

WEEK FARM CALENDAR

From the Pennsylvania State College Agriculturalists

Harvest Legume Seed. All farmers who have clover or alfalfa seed crops are urged to harvest them. Extension agronomists of the Pennsylvania State College report that such seed is in short supply and will be in great demand next spring. Every farmer should try to have enough for his own sowing and some to sell.

Control Orchard Mice. This is a good time to put out bait stations in infested areas of the orchard. Fruit specialists of the Pennsylvania State College say that small bundles of corn fodder make satisfactory bait stations. Poisoned bait for the control of meadow mice and pine mice can be placed under the stations in November.

Feed Poultry Skimmilk. Containing important proteins and vitamins, skimmilk is a valuable feed for poultry. One hundred laying hens need 4 to 6 gallons of skimmilk daily for good egg production, according to poultry specialists of the Pennsylvania State College. Reduce the drinking water to get the birds to drink the milk.

Use Stunted Sorghum. Those who have had experience with drought in the West agree that there is little or no danger in feeding stunted sorghum if it is dried for hay or put into the silo, report Penn State agronomists.

Transplant Seedlings. Now is the time to transplant the young seedlings of delphinium, columbine, and other perennials which were started in August. Place in a hot bed or in small pots to winter over in the cold frame, say Penn State ornamental specialists.

Take Care of Cases. Take good care of egg cases and packing material. If each egg case can be made to take more than one trip, it will help in the war effort, remind Penn State poultry specialists.

DO YOU KNOW? Many people throughout the old world believe still in the power of the evil eye to injure, make sick, or even to kill, with a glance. Egyptian mothers today blame the evil eye for the sickly condition of an infant.

As in all communicable diseases, much of the danger of the cold lies in its possible after effects. The best treatment is to go to bed when the symptoms first appear. Keep the room comfortably cool. Drink plenty of water and fruit juices. Eat lightly and sleep as much as possible.

HERO'S CHILD RECEIVES MEDAL



LT. COL. JAMES A. KENNEDY of the First Service Command pins a Silver Star on little Donna Mann, held by her great-grandmother, Mrs. James V. Howard. Donna's father, Staff Sgt. Donald H. Mann, died in South Pacific action. The ceremony took place at Melrose, Mass. (International)

DEAD VINES, WEEDS AND DRY GRASS MAY BE USED FOR HOME COMPOST HEAP

Instead of burning dead leaves and dry grass from the lawn and dried up weeds, vines, and plants left in the garden, the foresighted Victory gardener will use them to start a compost heap for the improvement of future gardens. Vegetable trimmings and leafy refuse from the kitchen add valuable materials to the compost heap.

A compost heap furnishes organic material to improve garden soil. Finished compost is a well turned or a well spaded mixture of soil and decayed plant material, usually with manure or commercial fertilizer added.

A simplified method of making compost, suitable to the small Victory gardener, is suggested by the garden specialists of the Research Administration of the Department of Agriculture.

Start a heap six or seven feet square, with a two or three inch layer of soil. Follow with a six inch layer of waste such as leaves, grass and dead vines or plants (but avoid pine needles of heavy weed stalks).

Then alternate these layers, keeping the sides vertical and the top either flat or dished. Boards or old fencing may be used to hold the compost heap together. It may be built up four or five feet high.

To assist in the rotting, water the heap to keep it damp clear through and add to each layer if plant waste fresh animal and poultry manures, or a few handfuls of a complete fertilizer high in nitrogen, cottonseed meal, or similar nitrogen-containing plant food. The soil in the compost heap absorbs the products of the decayed vegetable matter, prevents loss, and makes compost convenient to handle.

Do not add lime or wood ashes to the compost heap, because they may cause loss of nitrogen from the fermenting vegetable matter.

Turn the pile two or three times a year to make good compost. It takes a year or more to make fine compost although a rough, usable product may be made in less time.

Compost the garden specialists say, does not replace fertilizer, but is used primarily to improve the physical condition of the soil. Good compost is much richer than most soils, so it should be kept carefully stored in piles so that it will not be lost by wasting and scattering, or weakened by leaching or washing.

PENN STATE TO OFFER POULTRY SHORT COURSE

Pennsylvania poultry farmers, both amateur and experienced, are invited to attend the annual poultry short course at the Pennsylvania State College, October 4 to 28, according to Prof. H. C. Kandel, department head.

Because of the critical feed situation, special attention will be given to practical solution of the growers' feeding problems. However, all phases of poultry growing will be included in the 4 week course.

The closing three days will be devoted to the annual poultry conference when speakers of state and national importance will discuss feeding and management problems.

Classified Ads

RATES for 25 words or less Time, 25c; 2 Times, 40c; 3 Times 50c — Payable in Advance —

WISH TO PURCHASE house in Patton, 5 or 6 rooms; preferably with modern conveniences. Nicholas Molnar, Jr., R. D. Box 247, Patton, Pa.

FOR SALE—Three corner cupboard, porch swing, and bassinets. Inquire at 525 Magee avenue, Patton, Pa.

FOR SALE—Philco Radio, table model; 505 Palmer ave., Patton.

FOR RENT—Five room apartment with private bath on second floor. Inquire C. P. Kline, 213 Brewer avenue, Patton.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Inquire Mrs. Matthew O'Brien, 705 Beech Ave., Patton.

CASH PAID FOR FRESH EGGS — Mertens Bakery, Patton, Pa. 3t

FOR RENT—Four rooms, with heat and bath. Inquire at 815 Beech avenue, Patton.

APARTMENT FOR RENT — Three rooms and bath. Mrs. Reuel Somerville, 516 Beech avenue.

WANTED—Experienced married man for general farm and dairy work. Inquire Clarence W. Dillon, R. D. 3, Box 179, Sunny Mead Farm Altoona, Pa. 3t.

FOR SALE—Cauliflower, Tomatoes, and Pickles. Mrs. A. J. Yahner, Phone 2574, Hastings-Patton Road.

FOR RENT — Two large furnished bedrooms, equipped with clothes closets and hot water heat; reasonable. Inquire Mrs. Nicholas Anstead, 709 Fourth Ave., Patton.

FOR SALE—Modern Moore Heating Stove, used for one year. Must be sold this week. Inquire of Peter Causa, 803 Elizabeth Place, Barnesboro (Rear of McKenzie Garage).

TYPEWRITER and Adding Machine service by authorized Remington-Rand mechanic, Eagle Prtg. Co., Office Supplies, Barnesboro.

NOTICE The School Board will receive bids to furnish coal in the bins of the school buildings for the term of 1943-1944.

All bids to specify the mine from which the coal will be furnished and a Way Bill must accompany each load as delivered, each bidder to include an agreement for the removal of the ashes accumulated from the coal furnished by him.

All bids must be in the hands of the Secretary on or before October 4, 1943. Patton Borough School District, Ellen C. Detrick, Secretary.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE. Ebensburg, Pa., September 17, 1943. SEALED BIDS: Up until 2 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, September 29, 1943, sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Controller for the furnishing of 120,000, more or less, official and specimen ballots for use at the Municipal Election to be held November 2, 1943.

The ballots for each district to be securely wrapped and labeled with the names of the district and number of ballots in each.

Bids to be so much per thousand ballots.

Bids to include cost of delivery to Ebensburg, Pa.

The right is reserved by the County Commissioners to reject any or all bids.

Envelopes containing bids should be plainly marked "BID FOR BALLOTS."

DENNIS L. WESTRICK, County Controller.

NOTICE. THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY hereby gives notice that on the 19th day of August, 1943, it filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, D. C., an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity permitting abandonment of the Fallen Timber Branch, extending from Glasgow to its terminus, a distance of 0.93 mile, in Cambria County, Pennsylvania.

Finance Docket No. 14319. THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY.

COMMERCIAL INSURANCE AGENCY GENERAL INSURANCE Liability Casualty 1101 Philadelphia Avenue, Phone 467. Barnesboro, Pa.

BLATT BROTHERS

GRAND THEATRE PATTON

'BACK THE ATTACK' — 'MORE BONDS IN SEPT.'

Fri., Sat., Sept. 24-25

DEANNA DURBIN JOSEPH COTTEN Hers to Hold CHARLES WINNINGER EVELYN ANKERS GUS SCHILLING NELLA WALKER LUDWIG STOSSEL

ALSO

ROY ROGERS KING OF THE COWBOYS HEART OF THE GOLDEN WEST Smiley BURNETTE GEORGE HAYES RUTH TERRY BOB NOLAN AND THE SONS OF THE PIONEERS A REPUBLIC PICTURE

Sun., Mon., Sept. 26-27

Matinee Sunday at 2:30

THE PROUDEST PICTURE OF THEM ALL!

IN TECHNICOLOR! SAILOR MARINES Wallace BEERY with Fay BAINTER Reginald OWEN A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer PICTURE

Also News and Cartoon

Tuesday, Sept. 28

THRILLS! ROMANCE! ACTION! 'ALASKA HIGHWAY' A Paramount Picture starring Richard ARLEN • Jean PARKER with RALPH SANFORD • BILL HENRY • JOE SAWYER • EDDIE QUILLAN

ALSO

ROSEMARY LANE PATRIC KNOWLES EVELYN ANKERS 'ALL BY MYSELF' with NEIL HAMILTON GRANT MITCHELL LOUISE BEAVERS Loumell MORGAN Trio and TIP, TAP and TOE

Wed., Thur., Sept. 29-30

WALTER WANGER'S SPECTACULAR TRIUMPH 'WE'VE NEVER BEEN LICKED' INSPIRED BY THE FIGHTING SONS OF TEXAS A. & M. with Richard Quine Anne Gwynne Noah Beery, Jr. Martha O'Driscoll William Frawley

3rd WAR LOAN Buy More Bonds Buy Bonds at Grand Theatre

THE FOLLOWING Barnesboro Stores WILL BE

CLOSED

In Observance of Jewish Holidays, on

Thurs., Sept. 30th

Friday, Oct. 1st

Sat., Oct. 9th

Stores Open After 6 P. M., Sat., Oct. 9.

We will sincerely appreciate your arranging shopping to suit.

- Charlson's Furniture Store Louis Luxenberg Laub's Store Henry's Shoe Store Fridman's Shoe Store Lipman's Dress Shop Karp's Jewelry Store