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\$1.50 a Year in Advance

As a special service to its readers, The Bulletin prints the form which must be filled out for every man, woman and child making an application for War Ration Book No. 2. This form may be completed at home and taken to local rationing board registration places. Ration Book No. 1—now used for sugar and coffee—must be taken to the registration place with the form above. Filling in this form at home will save time and avoid standing in line during registration. Cut it out of today's Bulletin, fill it out and you will greatly simplify matters.

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 OPA Form No. R-1301
 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
 OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION

**CONSUMER DECLARATION
 Processed Foods and Coffee**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am authorized to apply for and receive a War Ration Book Two for each person listed below who is a member of my family unit, or the other person or persons for whom I am acting whose War Ration Book One I have submitted to the Board;

That the name of each person and number of his or her War Ration Book One are accurately listed below;

That none of these persons is confined or resident in an institution, or is a member of the Armed Forces receiving subsistence in kind or eating in separate messes under an officer's command;

That no other application for War Ration Book Two for these persons has been made;

That the following inventory statements are true and include all indicated foods owned by all persons included in this Declaration:

Coffee

1. Pounds of coffee owned on November 23, 1942, minus 1 pound for each person included in this Declaration whose age as stated on War Ration Book One is 14 years or older.
2. Number of persons included in this Declaration whose age as stated on War Ration Book One is 14 years or older.

Canned Foods

Include all commercially canned fruits (including spiced); canned vegetables; canned fruit and vegetable juices; canned soups, chili sauce, and catsup.

Do not include canned olives; canned meat and fish; pickles, relish; jellies, jams, and preserves; spaghetti, macaroni, and noodles; or home-canned foods.

3. Number of cans, bottles, and jars (8-ounce size or larger) of commercially packed fruits, vegetables, juices and soups, chili sauce and catsup owned on February 21, 1943, minus 5 for each person included in this Declaration.
4. Number of persons included in this Declaration.

The name of each person included in this Declaration and the number of his or her War Ration Book One is:

Print Name	Number
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____
6. _____	_____
7. _____	_____
8. _____	_____

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NOTICE—Section 35 (A) of the United States Criminal Code makes it a criminal offense, punishable by a maximum of 10 years' imprisonment, \$10,000 fine, or both, to make a false statement or representation as to any matter within the jurisdiction of any department or agency of the United States.

(Signature of applicant or authorized agent) _____
 (Address) _____
 (City and State) _____

Native of This Section Was Killed In Florida Auto Crashed at Miami

All Schools Will Be Closed Next Week

Dr. A. P. Mylin, superintendent of county schools, announced on Thursday that the registration for War Ration Book No. 2, for county residents would be held from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. from Feb. 23 to 26, inclusive, at designated school buildings.

All schools in the county will be closed during the four days the registrations are being taken, Dr. Mylin added.

The schools to be used for the registration in this locality, Dr. Mylin said, and the persons in charge are:

Conoy township—Maytown High School in charge of Verna F. Peck.

East Donegal township—Township High School and Washington Consolidated school in charge of J. W. Bingham.

East Hempfield township—Township High school in charge of Arthur A. Bachman; Rohrerstown Consolidated school and East Pe-

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Engagements Well Known Local Folks

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Leinhardt of Florin, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Anna Mary Leinhardt, to Lester William Rice-dorf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rice-dorf, of Rheems.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Sollenberger, of Donegal Springs, Mount Joy, R1, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ruth Arlene, to Private John Lenn Shelley, U. S. Army, son of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Shelley, of Manheim R2.

Miss Sollenberger is a graduate of East Donegal Township High school class of 1939, and is employed in the office of the A. S. Kreider Shoe Company, Elizabethtown.

Private Shelley is stationed at Camp Shelby, Miss., and was formerly employed by the Manheim Belted Company.

No date has been set for the wedding.

EAST DONEGAL FARM SELLS FOR \$16,300.00

Mae K. Ziegler sold her East Donegal township farm of 135 acres of land to Joseph R. Bixler, Marietta R1, for the sum of \$16,300 at public sale held in a large tobacco stripping room on the premises on Wednesday afternoon. Walter Dupes was the auctioneer and Alfred Als-pach, the attorney.

Known as the "Hertzer Home-stead" on the western edge of May-town along the road leading to 3, Bainbridge, the premises includes a two-century old stone house, with more recent brick attachment, large bank barn and tobacco shed. Fifteen of the 135 acres are in meadow.

This Section's Numerous Weddings

The marriage of Miss Martha Ellen Mumma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi W. Mumma, of Florin, and R. Eugene Wolfe, of Manheim, R. D. 3 was solemnized Sunday, February 14th, at one o'clock at the home of the bride, near Milton Grove. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Jacob T. Ginder, of Manheim, in the presence of about fifty guests.

Second Class Seaman Wm. Brown and Apprentice Seaman Raver Miller, who are home on furlough, were guests of the club.

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SPONSORING A SERIES OF MISSION STUDY MEETINGS

The Women's Missionary Society of Trinity Lutheran Church is sponsoring a series of three meetings starting Friday, Feb. 19th, at the home of Mrs. Oscar Starr on Barbara St.

The book on South America which they have chosen for study is entitled "On This Foundation" by W. Stanley Rycroft.

This theme was selected to encourage the good neighbor policy as advocated by the United States Government.

The second meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. D. C. Stoner on February 26th and the third meeting at the Lutheran parsonage on March 2nd. This meeting will open with a South American supper.

Police Safety Programs In Rural Schools

Since more children are walking greater distances to school in rural areas due to restrictions on bus use more emphasis has been placed on Safety Patrol efficiency and traffic safety education in Lancaster County's rural schools.

The Lancaster Automobile Club, sponsor of the Patrols and the safety educational activities, is conducting a series of programs in rural schools, with the co-operation of the Pennsylvania Motor Police. Ten new Patrols were added to the list this past month, bringing the total number of Patrols in the county to 173, with more than 2,100 boys and girls enrolled. In rural schools with Patrols the set-up is restudied and additional members appointed if necessary.

A recent OPA order that schools (Turn to Page 6)

Farmer Died Suddenly Last Sunday

William Eshelman, fifty-six, died suddenly at 12:45 p. m. Sunday while sitting in a chair in his home, in Conoy township, Bainbridge R1. He had just finished the farm work for the morning when stricken. Dr. Edward C. Kottcamp, deputy coroner of Marietta, said death was caused by a cerebral hemorrhage.

He was a son of the late William and Caroline Weintz and farmed one of the farms owned by the J. E. Baker Co., near Bainbridge. He was a member of the Marietta Lutheran Church and was a lifelong resident of Lancaster County. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Sue D. Blodgett Eshelman and the following children, Mrs. Jacob Floyd, Elizabethtown; Mrs. Swidbert Weiser, Bainbridge; Joseph B. U. S. Navy, Norfolk, Va., and Richard B. and Peggy both at home. A sister, Mrs. Richard Dossler, Philadelphia, also survives.

The funeral was held from his late home Wednesday with interment in the Marietta cemetery.

Local Affairs In General Briefly Told

19 convicts shot their way out of the penitentiary at Jackson, Miss.

The fifth son of John Oster, Lancaster, was inducted into the Army Monday.

Lancaster county has been asked to collect 7,875 tons of scrap in the Spring drive.

Thieves broke into a gas station, bottling works and stole a 2 1-2 ton truck at Lancaster.

Employers of fewer than eight people are exempted from the compulsory order of working 48 instead of less hours per week.

A rejected 18-year-old Lancaster lad saved a 3-year-old tot from the Conestoga after she fell off a bridge and drifted a quarter mile clinging to a log.

Divorce Proceedings

Harriet Louise Kulp, 42 E. Main St., Mount Joy, vs. Jay O. Kulp, 160 N. Queen St., Lancaster, subpoena for divorce on the grounds of cruel and barbarous treatment and indignities to the person, married February 29, 1936, separated July 11, 1942.

Five New Air Raid Sirens Erected Here

Five new air raid sirens were erected for the twenty-five minute test on Wednesday but one was not completely hooked up at the time of the test.

They were placed at Thomas J. B. Brown's on Poplar St., at Land-vater's Store on W. Main St., and at the Fire House. The latter was the one which was incompleted at the time.

In Florin there is one at the Bach-man Chocolate Company and one at the residence of Russel Bretz on the corner of Angle and Water Sts.

These locations are subject to change should they prove unsatisfactory.

There is also a large air raid siren at the home of Frank Germen on N. Barbara St., which was purchased several months ago by contributions from citizens in that area.

The Affairs At Florin For Past Week

Patsy Murphy spent Sunday with Anna Mae Gibbons at Rheems.

Miss Jean Murphy will celebrate her birthday on Friday, Feb. 19.

Mrs. Frank Pierce and Mrs. Fannie Lehigh spent several days in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mumper Sr., had as their guest on Sunday, Rev. John Brubaker.

Mrs. Fannie Shaeffer, of Lancaster, visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Forwood on Sunday.

Mr. Cloy Hoffer, of Rome, N. Y., spent the week-end at the home of his sisters, Mrs. Arthur Braun.

Mrs. James Mumper and son of Marietta, spent Tuesday with her grandmother, Mrs. George Mumper.

Pvt. Howard Gephart, of New York, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gephart.

PFC. Martin Liggins, of Fort Geo. G. Meade, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Liggins Sr., Sunday.

Mrs. George Wagenbach and Martha Dyer, spent Wednesday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Dyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Morton and daughter, Edith, of Columbia, visited his sister, Mrs. Bertha Shoemaker on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Haines and children and Mrs. Charles Haines, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rollman, at Lititz.

Class Meeting.

The King's Daughters' Class of the Florin U. B. church held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Augustus Shetter, with the following present: Mrs. Minnie Entwieg, Mrs. I. W. Funk, Mrs. Raymond Forwood Sr., Mrs. Emma Keener, Mrs. Bertha Krabybill, Mrs.

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NEW AIR RAID SYSTEM WAS TESTED

The new air raid warning system was tested for the first time Wednesday with a 25-minute practice alert. The same system will be used in all future tests and in case of actual raids.

The preliminary "blue" sounded at 10:50 a. m., indicating a "probable" enemy air raid. Ten minutes later the regular "red" air raid alarm, a series of short or wavering blasts sounded to indicate enemy planes practically overhead. At 11:05 the "blue" signal signified enemy planes had passed but might return, and ten minutes after that the all-clear was announced by radio and by air raid wardens.

Mortuary Record In This Section

Mrs. Eva M. Shenk, 38, died at Manheim.

Miss Jennie Eddy Sirbeer, 63, died at Columbia.

Mrs. Anna M. Rettew, 59, died suddenly at Manheim Thursday.

Mrs. Amanda F. Fager, of Columbia, died after a two weeks' illness.

Mrs. Katie H. Miller, 68, died at the Lancaster General Hospital Tuesday. She was a native of Washingtonboro.

Benjamin Z. Witmer, 84, died at the Nevsville Brethren Home. He was a retired farmer and lived at Elizabethtown.

John K. Forney.

John K. Forney, ninety-two, formerly of Rheems, died Saturday in Abilene, Kansas. Mr. Forney, who was a farmer, left this section in 1882. He is survived by a son, Major Abram Forney, Sacramento, Cal.; a daughter, Mrs. Robert Long, Abilene, Kansas, and a sister, Mrs. Lizzie K. Eshelman, Elizabethtown.

John H. Shellenberger.

John Hassler Shellenberger, 86, died at the Twin Linden Home.

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MEAT AND GROCERY STORE HERE TO CLOSE SOON

Today, Thursday February 18th, Wagner's Meat Market on East Main St., is holding a big Closing Out Sale of all shelf goods.

A 10% discount on all orders of \$3.00 or over, is given on all goods but meat and cheese.

Mr. Isaac Wagner, the owner, will discontinue his meat and grocery trade and close his shop, but Samuel Longenecker has taken over the regular delivery routes and will continue to serve them.

Mr. Ted Weidler, who clerked at Wagner's, has accepted a position with Longenecker.

COMMUNITY EXHIBIT BANQUET THURS., FEB. 25

Next Thursday evening, February 25th, the annual Turkey banquet of the Community Exhibit Com. will be held at Hostetter's banquet hall at seven-thirty o'clock.

Mr. F. S. Bucher, county farm agent will be the speaker.

Get your ticket from any member of the committee or at Lester Roberts' store not later than Feb. 22. 75 cents for a \$1.25 ticket, committee pays the difference, get yours before Feb. 22nd.

MAYTOWN HIGH GRAD SWORN INTO WAACS

Miss Carrie Kauffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Kauffman, of near Maytown, was sworn in the WAACS last week at Harrisburg by Second Officer E. Alder Richardson.

She expects to leave within a few days for active duty. She is a graduate of Maytown High School and has been employed in a factory at Elizabethtown.

OUR CARD Basket For The Week

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Myers and daughter, Ruth Ann, of Strasburg, spent Monday with Paul Risse's.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Myer and two sons, of Lititz R. D., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Darrenkamp.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bender and son, Leroy of Milton Grove, spent the week-end visiting their son, at Camp Lee, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Braun and son Larry, Mrs. Samuel Collins, daughter Florence, Mrs. Elizabeth Hoffer and son, Cloy Hoffer, of Rome, N. Y., spent Sunday with Paul Risse and family.

Misses Dorothy Zerphy, Geraldine Groff, Rosine Kling, Betty Zerphy, Marion Neiss and Dorothy Stauffer, spent from Friday to Monday at Stafford, Conn., where they visited Winfield Zerphy, who is attending the U. S. Naval Training School there.

IN GOVERNOR'S HANDS

The Senate at Harrisburg finally passed the House-approved bill fixing a flat \$10 a year for all automobile licenses. If Governor Martin signs it motorists will nearly all save a few dollars a year.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob E. Zercher, Florin, a son at home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Ulrich, 51 West Main street, a daughter Friday at St. Joseph's Hospital, Lancaster.

County Draft Board No. 1 Classifies

Code to classification; Class 1—Pending Physical Examination; Class 1-A—Available for Military Service; Class 1-AO—Fit for Non-Combatant Service; Class 1-B—Fit for Limited Service; Class 1-C—Members of the Armed Forces; Class 2-A—Necessary in Civilian Duties; Class 2-B—Essential to the War Program; Class 2-C—Deferred Farmer; Class 3-C—Deferred Farmer with Dependents; Class 3-A—Registrants with Dependents; Class 3-B—Dependency and Other Defers in War Industry; Class 4-A—Registrants deferred by age; Class 4-B—Public Officials and Others Deferred by Law; Class 4-C—Non-Declarant Alien; Class 4-D—Minister or Divinity Student; Class 4-E—Consistent Objector; Class 4-F—Physically, Mentally or Morally Unfit; Class 4-H—Registrar over 38 years.

CLASS 1-A

Clayton R. Demmy, R1, Manheim
 John E. Epler, Wilmington, Delaware
 Paul Grumbine Kissinger, Manheim
 Chester LeRoy Young, Manheim
 Kenneth S. Herr, Elizabethtown
 Leon Diehm, South Main Street, Manheim

Stanley Kover Shenk, Mount Joy
 Lewis Boyd Apple, Marietta
 Earl N. Heisey, Middletown
 Carl Schlotzhauser Lochner, Manheim

John Clemon Heisey, Lancaster
 LeRoy Heckart, Manheim
 John Andrew Wienand, Manheim
 Roy Turner Fitzwater, Harrisonburg, Virginia

Lewis Harbaugh Rupp, Manheim
 Lew Gerald Amstad, Manheim
 Earl Long, Manheim
 James Severn Kuhn, Manheim
 Carl Isaac Dissinger, Manheim
 Lewis Trostle, Elizabethtown
 Simon Walter Berberian, Et'own
 Donald Albert Ream, Elizabethtown
 Charles Luther Gilliam Marietta
 Harry Gilmore Reese, Elizabethtown
 Charles Howard R3
 Edward Stoner, Jr., Annaville
 Roy Walter Lehman, Elizabethtown
 Frank John Leeman, Marietta
 Robert Charles Horning, Et'own
 Dale Jacob Berrier, R3, Elizabethtown
 Richard Lehr Musser, Elizabethtown
 Howard Lee Chapman, R2, Et'own

CLASS 2-B TO JULY 1, 1943

Clude K. Kinsey, Bainbridge

CLASS 2-A TO AUGUST 1, 1943

Lester Gruber Ebersole, Hickam Housing, T. H.
 Paul Richard Hostetter, Mount Joy
 Mark Shelly Grabbill, R2, Lititz
 Robert E. Kennedy, Elizabethtown
 Roy Wentzel Diffenbach, R3, Lititz

CLASS 2-A TO JUNE 15, 1943

Mervin S. Sauder, Manheim
 Richard Forney Hertzler, Lancaster

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OYSTER SUPPER

There will be an oyster supper on Saturday, February 20 from five until nine o'clock in the fire house, by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Fire Company.

Bring the family out for supper.

HOSPITAL PATIENT

Fredy Erb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Erb, is a patient in the St. Joseph Hospital, at Lancaster since last Saturday. He is undergoing treatment there.

East Donegal Township School News

The East Donegal Chapter of the National Honor Society will initiate into its membership three candidates in a special school assembly to be held on Friday afternoon, March 5. The initiates are, from the junior class Kathryn Gallagher and James B. Endsow, and from the senior class Betty Jane Heimel. These students have been declared eligible for membership on the basis of character, scholarship, leadership and service. Present members of the Society are Rhelda Eshleman, Joyce Fryberger, Ruth Smith, Mary Hess and Robert Sipling.

The grand total of War Stamps Bonds sales for the entire School to date is \$3,208.25.

Registration places for War Ration Book 2 will be the High School in Maytown, and the Washington Elementary School in Florin. Dates of registration are February 23, 24, 25, and 26; hours are 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. It is expected that all residents of East Donegal Township will register at one of these places.

ALL DEFENSE COUNCIL UNITS MET MONDAY NITE

A meeting of all the units of Civilian Defense was held Monday evening in the high school with about one hundred fifty members of the personnel present.

Members of the Defense Corps were sworn in by Burgess, Wm. E. Hendrix, who read the oath and which was repeated in unison by the group.

The new air raid signals were explained by Thos. J. B. Brown and further instructions given to various units.

New identification cards were also issued at this time.

LETTERS GRANTED

Union National Mount Joy Bank, Mount Joy, executor of Frank G. Drabenstadt, late of Mount Joy.

Deeds Recorded

William J. Dellinger and wife to Charles M. Benston et al, premises in West Hempfield township for \$5.

Truman Sourbier and wife to Margaret Stark, premises in East Donegal township, for \$5.

Alfred Deyer, executor of Rebecca Nauman to Charles K. Bennett, premises in Mount Joy for \$301.50.

Wilfred D. Groff and wife to Richard E. Miley and wife, tract in Mount Joy Twp. for \$300.

John S. Spickler's heir, Arthur G. Spickler and wife to Miller Weaver, tract in Mount Joy Twp. for \$150.

Truman Sourbier and wife Sarah, Marietta, to Margaret Stark, dwelling and other improvements in E. Donegal Twp.

Ivan Irvin Geistweil's heirs to Harry H. Kaylor and wife, premises at 210-212 W. Main St., Mount Joy, for \$5,000.

HELD PRACTICE AND REHEARSAL TUESDAY

A practice and rehearsal for all First Aiders was held Tuesday evening at the Fire House, under the direction of Clark Berrier and Charles Eshleman, supervisors.

Reviews on practical knowledge learned in classes and demonstrations of bandaging and conveying patients were given by the First Aiders.

About fifty people attended the rehearsal.

BLAZE NEAR MANHEIM

The members of the Manheim Fire Company were summoned to the farm tenanted by Omar Fair, about a mile south of Manheim, on Sunday afternoon, when an overheated pipe ignited the ceiling of the first floor. The damage was estimated at about \$200.

OUR ROTARIANS HEARD "VICTORY GARDEN" TALK

The Rotary Club met on Tuesday at Hostetter's Banquet hall with thirty clubmen present.

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CEILING ON ONION SETS

Even though its almost several months ahead of planting time, folks are buying their supply of onion sets and so great has been the demand that the OPA has placed a ceiling on prices for the next sixty days. Prices around here range from 25 cents for yellow to 30 and 35 cents for white.

GRANTED A DIVORCE

Elsie H. O'Neil, forty-nine, 18 S. West End Avenue, Lancaster was granted a divorce by Judge Schaeffer from Hefry O. O'Neil, of this town. They were married February 7, 1921, and separated November 5, 1934, according to the papers in the case.

TWO NAVY RECRUITS

Nine enlisted Navy recruits left Lancaster Thursday for active duty. Among them were three local young men, Edgar B. Bush, Mount Joy R2, Ralph E. Ebersole, Bainbridge R1 and Michael Kirvmske, of Bainbridge.