Dana Dane

THE CENTRE DEMOCRAT. BELLEFONTE, PA.

April 1, 1943.

The Centre Democrat. BELLEFONTE, PENNA.



WALKER BROTHERS Proprietors A. C. DERR.....Editor PAUL M. DUBBS Associate Editor CECIL A. WALKER......Business Manager



Issued weekly every Thursday morning. Entered in the postoffice at Bellefonte, Pa. seconu-class matter.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION \$1.50 per year...... if paid in advance \$2.00 per year.....if not paid in advance



The date your subscription expires is plainly printed on the label bearing your name. All credits are given by a change on the date of label the first issue of each month. We send no receipts unless upon special request. Watch date on your label after you remit.

Matters for publication, whether news or advertising, must reach The Centre Democrat office not later than Tuesday noon to insure publication that week. Advertising copy received after Tuesday morning must run its chances.

All reading notices marked (*) are advertisements. Legal notices and all real estate advertisements, 10 cents per line each issue.

Subscribers changing postoffice address, and not notifying us, are liable for same.

All subscriptions will be continued unless otherwise directed.



CIRCULATION OVER 7,000 COPIES EACH WEEK

EDITORIAL

Religion is a great help to an individual, in hours of stress, but it or girls. won't do any good unless you have some of it.

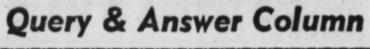
The Japanese will know what modern warfare means before they for some disagreeable shocks. end the present struggle for a Greater Asia.

Buying War Bonds is a necessary home-front activity; every Amer-ican should be a partner in fianncing the war.

Now that Spring is here, according to the calendar, we suppose the ladies will display their new hats, war or no war.

War marriages, on the average, are based upon true love to as great





D. D .- Why is the Stars and Stripes shown in the picture Washingthem is to teach them to be inde- ton Crossing the Delaware?

Ans .-- This is due to an error on the part of the artist, for in 1776 the Baltic States, White Russia, the the enclosed envelope." pendent. Show them by word and precept the right way to live and the Stars and Stripes did not yet exist. then give them a normal amount of

M. V. B .- How much does a gallon of water weigh?

INTERNAL BURGAS OF FURLE NEL ATOM

Ans .-- It weighs eight and one-third pounds.

M. B. Y .- How many Roman Catholics are there in Australia?

away from home. He is utterly un-Ans .- There are approximately 2000 Catholic churches in Australia. antagonizing America with indusprepared to tend to himself as he has never had any experience with free- Archdioceses are at Sydney Melbourne, Hobart, Adelaide, Perth and Bris- trial sabotage or token bombings, dom and is likely to come to some baine. The Catholic population of Australia is 1,244,835.

E. F. K .- What is the average height of the Japanese soldiers?

Ans .--- Their average height is 5 feet 31/2 inches.

If she is accustomed to going with K. C. L .- How many men were taken prisoners in the last war? boys and regards them as friends Ans.-An estimated 7,500,000 prisoners were taken in the first World Digest article says the Nazis plan she will be able to judge them better and not fall for the first rotten War.

D. P .- What is meant by the Big Five?

apple that shows her a little bit of attention. I do not excuse the girl Ans .-- The term is used in reference to the five chief railroad brotherfor meeting her dates on the sly- hoods such behavior does her or her repu-

C. T. B .- Where is Hog Island?

tation no good-but her father is Ans .-- It is a small island in the Delaware River near Philadelphia. British try to invade Europe and more to be blamed than she. Every girl has a right to a decent home in During the first World War it was the Government's chief emergency fail, with heavy losses. The crux which to entertain her friends-boys shipyard, with more than fifty ways.

E. D. R .- Which is the principal insect enemy in the United States? Ans.-Government entomologists have estimated the annual cost of insect pests to the country as a whole at more than \$1,600,000,000. Mos-guitoes head the list with the cotton boll weevil second. This outline of the Nazis' plans is condensed in the April Digest from an article written by Wythe Ans .-- Government entomologists have estimated the annual cost of

M. V .- How does the increase in living costs during the last war Williams and William van Narvig. compare with the increase in the present war?

Ans .-- In the first three years of the first World War, living costs in as correspondent for American the United States increased 26.6 per cent. In the three years since the be- newspapers and magazines and ginning of the present war, the increase was 16.8 per cent.

(Continued from page one)

Yours, LOUISA.

tion, if only for the scholarships and Capitol Building? other awards it provides for deserv-

Your husband had better wake up

before it is too late or he is in line

Random Items

to vote at the primarles by register-

pertaining to voters' registration are

correct now and save embarrassment

and disappointment on election day.

assistant professor of vegetable gar-

dening, indicate that the better var-

ieties of snap beans include: String-

less Black Valentine, Tenderpod

Tendergreen, Pencil Pod, Brittle

and juicy when stored, regardless of

SOME VARIETIES BETTER

LOUISA'S

LETTER

My husband is very strict with the

children. In fact, he is so much so,

that his methods seem to be doing the very thing that he is trying to

He does not allow our high school

daughter to have dates or go to

parties nor does he let our sixteen-

year-old son drive the car. They must be in bed at ten o'clock week

The children have gotten very re-

belious here of late and the boy has

threatened to stop school and go off

to work where he can have some

fun. Our daughter is absolutely boy

crazy and deceives us by meeting

I am very much distressed over

the whole situation because I know

that my husband is doing what he

thinks is best for the children, but

Your husband is still living in a

world of the past. He fails to realize

that people have learned that the proper way of rearing children is by guidance and love rather than by

We may lay down a thousand rules

and try to keep our lambs from the

temptations of the world but it will

be of no avail if we have not earned

It is impossible to protect our

children from the temptations of the

world and our best safeguard for

You are certainly doing your child

no good if you cause them to run

bad end. And the same thing applies

your daughter.

their trust and confidence.

MOTHER-Conn.

what I think is ruining them.

What course must I take?

days and week ends.

dates in the movies.

Dear Louisa:

prevent

Answer:

force.

liberty.

How Hitler Plans to Win

An article in the April Reader's Digest says the Nazis, undaunted by the massed armed forces and colossal production of the United Nations, still hope to win the war by following a victory plan worked out by Colonel General Alfred Jodl and already in operation. This plan,

according to the Digest article, calls for another all-out drive this summer to crush to warmaking power of the Soviet Union. After that, under the Jodl plan, the Nazis would fortress, convert it into a single mil- and won't change." itary and economic unit, and keep enough U-boats in operation to sink 25,000,000 tons of Allied shipping

a year. The Digest article says the Gernan military considers this a work-

able master plan for eventual Axis victory, provided the Nazi party supplies the facilities it has undertaken to deliver.

Further details of the Jodl plan One is a mistake, as you can see." are said to call for: Shifting the center of Reich war

ndustry to the East and putting into concrete underground workshops all facilities needed in the

Allied bombings will merely speed

population. Using troops from satellite na-

tions for most of the fighting in the East, to hoard what is left of German manpower.

Holding the Tunisian bridgehead,

Ukraine and the Crimea as out-posts of the European fortress. Hoarding the offensive power of the German air force for the day when

the Allies invade from the west.

Refraining from unnecessarily on the theory that it is more pro-

fitable to sink the finished products. The final point in the Jodl plan

to tell us that we are becoming a nation of paupers, working only to send the products of our toil to the

ures this propaganda will be espec-ially effective if the Americans and

of the Jodl plan is the German hope that the way would then be open

for a negotiated peace. Williams spent 26 years in Europe

Logan Grange No. 109, of Pleasant

Gap, had two unusually interesting

E. E. W .- Which has the higher elevation, the White House or the in occupied Europe. Van Narvig was beating. a Russian officer in World War 1



From Giggle to Haw. Haw!

The following sentences were taken from actual letters received from wives, mothers, fathers, etc., of men who are in the service and who were either making or correcting the applications for insurance. (Submitted by "a sailor").

"Please send my elopement (allotment) as I have a four months old baby and he is my only support and I need all I can get every day to buy feed and keep him in close.

"Both sides of my parents is poor and I can't expect anything from withdraw inside their European them. As my mother has been in bed for ten years with the same doctor

"Please send my wife's form to fill out."

"Please send me a letter and tell me if my husband made application for a wife and child.

"I have already wrote the president and if I don't hear from you I will write to Uncle Sam and tell him about you both."

"I have had no clothing for a year and have been regularly visited by the clergy."

"This is my eighth child. What are you going to do about it?"

"Sir: I am forwarding my marriage certificate and my two children.

"I am writing to say that my boy was born two years ago and is two years old. When do I get relief?

"Please find out for certain if my husband is dead. As the man I am living with won't eat or do anything until he nose for sure."

"I am annoyed to find that you branded my child illiterate. Oh! The Forgetting about urban residen- shame. It is a shame and a dirty lie as I married his father two weeks ial districts, on the theory that before he was born."

"In answer to your letter I have birthed to a boy weighing 101 lbs. the eastward stream of the working I hope this will be satisfactory."

"I have no children as my husband is a truck driver and works day and night too."

"You have changed my little girl to a boy. Does this make any difference?

"In accordance with your instructions, I have given birth to twins in

. . .

Slips That Pass in the News

"John Fort was taken to Mercy Hospital this morning suffering from high blond pressure.

"Willie Burnett is back at college after having been confined to his bed for two weeks with a bad coed."

"Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Brandt of Ilona, announce the birth of a former student at Vassar College."

"Miss Linda Larkin turned over in her car on Route 6 yesterday. calls for flooding America with When she regained consciousness she says she turned over twice, once be-propaganda about the sinkings. The fore on this highway."

. . .

Probably

Benton Fenders says that had there been drunken driving in the days bottom of the Atlantic. Berlin fig- of the Ten Commandments, there would have been eleven.

. . . What Do You Think?

Hitler says he made Germany what it is today. Is that a boast or an apology?

. . .

You Can Say That Again

A vacation this summer will be about half anticipation and the other half changing tires.

. . .

There Are Others

The plano, it is announced, is now fighting for its life in the Amerclaims to receive authoritative in-formation from anti-Nazi sources ican home. And one we heard the other night was taking a terrible . . .

an extent as the marriages of any peace-time year.

When the present war ends, those Americans who wish to keep their grandsons out of war will be in favor of some form of international cooperation, with the United States assuming its full share of ication services tonight. responsibility. ARE YOU?

GERMAN AIRCRAFT SHORTAGE

One of the great improvements of the war, from the standpoint of the United Nations, is the apparent shortage in German aircraft, which has been apparent in the failure of the Nazis to give General Rommel greater aerial strength and the inability of the Luftwaffe to protect German industries from Allied air attacks.

Recently, the British Air Ministry reported that attacks on Allied shipping were "negligible" so far as planes are concerned. The Ministry says that the former teamwork of enemy fliers and submarine crews is no longer a factor in the battle of the seas. This lends emphasis to the belief that Germany is without adequate aerial strength.

Along the same line is the comparatively insignificant attacks on British ports by German planes. In 1942 German ports were bombed by as many as ten planes only six times, despite the Nazi habit of describing such attacks as "heavy" and Berlin's references to "waves" of bombers.

By contrast, the British Air Ministry points out that during the three months ending January 21st, twenty-four Axis Mediterranean ports were bombed on more than 250 occasions. In the nine months ending last September, more than 300 Axis vessels were sunk or seriously damaged by Allied aircraft. One enemy port has been hit by more than two thousand tons of bombs in a single month.

This information from the British Air Ministry seems to be conclusive. There is little reason to doubt that Germany has lost the acrial war which she began with such high hopes and so many boasts.

WE MUST FIGHT THE WAR AT HOME

With the United States engaged in the most desperate war of its history and with practically every responsible leader predicting that the nation will be required to make stupendous sacrifices at home and bear tremendous losses abroad, it is the patriotic duty of every loyal American to cheerfully accept wartime restrictions.

It is somewhat appalling to take cognizance of the complaints which arise throughout the United States. Every sensible American should know, by this time, that it is impossible to wage successful war on a "business-as-usual" or "life-as-usual" basis. Nevertheless, when regulations and restrictions are applied, there is an amazing amount of complaining.

The progress of the American people on the home front does not bear comparison with the achievements or accomplishments of our armed forces. We have millions of young Americans who may lose their lives in defense of this country. They deserve the unstinted support of every individual at home and it is quite apparent that our fighting men are not receiving this all out support.

Civilians must make up their minds to be loyal and patriotic and to accept the inconveniences of war. They might, at the same time, thank God that they are not in some desert fox-hole, dodging the bullets of the enemy, or floating in dark waters praying that some miracle will encompass their rescue.

It is Easy to Criticize

It is very easy for individuals to criticize anything and everything limas were outstanding in quality. that happens on the home front. Anything that threatens the pocketbook nerve brings a howl that reaches up to high heaven. Meantime, these luke-warm Americans are blatant in their criticism of our military and naval leaders and bombastic in their boasts as to what the Army storage in excellent condition. and Navy should do.

While we hope that the war will end sooner than most officials predict (and there are some grounds for such a hope), the loyal citizen at home must resolutely accept additional hardships, inconveniences and suffering before complete victory can be attained. Just as it is the duty of our soldiers and sailors to accept hardship and danger, it is the imperative duty of patriots at home to accept the disarrangement of their personal and business lives.

Cooperation at Home Necessary

Without the cheerful cooperation of the millions of men, women and children who now reside peacefully and safely at home, this nation cannot expect to accomplish its necessary aims in the present war. The grumbling of thoughtless Americans represents a real deterrent to victory and it must end if the nation is to achieve complete success

This article is not directed to any individual or group anywhere. It is a direct challenge to every individual who reads it. The duty of supporting one's country in time of war is not the exclusive duty of fighting men. It is the privilege of all Americans who believe in democracy, who appreciate the virtues of the American way of life and who wish to live, in future years, in a world where individuals can enjoy freedom and develop their personalities in accordance with the highest laws of life.

Ans .- The elevation of the White House is fifty feet and that of the and was in Germany in 1939, making students at the High School each | Capitol is ninety feet. ing contact with anti-Nazis in the year. Might be a good move to put German army.

J. R. E .- Why is the Red Sea red?

a chair on the stage for an Alumni Ans .-- The Red Sea is so-called because of the red color imparted to Association officer at the formal ded-

the surface water of certain portions of the sea by millions of tiny one- EXCELLENT SPEAKERS celled plants. G. N. C .-- Please list some famous people who were noted for their

Chances are you call yourself a ability to memorize. voter-but are you? Just because Ans .-- Justus Lipsius, Belgian scholar, is said to have committed to you are of age and registered once

memory the whole of Tacitus; Macaulay learned "Pilgrim's Progress" and meetings doesn't necessarily mean you can "Paradise Lost." Lord Granville was able to repeat the New Testament in The first of these programs was and other things when climbing into a rumble seat. the original Greek, and Euler, the mathematician, knew all the Aeneid presented Friday evening. March 5. eral factors which you may have for-

from memory. The subject "Gardening," was fully gotten all about may cancel your T. P .- Do birds in flight ever crash through the windshields of air- discussed by Prof. Stout, who is pro right to vote. If you have moved. planes? even from one house to another in

Ans.-They do, and have been the cause of numerous accidents. In vania State College. The talk was the same precinct, and haven't notified the registration board at the several instances birds have also penetrated the bulkhead, traveled the demonstrated clearly by colored after taking one small dose at night, upon awak ming in the morning I Court House, your right to vote is entire length of the cabin and passed through the rear wall. Methods of slides shown by R. C. Blaney, agricultural extension agent of Centre open to challenge. If you are a womprotecting pilots are now being worked out.

an and have been married since you D. E. Y .- Why is amber associated with tears?

The following points were brought registered, you can't vote unless your Ans .- The legend is that when Zeus saw that the whole earth was to be destroyed, he seized one of his thunderbolts and hurled it at Phaethon, soil, fertilizers, kinds of seeds found out in the discussion; preparing the name has been corrected on the registration records. If you haven't who fell into the River Eridanus, now called the Po. His sisters, the most suited to this climate through Heliades, who stood on the bank weeping, were turned into poplar trees, experiments at the college, and the voted for two years, your name automatically has been stricken from the and their tears fell into the stream and became amber. storage of fruits and vegetables for voting lists. All such changes and

C. C .- What or where is Zamzam? corrections must be made on or be-

Ans .-- The sacred well in the heart of the city of Mecca. Arab tradi-The second program was presented fore August 14 to qualify you to vote at the primaries September 14. If tion maintains that it is the very well that was shown to Hagar when the Friday, March 19, after the regular was wandering with Ishmael in the desert. buisness meeting of the Grange. The you will become 21 years of age beprogram was opened by Worthy fore September 14 you can qualify

S. P .- When are the time signals sent out from Arlington? Ans .- The Federal Communications Commission says that the time ing before August 14. All matters

signals are not being sent out from Arlington, Va., during the war period. H. E. W .- Does a butterfly have blood?

group. Then Miss Bertha Rimmey, taken care of in the County Com-Ans .- It has. The color of butterfly blood is pale amber, though it Red Cross nurse of the Chapter, and missioners' offices in the Court Mrs. Jean Harris, secretary of the varies with the different species. House. Be sure your registration is

F. F .- Do women have two more ribs than men?

Ans .-- Both men and women have twelve ribs on each side.

S. N. D .- Where was Julius Caesar buried?

Ans .- The body was burned on a funeral pile and the ashes interred scription of the work done by the you to climb that beam." FOR FREEZER STORAGE in the tomb of the Caesers in the Campus Martinus in Rome,

E. U .- What is the smallest printing type that has been made for hand including services to soldiers in for- up." Extensive tests conducted at the setting? eign lands and in the U.S., those Pennsylvania State College show

that some varieties of fruits and Ans .- The smallest piece of type ever made probably was 3½ point. vegetables come out of frozen stor- This small type was made by the American Type Founders some time age in better condition than others. ago, but apparently, it is not extensively used today.

For growing in home gardens and M. A. Y .- How many convicts were transported to Australia? storage in freezer-lockers, the ex-

Ans .-- Altogether the convict system brought about 150,000 persons to periments conducted by G. J. Stout, Australia, many for offenses which now would be considered trivial, W. B. W .- Of what ancestry is Gen, Dwight D. Eisenhower?

Ans .-- General Eisenhower is American born for several generations. His ancestry is Swiss.

J. L. E .- What is the nearest land to the North Pole?

Wax, and Giant Stringless, Giant Ans,-Greenland. It stretches to a point within 450 miles of the North the control center, and those on the Podded pole lima beans proved the Pole.

best pole variety tested for storage N. P. E.-Who was the first foreign diplomat to be received by Stalin? ber of ladies who are serving on the by freezing, while Fordbook bush Ans .- Anthony Eden, who visited Russia in 1933, was the first foreign food and housing committee were diplomat ever to be received by Stalin.

Likewise, Lincoln 21, Carmelcross J. J.-How much pay did soldiers of the United States, Great Britain, fourth degrees will be conferred by 11, Earligold, and Patrick Henry France, Italy and Germany receive during the first World War? sweet corn came through freezer

Ans.—The rates of pay were as follows: United States, \$1 per day; members in the near future. The Great Britain, thirty-six cents per day; France, five cents per day; Italy, third and fourth girls' degree team Peas which will keep best frozen two to four cents per day; Germany, ten cents per day. are those which are tender, sweet,

Pastor's Wife Saves Child

variety, these tests show. Mild to semi-sour fruits, such as Linda Dutrow, 3. daughter of Mr. tumbled into the water. purple, red and black raspberries, and Mrs. Homer L. Dutrow, Dunpeaches, sour cherries, gooseberries, cansville, had a narrow escape from currants, blueberries and rhubarb, drowning last Tuesday afternoon stored well by freezing, but in most when she fell in the swift water of cases, good quality was dependent Blair's Creek and was carried nearly upon the addition of some sugar or a quarter-mile down stream before syrup at time of packing. The best being rescued by Mrs. L. Vance way found to store strawberries was Green, wife of Rev. Green, pastor of to split the berries, pack in dry su- the Hicks Memorial Methodist gar, and freeze immediately, church. The child was playing along

the bank of the stream, tossing Advertising does to business what stones and sticks into the water. yeast does to dough, but you have along with her cousin, Patty Piper, to know something about the use of 4 daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey both if you expect to get the best Piper, and Tommy Green, also 4, son of Rev. and Mrs. Green. She-stepresults.

LUEBERT'S NOX 'EM TABLETS owners in Athens, Bradford county 70 dogs have been rounded up and They contain analgesie drugs which help mitigate these conditions. Try them ding to simple precationary direc--if not antisfied your money relisposed of in the past two months. Chief Alan J. Donlon has announced that all dogs found loose on Price 60c and \$1.26 per box at draggints the streets will be brought in and disposed of without further warning,

His Error

Pat wanted to borrow some money from Mike, who happened to have a small boy with him at the moment.

"Tis a fine kid you have there, Mike," said Pat, "A magnificent head and noble features. Could you loan me a ten?" AT GRANGE MEETINGS

"I could not," replied Mike. "Tis me wife's child by her first husband."

. . . Mostly Other Things

lecturers' programs at its March A woman's magazine remarks that a well bred girl shows great agility

. . .

Time Turned Backward

Quack Medicine Vender: "Ladies and gentlemen, I might mention fessor of Gardening at the Pennsylas a slight testimonial to this world-famed 'rejuvenator,' that a year ago, said to my wife, 'Mother, give me my satchel, I shall be late for school'

. . . Why He's Unhappy

No wonder the little duckling Wears on his face a frown. For it has just discovered Its first pair of pents was down. . . .

Book Store Sign

"Read Mein Kampf before it's too late."

. . . Only One to Thank

German Mother-"Remember, Fritzie, when you are saving your prayers to say "Thank God' and "Thank Herr Hitler"."

Fritzie-"Mother, what will I say when Hitler dies?"

His Mother-"Well, dear, you just say "Thank God"."

Fleet Talk

. . .

Gap, were introduced by the lectur-Two inmates of an asylum were strolling around the grounds one night. One had a flashlight which he pointed to the sky and said, "I dare Miss Rimmey gave a detailed de-

"I will not," said the other. "you'd turn it out when I got half way Bellefonte Chapter of the Red Cross,

. . .

Screwball Story

British Sailor-"Battleships. Wh), the flagship of our navy is so big that the captain goes around the deck in his auto."

American Sallor-"You ought to see our flagship. Have a look at the Mrs. Harris explained the duties galley. It's so large the cook has to go through the Irish stew in a subof different units of the Civilian De- marine to see if the potatoes are cooked."

. . .

That's all, folks. The difference between a cow and a baby is that a cow drinks water to make milk and the baby drinks milk. - "SCAT"





sacciated with Rheumat iciatics, Lumbage and sin often find prompt relief

ped too close to the stream bank and

70 Dogs Seized

A. G. Luebert, P.D., Coatesville, Pa. whether or not they are licensed.

in concentration camps, the sewing department, the making of surgical dressings, the teaching of first aid and home nursing, and types of calls made by the Red Cross nurse

county

fall and winter use.

er, Mrs. James Biddle.

Master Joseph Owens, giving a read-

ing entitled "St. Patrick's Day." "My

Wild Irish Rose" was sung by the

Civilian Defense Council of Pleasant

fense Council of this area. She outlined the work of doctors, nurses, first aiders, home nurses, messengers, wardens, firemen, ambulance drivers,

auxiliary policemen, those serving in food and housing committee. A num-

present to hear the discussion. The first and second and third and

Logan Grange on a class of new

will take the better ritual test. The Grange has given its hall to be used for first aid instruction on

Wednesday afternoons. The class is to be started April 7 at 1 p. m., and will be instructed by Mrs. Wilbur Breon, Anyone interested in the course should contact either Mrs. Breon or Mrs. James Biddle.

Despite repeated warnings to dog