

You Ask We 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.

Or, you may e-mail questions and answers to LGOOD.EPH@LNP-NEWS.COM

Please clarify what question you are answering when responding.

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. However, if your question requires someone to mail items to you, you must include your address or phone number for publishing.

QUESTION — Lucy Nolt, Mifflinburg, wants to know if there is a way to get rid of termites without using exterminator services. It would cost \$2,500 to have an exterminator do it, so the Nolts prefer to do it themselves if possible.

QUESTION — Kermit Laub wants to buy Lifebuoy toilet soap. He has checked many stores with no success. The stores include Kauffman's, Goods, Yoder's, Weaver's in Fleetwood, Shady Maple, etc. If you know where it can be purchased, please send the address to be printed in this column.

QUESTION — Last summer Cindy Eshleman recalls seeing a

magazine page that listed different types of mint plants. She doesn't know the name or the magazine, but if anyone has a copy of an article about mint plants, she would appreciate if they would send it to her at R.D. 3, Box 7957, Jonestown, PA 17038.

QUESTION — Martin Heffner Jr., Wernersville, is looking for someone to repair a DC battery driven 14-volt motor that drives a hand-capped scooter.

QUESTION — Alma Stauffer, 27990 Pt Lookout Rd., Loveville, MD 20656, wants to know if there is a buyer for blue glass Vicks Vaporub jars that are full and in boxes with the papers. She also has various blue Noxema jars without the lids.

QUESTION — Wilma Zimmerman wants to know where a slicer-shredder attachment and instruction booklet could be found for a Cuisinart food processor DLC-7.

QUESTION — Ruth Nolt is look-

ing for some Calvary songbooks in good condition. Write to Robert Brouger, 200 Beaver Run Rd., New Oxford, PA 17350 or call (717) 334-8203 with prices or information.

QUESTION — A reader wants to know what to use on kitchen formica countertops to preserve or seal the formica to keep it from wearing down, keeping stains out and adding shine?

QUESTION — A reader wants to know where the strong rubber elastic (like rubber bands) can be purchased to make fitted bed sheets.

QUESTION — Nina Purvin wants information about a Purvin Dairy Company, which operated in Lancaster during the 1940s-1950s. She has found some interesting bottles, a calendar, and a poster from the company. The latest item is from 1952. She'd like any information someone might have about the farm and dairy.

QUESTION — Marnita Stoltzfus, Parkesburg, wants to buy an old Scrabble game. It does not need a board. Call her at (610) 857-1303.

QUESTION — Cathy Heagy, Narvon, is looking for a children's book, "The Little Boy From Shick-shinny," which is about a boy who got mad at a cow lying down in the dark and kicked it only to find out it was really a bear. Her grandmother had a copy when Cathy was a child.

QUESTION — The Kemerer family, Latrobe, want to know the price of used barn siding measuring 10-12-foot lengths and 8-10 inches in width. The wood is about 150 years old.

QUESTION — Janet Spangler wants to know if anyone knows how to make angels using beads and safety pins. She'd like the instructions.

QUESTION — Julia Delp, 962 Martin Road, Needmore PA 17238, is looking for information on diatomaceous earth (DE). Does DE work well enough to be used as the sole wormer in sheep, beef, cattle and dogs? How often should it be used? Does DE irritate ani-

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