

# You ask You answer

This column is for readers who have questions but don't know who to ask for answers.

"You Ask—You Answer" is for non-cooking questions. When a reader sends in a question, it will be printed in the paper. Readers who know the answer are asked to respond by mailing the answer, which will then be printed in the paper.

Questions and Answers to this column should be addressed to You Ask—You Answer, Lancaster Farming, P.O. Box 609, Ephrata, PA 17522. Attention: Lou Ann Good.

Do not send a self-addressed, stamped envelope for a reply. If we receive the answer, we will publish it as soon as possible. Please include your phone number because we sometimes need to contact the person to clarify details. We will not publish your phone number unless you request it.

**QUESTION** — Lucinda Martin asked why all their spring frogs disappeared from their pond about three years ago. She misses their croaking and wonders how to get them back.

**QUESTION** — A Shippensburg reader would like help with her Majesty potted palm. The leaves are turning yellow and brown and drying up. She keeps it out of direct sunlight and gives it plenty of water and fertilizes it once a month. She transplanted it into a larger pot, but it hasn't helped.

**QUESTION** — Mike from Pottsville would like information on Black Welsh Mountain sheep and where they can be purchased.

**QUESTION** — Annie Stoltzfus, Quarryville, would like to purchase a wooden butter churn or know of someone who could make a paddle for a churn. State condition and price when writing to her at 793 Robert Fulton Hwy., Quarryville, PA 17566.

**QUESTION** — Edward Banning, Bridgeville, DE, needs help in tracing his great-great grandfather and grandmother. Their names were Isaac and Mary Lehman, who moved from Chester Co., Pa. to Federalsburg, Caroline County, Md., where they purchased a track of farm land in 1867. Isaac was born June 9, 1824 and his wife was born July 29, 1832. Banning wants to know how to go about tracing the ancestry and any other helpful information.

**QUESTION** — Shirley Young, R.2, Box 2569, Nescopeck, PA 18835, would like to find copies of "Sweet Things and Such," a cookbook written by Florence Shunk of Berks County and copyrighted 1979.

**QUESTION** — Madeline VanLeuren, Mantua, N.J., would like to send used greeting cards to whomever would like them for crafts. Write to her at 121 Taylor Ave., Mantua, NJ 08051.

**QUESTION** — Joseph Rosin, Middletown, would like to know where he could purchase cheese curds. He lives in Frederick County, Md., and would like the source to be relatively nearby. Call him at (301) 371-4537.

**QUESTION** — Kathleen Reiff, Stevens, would like a source to purchase Broad and Narrow Way posters, which were printed in Germany but is now said to be out of print. She is also looking for copies of "Favorite Hymns of Praise" published by Tabernacle Publishing Co., Wheaton, IL.



**QUESTION** — Lamar Reiff, Stevens, needs a radiator cap for his Farmall B Tractor. He also wanted to know how barley straw is used to control pond algae. According to a recent article in this column, a bale is dropped into the pond in early spring before the algae begins to form.

**QUESTION** — Eleanor Stewart, 360 Summit Rd., Bellefonte, PA 16823, would like to find a green book with the name Stuart on the front. The book is about the Stuart descendents of the Canestoe Valley about 1850-1900.

**QUESTION** — Robert Dannenfelser, Bridgeville, would like about six to eight old-wire-style egg gathering baskets.

**QUESTION** — Joann Robbins, 1705 York Rd., Hartsville, PA 18974, wants to purchase Judy Bolton and Dana Girls Mystery books.

**QUESTION** — Abe Gingerich, Free Union, Vir., would like the words to the poem "When Men Are Sick." The humorous poem pokes fun at men because of their tendency "to be really sick" when they aren't feeling well.

**QUESTION** — Betty Chaffee, Warren, writes that a Pennsylvania Dutch style afghan was featured in the Spring '72 issue of McCall's Needlework magazine. She had ordered Leaflet #DUTCH 791-NB, which had directions to crochet the afghan. While moving, she lost the leaflet. She contacted McCall's but they cannot help her. She hopes one of our readers can send the instructions to her at 1410 PA Ave. East, Warren, PA 16365.

**QUESTION** — H.W. Stewart, 150 Shiloh Rd., State College, PA 16801, would like to know where to obtain an old catalog from the Mifflinburg Body Works. He is willing to pay a good price.

**QUESTION** — Pam Eyerly, Lancaster, would like to know how to play the game Balderdash, which is in good condition.

**QUESTION** — Pam Eyerly, Lancaster, would like to buy stationery items such as labels, and Christmas cards featuring Terriers on them.

**QUESTION** — Clyde Clapper, Lancaster, was at a yard sale recently. The game is in good condition but he returned with no forwarding address. Does any help readers could give him?

**QUESTION** — Darrell Clapper, Lancaster, experienced trainer to train dogs.

**QUESTION** — Linda Clapper, Lancaster, for books by John Pflueger.

**QUESTION** — Michael Clapper, Lancaster, of someone who will give away books.

**QUESTION** — Cindy Clapper, Lancaster, to know where to find a Ruben's size.

**QUESTION** — Terry Clapper, Lancaster, know how to get the smell out of a blanket chest.

**QUESTION** — V&C Clapper, Lancaster, like to know where to purchase boots that slip over shoes.

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