

★ YOUR HEALTH ★

From the Board of Trustees of the Medical Society of the State of Pennsylvania...

One of the most important reports following the bombing of Hawaii on December 7 is the medical report.

A Honolulu physician has just reported procedures used in treating penetrating wounds of the head at that time.

During the early part of the first World War the death rate from brain injuries was over 40 per cent.

The late, great American surgeon, Dr. Harvey Cushing, lowered this figure to 28 per cent by improving the operative technic and case management.

Death rate from brain wounds in second World War should be even less than 28 per cent.

Following the Pearl Harbor bombing attack, a newer drug, sulfanilamide, was used on head injuries with marked success.

When first arriving at the receiving station the patient's hair about the head is clipped widely and closely.

The edges of the lacerated wounds are cleaned with soap and water.

Large bleeding vessels in the lacerated scalp are clamped with a hemostat or by local pressure or tying a piece of rubber tubing about the head.

A temporary dressing is then applied after the wound has been filled with one of the powdered sulfanilamide drugs.

Strangely, few of the Pearl Harbor patients with penetrating wounds of the brain were brought to the receiving station in an unconscious state.

This was explained by the fact that the flying projectile was traveling so fast that the head was struck, perforated and penetrated before the brain as a whole had time to be vibrated.

The physician also said that the force applied to the head was concentrated in such a small area compared to the entire skull dimension that generalized acceleration of the brain was not produced.

Medical science will remember Pearl Harbor and our people will profit by what it taught physicians about the treatment of head injuries.

With the coming of rubber rationing, it is to be hoped that the number of head injuries will be reduced to a minimum.

FIGHT ON!

By RUTH TAYLOR

From his room at the White House, Lincoln looked out of the window at the smoldering camp fires of the enemy entrenched across the Potomac. He had defeat come to the Capital of the Nation. Then he rose and went to meet his rebellious Cabinet to stand firm against those who cautioned compromise. He was resolved to fight to the end for a united Nation.

Washington walked alone in the snow at Valley Forge—snow stained scarlet by the bleeding feet of his humble followers. His army was starving. His forces grew steadily smaller as the toll of those who could not face defeat grew larger. Congress argued, blamed, and did nothing. He was without money and almost without friends. Defeat was imminent—but he prayed for guidance, tightened his belt, increased the discipline of both himself and his men and went abroad to win.

Doves upon Cherry Valley swooped the Indians in a frightful massacre which devastated that peaceful community and destroyed in a night the laborious work of years in carving homes out of the wilderness. But scarcely had the marauders left, and while the ashes of their homes were still red, those settlers who survived, crept out of their hiding places and went back to rebuild their homes and till their fields again.

Earlier still, in that dread winter three hundred and twenty years ago, pestilence broke out in the little colony of Plymouth. Two-thirds of the colonists perished—but when spring came, over the leveled graves of their dead the remaining men and women sowed maize, that none might know how great was their loss. Then they went on about their business of living, determined to remain free to worship God according to the dictates of their conscience.

To the man of faith, defeat is but a challenge to carry on. It is a hurdle in his path to be taken in stride. It is not the end of the road.

We must face the fact that all news cannot be good news. That all news cannot be perfect. We must have brave and enduring hearts in our hours of trouble. We must know that only the last battle determines the victory, and we must battle through to the end, without stopping to allocate blame. Only as we put defeat behind us, can we go forward to Victory.

GETTYSBURG.

It is expected that Gettysburg National Park will be the focal point of much patriotic interest on Abraham Lincoln's Birthday this year as it was there that the Civil War President made his plea for unity, just as in Gettysburg we today today, S. said Mark A. James, Secretary of the Park, at Gettysburg.

ANGLERS TO HAVE BANNER SEASONS

Fish Commissioner C. A. French told Pennsylvania anglers that in spite of a 1941 program of stocking which showed "a great drop from the previous years," sportsmen generally express "entire satisfaction" with the commission's activity.

French said, resulted out of the commission's new policy of stocking larger fish, from fingerlings to maturity in size, rather than hundreds of millions of fry or newly-hatched fish.

More than 3,809,000 relatively mature fish were stocked last year, the official said, as well as 11,432,250 fry. Fingerlings, 12,170,000; pike perch, 40,000,000; yellow perch and 10,850,000 cisco, "all in fry state."

Trout production in 1941 included stocking of more than 1,630,000 legal-sized fish, French said, and release of another 1,000,000 which will be released in time for next spring's fishing season. Bass production reached an all-time high with stocking of 270,852.

French asserted that he could "assure" anglers that when the commission's new hatchery expansion program is complete and all new methods are in effect, it will have reached its goal of "making Pennsylvania the finest fishing state in the Union."

All fish wardens now are uniformed and virtually all commission employees received salary increases. Development of a new "live car" did away with the worst feature of the old type, in which many fish were killed.

Reports from six fish farms show that 107 fish ponds were put under construction or into operation, with most of them ready for production by April 1. Marked success is reported in bass and bream hatching at 156 wire nursery batteries at the Pymatuning fish farm. Seven new ponds were completed for production this spring at Cory, and at Union City a new concrete daphnia area was built.

Bellefonte's Pleasant Gap unit got twenty-seven new ponds, and the Upper and Lower Spring creek projects got conversion dams and flood dikes. At Pleasant Mount, thirty-two dams were reconstructed. The Hantsdale hatchery expansion program calls for three or four more years of work but twenty-eight earthen ponds, a 2,000 foot water line, a thirty-two-unit daphnia pond and an aeration basin were completed there last year.

EDUCATION FOR WORKERS IS HELD AS VITAL NEED

This war may result in the awakening of industries to the need for training progress for their workers to take advantage of new technical discoveries and processes. In this opinion, H. B. Neuhoff, director of industrial education at Pennsylvania State College.

In Pennsylvania alone, Neuhoff said, "not more than half a dozen" of the 500 or more large industrial establishments have instituted an educational program as a part of their business set-up.

"In times of peace and depression most industries feel that courses for workers involve a needless expenditure," he said. "This is an extremely short-sighted policy, for in times of emergency they can't get the training fast enough."

Neuhoff declared that continuous training for workers would bring about a great improvement in the state's mineral industries as well as in other business enterprises.

TAPROOMS CLOSE AT SAME HOUR UNDER 'WAR TIME'

The Liquor Control Board of Pennsylvania has made it emphatic that taprooms will close at 2 p. m. under Eastern War Time, just as before—and there won't be an extra hour of business as in the case of Daylight Saving Time.

Chairman Frederick T. Gehler said the Liquor Control Board system automatically comes under the new standard time which supersedes state laws and local ordinances, and has nothing to do with Daylight Saving Time, formerly optional with municipalities.

"The hours during which liquor and malt or brewed beverages may legally be sold are prescribed by the Liquor Control Act," Gehler said. "Such hours are based upon standard time, and when standard time is advanced by an act of Congress, the time so fixed becomes the official, legal time of this commonwealth."

"All retail licenses of liquor, malt or brewed beverages in Pennsylvania are required to observe the new standard time in the opening and closing of their licensed establishments."

THE TRUTH

We are still living in the age of miracles! Proof—Adolph Hitler has finally said it.

In his New Year address to his troops and to the German people, the Fuehrer said that the cause of the war was the fact that "enemy countries did not want to live in the type of world that we wished for."

Who would want to live in that kind of a world except Hitler himself and his gang of Nazi cutthroats?

WHEAT.

Stocks of wheat in interior mills, elevators and warehouses in Pennsylvania on January 1, were placed at 1,118,000 bushels by surveys of the Federal-State Crop Reporting Service issued by the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture.

STATE FARM CALENDAR

Timely reminders from State College School of Agriculture

4-H Victory Program

4-H Club members will help increase the production of products asked for by "Uncle Sam," according to State 4-H Club leaders. 4-H pig club members will be urged to fatten two or more pigs this year, and others will take over the home garden. A greater number of baby chicks will be reared also.

Open Green Maples

That open grown sugar maple trees yield sap of considerably higher sugar content than those grown in close forest stands is indicated by recent state forester findings. These results would indicate that early and heavy thinning of young maple stands is advisable. Such treatment will permit full crown development.

Turkey Poults

The modern turkey grower not only must select the breed best suited to his trade, but also must select the strain within the breed. There is almost as much difference between the strains of the same breed as there is between breeds. Turkey growers are urged to inquire about the strain of poults as well as the breed.

Check All Implements

The frame and the bolts that hold it together are the foundation of all farm implements. Bolts should be tight. Always be suspicious of any that are loose. Bent frames should be straightened. Broken or cracked ones can be welded. Welding on a piece to give extra stiffness is a wise precaution.

STATE NURSERIES SHIPPING

SEVENTEEN MILLION NURSERY PLANTS

State forest tree nurseries will ship approximately sixteen million evergreen seedlings or planting on waste lands throughout Pennsylvania during the coming spring, W. E. Montgomery, chief of the bureau of management, department of forest and waters, says today.

Orders from 700 private individuals have already been received for approximately four million seedlings, seedlings and transplants that are still available include red pine, white pine, Norway spruce, white spruce, Scotch pine, Banks pine, white pine, pitch pine, black locust and black walnut. Seedlings are sold at the rate of \$2.00 per thousand, packed and delivered to the express office nearest the nursery. The minimum shipment consists of 1,000 seedlings, which can be ordered in lots of 500 of each kind. Trees purchased from the Commonwealth cannot be used for judges, public trees department planting. The price of plants varies by season and quantity.

Old Cambria County Highway 'Shed' Advances for Sale

The building and land of the State Highway Department on East High St., Ebensburg, formerly occupied as the county highway maintenance quarters, are to be sold. The department has advertised for bids which are to be received at Harrisburg up until 5 p. m. on February 25. The property consists of an acre of ground, two sheet metal buildings, a frame structure, and a concrete block building.

Many Married Women Quit Jobs Since Draft Enactment

Selective service headquarters at Washington say that about 500,000 married women have quit their jobs since the draft law went into operation.

While it could not be said positively that their resignations were part of a system that would enable their husbands to claim dependent because of dependents, the headquarters said that that must have been a contributing factor.

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MAIN STREET GARAGE CARROLLTOWN

NEW RATIONING PLANS FOR STATE DISCUSSED

Dr. A. C. Marts, state defense council director, foresees possibility of a new rationing system in Pennsylvania with a number of additional food and commodity restrictions ticketed for early adoption. Marts says it is his "personal belief" that appointment of subordinate commodity rationing directors under a state chief will become necessary to handle the expanding list of restricted goods and foodstuffs. "It seems to me that the job will get too big for one man directing a single state board," he explained. "We will probably need a man who knows automobiles, another who knows clothing and woollens and one who knows coffee, tea and the like." Meantime, the defense council in-

need money for INCOME TAX pay with a PERSONAL LOAN

THIS YEAR more people will be paying an income tax than ever before. The sharp increase in the amount due, plus the increased cost of living, may have caught you unprepared. To help you pay your tax, March 15, in the most convenient way possible, we suggest the Barnesboro Budget Plan. You may borrow any amount from \$25.00 up and pay it back in small monthly payments over a year's time. This service is available to any responsible person. Don't delay! Income taxes must be paid. Arrange to pay yours through the Barnesboro Budget Plan.

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