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EDITORIAL

Despite present rationing the people of the United States remain the best-fed in the world.

Every bomb that hits an industrial plant in Nazi-held Europe helps save the lives of Allied soldiers.

We don't know how the Victory Gardens will get along with the Victory Flocks that some people are raising.

MUSSOLINI AND HITLER PARTY

Hitler and Mussolini, it is said, recently conferred, with Mussolini pleading for more guns and planes to defend Italy and Hitler offering to send more German Elite Guards, which Mussolini declined.

Obviously, Italy is fearful of an Allied invasion, The Italians know that they are up against more than they expected when II Duce stabbed France in the back and, naturally, they want help from Der Puehrer.

Hitler is not inclined to give up guns and planes to Mussolini, probably because he has no hallucination about the fighting stamina of the Italian army. He prefers to take over Italy and defend it with his own

Just what will happen if the United Nations make a determined attack upon Italy is speculative but there is more than a suspicion that something will crack and that it will not be the Allied offensive, Certainly, events in Tunisia indicate that it will not be the Allied

Certainly, events in Tunisia indicate that the world will soon know what the Allied high command has planned as its next venture toward the defeat of the Axis aggressors. This is what worries Mussolini and it is more than enough to explain the conference of the two leaders,

WE STAND IN LINE AND WAIT

We, the American people, are developing a trend in waiting. For the non-essentials of life, it seems as if we like to stand in line and wait and wait and wait.

We head for a ball game or a prize fight and stand in line in weather, come hot or cold or rain or snow, and wait and wait and wait, Vet, if it were either hot or cold or rain or snow, we could not possibly think of going out of the house to go to Church.

We go to the races and stand in line before a mutual window while the crowd just about tears off our clothes, all the while understanding that we are just another sucker.

Yet, if we had to wait for a split second to get waited on in the cor-

ner grocery, we would be off, riled. In a nearby county we saw them lined up recently before a slot machine and every man in line, if he had the brains of a bat, must have known that he was putting his quarters down a rat hole.

Yet, if Sonny Boy wanted money for a pair of new shoes, there would be a growl about-wearing out so many shoes.

We go to a cafeteria and stand in line and wait and wait Yet, if mom does not have the dinner ready to "shump on" on the

dot, we squat down and eat with a grouch and get the dyspepsia. We go to places of amusement and wait in line.

Yet, if the newspaper carrier, wading through weather not fit for a dog to be out in, is a few minutes late we growl and growl,

SHADOWS OVER HARRISBURG

We just cannot wait.

"If we are forced into war," wrote Thomas Jefferson, a century and a half ago, "we must give up political differences of opinion and unite as one man to defend our country. But whether at the close of such a war we should be as free as we are now, God knows."

We have thought about that remark many times since the war was forced upon us and we have seen apparent indications that we are seeing ourselves and others in a new light.

We have hoped that the Jestersonian expression, we must give up our political differences of opinion and unite as one man to defend our country. We had a Utopian hope that we could adopt that in toto and also by leaving off the "to defend our country.

Of course we would unite to defend our country. But we are hoping too that the experience would teach us the wisdom of the first part of

When the present regime took over at Harrisburg and our own General Martin became Governor Martin, we hoped even more that petty

politics would be forgotten. And when his administration took over with such a general gesture of men seeing eye to eye for the good of the commonwealth our hopes rose appreciably.

It is beginning to appear that all men at Harrisburg are not seeing eye to eye. It seems that politics will be injected to disrupt the program

If this develops, it will be generally regretted. It is not important from which side of the political fence the initiative or the offense comes, both will suffer. There is a phase of office holding which all too many men fail to

fashion legislation to fit themselves. A measure should and must be considered on its merits and on its affect on all peoples and not how it will affect the political destiny of one man or a group of men, There are rumblings being heard and they have ominous portent. We hope that they will disappear in the light of reason and a break

sp. They are servants of the people and not sent to the state halls to

between administration and a minority group will not develop.—From Canonsburg Notes.

LOUISA'S LETTER

The boy I am engaged to has been rejected by the army. He is a fine fellow but has never been a moneymaker. He has a job and really works hard but he makes very little more than I do. We have been engaged a long time and he is beginning to worry about me. He says that his prospects are so poor and that he feels that he is treating me unfairly by keeping me bound to him. Now, Louisa, we could be married tomorrow if he would only be willing for me to keep my job but he has always said that his wife shall not work outside the home. Don't

him to take? "DISCOURAGED."-Penn.

you think this is a silly stand for

Answer: I think it is far better for two people who love each other to go on and get married and both of them help make the living than to keep on being engaged year after year with no prospect at all of even getting married. I think too, that it is better for you to 'keep' on working at your job than to marry and have to work yourself to death trying to make one dollar do the work of five. Why some men are willing to let their women slave and drudge 16 or 17 hours a day at home for nothing and object to them working six or eight hours a day in an office for good pay is a mystery. In these times, particularly, where there is no place for an idle man or woman, it is essential that every person keep on with the job that, he or she can has a length of 3897 miles. do especially well.

I do not advocate a woman with little children working outside the home unless by doing so she furnishes the necessities of life. No one was destroyed, exclusive of mere window breaking. can take the place of a good mother and a child's welfare and morals are ried? more important than luxuries. But there is no reason in the world for an able bodied woman to live in idleness just because she is a married woman.

LOUISA.

Dear Louisa: this thing of entertaining the service men too far. One of my friends has two high school daughters and she allows them to go out with men she knows absolutely nothing about just dation for such a belief. because they have on uniforms. She has always been rather strict about

"FRIEND"-Ala.

Answer Putting on a uniform doesn't Bank. hange a man's morals at all and it passing strange that mothers who last war? ave always been careful of their to any "wolf" in a uniform.

I think we should do everything we can for the men in the service and the majority of them are fine fellows but some of them are far from fine and are most certainly not high school girls. Have them in your them before you trust them too far. LOUISA.

Farmers Must Do Double Feeding Job

erroneous general feeling that plenty of scrap was accumulated in 1942

The falsity of the rumor that there will be "plenty of scrap" is apparent when some of the following reasons for shortage are consider-

New steel-producing capacity will equire scrap and pig iron hereto- States are North Dakota, Utah and Arkansas. ore available to other consumers.

The dormant scrap program in in- of age? justry may not yield as much tonnage as was hoped for because, gen- mals known to exceed fifty years of age. erally speaking, new machines are not available to replace old ones which in normal times would be

Overseas ingot shipments carry teen became a baker's dozen. with them the by-product production scrap normally available to do-

nestic mills.

than during new car manufacturing periods.

The fact that the manufacture of farm equipment is curtailed makes farmers hesitant to scrap machinery which might eventually "come in handy." The current farm scrap

recurring. So-called Special Projects-buildings, bridges, rails, etc -- are non-recurring. Almost obsolete structures are being repaired and preserved for

the duration. The current war-time manufacure of ships, guns and tanks, un- the French army list. like the peace-time manufacture of automobiles, refrigerators, etc., beomes somebody else's scrap overseas instead of being returned as scrap

to our own mills. These are a few of the most obious factors now being considered workers. by those experts attempting to forecast the scrap situation.

Some idea of the terrific rate a which scrap is being consumed is indicated by the fact that steel mills need approximately 1,000,000 tons of scrap per week in order to operate at capacity. This tremendous conuming figure shows how little in relation to the need the farmer is

onths of 1943. The task of collecting scrap is far from finished. Until our fighting fishing off the Grand Banks of Newfoundland. forces are victorious it will be neces sary to continue to support them with mountains of scrap.

Men who give up jobs in civilian life to fight at \$50 a month find it difficult to understand the wrang- dency? ling in this country over higher pay and increased prices.

AMERICAN HEROES



Just before the orders to commence firing, our radio station on Midway was blown to bits. Marine Sgt. Harold P. Hazelwood, the operator, was severely wounded by shrapnel. Despite his serious wounds, he assembled parts and sent out the firing orders that saved the day. Your money is needed to "save the day" every pay day, You've done your bit; now do your best-Buy more War Bonds,

Query & Answer Column

L. S. T .- Which is the longest boundary of the United States? Ans.—The boundary between the United States and Canada, which

E. B. J .- What was the figure recently announced as to the number of houses destroyed in Great Britain in air raids? Land where each narrow bigot Ans.-The British Minister of Health stated that one house in five

P. D .- In which room of the White House was Harry Hopkins mar-

Ans.-Hopkins was married July 30, 1942, shortly after noon in the President's Oval Study in the White House.

C. T. M .- What was the last play in which John Wilkes Booth appeared? Ans.-The actor's last appearance was at Ford's Theater in Wash- School 10 a. m. Holy Communion 11

days before he shot President Lincoln. Don't you think we are carrying _____ M. E.—What is the origin of the belief that to shave the upper lip all services. weakens the eyesight?

Ans.-The origin of this superstition is not known, even though it Hubbersburg-Zion Reformed Charge has prevailed in various parts of the world. There appears to be no foun-A. L. O .- What is the origin of the name Galilee?

who they went with before. I wish cuit, the Jews being in the habit of passing around the district instead Church School 9:30 a. m. The Easter you would write something about of through it because it was inhabited partly by Gentiles. R. N. F .-- What office does Mr. Ruml of the pay-as-you-go plan hold?

Ans.-Beardsley Ruml is treasurer of R. H. Macy and Company, New York department store, and chairman of the New York Federal Reserve a. m.; morning worship, 11:00 a. m. E. F. N.-What is the number of West Point graduates killed in the Bible Study class Monday, April 26.

Ans -Of the 3081 graduates of the United States Military Academy Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. Specdaughters associates will trust them who served in the first World War, 33 were killed.

H. D. C.-When were bachelor's degrees first granted? Ans.—The first were given at Harvard University in September, 1642 S. K. B .- Which is correct, able seaman or able-bodied seaman?

Ans,-The United States Maritime Commission says that the term afe companions for impressionable originally applied to seamen was able bodied (abbreviated to A. B.). Able seamen is a shortened form. A seaman is not an able bodied seaman until homes and find out something about he has had a certain amount of training and experience.

> B. T .- Which nation possesses the most colonies in Africa? Ans,-The colonial empire of France exceeds in area the African Worship 10:30; Church School 9:30 possessions of any other country.

T. K. E .- In what part of the eye is the sharpest vision? Ans .- That part of the retina known as the fovea centralis is the eye's point of sharpest vision.

S. Y .- What is the fastest sport? Ans.-Ice hockey is said to be the fastest of competitive games,

D. D .- Is cedar wood used for making pencils? Ans.—Pencils are made of both southern cedar wood and western firmation of our Faith." 7:30 p. m. incense cedar wood. Southern cedar wood, for the manufacture of wood The Choir will sing the cantata, pencils, has become very scarce, so that western incense cedar wood is "The Evangel of Easter." Holy

largely used at this time. N. C. W .- What states have the lowest death rate? Ans.-The three states with the lowest death rate in the United

R. M.-What mammals besides man live to be more than fifty years Ans .- The Asiatic elephant and the horse are the only other mam-

Ans.-When a heavy penalty was inflicted for short weight, bakers gave an extra measure to avoid all risk of incurring a fine; hence thir-

G. E-When was the first cabinet meeting held? Ans.-What may be regarded as the first cabinet meeting was held

on April 11, 1791, at Washington's request. It was attended by Jefferson Auto graveyards are receiving and as Secretary of State, Hamilton as Secretary of the Treasury, Knox as herefore producing far less jalopies secretary of War, and Adams as Vice-President. O. P. E.-What are the height and weight qualifications for admis-

sion to the Marine Corps Women's Reserve? Ans.-Women must be at least five feet in height and weigh at least vices at 10:45 a. m. Christian En-

B. K. N .- How fast does the average person speak? Ans.—The average person speaks from 90 to 150 words per minute. yield can be said to be "almost non- The rate at which he increases speed under excitement depends entirely on the individual. D. S. P .- Where did Christopher Columbus learn navigation?

Ans.-According to the Life of Columbus by his son, Ferdinand, which might normally be scrapped Christopher Columbus was sent to the University of Pavia, where he Brethren church will render a canstudied astronomy, geometry and cosmography. A. L. T .- Who is the highest ranking officer in the French army?

Ans.-Gen. Henri Honore Giraud is the highest ranking officer in day evening at 7:30. The contents of G. M.—Is a warrant officer in the Army entitled to a salute? Ans.-Warrant officers in the Army are now entitled to the salute and choir; solo by Mrs. D. H. Heim; "O

other courtesies of the service normally granted commissioned officers,

S. S.-What per cent of war workers are women? Ans.—In December 1942, women comprised 30 per cent of all war choir; "Now Is Christ Ri.en," choir; kers. "Jesus Lives," bass solo and choir; L. M. W.-When were taxes first levied?

Ans.—There is no record of the exact origin of taxes. In ancient times tribute and returns from the public domain supported the government. Taxation grew out of voluntary contributions characteristic of primitive society. Private property developed first and charges of various kinds were made, and finally, there were compulsory contributions apportioned among persons according to certain standards.

B. McQ.—Who originated the saying that corporations have no souls? Ans.—Sir Edward Coke is the outhor of the phrase which was used sister, Mrs. Raymond Walker, left Mrs. Sidney Smith of Bellwood, Pa., last Saturday for Army camp. and Miss Joan Shroder of Altoona. sked to produce in the first six in the trial of the case of Sutton's Hospital in 1612. K. M.-What kind of a ship is a banker?

> G. M. D.-Who were the three men who met with Hitler at Munich trips Ans.—They were Neville Chamberlain, Eduard Daladier and Benito Mussolini.

O. O. S .- Who was the youngest man ever nominated for the Presi-Ans.-William Jennings Bryan, who was a candidate in 1896 at the Thursday to see Miss Ruth Furl who guests at Mr. and Mrs. Richard age of 36, was the youngest man ever nominated for that office.

AMERICAN STRENGTH By H. I. Phillips

("Three American airmen, Edward Mallory Vogel, Tennessee; Goldberg, the Bronx, N. Y., and Edwin J. Sipowski, Waukegan, Ill., killed in a take-off in San Juan Harbor, were buried side by side, with a Protestant chaplain, a Roman Catholic priest and a rabbi officiating. The flag for which they fought flew over them."-News Item.)

A chaplain, a priest and a rabbi-Protestant-Catholic-Jew-Three colors, red, white and blue;

A hush on a tropic island As notes from a bugle fall-Three rituals slowly chanted-Three faiths in a common call!

A lad from the Bronx; another Who joined up in Tennessee; A third one from far Waukegan-A typical bunch, those three! A crash in a naval airplane A rush to its crumpled side And nearby Old Glory marking

The reason the trio died.

They answered a call to duty From church and from synagogue from hillside and teeming city Three names in a naval log! Each raised in his separate concepts. Each having his form to pray-But all for a faith triumphant When rituals fade away!

prayer in Latin phrases-And one with more ancient lore; A Protestant simple service-All one on a distant shore! "Qui tollis peccata mundi" A blessing from ancient Moses For three who had met the test!

his is the story mighty Making our sinews strong: Boys from the many altars Warring on one great wrong! This is the nation's power. This is its suit of mail:

Knows that he can't prevail!

Advent Church C. C. Shuey, Pastor. Sunday teach him a lesson, so I said I'd go with him." ington, in "The Apostate." This was on March 18, 1865, twenty-seven a.m., Christian Endeavor 2:30 p. m., Mrs. Olive Rhoads president, Serviecs at 7:45, everybody welcome to

Charles G. Link, minister, Schedule for April 25: Hublersburg Church School 9:30 a. m. and Holy Ans,-Galilee is derived from the Hebrew word galil, meaning circ Communion 19:30 a. m. Zion: Union

program 7:30 p. m.

Preschyterian Charge

Port Matilda-Bible school, 10:00 Unionville-Evening worship, 7:30; Milesburg-Bible school, 9:30 a. m.; ial service appropriate to Easter, 7:30 p. m. Howard E. Oakwood, min-

Nittany Evangeliral-Reformed Services in the Nittany Valley charge for Sunday, April 25 are as ing eyes, exclaimed to the rookie, "For the love of Mike, do you know Worship follows: Salona: School 9:30; Church School 9:30; Mt. Bethel, Church School 9:30; Jacksonville: Holy Communion. John B. Gulick, Pastor.

St. John's Lutheran, Bellefonte The Rev. Clarence E. Arnold, Pastor. Easter Sunday, April 25. 9:30 a. m. The Sunday School; 10:45 a. m. The Holy Communion with Address, "The Resurrection the Con-Communion will be administered Good Friday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Bellefonte Methodist

Rev. H. C. Stenger, Jr., minister The Easter sermon will be preached at the sunrise service at 6:30 o'clock. The subject: A Risen Servant; Church School 9:30, Harold A. Wion Superintendent, Morning Worship and Holy Communion at 10:45 a. m. The evening service at 7:30 with the pastor speaking on the subject That Foolish Cross.

United Brethren, Bellefonte

G. E. Householder, pastor. Early morning services at 6:30. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., Wilson R. Shope Supt. in charge. Reception of members, baptism and communion serdeavor services at 6:30 p. m. Easter Meditation following a cantata by the senior choir, by the pastor at 7:30 p. m. Official Board meeting on Monday evening at 7:30. Prayer and Bible study Wednesday evening at

The senior choir of the United tata entitled "Now Is Christ Risen, by Arthur Thomas Gilbert, on Sun the cantata are as follows: "Awake Thou That Sleepest," choir; "Green Palms and Branches," solo and Lamb of God," quartette; "In the Quiet Garden," women's two-part you, sir. I was looking all over for that." solo by V. A. Householder; "My ing some and on Sunday April 18th Heart is a Garden," alto solo by Teresa Entriken; "Lift Up Your Heads," choir.

RUNVILLE

Mr. Lewis Laird, who has been staying the past winter, with his last Saturday for Army camp. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Estright Pa., were Sunday visitors at the and family of Harrisburg are spend- home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mil-Ans,-Bankers are fast-sailing two-masted schooners engaged in ing a few days vacation visiting re-

> Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gunsallus at 10:30, Communion and Baptism and children visited relatives at Nit- service included, there will be special tany Sunday. Mrs. Katherine Furl and Mr. and you are all invited to these services Mrs. Richard Purl motored to Phil-

is a patient there. She is improv- Furl's, Sunday.

latives and is enjoying some fishing

"A Little Nonsense Now and Then, Is Relished by the Wisest Men"

Loraine's a WUMP

News Item-"First WUMP, woman umpire, Loraine Heinisch, of Kenosha, has been assigned to work in Wisconsin by Ray Dupont, presi-Three Yanks in three simple caskets dent of the National Semi-Pro Baseball Congress)

Sally's a WAAC and a very nice girl, And Mary's a SPAR so brave,

While Lucy's a WHIP, and she sure is a pip, And Helen's a brand new WAVE. Oh, the WAITS and the MOPS are fun to be with While a WAAF is a WOW to woo,

> . . . Short Story

But there's one kind of girl has sure got me down

That's WUMP (woman umpire to you).

Sign in a closed cafe at Topeka, Kansas: "No cook. "No meat.

"No more eat."

. . . Easter Geetings

The rabbits are a funny race, The things they do are a disgrace; You'd be amazed if you but knew The awful things that rabbits do-

> . . . Melting Words

A soldier recently returned from Iceland said it was so cold there

and often, too.

that the candle froze and he couldn't blow it out." "That's nothing," boasted the boy on furlough from Alaska, "Up our way it was so darn cold that when the top sarge bawled us out his words came out in ice cubes and we had to thaw them out to find out what he

. . .

Tale of a Tailor Sailor

(Sign in a shop window) I have closed my shop to join the Navy, We'll free the world, and I don't mean maybe And when I'm through being a sailor, I'll come back and be your tailor

Who's Laughing Now? "You look fed up, Mr. Jones." "Yes, I've had a trying day. My office boy tried that old gag about wanting the day off to attend his grandmother's funeral. I thought I'd

"Not a bad idea. Wasn't it a good baseball game?" "It wasn't a baseball game. It was his grandmother's funeral."

> Those Cellar Blues The tears were in the tater's eyes,

The cabbage hung his head. All was sorrow in the cellar that night, For the vinegar's mother was dead.

Embarrassing Moment It was one of mother's busiest days. Her small son, who had been

playing outside, came in with his pants torn. "You go right in, remove your pants and mend them yourself," his Some time later she went to see how he was getting on. The torn

pants were lying on a chair. The door to the cellar, usually closed, was open and she called down, loudly and sternly, "Are you running around down there without your pants on?"

A deep voice answered, "No, madam, I'm reading the gas meter."

Rookies, Please Note The story is told of a raw army recruit who recently arrived in Africa. He was standing outside his tent doing nothing, when a man in unit passed. "Hey, buddy," the rookie said, "give us a light, will you?"

The stroller obliged. As he walked away, another soldier, with star-

7:30, who that was? That's General Eisenhower.' Flabbergasted, the newcomer ran after the General, "I'm so sorry,

he apologized, "I'm afraid all uniforms look alike to me over here, sir. I hope you won't . . . Eisenhower smiled and patted the man on the shoulder, "That's all

right son. Only-" he paused, and his eyes twinkled, "only, take my aq-

Blushes in Order

vice and never try it on a second lieutenant."

Bride (buying stove)-"Please sir, I'd like a little oven." Salesman (accommodatingly)-"Er-pardon me; but not while your husband's along."

A Scotchman had been complaining of insomnia, "Even counting

Bedtime Story

sheep is no good," he sighed. "I counted 10,000, sheared 'em, combed the wool, had it spun into cloth . . . made into suits . . . took 'em to town . . . and lost \$21 on the deal. So I haven't slept for a week."

Fancy Finance

During a Juli in A. E. F. activities in London, a colored boy from Chattanooga got in a poker game with a few English chaps, Picking up his cards he found four aces. Someone had just bet one pound and the colored boy said, "I don't know how yo' boys count yo' money, but I'll just raise yo' one ton."

Says You "They sure are spoilin' our byes in them army camps," said Mrs. McGinnis. "I hear they let 'em sleep every mornin' till six."

Good Sign Sign in an English subway station: "Trains, buses and Rommel still running."

Miscount German flyer (at gates of heaven)-"We'd like to come in." St. Peter-"How many are there in your group?"

Flyer-"Forty." St. Peter-"Sorry, only four of you can enter." Flyer-"Why?"

St. Peter-"That's all Goebbels said were shot down." . . . Logan Branch Chatter First Trouter-"Caught any yet?"

Second Trouter-"Nope, but I had one so tame he was eating off my That's all, folks. Then there's the fellow who complained that he'd found a collar button in his soup and the waiter beamed, "Oh, thank

Mrs. Katherine and Richard Purl motored back to Philadelphia to bring Miss Ruth back home along, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Poorn and son Douglas of Williamsport, Pa visited with parents, Sunday Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Smith and son of Warriors Mark, Pa., and Mr. and

Easter Sunday April 25th Sunday School at 9:30 and Worship service Easter songs at all services. Com-Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bennett and last children of Milesburg, was dinner Schaeffer Hardware BELLEFONTE, PA.

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