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EDITORIAL

every time.

The farmers of Centre county are waging a battle that is as vital as that on the firing line; they deserve the sympathetic understanding of

NEEDED FOR WARFARE

"It requires oceans of oil to prosecute the spectacular Tunisian of-fensive," declares Secretary of the Interior Ickes, He adds, "It is requiring still more oceans of oil to get ready for the vastly greater offen-

The statements go far to answer the complaints of civilians who dislike present gasoline restrictions. So far as we are concerned there is only one question to be asked

at this time, about the emergency war regulations: "Are they designed to strengthen our fighting men on the battle-fronts?" If the answer is affirmative, then we are for them, regardless of in-

convenience, imperfect enforcement and administrative errors. Those who would avoid the drastic regulation of war can do so. Let them join the fighting forces, somewhere, and get all that they desire.

WE ARE TIRED OF THIS

We don't know how other people feel but, for ourselves, we are getting a little bit tired of this fighting foreign barbarians under a pledge not to "get anything" as a result of our struggle.

The idea that it is rapacious for the United States to acquire additional oceanic bases, after the present war ends, is absurd. If they are needed for our protection in the future we should not hesitate to keep

The situation in Martinique illustrates the point, The French Admiral flouts this nation, knowing that we have said that we have no designs against French territory. He has nothing to lose. There is no motive for him to get on the winning side. The same observation applies to some other nations. They do as

they please, satisfied that if the United Nations win the war their territory will be respected. They have little incentive to desert the Axis because if the Axis wins they will be sitting pretty and if the Axis loses the pledge of the United Nations will protect them.

SUPPLY AND DEMAND

A "used baby carriage" brought \$7 at sale by custom officials of unclaimed articles in New York last week. A great metropolitan newspaper solemnly reports the used baby carriage was appraised at only \$5 and sold for \$7, which is an increase or "inflation" of 40 per cent. The list included goods ranging from an old radio that sold for 25 cents to 32,000 gallons of vermouth that brought \$3.20 a gallon, Many items brought higher prices than the appraised values.

Human nature is the same, whether on Broadway, N. Y., or a barnyard in Centre county, where second-hand articles, especially farm machinery and equipment, at public sales this spring have sold above original cost prices in many cases. It's the age-old story of supply and

What the price-fixing fellows seem to overlook in making up their blueprints is that the second half of the economic law-demand-depends so much on human nature. We want what we can't get. Gold always was in demand, because it was always hard to get and everybody wanted it. The same is true of the lowly potato now, which not so long ago went begging at 50 cents a bushel.

ORTHODOX NONSENSE

Frederick C. Crawford, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, says we must face realism "after years of seeking the easy detour around orthodox economics." This is nonsense, "Orthodox economics," so-called, operated in full

force and effect in the United States prior to the depression that put the nation on its knees in the early thirties. "We tried to escape the rigors of the depression," says Frederick, by political tinkering in economic fields and stopped the nation cold

in its tracks for the first static decade in history." This is some more junk. The "rigors of the depression" stopped the nation "cold in its tracks" and the most flagrant "tinkering in eco-

nomic fields" is the protective tariff which the National Association of Manufacturers has consistently maintained would provide employment and the full dinner pail. Of course, the president of the tariff lobbying organization doesn't

stop long enough to tell us what caused the depression. As we recall the national set-up, just before the crash that ushered in the New Deal, the rugged individualists and the private-initiative boys were in full control of the nation's economy.

They made a mess of it, and if somebody doesn't watch them they will put over the same job in the future,

efferers from the Pain and discomfort illy associated with Rheumatism, ritts, Sciatica, Lumbago and similar litions often find prompt relief with LUEBERT'S NOX 'EM TABLETS nor a dealer can sell a commercial Mrs. John Cartwright. Price 60c and \$1.20 per box at druggists

They contain analgesic drugs which help mitigate these conditions. Try them coording to simple precautionary directions of satisfied your money re- regulation.

Must Watch Price Ceiling

of all sellers of used commercial ve-

St. John's Evangelical & Reformed Rev. C. Nevin Stamm. Church school, 9:30 a. m., Fred Hayes and Ralph Owens, Supts. Morning worship and sermon, 10:45.

Hublersburg-Zion Reformed Charge Charles G. Link, minister. Hublersburg-Church school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m. Zion-Union Church school, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:30 a. m.

Nittany Valley Lutheran

Rev. David E. Straesser, pastor. Zion-Church school, 9:30 a. m. morning worship, 10:30. St. Mark's-Church school, 9 a. m.; evening worship, 7:30. St. Paul's-Church school, 9:30 a. m.

Presbyterian Charge

Snow Shoe-Bible school, 10 a. m.; morning worship, 11 o'clock. Milesburg-Bible school, 9:30 a. m.; C. E., 6:30 p. m.; evening worship, 7:30. Unionville-Bible study class, Monday, May 31 at 8 p. m. Howard E. Oakwood, minister.

Methodist, Bellefonte Rev. C. H. Stenger, Jr., minister. Church school, 9:30, Harold A. Wjon, Supt. Morning worship, 10:45. Ser-mon by the pastor, "The Tree of Life." Evening worship, 7:30. Sermon by the pastor, "It Seems Right." Mid-Week Prayer service and Bible study on Wednesday at 8 p. m.

St. John's Lutheran, Bellefonte The Rev. Clarence E. Arnold, pastor. Fifth Sunday after Easter, May the Kingdom of Heaven?" 30: 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:45 a. m., the service and sermon, "A Memorial Day." 7:30 p. m., Vespers and sermon, "Builders for God." The Missionary Society will meet on Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Rebersburg Reformed Charge Glenn Weaver, pastor. May 26, June 2 and 9, evening prayer, 7:30, at Rebersburg. May 30, morning ser- ficient vice, 10:15 at Madisonburg. May 30, June 3, evening service, 8 o'clock at Livonia. June 6, morning service, 9:30 Tylersville, June 6, morning service, 11 o'clock at Greenburr, All are invited to worship with us at these services.

United Brethren, Bellefonte

G. E. Householder, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., Wilson R. Shope, Supt. in charge. Preaching at 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., by the pastor. Morning subject, "The Prac-Second Coming of Christ Upon the His Filling." Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Prayer and Bible study Special musical program at the Sunday evening services

First Evangelical, Bellefonte

H. Halbert Jacobs, pastor, 9:30 a Sunday Church school, Edward I Teaman, Supt. 10:35 a. m., preachng service. The sermon will be ap- does increase male over female births. propriate to Memorial Day, 6:30 p. Boy Scout Troop of the church will pastor will speak to the boys on the now, has it been a success. subject, "Kick or Kick-Back." Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock the spec- of 1923? ial hour of prayer. Prayer meeting will follow at 7:30. The Administrative Council meet following prayer service. On Friday evening, May 28, the class taught by Mrs. Jacobs will meet in the Church school room. Mrs. Wallace Ward will be the guest

SNOW SHOE

The Ladies' Bible class of the M. E. church held their monthly business meeting and social in the church parlors Wednesday evening A bake sale was planned for May 29 from 2 to 4 p. m. at the church parlors. After a social evening a potluck supper was served. Those present were: Mesdames Mabel Harnish, Dolly Wenrick, Ann Musser, Mabel Preston, Elsie Shope, Florence Bradley, Viola McNamara, Mary Smith Bea Heshley, Margaret Reigle, Sally Ross, Mabel Lucas, Mary Viehdorfer, Elizabeth Harding, Edith Gilliland and Mrs. Schlabig. Miss Isabel Harm of State College

is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Elsie Shope hinge

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith spent ployes? Thursday evening at Bellefonte. Mrs. Fred Hall, daughters Sherry, Mrs. Edward Hall, son Edward, Jr., the ladies' aunt and uncle, Mr. and in all manufacturing in 1939. Mrs. Homer Bearn of Altoona.

The stork flew over our town and left two baby girls, one at the Philipsburg State Hospital for Mr. and 30 hen's eggs. Mrs. Rex Lucas, and one at the Bellefonte Hospital for Mr. and Mrs. held? Ralph Fishburn.

MOSHANNON

Those who have been on the sick Quick, Mrs. Walter Holt, Mrs. Chas. 1622 the furnace was destroyed during the Indian Massacre. Guenot, Mrs. Catherine Borger and Cyrus Schnarrs. We are glad to re- V-12? port that Mrs. Holt and Mr. for the ones who are not able to nical subjects. April 2 was the date when examinations for this program lard and who are not making rebe out at this writing.

Mrs. Ambers Fye and daughter Gladyce, made a business trip to Philipsburg one day last week. daughter Geraldine, Mrs. Sarah Fye and daughter Gladyce, and Miss Bellefonte last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mandres Carlson The Williamsport District Office of and two sons called at the Milford Price Administration calls attention Martin home on Sunday, Miss Geraldine E. Cartwright has hicles, whether private owners or returned to Philadelphia on Monday prise. dealers, to OPA Regulation No. 341 to resume her duties, after spending under which neither a truck owner two weeks with her parents, Mr. and United States?

attacked by an angry bull, and pain-

breaking his arm.



Query & Answer Column

C. E .- Will you please try and tell me where in the Bible I can find "When a man has his hands on the plow and looks back he is not fit for

Ans.-We are referring this question to any of our readers who may have this knowledge, and will be glad to publish the answer if sent in.

C. F .- To what commercial purposes are horse hairs put? Ans.—They are made into fishing lines, used for stuffing chairs and sofas, and are sometimes used in the manufacture of brushes. T. W .- Whose portrait appears on the blue revenue stamp attached

to a package of cigarets? Ans.-DeWitt Clinton P. L. D .- For how long a time after landing is a parachutist self-cuf-

Ans.—Parachutists can be self-sufficient for at least 48 hours because will give you lots of help.

evening service, 7:30, at Rebersburg. of the equipment and food carried with them. B. B.—Where was ginger ale first used?

Ans.—Ginger ale was devised by chemists for the British troops in nervous, overworked mother, and I India

W. B. E.—What trees are not struck by lightning?

Ans.—This immunity has been claimed for ash, beech, birch and maple. However, the safety of any tree is probably governed by its comtrying to curb their high spirits. parative height and whether or not it is isolated. The wisest plan is to rather than give them something to

keep away from trees during a thunder storm. H. C. B.—What are the qualifications for joining the organization If you can keep them busy with known as the Caterpillar Club? Ans.-The Army Air Corps says that the Caterpillar Club is not a real them much easier to nurse.

organization. It is composed of flyers whose lifetime membership becomes When will the war end? Ask everybody and get a different answer tical Effect of the Doctrine of the automatic immediately following an emergency parachute jump. J. K .- Why have men in the Army who have been buying bonds for er than punishing them for doing

Believer." Evening, "The Holy Spir- several months, not received them yet? Ans.-The War Department says that the War Bond Division of the saver, blocks and other simple toys Finance Department is far behind in sending bonds to soldiers from whose are good too. If you can possibly ar-Wednesday evening at 7:30. The pay deductions have been made for the purchase of such bonds. All the range to have some reliable person choirs will rehearse Priday evening. money deducted from a soldier's pay for the purchase of bonds is credited care for them for a few hours a day money deducted from a soldier's pay for the purchase of bonds is credited care for them for a few hours a day to an account established for him in the Finance Department. The inter- and give you a needed rest I am sure est is accruing, and the maturity date is based on the date on which the that you will find them to be much bond is actually paid for.

E. K. F .- Are more male than female babies born in time of war? Ans.—The period of the First World War was marked by substantial condition. inity in Great Britain, Belgium, France and Germany. Thus, for some unknown reason, it appears that a war on such a scale

T. T. H .-- What action has been taken by the states in the movem., The Crusaders. 7:30 p. m., the ment to lower the voting age to 18? Ans.-Though taken up in many state legislatures, the measure genattend the service in a body. The erally has failed to be reported out of committee. Only in Georgia, up to

B. L. D.-Do the people of Japan commemorate the great earthquake Ans.—On September 1 each year, at the sound of a siren, every citi- George J. Bohn, chairman of the

zen bares his head and bows toward Tokyo, in memory of the 99,000 who Victory Garden Committee of Cenlost their lives. P. L. D .- How is the body's weight distributed upon the feet? Ans.—Half the body weight is upon each leg falling squarely upon the able over a longer period of time. talus, a wedge-shaped bone in the ankle. This bone transmits half the

weight to the heel, the other half being distributed among five slender a couple of weeks, it is wise to plant bones, the metatarsals, that extend like fingers down the forepart of the them at two-week intervals. How-

J. W. B .- Who named the Gulf Stream? Ans.-Benjamin Franklin gave it this name,

M. H .- What per cent of the total production of cigarets is used by

armed forces? Ans.-It is estimated that approximately 60 billion cigarets, or 25 per cent of the total, were consumed by the armed forces in 1942.

O. J .- How large a hole in the earth is made by a block buster? Ans.-This 4000-pound demolition bomb blasts a crater some 40 feet across and as deep as a four story building is high.

E. M. C .- Do trees grow more in daytime than during the night? Ans.—It is estimated that almost two-thirds of a tree's growth is made lowed by second sowings include at night. E. E.-Does thinking increase the size of the head?

Ans -There is evidence that the heads of persons doing intense men- kohlrabi, both leaf and head lettuce, tal exercise increase in size more rapidly than others. A. A.—How are the two halves of a Cam shell joined?

Ans.-The two halves of the clam shell are joined by a muscular turnips. M. N.-What is the total amount paid in salaries to government em- row should be with a different type

Ans.—The National Industrial Conference Board estimates the total tuce, spinach and turnips do not for the year 1942 at 131/2 billion dollars exclusive of subsistence to mem- thrive in hot, dry weather, wait un Pat. Cynthia, and son David, and bers of the armed forces. Salaries and wages paid to all government em- til late summer to plant for fall ployes, including Federal, State and local units and the armed services, crops of these vegetables. Then plant

> J. P.-How long does it take an ostrich egg to hatch? Ans.-It takes 42 days. Both the male and female sit on the eggs these and also vegetables of late which weigh from three to four pounds each, and are equivalent to about maturity on the same ground, but

P. M. E.—In what year was the first International Peace Conference lety every 10 days or two weeks to

A. W.-Why did the first American glass furnace stop making window to use in about 75, 85, 95 and 105 glass? Ans.-Most settlers found the window glass too expensive. The mar- variety lasts only about 10 days." list the past week are; Mrs. Homer ket was so limited that the proprietors changed to bottles and beads, In

the instigation of Nicholas II of Russia,

H. S.-What are the provisions of the new Navy program known as Ans.—This will permit young men who are still 17 years of age to en-Schnarrs are able to be about at this list in the Navy, and as soon as they are 18 they are sent to colleges mers who are not accepting ration writing. We wish a speedy recovery where they will be given special training in engineering and other tech- stamps for sales of butter, meat, and

> was given at various high schools. E. Y.—What island in the Pacific Ocean disappears periodically? Ans.-Fonuafoo, in the Tonga group east of the Fiji Islands, It disap-their local boards. peared in 1894, reappeared in 1896 and three years later it was gone, In The first reports for the period

Mr. and Mrs. John Cartwright and 1927 it reappeared. This strange activity is due to a submarine volcano. from March 29 to April 30, 1943, J. K .- How large are the kidneys? Ans. In an adult they are usually from four to five inches long, about ed out by the District OPA offices, Jean Martin made a business trip to two and one-half inches wide, and about one inch thick. Each kidney but farmers, who through misunweighs from four to six ounces.

L. M. C .- What is the zero hour? Ans.-It is the time set for attack. In American and British opera- may still do so if they file reports tions in the first World War this was given out in advance as 0 hour. An- before the end of this month. nouncement of the real time is withheld as long as possible to insure sur-

P. W. E .- What kind of tracks were used by the first railroads in the Ans.—The first railroads used wooden rails on top of which a thin strip of metal was fastened. These were called strap-rails.

C. S.-Please tell me the record established by Franklin Hood, former for this helpful feature for home-When Judd Brown of Canton was Bellefonte Academy football ace, of throwing the ball during games. Ans.-We learn from Prof. James R. Hughes, for many years head-The man who gives away money fully injured, his son, Roger, be- master of the Academy, that Hood's average length of passes was 65 distributed with the Baltimore Sun-A. G. Luebert, P.D., Coatesville, Pa. is usually handling somebody else's came excited and fell from a horse, yards during games, but in practice games he was known to throw a distance of 83 yards.

LOUISA'S LETTER

Dear Louisa

Is it wrong for me to talk to strange soldiers on the street? I am a high school girl and I would like to do my part for Uncle Sam by helping entertain the boys who are away from home. What do you think about this?

I. L.-Vermont.

I think it is a very unwise thing for you to pick up an acquaintance the boys are inclined to look askamce at girls who can be picked up, and although a big per cent of these boys are nice fellows who are lonesome and long to have some girl to talk woe to, there are many who are bad you are so young will only make this kind of a man more prone to

take advantage of you. Perhaps your church or school can have some parties or sociables where years, happened to meet on the street. you may meet some of these boys, or if there is a recreational center in your community the officials are always glad to have nice girls come and help entertain the boys. Good luck.

LOUISA

Dear Louisa: I have three children, all of them under five, and they are unusually mischievous. Punishment seems to do them no good and they seem to be getting worse rather than better. Is there a book of some kind that I can get to help me in dealing with this problem.

"Worried Mother."

There are lots of good books on child training and if you can not get some of them at your county library, write for government bulletins which

Any good group of three young children will seem mischievous to a He's marked C. O. D. daresay your youngsters are no worse than any average normal childo to work off their surplus energy. me constructive play you will find

Put a little more time on planning something right for them to do raththe wrong thing. A sand pile is a life better children than you think them now in your nervous, overwrought A nervous mother makes a bad

child, so bear that in mind when you lose patience and deal with them irritably. Yours,

LOUISA.

FOR YOUR VICTORY GARDEN

Succession plantings of quick-maturing crops are recommended by tre County Council of Defense, so that these vegetables will be avail-

"Since garden peas bear for only ever, peas are cool-weather subjects and dry up or refuse to set pods in hot weather, so we generally get only about two early plantings of dwarf peas to bear satisfactorily. Round or smooth seeded varieties, like Alaska, are the earliest to bear and hardiest against cold, so should be planted first, followed with wrinkled seeded varieties, like Thomas Laxton.

"The short season vegetables which mature early enough to be folbush snap and lima beans, beets, carrots, cauliflower, early cabbage, onion sets or plants, mustard, peas radishes, spinach, tendergreen and

"The second sowing in the same of vegetable. And, since peas, letture before killing frosts.

we can plant seed of the same var have fresh corn over a long season. late varieties at the same time, ready days, since the harvest season of a

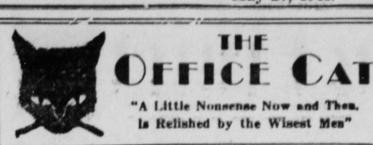
FARMERS WHO SELL MEAT, BUTTER, ETC., MUST REPORT

OPA reported yesterday that farports to local War Price and Rationing Boards, must file reports with

were due May 15, 1943, it was pointderstanding of the OPA regulations, did not file reports, before May 15,

Tasty Recipes That Help Stretch Ration Points

Collection of appetizing recipes for puzzled housewives trying to get the most from their ration points. Look makers in the June 6th issue of The American Weekly, the big magazine



You Make It Ryme

I saw here in a bathing suit; My joy description begs;

I never saw such lovely shaped And most bewitching-arms. . . .

Both Were Satisfied

A nearby county farmer put his hand in a mule's mouth to see how with any strange man whether he is many teeth the mule had. The mule closed his mouth to see how many in uniform or not. To begin with, fingers the farmer had. Both had their curiosity satisfied.

> For Me: Nothing Works From Pvt. Arthur D. Emel of Fort Jackson, S. C., comes this wail of

"The other morning I started the motor in my car and put the first

characters and with whom it is dan- gear in, and it wouldn't work. So I put the second gear in, and it wouldn't gerous to associate. The fact that work, I got mad and put my brother-in-law in; he won't work either." . . .

The Darlings Two married men who had not met each other for quite a number of

"Hullo, George," said one. "My word, you have changed; what's makg you look so old?" "Trying to keep young," was the reply.

"Trying to keep young?" echoed the other. "Yep-eleven of 'em," was the gloomy response. . . .

Unfinished Mary had a little lamb, Also a dog and bear; I've often seen her lamb and dog

But my story ends right there

Circus Stuff Circus Manager-"Well, what's wrong now?" India Rubber Man-"Everytime the strong man writes a letter he

A Gentle Reminder A young postoffice employe and father for the first time stood in the baby ward of the hospital and asked anxiously, "Doctor, are there any marks on my son?'

. . .

Looking the new arrival over, the doctor replied: "Yes, sir, there is.

A Hold-Up I lady of figure seraphic, Wore three pairs of garters in Maffick; Just one, I suppose, Would have held up her hose,

But three of them held up the traffic. Passed Back

"Jack was the goal of my ambition," she sighed, "but alas." "What happened, dear?"

"Father kicked the goal."

uses me to rub out the mistakes."

Here's News

A new automobile record was recently made, A guy drove from coast to coast without eating a single hot dog.

Beauty Talk We knew a woman so homely she got a job from a drug store, just standing in front of their store, making people sick.

> Oh, Hella Once a young lady named Stella Fell in love with a bow-legged fella. But she, poor sap,

Tried to sit on his lap, And fell through into the cella. . . .

All Depends Dick-"If a fellow called you a liar, what would you do?"

Tom-"What size of fellow?" . . .

Continued Stories A champion diver fell five stories from a skyscraper and lived to tell the story. That makes a total of six stories.

. . .

Out of the Depth A bride and groom were going abroad on their honeymoon. While leaning over the rail of the ship, the bride dropped one of her rings overboard. She was deeply grieved over the loss.

Some days later, dining in a hotel in Naples, they ordered fish. What do you think they found in the fish? Bones. . . .

> Probably An Upright There was a young girl from Savannah, On the pavement stepped on a bananah, And since that sad day, I'm sorry to say,

> She stands up when she plays the piannah.

. . .

The Fisherman's Prayer "God give me grace To catch a fish So large that even I.

When speaking of it afterward, May never need to lie. -Office Cat Fan.

All That's Needed A real estate salesman of West Texas was just finishing describing visited a few days last week with slightly exceed in the aggregate the combined salaries and wages paid early, quick-bearing varieties to ma-

"All West Texas needs," he concluded, "to become the garden spot "Succession plantings are made of of the world, is good people and water." "Yeah," replied the visitor, "That's all hell needs."

nan is that he can put his socks on from either end.

. . . What Is It About Her?

Funny, we remember none of the names of the ten best-dressed wom-Ans.—The first Peace Conference assembled at The Hague in 1889 at Or. we can plant early, medium and en picked this year, but can always recall Dorothy Lamour. Sad, But True

We just heard the sad case of a Scotchman who was engaged to a girl who became so fat he wanted to break off the engagement. But the girl couldn't get the ring off, so he had to marry her. That's all folks. One advantage a single man has over a married

