

Truck Driver Dies of Burns in Collision; Saves Other Driver

Edwin J. Abel, 23, Dancy, R. 2, a truck driver, died in St. Agnes hospital, Fond du Lac, at 1 p. m. of burns sustained about 8 a. m. Thursday, Feb. 24, when his truck burst into flames after colliding with another vehicle on Highway 45-55 at Waucoasta.

Neal McDougal, Campbellsport, driver of the other truck, also was severely burned but his condition was not considered serious.

When Abel was taken to the hospital in the Fond du Lac county ambulance all his lower clothing had been burned off and the burns were especially severe on his neck, face and head.

Both of the vehicles, a semi-trailer owned by the Steffe Freight Lines of Wausau and driven by Abel and a milk truck driven by McDougal, were almost demolished in the crash and resultant fire and their entire loads were destroyed. County highway police estimated the loss at at least \$25,000.

The officers said that the trucks were northbound on the state highway and that Abel apparently started to pass the milk truck on its left as McDougal made a left turn into County Trunk P.

The flames broke out in both vehicles immediately after the collision and both drivers were surrounded by fire. The milk truck went to the left side of the road and turned turtle, coming to rest on a concrete culvert, while the other vehicle travelled some distance in a ditch on the west side of the pavement.

Nearly farmers and several business people of Waucoasta, who hurried to the scene when they heard the impact, said that Abel, his clothes aflame, crawled out of the cab of his own truck and assisted McDougal in extricating himself from the other blazing vehicle, Abel then collapsed.

The impact scattered milk cans along the side of the road and the flames immediately spread to the milk truck's body and to the trailer of the other vehicle, which had a load of assorted merchandise.

The impact was so violent that the gasoline tank of the milk truck was torn off and showed under the cab of the freight truck.

FRANK HIMLES FARM SOLD Frank Himles of this village on Monday sold his 104 acre farm in the town of Kewaskum to Ray Bowen of Burlington, Wis. Mr. Bowen will rent out the farm.

Column on the Side YOUR NEWSPAPER Printing a newspaper costs money. Every single column inch in a newspaper is expensive. Paper, ink, setting of type, the labor involved, the cost of machinery and power, taxes, depreciation, pictures, features, cost of gathering the news, postage, delivery costs, are a few of the principal items of expense that go into the making of a newspaper.

Women's Home Nursing Course to Begin Here

Registration for Red Cross home nursing courses is now open to women of Kewaskum, according to Mrs. Ernest Mitchell, home nursing chairman of the Kewaskum Red Cross chapter. Already several women have signified their intention to take the course, but several more must register before classes will begin, she reported.

The course will be taught by Mrs. Marvin Schaefer, and will be in 12 two-hour class periods, she said. The time and place for the classes shall be announced soon. Any women interested in taking this course are requested to get in touch with Mrs. Mitchell as soon as possible, so that classes may get underway.

"Prevention of illness is a far more objective of the course," Mrs. Mitchell said. "Just as a prime consideration of Red Cross first aid is accident prevention, the home nursing program is a Red Cross method of helping the American people avert illness or shorten its run."

She pointed out that already thirty-five persons have been in previous home nursing classes conducted by the Kewaskum Red Cross chapter, and now are relieving overworked physicians by guarding family health and caring for the ill.

Kewaskum women who receive Red Cross home nursing certificates upon completion of their work will have learned how to make a sick bed, bathe a patient, read a thermometer, and protect the health of all other members of the family while caring for a patient with a contagious disease.

Special emphasis is put on simple "help-the-doctor" tips. Mrs. Mitchell pointed out, how to carry out doctors' orders, and ward off serious illness by early recognition of symptoms. The work also will include a study of diets and administering medicines, special care of the aged and convalescents, as well as maternity and infant care problems.

"The goal of the Red Cross in providing this service is to prepare one person in every home to protect the health of the family and to provide good nursing care when the need arises," Mrs. Mitchell concluded.

Mrs. August Kumrow Dies

Mrs. August Kumrow, 73, of West Bend, former resident of the town of Kewaskum, died about 9 a. m. Friday morning, Feb. 25, at St. Joseph's hospital, West Bend. She formerly resided on the farm now occupied by Fred C. Backhaus on Route 4, Kewaskum. The remains will be in state at the Westlawn Funeral home in West Bend. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon, Feb. 28, at St. John's Lutheran church, West Bend. An obituary will follow next week.

INCOME TAX REPORT AND FARM CROP MEETING HERE

Many farmers in Washington county will soon file their income tax reports. The new federal tax law is a complicated one and contains many provisions which should be understood by all filing such reports. To explain many of these provisions three meetings will be held on Monday, Feb. 28, at the places indicated below:

BIRTHS COULTER—Mr. and Mrs. Milton Coulter of Mayville are the parents of a son born Friday, Feb. 25, at St. Agnes hospital, Fond du Lac. Mrs. Coulter is the former Miss Elva Schaefer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schaefer of this village. The Coulters also have a daughter, Judy.

Town Wayne Resident For Many Years Dies

John Carl Diels, son of Henry and Carolyn (Schaefer) Diels, and a resident of the town of Wayne nearly all of his life, passed from this life suddenly from a heart attack on Wednesday noon, Feb. 23, at his home of employment at Beaver Dam. He attained the age of 60 years, three months and 23 days.

Mr. Diels was born Oct. 26, 1884, in the town of Wayne. He was christened and confirmed in the Salem Evangelical Reformed church at Wayne, of which parish he was a lifelong member. He lived in this vicinity until the last six years. His marriage to Miss Lydia Schreier of the town of Herman took place on Aug. 10, 1919.

Deceased is survived by his beloved wife and ten children: Frances (Mrs. Elmer Moldenhauer) of Ridge, Hilmer at home, Ruben of Beaver Dam, Mrs. Virginia Longworth at home, Orville of Beaver Dam, June Rose, Paul, Henrietta, Leonard and Joanna at home. Surviving also are two grandchildren, Ronald Diels and Stanley Lengworth; two brothers, Henry of Mayville and William of Lomira; two sisters, Mrs. Paul Bell of Lomira and Mrs. Ella Ibsen of Milwaukee, and many other relatives and friends. His mother preceded him in death Jan. 30, 1941, at Lomira.

Funeral services will be conducted on Sunday, Feb. 27, at 2 p. m. in the Salem church at Wayne, with the Rev. Carl Fluetsinger, pastor, officiating. Interment will be in the parish cemetery.

MOTHER OF RUDOLPH HOEPNER OF WAYNE DIES AT TERESA

Mrs. Henry Hoepner, mother of Rudolph Hoepner of Wayne, and a resident of the vicinity of Theresa, all of her life, died at 9:30 p. m. Saturday, Feb. 19, at her home in Theresa. She contracted pneumonia after breaking her hip in a fall on Dec. 31. Mrs. Hoepner would have observed her 82nd birthday next Monday.

Born Feb. 28, 1862, in the town of Theresa, the former Caroline Krueger was married to Henry Hoepner in May, 1884. The couple lived on a farm south of Theresa until Mr. Hoepner's death on Oct. 18, 1914.

Mrs. Hoepner is survived by two sons, Max, of Theresa, and Rudolph of Wayne; a daughter, Pauline, at home; four sisters, Mrs. Gus van Frederick of Theresa, Mrs. Albert Hoff of Lomira, Mrs. Arthur Wagner of the town of Theresa, and Mrs. August Krutzner of Lomira, and three brothers, Frederick Krueger of Gilman, John Krueger of the town of Theresa and Otto of Theresa.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 p. m. Wednesday, Feb. 23, from the Beck Funeral home, Theresa, and at 2 p. m. at Zion Lutheran church there, the Rev. Alfred Scheible officiating. Burial was in the adjoining cemetery.

Cechvala Sworn Into Air Corps Enlisted Reserve

Thirteen young men were sworn into the air corps enlisted reserve and 15 others met mental qualifications for aviation cadet training on Monday, Feb. 14, when the Milwaukee aviation cadet training board held examinations at the Elks' clubhouse in Fond du Lac as a part of a state-wide tour. Among the 13 sworn into the enlisted reserve by Lieut. Daniel L. Moore of the Milwaukee board was Joseph P. Cechvala of Kewaskum.

Youths sworn into the enlisted reserve will remain on inactive duty until they become 18 or until the end of the school semester in which their eighteenth birthday occurs. When called for active duty they will be trained for approximately 15 months and upon graduation they will either be commissioned as second lieutenants or appointed as flight officers in the army air forces.

Kewaskum High in Finals of District Basketball Tourney

EXTRA! Kewaskum high school defeated North Fond du Lac, 24 to 18, in the semi-finals of the district basketball tournament at North Fond du Lac Friday afternoon to advance to the tourney finals. They played Friday night for the championship.

Annual district basketball tournaments supervised by the Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic association were held throughout the state Thursday and Friday, Feb. 24 and 25. Kewaskum competed in the North Fond du Lac district tourney.

Kewaskum won the first game of the tournament at 2 p. m. Thursday, defeating Campbellsport for the third time this season, 25 to 22. This advanced the team to the semi-finals on Friday afternoon. In the second game Thursday North Fond du Lac upset Lomira, 32 to 26. In the evening Omro beat Oakfield 25 to 29, and Rosendale defeated Slinger 30 to 22. Friday afternoon Kewaskum tackled North Fondy and Rosendale played Omro. The winners met for the district championship Friday night at 8 p. m.

This year's tourney continued for only two days and once a team was defeated it was eliminated. The championship will advance to the regional tournament at either Mayville or Milwaukee. Six of the teams at North Fondy were from the Tri-County conference.

Rosendale was picked as the tourney favorite because it won the conference championship with a record of 11 wins and 1 defeat. Rosendale's only loss was to Kewaskum last week. North Fondy finished second with 20 wins and 2 losses. Kewaskum third with 9 and 3, Oakfield fourth with 6 and 6. Campbellsport fifth with 4 and 8, Lomira sixth with 2 and 10 and Brandon last with 0 and 12. Kewaskum ended its season last Friday with a 36 to 22 win over Lomira.

Here's the box score of the Kewaskum-Campbellsport tournament game: Kewaskum FG FT PP Backhaus, f. . . . . 3 2 1 Tassar, f. . . . . 0 0 4 J. Barlett, f. . . . . 2 1 2 D. Bartlett, c. . . . . 3 3 2 Koth, g. . . . . 1 0 2 Bunkelmann, g. . . . . 0 0 0

CAMPBELLSPORT FG FT PP Uelmen, f. . . . . 0 3 3 Hall, f. . . . . 0 1 2 Johnson, f. . . . . 0 2 2 Prink, f. . . . . 0 0 4 Haessly, f. . . . . 0 0 0 Kippenhan, c. . . . . 3 0 1 Arnold, c. . . . . 0 0 0 Baumhardt, g. . . . . 2 1 0 Lichtensteiger, g. . . . . 2 1 3

Referee: Lumar (Waupun); Umpire: Unser (Menasha). OTTILIA SCHLADWEILER Weds Norbert Mueller

Miss Ottilia Schladweiler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schladweiler of Route 1, Kewaskum, and Norbert Mueller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mueller of Route 2, West Bend, were married by the Rev. Raymond Kastner in a 9 o'clock nuptial service read in St. Michael's church, St. Michaels, on Wednesday, Feb. 16.

The bride wore a satin gown with lace inserts and lace ruffles on the hem. Her fingertip veil fell from a pearl beaded headress. She carried a mixed arm bouquet of carnations, sweetpeas and fern.

Attending the bride was Miss Ruth Reysen as maid of honor, and the Misses Alma Pustow and Anna Mueller were bridesmaids. Miss Reysen was attended in a rose satin gown while the bridesmaids wore similar gowns in aqua and medium blue. They all carried bouquets the same as that of the bride. The little flower girl was Elfrida Vollmer.

Robert Mueller attended his brother as best man. The groomsmen were Urban Schladweiler and Andrew Marx, while Jerome Schladweiler and William Wagner ushered.

People Urged to Cash in War Bond Pledges

As the fourth war loan drive is drawing toward the close, the Washington County War Finance committee makes a last minute appeal that all those who have pledged to buy war bonds during the drive who, as yet, haven't gone to their bank, post office, building and loan association to make that purchase, do so. Only those sales made on or before Feb. 28 will count in the fourth war loan drive. So if you have a pledge open, turn it in to a sale on or before Feb. 28.

The complete return on the results of the fourth war loan drive will be announced shortly after the last of March. From all indications, Washington county is still one of the few counties who have gone over the top on individual purchases of war bond sales and it should rank very high in the country for the fine results turned in by the people throughout the county.

Seventeen of the local units have gone over the top. One of the three remaining may still go over the top before the drive is over, although work is continuing on in all three of the localities. As the war finance committee looks back on the various drives, an increase in the number of local units going over the top has resulted in each drive; so it optimistically looks forward to one hundred per cent results in the next drive if it is not accomplished this time.

Kenny For Governor Club is Organized

On Tuesday night, Feb. 15, 75 friends of Delbert J. Kenny of West Bend gathered at Roth's hall in Slinger to formulate plans for a Kenny-for-governor club. They came from every section of the county—Democrats, Progressives and Republicans joined under one banner and one idea. The other county papers announced that this is the first time in history that Washington county had a candidate for governor. It was called to our attention and by searching through the Statesman files of 1898, we found that the county had one other candidate before. He was Hiram W. Sawyer of Hartford, who was defeated as a Democratic candidate for governor in 1898.

Among those who came to boost Kenny's candidacy were Assemblyman Joseph Schmitz of Germantown; Clyde Schloemer, mayor of West Bend and Armand Hauser of Hartford. Hauser headed Edward Gehl's successful campaign for circuit judge three years ago. Milton L. Meister, West Bend, president of the Wisconsin District Attorneys association, acted as temporary chairman.

With party politics left out in the cold, the group went to work on the business at hand. An executive committee of 25 was selected to develop plans and elect a chairman. Vigorous enthusiasm was voiced by several members of the committee and declarations were made for early action. A county-wide meeting was suggested in the very near future and met with spontaneous approval. This led to other definite suggestions for the committee.

Members of the executive committee and their respective precincts in the county are: Jos. Schmitz, Village Germantown; Ted Schmidt, Village Kewaskum; Joe Weninger, Town Addison; Albert Thiel, Village Slinger; John Ennis, Town Richfield; John Cleary, Town Erin; Jerry Otten, Village Barton; Al Seefeldt, Town Kewaskum; Ph. Peters, Town Polk; Art. Byrne, Town Wayne; Ed. Thoma, Town West Bend; Paul Cypher, Town Barton; Clarence Gumm, Town Jackson; Elmo Rosenheimer, Village Jackson; John Frey, Town Hartford; Jos. Kowanda, Town Trenton; Fred Weinreich, Town Farmington; Hugo Deiner, Town Germantown; Clyde Schloemer, Mike Kratzer, Mica. Goring, M. L. Meister, Wm. Leins, Art. Kuehthau, City West Bend; Armand Hauser, John Shinners, Cy Lohr, Guy Chaplin, City Hartford.

PAUL KOHLERS OBSERVE FIFTY-FIFTH WEDDING

ST. KILIAN—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kohler observed their 55th wedding anniversary Saturday at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Volm, in the presence of their family, Mr. and Mrs. Kohler, who are in good health, will be 80 and 75 years old respectively on March 28. All of the children and grandchildren were present for the occasion, namely Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kohler and family of Milwaukee, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kohler and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Volm and family of Kewaskum, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kohler and family of Lomira, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Volm and family and Elroy Schrauth.

Chairmen Named for Red Cross War Fund

In preparation for the Red Cross war fund drive next month, Judge F. W. Bucklin this week announced his committee chairmen in the towns, villages and city of West Bend. Bucklin is general chairman of the drive for the West Bend chapter area. Although the national campaign will run during the entire month of March, the war fund here will be raised between March 6 and 18.

TOWNSHIP CHAIRMEN Barton—Paul Cypher Farmington—Harvey Deitmann Jackson—Alvin Schwalter Kewaskum—Alfred Seefeldt Trenton—H. J. Laughlin Wayne—Roland Schmitt West Bend—Erwin Peters VILLAGE CHAIRMEN Barton—Jerry Otten, Rudolph Pfeiffer Kewaskum—Ted Schmidt Jackson—Elmo Rosenheimer City of West Bend—R. S. Grogan J. E. Tolack, who is the war fund publicity chairman, will be assisted by Arnold Mueller, William Dooly, Arnold Weiss, William Jansen and H. C. Kaempfer.

On the shoulders of these chairmen rests the responsibility of organizing their committee workers for making the largest and most important Red Cross drive in history.

Ask 50% More in '44 With the tremendous increase in war front activities, the American Red Cross is asking each and every contributor to give 50% more than last year. Of the \$200,000,000 quota to be raised, 95% will go directly for services to men and women in the armed forces. The other 5% will be used for disaster relief and the many other Red Cross civilian services.

As indicated by letters and news reports from all over the world, our boys are encountering more physical hardships than soldiers in previous wars. Only through the Red Cross can they secure some of the comforts to combat these hardships.

Up to last month the Red Cross had collected 5,000,000 pints of blood for processing into the plasma which is now saving thousands of lives every week. Dozens of other Red Cross services are following our armed forces to all battle areas.

Holy Trinity Card Party Attended by 150 Players

The card party sponsored by the Ladies' Altar society of Holy Trinity parish Sunday evening proved to be a fine success. 150 players participating in the various games. Following is a list of the prize winners: Door prizes—John Wickert and Melvin Schaub. Sheephead—1st, George Backhaus, 44; 2nd, Henry Muckerbeide, 42; 3rd, Jake Kudek, 40; 4th, Arnold Hawig, Jr., 36; 5th, Mrs. J. Volm, 24; 6th, Mrs. Wm. Jansen, 24.

Five Hundred—1st, Mrs. Alice Gleas, 3880; 2nd, Marie Lanz, 3810; 3rd, Mrs. Henry Flek, 3800; 4th, Mrs. John Gruber, 3750; 5th, Mrs. Emil Backhaus, 3720; 6th, Mrs. Edw. E. Miller, 3700. Skat—1st, Martin Schmidt, 18-1-17 games 598 points; 2nd, Elmer Nigh, 491 points; 3rd, Arnold Hawig, club solo vs. 5; 4th, Frank Himles, high play 192.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Roger Eigo, village, submitted to a major operation at St. Agnes hospital, Fond du Lac, Friday morning, Feb. 25. Dr. F. E. Nolting, village, is confined at the Columbia hospital, Milwaukee, since Monday, where he underwent an operation for a cut tendon on a finger of his left hand Tuesday morning, Feb. 21. Valeria, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norton Koerble, village, underwent a minor operation at St. Joseph's hospital, West Bend, Saturday, Feb. 19. She returned home Tuesday. Gregor Kirsch, Kewaskum, R. 3, underwent a minor operation at St. Joseph's hospital, West Bend, Friday, Feb. 18. Isador "Ike" Keller, village, was taken to the Veterans hospital, Milwaukee, Tuesday, Feb. 22, for medical treatment. Billy, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip McLaughlin, village, was taken to St. Agnes hospital, Fond du Lac, Tuesday, Feb. 22, where he submitted to medical treatment for one day.

WIN SKAT TOURNAY PRIZES

Due to the heavy snow fall Tuesday night the attendance at the weekly skat session at Louis Heister's tavern was smaller than usual. First prize was won by Herbert Backhaus with 23-2-21 games and the unusually large total of 786 points. Other winners were: 2nd, Ray Kudek, 463 points, 17 games; 3rd, Wilmer Probst, high play 100; 4th, Eddie Czaja, 18-3-15 games, 447 points.

Annual Meeting of Teachers of County One of Finest Held

Mayor Clyde Schloemer, in a very appropriate address, welcomed the teachers of Washington county to West Bend at the opening of the annual meeting at the McLane school Friday, Feb. 18. The officers planned well for the meeting was one of the finest held in this county for some time.

The most significant feature of the meeting was an appraisal of rural pupils in the freshman year of the high schools of the county made by the high school principals. The appraisal placed this group on levels of achievement higher than any similar report ever made by the principals. Supt. M. G. Batho of West Bend indicated that the Otis achievement test revealed that the rural pupils in the freshman class led all other groups and that three of those pupils were on the honor roll of his school. Principal Schneider of Slinger reported that rural pupils held the first, second and third place in his freshman class and that pupils of the rural schools were especially strong in mathematical studies. Principal R. W. Brasuse of Hartford, after making an exhaustive study in his school through standard tests and opinions given by members of his faculty, stated that the rural pupils are on a par with any other group attending his school. Principal Clifford Rose of Kewaskum concluded the appraisal by stating that he agreed with the other principals that the rural pupils were no more of a problem from the standpoint of ability to achieve than any other group. Then, too, all the principals were definitely satisfied with the behavior, self-reliance and the fine relationships that obtain between rural pupils and their teachers. The teachers of the county, their school boards and the parents of rural children ought to feel very happy with this appraisal.

The morning program was opened with community singing led by Miss Marcella Schiefel, teacher of the Stofel school in the town of Kewaskum. (CONTINUED ON LAST PAGE)

Kewaskum Indians Whip West Bend and Newburg

The Kewaskum Indians team added two more victories to their record the past week with decisive wins over the Gehl Manufacturing Co. team of West Bend and Newburg. Both games were in the local gym. On Sunday evening the team went on a scoring spree to trounce Gehl by a 66 to 32 score. Kewaskum ran away from the opponents in the first half, which ended with the locals ahead by a commanding score of 31 to 5. It is exceptional to hold a team to five points in a complete half. Honeck and Korth scored 17 and 15 points respectively for the winners, while Miller had 11.

On Tuesday night here the Indians won another easy contest over Newburg, 54 to 24. Kewaskum was short of players and sent out a call for Billy Schaefer and Ernie Mitchell, high school coach, to come out of retirement and help them out. Honeck stole scoring honors with 26 points. Kewaskum FG FT PP Honeck, rf. . . . . 7 3 6 Korth, lf. . . . . 7 1 6 Dorn, c. . . . . 5 0 0 Probst, rg. . . . . 5 0 0 Miller, lg. . . . . 7 0 3

Referee: Mertes Kewaskum FG FT PP Honeck, rf. . . . . 13 0 1 Schaefer, lf. . . . . 2 0 1 Mitchell, lf. . . . . 2 0 2 Dorn, c. . . . . 1 2 1 Probst, rg. . . . . 3 1 1 Miller, lg. . . . . 4 1 0

NEWBURG FG FT PP Casper, rf. . . . . 1 0 1 Sereckmann, rf. . . . . 1 0 0 Loehen, lf. . . . . 4 0 3 Hausmann, c. . . . . 2 1 0 M. Wilkens, rg. . . . . 2 0 2 Wilkens, lf. . . . . 1 0 0 Hetscheger, lg. . . . . 0 1 0 Germer, lg. . . . . 0 0 0

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VACATION IN CALIFORNIA L. G. Keller, president of the Kewaskum Creamery company, and wife of Milwaukee left the past week to spend two or three weeks in California. More than 2,000 samples of seed have been tested at the state seed laboratory since July 1.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Nazi Pour Troops Into Anzio Region As Battle for Italy Grows in Ferocity; Senate Studies 'White-Collar' Income; Aussie-U. S. Forces Join in New Guinea

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



Italy—First great armored battle of Italy raged near Anzio, where Nazis strove to knock out Allied beachhead.

ITALY:

Major Battle

For the first time in the Italian campaign, major Allied and German armored forces met on level ground to slug it out, as the great battle for the Anzio beachhead below Rome raged.

To the southeast, bloody mountain fighting continued, with the entrenched Nazis stubbornly resisting advancing U. S. and French soldiers, crawling through fierce machine-gun and mortar fire to root enemy units out of deeply dug defenses.

Determined to fight a major battle in Italy far below the Po river valley in the north, the Nazis poured thousands of troops in the Anzio region, and action rose in tempo after the enemy carefully probed Allied lines for weak points.

Crowded into an area about 30 miles long and 12 miles inland, Allied forces swung into the attacking enemy at close quarters, while their air forces roamed over German positions and communication lines, blasting troop concentrations and supply deliveries.

RECORD LEVELS

Keeping well in line with government predictions of record meat production for 1944, January slaughter of hogs, cattle and sheep set all-time marks for the month.

Partly because of liquidations due to concern over the overall feed situation for the year, 1,141,081 cattle were butchered in January, along with 7,839,352 hogs and 1,932,987 sheep.

Although the government estimated that meat production would rise 8 per cent in 1944 to a record 25,000,000 pounds, civilian allocations were set at the 1943 level of 131 pounds of meat per person for the year, with the services, lend-lease and other U. S. agencies obtaining the increased output.

Only if the latter's needs were cut, could civilians expect more meat, it was said.

DEMOBILIZATION: Congressional Plan

Adequate financing of industry to switch to civilian production, and orderly disposal of war material to prevent upsetting the markets, were proposed by the senate's economic policy and planning committee for postwar America.

The committee's recommendations were embodied in a bill sponsored by Senators George (Ga.) and Murray (Mont.), calling for government purchase of all raw materials or processed goods or extension of advances, partial payments or loans upon contract cancellations.

Regarding the nation's \$15,000,000,000 investment in war plants, the committee proposed their sale to private interests, but not if their use should over-expand production.

The number of aircraft, aluminum, rubber, magnesium, ship, steel and pipeline plants retained for postwar defense output should depend upon the scope of such a program, the committee declared.

Precaution should be taken against flooding the markets with war goods and depressing prices and production generally, the committee said, and opportunity should be sought to sell such material abroad.

Organization of a demobilization board to carry out the program was recommended.

SUBSIDIES:

Opposed in Congress

Although facing an expected presidential veto, the senate moved to join the house in outlawing government subsidy payments to reduce retail food costs.

Senate approval of Sen. John Bankhead's anti-subsidy bill was scheduled after rejection of Sen. Francis Malone's amendment calling for the expenditure of \$1,500,000,000 for subsidies this year, and Sen. Robert Taft's compromise proposal that the program be limited to \$950,000,000.

Countering administration arguments that abolition of subsidies would threaten the whole anti-inflation program by leading to demands for wage raises to meet higher retail food costs, Senator Bankhead (Ala.) said that such subsidies would only save each family an average of 11 cents a day, and this at a time when incomes and savings are at record levels.

OLD TOPIC: White-Collar Wages

Popular as a topic ever since the days of Charles Dickens' stringy Bob Cratchit, low wages for white-collar workers now have come under the consideration of a senate labor committee.

Regardless of general salary increases of 15 to 30 per cent for clerical workers and salesmen since 1941, current earnings of many groups of non-manufacturing employees remain relatively low, A. F. Hinrichs of the U. S. department of labor said.

Although a survey in small towns showed store clerks have received boosts of 15 and 25 per cent and bank tellers increases of 5 to 10 per cent since 1941, straight time earnings of many groups remain less than 50 cents an hour, Hinrichs said. This averages less than \$24 for a 48-hour week, and earnings are even lower in some other occupations, Hinrichs asserted.

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC: Gain in New Guinea

Joining hands near Sidor after more than a month of fighting through rugged jungle, Australian and American forces prepared to lunge northward toward remaining Japanese positions on New Guinea's eastern coast.

First Allied objective was the base of Madang, feeder point for the Japs' inland positions, then Wewak, oft-pounded air base from which the enemy has sent up planes to harass Aussie and U. S. forces operating on New Guinea.

On New Britain island to the east of New Guinea, U. S. air forces continued to smack at the major Jap air and supply base of Rabaul, and at the port of Kavieng on New Ireland to the northeast, also a center of feeder operations for barges stocking enemy strongholds in the surrounding area.

CIVILIAN TIRES: More Later

Because requirements for military, bus and truck tires are expected to lessen later in the year, Rubber Director Bradley Dewey predicted an increase in supply for civilians after July 1.

Because of the restrictions on driving through gas rationing and the greater care being given to tires, the expected total supply of 18 or 24 million tires for 1944 should be sufficient to meet essential needs, Dewey said. Overall production for the year, however, is 6,000,000 below earlier estimates.

Although the synthetic rubber program utilizing alcohol and petroleum should hit peak production at a rate of 1,000,000 tons annually by August, the shortages of manufacturing equipment and high tenacity rayon cord for heavy duty tires is slowing up the whole tire program, Dewey said.

Up to July 1, there will be monthly production of 1,000,000 tires, with 750,000 available for rationing and 250,000 kept in reserve, Dewey reported.

RUSSIA: Reduce Threat

Russian forces whittled down the Germans' toehold in the lower Ukraine and sought to remove the threat of an enemy encirclement drive in that sector in major action along the 800-mile eastern front.

Stiffening German defenses slowed the Reds' push in the Baltic, with the enemy bitterly holding the threshold into Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania. Chewing deeply into Nazi lines before these states, however, the Russ forced the Germans to withdraw in many places to prevent entrapment from the rear.

Down at the southern end of the long front, strong Russian forces were beating the Germans back from the lower Ukraine, where they have been holding a long lick of territory at the back of the Red armies surging into prewar Poland. By rolling up the Nazi lines here, the Russ were removing the threat of a possible German thrust at the rear of General Vatutin's armies.

RECONSTRUCTION: Lumber Needed

Some idea of the tremendous demand for lumber for postwar reconstruction can be obtained from Great Britain's inquiries for 5,000,000,000 feet in the first year after the war for rebuilding damaged towns, Dr. Wilson Compton of the National Lumber Manufacturers association told the fifty-fourth annual convention of the Illinois Lumber and Material Dealers association. Normally, Britain buys 250,000,000 board feet yearly.

Although only 7,000,000,000 board feet of lumber are to be allocated for civilian use in 1944 for farm construction, war housing and repair and maintenance work, the supply may be cut still further by increased demands for boxing, crating and dunnage.

Each soldier requires 300 feet of lumber for packaging and other similar uses when shipped overseas, Dr. Compton said, and an additional 50 feet a month for supplies for farm construction, war housing and repair and maintenance work, the supply may be cut still further by increased demands for boxing, crating and dunnage.

STRIKES: Up in '43

Although 3,750 strikes were staged in 1943 involving 1,900,000 workers, their short duration resulted in only a loss of .07 of working time, the U. S. labor department reported.

Nevertheless, strikers were out an average of 7.1 days in 1943, compared with 5 days in 1942, when there were 2,968 walkouts. In 1941, each striker lost 9.8 days, and 4,288 walkouts were staged. In the pre-war year 1939, the average striker stayed out 15.2 days.

In 1943, four coal strikes involving 400,000 miners resulted in 8,500,000 idle man days, or an average of 21.2 days per miner.

About 20,000 industrial disputes were settled by U. S. agencies in 1943 without work stoppages, 16,000 by the department of labor, and 3,955 by the War Labor board.

SOLES

A new oil-treating process that makes leather soles last 25 to 50 per cent longer may soon be employed in manufacture of all civilian shoes. The army has required oil-treatment of its footwear since early in 1943.

Proponents of the process point out that treated shoes, by lasting longer, would ease the shortage in the new shoe supply. It is estimated that 180,000,000 pairs with oil-treated soles would give as much service as 250,000,000 untreated pairs.

STEEL

Farm machinery manufacturers will be allocated 1,200,000 tons of carbon steel after July 1, and makers of other essential civilian goods will be granted large quantities of the metal. Wire, pipe and tin plate will be more plentiful. More than 28,000 box cars will be constructed during the first three-quarters of the year, it is planned.

Among other important topics, industrial leaders are trying to forecast the postwar steel consumption of the Far West.

Washington Digest Status of Commonwealth Worry to Mother Country

England Wants Closer Cohesion of Domain; Lord Halifax's Statement Opens Controversial Subject in Canada.

By BAUKHAGE News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Service, Union Trust Building, Washington, D. C.

One of the most beautiful buildings in Washington is the Pan-American Union with palm-and-parakeet and an patio, its great lily pond with an ancient Inca idol idly dreaming beside its waters.

But there is one valuable object d'art in the cellar, swathed in protecting burlap and excelsior which is not displayed. It is a chair which matches a suite of 21 others which stand around a great table in the hall of the Americas, each of which bears the seal of a Latin-American republic.

The chair in the cellar has the genial beaver, Canada's national pet, carved upon it. The news is that that chair is threatening to burst out of its cement and walk on its four legs up the cellar steps to its place at the table.

Two men, more than any others, are responsible for the restlessness of this piece of furniture. One is tall, gray, dynamic Leighton McCarthy, Canadian ambassador to the United States. The other is Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

There probably never has been a time in history when the United States and Great Britain have been closer in thought and action, despite their multitudinous points of difference in peace time, than they are today. But, paradoxically, it is some of the points of difference that have brought Canada nearer to the United States than Our Lady of the Snows has ever been before.

The United States very nearly occupies the position of an interpreter between the mother country and the domain on some points, but the great bond between the Yanks and the Canucks is probably the simple, common sense fact that we look upon Canada as Rudyard Kipling (who once also became an American citizen) wrote, (making Canada the speaker):

"Daughter am I in my mother's house, but mistress in my own."

The 'Tentative'

That is why so many people in Canada or the States were NOT surprised when the government in Ottawa and the Canadian press rejected politely but firmly what the diplomats call a "tentative" put forth by Lord Halifax, British ambassador to the United States a week or so ago.

That is why so many people in the United States and Canada who ponder such matters WERE surprised that Lord Halifax, undoubtedly with the advice and consent of that frequent visitor at the White House, Winston Churchill, broached the suggestion at all. (The fact that Mr. Churchill said emphatically that Lord Halifax was speaking for himself, not the British government, merely proves—well, you know how diplomats work.)

Lord Halifax had said:

"But what is, I believe, both desirable and necessary is that in all the field of interests, common to every part of the Commonwealth—in foreign policy, in defense, in economic affairs, in colonial questions and in communications—we should leave nothing undone to bring our people into closer unity of thought and action. It may be that we shall find it desirable to maintain and extend our present wartime procedure of planning and consultation, which itself adapted and extended the methods we practiced in time of peace. The question admits of no easy answer."

Now let me say at this point, if there are any Fenians or their descendants in my audience, who think I am stirring up anti-British feeling or echoing the anglophobia of the Colonel McCosmics, let them take comfort from me. I am reporting the attitude of a lot of good and loyal subjects of his Britannic Majesty whose sons are dying for king and country.

As the years passed, Mother England voluntarily loosed the apron strings that bound her far-flung family to her. Willingly she bowed to Kipling's verdict and accepted the state of Westminster, giving the dominions their autonomy. Now she wonders about that union which is

necessary for her strength. She wants a closer cohesion of the Commonwealth. Lord Halifax made the suggestion, not officially, and with great restraint.

Earlier, Field Marshal Jan Smuts of the Union of South Africa had made a speech urging closer cooperation of the smaller European countries with the United Kingdom. On the Monday following Lord Halifax's speech, Prime Minister Mackenzie King was questioned concerning its meaning in the Canadian house of commons.

King stated that he was sure the speech had been misinterpreted, that he had been assured that it was not the official attitude of the British government, but he also said it was "unfortunate." He said further: "With what is implied in the argument employed by both these eminent public men (Halifax and Smuts), I am unable to agree."

Then he made this statement: "In meeting world issues of security, employment and social standards, we must join not only with commonwealth countries but with all like-minded states, if our purposes and ideals are to prevail. Our commitments on these great issues must be part of a general scheme, whether they be on a world basis or regional in nature."

"We look forward, therefore, to close collaboration in the interests of peace not only inside the British commonwealth, but also with all friendly nations, small as well as great."

The Canadian press of all parties, I am told by Canadian officials here, showed a unanimity in supporting the prime minister's candid witness in Canada.

This means that since Canadian interests lie in this hemisphere to a great extent, where hemispheric solidarity is essential to the welfare of all of the nations concerned, it is sheer folly to keep a perfectly good piece of furniture in the basement of the Pan-American Union that belongs at its natural place at the table. "Won't you sit down, Mr. McCarthy?"

BRIEFS . . . by Baukhage

The death rate for the first six months of 1943 was 11.0 per 1,000 population in the United States, about 3.8 per cent higher than for the corresponding period in 1942.

With 450 million people to support, China has 210 million acres of cultivated land. The United States has 132 million people has 345 million acres of cultivated land.

The number of women hired by United States railroads increased 138.6 per cent for the year ending June 30, 1943.

The latest poll of opinion by the Swedish Gallup institute said that 84 per cent of the people questioned wish Sweden to remain a monarchy, 6 per cent prefer a republic and 10 per cent are undecided.

The Japanese have organized an "Old People's Association for the Encouragement of Longevity" and dedicated it to activities which might prolong the average life of the Japanese to 100 years and thereby increase the Japanese population to 500,000,000.

The Tokyo radio has reported in Japan a cold resistance movement against influenza and designated a training-and-development-of-the-body-and-mind-to-stand-the-cold week.

Who's News This Week

By Delos Wheeler Lovelace

NEW YORK.—Incentives to American girls and women to join the U. S. Cadet Nurse corps are less numerous than the blessings which will follow them on the battle fields of the world and in hard-pressed, under-staffed civilian hospitals. Still, they are numerous enough: free education in a well-paid profession, a shortened training period, living expenses, spending money while training, a distinctive insignia, uniforms. But Lucille Petry, director of the corps, seeking 27,000 more recruits, offers still another inducement. The prospects for marriage in the nursing profession are, she points out, excellent.

This corner agrees after viewing the fetching new uniform. The petite, erect, gray-haired, fresh-as-a-daisy Miss Petry is even prettier in uniform than in civilian dress. On leave of absence as dean of Cornell University New York Hospital School of Nursing, she has been helping the government since 1941. She was named director of the corps immediately after its creation in 1943. Before Cornell she taught and supervised at the University of Minnesota.

Earlier there was an immense amount of study. Graduating with honors from the University of Delaware in 1924, she entered Johns Hopkins Hospital School of Nursing. After graduation there she was awarded a scholarship and took a master's at Teachers' college, Columbia university.

Daughter of a small town school principal who believed that children should accept responsibility, Miss Petry worked in a dry goods store, a canning factory and a broker's office while still "the little Petry girl."

IF Lieut. Gen. Omar Bradley runs true to form his maps of coastal France are being worn thin. He will lead invading American ground troops in the coming

Not Out for Victory Through Necessary Blood Sacrifices to know as much of the battle terrain as the enemy, more if possible. Usually he hops into a jeep and looks the country over, then studies his maps far into the night. Since he can't very well tout a jeep through Nazi defenses beyond the channel the maps must do double duty.

Fifty-one, Bradley is a Missourian who has made his way in the army against the handicap of a singular modesty. Before this war started he was notable as one of the army's crack rifle shots, one of its best mathematicians, probably the best commandant ever in charge of the Officers' Candidate school at Ft. Benning, and a lieutenant who usually did a little better in maneuvers than his opponent. When he took over in General Patton's wake in North Africa only the army found his name a familiar one. His score at Gafsa, Hill 609, Mateur and Bizerte turned the international spotlight on him.

Bradley's military books are dog-eared from much reading but for fun he likes detective stories. He likes also to talk with his soldiers. And above all he dislikes the records of such generals as that Frenchman who, in the last great war, was said to butcher his divisions to gain a victory.

WHEN historians turn to the exciting story of this era they will note the use of special envoys as a characteristic of the long administration of Franklin D. Roosevelt.

We've Another Old Sea Dog Who Is Roosevelt. An Adroit Diplomat Now it is Envoy W.A. Glassford who performs the very special task of laying American aims and plans before the obstreperous Gen. Charles de Gaulle.

William A. Glassford Jr. is a vice admiral in the navy, and it is common practice to look upon all our admirals as bluff old sea dogs but among them is included a handful of deft diplomats. The vice admiral is one of these for all that he can seem bluff enough at times. He seemed so a few months before we got into the war. Speaking then before a Shanghai audience of American business men, he declared bluntly that Britain was on the edge of a licking and our turn would come next.

In the light of his later assignments, however, he may have been doing some pretty wily talking on orders received from very high up. Since last May, Mr. Glassford has been President Roosevelt's personal representative in North Africa, with ministerial rank.

Earlier he headed a mission which sought to discover for the administration the value to the Allied cause of the battered but strategic port of Dakar. In the first days of World War II he was commander of the Anzac forces in the southwest Pacific.

He is an Annapolis graduate, '06, who got his flag in 1939 and has twice been awarded the DSM. A native of San Francisco he has been twice married, has two daughters and one son. He has a long quiet face and is baldier than he would choose, but who isn't at 57?

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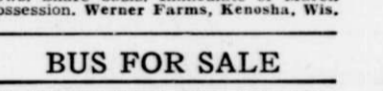
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Want Colored 'Chutes' Burmese natives have asked the army to use colored fabrics in 'chutes that drop food and supplies to troops on the Burmese frontier. The natives use the discarded cloth for clothing, and they are tired of white.

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HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

SLED: The Russian army is using an improved sledge driven by an airplane propeller for its mobile machine gun corps. A machine gun is mounted behind armor plating.

BASEBALL: The American league baseball clubs will play 78 exhibition games in their spring circuit, according to tentative schedules. Traveling difficulties may curtail the program.

LEAD POISONING: Hens are being fed small quantities of birdshot in an experiment to find the cause of muscle weakening in lead poisoning. The chickens eat the little pellets like gravel. The study is being made in Boston university school of medicine.

CANCER: Progress towards the cure of cancer is reported by a Chicago doctor, who has successfully grown cancerous cells in a test tube. He believes new possibilities have been opened in the treatment of the malignant disease by his successful experiments.

TOKENS: More ration tokens will be needed than was at first thought, OPA officials indicate. About 2,000,000,000 tokens should be ready for release February 27, and the OPA is having another 200,000,000 made as a reserve. This supply may be increased to 800,000,000, it was said. A larger token, about the size of a quarter, with a value of five points, is being considered.

GAS STOVES: Simplified models of gas stoves will be the only ones available if and when production is resumed, the War Production board says. Resumption of manufacture is being studied.

SECRETS: It is reported from Istanbul, Turkey, that a key member of the German secret service has deserted, and fled to British territory. He is Dr. Erich Vermehren, assistant to the chief of Nazi intelligence in Turkey. The German embassy is said to be in a "near panic" fearing that important secrets will be revealed.

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ABOUT  
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Wheel alignment means much to tire mileage these days, with so many old cars in service. Frequent checking of camber and toe-in in front wheels will prove a rubber and mileage saver.

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**CARIBBEAN CONSPIRACY**  
by BRENDA CONRAD

**THE STORY SO FAR:** Anne Heywood, beautiful daughter of a wealthy New York newspaper publisher, goes to Puerto Rico on an assignment for her father's paper. Also on the island are Pete Wilcox, a reporter on her father's paper,

now a U. S. Army intelligence officer; Miguel Valera, a Puerto Rican educated in the United States who is a secret U. S. agent; and Richard Taussig, an engineer whose identity as a German agent Anne helps to prove. When Mr. Taussig offers

her the story of his activities in Puerto Rico in exchange for some plans he thinks she has, Anne goes with him to a remote villa. She gets her story, and Army Intelligence gets its man. She has vindicated her judgment.

**CHAPTER XIX**

He sat at a desk in what seemed to Anne a combination study and office, filled with cabinets and dark heavy furniture. She waited a little breathlessly for him to speak. His eyes were kindly, wise and infinitely understanding.

"I'm going to talk very frankly and perhaps very cruelly to you, my child," he said slowly. "Because I think you are very intelligent and clear-sighted. I cannot speak to my son, because he is deeply in love and not clear-sighted. Women are realists, men romanticists."

"I suppose that's true, really," Anne said.  
"I don't want you to marry my son, Anne. Or him to marry you. I love him very deeply, and I have a very warm and genuine feeling for you. That's why I'm speaking to you. I don't want either of you to be unhappy. I am saying to you what I believe your father would say if he were here."

She looked at him silently. The idea that she wasn't acceptable as a daughter-in-law came as a shock, in spite of everything she knew.  
"There are many reasons. Before I met you and talked to you, if my son had told me he was going to marry an American girl I would have forbidden it with all the authority I have. Knowing you has made it difficult, because I have lived a long time and known many women, and I know I would have fallen in love with you had I been Miguel. I should even like to have you for a daughter, if it could always be as it is this moment. I say that very sincerely, Anne."

He came over to her and put his hands gently on her shoulders.  
"—Look at me, Anne."  
She looked up, her eyes wide and sparkling with tears.  
"You're very beautiful," he said. "I don't want to see your wings clipped and your spirit dulled. We wouldn't mean to do it. You wouldn't mean to hurt us. It's circumstance. Go back to your own people and your own life. This is not it. You could not understand our needs and our habits. We could not understand yours. None of us would be happy. I don't want you to answer me now. I want you to think about it. If you decide to stay, we will love you, and be as kind to you as we can. God bless you, my child."

Anne clung to Miguel holding her tightly in his arms, kissing her tear-stained face.  
"Oh, darling, I can't let you go—I can't, I can't!" she cried.  
"I'll never let you go, Anne," he whispered desperately. "Never, my sweet, never. I love you, dearest—I love you."

They were in his car on the beach across the bay at Palo Secco. The lights of El Morro dipped, wavering ribbons on the dark surface of the water.  
For a moment all the concentrated misery of the twenty-four hours was gone, healed by the touch of his lips, and his arms holding her close against him.  
"You do love me, Anne, don't you?" he whispered.  
"Oh, terribly, Miguel . . ."

"I know it will be hard for you, in lots of ways," he said gently.  
She looked at him quickly then. He must have realized what was going on in her mind all the time . . . and if he did, it meant that it must be going on in his too.  
"Miguel! You . . . you're afraid too . . . aren't you?"  
Her voice was hardly more than a whisper.  
He didn't answer for a moment. Then he said, "I am, a little, Anne. But not because I wouldn't always love you. It's because you're you. I . . . I wouldn't want anything to happen to you. You're so lovely . . . I wouldn't want you to be different. I wouldn't want you to be docile and . . . and domesticated . . . and I'm afraid. I wouldn't want my . . . my family to absorb you, and make you—"

"And . . . they'd try, wouldn't they?"  
"He sat motionless for a while. Then he nodded slowly.  
"—And I'd rebel . . . and we'd . . . we'd all be unhappy." Anne said gently. The pain was eating at her heart again. And at his. She could see it in his white set face. "That's what you mean, isn't it, Miguel?"  
"Oh, Anne!" It was a desperate heartbroken groan as he drew her to him and buried his head against her throbbing throat.  
She put her hand up and brushed her trembling fingers against his dark hair.  
"Oh, don't—please don't!" she whispered.

Anne sat on the porch of the Granada. Her bugs had gone to the dock, and she was waiting, her cheeks pale and her eyes dry at last, for Miguel to come and take her to the ship. It had been harder even than she'd thought. She could still see him haggard and unhappy, and still hear his pleading voice . . . even after they'd both decided his father was right.  
"But we'd always have each other, Anne." It was the last desperate plea of his heart. "I love you so. You're all I want."  
She shook her head. "It wouldn't be enough, for either of us, Miguel."  
And now she was going home. She'd written notes to everybody, even Pete, because she didn't want any one to see her, and see she was unhappy.

dumpy gray-green figure of the Statue of Liberty loomed mistily ahead. Anne Heywood pulled her beaver coat closer around her and leaned against the rail, the icy flakes of snow sharp against her cheeks. She was coming home. In a few moments she'd be in New York again. Her father and mother would be at the dock to meet her.  
She took a deep breath and wiped the snow off her long dark lashes. It was wonderful! It was wonderful to be cold again, and smell the fog horns and the sharp high toot of the tugboats going busily back and forth. How she'd ever thought for a minute she could leave it, she didn't know. The first sharp stinging rain chilling her bones had done something extraordinary to her. Everything had fallen into place with a flash of breath-taking clarity. She looked back, a little pain still moving in her heart, her head perfectly clear again.

Don Alvaro was right. She'd have been a mess. She'd either have gone militantly feminist, like the women of her mother's day who picketed the White House, and



"I couldn't live without you," he whispered.

chucked her weight about objecting to customs and manners that didn't, to her, make sense, or she'd have given in. But she wouldn't have done that.  
But it was funny how quickly the cold wintry fog had dissolved it all, like an orchid when the frost touches it. Though not really. Don Alvaro was right about that too. It had got mixed into her, some way, softening and warming something that had been too brittle and cold before. Her spirit was richer than it had been—she knew better now what life was about. And there wasn't any pain now. She laughed suddenly. It was marvelous to be alive . . . and to be home again.

"I'd better write to Pete, I guess," she thought irrelevantly.  
The ship nosed into the dock. The sailors let down the ropes and slipped the gangplank into place. Anne ran across to the long ramp, looking for her father and mother in the crowd of people waving and laughing. Suddenly she saw them.  
"Angels!" she cried. "Oh gosh, it's swell to see you!"  
Her mother's mink coat was cool and sweet against her face, and her father's chin was rough and slightly

stubby, as it always was by the end of the day.  
"It's so wonderful to see you!" Her father blew his nose violently. "There's a friend of yours around here somewhere," he said. "There he is."  
For a moment Anne stood there, perfectly still.  
"Pete!"  
"Hello, Annie," Captain Peter Wilcox said.  
"—What on earth are you doing here?"  
He grinned.  
"I've been transferred to Washington. I wasn't good enough for the front-line trenches."

He looked at her intently for a moment. Then he grinned again, took her arm and elbowed her through the crowd to the car waiting for them in the wintry street.  
Outside Anne's home the snow swirled through the naked branches of the trees and pelted icily against the window panes. Anne stood watching it for a moment. Then she drew the heavy damask curtains together, holding them tightly an instant before she turned and came blindly over to the sofa in front of the blazing log fire. Pete stood there watching her, the long ash of his cigarette growing un-noticed between his fingers. Her father and mother had gone upstairs. Anne stood staring down at the leaping, crackling flames.

Suddenly Pete jerked his cigarette into the fire and took a quick stride toward her. He stood for a moment looking down at the bright bent golden head. Then he raised his hands and gripped her arms.  
"Anne," he said. "Look at me, Anne."  
She shook her head. Everything inside her had dissolved into a liquid agonizing fire at the strong sure touch of his hands, and the new determined iron in his voice.  
"—I can't, Pete—I can't," she whispered.

He drew her to him and held her hard and tight against him, his lips hot against her hair. Then he raised her head and kissed her lips. She clung to him desperately.  
"Oh, Pete! What a fool I was! Don't let me go . . . ever, ever!"  
The tears sprang clear from her long curling lashes and poured down her cheeks. He held her close in his arms, kissing them away.

"You're mine, Anne. You've always been mine. I couldn't live without you," he whispered. "My sweet, my sweet."  
"Oh, Pete! What if I'd done it? What if I . . . but I wouldn't have, I'm sure I wouldn't. I'd have known . . . I must have known all the time. Because when I wrote the letter to Mother and Dad I kept thinking about you. And I . . . I didn't send it. It's always been you, really."  
"I wouldn't have let you," Pete said huskily. "I knew after I left you that day that I hadn't thrown my hand in. It was because I'd been wrong about Valera, I guess. I don't know. I knew I still had a chance when you came to me the night before all that business. You'd have thought of him first if you'd really been in love with him. He's a swell guy—but you belong to me, Annie. You always have, and you always will."

She moved away a little, still holding tightly to his arms, and looked around her slowly. Then she looked back at him.  
"Don Alvaro was right," she said softly. "This is where I belong."  
He took her in his arms again. "This is where you belong, Annie. And don't ever forget it."  
He kissed her gently on the lips, smiling down into her eyes.  
"That's what I meant," Anne said. She buried her face against his shoulder. "Oh, Pete! Thanks for being so . . . so patient . . . and so sweet!"

(THE END)

**INDIAN BEEF**  
By Harold Channing Wire



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**FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE**  
by Roger B. Whitman

Roger B. Whitman—WNU Features.

**FIRE GOES OUT**

Question: My domestic water supply heater does not maintain a fire longer than 24 to 36 hours. The fire goes out from the grate up. A new fire burns well. The pipe damper is then left fully closed; the check in the upper door has been tried both open and closed, and the lower draft is left closed. By evening the fire has gone out. One questionable point in the layout is the presence of a row of tall trees about 20 feet east of the chimney.  
Answer: If the trees were the cause of trouble you would always have difficulty getting a fire started. I believe your trouble is caused by improper control of the turn damper pipe so that the turn damper will be returned to that same position when the fire is to be banked.  
The ash pit damper may have to be left slightly open to accomplish the desired results only as a last resort. If there was anything wrong with the draft your coal would not burn properly at any time.

**Stain From Cologne**

Question: Something—probably cologne—was accidentally spilled on my walnut dresser, leaving white spots. Soap and water do not remove the spots. Can you help me?  
Answer: Removal depends on the nature of the finish. Trials may be needed to find the right method. One is polishing with a scratchless scouring powder, rottenstone, or other mild abrasive; cigar ash may serve. Apply with the finger tip and a few drops of a light household oil. Or you might try a few drops of turpentine or camphorated oil, also applied with the finger tip. If these methods do not take off the spots, the damage has gone in too deep, and complete refinishing will be needed.

**STICKY LEATHER**

Question: I have a leather upholstered chair that is sticky, especially during the hot weather. Is there any treatment to eliminate this trouble?  
Answer: The leather may be sticky because furniture polish might have been used on it. Sponge



with saddle soap or mild soapsuds, follow with clean, damp cloths, and rub dry. Then apply a very thin coat of paste wax, allow to dry hard, and polish well. Or rub with the stiff beaten white of egg. You can get the saddle soap at a leather goods store, where you could also obtain a leather preservative dressing.

**Paint on Oven Peels**

Question: I have a new three burner kerosene stove, and a two burner blue steel oven. The black enamel on top of the stove comes off every time something is spilled or dropped on it and the oven is rusting. Is there a black heat-resistant paint or enamel that I can buy?  
Answer: Remove the rust by rubbing with steel wool and kerosene, then finish with a black stove pipe enamel. Of course, this paint will eventually burn off and further refinishing will be necessary. Do not use the oven for several days, or until the paint has dried hard. (Of course the stove must be cold from start to finish of the paint job).

**Mixing Paint**

Question: Please give me the formula for mixing paint for outside use.  
Answer: If it is white paint that you wish, the following will give you about 1 1/2 gallons of paint: Twenty-five pounds white lead paste, about three-quarters of a gallon varnish, and one-quarter pint of japan drier. The formula given is for a small quantity of the finish coat. For information on the mixing of paint in large quantities for the first, second and third coats write to the Lead Industries Association, 420 Lexington Avenue, New York.

**Vacuum Valves**

Question: The vacuum valves in the cellar puff and lose steam. The boiler must have additional water every day. Changing valves did not help. What can we do to remedy this?  
Answer: The valves may be improperly installed or in poor locations. They may not be the quick-type suitable for steam mains. Valves should be installed 12 to 15 inches back from the end of the main and should extend up 6 to 10 inches.



**BOBBY JONES AND THE WAR**

Bobby Jones, famous golf star, is now a major in the U. S. Intelligence service in Europe. There is no better man to size up the distance, get the range and advise whether a bazooka or a machine is needed on the next shot.

Bobby is on the job right now analyzing the enemy's form, finding out what clubs he has in his bag, determining whether the Nazis are lying about the score and reporting whether their "new weapon" has an iron or a metal shaft.

There are rumors that the Germans are breaking their clubs, yelling at the caddies and blaming everything on the greens committees. Such a psychology as that is the prelude to defeat, as any golfer can testify. Bobby's job is to make an official report.

**Possible File by Mr. Jones.**  
7893-A (A. Hitler)—All inquiries and observations regarding this party indicate he is through as a big-time competitor. He doesn't even talk a good game today. Now changes his stance frequently, wiggles the club too much, yells constantly for quiet when addressing the ball and hits from outside in. Recently used a putter to get ball out of a mudhole, on "hunch." Lost 17 holes in an 18-hole match the other day and called it a successful disengagement according to plan. Should not be taken seriously in class competition.

**3582-B (Goering).—Now takes out five or six clubs before deciding which one to use. Has shifted from wood to irons on driving tees in the argument that he would rather keep straight than get distance. Keeps talking about a super club he used to have. Has shortened backswing so much it resembles preparation for a six-foot putt. Very irritable on the greens. Some idea of his state of mind can be obtained from the fact he recently tried wearing medals on his golf pants to see if they gave him more confidence that way. No luck.**

**4992-C (Goebbels).—Now puts with a chipper, approaches with a driver and tries a spoon in traps. Constantly complains there is something wrong with the ball. Took nine putts on a green the other day and delivered a long harangue claiming that in spirit and morale he was stronger than ever.**  
Is trying to drive with the left hand but that's no good either.

**3330-H (Himmler).—Still thinks he can win by hanging his competitors, shooting the caddies and burning the scorecards. Is so nervous now that he won't even come to the first tee without his personal firing squad.**

**THOUGHTS ON A JET PLANE**

The jet plane intrigues us. It is a cross between an airplane, a skyrocket and a comet, with an instrument board. It is a quantity-production meter.  
Science and engineering are moving too fast. By the time a pilot gets any new plane back from a test flight it's old-fashioned. It had become obsolete in midair.  
This jet plane strikes us as something born of a nightmare, the thriller-diller fannies and the radio hair-raisers. It is a hot flame with passenger accommodations.

Man is ceasing to be a man and is becoming a Roman candle, a piece of fireworks, a skyrocket with a hat and coat.  
A speed of 500 or 600 miles an hour is promised by jet planes. That's traveling, and the seagull chirped as he went through the windshield of a runaway bus going in the opposite direction.

You can't visualize such speed unless you have seen a man chase his hat through a wind-tunnel on roller skates.

It's faster than sound. A pilot gets to his destination before he hears his orders and gets back before the echo has been verified.  
It has no propellers. They would only get in the way!  
"It's all done by gas," explained Elmer Twitchell, the well-known aviator engineer, pinocchio shark and stamp collector, today. "Yes, sir, all done by gas and air pressures, with black magic, and live sparks thrown in."

"I have just made a flight in one," said Elmer, who looked pretty scared. "At least, that's what the doctors told me it was."

"I just stepped in," he exclaimed. "The skipper touched a button and presto—I was going so fast that radio messages had to move to the right to let faster moving vehicles pass."  
"Just what's to be gained?" we asked. "The other fellow is bound to get a 600-mile-an-hour plane, too."

"It all winds up with friend and foe going by each other so fast they can't be sure which is which," he explained. "Victory goes to the first aviator to grow a crop of feathers and lay a double-yolk egg."

When the jet plane is in common use we expect to hear of the boys coming in on a jet and a scare.  
We can't make out which it is intended to scare the most, the enemy, the crew or the bystanders.

**ON THE HOME FRONT**  
with RUTH WYETH SPEARS

WHEN we think of the type of curtains used in Early Colonial cottages, crisp frills and ruffles usually come to mind. It is true that ruffled curtains were used in Colonial times but the curtains of the first homes in the New World were of the casement or sash variety. We must remember that as late as the discovery of America glass windows were rare. They were of the casement type with tiny



diamond-shaped pieces held together with lead. Simple straight curtains to keep out the glare and give privacy were the next logical development.  
Frills and larger panes of glass came later but sash curtains were also used with these new windows. They are also being used with good effect today for rooms where an informal atmosphere is needed.

**NOTE**—This is the first of a series on modern adaptations of period curtain fashions. There is another interesting treatment of a sash-curtained window in BOOK 1; and the method of lining casement draperies is illustrated in BOOK 2 of the series of 10 booklets on sewing for the home. Price of booklets is 15 cents each. Order direct from:

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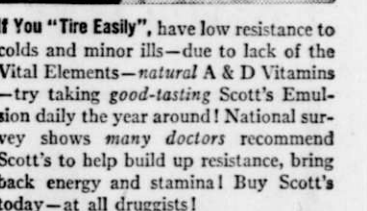
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**RUN DOWN?**

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# County Agent Notes

**STATE HOLSTEIN-FRIESIAN BREEDERS MEET**  
Holstein-Friesian breeders from all sections of Wisconsin are meeting at Racine on Friday and Saturday of this week for their annual state convention. Registration began at noon on Friday, Feb. 25, at the Hotel Racine which is the convention headquarters.  
A top-notch program beginning at 1:30 p. m. was planned for this state-wide meeting. Among the speakers are John S. Jones, who is secretary of the Minnesota Livestock Breeders' association; Milton Burton, who is director of the state department of agriculture; and Dr. Phillips, biochemist of the Wisconsin College of Agriculture, Glenn Householder, extension director of the National Holstein association, was the toastmaster at the banquet which was held on Friday evening at the Hotel Racine. A goodly number of Holstein breeders are attending.

**FREE EVERGREEN SEEDLINGS STILL AVAILABLE**  
Any one wishing to plant evergreen or hardwood seedlings can still make application for them. They are available without cost. Any one person is limited to 1,000 such seedlings. Applications for seedlings must be made with the county extension office before March 10. You may phone or write.

**USE ONLY GOOD SEED GRAINS**  
More than two million acres will likely be sown to Viciand oats in Wisconsin this year. It is expected that more than two-thirds of the oat acreage of Washington county will be of the Viciand variety. This new oat was developed four years ago by research workers at the Wisconsin College of Agriculture. During the past four years this variety has outyielded any other oat and has proved to be rust and smut resistant. Those who are in the market for new Viciand seed should purchase it now as it is fast being bought up by seed houses and out-of-state growers. The extension office will gladly refer prospective purchasers to sources of good seed.

**JOIN A 4-H CLUB NOW**  
Uncle Sam has sent out another urgent call for more 4-H club members. 1,700,000 boys and girls were enrolled in the 4-H program in 1943 and made such a fine contribution to our home, our communities and our country that again we are urged to enroll more members and do a bigger job. And no one should be surprised at this request for more and bigger club work who knows some of the accomplishments of 1943. Here are just a few items worth mentioning:  
The club girls made or repaired over 700,000 garments in 1943. They also put up over 15,000,000 quarts of fruits and vegetables, enough canned food, as Uncle Sam says for 33,000 families for a whole year. Club members raised 9,000,000 birds in their poultry projects, 360,000 hogs, 100,000 baby beef, 90,000 dairy animals, besides other livestock, farm crops and gardens in similar extensive proportions. That's the reason our country, through the United States Department of Agriculture, calls for at least an enrollment of 2,000,000 4-Hers in 1944.  
E. E. Skutsky  
County Agricultural Agent

## WAUCOUSTA

Miss Cecil Ketter spent Friday in Fond du Lac.  
Mrs. C. F. Narges spent Sunday with relatives in Kewaskum.  
A. F. Schetz of Milwaukee spent Sunday with friends here.  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burnett spent Saturday in Fond du Lac.  
Roland Bushaff of Waukesha spent Sunday with relatives here.  
Ed. Romaine of Campbellsport was a business caller here Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Gust Schultz and sons, Harold and Fritz of Milwaukee visited friends here Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bushaff and daughter Patricia of Fond du Lac were dinner guests at the Elgar Sook home here Sunday.

## Home Demonstration Agent NEWS NOTES

### SEEK SHORT CUTS IN DOING WORK

Although washing walls from the bottom up may seem backwards it's really the best way to do the job.  
Alice Bilstein, home demonstration agent of Washington county, explains that if soiled water runs down, it soaks into the dry wall and is harder to remove. When washing from the bottom up, the wall is wet and any water that runs down will not soak in, and is easy to wipe off.  
Washington county homemaker group leaders are conferring with Miss Bilstein at meetings during February and March on ways of caring for the home in wartime. Many homemakers meeting home and community responsibilities under wartime conditions are finding it necessary to work out a definite but flexible plan, to find the best method of doing each job, and to have cleaning equipment and supplies ready for use when needed.  
A home-made piece of equipment that is saving much energy in floor polishing in many homes is a concrete block, adding a handle, a height suited to the worker before it hardens, and covering with sheepskin or wool.  
Mrs. Margaret MacCordie, home demonstration agent at the university, met with leaders in the West Bend area recently.

### PIE AND POINTS WITH LESS FAT

Just because wartime fats are short, it doesn't mean the family and the man of the house have to get along without the favorite dessert, pie.  
You can have your pie and your points, too, if you do tricks with your shortening, Alice Bilstein, Washington county home demonstration agent says. One crust pies are one way to solve the problem. Miss Bilstein suggests when baking pie shells for filling later, pricking the shell with a fork to avoid air bubbles and covering the crust with a piepan of the same size to anchor the shell while it bakes. The second piepan, which fits down into the crust, should be removed while the pastry is hot.  
Many homemakers have found that the widely used 3-to-1 flour-fat recipe, or 1 cup flour and one-third cup fat pie crust can be changed, using less fat, for an equally good crust, and one which isn't quite so rich and crumbly, making serving difficult. A tested satisfactory proportion is given by Miss Bilstein for a two crust pie, 1 1/2 cups of flour, one-half cup cold fat and three to four tablespoons (approximately) of ice-water. One teaspoon salt may be added.  
Another shortening-saver is to use rendered suet or other meat drippings instead of shortening, especially for meat pies. Cut or grind suet into small pieces and keep in the refrigerator or until ready to render out the fat. Then put in skillet over low fire and slowly melt out the fat, pouring off the fat as it melts and straining it into a bowl. Let it cool before using.  
Miss Bilstein cautions that this dough may seem tough when you roll it out, but once the crust has baked, it will be crispy and flaky.  
Waste in pastry can be avoided by correct piepan fitting. Don't stretch or pull the dough when fitting it in the pan, Miss Bilstein says, or it will shrink in baking. It should be eased gently into the seams to make a snug fit and patted lightly to eliminate air pockets. An extra half inch is needed for top crust to tuck under, and an extra inch for shells baked without a filling to build up a rim.

### FARM AND HOME LINES

Viciand oats has been placed on the list of highly recommended varieties in Maryland.  
More than 3,134,000 trees were planted in 1943 in Wisconsin forests, reports the state conservation commission.

## PUBLIC AUCTION Tuesday, Feb. 29

Horses, Machinery, Feed beginning at 9 a. m. Cattle at 2 p. m.  
On the J. J. Reid Estate Farm of 260 acres located in township of Ashippun, Dodge County, on Black Top County Trunk Hy. P. 1 1/2 miles North of Mapleton; 1/2 mile West and 1/2 mile South of Alderley; 12 miles Southwest of Hartford; 8 miles Northeast of Occonowoc.  
**HOW TO GET THERE:** From Hartford take Hy. 60 West and continue to Hy. P. Turn South on P to farm 1 1/2 miles North of Mapleton. From Occonowoc take Hy. 16 or 19 East to P. Turn North on P and go 5 miles to Mapleton and continue 1 1/2 miles North to farm.

**54 Pure Bred Registered HOLSTEIN CATTLE**  
23 Milch Cows, some fresh, others to freshen shortly; 4 coming 2-year old Heifers, one bred; 7 Yearling Heifers; 6 calves, 4 to 6 months; 5 Calves, small; 2 year old Herd Sire, an outstanding individual; Dunlop's breeding on sire side. Wittig bred nr on dam side. All Bang's and T. B. Tested. No Reactors. Never a reactor on farm.  
**COW BUYERS ATTENTION:** This is a well known herd of popular breeding. 27 milk cows of Creator Breeding from Fred Pabis, sire; 8 cows and all heifers of Admiral breeding from Emil Tittel Sire; calves of Dunlop's breeding from John Zoberlin sire. Good size, fine type, excellent condition. Good producers and breeders.

**5 Horses and 1 Colt**  
Complete Line of Farm Machinery including: 12-24 Case Tractor with start, in rubber; 18-31 Hart Parr Tractor on steel; 2-bottom 12-in. Tractor Plow; McCormick Deering Corn Planter with fertilizer attachment; Case Silo Filler with blower, McCormick-Deering Grain Binder with tractor hitch, McCormick-Deering Corn Binder with loader, Universal Milking Machine with double unit, Tractor Corn Cultivator, Case Manure Spreader, new 2 Field Cultivators, Double Disc.  
Feed including: About 1,000 bu. Oats, about 125 ton Hay, some alfalfa, some alfalfa and timothy; about 10 ton Cob Corn, large silo of silage, ample time for removal.

**Some Household Goods**  
TERMS ANNOUNCED AT SALE  
**J. J. REID ESTATE**  
EMMA REID, Adm., Owners  
Auctioneers: W. L. Baird, Waukesha, J. E. Mack Port Atkinson and Art Guade, West Bend.  
L. Kuehlthau, West Bend, Cashier

## CLASSIFIED ADS

Our rates on classified advertising are 1 cent a word per line, no charge less than 15 cents accepted. Memorial Notices \$1.00. Card of Thanks 25 cents. Cash or money government postage stamps must accompany all orders.  
**HELP WANTED**—Single man for general farm work under farm manager. Board and room furnished. Good pay. Modern farm with up to date equipment in Washington county. Permanent job. Apply 3165 Superior st., Milwaukee, Phone Sheridan 4112-26-2  
**FOR SALE**—5,000 red cedar fence posts, cut in 7 foot length and 3, 4, 5 and 6 inches in diameter. Inquire at K. A. Honeck Garage. 2-18-2  
**FOR SALE**—Sesab; blight-resistant and Katahdin seed potatoes. Inquire of Adolph Wahlen, Route 3, Kewaskum 2-18-2pd  
**DOG FOR SALE**—Male Springer Spaniel, 1 1/2 years old. Price \$10. Inquire of Steve at Kewaskum Creamery. 2-18-2p  
**FOR SALE**—10 purebred Poland China brood sows, to farrow in April; also one team of 4-year-old horses, weight 3,000. Russell Stock Farm, Hartford, Wis. 2-18-2tp  
**FOR SALE**—Remmel cement mixer with horse and half engine. Henry Rauch, Campbellsport, R. 3. 2-11-21 p

**BABY CHICKS & OLDER PULLETS**—Big hatches of LA PLANT'S FAMOUS day old Leghorn and Heavy Breed Chicks every Tuesday and Friday.  
5,000 4-WEEK-OLD Hattie Royal Mating White Leghorn Pullets \$46.00 per 100 and 4-A Super Master Mating White Leghorn Pullets \$43.00 per 100.  
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**FOR SALE**—Residence in the village of Kewaskum. Inquire at this office. 2-4-4tp  
**FOR SALE**—A good 80-acre farm near Beechwood. Good soil. 55 acres under plow. A rich clay loam soil. Good buildings. Good water. For more particulars regarding this farm and terms write E. Deitmann 1205 So. 24th St., Milwaukee for an appointment. Here is your chance now. Get possession April 1st, 1944. 2-4-3tp

**FOR SALE**—Three milk cows, service bulls, sows and corn, K. A. Honeck, Chevrolet Garage, Kewaskum. 2-9-4f

**FOR SALE**—Cob corn—West Bend Cattle Co. Call at canning factory office, West Bend. 19-17-4f

## NOTICE OF HEARING APPLICATION FOR ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

State of Wisconsin, County Court, Washington County  
In the Matter of the Estate of Frieda Schaub, Deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that at a term of said Court to be held Tuesday, the 29th day of March, 1944, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court House in the City of West Bend, in said County, there will be heard and considered:  
The application of Wm. Schaub for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Frieda Schaub, deceased, late of the Village of Kewaskum, in said County;  
Notice is further given that all claims against the said Frieda Schaub, deceased, late of the Village of Kewaskum, in Washington County, Wisconsin, must be presented to said County Court at the Court House, in said County, on or before the 27th day of June, 1944, or be barred; and that all such claims and demands will be examined and adjusted at a term of said Court to be held at the Court House in the City of West Bend, in said County, on Thursday, the 23rd day of February, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day.  
Dated February 23rd, 1944.  
By Order of the Court,  
P. W. Bucklin, Judge  
Cannon & Meister, Atty's. 2-25-2

## AUCTION SALE Sat., March 4th

at 12:30 p. m.  
On Highway 55, 2 miles north of Jackson; 4 miles south of West Bend.  
**55 HEAD OF CATTLE**  
Holsteins, One month 18 weeks, fresh with calves; 18 close up springers; 19 1/2 to 2 year old Holstein and Hereford heifers; 3 bulls. Most of the heifers are not bred.  
**HAY AND GRAIN:** 200 bushels Viciand seed oats; 10 tons Timothy hay baled; 5 tons straw baled.  
Some farm machinery, including Cleaners, Easy milking machine on track, used 3 months.  
**TERMS OF SALE:** \$5 and under, cash; over that amount 4 months time by payment of one-fourth down.  
**VECTOR HANDLE, Owner**  
Jack Proeber, Butler, Wis., Auctioneer  
Bank of West Bend, Clerks 2-25-2p

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

State of Wisconsin, County Court, Washington County  
In the Matter of the Estate of Frederick Roos, Deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that at a term of said Court to be held on Tuesday, the 14th day of March, 1944, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court House in the City of West Bend, in said County, there will be heard and considered:  
The application of Philip Roos for the probate of the Will of Frederick Roos, deceased, and for the appointment of an executor or administrator with the will annexed of the estate of said Frederick Roos, deceased, late of the Town of Wayne, in said County;  
Notice is further given that all claims against the said Frederick Roos, deceased, late of the Town of Wayne, in Washington County, Wisconsin must be presented to said County Court at the Court House in said County, on or before the 20th day of June, 1944, or be barred; and that all such claims and demands will be examined and adjusted at a term of said Court to be held at the Court House in the City of West Bend, in said County, on Tuesday, the 14th day of July, 1944, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day.  
Dated February 16th, 1944.  
By Order of the Court,  
P. W. Bucklin, Judge  
Cannon & Meister, Atty's. 2-18-2

## DUNDEE

Lenten services every Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. at the Dundee Trinity Lutheran church.  
Mrs. John Lavey visited Wednesday and Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Ed. Tarum in Milwaukee.  
Pvt. and Mrs. V. H. Dreyer of California are visiting the former's brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Dreyer.  
Pvt. Arnold Ramthun of California is spending a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ramthun.  
The card party which was sponsored by the Lutheran Aid last Thursday at the Lutheran church basement well attended.  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl and Mrs. and Mrs. W. H. W. of Waukegan visited Mrs. John Lavey.  
Mrs. John Lavey, Mrs. and Mrs. Melvin, Jack of Germantown visited with the former's parents, Mrs. Henry Kelling.  
Several neighbors surprised Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kelling at their home on Tuesday evening to help Mrs. Kelling celebrate her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in playing cards.  
Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ramthun were surprised at their home Monday evening by relatives and friends to help the former celebrate his birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in playing cards.  
Miss Roseann Simons of St. Mary's Springs academy, Fond du Lac, spent the week end with her parents.  
Seaman 2nd class Linus J. Heisler arrived Wednesday on a 15-day furlough after completing his boot training at Camp Warrenton, Farragut, Idaho.

**WEDDING**  
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Flasch were pleasantly surprised Saturday evening in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary. Cards were played and a luncheon was served by the hostess assisted by her daughters. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Wondra and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Weiser of Plymouth, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mathwig and family of Fond du Lac, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rullinger and family of West Bend, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schmitt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Amerling of Kewaskum, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Feucht and family, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Feucht of Leroy, Miss Mary Flasch, Miss Gertrude Kral, Miss Jenny Weindman, Miss Bernice Flasch and Leo Zenner of Milwaukee.

**KILIAN**  
Persons visited at Chicago. Bolender of Chicago is other.  
Mr. here attended the du Lac.  
Philip Ertle entertained party Monday.  
Cpl. Bernard, Trauer of Florida and

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**MANY** a skilled mechanic at an Army outpost thinks back to days when he kept Greyhound's super coaches in superb running condition. Very often these men write their thoughts to those of us at Greyhound who are carrying on.  
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## AROUND THE TOWN

Friday Feb. 25, 1944

—For eye service—see Endlich's.  
—Miss Lillie Schlosser spent a couple of days the past week in Milwaukee.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Mitchell spent the week end with the former's folks at Mineral Point.  
—Miss Marilyn Carpenter of Jackson spent the week end with Joan and Mary McLaughlin.  
—Miss Eleanor Schleit spent the week end in Milwaukee with the William Klein family.  
—Mrs. Martin Kniekel of Campbellsport visited her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Schaefer, Saturday.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Benicke of West Bend called on Mr. and Mrs. William Guenther Sunday.  
—Miss Erna Zimmermann of West Bend spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, the Fred Zimmermanns.  
—Paul Kurth and family of the town of Barton were visitors Sunday evening with the Clarence Mertes family.  
—Little Miss Joan Ohmann of West Bend is making a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Egert.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stautz and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Barney Crivick at West Bend Sunday evening.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Edith Czara and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip McLaughlin attended a birthday party at Barton Sunday night.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wetzel of Oshkosh spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Schmitt and Arlyn Schmitt.

—Little Tommy Bartelt of Mayville spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Koch, and daughter Janice.  
—Roger and Milton Kleinschmidt of Merrill spent from Saturday to Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bassil and other friends here.  
—The Rev. Wm. Mayer of Whitefish Bay spent from Tuesday to Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mayer, and daughters.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Malischke and daughter Helen of Wauwatosa were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Malischke's folks Mr. and Mrs. John Marx.  
—FOR QUALITY HOME FURNISHINGS AT MOST REASONABLE PRICES—VISIT MILLER'S FURNITURE STORES.—adv.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goldammer, Mrs. August Oelhafen and daughter Carol of West Bend visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Groeschel.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Steger and family of West Bend and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Backus of the town of Kewaskum visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brandt.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Royce Edwards and Mrs. Elmer Rauch of Fond du Lac were visitors with William Pauch and Mrs. Tillie Schaefer and family Sunday afternoon.  
—Mr. and Mrs. George Zunker and lady friend and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hinterstocker of near Milwaukee were Monday evening guests of Mrs. Tillie Schaefer and daughters and William Rauch.  
—Miss Lorraine H-neck has resigned her office position at the Kewaskum Creamery company and now is employed by her father in the office of the K. A. Honeck & Sons Chevrolet garage.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Goretzke of Rosholt and Mrs. Alex Goretzke of Wau-sau visited Mr. and Mrs. John Gruber and family, along with relatives at Barton and West Bend from Tuesday to Thursday.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dogs and family of near Mayville, Mrs. William Dogs of near Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Marquardt and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Dogs and children.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schneider and son, Mrs. William Eberle, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Falk and Mrs. Barbara Falk were to Milwaukee Monday evening to view the remains of Mrs. Ed. Fritz at the Bartelt Funeral home. Mrs. Fritz was a sister of Walter Schneider and Mrs. Barbara Falk. She died Friday. The Schneider family and the Falks also attended the funeral in Milwaukee Tuesday. Mrs. Fritz was the former Lydia Schneider.

—Mrs. Charley Norris of Wauousta visited with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilke Sunday. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Backhaus of Five Corners and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dins of Five Corners near Sheboygan called on Mr. and Mrs. Wilke.  
—Mrs. Charles Groeschel and Mrs. Amelia Mertes were to West Bend last Thursday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crass and family and also with Mrs. Erma Gedei of Boltonville, who is staying there through the winter months.  
—SEE FIELDS' FURNITURE MART AT WEST BEND BEFORE YOU BUY YOUR FURNITURE, FUGS, AND HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES. YOU CAN BUY FOR LESS AT FIELDS'. WHY PAY MORE? FIELDS' FURNITURE MART, WEST BEND, WIS. TELEPHONE 999. OPEN FRIDAY EVENING, OTHER EVENINGS BY APPOINTMENT. FREE DELIVERY.—adv.

## Thanks Local Seal Sale Chairman For Fine Job

Below is a letter of acknowledgment received by Mrs. Leo Brauchle, local chairman of the 1943 annual Christmas seal sale, from Loraine Noll of the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis association, for the successful job done. Since sending in a check for \$150.38 to the W. A. T. A., an additional \$1.25 was received by the chairman which makes a total sale of \$151.63 for Kewaskum.  
February 11, 1944  
Mrs. Leo C. Brauchle  
Kewaskum, Wisconsin  
Dear Mrs. Brauchle:  
We gratefully acknowledge receipt of your \$149.00 check for the Christmas seal sale and your final report on the campaign. You have been given credit for a total sale of \$151.63.  
Congratulations and our sincere thanks for the volunteer job you have done in your community. You will be gratified and proud to know that Wisconsin is making its best sale and that over the country thousands of men and women like yourself are raising a total of \$12,000,000 for tuberculosis work.  
And it is needed indeed. The Fighting French forces report that as high as thirty per cent of the children of some of the larger cities in France are dying of tuberculosis. The sanatoria in France have been closed and the patients are back in the homes and communities spreading infection among the children. The sale of Christmas seals was stopped in France some years ago and there is no year-around educational program aimed at the prevention and control of tuberculosis.  
This indicates how fortunate we are here and how important the money you have helped to raise is at this time when the rising tide of tuberculosis caused by the war is threatening even our own state and country.  
Thanking you in behalf of the officers and board of the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis association, I am  
Sincerely,  
Loraine Noll,  
Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Association

## HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Lent began Wednesday. Because of war-time conditions the law of fasting has again been relaxed.  
Lenten devotions each Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m., followed by benediction and confessions. Stations of the Cross each Friday at 7 p. m. and also on Sunday at the time announced.  
Masses Sunday at 8:15 and 10 a. m. with instructions after the high mass.  
ST. BRIDGET'S MISSION  
Lenten devotions every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Holy mass every Thursday morning during Lent followed by Stations of the Cross and benediction.  
Mass Sunday at 8 a. m. This is Ladies' Altar society communion Sunday.

## SOUTH ELMORE

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jaeger of Ashford spent last week with the Kenneth Jaeger family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kloke of Elmore spent Thursday evening with the Jonas Volland family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Al Schrauth of Elmore visited Monday afternoon with the Elmer Struening family.  
Mrs. Alex Shantos and son Ronnie of Wayne visited a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rauch.  
Mrs. Minnie Fleischman and son Frank visited with Mrs. Andrew Strobel, who is ill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kaas at New Fane.

## Ration Notes

DO YOUR BUSINESS WITH THE RATION OFFICE BY MAIL PROCESSED FOODS  
K, L and M valid through March 20 (book 4).  
MEATS AND FATS  
Brown stamps V, W and X valid through Feb. 26. Y and Z valid through March 20. Spare stamp No. 3 valid for five points to purchase pork products, excepting lard. Valid from Feb. 18 to Feb. 26.  
SUGAR  
Stamp No. 20 in book 4 valid for five points through March 25.  
SHOES  
Stamps No. 18 (book 1) and Airplane Stamp No. 1 (book 3) are both good for one pair indefinitely.  
FOOD RETAILERS must file an estimate of their needs for ration tokens with their ration banks.  
THE WEST BEND RATIONING OFFICE IS ABSOLUTELY CLOSED EVERY FRIDAY AFTERNOON BECAUSE OF BOARD MEETINGS. DO NOT COME TO THE RATION OFFICE UNLESS YOU HAVE MADE AN APPOINTMENT WITH ONE OF THE BOARDS.  
FUEL OIL  
Period No. 2 coupons good for ten gallons per unit through March 13. Please note that POSITIVELY NO additional fuel oil will be allowed during the present heating year.  
GASOLINE  
No. 10 coupons (A book) valid through March 21, B2 and C2 supplemental ration cards good for five gallons each. Old B and C coupons good for two gallons each. FORTHOSE ALL COUPONS UPON RECEIPT.  
HAVE ALL RENEWALS AT THIS OFFICE TEN DAYS BEFORE EXPIRATION DATE.  
TIRE INSPECTIONS  
B and C book holders by Feb. 28 and A book holders by March 31.  
STOVES  
No application needed for stoves used over 60 days. All certificates must be endorsed by applicant.

## ROLFS AGAIN HEADS ANNUAL CATHOLIC CHARITIES DRIVE

Baltus Rolfs of West Bend has been appointed chairman of Washington county for the 1944 archdiocesan Catholic charities campaign March 19 to April 2. It was announced this week by Frank M. Surges, general chairman of the drive.  
The seventeen counties of the archdiocese of Milwaukee have been divided into districts for purposes of the annual diocesan-wide campaign on behalf of Catholic charities. The chairman in each of these districts supervises the work of the drive in his territory. He is a member of the board directing the annual appeal and known as the Archdiocesan Catholic Charities Council.  
The tenth archdiocesan Catholic charities campaign has \$250,000 as its goal.  
HARTFORD MAN GETS COUNTY FARM LABOR PLACEMENT JOB  
Chas. J. Rode, Route 2, Hartford, has been selected as farm labor representative for Washington county. Mr. Rode will have his office in the extension department located in the West Bend post office building. His work will be to recruit and place farm workers.  
Farmers who will be in need of hired help should register with the extension department. There is a big shortage of farm laborers and it is practically impossible to fill requests for farm help immediately. Prospective farm employees who are looking for farm work by the day or month should register also. We have a number of farms on file which are in need of help.  
IN MEMORIAM  
In loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Mary Kral, who passed away three years ago, March 2, 1941:  
Dear mother you are not forgotten. Though on earth you are no more, still in memory you are with us. As you always were before.  
Sofly missed by her husband, John Kral, and children.

# Specials for Week of Feb. 26th to March 4th

Del Monte Asparagus Early Garden, No. 2 can <b>37c</b>	Quaker OAT MEAL Large round box <b>21c</b>	Eagle Lye 3 cans <b>25c</b>
Old Time COFFEE 1 lb. pkg. <b>31c</b>	L.D.C. Bantam CORN can <b>13c</b>	Del Monte Fruit Cocktail 2 1/2 can <b>34c</b>
Dee PEACHES 2 1/2 can <b>25c</b>	Heinz Condensed SOUPS Tomato, 11 oz. can, 2 for 23c All others, 2 for ..... 27c	Holland Style HERRING 5 lb. jar <b>93c</b>
Sentinel PEAS 20 oz. can, 3 for <b>29c</b>	Spry and Crisco Shortening 3 lb. jar <b>69c</b>	MATCHES Lg. carton, six 6c boxes <b>25c</b>
Warden's Soda BEVERAGES All flavors, per case <b>\$1.00</b> Plus bottle and case deposit	Swan Soap 3 Giant bars <b>29c</b>	VARNISH <b>21c</b>
		Blue Rose RICE 2 pounds <b>21c</b>
		WHEATIES 2 packages <b>19c</b>



# L. ROSENHEIMER DEPARTMENT STORE KEWASKUM

## IGA Grocery Specials

IGA ROLLED OATS, 3 pound box	20c
SILVER BUCKLE PEANUT BUTTER, 24 ounce jar	35c
IGA FAMILY FLOUR, 49 pound sack	\$2.37
SNO KREEM SHORTENING, 3 pound can	65c
SEEDLESS RAISINS, 1 pound	13c
IGA BAKING POWDER, 1 pound jar	14c
JEFFY BISCUIT MIX, 2 1/2 pound box	28c
CANE AND MAPLE SYRUP, 22 ounce jug	22c
SUNNY MORN COFFEE, 3 pound bag	59c
IGA PANCAKE FLOUR, 5 pound bag	28c
GRAPE JAM, 2 pound jar	39c
SANISORB TOILET TISSUE, 5 rolls for	23c

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## WHO'S NEWS . . . By Totten

Latest Candidate for the Seagulls Club is one Dinah Shore, who has been voted the most popular female singer of the day. She is a favorite with service men and is a favorite with the most popular critics, columnists and song publishers.  
Dinah Shore  
Born Fanny Rose Shore in Winchester, Tenn. Dinah was more interested in leading cheers than singing when in high school. In Nashville, she went on to Vanderbilt to study for social work, but it didn't take.  
Now head of her own show on CBS, the Dinah Shore Show is a favorite with service men. When she entertains at camp and on shore, she sings one of her songs, "I'll Be Home Again." She has a special place in the hearts of all who have served in the armed forces.  
DROVE IN NEW YORK ON NEW YEAR'S EVE IN 1935. DINAH BOBBED A NICKLE TO PHONE NASHVILLE—CHARGES DEPOSITED TO GET STAGED FOR A FINAL TRY FOR SUCCESS. SOON AFTER SHE HAD FIRST DREAM IN ENGLAND WITH THE BARN STREET GALS—NEXT CAPER.

## SOCIALS

Parties... Gatherings... Club News... And the Like

### Trade Here At Home Help The Community

We feel there is one paramount obligation all of us should recognize toward the business men of our community, who are working hard and putting in long hours to supply our needs.  
That obligation is to trade here at home—to keep our dollars at work in our own community. That way you help your neighbor and you help keep the wheels of business turning. You will benefit, too, in the long run.  
When it comes to prices and stocks of merchandise from which to make selections, you'll do just as well, or better, right here at home.

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## Protect Your Eyes

You need clear, healthy eyes to help you in your work—if they fail you—what then? Give your eyes proper attention at the first sign of trouble. Come in and have your eyes examined.

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Fish fry and fresh shrimp served every Friday night at Louis Heisler's tavern.  
Chicken lunch served every Saturday night at Skup's tavern. Sandwiches served at all times.



## Kathleen Norris Says:

### Picnics at Home

Bell Syndicate—WNU Features.



Since then her mother-in-law will agree to anything, everything, that she suggests to lighten an almost unbearable load.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

**M**Y CHILDREN are six, four and less than one year of age," writes Margaret Fulton from Philadelphia. "We have a nine-room house on a large lot on the outskirts of town. We have big trees and big porches, which seem to me, today, to say nothing but the one word 'sweeping.' My husband works hard, is paid \$65 a week. We love each other, and we adore Bill, Bruce and Finn.

"What I am asking you is, how can I take care of them all, and the house, and the meals, and the marketing, and keep myself always good-natured, sweet and fresh? Little Bill is in school, five blocks away; he can't be permitted to cross two arterial streets alone. I've got Bruce in quarantine because she was exposed to whooping cough. We've all had flu, including William senior, but light cases.

"With no help, no diddy wash, no granny or aunt to come in and relieve me, I am tired, untidy, hurried all the time. I should do mending at night, perhaps, but in the evenings I am so sleepy and exhausted I go to bed right after dinner. I'm no company for my husband; I've no time for prettifying myself or fixing up my wardrobe. Getting beds made, getting food on the table, comforting sobbing babies, making Finn's formula, spooning prunes into him, telephoning the market—these simply isn't any end to it.

**Father Gets Tired, Too.**  
"William gets nervous and critical; poor man, he is often as tired as I am. We look at our friends who have no children, and wonder whether we were fools to involve ourselves in these infinitely worrisome—if infinitely precious—responsibilities. What am I doing, or not doing, that makes all this so hard? I'm not a natural cook, but I can follow rules, and I try not to fuss and make unnecessary work for myself. Other women must have written you of this problem; what did you say to them?"

My dear Margaret, I have said to hundreds of them what I say to you; that it can't be done. Not in these days of war; not under these conditions. No woman can manage three babies, a large house, cooking, beds, dusting, marketing, serving meals, dealing with nursery illnesses, washing, no matter how strong and capable she is. In the old days there would have been a grandmother and aunts, to say nothing of a good servant or two, to help. Today she has to fight on alone.

Do the best you can, Margaret, and keep first things first. Keep the children in tough dark overalls, serve most of their meals in sandwich-and-mug fashion; have your own meals entirely in the kitchen. Don't mourn "niceness" and "daintiness" and the "way Mother has things." There is nothing nice and dainty about war, and these are war times. Live as if you were in one of the war-torn countries yourself; anxious only to keep your family together, warm and housed and fed. Nothing more.

Your husband, if he is a reasonably intelligent man—most husbands aren't, but perhaps yours is—will quickly realize the basic importance of what you are doing; raising children in these times. He will see, when you point it out to him, that nothing else matters except that we all GET THROUGH these days to better times. Not what you wear, not dust and disorder are important, not flowers on the table and fresh little garments on the children when Dad gets home. Food, shelter, warm beds, baths, and love, love, love all the way, these are what matter. And these, whittled down to their essentials, will keep you busy enough.

**Eliminate Finishing Touches.**  
Cut out all fancy touches, all show, all beautifying for the duration; real-



Keep first things first.

### STREAMLINE YOUR HOUSEHOLD DURING WARTIME

Mothers cannot expect to run their households as smoothly as in the prewar days when capable help was easily obtainable. Particularly where there are several children it is necessary to keep to the vital necessities—food, shelter and warmth. This is Kathleen Norris' advice to a woman with three small children, a husband and a nine-room house to take care of. The burden of trying to run this menage on a prewar standard is running her ragged. These are not normal times and it is impossible to live completely normally. The woman is advised to live as though she and her family were in one of the war-torn countries and to consider only the basic requirements of existence.

ize that you and your husband are carrying on the most important business in the world and weather these bad years like a ship facing a storm. You'll find, once you take this attitude, that imaginary duties and obligations drop from you like autumn leaves, and that every day finds you discarding some onerous task that you've always imagined HAD to be done.

Several young mothers in my neighborhood have simply moved downstairs for the winter, and are not attempting to keep the upper rooms warm and clean. The children's beds are in the sitting room, Mother and Dad in the study, the dining room fireplace has become the center of the house, and meals are in the kitchen. A small stove keeps the bathroom upstairs warm, when it is needed. Just making the change, one mother told me, had awakened her husband to the desperate need of the situation; he accepted it in a sort of picnic spirit, and she says that now he likes it.

This woman said her mother-in-law disapproved of this innovation. But she left her mother-in-law in charge one day of the twins and the baby, while she rushed off to do some shopping. She says the older woman was a wreck when she returned six hours later, the house a shambles, the children dirty and roaring, dinner not even started, and that since then her mother-in-law will agree to anything, everything, that she suggests to lighten an almost unbearable load.

**Find Russian Tough?**  
**Expert Says It's Easy**  
Can you pronounce Zhitomir, Novograd-Volynski, Lwow, Orel, Veli-kie Luki, or Novosokolniki?

It's as simple as a, b, c—in fact, simpler—to pronounce these Russian war cities, according to Father Konstantine Auroreff, part-time instructor in Russian at Pennsylvania State college.

"Russian is an easy language. Anyone can learn to read it in two or three hours," declares Father Auroreff. "In English there are some 60 sounds. In Russian there are 32 and only two or three of them are not used in English."

To begin with, he stresses, Russian is a phonetic language. There aren't three or four different sounds for the letter a, for instance, as there are in English; a in Russian is always pronounced as in "bar."

Other Russian letters represent the English sounds of b, d, long e, f, g (as in go), k, or c, l, m, n, long o, p, r (with a trill), s, t, long u, v, and z. Combinations of English letters, such as ye, ooo, ch, sh, and ya, are used as one character in Russian. Some of the sounds unfamiliar to English ears are an h pronounced as "hoch," a zh sound like the French j, and a ts combination as in "nuts."

## Star Dust

STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO

By VIRGINIA VALE  
Released by Western Newspaper Union.

**I**T WAS rumored some time ago that Frank Sinatra didn't like his role in his first picture, "Higher and Higher," and therefore didn't want to do it. For all anybody knows, the lad may have dramatic talents that will bring him success equal to the fame he's won as a singer. The picture "Wake Up and Live," which Ben Bernie and Walter Winchell made some years ago, seems a perfect vehicle. Now that Sinatra has replaced Bing Crosby's horses as the leading topic of most of the radio comedians, it's only fit and proper that Bing and he be arranged to appear on each other's broadcasts.

Phil Baker's "Take It or Leave It" is about to become a motion picture. Twentieth Century-Fox has signed Baker to star in a comedy built around and named for the CBS Sunday night quiz. "Take It or



PHIL BAKER

Leave It" departs for Hollywood following the February 27 broadcast, to start work on the film—with Brian Foy directing, the picture should be worthy of the air show.

In RKO's "Marine Raiders" (Pat O'Brien, Bob Ryan and Ruth Hussey), eight men of the east have received honorable discharges after months of action in the South Pacific. All eight have been awarded the Purple Heart.

London whooped it up over the performance of six-year-old Margaret O'Brien in "Lost Angel," when the picture was launched there. The newspapers couldn't praise her highly enough. She made her screen debut in Metro's "Journey for Margaret." She'll play Little Eva in their technical production, "Uncle Tom's Cabin," with Lena Horne as Eliza and Lewis Stone as St. Clair.

Last year Bette Davis was compelled to decline an honorary degree from her father's alma mater, Bates college, in Maine. This year Rollins college, in Winter Park, Fla., wanted her to drop in on February 25, to accept a Ph.D., but she had to decline again. With "Mr. Skeffington" now being filmed and "The Corn Is Green" coming up, she can't get away for the ceremonies.

The new Horace Heidt show (Monday evenings on the Blue network) is rapidly becoming a "must" on the broadcasting lists of many American homes. Certainly nothing could be more dramatic than this attempt to find just the right job for two honorably discharged service men each week. And the rest of the show holds up as excellent entertainment.

One of the biggest plums that a Hollywood director could get was that of directing "The Robe." It went to Mervyn LeRoy, who did "Madame Curie," "Random Harvest," "Anthony Adverse," and many other successful pictures. It'll keep him busy for some time.

Anne Jeffreys, blonde ex-model, was on her way to an operatic career when films lured her to Hollywood; now she's getting her first important break in a major production, playing the second feminine lead in the new Sinatra picture.

Radio's "Stage Door Canteen," heard over CBS, helps maintain canteens in New York, Hollywood, Washington, Boston and Philadelphia. Not content with that, the "Stage Door Canteeners" have adopted a fleet of the navy's landing craft infantry, and are keeping the entire group entertained via letters and surprise packages. The program is presented by the American Theatre Wing.

**ODDS AND ENDS—When "Madame Curie" was in its seventh week at New York's Radio City music hall, it was also playing its seventh week for the troops on the Italian battlefield. . . Charlie McCarthy turns ventriloquist in "Song of an Open Road," with a replica of himself, called Junior, on his knee. . . A North African soldier of the CBS singing star Jeri Sullivan has dubbed her "the girl with the pin-up voice." . . John Carr, radio's busiest conductor-bronzer, has completed composing the original musical score for CBS' "War Town," a new dramatic series with a contemporary theme, starring Ralph Bellamy.**

Warner Bros., with their nose for news, has scooped the field again. RKO has just announced that "This Is My Brother," which tells the story of five American soldiers' brutal treatment at the hands of the Japs, will be rushed into production. But Warner Bros. has had "The Purple Heart" ready for some time; it is a story of our fliers who were headed in Tokyo. Now the government has ordered the picture released immediately. Meanwhile Dudley Nichols will write, direct and produce for RKO.

## HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers

### Luscious Desserts, Springlike Salads Please Appetites



Mold the salad and give it new variety and interest. Strips of red and green pepper on the white of the cottage cheese make this mold attractive, and the fresh vegetable salad in the center gives unusual contrast.

Changes of season with their myriad of new fruits and vegetables in season bring with them delightful changes in menus and perk up appetites, but before the new season begins there's apt to be dullness in menus that puts appetites in a rut. Let's resolve there be no such menu monotony in any home when there are different combinations of old favorites available.

There's nothing especially new in the ingredients for this salad, but they're in new combination—even to the touch of watercress in place of lettuce as background:

- Cottage Cheese Salad.**  
(Serves 8)  
1 package lemon-flavored gelatin  
1 cup hot water  
1 cup pineapple juice  
Strips of green and red pepper  
1 cup cottage cheese  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
Dash of cayenne

Dissolve gelatin in hot water. Add pineapple juice and water. Chill until slightly thickened. Decorate mold with strips of green and red pepper. Combine pineapple, cheese, salt and cayenne. Fold into thickened gelatin. Turn into ring mold. Chill until firm. Unmold. Fill center with mixed salad and garnish with segments of tomato and sprigs of watercress.

Here's an old favorite with a new twist:

- Carrot Ring with Creamed Peas and Ham.**  
(Serves 6)  
2 tablespoons butter or substitute  
2 tablespoons flour  
1/2 cup milk  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
2 eggs, separated  
2 cups grated carrot

Melt butter, blend in flour. Cook until slightly thickened, then add milk and salt. Stir until blended and thickened. Add beaten egg yolks and grated carrot. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into greased mold, set in a pan of hot water. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for an hour. Turn out on platter and fill with creamed leftover ham and peas.

- Fruited Drop Biscuits.**  
(Makes 18 biscuits)  
2 cups sifted flour  
3 teaspoons baking powder  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
2 to 4 tablespoons shortening  
6 tablespoons marmalade

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Cut or rub in shortening. Add enough milk to make thick batter, stirring only until flour is well

- Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menu**  
\*Pork Chops Supreme  
Mashed Potatoes Spinach Loaf  
\*Carrot-Raisin Salad  
\*Fruited Drop Biscuits  
\*Cherry Custard Pie  
\*Recipes Given

### Lynn Says

**Good Combinations:** Contrast in foods is an important factor in good menu building. Give your meat just the right vegetable and sauce and salad and the only complaint you will get is that your family doesn't have room for all they could eat.

Browned potatoes and brown gravy go with pot roast. Don't forget a tossed green salad.

Dumplings are indicated with stew. Mustard pickles and molded fruit salad are perfect accompaniments.

Delicious corned beef brisket is good with cabbage wedges, boiled potatoes and mustard sauce.

Baked sweet potatoes are a must with Boston Butt. A dish of applesauce and colorful Harvard beets do the right thing for balance.

A shoulder roast of lamb needs the lightness of new potatoes, brown gravy and fresh wisps of asparagus.

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moistened. Drop a spoonful of batter in greased muffin pan, add a teaspoonful of marmalade, top with another spoonful of biscuit batter and bake in a hot oven (450 degrees) 12 minutes.

- \*Pork Chops Supreme.**  
(Serves 4)  
4 thick pork chops  
1 green pepper  
1 slice onion  
4 crackers  
Pinch of poultry seasoning  
1 teaspoon salt  
1/2 teaspoon pepper  
Milk

Grind together green pepper, onion, crackers and combine with other ingredients, using just enough milk to moisten. Place pork chops in baking pan and heap stuffing over top. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for an hour to an hour and a half.



Cherries make a colorful pie that will make a feast out of any meal. The pie pictured above is not just an ordinary cherry pie but one with a jellied custard filling resting underneath those cherries.

- Potatoburgers.**  
(Serves 6)  
1 pound hamburger  
2 cups coarsely grated raw potato  
2 cups onion, coarsely grated  
1 1/2 teaspoons salt  
1/4 teaspoon pepper  
1/2 cup fat

Combine all ingredients, mixing well. Shape into patties and fry in hot fat until well browned all over. "Can she bake a cherry pie?" the young man would ask of his bride-to-be. That pie is still good and you'll like this variation of the original theme:

- \*Cherry Custard Pie.**  
1 package cherry flavored gelatin  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
1 1/2 cups boiling water  
2 eggs, separated  
1/2 cup sugar  
2 cups cherries, canned  
1 baked pie shell

Dissolve gelatin in boiling water. Add salt. Pour gradually over egg yolks which have been beaten with 1/2 cup of sugar. Mix well. Add 1 cup of berries to gelatin mixture. Chill until thickened, then pour into pie shell and top with remaining berries. Chill until firm. If desired top with meringue made of egg whites.

Are you looking for salad ideas? Send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Miss Lynn Chambers at Western Newspaper Union, 210 South Desplaines Street, Chicago 6, Illinois.

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### China, Pottery Imports Lost to Us; But We Make Them Here at Home

By ELIZABETH MacRAE BOYKIN

The blackout of imported china and pottery from Europe is a loss of course, but America isn't left as high and dry there as you might think. For fine ware has been made over here since early times, as a newly assembled collection just put on exhibition in the Brooklyn Museum makes clear. This collection is a comprehensive record of American ceramics.

For pottery as well as glass was made in seventeenth-century Jamestown. But probably the most exciting pieces are those made in the Pennsylvania Dutch country, New Jersey and the Shenandoah valley in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries—including some marvelous pieces of signa (scratched) pottery decorated with fabulous horsemen and with the signature "David Spinner his make." Others have very quaint inscriptions such as "Hard Times in Jersey" and "Go for Half a Joe." While a big yellow

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A General Quiz

### The Questions

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- What is the yearly salary of a U. S. senator?
- Which one of Shakespeare's characters said: "How sharper than a serpent's tooth it is to have a thankless child"?
- In weaving, the threads that run the length of the goods are called what?
- How many pounds of candy per year does each man in our fighting forces consume?
- Who was the "Hoosier Poet"?

### The Answers

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- King Lear.
- Warp.
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## West Bend Theatres

### West Bend Theatre

Saturday, February 26—Betty Grable, Robert Young and Adolphe Menjou in "SWEET ROSIE O'GRADY"

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, February 27-28-29—Don Ameche, Frances Dee and Harry Cary in "HAPPYLAND"

Wednesday thru Saturday, Mar. 1-2-3-4—Cary Grant and John Garfield in "DESTINATION TOKYO"

### Mermac Theatre

Saturday, February 26—Bill Elliott and "Gabby" Hayes in "CALLING WILD BILL ELLIOTT"

AND—  
"KING OF THE MOUNTAINS" Serial

Sunday and Monday, February 27-28—Allan Jones and Evelyn Ankers in "YOU'RE A LUCKY FELLOW MR. SMITH"

AND—  
Basil Rathbone in "SHERLOCK HOLMES FACES DEATH"

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Feb. 29-Mar. 1-2—George Sanders and Brenda Marshall in "PARIS AFTER DARK"

AND—  
Jimmy Rogers in "DUDES ARE PRETTY PEOPLE"

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# KEWASKUM HIGH-lights

## TEAM UPSETS CAMPBELLSPORT IN TOURNAMENT OPENER

Kewaskum's basketball squad came off winner in the first game of this year's basketball tournament at North Fond du Lac. At 2 p. m. Thursday they began the tournament against Campbellsport. The game ended with a final score of 25 to 22; this meant Kewaskum played again Friday. The line-up of the annual two-day event was as follows:

THURSDAY, FEB. 24  
Game Number 1 2:00 p. m.  
Campbellsport vs. Kewaskum  
Game Number 2 3:00 p. m.  
Lomira vs. North Fond du Lac  
Game Number 3 7:00 p. m.  
Oakfield vs. Omro  
Game Number 4 8:00 p. m.  
Rosendale vs. Slinger

FRIDAY, FEB. 25  
Game Number 5 2:00 p. m.  
Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2  
Game Number 6 7:00 p. m.  
Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4  
Game Number 7 8:00 p. m.  
Championship Game  
Winner Game 5 vs. Winner Game 6

C Coach E. Mitchell and scorekeeper Lee Rose accompanied the local squad composed of Dave Bartelt, Ralph Koth, Allen Tassar, Bill Bunkelmann, Glenway Backhaus, Jim Bartelt and Merrill Krueger.

Any student who brought a signed excuse from home to school was permitted to attend the games both on Thursday and Friday. A good representation went up from Kewaskum. At the writing of this story, only the first event had taken place.

## ANNUAL TEACHER CONVENTION

C. Rose, principal of Kewaskum high school, attended an annual teachers' convention at West Bend Friday, Feb. 18.

The purpose of the annual convention is to invite all principals of Washington county high schools such as Slinger, Hartford, West Bend and Kewaskum. They are to report the accomplishments of 8th grade graduates during the first semester which would benefit them as freshmen in high school, and also to correct any shortcomings.

Mr. Gleneye, principal of Wisconsin high school, Madison, Wis., gave a talk on "Post-War Education."

Another speaker was Dr. Waite, professor of elementary education of the Milwaukee State Teachers college.

## PIONEERS OF LATIN

On the 15th of February the P. O. L. was created. P. O. L. is the title of the Latin club founded by the members of the Latin class. P. O. L. stands for "Pioneers of Latin." Why Pioneers of Latin? Latin was missing from the curriculum of the high school for a period of five years. It took six courageous pioneering students to revive Latin interest in K. H. S.

The officers of the club are: Pres., Lois Koch; vice-pres., Mary Alice Schmitz; and sec.-treas., Margie Schmidt. The other charter members of the P. O. L. are Rachel Brauchle, Jean Rosenhelmer and Betty Jane Winters. Faculty advisor is Miss Elizabeth Badalik.

The P. O. L.'s duty is to promote Latin interest at K. H. S. The pioneers hope that Latin will continue in years to come at K. H. S.

## ELM GROVE CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Braun of St. Peter spent Sunday at the Al Braun home.

Peter Felda of Fond du Lac spent Saturday afternoon at the George Buehner home.

Bernard Dins of Armstrong is spending some time with his grandmother, Mrs. Charles Kleinke.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ellison of Fond du Lac spent Sunday evening at the George Buehner home.

Mrs. Ben Berger of Baraboo is spending some time here with her mother, Mrs. Charles Kleinke, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mielke and son Charles of Lake DeNeve spent Tuesday at the George Buehner home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hornburg, Jr. and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. George Buehner spent Sunday evening at the Henry Guell home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fell and family of Ashford and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Fitzgerald of Fond du Lac spent Sunday afternoon at the George Mitchell home.

Miss Marlene Guell attended the birthday party of Miss Donna May Pieper held at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pieper at Waucousta.

A daughter, Barbara Sue, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roland Cumins Sunday, Feb. 13th, at the home of Mrs. Martin Jaeger at Campbellsport. Mrs. Cumins was the former Miss Dorothy Majerka. They have three other children, two girls and a son.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell entertained the following guests at dinner Sunday, honoring their 5th wedding anniversary: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Soeller and daughter Gertrude, Fanny Soeller, Alvin Wondra, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wondra and son David of near Ashford, Mr. and Mrs. Florian Butchick and Miss Evelyn Stoffel of Campbellsport. Cards were played, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell received many gifts.

The American Jersey Cattle club will hold its annual meeting at Des Moines, Iowa, June 7.

## With Our Men and Women in Service

### PFC. TECHTMAN TO RETURN HOME FROM WAR IN ITALY

Mr. and Mrs. William Techtman have received word from their son, Pfc. Harvey Techtman, that he is being sent back to the States from Italy after 16 months of overseas duty. He wrote that he expected to get home within a few days and hoped to see his folks again very soon. No reason or further details concerning his coming home from the Italian theatre of war were given. Pfc. Techtman has been in service 19 months and left for overseas only three months after entering the army. He saw service in Scotland, England and North Africa before being sent to Italy a while back.

Harvey will be the first soldier from this village to return home from duty in a foreign country, although several have come back from Alaska and the Aleutian Islands and a number of sailors have been home from sea and overseas duty. Pfc. Techtman wrote his parents before Christmas that he expected to have a surprise for them soon and they should not write him anymore, which kept them guessing until now. Harvey, who is a baker in the army, was a funeral director here before entering service. He never had a furlough since being in service.

### CAPT. FRED MILLER IN NEW HEBRIDES ISLANDS

A letter was received on Thursday from Capt. Fred Miller, son of Mrs. Edw. E. Miller, informing this office that he is now stationed somewhere in the New Hebrides Islands. He was sent to the Hebrides from Australia, where he was stationed the past year after serving in New Guinea, and contracting malaria. The Hebrides Islands are off Australia and just north of New Caledonia, where S/Sgt. Leander Honickel is stationed. Capt. Miller's letter is a long, extraordinary one and we will publish it next week. His address is the same.

### THREE HORN BROTHERS ARE TRANSFERRED; ONE IN ALASKA

Peter Horn was in the office this week to pay his subscription and those of his three sons in service. He informs us that all of the boys have been transferred recently, one of them, Cpl. Bernard, having left the States. He transferred from Fort Hancock, N. Y. to a camp somewhere in Alaska, where he is now stationed. Bernard has also been promoted from private first class to corporal. His address, minus the military unit, is Cpl. Bernard D. Horn 3626681, A.P.O. 937, Seattle, Wash. Another son, Pfc. Francis, has been transferred from Bergen Point Station, Bayonne, N. J. to Camp Stewart, Ga. His address is Pfc. Francis A. Horn, Hqs. Btry. 604 AAA, Camp Stewart, Ga. The third son, Pfc. Claire, was transferred from an address in care of the postmaster at Los Angeles, Calif., where he was on maneuvers, to Indian-town Gap Mil. Res., Pa. Here's his address: Pfc. Claire M. Horn 36247036, Hq. & Hq. Co., 378th Inf., A.P.O. 95, Indian-town Gap Mil. Res., Pa.

### LIEUT. RAMTHUN FLIES HOME; WILL BE SENT OVERSEAS SOON

Lieut. (J. G.) Bruno Ramthun U. S. N. R. arrived Saturday to spend a 9-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Ramthun, and sister at San Bruno, Calif., from where he flew home by plane. Bruno informs us that he expects to leave for service overseas very shortly, preferably in the Southwest Pacific area. He will also fly back to California.

### WIETOR IN ENGLAND WRITES, HAS FURLOUGH IN SCOTLAND

T. Cpl. Leo Wietor, son of the Frank Wietors of Wayne, who is stationed in England, writes the editor and wife that he is back on duty after spending a furlough in Scotland. Here's his letter:

Sunday, Feb. 6, 1944  
Dear Friends:  
Well, I'm back in the groove again and working out pre-invasion problems, after spending a week's furlough in Scotland. My buddy and I enjoyed the trip and really got around as the travel service was tops, plenty of buses and trains to take in the sights, such as Loch Lomond, the art galleries, Loussams and very old castles. We stayed at the American Red Cross and the facilities for recreation and accommodation were swell, except at meal time, as we had to sweat out the chow line just like back at camp. There were too many on leave I guess.

We met several men from Wisconsin but none from Kewaskum or vicinity. The city was at ease compared to some places I have been at as I have heard the roar of bombs in several popular cities while on pass.

Am keeping the "caissons a rolling" and feeling fine. Hope the same of you. Signing off with best wishes to all friends, including those in the service. I receive the Statesman regularly. Thanks.

Cheerio,  
Friend Leo

### MAYER WRITES FROM ENGLAND

Another brief V-mail letter was received from Pfc. Carl Mayer, son of the Jos. Mayers, who is also stationed in England. Carl writes that he hopes

to visit S/Sgt. Franklin Heisler over there. His letter:

February 6, 1944  
Dear Don and Bill:  
Just a few lines to let you know I am still getting the Statesman. I see by it that quite a few fellows are over here now.

I hope to see Frankie Heisler one of these days—next week I can arrange it. I sure hope I get to see him.

I received quite a few Xmas cards from friends back home and want to thank them for all the cards I got.

Had a Co. dance last Friday night, with a R.A.F. band furnishing the music. A good time was had. Free beer, sandwiches and cakes were served.

Well, Don, not much new otherwise so will close for now. Hope this finds you all well and happy.

Regards to all,  
Carl

### FELLENZ AT CAMP SHELBY

Pvt. Henry Fellenz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jac. Fellenz of Route 1, Kewaskum, now is stationed at Camp Shelby, Miss. He left for camp recently after spending a 24-day furlough at home. He was given the furlough after returning to the States from Newfoundland, where he was stationed a year. His address is Pvt. Henry Fellenz 36259553, Btry. B. 516th F. A., Camp Shelby, Miss.

### PALS TOGETHER IN FLORIDA

Sgt. Louis N. Bath, son of Louis Bath, Sr., and Harold "Stubby" Carlson, son of the Emil Bartels of West Bend, formerly of this village, recently spent a day together in Florida, where both are stationed. The boys were inseparable pals before the war. Sgt. Bath is at Camp Blanding and Carlson at Pensacola. They got together at Tallahassee, each travelling 200 miles to get there. The pals visited the state capitol in that city and took in other places of interest and met some prominent people. A postcard, reading as follows, was received from them:

Dear Bill:  
A couple of Yankee's in the deep South send you greetings. Hope you are having weather warmer than that we are "enjoying" today. We are having this shore, but sweet reunion in Florida's capitol city—Tallahassee.  
Louie N. Bath  
Harold "Stubby" Carlson

### SGT. WERNER PROMOTED

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Werner received word from their son, Sgt. Walter Werner, who is stationed in England, that he has been promoted from sergeant to staff sergeant.

### SCHAUB HAS NEW ADDRESS

Pvt. Homer Schaub, son of William Schaub, who was formerly stationed at the New Orleans Staging Area, now is at the army air base at Camp Planch, New Orleans, La. Homer, who left for camp last Friday after spending an emergency furlough at home, went to Camp Planch upon his arrival back. He was called home by the serious illness of his mother, who died the day after he arrived here. His new address is Pvt. Homer Schaub 3635019, Co. A, 2nd TC Tng. Bn., TC, RT Camp Planch, New Orleans Army Air Base, New Orleans 12, La.

### SGT. KOHLER TRANSFERRED

Sgt. Primit Kohler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Kohler, has been transferred from San Fernando, Calif. to Camp White, Oregon. His address is Sgt. Primit V. Kohler, 174 Inf. Hq. Co., Camp White, Medford, Oregon. His wife is with him at Medford.

### SEAMAN VYVYAN HAS LEAVE

Ray Vyvyan 8 1/2 of Lewiston, Maine, arrived in Milwaukee Sunday to spend a 5-day leave with his folks, the Leo Vyvyan, in Wauwatosa. The Vyvyan's resided in Kewaskum until a short time ago. The five days included Ray's trip and he was unable to come to Kewaskum. He called up his grandmother, Mrs. Chas. Gresschel, Tuesday and surprised her. He said hello to his many friends here and stated that he is feeling fine, has gained weight and has lots of work. He told his grandmother that he didn't know how long he would stay in Maine and that he likes his work very much.

### PVT. KOHN TRANSFERRED

Pvt. Walter Kohn, son of William Kohn of Kewaskum, R. 3, has been transferred from Los Angeles, Calif., where he was on maneuvers, to Indian-town Gap Mil. Res., Pa. along with several others from Kewaskum whom we mentioned in this column last week. His address is Pvt. Walter F. Kohn 36247044, Co. F, 378th Inf., A.P.O. 95, Indian-town Gap Mil. Res., Pa.

### BRODZELLER AT CAMP GRUBER

Cpl. Stanley Brodzeller, son of the Jos. Brodzellers of St. Michaels, whose wife is making her home with her parents, the Math. Batts, Kewaskum, R. 1, has been transferred from Camp Swift, Tex. to Camp Gruber, Okla. His address: Cpl. Stanley A. Brodzeller 36226753, Co. A, 613rd Tank Destroyer Bn., Camp Gruber, Okla.

### WIETOR HAS NEW ADDRESS

Marine Pfc. Alois Wietor, husband of Mrs. Loyola Wietor and son of the Frank Wietors of Wayne, who is stationed at San Diego, Calif., has a new address as follows: Pfc. Alois J. Wietor, Service Co., MAR Barracks Camp Elliott, San Diego 44, Calif.

### ZEIMET VISITS MOTHER

Sgt. Ray Zeimet of Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind. spent Sunday at Milwaukee with his mother, Mrs. Tillie Zeimet, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schneider and family. Mrs.

Zeimet is visiting her son-in-law and daughter there.

## ANNUAL MEETING OF TEACHERS OF COUNTY ONE OF FINEST HELD

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)

Her leadership in the morning and afternoon programs was excellent and while it was the first time that she appeared before the local teachers association in that capacity, her first appearance entitled her to a similar job at future meetings.

D. J. Kenny gave a talk on salvage, and after investigating the various salvage projects in the county, he expressed the opinion that the local teachers were far ahead of other counties in the state. He especially emphasized the need of collecting every pound of scrap iron because of its need in war work. Mr. Kenny expressed the opinion that there was some criticism because of the large amount of scrap iron

which appears in some junk yards. In his opinion, this was an unjust criticism because it takes much time to get the scrap iron ready for shipment and that the sad day will be the day when there is no scrap iron in the junk yards.

The morning program was concluded by an address on "Educational Post-War Planning" by Dr. Glen Eye of the University of Wisconsin. Mr. Eye brought this planning down to earth and left with the teachers many valuable suggestions for educational post-war planning in education. The meeting then adjourned to the basement of the Evangelical Reformed church where the ladies of the church had prepared a most delicious luncheon for the teachers.

The afternoon program was opened by two solos sung by Miss Hazel Scovel, primary teacher of the Boltonville state graded school, accompanied by Mrs. Leslie Weiss of Boltonville. This is Miss Scovel's second appearance be-

fore the teachers of the county and she added to her prestige as a school by her appearance on Friday. The program was continued by a very inspirational address by Reverend Ezra Vornholt. As in other appearances before school people, Reverend Vornholt delivered a most challenging address exposing the elements that are necessary in the training of young people for a worthy living. He was followed by Dr. E. A. Wait, who read an essay of the purposes of education. The meeting was concluded with a talk by Jerold C. Buckley, supervisor of schools, who drew from his experience to lay the foundation by a most sincere appeal to all to meet the problem of the returning veteran. Mr. Buckley's address captured the hearts and reason of those who heard him and unquestionably the teachers present will have a fuller understanding of their responsibility now to prepare the people of their districts to effectively plan for returning men in service.



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