

# ask you answer

Readers who have questions but lack for answers.

"Ask You Answer" is for non-cooking questions. If the question is printed, the answer will be printed.

Answers to this column should be sent to You Answer, Lancaster Farming, PA 17522. Attention: Lou Ann

Send a SASE. If we receive an answer, we will publish it as soon as possible.

110 Dutch Hill Rd., Bloomsburg, PA 17815. She wants information on making rugs. She is interested in someone who knits or crochets rugs. She has a rug.

222 Maple Ave., Harleysville, PA 19348. His request is probably a 1,000 cc tractor. Information regarding two tractors that he purchased in the summer of 1969. One is a green, and a Ford 9N with side

**QUESTION** — Michael Pronio, Hummelstown, is looking for a double wheel coffee grinder, the type used at the old general stores.

**QUESTION** — Mrs. Glenn Miller, HC62, Box 660, Honesdale, PA 18431, plans to get a pet goat for her daughter. They want to purchase a nannie goat and would appreciate information on taking care of goats and using and selling the goat milk. Send the information directly to her.

**QUESTION** — Brenda Fouts, 4321 Rockefeller Rd., R.D.2, Box 321, Auburn, N.Y. 13021, would like directions to make scatter rugs using crochet strips of nylon stockings or plastic bread wrappers or grocery bags.

**QUESTION** — Amos M. Stoltzfus, Blain, will pay \$10, which includes postage, for a drawing and guessing game with a hunting and outdoors theme. It must be complete and in playable condition. He collects word games and is willing to pay for any word game that he does not have. Before sending a game, write to Amos at R.R.1, Box 106 SR 17, Blain, PA 17006-9714.

**QUESTION** — Minnie Stauffer, Ephrata, would like to know how many different peanut butter glasses imprinted with a flower and name are available.

**QUESTION** — Richard Fisher is looking for a part for a Whirlpool Family Dishwasher, Pat. July 28, 1914, Philadelphia. Contact Fisher at 4340 Bull Rd., Dover, PA 17315.

**QUESTION** — Marie Lorah, Box 299, R.D.3, Tamaqua, PA 18252, has sequined calendars that her sister has made more than 15 years ago. She asks if there are ways to use the calendars by making T-shirts or something else. Send instructions directly to her.

**QUESTION** — L.Hoover, Denver, wants to know why her gladiolus turned a moldy brown before they opened. Most were newly purchased bulbs. If the bulbs are saved, will they do the same thing next year?

**QUESTION** — Ellen Ranck, Cochranville, would like to know where to purchase the first reader book, "Ben and Alice."

**QUESTION** — A reader would like the words to a poem, "Elmer and the Bear."

**QUESTION** — A.M. Rohrer, East Berlin, would like the words to the poem that begins: "When I was young and brave and strong, when right was right and wrong was wrong...."

**QUESTION** — Jeanine Riddle, St. Marys, would like a recipe for dough to make non-edible gingerbread men for crafts.

**QUESTION** — A subscriber would like to know where to locate a 1965, 1966, or 1967 gas tank (new, old stock) for a 1965 Cadillac.

**QUESTION** — Robert Noller, Medford, N.J., writes that some time ago an ad appeared in this paper for plans to build a vegetable stand. He purchased the plans and misplaced them. Anyone able to help him with a name and address?

**QUESTION** — Henry Stoltzfus, Gordonville, would like to know where to get address stampers with interchangeable letters, new or used, or other printers.

**QUESTION** — Marie Lorah, Tamaqua, was sent an address for a source for owl glasses. She sent a SASE but did not receive an answer. Does anyone know where she could purchase some owl glasses?

**QUESTION** — Laurie Baker, Kutztown, would like a recipe for milk paint, not the whitewash used in the barn but to use on antique furniture and wood trim.

**QUESTION** — Jeff Connors is looking for a painting of a Lancaster County farm scene with cows, barn, and field work in it. Contact him at P.O. Box 144, Perryville, MD 21903.

**QUESTION** — A Leighton subscriber writes that she is the person who had requested an address for the company of the Merit Quik Chef Fast Grill. Someone sent an address, but when she wrote to it, her letter was returned. Does someone have an up-to-date address?

**QUESTION** — Jeff Connors, Perryville, MD, would like to know where he can purchase a toy Farmall 560 1958 NFAN 1456.

**QUESTION** — Joan Francisco, Stroudsburg, would like to know where to purchase oil of cassia, used in Italian cooking.

**QUESTION** — Yvonne Lawrence, Newburgh, N.Y., would like to know where to purchase a rhubarb and soda mixture used for indigestion. She used to purchase it in a pharmacy but finds the New York pharmacies don't stock it anymore.

**QUESTION** — Mrs. William Pierce, Palmyra, would like to know where to purchase antique two-bottom dishes for crock-type chicken water fountains. Must be white with 10-inch top and 8-inch bottom.

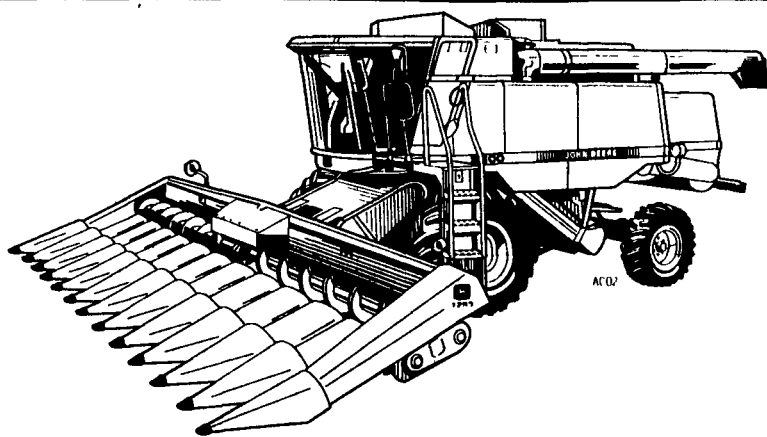
**ANSWER** — William Stauffer, Ephrata, wanted to know where to buy merthiolate because he can't find it in drug stores. We received numerous answers. Amy Heilman, Johnstown, writes that it is no longer manufactured because mercury was used to make it. The druggist said that the manufacturer removed all that was on the shelves. However, Mrs. Glenn Miller of Honesdale wrote that she searched for a long time and found some at Glinsky's Drug Store in Honesdale. The address for the distributor is Rush and Hebble Co. Inc., Indianapolis, IN 46241. Lois Martin of Waynesboro writes that Furst McNess Co. sells a mentholated salve for cuts, burns, and aches, which is very good. They also have Krestol Salve, which is very good for cuts and burns, but does not contain mentholate.

**ANSWER** — Bunny Bankert, York Springs, remembered reading about a health food product to give dogs that are afraid of thunderstorms. She wanted to know what it is called and where to purchase it. Thanks to Elizabeth, who included no last name or address, for sending the information. According to the article, the product recommended is aconitum napellus (30 c strength) also known as aconite that is used for fright among other things. It can be purchased at health food stores or by mail. The veterinarian who recommends this is C. Edgar Sheaffer at 11 Flowers Drive, Mechanicsburg. He treats many dog ailments over the phone for \$2 per minute. For more information, call him at (717) 795-9799 or (717) 838-4879.

**ANSWER** — Mrs. Mervin Wenger, Womelsdorf, wanted to know what type of spray to use to kill weeds but not the strawberry plants in the strawberry patch. Thanks to Mrs. M. Horning, Ephrata, who recommends spraying Devrinol 50-DF 1/2-ounce per 100 square feet in March.



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