground crew of the army air forces. As this goes to press, Bill's brother, GAYLE, will have arrived home on the furlough which he did not get at Easter as we had mentioned. . . . Although CARL BEYER expects to be moving around a lot in the future, at the present time he finds himself at Stuttgart, Arkansas, where he is beginning Twin Engine Flight training. . . . After spending last week end with her brother, JOHN, at Fort Benjamin Harrison in Indiana, FRANCES LENOSKY left for Albuquerque, New Mexico. Frances is an army nurse. . . . Every week we seem to have the news that more of our group are going overseas. This week we notice that ED CARR and ROD. CARNEY have left the shores on the eastern side. WILLIAM CAIN is leaving on the Pacific side and the news that EDWARD J. STANEK has arrived in New Guinea has just been reported. The percentage of our servicemen and women overseas is now over 50 per cent. . . . A new APO has come in for FRANCIS TOUCHSTONE who is somewhere in New Guinea. Francis believes ORLANDO BLAIR is somewhere in his vicinity and would very much like to meet him. . . . New on the mailing list this week are CARROLL BARTHOLOMEW and ETHAN EDSON. Carroll is beginning army training at Camp Van Duren, Mississippi. Ethan is with the Ord. Evac.

Company at Camp Polk, Louisiana. . . . A short note from THOMAS ST. CHARLES informs us that he is spending his time somewhere in the Southwest Pacific. From Tom's dad we learn that he has seen some of his Jordanite friends even though it was only while passing in a truck.

And so too we're going to pass off from Reveille for the time being and say "So long until next week."

Your friends of the Community Club,
By Henry Drenth.

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Three Russian Girls

Serial and Cartoon

Note: In order to get the pictures we have been showing we had to show them for three days. May 14th we will return to our former schedule. Family Night and Sunday - Monday shows as usual.

If you could see what's happening over there



BIG things are happening over there. And big things are moving faster here. War needs the wires more and more every day.

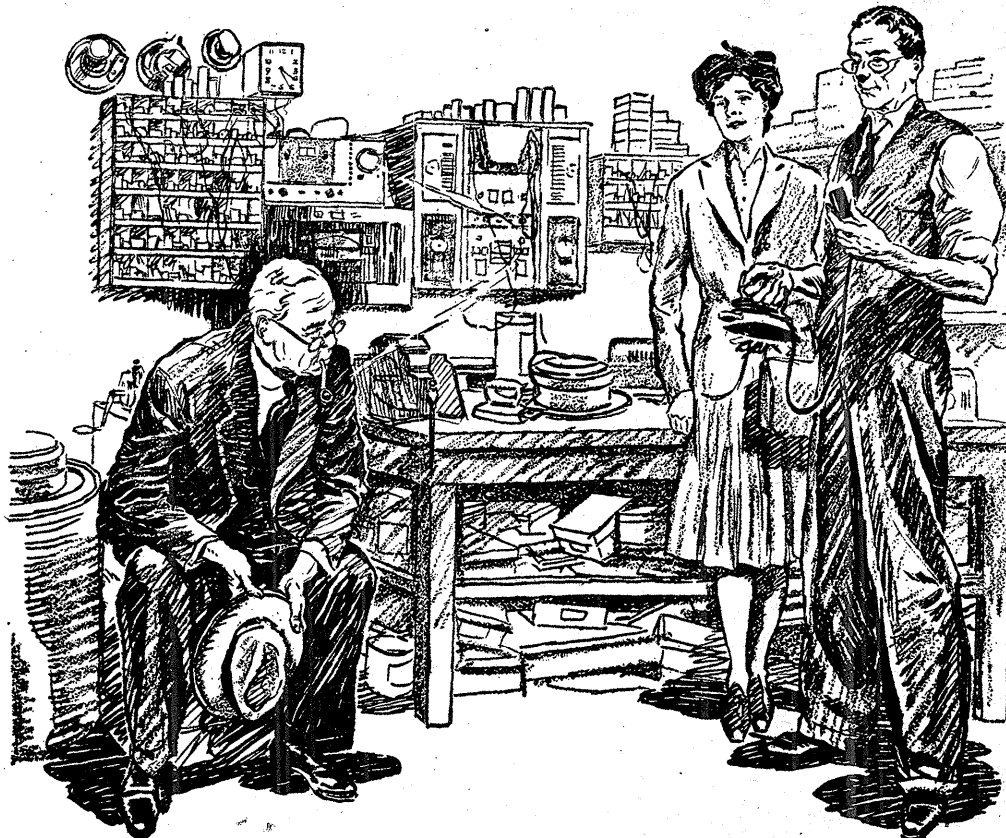
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isn't the answer. It's not that simple. We had nearly 14 years proof of that, didn't we?"
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