

YOU KNOW ME
BY
Al, Himself

Editor of the Dallas Post,
Dear Sir:
We liked your idea of giving your readers a chance to answer the questionnaire sent to you by the American Press Association, even though some of the questions hint how they would like to have them answered.

Question One: "What do we think should be done about the Taft-Hartley Law?" It should be repealed of course. Any law that states one must sign a statement that he does not belong to the Communist party before he can take advantage of the latest labor legislation is dangerous. The Communist party is a political party and despite the hysteria going on about it in this country today, its members have the same right to form a party as we Republicans or the Democrats do. Also no one is going to force us to work along side of a non union man if we don't want to, any more than any law can force a non union man to work with a union man if he does not want to.

Question Two: "How would we like to see government costs cut?"—by elimination of farm subsidies, by— and then it goes on with a large list of inconsequential things that don't amount to a whoop, but it doesn't include the question of "would we like to see the Hoover plan put in motion"—to that we would answer "yes". What is everybody except the farmer worrying about farm subsidies for? We have to eat, don't we? Then we have to have farmers, and if any one can think of a better way to keep farmers on the farm than a government subsidy we'd like to hear it. There are a number of other subsidies that could be more easily cut, such as the Post Office subsidy.

The third, fourth and fifth questions deal with how we'd like to have taxes reduced. We are not in favor of reducing any federal taxes until our two wars are paid for. Why compel the coming generation to pay for our wars?

The sixth question: "Would we like Congress to simplify the income tax law", off hand, without hesitation, we'd say, "For gosh sakes, yes," but when that leads to the seventh question if we'd like the law "simplified" by eliminating deductions to worthy causes, our answer is then "no" to both the sixth and seventh questions. For if Congress does that we are afraid a lot of worthy causes such as the church, Red Cross, Red Feather, etc. are going to suffer.

The eighth question: "Would we like reductions in the lower, middle, or upper group in the income tax laws?" Let's see. What group are we in? Probably the middle. Well, we wanted to be fair in this thing, so we said eny, meeny, miny, moe, and by gosh, if it didn't come out that we wanted reductions in the middle. Can't the American Press Association think up more difficult questions?

The ninth and tenth questions deal with social security: "Do we favor expanding it to include groups not covered? Do we favor increasing the benefits?" As for the first part of the question, we see no reason why we should enjoy social security unless all do, and as for the second part, we are in favor of increasing social security to the limit of what the employee and the employer are willing to pay and for the life of us we can't see where it is any one else's business, for this is the one thing the government does not pay for, the funds come out of the pockets of the employee and the employer.

The eleventh question: "Do we favor a federal system of compulsory health insurance . . ." Ah! we seem to be standing alone on that for we most certainly do. If some of you would look up the statistics why so many of us were unable to respond to the call of the last war because of poor health, not being able to take care of ourselves would talk to your druggist about the racket in the high present costs of medicine, maybe some of you would change your minds. We may have another war, you know, and we should have enough healthy kids to fight it.

The twelfth and thirteenth questions deal with the advertising and sale of alcoholic beverages. Haven't we learned yet that we can't stop a man from drinking by passing a law?

The fourteenth question: "Do we favor compulsory military training?" We certainly do as long as this cold war is on.

The fifteenth question: "Do we agree with those who would like the Department of Justice is discriminating against big business?" Well, we are not worrying about that, because we have a lot of faith in the American people, and when the chips are down the people, will tell the Department of Justice how far it may go.

The sixteenth question deals with state rights. We are against "state rights" as the Southerner sees it. We are for "state rights" as the Northerner sees it, that is probably because we are a Northerner.

The seventeenth question: "Do we fear that our nation is headed

The Bookworm

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Robert Burns, Rudyard Kipling, and, believe it or not, William Shakespeare, wrote poetry which can be readily comprehended by any one who can read. I have not found anything in Sandburg which cannot be read by any one with an eighth-grade education.

I didn't get time to make a list of titles before I fled the pre-busines-meeting gossip of the ladies, but I can remember a few. It may be that some of these don't actually exist on Back Mountain Memorial Library's shelves, but if my memory has deluded me, some one ought to contribute them anyway.

Barrack-Room Ballads by Rudyard Kipling. Vigorous stuff with the flavor of Victorian days. You've heard of Gunga Din?

John Milton. Like many of the older poets, a bit tough unless you know your Greek and Latin mythology, but still rewarding.

Robert Burns. The plowboy who delved into his native heart.

What Cheer, edited by David McCord. A treasury of really funny verse, mostly modern.

The Book of Humorous Verse, edited by Carolyn Wells. One thousand pages of delight.

Johnny Appleseed, by Vachel Lindsay. Singing the praise of early America with a rich rhythm.

The New Verse, edited by Harriet Monroe. An anthology of twentieth century poetry in great variety.

Contemporary Latin-American Poetry, edited by Dudley Fitts. Poetry to the south of us, especially for those who study Spanish since all selections are in the original as well as translation.

John Brown's Body, by Stephen Vincent Benet. It is good enough to be required reading at West Point.

The White Cliffs of Dover, by Alice Duer Miller. It was good enough to be made into a movie.

There is a random sample, most of it simple and good. Go ahead and look around, try a few. You may find poetry is to your liking.

SAFETY VALVE

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ports and attending committee meetings over the administration of the law instead of the study and development of professional information.

Much is being said about Socialized medicine, for and against, but nothing will be done to stop it unless you yourself do it.

The Dallas Woman's Club has started the move in Dallas and is one of the first clubs in this area to realize the importance of this bill. With this in mind resolutions were drawn up protesting Socialized medicine and sent to the following men who have all acknowledged receipt of our letters:

U.S. Senator Edward Martin, U. S. Senator Francis Meyers, The Governor of Pennsylvania, Senator Newell Wood, Representative Harold Flack, Congressman Daniel Flood.

Dallas Woman's Club alone cannot express an opinion for you all. These men whom you have elected, to represent you can only be guided by the letters which they receive from you, therefore, now is the time to express your protest against Socialized Medicine by writing to these men and keeping yourself with a name to be proud of instead of becoming an unknown number in a government file.

Write today, tomorrow may be too late.

Sincerely,

Mary Weir,
Goodleigh Farm
Dallas, Pa.

Township Band Parents Plan Annual Banquet

Plans were made for the annual banquet for the members of the band on February 25 at the meeting of Kingston Township Band Parents' Association in the library of the school. The time of the dinner will be announced later.

Games were played and delicious refreshments served to the following: Mrs. Algert Antanaitis, Mrs. Charles Billings, Mrs. Bernard Bush, Mrs. Robert Currie, Mrs. Conaggio, Mrs. George Davis, Mrs. Gray, Miss Bertha Sutliff, Miss Georgiana Weidner, Mrs. Albert Williams, Mrs. and Mrs. John Dana, Mr. and Mrs. James Dick, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crum, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cleasby, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Harrison and William Riddle.

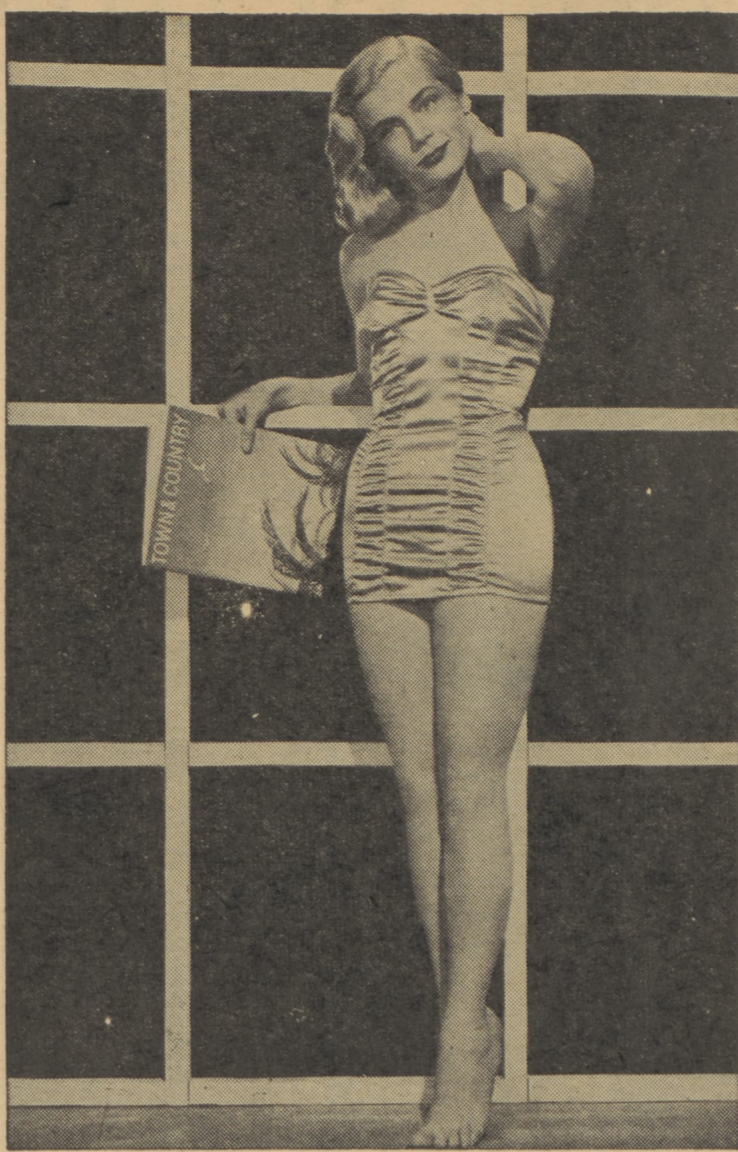
The fourteenth question: "Do we favor compulsory military training?" We certainly do as long as this cold war is on.

Pancake Supper

Men's Bible Class of Mt. Zion Methodist Church will serve a sausage and pancake supper at the Church Tuesday, February 15 from 5 until 8 o'clock. Ad Woolbert will cook the sausage. Proceeds will be used for the building fund.

toward socialism." We fear nothing. If the country is heading toward socialism or any other ism, and the majority of the people want it, that is O.K. with us. Personally, we still can stick to our Americanism.

Satin Suits a Star



Lizbeth Scott consults a magazine resort issue on the "What to Wear" question. Wherever she goes, Miss Scott will turn more heads than a tennis match when she sports this new swim suit—a Rose Marie Reid original. Made of bright, elasticized satin, it comes in—cherry cordial, creme de menthe, chartreuse and chalice blue. Miss Scott co-stars in the current release "Paid in Full."

Ricky Club Meets

The bi-monthly meeting of the Ricky Club was held last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Dodson, Fernbrook road.

Dinner was served to the following: Mrs. Lewis Stritzinger, nephew Pete, Mrs. Claude Cooke, Mrs. George Shaver Jr., Mrs. Oscar Dymond, and Mrs. Dodson.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George Shaver Jr. Fernbrook.

BACK MOUNTAIN CHURCH LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Dallas Methodist	9	1	.900
Kunkle	8	1	.888
St. Paul's Lutheran	7	3	.700
St. Therese's	6	4	.600
Shavertown Methodist	5	4	.555
Huntsville Christian	4	4	.500
Prince of Peace	2	6	.250
Lehman	2	7	.222
Mt. Zion	2	7	.222
Trucksville Methodist	0	8	.000

BACK MOUNTAIN CHURCH LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Saturday, January 28
Dallas Borough Gym
Trucksville vs. Prince of Peace; Shavertown Methodist vs. Huntsville Christian.
Kingston Twp. Gym
Dallas Methodist vs. Kunkle; St. Therese's vs. St. Paul's; Mt. Zion vs. Lehman

Monday, January 30
Dallas Township Gym
St. Therese's vs. Prince of Peace; Shavertown Methodist vs. Mt. Zion.
Lehman Township Gym
St. Paul's vs. Kunkle; Trucksville Methodist vs. Dallas Methodist; Huntsville Christian vs. Lehman.

BACK MOUNTAIN HIGH SCHOOL STANDINGS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Fairview	5	0	1.000
Harter	5	1	.833
Kingston Township	4	1	.800
Dallas Borough	2	3	.400
Dallas Township	1	4	.200
Lehman	1	4	.200
Laketon	0	5	.000

BACK MOUNTAIN HIGH SCHOOL SCHEDULES

Friday, January 27
Kingston Township at Fairview; Lehman at Dallas Township; Dallas Borough at Laketon.

Tuesday, January 31
No games scheduled; end of first half.

BACK MOUNTAIN HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE TEN HIGHEST SCORERS

	Av.	Pts.
Richards, K.T.	19.0	95
McKeown, Harter	16.5	99
Pesavento, K.T.	16.4	82
Pavlick, Dallas Boro	15.4	77
Crawford, Harter	13.2	78
Pincofski, Harter	12.3	74
Strauss, Fairview	11.8	59
Kreuzer, Fairview	11.8	59
Nuss, Lehman	11.4	57
Malone, Fairview	11.4	57

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Three Teams In Race For Three-Way Tie

Much Depends On Kingston Township-Fairview Encounter

The big three, Fairview, Harter, and Kingston Township, are battling for first half honors with all eyes on the Fairview-Kingston Township encounter tonight at Fairview. A victory for the Katies will lock three teams in a first-place tie. Since the league is running by halves this season it would necessitate a playoff series.

If, however, the favored Mountain Toppers come through with a win it will clinch the first half title for them with six straight victories.

Kingston Township will bank on dead-eyes, Jack Richards, league's top scorer, and lefty Jack Pesavento to overcome the scoring of Strauss, Kreuzer, Malone and company.

The other two games find Lehman at Dallas Township and Dallas Borough at Laketon. With Frank Pavlick, number four league scorer showing the way and with Roberts and Pizarro to handle the boards, Dallas Borough should add another victory to establish itself in fourth place. Lehman, strictly a hot and cold outfit, will be out to live up to pre-season reputation by taking Dallas Township in tow in a battle for fifth place. The Redskins, victims of a 90-36 slaughter, will be on the rebound to give the Scotties a rough time. The added height of Mattie, Miers, Kozich and Roberts of Dallas Township could spell the difference.

Friday's games mark the finish of the first half with all teams getting a breather Tuesday before embarking on the second trip around.

Tuesday's Games

Two runaways and one thriller were on the program Tuesday night. Harter, topping all recent Back Mountain scoring records, unmercifully pounded the hapless Redskins 54 points in scoring a 90-36 win. Fairview, after a slow start, took Laketon to the tune of 55-28. Dallas Borough, showing marked improvement, came through when the blue chips were in the pot to run a narrow one and two point lead into an eight-point victory in the closing minutes to surprise Lehman, 55-47.

Harter-Township

Harter, hitting for 49 points in one half, had a perfect night with three men hitting double figures and one, Pincofski, sophomore center, scoring 30 points for a single game high. McKeown's 22 added to his 27 last Friday to push him from seventh to second in the scoring race while Crawford's 17 kept him in the fifth place slot. Dallas Township was ineffective. Hope's 13 points were the only bright spot.

Borough-Lehman

Dallas Borough, playing its best game of the year, took the lead right from the opening whistle and pressed all the way in earning a well-deserved 55-47 victory. Bruce Roberts was outstanding defensively as he repeatedly handled both boards for Dallas. The accuracy of Dallas' scorers, Pavlick, Roberts, and McGarry, combined with an off night for Nuss, Lehman's ace, spelled the difference. Mont, Bonning, and Graham carried the lead for Lehman.

Fairview-Lake

Dickinson and Strauss each dropped in seven foul shots, more than doubling the entire output of Lake-

Women of Rotary Dine At Irem Country Club

Three new members were welcomed at the dinner meeting of Dallas Women of Rotary held at Irem Temple Country Club last Thursday evening. They were Mrs. Harry Lee Smith, Mrs. Norwood Brader and Mrs. Dale Parry.

Mrs. Paul Mulecy reported that nineteen wheel chairs had been placed by the Shut-In Committee. Ten dollars was donated to the March of Dimes. Marion Schneider of Wilkes-Barre gave an interesting talk on ceramics.

Present were: Mrs. Edward Keller, Mrs. Hanford Eckman, Mrs. Charles W. Lee, Mrs. Francis Ambrose, Mrs. Harold Payne, Mrs. L. F. Kingsley, Mrs. A. N. Garinger, Mrs. Harold Titman, Mrs. James Lacy, Mrs. David Jenkins, Mrs. Dan Robinhold, Mrs. Paul Mulecy, Mrs. Meade MacMillen, Mrs. Charles Brooke, Mrs. Ray Hedden, Mrs. James Beseker, Mrs. George Metz, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Brader and Mrs. Parry.

ton's efforts, to ease Fairview to its fifth straight triumph. Kreuzer, Fairview ace, was held to 3 points, but Dickinson, Malone, and Strauss took up the slack with 38 points between them. No Laketon man hit double figures as Fisk with 8 was high.



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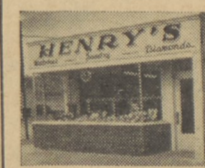
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Shurfine	2 for	Fancy Cooking	3 lb.
Kidney Beans	23c	Onions	21c
Franco American	2 for	New	3 lb.
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Swift's	3 lb.	New	2 lb.
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