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AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, HELD AT THE COURTHOUSE THEREOF IN MANASSAS, VIRGINIA, ON THURSDAY, THE NINTH DAY OF DECEMBER, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FORTY-THREE, THERE WERE PRESENT: MESSRS. J. MURRAY TAYLOR, CHAIRMAN, C. B. FITZWATER, W. M. JOHNSON, C. B. ROLAND AND G. C. RUSSELL.

The meeting was called to order and opened with prayer by the Reverend J. Murray Taylor, Chairman.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The following accounts were examined, allowed and Check-Warrants ordered drawn on the County Treasurer in payment of same.

COUNTY FUND

Warrant No.	
3633—W. Hill Brown, Jr., Com. Commonwealth Atty.	\$ 83.33
3634—O. D. Waters, Clerk, Comp. County Clerk	82.23
3635—R. C. Haydon, Comp. School Supt.	96.25
3636—Thomas M. Russell, Wages of Janitor	88.90
3637—G. C. Russell, Comp. and Mi. District Home	6.80
Comp. and Mi. Supervisors	18.20
3638—C. B. Fitzwater, Comp. and Mi. Supervisors	17.48
3639—C. B. Roland, Comp. and Mi. Supervisors	17.76
3640—J. Murray Taylor, Comp. and Mi. Supervisors	16.87
3641—V. S. Abel, Comp. Supervisors	16.76
3642—W. M. Johnson, Comp. and Mi. Supervisors	20.00
3643—Gladys Bushong, Rent Rest Room	3.00
3644—Walter F. Hibbs, Doorkeeper, General Election	6.80
3645—J. A. Hooker, 2 days Comr. General Election and Mi.	6.00
3646—J. H. Burke, 2 days Comr. General Election	6.30
3647—T. R. Hurst, 2 days Comr. General Election and Mi.	7.20
3648—Wm. J. Green, 2 days Comr. General Election and Mi.	30.00
3649—O. D. Waters, Clerk, Postage Clerk's Office	80.00
3650—E. H. Marsteller, Coroner's Report	4.00
3651—C. B. Roland, Return of Primary Fees	4.00
3652—J. Murray Taylor, Return of Primary Fees	4.00
3653—V. S. Abel, Return of Primary Fees	4.00
3654—W. M. Johnson, Return of Primary Fees	4.00
3655—J. W. Ellis, Return of Primary Fees	8.00
3656—R. B. Gossom, May and October Posting Notices and Sit.	138.89
3657—R. M. Weir, Comp. Commissioner of Revenue	8.33
Field Deputy	8.33
Field Deputy	60.00
Office Assistant	25.67
Telephone	2.33
Postage	4.00
Mileage, 210 miles @ 5c per mile	7.00
3658—J. W. Alvey, Comp. Member Welfare Board	8.33
3659—J. Carl Kincheloe, Comp. Member Welfare Board	8.33
3660—G. C. Russell, Comp. Member Welfare Board	8.33
3661—Blue Ridge Sanatorium, Lillian C. Russell, Board	28.00
3662—Joseph Garner, Comp. of Part-time Deputy Sheriff	2.92
3663—Ann P. Dulany, Comp. Secretary of Home Demonstrator	25.00
3664—Nell G. Grim, Comp. Home Demon. less withholding tax	64.07
3665—F. D. Cox, Comp. County Agent, L. W. Tax	82.23
3666—Wm. J. Moffitt, Amt. due refund on 1943 levies by U. S. Gov.	4.55
3667—State Dept. of Health, Payment due ending Dec. 31, 1943	875.00
3668—Piedmont Sanatorium, Isabelle Corum, Board	14.50
3669—Piedmont Sanatorium, Dorothy Mae Corum, Bal. on Board	4.00
3670—Piedmont Sanatorium, Manuel Fisher, Bal. due to Nov. 23	13.50
3671—Town of Manassas, Electricity Courthouse	8.55
Electricity C. H. Annex	26.96
Electricity Jail	6.28
3672—The Central Mut. Tel. Co., Trial Justice Office	2.75
Court House	3.75
County Agent's Office	5.70
3673—J. P. Bell Company, Honorable Discharge Book and Postage	58.85
3674—Treasurer of Virginia, Supplies Trial Justice Office	7.53
Supplies Treasurer's Office	7.21
3675—Va. Electric & Power Co., Street Lights and Clinic at Triangle	316.50
3676—District Home, Board and Care of 14 Inmates	32.45
3677—United Sanitary Chem. Co., Cleaning Material and Supplies	1.07
3678—Everett Waddey Company, Supplies Trial Justice Court	5.12
3679—Hynson Electric & Supply Co., Light Fixtures, Nokesville	7.90
Lights	7.00
3680—Virginia Forest Service, Forest Fires Prevention	6.60
3681—J. P. Kerlin, Board of Jurors, Oct. 21, 1943	250.00
3682—E. N. Pattie, Registrar Catharpin Precinct	.75
3683—The Children's Home Society, Amount of your subscription	48.00
3684—Coke Pharmacy, Ink for Clerk's Office	2.00
3685—Thelma Tiller, Services Sec. Coordinator	2.00
3686—Manassas Journal, Mimeograph Paper	6.40
3687—Huntton Tiffany, Advanced for stamps	58.33
3688—Cent. Mut. Tel. Co., Local and Long Distance tolls	38.89
3689—J. P. Kerlin, Sheriff, Comp. of Sheriff	25.00
Comp. of Deputy Sheriff	11.67
Comp. of Office Assistant	1.45
Comp. of Salary of Cook	.50
Telephone	7.98
Stationery	6.72
Mileage of Sheriff	1.20
Mileage Deputy Sheriff	211.11
Gas for cooking	111.11
3690—C. A. Sinclair, Comp. of Treasurer	2.22
Comp. of Deputy	17.35
Telephone	1.67
Postage	57.87
Mileage	3.07
3691—Conner's Market, Food for Jail	79.45
3692—Geo. F. Muth & Co., Service Board Honor Roll, Paint, etc.	1.43
3693—Brown & Hooff, Lumber for Service Board Honor Roll	82.50
3694—Manassas Hardware Co., Bolts for Service Board Honor Roll	50.00
3695—Gordon Ellis, Labor on Service Board Honor Roll	
3696—Warren Coleman, Lettering Service Board Honor Roll	
DOG TAG	
258—A. W. Mills, Salary of Game Warden	\$ 25.00
259—Mrs. J. T. Nalls, 1 Turkey killed	9.80
260—Helen E. Spies, 111 Chickens killed by dogs	94.90
261—Mr. W. Fred Dowell, Chickens killed by dogs	3.79
262—N. E. Garrison, Turkeys killed	67.12
263—Coke Pharmacy, Rabies Vaccine	15.00
264—Dr. E. H. Marsteller, Anne Carter (14 injections)	28.00
The foregoing accounts were allowed by the following votes:	
AYES: C. B. Roland, C. B. Fitzwater, W. M. Johnson, G. C. Russell,	
J. Murray Taylor, Chairman.	
RE: SUPPLEMENTARY SCHOOL BUDGET	
Whereas, the County School Budget approved by the Board of Super-	
visors on April 8, 1943, contained an item of \$3000 as rental for the Swave-	
ly School Property to the National Youth Administration, and	
Whereas, due to the closing of the N. Y. A. Resident Project on June	
30th, this rental has not been available for the present budget year, and	
Whereas, this causes the County School Budget to be \$3000 less than	
the amount approved by the Board of Supervisors;	
Therefore, be it ordered that C. A. Sinclair, Treasurer, be and he is	
hereby directed to transfer from the General County Fund to the County	
School Fund the sum of \$3,000 in lieu of the \$3,000 set up in the budget	
as rental.	
AYES: J. M. Taylor, C. B. Roland, G. C. Russell, C. B. Fitzwater and	
W. M. Johnson.	

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We wish to extend our best wishes to all of our subscribers, advertisers and readers for a very Merry Christmas - at least for as satisfying holiday season as is possible in these difficult days of war and distress; and we do so much appreciate the many kindnesses manifested to us, especially in times of failure to do what has always been possible until war interrupted the usual supplies of labor and materials. We, too, are rationed in many ways, but there is no restraint upon the good will and kindness for which Prince William has always been noted, and which is so much in evidence at this Sacred Season.

THE MANASSAS JOURNAL



LENA ELIZABETH SADD

Mrs. Lena Elizabeth Sadd, widow of the late R. L. Sadd, died in Manassas Wednesday afternoon after an illness of several months, and general failing health for the past seven years.

Lena Elizabeth Townsend was born May 10, 1871 at Crown Point, New York, and married the late Mr. R. L. Sadd, on October 4, 1892. They came to Manassas October 1, 1925, where Mr. Sadd engaged in mercantile business for 18 years, being succeeded by his son, Mr. Walter C. Sadd. Another son also survives Mr. Chilton W. Sadd, of Ithaca, N. Y.

Services were conducted on Saturday, December 18 at the Manassas Presbyterian Church by its pastor, Rev. John M. DeChant. Pallbearers were Messrs. Troy Counts, M. J. Hottle, Roy Muddiman, Frank Sigmans, Dallas Hutchison, and Orrin Kline who served for William H. Lamb, who was out of town.

Interment was in the family lot at Wapping, Conn.

ONE ALERT A MONTH

Virginia will have at least one surprise air raid alert a month, according to an announcement issued by Brigadier-General Phillip Hayes, commanding general of the Third Service Command in Baltimore.

Maintaining air raid precautions was held to be essential until all hostilities have ceased because "it is wishful thinking for anyone to believe that the danger of enemy air attack has passed," the General stated. Alerts will be either daylight or night drills, but not both.

CHANGES OFFICE DAYS

Dr. S. J. Cole will not be in Manassas on Tuesday, Dec. 28.

His office day will be changed to Thursdays, starting Thurs. Jan. 6th and every Thursday thereafter he will be in his office from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

A PLEASANT LETTER FROM THE SOUTHERN RAILWAY

December 20, 1943

The legendary Dodo Bird always flew backward because he was more interested in where he had been than in where he was going.

It's nonsensical, of course. But maybe the Dodo Bird had something at that! At any rate, we have always found it to be both helpful and inspiring to imitate the famous bird along about this time each year — by taking a long look backward before we plunge into the New Year.

So, we've just looked back over 1943 — and some of the things we found prompt us to write this letter to you.

We want to tell you that we are grateful for the opportunity we have had to tell our story to your readers through our series of advertising messages in your publication during the year.

We want you and your staff to know that we appreciate your cooperation and your helpful suggestions, both of which have enabled us to do our job better.

We want you to know that, in reviewing our relations with your paper, we have found many things to give a lift to our spirits and to encourage us to continue to work together with you for the building and prosperity of the territory we both serve.

Another reason for our writing this letter is that we want to extend Christmas Greetings to you and your staff, and to wish all of you A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

Sincerely,

HOLCOMBE PARKES
Assistant to the President
B. E. YOUNG
H. C. YANCEY
Executive Representatives

BUY AND USE CHRISTMAS SEALS

What did you do with the tuberculosis Christmas Seals which you received in the mail on Nov. 22? Did you send money immediately to the Prince William County Tuberculosis Association, and are you using the Seals on every piece of Christmas mail you send? Or did you send your money to the association, but have forgotten to use the Seals? Or did you return the Seals without the money?

If you bought and are using the Seals you are completing a fine job. If you bought the Seals, but are not using them, you have done the first half of a fine job, but left undone the second half—reminding others to buy and use the Seals and calling attention to the vital importance of the anti-tuberculosis campaign. If you returned the Seals without buying them, you lost a real opportunity to do your part in a big, necessary, wartime job.

War, with its overwork, strain, anxiety, food shortages, overcrowded living and working conditions, broken rest, and lack of proper recreation, creates conditions which foster breakdowns with tuberculosis and its spread from the sick to the well. Consequently, the association faces a crucial year. All its activities in tuberculosis prevention and control—case-finding in schools and industry, clinics, health education, rehabilitation must be expanded to meet the emergency.

If you have not paid for your Seals, please do so at once. If you sent your Seals back, please reconsider. Seals are still available at the local drug stores or from the district chairmen. If you bought your Seals, be sure to use them on every card, letter and package you mail between now and Christmas—in short, finish a fine job.

This year, above all years, the tuberculosis association can not do without you. Buy and use Christmas Seals!

C. E. RICE IMPROVING

Mr. C. E. Rice, who was recently dangerously wounded by the accidental discharge of a pistol, has returned from the hospital and is at home.

Dropping upon the floor from a safe which he was opening, the gun inflicted a serious abdominal wound, and his recovery is regarded as remarkable under the circumstances.

FOURTH WAR LOAN PLANS ANNOUNCED

Prince William County's quota for the Fourth War Loan Campaign, which opens January 18, is \$350,000.00. Dr. Francis Pendleton Gaines, State Chairman of the Virginia War Finance Committee, has announced Virginia's part of the 14 Billion Dollar national goal is 143 million dollars.

The quota for Prince William County is divided into three parts, as follows: E Bond sales to individuals, \$250,000.00; sales of all other securities to individuals, \$75,000.00; sales to corporations, \$25,000.00.

"The Treasury Department is placing more emphasis than ever on sales to Mr. and Mrs. Average Citizen," Dr. Gaines said. "If we hope to maintain Virginia's reputation for exceeding War Bond quotas it will be necessary for every person in the State to be approached by our volunteer salesmen and asked to invest in America. This is a tremendous challenge. We cannot, we must not, fail to back our fighting forces to the limit of our ability."

The State Chairman has also announced the appointment of James S. Easley of Halifax as executive manager of the Virginia War Finance Committee. Mr. Easley, with Dr. Gaines and C. Francis Cooke, of Roanoke, vice-chairman, will plan and direct the Old Dominion's Bond selling activities for both the continuing program and the special War Loan campaigns.

Dr. Gaines said the WFC felt "particularly fortunate" to obtain the services of Mr. Easley to head the staff which has its headquarters in Richmond. The new executive manager is an attorney and a former member of the General Assembly of Virginia. He is a graduate of the Virginia Military Institute and received his law degree from the University of Virginia. At one time, he was Commonwealth's Attorney for Halifax.

The Fourth War Loan Campaign will run until February 15, and is to be supported by the greatest national promotion and publicity campaign in history. It has been emphasized by the War Finance Committee, however, that the success of the drive depends upon local committees and their publicity media, whose hard work and wholehearted cooperation have put Virginia "over the top" in all previous War Campaigns.

Securities to be offered in the Fourth War Loan are: Series E, F and G; Series C Savings Notes; 2½ per cent Bonds of 1965-70; 2½ per cent Bonds of 1956-59; ½ per cent Certificates of Indebtedness.

UNDERPRIVILEGED CHILDREN'S COMMITTEE CONDUCTS WEEKLY KIWANIS MEETING PROGRAM

Mrs. Marion Lewis, Local Welfare Director, Guest Speaker

The Friday, December 17, program of the Manassas Kiwanis Club was led by J. Carl Kincheloe, Chairman of the Underprivileged Child Committee. Mrs. Marion Lewis, County Welfare Director, was the guest speaker.

Plans were made for distributing Christmas baskets. This activity of the club has been carried on for many years and many families and individuals of the county are on the list to be visited by the Kiwanians this Christmas eve.

Other guests of the club were the Rev. M. F. Draper, Pastor of the Manassas Church, and D. J. Dewey, Arlington Hardware Distributor and a member of the Arlington's Kiwanis Club.

It was decided to hold next week's meeting on Thursday instead of Friday which comes on Christmas Eve. A special meeting of the Underprivileged Child Committee was held immediately following the meeting to make plans for distributing the club's gifts for Christmas.

HEARING SPECIALIST TO VISIT MANASSAS

Mr. James F. Hammond, laboratory trained hearing aid specialist representing the oldest manufacturer of electrical hearing aids, will be in Manassas at the Prince William Hotel, Monday, December 27 to conduct a free clinic and demonstration of the latest Acousticon Hearing Aid for the hard of hearing.

Anyone who is hard of hearing is invited to attend this clinic without cost or obligation. Mr. Hammond's advertisement appears elsewhere in this issue of the Journal.

Forces Hurlled Back to Rome
As Yankees Take Italian Port City;
Russian Troops Near Polish Border;
Senate Studies Dad Draft Problems

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)
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ITALY:

Take Big Base

The once beautiful port of Naples smoked in ruins as Lieut. Gen. Mark Clark's Fifth Army clattered through its streets. To the north of the city, long German columns made their way toward Rome, 135 miles away, where they were expected to make their next stand in the hills.

Before giving up Naples, the Germans destroyed the elaborate docks and warehouses and other installations that had made the port one of Europe's finest. As a result, time will be required to reopen the port for Allied use in supplying the armies marching northward.

The German retreat at Naples also was influenced by Gen. Bernard Montgomery's flanking movement along the Adriatic sea coast to the East. By working its way northward, Montgomery's army—had pushed behind the Germans, threatening to cut them off from the rear by crossing the mountains to the west.

WORLD AVIATION:

Seek U. S. Share

Returning from a 40,000-mile tour of the battle fronts, Senators James Mead, N. Y., Richard Russell, Ga., and Ralph Brewster, Maine, declared U. S. commercial aviation companies would be denied use of airports built in foreign countries by America.

The senators called upon congress to make provisions now for U. S. use of the airfields by including agreements in lend-lease assistance. The senators also declared that



Senators Russell, Brewster and Mead.

while the U. S. was supplying the Allies with 65 per cent of their oil, Great Britain was not fully exploiting her tremendous petroleum reserves in Persia. At the present rate of consumption, they said, our oil will be used up in 11 years.

Any attempt to reduce the importance of Gen. Douglas MacArthur's command in the South Pacific by placing him under the supreme direction of Lord Mountbatten would be bitterly resisted by Australian Prime Minister John Curtin, the senators said.

RUSSIA:

Near Poland

Russian troops drove within 100 miles of the old Polish border in the northern sector of the long front, while other Red forces assaulted prepared German positions on the west bank of the broad Dnieper river to the south.

Failing to hold their new line, the Germans would be pushed out of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania, and they would lose substantial control of their Baltic sea route to Finland.

Stiffening German resistance and appearance of massed artillery along the west bank of the Dnieper, indicated that the Nazis were determined to make use of the broad river as one of their last natural defense lines along 750 miles. Russian crossings to the west bank in some sectors were met by prompt German counterattacks in an effort to prevent the organization of sizeable Red forces for continuation of their drive.

HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

WAVES: Members of the WAVES, the navy's woman auxiliary, will not be permitted to serve overseas, by a provision in a bill reported out by the senate naval affairs committee.

JEWS: A separate force of Jewish soldiers may be established by Great Britain for service in Burma, it is announced from London. One or more divisions may be recruited in Palestine and the Near East.

GAS:

New Rations

Because the Midwest and Southwest were exceeding their gasoline allotments by 75,000 barrels a day, the OPA reduced their "B" and "C" coupon rations from three to two gallons. Similar reductions were made in the Southeast.

At the same time, "B" and "C" coupon rations in the Northeast were cut from 2½ to 2 gallons, while "A" coupons in the East were boosted from 1½ to 2 gallons.

In announcing the new rations, OPA declared that it was intended to force the use of at least one gallon out of the three gallons on the "A" coupon for occupational driving.

FARM:

Guarantee Payments

Appearing before a congressional committee, War Food Administrator Marvin Jones asked for an additional 500 million dollars for the Commodity Credit corporation to provide farmers with guarantee payments in the 1944 production program.

The CCC now has a fund of 500 million dollars. It is intended to use this money for loans on major crops like wheat, cotton, corn, wool, tobacco and potatoes. With the extra 500 million dollars, guarantee payments would be advanced on vegetable oil crops, dry beans and peas, sugar beets, fresh truck and fruit crops, and canning crops.

Jones sought authority to buy surplus crops and absorb loss through resale at lower ceiling prices. He also asked power to resell perishable commodities like fruits and vegetables which the government might obtain through price-supporting purchases, at less than parity.

DRAFT:

Asks New System

Tightening up of deferments of men under 30 years of age and the draft of dads by age groups was proposed by Senator Robert A. Taft during debate on Senator Burton Wheeler's bill for postponing the induction of fathers until January 1.

Taft's proposal would grant deferments of men under 30 only if the deferment were approved by the men's own draft board and the draft board having jurisdiction in the territory where the deferment would be granted. Fathers under 25 would be called into service before those over 25 but under 30. Those over 30 would be called last.

Taft also proposed that the President establish a medical commission to study the possibility of lowering physical standards to draw more single 4F's into the service.

For Higher Allowances

Higher allowances for children of service men provided for in a senate bill, were supported by the army.

The bill would raise the monthly payment for one child from \$12 to \$18, and for every child thereafter from \$10 to \$11. The present payment of \$50 to wives would be continued, with the government contributing \$28 and the service man \$22.

An army spokesman also advocated higher allowances for other dependents. Where a service man is not supporting a wife or child, it was recommended allowances to one parent be boosted from \$37 to \$50 monthly, and for two parents from \$47 to \$68. In cases where the service man is supporting a wife and child, allowances for a parent would be raised from \$20 to \$27, and for two parents from \$30 to \$38.

The army said it was in no position to withhold payments to financially independent or unfaithful wives.

POST-WAR:
Study Peace Policy

Reportedly believing that other nations might take the Fulbright resolution as an indication of America's unlimited indulgence in world politics after the war, the senate foreign relations subcommittee moved to kill the bill.

The senate moved to write a bill of its own, broadly expressing America's post-war peace policy. It was thought that in so doing, support could be rallied for Sen. Arthur Vandenberg's provision assuring America of independence in determining her action in any program.

As chairman of the senate's foreign relations committee, Sen. Tom Connally led in the move to kill the Fulbright resolution. Connally has indicated America should await further development in world politics growing out of the war before committing itself to any course.

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC:

Fight to Last

Stubborn Japanese fought to the death as the Allies closed in on their base at Finschafen. But the Allies were able to bring superior forces to bear from the north, west and south, and the Japs lacked the numbers to shift to meet the attacks.

While the Allied air force continued to pound Jap bases throughout the entire Southwest Pacific area, U. S. airmen reported the appearance of a "super-Zero" enemy fighter plane. Not only can this new plane outlive our P-38, it was said, but also affords the pilot better protection than the old Zero because of heavier armor.

Cavalry Rides Again

As a result of the mountainous terrain of Sicily and Italy, cavalry has come into its own again in this war.

Former cowboys and rodeo performers are astride the horses that are being ridden over rocky and craggy country where motor vehicles cannot be driven, to deliver food, water and other supplies to troops. Sometimes they escort mule packs.

Perched atop their mounts, the cavalrymen are often in position to detect machine gunners hidden under natural cover, and when they do, they pepper them with the small, yellow grenades.

WHEAT:

Canadian Purchases

With sales of wheat as feed running about one million bushels a day, the Commodity Credit corporation has gone into Canadian markets to bolster its stocks, recently estimated at 129 million bushels.

Total purchases from Canada have reached 30 million bushels, of which 22,500,000 bushels have been shipped into the country. Of the unshipped total, 3,500,000 bushels are waiting to be moved over water from northwestern ports.

Since July 1, CCC wheat sales principally for feed have approximated 111,500,000 bushels.

MEXICO:

Settle Oil Claims

In final settlement for oil properties which it took away from American nationals in 1933, Mexico agreed to pay a total of \$29,137,700, of which \$5,141,709 represents interest at 3 per cent.

During negotiations for the settlement, the American nationals had claimed the seized properties had a valuation of hundreds of millions of dollars. But a commission of experts trimmed this claim to \$23,995,991.

Under terms of the agreement, the present balance of payments will be made in four annual installments.

U. S. WAR PLANTS:

13 Billion Stake

Speaking before a congressional committee, Secretary of Commerce

Jesse Jones advocated the sale of the government's 13 billion dollars worth of war plants and other property to local interests after the ending of hostilities.

The government now controls 50 per cent of aluminum production; 92 per cent of magnesium; 10 per cent of steel; 100 per cent of synthetic rubber and high octane gasoline; 50 per cent of machine tools, and 90 per cent of aircraft. In addition, it owns 47,000 square miles of land, the area of six New England states.

TIRES:

Quota Reduced

Motorists will have to get along with fewer tires in October than in September. The Office of Price Administration has reduced the quota from 829,000 to 645,000 for this month.

Under the new ruling, only motorists who drive 601 or more miles per month can qualify for new tires. By another change, used tractor and other farm vehicle tires were removed from the ration list.

Washington Digest
Three-Nation Agreement
Essential to World Peace

Evidence Points to Existence of Conciliatory Atmosphere Between U. S., Russia and England; Common Sense Pact Necessary.

By BAUKHAGE

News Analyst and Commentator.

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

Through the past days, Washington has been anxiously watching a very trying, very delicate and difficult operation—the attempt to break in a stubborn three-horse team which has never pulled together before.

The difficult journey toward an understanding to be reached by personal conversations across the table between Britain, the United States and Russia has begun. Following perhaps secret tripartite conferences between representatives of the three nations is the planned meeting of the heads of the three foreign offices. Questions frankly discussed with unsolved problems left open (if plans don't go amiss) will then be taken up between Roosevelt, Stalin and Churchill personally.

It is a tremendous undertaking. This three-horse team has never run in harness together before. America has never been harnessed at all; Soviet Russia has had only one short and violent experience—that with Germany—which ended in disaster; and as for Britain, she is accustomed to being lead-horse; therefore, a lot of patience will be needed to hitch all three abreast.

There is a whole library of documentation to prove that an all-for-one, one-for-all agreement among these three nations is impossible. But it must be remembered that there were 13 powerful reasons once why a United States of America was impossible too.

The present goal is not the formation of a triple alliance. The present problem is simply to get a common sense agreement between three nations without which a post-war situation is bound to arise which Prime Minister Churchill described as "confusion." And when he used that word, he made a new high for English understatement. Few doubt that he meant war.

Arguments Against

As I said, there are plenty of reasons which can be cited why the United States and Britain and Russia cannot possibly agree but there are other reasons why they can.

There are two things which stand out in most people's minds as evidences that Stalin is not playing ball now and doesn't want to. One is the recurrent complaint in the official Russian press and earlier statements by Stalin himself to the effect that Russia is decidedly displeased with the Allies for not having built a second front by invading Europe from the British Isles. The other is the Moscow sponsorship of a Free Germany committee which appears to hold out better terms to Germany than unconditional surrender which the Allies demand.

Recently, I talked with a military man who suggested that perhaps the call for a second front after the invasion of Italy was part of an agreement with the Allies to confuse Germany. Churchill has said that he was assured by Stalin, when the Russian drive began this summer, that the Russians were confident that they could withstand German attack. As things have turned out, the Germans have not been able to counterattack. They have ordered a general retreat. It was admitted by military experts at first that this is a planned and orderly retreat. After the invasion of Italy, the Germans admitted that it was a general retreat. Now it looks like a rout. In other words, the creation of the "third front" in the Mediterranean has forced the Germans to give up the idea of attempting a counter-offensive. But since the slender hope of Hitler lies in dissension among the United Nations, why should Russia let him know that she was satisfied with any Allied action?

Free Germany Committee

As to the Free Germany committee, Russia itself has not made any direct official statement concerning it, has not officially backed up its program. It is composed of German prisoners in Russia who demand of their fellow-countrymen that Germany get rid of her present rulers and surrender. That in itself is something everyone wants to see. How much short of unconditional surrender that is, certainly is open to friendly discussion. We know that

it worked in regard to the Italian surrender terms.

Now, what are the main propositions which Britain, America and Russia do not see eye to eye?

In the first place, there is the question of "spheres of influence"—the Balkans, the Middle East, the Mediterranean.

I have been told by persons presuming to speak with authority, that Russia suggested the creation of the Mediterranean commission, a body made up of representatives from Moscow, London and Washington, meeting on equal terms. That commission, whoever thought it up, was agreed upon. Historically, Britain has always refused Russia any hand in Mediterranean affairs. That would seem to be a step forward and even before the commission could start functioning, Russia was allowed to have her say concerning the terms of the Italian surrender. Agreement was reached as to the terms.

That would seem to indicate that a conciliatory atmosphere has been created in advance. Unless Russia is absolutely unwilling to make compromises, we can expect reciprocity when the questions of the Balkans and the Middle East arise, where there have always been similar conflict of interests.

The Baltic States

Another very sensitive question is the difference of opinion as to the treatment of the small nations which lie on Russia's western frontiers, notably the Baltic states. It is said that Russia feels that as soon as the German armies are driven back into the Reich, these border states, especially Lithuania and Estonia, a part of Poland and perhaps a part of Rumania (we leave the others aside for the moment, including Finland) are an integral part of Russia.

The United States, on the other hand, has always stood for the rights of small nations, for self-determination. Of course, Russia argues that plebiscites which indicate a desire to join the Soviet Republics have already been taken in part of the territory and if they were taken again, they would show the same results. That they express the will of the Nationals is denied by representatives of these countries in Washington.

Great Britain leans toward an acceptance of Russia's views however. The point has yet to be settled with the United States.

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This, I admit, is the bright side of the medal. But until the attempts toward tripartite discussion and agreement have utterly failed, there is no reason why the medal should not be presented, shiny side up.

When I hear you and others say that men of 30 and 40 years are poor fighting material I wonder if the white race is not going into decay or that civilization does not do more harm to men than good.—New York.

ASK ME ANOTHER?
A General Quiz

The Questions

1. The inscription, "Pro patria," which appears on pins given blood donors means what?
2. How many Balkan states are there?
3. In which book of the Bible is the Golden Rule stated?
4. How many men are needed on the ground for each man who flies?
5. Who suspended the sword over the head of Damocles?
6. What was the original name of Nova Scotia?
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8. What is the distance usually run in a marathon race?
9. What is the largest gland in the human body?
10. When may an object be placed on the American flag?

The Answers

1. For our country.
2. Six—Jugoslavia, Rumania, Bulgaria, Albania, Greece and Turkey in Europe.
3. Matthew 7:12.
4. Approximately 15 to 1.
5. Dionysius.
6. Acadia.
7. Furniture.
8. About 26 miles.
9. The liver.
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CARIBBEAN CONSPIRACY

by BRENDA CONRAD

CHAPTER I

At three o'clock Tuesday afternoon Anne Heywood hurried through the blinding snow toward a fashionable dress shop on upper Fifth Avenue. She pulled her beaver cap down tighter over her smooth reddish-gold hair and drew her beaver coat closer around her slim legs. It seemed so utterly crazy to be buying summer cottons in the middle of a winter blizzard.

At the same moment, two blocks away, a slow gray spider was silently spinning its web across a dark corner of a cellar wall. And eighteen floors above, in the lemon-and-gray French salon of an elegant ten-room apartment, two men raised their hands in a formal stiff-armed salute, and sat down at a satinwood table in front of the window.

One of them was short and heavy-set. Behind his rimless thick-lensed spectacles his blue eyes were small and piercing and shrewd. The other man was tall and blond. They were both in their middle forties, and both had a kind of cynical arrogance that neither made any attempt to conceal.

"Your orders are simple and direct," the tall man said curtly. He opened a worn briefcase in front of him and took out a sheaf of papers. "The island of Puerto Rico can be put out of commission as an effective base in half an hour, if you do your job the way you're expected to."

"Even after the millions the Americans have poured into its defense?"

The tall man ignored the question.

"Puerto Rico is vulnerable at two points only: its gas-line supply and its water supply. The first will be taken care of. It's the second you are concerned with. The island is one hundred miles long and thirty-five miles wide. Out of its 1,800,000 population—half of them unemployed and starving to death—it will be simple to find five hundred malcontents. They are to be placed where at a given signal the machinery of every unit of the water system can be completely demolished, and the island destroyed as a functioning base for the defense of the Panama Canal."

"I shall need some help," the short man said.

"You will have help—conscious and unconscious."

The tall man picked up a sheet of paper and looked down the list of names typed on it.

"This in fact has been the most delicate part of the program."

He smiled.

"Diego Gongaro is the only man in Puerto Rico who knows you," he said. "He is there from our party in Spain. You can trust him. He has done the spade work. His brother-in-law, Alvaro Valera, is the shining knight behind whom you are to hide. He has the old aristocrats' dream of Spanish empire. He is honest and sincere. It is those qualities that you will have to use cleverly. . . . but as he happens to trust his brother-in-law Diego Gongaro, that will be easy."

"There are three possible—shall I call them obstacles—or imponderables?"

The small blue eyes across the table narrowed slightly, watching steadily, waiting.

"The first is Alvaro Valera's son, Miguel. He is twenty-eight, educated at Gilman and Princeton, pro-American now. Or has seemed to be. Here is his dossier. He worships his father. At one time he was an ardent Nationalist. He has a captain's commission in the reserve corps, and was under orders which the War Department cancelled last week without apparent explanation."

"Do you know the reason?"

"I have an idea. But Diego Gongaro will know—and the fewer theories you go down with the more facts you'll pick up. This may help you."

He passed two closely typed sheets of paper across the table.

"The second is Captain P. G. Wilcox. He is an American newspaperman now in the Military Intelligence Service. He is attached to the office of the Assistant Chief of Staff—G 2—in San Juan. He is an ace newspaperman, and impatient with what I presume he regards as official red tape. For that reason he might even be of use to you."

He looked across the table intently. "No," he said. "You're not likely to fool him for very long. Don't try. Just watch that he doesn't fool you. Here's his dossier."

He got up and moved silently back and forth across the room, and came to a stop by the window.

"Then there is a girl whom I haven't been able to figure out," he said slowly. "Her name is Anne Heywood. Her father is Bryson Heywood, editor-owner of the Heywood newspapers. She is going to San Juan on Friday in the Santa Isabella. That is why your plane reservations were cancelled and you are going by ship. We don't know why she's going. She has had a job on her father's paper here in

New York for the last two years, and she worked at it. She may be taking a vacation. Captain Wilcox was on her father's paper too. He may be the reason for her going down."

He stood rigidly for a moment, and sat down.

"Here is her picture."

He took it out of the briefcase.

"It was taken two years ago. She is even lovelier now. It is her coloring as much as anything. Her hair is reddish-gold, her eyes are almost amber with gold flecks in them. I have been watching her the last three days. I can't make out whether the way she laughs when people ask her if she's going down to see Wilcox is because she is or is not. At any rate, watch her too. She is intelligent and keen, as well as beautiful. I wish we had a few women like her."

He took a green cloth-bound book out of the rack under the radio.

"And here is a bon voyage present for you. It is 'Puerto Rico: A Guide to the Island of Borinquen,' kindly put out by the Government of the United States. It has all the proper information about the history and monuments of the island. It also has a map on the back cover. Unfortunately it was not as detailed as we wished, so I have taken the liberty of substituting another."

He rifled the pages until he came to the end of the book.

"It is a scale map that you are to mark. A blue circle for major plants in civilian areas, a red circle for key stations in military establishments. Green where they supply both civilian and military, like the plant at Aguadilla for instance, which serves Borinquen Field and the town. Use blue and red crosses for minor units. Put the number of

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"Look, sister—you've been asking for a good job, and I've got one for you," he said cheerfully. "There's a story in Puerto Rico. The place is a hotbed, and Uncle Sam's pouring half a billion dollars in. It's got everything . . . old Spain, new money, glamour, poverty, love, hatred, everything. Go get it. You can kill a flock of birds with one stone. You can get a tropical tan and maybe earn your pay for once. You might even do a service for your country—you can't ever tell."

And as Anne started out he'd looked over the half-moon of his glasses.

"—And while you're down there, make up your mind about Pete Wilcox, will you?"

And it was funny about Pete, Anne Heywood thought. He was the only man she knew that she'd thought seriously about marrying, even if she hadn't been able to make up her mind, not finally. Everybody thought that was why she was down here now. But it wasn't. It was pride. It was the business of showing them all—Jim Hawley, and her father, and Pete himself—that she could use her own head and stand on her own two feet.

It had been like a dose of vitamins, carrying her confidently up to that moment. With the yellow masses of the ancient weathered rock of El Morro looming ahead of her now, and the gay-excited clamor of the people crowding around them against the rail, all the confidence she was seeping out of her. She looked up at Miguel Valera. There was something in his dark eyes, fixed on the stained and pitted fortress rising sheer from the white pounding surf, that silenced the casual remark she was about to make.

"—You really love Puerto Rico . . . very much, don't you?"

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The Word of God
The word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.—Psalm 119:105

BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER
If parents will have their children memorize the daily Bible selections, it will prove a priceless heritage to them in after years.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flocks by night. And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them.
—Luke 2:8-9

LABOR'S CHRISTMAS GIFT

Regardless of the merits of the case, the fact remains that a responsible labor group offers to the Nation in an hour of great peril the threat of a strike which would paralyze its entire railroad system and do more than anything that the enemy could possibly do.

The time must certainly come when the right to strike under any circumstances during a war will be severely punishable under penalty of the law. That we are not yet pushed to the point of thus safeguarding the war effort is indicated by the lack of prosecutions now under the Smith-Connally Act, which could, and really should, take place in many instances, such as the newspaper strike which has just been staged in Washington under the thinly disguised subterfuge of a "work stoppage" necessitated by a continuous Union meeting.

The public, itself, has been quite liberal in its attitude toward Labor; but in its abuse of power, in time of war, Organized Labor is placing itself in a bad light before the nation as a whole, and the nation is more powerful than the C. I. O., the Railroad Brotherhoods, or any other Union.

It takes a long time for public wrath to be kindled into flame. However the people are pretty sore, or else it would have been impossible to have enacted the Smith-Connally Anti-Strike Law over the President's veto; but Organized Labor has yet to feel the real wrath of a nation at war, and the threatened railroad strike may afford that opportunity.

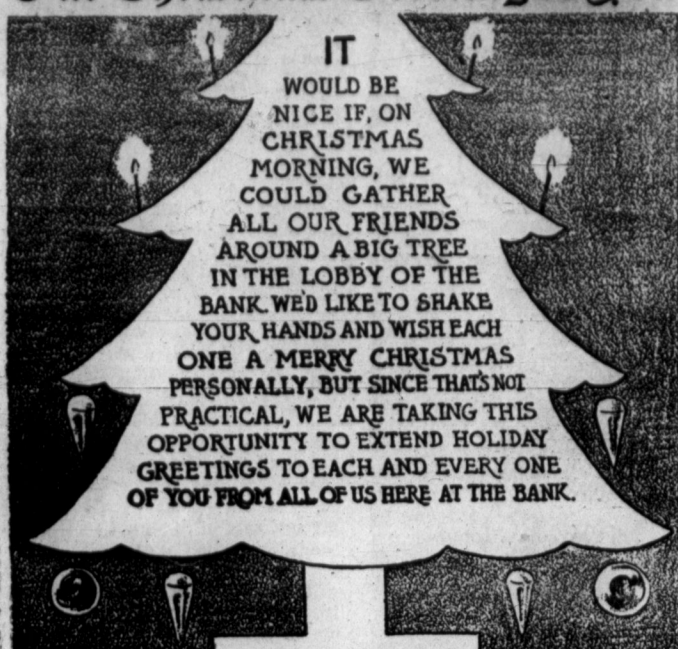
What Labor fails to see, is that retribution will certainly come after the war. Then, as never before, it will need public esteem and sympathy as the huge wage scales collapse, and as administrative policies of appeasement are finally replaced by common sense in Washington.



We wish to extend to our many friends our sincere wishes for a very happy holiday season and a prosperous New Year.

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Our Christmas Greeting to You



IT WOULD BE NICE IF, ON CHRISTMAS MORNING, WE COULD GATHER ALL OUR FRIENDS AROUND A BIG TREE IN THE LOBBY OF THE BANK, WED LIKE TO SHAKE YOUR HANDS AND WISH EACH ONE A MERRY CHRISTMAS PERSONALLY, BUT SINCE THAT'S NOT PRACTICAL, WE ARE TAKING THIS OPPORTUNITY TO EXTEND HOLIDAY GREETINGS TO EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU FROM ALL OF US HERE AT THE BANK.

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

The Manassas Chapter U. D. C. will meet at the Prince William Hotel on Wednesday afternoon, January 5th at 2:30 p. m. The hostesses will be Mrs. R. S. Hynson, Mrs. James Dorrell and Mrs. Mamie Jameson.

Miss Nancy Parrish and Miss Betty Parrish of Farmville State Teachers' College will arrive Tuesday to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar G. Parrish.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harvey Steele have visiting their grandson, Holmes Steele Smith of Richmond.

Miss Carolyn Rohr of Mary Washington College, Fredericksburg, is home for her Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bauserman have as guests this week their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Warren Bauserman and her mother, Mrs. Paul O. Peters of Arlington. Mrs. Warren Bauserman will go to Nashville next week to join Capt. Bauserman.

Dr. and Mrs. V. V. Gillum will have with them for the holidays their daughter, Miss Jocelyn Gillum, who will come from Farmville State Teachers' College the first of the week.

Mrs. Betty Leachman has with her for the Christmas season her daughters, Miss Barbara Leachman and Miss Dorcas Leachman of St. Anne's School, Charlottesville. The latter arrived today from Farmington, where she has been spending the week as the guest of Miss Gladys Faulkner.

Miss Gretchen Burhen of St. Agnes' School, Alexandria, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Joseph G. Kincheloe, for a two-week vacation.

Miss Mary Berkley Nelson will leave Wednesday for Richmond, where she will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Nelson.

Miss Nancy Leigh Didlake and Miss Betty Gore Didlake of St. Anne's School, Charlottesville, are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Didlake.

Col. Benjamin L. Jacobson and Mrs. Jacobson have returned from West Point and have reopened their home here.

Mrs. R. Terrell Johnson was hostess at bridge Tuesday evening.

ANNOUNCEMENT
TO MY MANY FRIENDS
Since my recent spell of illness I am no longer working at Pitts Theatre. I am now with the new Firestone Store, located on the corner of Centre and West Streets, Manassas.

This store is filled with household needs and merchandise for the entire family. Come in to see us if only to say Hello.

With best wishes for the coming year,
E. A. TURNER.

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tuberculosis campaign. This year's seal, which pictures a small girl watching Santa Claus drive across the sky, is a lovely portrayal of the real Christmas spirit and will surely add to any Christmas card, letter or package.

MOTORISTS ISSUED WARNING
Major C. W. Woodson, Jr., superintendent of State police this week issued a warning to holiday motorists to do everything in their power to avoid accidents and to lessen the holiday death toll on the highways of the State.

"The highways will be patrolled throughout the Christmas week-end and police will be under special instructions to check speeding and drunk-driving," the police chief stated.

Pedestrians were also cautioned to obey the simple rules of safety by crossing streets only at intersections, obeying signal lights and looking both ways before crossing any thoroughfare. Pedestrians in rural districts were warned to carry a light at night and to wear light colored clothing to enable passing motorists to see them.

Week of December 23rd to 30th.					
Eggs Per Dozen in Cartons.					
Grade	A	Wt.	1	2	3
Per Doz.					
Large	24 oz.	63c	63c	62c	61c
Medium	21 oz.	59c	58c	58c	57c
Small	18 oz.	54c	54c	53c	52c
Grade B Wt.					
Large	24 oz.	59c	58c	58c	57c
Medium	21 oz.	54c	54c	53c	52c
Small	18 oz.	50c	49c	49c	48c

DO WHAT YOU CAN FOR GREEK WAR RELIEF

While we are helping the various war relief projects, this newspaper especially invites attention to the needs of Greek sufferers.

All civilized people know of the tragic fate of Greece and of the desperate plight of the heroic people of that unfortunate country.

Their countrymen here are only modestly asking for donations of clothing, and we urge our friends to help.

The local Greek War Relief Committee is making the following appeal:

CLOTHING ESPECIALLY IS WANTED FOR LITTLE CHILDREN WHO ARE FREEZING TO DEATH. The Greek War Relief Association is asking for donations of clothing of all kinds, particularly coats, shoes, and underwear, for suffering Greek population.

The storeroom at No. 515 C. St., in the rear of the Quantico Railroad Station will be open from 11 A. M. to 5 P. M. Please leave donations there, as the local Committee has no means of calling for your gifts.

—Ask Pete Pandazides or Harry Konikides.

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TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF
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G. RAYMOND RATCLIFFE,
Cashier.

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HARRY P. DAVIS,
Cashier.

NOTICE

To the Stockholders of the
Bank of Occoquan, Incorporated

Please take notice that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of Occoquan, Inc. will be held in the banking room in Occoquan, Va. on Saturday Jan. 8, 1944 at 4:00 P.M. for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

B. W. BRUNT,
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Medium	21 oz.	54c	54c	53c	52c
Small	18 oz.	50c	49c	49c	48c
Grade C Weight					
Large	24 oz.	53c	52c	52c	51c
Medium	21 oz.	49c	48c	47c	47c
Small	18 oz.	44c	43c	43c	42c
Ungraded		50c	52c	52c	51c

"YANKEE DOODLE DANDY"

STARRING JAMES CAGNEY

The year's most spectacular film is on its way to the Pitts Theatre. Yet, spectacular, in its true sense, does not describe Warner's "Yankee Doodle Dandy." The picture has and does several things which make it a fine film, but the warmth of its story makes it great!

"Yankee Doodle Dandy" tells the life story of America's greatest showman—George M. Cohan. And it tells that story in the grandest way possible—the songs and plays that he wrote—his vaudeville and legitimate stage career and through the inspiration he gave to others. It is the life story of a man, but it is also the life story of show business from the 1880's until today.

James Cagney plays the role of George M. Cohan, and advance reports say that he fits it in every detail. His hoofing is perfect and his talking of songs rather than really singing them, which was always Cohan's way of putting over a number, makes the characterization perfect.

The cast is made up of a fine group of performers. Joan Leslie is cast as Mary, a naive girl who wants to get on the stage. She meets George M. Cohan and he gives her a chance to do a song and dance act. However, he decides she'd make a better wife than a vaudeville act, and she becomes Mrs. George M. Cohan. The Four Cohans, which in the Gay Nineties was famous in every town that was large enough to have a theatre, was made up of Jerry Cohan, played by Walter Huston; Nellie, his wife, played by Rosemary DeCamp; Josie, George's sister, portrayed by Jeanne Cagney, and George himself. Sam Harris, the theatrical producer who played a very important part in Cohan's life, is portrayed by Richard Whorf. Fay Templeton, who was the country's heart-throb at the turn of the century, is played by alluring Irene Manning, whose charming soprano voice does full justice to Cohan's lovely tune, "Mary's A Grand Old Name."

All George M. Cohan's unforgettable melodies are played, including "The Yankee Doodle Boy," "Give My Regards to Broadway," and "Over There."

One of the picture's biggest thrills and what must have been one of the most important days in George M. Cohan's life, was the Congressional Medal of Honor given him by President Roosevelt in recognition of having written "Over There" and "You're A Grand Old Flag."

Michael Curtiz, who has a very impressive list of film hits to his credit, can put this on top of the roster. The excellent screenplay was written by Robert Buckner and Edmund Joseph from Buckner's original story. The lyrics and music, of course, were written by George M. Cohan.

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WANTED: PASSENGER to share ride between Manassas and Washington. Mrs. Irene Woltz; care Journal 32-3.*

LOST: Ration Book No. 4, Mary Frances Robertson. Please notify Robert Robertson, Bristow, Va. 32-2-x

FOUND IN MY CAR: 5 small packages on Wednesday, Dec. 8. G. Raymond Ratcliffe, 32-2-x

LOST

LOST: Jersey Cow from Mr. Shoemaker's pasture. Slit on left ear. \$15. reward to finder.

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LOST: Brown pass case in Manassas, Tuesday, December 21. Contains registration cards, gas books, gas card, drivers permit for J. ALAN STAPLES 34-1-x Woodbridge, Va.

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FREDDY MARTIN

Rhythm by
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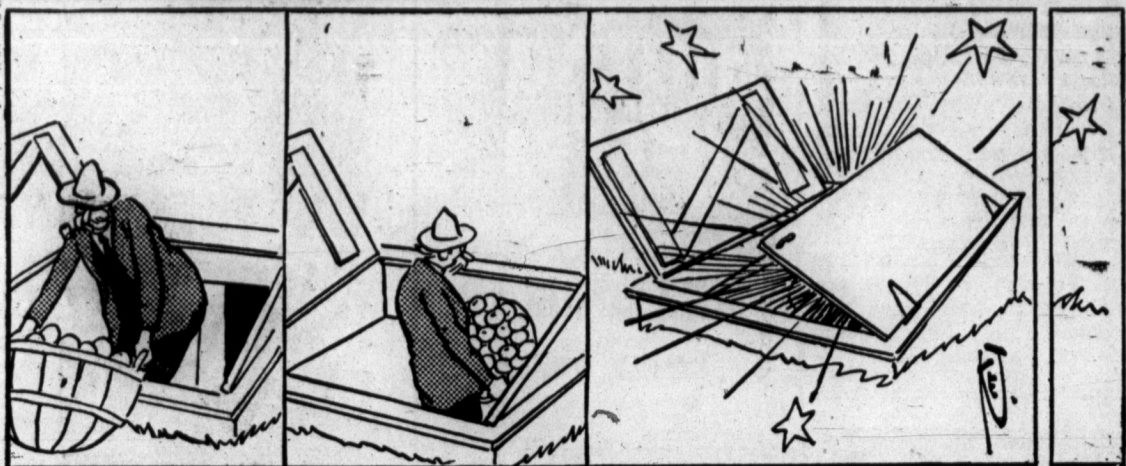
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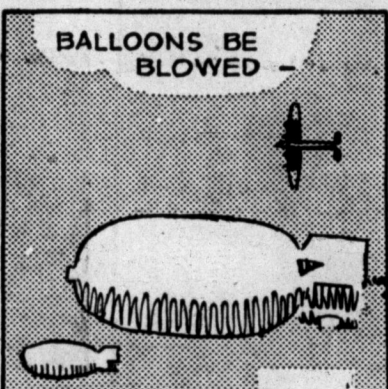
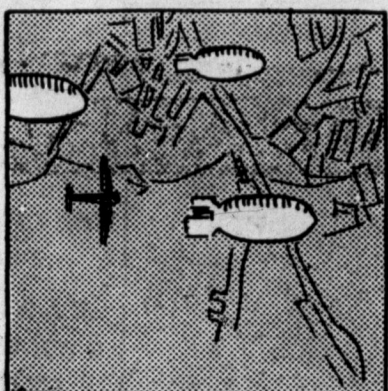
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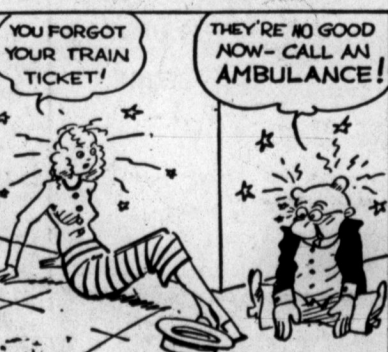


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Good Reputation

A man in court pleaded "guilty," but the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty.
"What do you mean?" asked the judge. "The man has confessed his guilt."
"Yes, your honor," replied the foreman of the jury, "but he's the biggest liar in our county."

Farewell Forever

Harry—Why are you whistling that tune?
Jerry—My girl friend just gave me the air!

By Hook or Crook

Rastus—Yassuh, Ah suah does love chicken.
Boss—But you must have trouble getting what you want all the time.
Rastus—Yassuh, Ah does. But you know dat ole sayin' love will find a way!

Seat Cat!

Mabel—Do you know my cat is worth \$1,000? That's more than I'm worth.
Jane—Sure, some cats are worth more than others.

FEATHERED FUN



Harry—What grows up as it grows down?
Jerry—Don't ask silly questions.
Harry—A duck!

Where School's Fun

Billy—I'd like to go to school in Russia. Kids are never punished there.
Jimmy—No? What do they do?
Billy—If the kids don't behave, they just shoot the teachers for sabotage.

But No Will Power

Jones—Don't you think Miss Sourprano has wonderful control of her voice?
Smith—No, I don't. She sings every time anyone asks her to.

Wild Animals

One day when a famous gorilla died, the circus manager put a man in the gorilla's skin. As the "gorilla" entered the cage where a lion was about to be let in, he yelled, "Help, he'll kill me!"
"Shut up, you fool," shouted the lion. "Do you want us all to get fired?"

Student Pilot

Joe—How come Bill flies so carelessly?
Buster—He hasn't got his wings yet.

Poor Thing

Aunt—Now, why are you crying?
Junior—Father called mother a meddling goose and mother called him a stupid fool.
Aunt—Yes, but why are you crying?
Junior—Well, what am I?

You're the Goat

Wit—What's the difference between a leopard, a tiger and a panther?
Nit—What's a panther?
Wit—To cook with!

Star Dust

By VIRGINIA VALE

Released by Western Newspaper Union.
FAIRY godmothers must have stood three deep around Florence Freeman's cradle when she was an infant; certainly she seems to have just about everything now. If you listen to "The Open Door" (it's on the air on NBC five mornings a week, and is considered one of the best of the radio serials), you know her as "Lisa Arnold." She's beautiful, an excellent actress, the wife of a minister and the mother of two children. She takes an active part in church activities. Watching a broadcast, it was fascinating to see how she and the other members of the company worked; gestures and facial expressions made me long for television!

After appearing in more than 30 pictures, lovely Lynn Bari gets her chance to satisfy a long standing ambition to sing in a picture. It's



LYNN BARI

United Artists' "The Bridge of San Luis Rey." But—she's booked to sing romantic Peruvian ballads in their original tongue! Nothing daunted, Miss Bari studied Spanish for three weeks and learned the songs, native dialect and all.

Margo, J. Carrol Nash, Tom Neal and other members of the cast of RKO's "Behind the Rising Sun" have their own reasons for hating the Japs. They had to wear Japanese shoes for the picture—both the soft, flat-soled sandals and the wooden clogs—and as a result they developed blisters and callouses during the first week of shooting.

Rosalind Russell thinks you ought to know that there'll be no man shortage in "Ten Percent Woman." Both her leading men top the six-foot mark, Brian Aherne by two inches, Willard Parker by four. Parker, signed by Columbia after his performance with Gertrude Lawrence in "Lady in the Dark," will be easy for new fans to remember—he'll be one of the tallest men in pictures.

After Bob Hope took a terrific beating from Betty Hutton for a scene in "Let's Face It," Director Sidney Lanfield asked him if the same thing had ever happened to him on his air show. "Only," cracked Bob, "to the audience."

Gary Cooper nearly knocked the Paramount still department cold when he actually asked to have his picture taken; first time he'd ever done that. It turned out that he needed a passport photo in order to get permission to fish off the coast of California.

After motion picture executives had coaxed and coaxed Ingrid Bergman to come to Hollywood, some of them looked upon her with alarm when she finally appeared. She stands five feet 7½ inches! And in the past movie stars have come in small sizes. "They looked at me and said: 'Put her on a diet,'" said she. "I suppose they thought a diet would shrink me!"

Mel Blanc, who plays the Happy Postman on the Burns and Allen show, is star, quizmaster, stooge and sound effects operator on a twice-weekly quiz show which is recorded for our overseas fighting men; rings bells, toots horns, has a swell time.

When the Jack Benny-Larry Adler troupe made its first stop-off on the journey to Africa and points beyond, the commanding officer saw what a reception they got and sent coded messages ahead to commanding officers; decoded, they read: "Buck Benny Rides Again."

ODDS AND ENDS—Ellery Queen continues to lead all evening programs on the Pacific coast, according to the latest Hooper ratings. . . . Virginia Sale's seven-year-old twins have been signed by RKO for feature spots in "Curse of the Cat People" . . . Nine pictures will face the cameras at RKO during October . . . Geoffrey Barnes, amateur criminologist and setter of scenes for the air's "Mystery Theater," estimates that one detective novel is bought every minute of every day in New York City alone . . . Richard Powers of "The Navy Way" used to be Tom Keane, the western star.

The Once Over

By H.L. Phillips

OUR OWN DOMESTIC RELATIONS

ARBITRATION BOARD

Q.—Are you Case 709½?
A.—I am.
Q.—Why the one-half?
A.—I have a feeling I'm not all there.

Q.—Go on and tell your story.
A.—Well, about 40 years ago I met a young man and we started keeping company. We loved each other on sight.

Q.—When was that?
A.—About 1903.

Q.—Go on.
A.—In 1939 I suddenly began to think things over and it occurred to me that he had never proposed.

Q.—He professed to love you and yet never talked of marriage. Is that right?
A.—He says that's right but I think it's all wrong.

Q.—What do you want to know?
A.—I want to know if I should keep up this flirtation. I think if he doesn't want to marry me after 43 years he may never want to.

Q.—Let's hear from the man. You have heard this lady's story, sir, what do you think of it?
A.—It must be good. It was accepted for this radio program!

Q.—Is it true you have been going with her since 1903?
A.—That's an exaggeration. I would never think of going with a girl since 1903 and never proposing to her.

Q.—Well, how long have you been going with her?
A.—(firmly)—Since 1904.

Q.—Don't you think you should consider asking her to become your wife?
A.—I am willing to.

Q.—Could you put that in writing?
A.—I could.

Q.—Why haven't you done so?
A.—I understood no scripts were allowed on this program.

(The three judges make conflicting decisions in the case. The interrogator loses a coin and decides that unless the man gets serious in the next ten years, the lady should consider that he is trifling with her affections.)

Q.—Now Case 987. What is your problem, lady?
A.—I'm having trouble with my mother and sister. A few years ago I married a man who ran a livery stable. There was no money in it. So we both went over to my mother and sister's flat to live until the auto became obsolete.

Q.—Your mother and sister objected? Why?
A.—They only had three rooms. Mother is 80 and sister works in a boiler foundry to pay expenses. They both said we couldn't live there for nothing.

Q.—That seems reasonable.
A.—Yes, but my husband offered to give them all his horses and buggies and four sets of harness.

Q.—What did they say to that?
A.—Mother didn't care for horses. My sister tried on two sets of harness but they didn't become her.

Q.—Let me ask the mother a question. Madam, couldn't you accept these horses for the time being?
A.—My daughter has to pay all the bills and she only gets \$11 a day. THAT AIN'T HAY!

Q. (Judge)—Is the sister here?
Mother—No, she was trying out a horse and buggy last night and it ran away with her.

Interrogator—What do the judges think of this matter?
First Judge—I think the child should go to some good college.

Second Judge—I agree, unless it can be shown that the money has been refunded.

Third Judge—Where am I?
Interrogator—No pointed questions, please!

"President Tackles Need of New Taxes."—Headline.

We thought he was playing at quarterback, not tackle, says the office football man.

"Sixty-Six Per Cent of Fathers Can't Pass Draft," says Hershey.—Headline.

At first that seems like a low punch, but on second thought all will understand what he means. Most of them have bad legs and flat feet from walking the floors. They are also in poor shape from lack of sleep. And after a few years of married life a man loses the old combative spirit.

"In 1939 Germany had to face the declaration of war of our enemies alone and in isolation." — Der Fuehrer in opening his recent speech.

You remember, of course, how England, France, Belgium, Poland, Holland and all those other powerfully armed countries jumped on little peace-loving Germany, taking her completely by surprise!

After this frightful war is over it is a safe bet that all dictators will want to see wars rationed.

Keep Smiling

No Rehearsing

The Shakespearean actor had seen no bathroom on the way up to his apartment, and in the latter he looked in vain for a wash basin.

"Pardon me," he said to the landlady, "but where can I perform my ablutions?"

"Don't you start performin' nothin' 'ere," snapped the landlady. "We put up with quite enough from the troupe of acrobats we 'ad 'ere last week."

SHARP COMMENTS

"My wife's having a terrible time learning to sing."

"That so?" remarked his companion casually. "Which notes bother her most?"

"The ones she gets from the neighbors."

Keep Going

"But, Betty, don't you trust me? 'Yes, Lloyd, I'll go to the ends of the earth with you; but I absolutely refuse to park on the way."

Courtship's voyage is usually short, but marriage is a "bark" that goes on and on.

Ain't It So?

Teacher—Hayton, how many make a few?
Hayton—Three or four . . .

Teacher—How many make a dozen?
Hayton—Twelve.

Teacher—How many make a million?
Hayton—Very few.

That Must Be Love

She—Would you give up your bachelor existence for me?
He—Honey, for you I'd leave a baseball game in the ninth inning with the score tied.

Rep. Foss Was Not to Be Outdone by Englishman

Representative Eugene Noble Foss of Massachusetts was noted for his ready wit. As governor he was one day lunching with a prominent Englishman. The latter, who was fond of boasting of his ancestry, took a coin from his pocket, pointed to it, and said: "My great-great-grandfather was made a lord by the king whose picture you see on this shilling."

Whereupon Foss promptly took a coin from his pocket, said: "What a coincidence! My great-great-grandfather was made an angel by the Indian whose picture you see on this cent."—Pathfinder.

THROW AWAY HARSH LAXATIVES!

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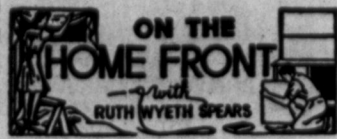
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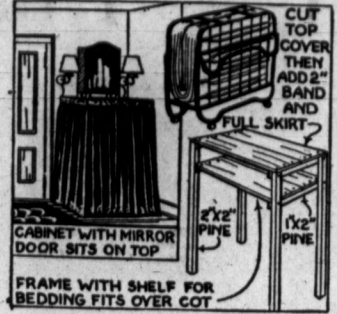
(Civilian Bomb Corps)



ON THE HOME FRONT
RUTH WYETH SPEARS

SOME people have a talent for making guests comfortable and they are not always the people with big houses and what used to be called a spare room. Many a homemaker today is graciously sharing limited space in a house or apartment because war conditions make her feel that is part of her contribution.

This sketch shows an ingenious frame under which a folding cot may be stored in a hall or other



out-of-the-way corner. The frame has a full skirted cover of denim trimmed in bands of flowered chintz. On top there stands a medicine closet with feet made by gluing spools in place. This cabinet gives a convenient place for toilet articles and the mirror door is well lighted with wall brackets connected with a floor outlet.

NOTE—This sketch is from BOOK 7 of the series prepared for readers on making things for the home. It also contains sketches and directions for 31 other things to make from odds and ends on hand and inexpensive new materials. Booklet costs 15 cents. Send request for booklet direct to:

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SNAPPY FACTS
ABOUT
RUBBER

Success of the Dutch in transplanting the quinine tree from Peru to Java helped encourage interest in the development of rubber plantations in the far East in the early 1870's.

With all the discouragements of rubber and gasoline restrictions, automobile registrations at the end of 1942 were only 5 per cent lower than in 1941, a record year. Commercial vehicle registrations were down 5.5 per cent.

It is estimated that at one time there were between 300 million and 500 million wild rubber trees in the Amazon Valley and that less than 10 per cent have been tapped to date.

James Shaw

In war or peace

B.F. Goodrich

FIRST IN RUBBER

'A' Banners for Record-Breaking Crops Will Honor Farmers in 112 Counties of Nation

Food Processors, Too Will Be Awarded Achievement 'A's

America's leading food producing counties will be awarded "A" banners by the army for their exceptional contribution to the year's food program, the War Food Administration has announced. Presentation of the citations for outstanding effort will be made during Thanksgiving week, with similar awards being given to food processing plants which made good records.

Designed by the army's heraldic division, the "A" banner compares with the army-navy "E" pennants awarded industrial plants. It will carry a blue "A" surrounded by a wreath composed of a head of wheat and half a gear wheel, all on a green field.

Nominations for the county farming awards will be made by state war boards of the U. S. department of agriculture, and regional directors of the Food Distribution Administration will suggest deserving processing plants. The final 112 winners will be chosen by the War Food Administration from these nominations. Allocations of the banners among the 48 states will be made on the basis of the relative farm population of each state. Some states will receive several county awards, due to the large number of farmers within their boundaries.

Factors which will be considered in the selection of the most productive counties, according to WFA, include: (1) extent by which 1943 goals were exceeded, (2) extent of the shifts made in order to produce war crops not previously grown in the county, (3) ingenuity shown in meeting production problems such as labor shortages, (4) record made in increasing yields per acre and per man, and in utilizing potential latent land and labor resources, and (5) extent of co-operation with other war programs.

Presentation of the "A" flags, which are to be flown from the courthouse of each winning county, will be made by a representative of the army at special ceremonies

PRODUCE



to be arranged by the winning counties. A representative chosen by the farmers will receive the production award.

Seasonal food processors—those little canning factories, those packers of dried fruit, makers of jelly and so forth, who operate only while the fruit and vegetables are coming in—are also eligible for a special award. For outstanding initiative in overcoming the obstacles in the way of producing processed food, or for increasing their output notably, seasonal processing plants will be awarded the Achievement "A" banner similar to that given to counties for farm production, but with a white star in the upper left-hand corner.

These little plants have joined enthusiastically in the nation's "Food for Freedom" program. The fact that they are not year-round operators makes them ineligible for the army-navy "E" award.

Standards Are High.

The same rigidly high standards must be met for both the "A" and the "E" awards.

In awarding the "A," the War Food Administration will consider, first of all, quantity and quality of production in the light of available facilities.

Other major factors bearing on their decision will be:

1. Ingenuity and co-operation with the government in developing and producing war food products.
2. Co-operation in carrying out the purposes of the various food purchase programs.
3. Effective management; ability to overcome production obstacles; satisfactory management-labor relations, including the avoidance of work stoppages.
4. Training additional labor forces, low absentee records.
5. Accident prevention; health and sanitation.

"Victory depends as much on our ability to produce food as on our ability to manufacture guns, planes and ships."
—Franklin D. Roosevelt.

A presentation ceremony will be held for every honored plant as soon as possible after formal announcement of the award. The ceremonies will be simple but impressive. In appreciation of the essential role being played by seasonal processors in the "Food for Freedom" program, the army and navy will co-operate with WFA in making the presentations.

To protect the prestige of the "A" and the honor it represents, War Foods Administration will exercise

CONSERVE



extreme caution in making the award. The procedure for plant nomination, however, is simple.

Any employee of the Food Distribution Administration in Washington or in the field may propose a plant for consideration. Likewise, the nomination may be made by one of FDA's regional directors, or through the Washington branches of the WFA. An Awards board will consider every nomination and recommend final action to the director of food distribution.

Because of the short period of time many operators are in production, prompt attention will be given to every nomination.

The Consumer's Part.

Much as the breasts of farmers or factory workers will swell with pride when they see that "A" banner fluttering in the autumn breeze, they know it is but a symbol of the mighty effort that every American is making to win the war. Not only producers of food, but consumers too, have their part to play.

America's mighty home front forces are mobilizing during November in a nationwide campaign to help food fight for freedom. Ranking in importance with bonds, machinery, rubber, guns, tanks, ships and planes, food is a weapon of war that every civilian can turn against the enemy.

Rallying cry of the food army is the slogan: "Produce, Conserve, Share and Play Square!"

Citizens' groups in every community will advise the public of the meaning of these words, and of how each person can contribute to making the whole nation "food conscious." Four government agencies, the War Food Administration, OPA, OWI and OGD, are co-operating to tell the food story. Briefly they explain each part of the program:

Produce and Conserve.

American farmers have done a remarkable job this year in again breaking food production records, and they plan to continue the good work in 1944 with the planting of 380 million acres. Helping them plant and harvest is something other civilians can do on the production line. Home gardens also aid in making more food, as does work in processing plants during the rush season.

Farmers themselves can help prevent waste of food before it goes to market, along with transportation companies and other handlers. The homemaker's job is to save food in the kitchen, and to can and preserve as much as possible. Everyone can try to eat the right foods, those that are nutritious and plentiful, so as to

SHARE



ACHIEVEMENT 'A' AWARD



stretch the available supply. Substitute when the items wanted are on the scarce list, even if it means changing life-long eating habits.

Another way to conserve is to buy and store vegetables that will keep well. This is particularly important in the case of white potatoes this year. The crop has been exceptionally large. Including both early and late potatoes, it is estimated that it will total more than 460 million bushels. Of this, 360 million bushels are late potatoes and are now being harvested. The late potato crop is 73 million bushels larger than the late crop of 1942, and the overall 1943 crop is 33 million bushels larger than the previous record crop of 1928, which totaled 427 million bushels. So it is plain that the farmers' response to the government's plea for increased production has been splendid. It is a great national asset to have this record crop of potatoes. It also presents problems of distribution which, if not efficiently handled, may result in the waste of, or the diversion from human consumption of a

PLAY SQUARE



large part of this bumper crop. Although the War Food Administration, during the past summer, set aside 15 million dollars for the erection of additional storage for Irish potatoes and sweet potatoes, the 1943 crop will exceed by more than 50 million bushels, available approved farm and commercial storage.

Every consumer who has space in his cellar or other suitable place is urged to buy and store as many potatoes as he conveniently can, so that none of this supply of food will go to waste. Other vegetables, like onions and turnips that keep well, should also be put away in storage places. Apples and any other fruits that can be kept over the winter should also be stored.

Share Fairly.

All Americans share the food with the men in uniform in camps at home and on foreign battlefields, with the peoples of the other United Nations helping to win the war, and with the countries liberated from Axis oppression. Farmers help each other to grow as much as they can by sharing seed, machinery, fertilizer and manpower in order to make "short" supplies go farther. Cheerful, willing acceptance of rationing rules results in fair shares for all, and plenty of food for fitness and health.

Food is critical war material. The government asks each citizen to pledge himself to accept no rationed foods without giving up ration stamps, and to pay no more than top legal prices. When rationing rules and price ceilings are not observed, un-American "black markets" appear. Do without, if what you want can't be purchased fairly.

Record food production has been achieved for the past seven years, yet America still doesn't have enough to answer all the demands of war and also to fulfill the unusual wants of civilians with tremendously increased purchasing power. For the duration of the war and for several years after it ends, the farmer's problem is not going to be whether he can find a market for what he produces, but whether he can produce as much as he can sell. Ever-increasing demands will continue to exceed the supply.

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Girl's Dirndl.

HERE'S that beloved style, the dirndl, which you can make as a school frock for your growing daughter! She'll be delighted because this is the fashion every young girl craves.

The Selfish Farmer

A farmer obtained some especially fine seed corn and turned out crops that were the envy of his neighbors. When they asked for some he refused to sell any, for fear of losing his competitive advantages.

Another year went by and his special corn was not so good. The third year brought still poorer results. Suddenly it occurred to him that the low-grade corn of his neighbors was pollinating his prize corn. His selfishness had beaten him. From then on he shared his good fortunes with others.—South African Business Efficiency.

Tobacco High in 1500; Professors Taught Its Use

When tobacco was first introduced in England during the 16th century, it was literally worth its weight in gold—a pound of tobacco was commonly sold for an equal weight of silver and coins.

The art of smoking was also regarded most seriously, and it was considered a disgrace not to be able to inhale smoke through the nose. There were even professors of smoking who initiated beginners into the mysteries of inhaling and blowing smoke rings.

One thing a soldier is afraid of is a display of emotion. That's why his slang so often sounds derogatory. For example, he refers to the silver eagles on his colonel's shoulder straps as "buzzards." But when he speaks of his favorite cigarette, he says: "Cam-els." They're first with men in the Army as well as with Sailors, Marines, and Coast Guardsmen. (According to actual sales records in 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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CAMELS
FIRST IN THE SERVICE

The favorite cigarette with men in the Army, the Navy, the Marines, and the Coast Guard is Camel. (Based on actual sales records.)

Post-War Autos Will Be Better, but Not 'Fantastic'

Those fantastic dreams of tear-drop, rear-engine cars made of "super" materials with curved glass tops and plastic bodies, belong to the next decade. That's the opinion of Delmar G. Roos, a vice president of Willys-Overland Motors.

Roos, who is credited with designing the hard-hitting Jeep, cited these points as an "engineer's approach" to post-war automobile design:

- (1) There will be a demand for

more efficient vehicles at lower initial cost. This will mean lighter cars, but not necessarily smaller.

(2) Radical changes will be slow in coming.

(3) Auto manufacturers are not willing to gamble their reputation on "fantastic" models which can't meet the hard test of public use.

(4) Plastic bodies and curved glass surfaces, in their present form, are unsatisfactory; the bodies have

none of the advantages of steel, while the plastic glass as now developed presents a dangerous handicap to clear vision.

(5) The next great mechanical advance in the industry will probably be the perfection of semi-automatic and automatic transmissions in a simple and inexpensive form. However, it is not expected to entirely replace the conventional hand shift system for several years.

NOTICES

Office of the Circuit Court of Prince William County, Virginia, December 20, 1943.

Complainant: Washington Berry, Defendant: In Chancery

The general object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment without cause, and for general relief. And an affidavit and application having been duly made and filed as provided by statute that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is therefore ordered that the defendant, Mary Washington Berry, do appear within ten days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect her interests; and that a copy hereof be published for four successive weeks in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper published and circulating in Prince William County; that a like copy be mailed to the defendant at her last known address as set out in said application, and that a like copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Court House of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day.

O. D. WATERS, Clerk

A True Copy
O. D. WATERS, Clerk
34-4-x

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, VIRGINIA:

IN RE:
Estate of George C. Brenton, deceased
ORDER

It appearance to the Court that the Commissioner of Accounts, Robert A. Hutchison, report of the account of T. E. Didiak, Administrator of the estate of George C. Brenton, deceased, and of the debts and demands against said estate, has been filed in the clerk's office of this county, as provided by law, and that more time than six months have elapsed since the qualification of said administrator, on the motion of Nan G. Brenton, sole distributee of said estate, it is ordered that the creditors of said estate and all other parties in interest do appear before this Court on the first day of the February, 1944, term, to-wit, February 7, 1944, at its court room, in the town of Manassas, Virginia, at 10 o'clock A. M., and show cause, if any they can, against the payment and delivery of the estate of the said George C. Brenton in the hands of the said administrator, in accordance with the report of said Commissioner of Accounts, to the creditors therein named and to the said Nan G. Brenton, sole distributee, without requiring refunding bonds of the said creditors and the said distributee, or any of them. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper published in Prince William County, Virginia.

Teste:
O. D. WATERS, Clerk

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VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Prince William County, Virginia, December 20, 1943.
Harriet I. M. Woltz, Complainant, V.

Henry A. Woltz, Defendant. In Chancery

The general object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the

grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment, custody of their infant daughter, and general relief.

And an affidavit and application having been made and filed as provided by statute that the defendant, Henry A. Woltz, is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is therefore ordered that the said defendant do appear within ten days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interests; and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published for four successive weeks in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper circulating and published in Prince William County, that a like copy hereof be mailed to the defendant at his last known address as shown by said application and affidavit, and that a like copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Court House of said County on or before the next succeeding rule day.

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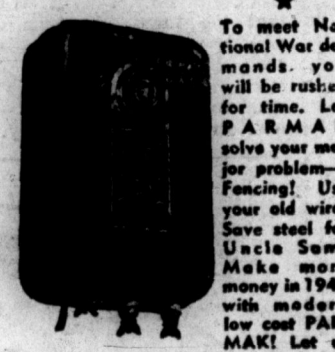
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CENTREVILLE

At the evening service in the Methodist Church two babies were christened by Rev. Hugh Cummings. They were Mary Ellen Good, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Good, and Collin William Payne, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Payne.

Mrs. Eva Utterback is visiting relatives in Washington.

The public school closed December 22, to open on January 3.

The Christmas program at the Methodist Church has been postponed on account of the flu epidemic until December 26 at 8 p. m.

Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Cummings are spending Christmas with their parents in West Virginia.

The Bible Class of St. John's Episcopal Church, held its Christmas celebration at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lamb. Special features of the program included the singing of carols, both by the whole group and separately by the children; reading of a Christmas message from the Rector, Rev. W. F. Carpenter; and a very interesting account of the birth-place of Christ as observed in a personal visit to Bethlehem by the speaker, Mr. Hobib Kurani, a native of Syria. The Christmas tree yielded candy, nuts, oranges and other gifts and everybody had a very good time.

C & O PAYS DIVIDEND

The Board of Directors of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Co., today declared an extra dividend of 50 cents a share on common payable December 30, 1943 to shareholders of record December 20, 1943.

(Continued from page 1) NOES: None. ABSENT: V. S. Abel.

RE: DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX
Be it resolved that the County Treasurer until further order of this Board, do continue for three years his efforts to collect the unpaid local levies on tangible personal property, machinery and tools, and merchant's capital, returned delinquent.

UNANIMOUS VOTE.

RE: NOKESVILLE COMMUNITY CANNERY

Whereas representatives of various organizations in the Nokesville Community have appeared before this Board and asked the co-operation of this Board in erecting an addition to the Nokesville Schools to house a County co-operative cannery; Be it resolved that this Board refers this matter to the Prince William County School Board, with its endorsement and pledge to indemnify the construction to the extent of \$1200.00.

UNANIMOUS VOTE.

RE: RETIREMENT LITERARY LOAN

Be it resolved the County Treasurer transfer from the General County Fund to the County School Debt and Building Fund the sum of \$15,000.00 to be used to retire Literary Loan Bonds.

UNANIMOUS VOTE.

RE: MISCELLANEOUS

Report of Miss Nell Grim, Home Demonstration Agent.

Report of Health Office read.

Report on Jail Inspection by Roy S. Helms.

Report from Hunton Tiffany, Coordinator.

Letter from Department of Highways.

Letter from J. P. Bell Company.

Nothing further the Board adjourned to meet again on Thursday the Sixth day of January, 1944, at 10 o'clock A. M.

NO OUTSIDE LIGHTED CHRISTMAS TREES, PLEASE

The Office of War Information in a special communication to this newspaper, asks us to publish the Board's request to the American people that they confine their Christmas lighting decorations to Christmas trees inside private homes.

The War Production Board asks that street decorations and interiors and exteriors of commercial establishments dispense with decorations this year so far as lighting is concerned.

Mr. J. A. Krug, Director of the Office of War Utilities, said that no mandatory order was contemplated because, "the American people realize the necessity of this conservation and will do it."

LAW IN REFERENCE TO PASSING SCHOOL BUSES, WHEN LOADING AND UNLOADING

At the 1942 General Assembly the law relating to meeting

or passing a school bus while was amended, and may be found in section 61 (b) 5 of the Motor Vehicle's Code as follows:

Any person who fails to stop at a school bus while taking on or discharging school children whether going in the same direction or the opposite direction and to remain stopped until all school children are clear of the highway is guilty of reckless driving.

WONT YOU HELP US ENFORCE HIS LAW FOR THE SAFETY OF YOUR CHILDREN?

CLIFTON

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Cassaday and Mr. and Mrs. Whitman of Washington were visitors in Clifton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Elgin of Arlington visited their mother, Mrs. Lena Elgin, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis, both of whom have been ill, have closed their home here for the winter and have gone to stay with their daughter, Mrs. Harold Moore in Falls Church.

Miss Oola Smith of this place has been quite sick. Miss Anne Griffith is now on the sick list.

Mrs. Morgan Godfrey is visiting her sister, Mrs. V. V. Weaver in Clifton.

Mrs. Amanda Makley and family have moved to McLean for the winter months.



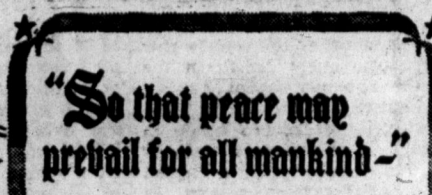
Rationed Items

Points Each		
(10) Cranberry Sauce	14-oz. jar	16c
(15) Pumpkin	Van Camp's 29-oz. can	14c
(6) Juice	Phillips Tomato 46-oz. bot.	26c
(14) Juice	Sunny Dawn Tomato 96-oz. can	42c
(30) Fruit Cocktail	Hunt's No. 34 33c	
(4) Raisins	Sun Maid Seedless 15-oz. pkg.	13c
(4) Raisins	Tru Sweet Bleached 15-oz. pkg.	15c
(13) Shoe Peg Corn	Dainty 20-oz. can	13c
(5) Party Loaf	Honey Brand 12-oz. can	33c
(1) Eagle	Condensed Milk 15-oz. can	18c
(6) Margarine	Dalewood 1-lb. pkg.	22c

FARM-FRESH PRODUCE

GREEN BEANS	lb	13c
NE WCABBAGE	2 lbs	11c
OLD CABBAGE	lb	5c
FRESH CARROTS	lb	8c
CAULIFLOWER	lb	17c
IDAHO POTATOES	5 lbs	21c
FRESH SPINACH	lb	13c
RED SWEET POTATOES	2 lbs	19c
FRESH TOMATOES	lb	20c
FRESH COCOANUTS	lb	15c
FLORIDA ORANGES	5 lbs	34c
TANGERINES	5 lbs	37c

Produce prices subject to daily market changes and to having stock on hand.



Christmastide, hallowed season of joy and happiness, this year finds all of us in America striving constantly to hasten the day of Victory. Nevertheless it is fitting that we should pause both to recall our Christmas days of yesterday and to look forward into the future with profound confidence and hope. We people of Safeway—including those who have taken leave of absence to join the fighting forces—unite in sincerely wishing every one of you a Merry Christmas! May your families be happy and well. May your dinners be hearty. And may the Christmas prayers of all of us be answered, "So that peace may prevail for all mankind..."

GUARANTEED MEAT

Points per lb.		
(9) T BONE STEAK	lb	47c
(8) SIRLOIN STEAK	lb	40c
(10) ROUND STEAK	lb	40c
(4) PLATE BEEF	lb	20c
(10) VEAL CUTLET	lb	42c
(2) VEAL BREAST	lb	20c
(6) LEG O LAMB	lb	37c
(3) SHOULDER LAMB	lb	34c
(1) D S BACK	lb	17c
(2) D S BELLIES	lb	22c
(2) PICNIC SHOULDERS	lb	29c

Prices effective until close of business Friday, December 31, 1943. NO SALES TO DEALERS



Non-Rationed Items

Enriched Flour	Gold Medal 10-lb. sack	57c
Enriched Flour	Kitchen Craft 10-lb. sack	55c
Enriched Flour	Phillips 10-lb. sack	57c
Cake Flour	Swansdown 10-lb. sack	25c
Ground Allspice	1-lb. can	8c
Ground Cinnamon	1-lb. can	8c
Salad Dressing	Duchess 1-lb. jar	23c
Baking Powder	Rumford 12-oz. can	22c
Baking Powder	Calumet 8-oz. can	9c
Noodles	Mueller's Fine or Wide 6-oz. pkg.	9c
Biscuit Mix	Simple Simon 11-oz. pkg.	12c

GUARANTEED MEAT

To You and Yours, at Home and In the Service of Our Country

A Merry, Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year

and Peace on Earth, Goodwill to the Allies

HOPKINS FURNITURE CO.

810 King Street

Alexandria, Virginia

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS FOOD SHOPPING EARLY—AVOID LAST-MINUTE CAJONS

Almonds	Biss Diamond Unshelled 1-lb. 55c	Dill Tomatoes	Majestic 1-lb. 25c	Enriched Bread	Julia Lee 1-lb. loaf 8c
English Walnuts	Diamond 1-lb. 43c	Dill Pickles	Lang's 1-lb. 22c	Enriched Bread	Jumbo 1-lb. loaf 7c
Pecans	Mammoth Paper Shell 1-lb. 49c	Queen Olives	21-oz. jar 63c	Enriched Bread	Jumbo 1-lb. loaf 10c
Mince meat	Major 24-oz. jar 26c	Stuffed Olives	4 1/2-oz. bot. 29c	Edwards Coffee	3 lbs. 5lb. 26c
Fig Juice	Doctor's Orders 12-oz. bot. 15c	Ripe Olives	8-oz. can 30c	Airway Coffee	3 lbs. 5lb. 21c
Rubbed Sage	4-oz. can 14c	Hot Muffin Mix	Duff's 14-oz. pkg. 20c	Maxwell House Coffee	1-lb. jar 33c
Poultry Seasoning	McCormick 1-lb. 9c	Candles	15-inch Five Colors 2 for 15c		

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