

## Kewaskum Creamery Stockholders Buy St. Kilian Cheese Plant

The stockholders of the Kewaskum Creamery company, namely Leslie Koller, Dr. Ray Quade and Mrs. Elizabeth Quade Hamlyn, have purchased the St. Kilian Cheese factory at St. Kilian from the owner, John J. Kleinhans, who operated the plant many years.

The same people interested in the local plant will operate the St. Kilian factory under the organization of a new corporation. The purpose behind the purchase is to obtain an added source of milk supply for the Kewaskum plant's fluid milk business at certain times in the year. In other words the St. Kilian factory will continue to be operated as it is at present but during certain periods throughout the year the milk will be brought to the local company plant for use in the fluid milk business.

The creamery stockholders have set no date for taking possession of the St. Kilian factory but according to plans they will probably take over sometime this coming June. Mr. Kleinhans will remain in charge of the plant for some time after the news owner take possession.

## Annual Fruit Growers Meeting Well Attended

About 100 Washington county fruit growers attended their annual meeting at Jackson on Friday, March 14.

The meeting was opened by Joe Morawetz, president of the county fruit growers' association, with a few complimentary remarks about the high quality of apples produced in the county during the past year. He cited as proof of his remarks the ready sale Washington county apples had at the roadside stand operated by the county association at the Wisconsin state fair.

Among those who spoke at the annual meeting were H. J. Rabinow, secretary of the Wisconsin Horticultural society; Arno Meyer, manager and owner of the "Waldo Orchards" in Sheboygan county; Rev. A. H. Otto, West Bend, who showed beautiful movies of local and other scenes, and E. E. Skalsky, who discussed a practical orchard insect and disease control program.

About 90 persons sat down to a potluck luncheon annually enjoyed at these meetings.

Fruit growers are encouraged to join the county association. The cost is \$1.00 and entitles any fruit grower to discounts on their orchard supplies as well as the latest and best information on fruit culture sent out by the county office.

Officers elected for the following year are:

Joe Morawetz, president; John Kopp, vice president; E. E. Skalsky, secretary and treasurer, and Joe Morawetz and Paul Cypher, delegates.

## HOLZHUETTER NEXT TO TALK ON WMAQ FARM PROGRAM

Irvin Holzhueter of West Bend, the second of three prominent Washington county farmers to be interviewed by Everett Mitchell, farm program director at WMAQ, will discuss his experiences in the application of soil conservation measures on the Decorah dairy farm on Wednesday, March 26. Last Wednesday Louis Ogenorth of Kewaskum was interviewed on the program.

This interview will be broadcast over station WMAQ, Chicago, as part of a series of early morning programs devoted to soil and moisture conservation on the "Town and Farm" program heard every Wednesday at 8:15 a. m.

Holzhueter is one of fifty local farmers who are co-operating with the Washington County Soil Conservation district.

## KEWASKUM TEAMS BOWL IN STATE TOURNAMENT

Members of the Bank of Kewaskum bowling team, second place holders in the West Bend Minor A bowling league, spent the week end at Green Bay where they rolled in the state tournament. The New Fane Cheesemakers, third place holders in the West Bend league, also were to Green Bay to participate in the state event Saturday and Sunday. Bank of Kewaskum team members who bowled are Charlie Palt, Paul Landmann, "Jimmy" Miller, Kilian Honeck Jr., Arnold Zelmet, Lawrence Wallenfels and Bill Meister.

## KRAUTKRAMER DOES STUDENT TEACHING AT PLATTEVILLE

Ralph Krautkramer, Kewaskum, is doing student teaching at the Platteville State Teachers college this semester. He is teaching science in the sixth and seventh grades under the supervision of Robert Woods of the training school.

Ten hours of student teaching are required of all students seeking diplomas from the 3-year course and from all 4-year students who are to receive degrees.

## New Doctor May Open Office in Kewaskum

Dr. E. D. Russell, M. D., of 711 N. 16th street, Milwaukee, wishes to locate in Kewaskum and start a practice here. Dr. Russell spent Wednesday in the village making contacts for a suitable place to open an office and seeking a place of residence. While in town the doctor stopped at the Statesman office to make our acquaintance and ask our help in any way possible to get him located here.

Dr. Russell informed us that he has had quite a little experience and studied in France, Germany and Ireland. He formerly taught prescription writing at the state university in Iowa and speaks several languages. If Dr. Russell can obtain a location here further announcements will follow at a later date.

## Kewaskum to Enter K-M Baseball League Again

A baseball meeting was held at Joe Eberle's place Monday night to organize a team for the coming season and decide which league to enter. Officials and players in attendance voted to again join the Kettle Moraine league. The Kewaskum Utensil Co. will sponsor the team again. Last year's manager, "Pritz" Kral will not run the club this year and a new manager is being sought. Giles Wierman, veteran ball player of Boltonville, who is employed at the Utensil Co., was suggested to be contacted.

On Tuesday night George Koerbel and Albert Hron Jr., officers of the club, attended a K-M league meeting at Cascade where 12 teams entered the league. It was voted to divide the league into two divisions this year. The northern division will be composed of Campbellsport Merchants, Campbellsport Belles, Kewaskum, Random Lake, Adell and Belgium. The southern group will play Plymouth, Kohler, Sheboygan Falls, Cascade, Waldo and Glenbeulah. The Campbellsport Merchants, Waldo and Kohler are new teams.

A 15-game schedule is planned with each team playing home and some games with the others in the same division and one game with each team in the other division. This plan is only tentative and may be changed as it is possible that Waunousta and Boltonville also may yet enter the league. Another league meeting will be held on March 31.

## Two Feeding Meetings for County Livestock Raisers

James Lacey, extension animal husbandman of the College of Agriculture, and Wilbur H. Coultas of the American Meat Institute, will be the main speakers at two interesting meetings Tuesday, March 25. The afternoon meeting will be held in West Bend at the electric company show rooms beginning at 2:00 p. m. Hartford will have a meeting that evening beginning at 8:00 p. m. at the Hartford city hall.

Mr. Lacey will discuss feeding and management of beef cattle, swine and sheep with particular emphasis on fitting and showing meat animals being given at the afternoon meeting at which it is hoped young 4-H and FFA feeders will be present.

Mr. Coultas, who is with the livestock department of the American Meat Institute, will speak on "Consumer Demands in Meat" and "Outlook on Meat Prices." This should be an interesting discussion at a time when meat prices are at such high levels.

Livestock raisers are urged to attend these meetings which are sponsored by the county extension office.

## FOUR MEETINGS IN COUNTY FOR CANNING CROP GROWERS

Problems confronting growers of canning crops will be discussed by William Black, professor of agricultural economics of the Wisconsin College of Agriculture, and representatives of cash crops cooperative at meetings to be held next week in Washington county.

Four meetings will be held as follows:

2:00 p. m. Wednesday, March 26, Rockfield Inn, Rockfield.

8:00 p. m. Wednesday, March 26, Doyung's hall, Germantown.

2:00 p. m. Thursday, March 27, Hartford city hall, Hartford.

8:00 p. m. Thursday, March 27, court house, West Bend.

Mr. Black in his part of the program will discuss growers contracts. Discussions on the 1947 production outlook and price situation should prove interesting.

These meetings should be of interest to all growers of canning crops. Washington county is one of the biggest producers of canning crops.

## LAND PURCHASE APPROVED

The state conservation commission last week approved purchase of 19.23 acres of land near Kewaskum for an addition to the Kettle Moraine state forest, for \$1,400.

## Introducing Our Children . . .



Elaine, 17 mos., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Uelmen, R. 1, Kewaskum. David, 5 mos., son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Schmidt, Kewaskum. Joanne, 3 yrs., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Schmidt, Kewaskum.

EDITOR'S NOTE—Any other parents who would like to have their children's photos in the Statesman, and who missed the Wolz Studio's representative when he was in town, may do so by bringing in a clear, glossy picture and paying the small cost of having a cut made.

## Second Annual Moraine Boy Scout Exposition

The second annual exposition of the Boy Scouts of the Moraine district (West Bend, Barton, Kewaskum, Campbellsport, Jackson and Germantown) will be held Saturday, March 22, from 2 to 9 p. m. at the McLane school auditorium, West Bend.

Committees for the exposition are as follows:

General—Hans Vogel, West Bend, chairman; C. A. Collins, West Bend, assistant.

Publicity—A. P. Staral, Barton, chairman; Arthur E. Kuehlthau and R. G. Lauson, West Bend.

Participation—Al. Homuth, Barton, chairman; H. I. Peterson, West Bend; Harlow Roate, Campbellsport, John Van Blarcom, Kewaskum.

Refreshments—Fred Jansen, West Bend, chairman; Chet Nielsen, West Bend; Paul Landmann, Kewaskum.

Judging—Howard Bauman, West Bend, chairman; Albert Larson, West Bend.

Over 260 boys in scouting, cubbing, and senior scouting in the Moraine district of the Badger Boy Scout council will participate in this exposition, according to H. I. Peterson, district chairman.

The Racine Boy Scout Drum and Bugle Corps of over 40 members will be on hand for the exposition. They will open the exposition with a parade through West Bend's Main st. business section to the McLane school and will play at the school both afternoon and evening.

A refreshment stand will be in operation throughout the exposition period.

In addition to the Boy Scout exhibition booths, the J. C. Penney Co. store at West Bend, which has installed an officially accredited Boy Scout department, will have an exhibit.

The West Bend-Barton Girl Scout council will have one general exhibit.

Twenty or more exhibit booths will be erected. Exhibits will include all scouting activities such as camping, safety, handicraft, etc. Of special interest will be an explorer unit exhibit on Indian lore and a scout exhibit on topography (new this year).

The exposition is open free of charge to the public, and they are urged to attend in large numbers.

The Racine Drum & Bugle corps hopes to go to the International Boy Scout jamboree at Paris, France, next August.

## Lakes Banquet Saturday; Kewaskum to Get Trophy

The annual Land O' Lakes league basketball banquet will be held at 7 p. m. Saturday at the Fellowship hall, Fifth Ave. Methodist church in West Bend. An impressive array of speakers has been lined up for the affair, which will close the cage season. A number of Kewaskum players, officials and wives will attend.

Three well known figures in the world of sports have been invited to speak. Joe Conway, former Lakes official, and now an official in the Big Nine conference, who was umpire at the fateful Wisconsin-Purdue game when the bleachers collapsed at Lafayette, Ind., will recount that terrible disaster and also the playing of the last half of that game later at Evanston, Ill. Other speakers will be Stoney McGlynn, former sports editor of the Milwaukee Sentinel, and Gene Berce, Starquette university forward, who has broken all cage scoring records at that school.

Members of the championship teams of the various leagues will be present to receive their awards and trophies. These include the West Bend Schacht, champions of the Lakes Major circuit; the Kewaskum Legion, champions of the northern division of the Lakes league; Watertown Carltons, southern division champions; Hartford Mueller's, northern Rivers champions, and the Hartland Equipment Co., southern Rivers champions.

Runners up who will receive second and third place awards are Oconomowoc and Watertown Firestones, Lakes Major; Campbellsport and Menomonee Falls, northern Lakes; Pewaukee and Hartland, southern Lakes; Cedarburg and Menomonee Falls, northern Rivers; and Merton and Pewaukee, southern Rivers.

The individual scoring champions will also receive awards. Dick Peterson of Cedarburg, who set several league records with his high scoring, will get the Lakes Major scoring trophy. Other high scorers are Paul Kral of Kewaskum, northern Lakes; Jim Slausen of Pewaukee, southern Lakes; John Regnitz of Cedarburg, northern Rivers; Ken Kerr of Hartland, southern Rivers.

Mayor Clyde J. Schloemer and Circuit Judge Edward J. Gehl will be among the local guests who will add to the program. Musical numbers will include instrumental selections by members of the West Bend high school music department. The public is welcome to attend. Charge for the dinner will be \$1.50.

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President for the term of two years, to succeed Charles Miller, whose term expires in April, 1947; clerk for the term of two years, to succeed Carl F. Schaefer, whose term expires in April, 1947; treasurer for the term of two years, to succeed John Marx, whose term expires in April, 1947; assessor for the term of two years, to succeed Joseph Mayer, whose term expires in April, 1947; trustee for the term of two years, to succeed K. A. Honeck Sr., whose term expires in April, 1947; trustee for the term of two years, to succeed H. B. Rosenthaler, whose term expires in April, 1947; trustee for the term of two years, to succeed A. P. Schaeffer, whose term expires in April, 1947; supervisor for the term of two years, to succeed E. M. Romaine, whose term expires in April, 1947; justice of the peace for two years, to succeed L. W. Hartel, whose term expires in April, 1947.

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Dated this 21st day of March, 1947.

CARL F. SCHAEFFER,  
Village Clerk

## VETS DISCHARGED

The following were discharged from the armed forces since our last report a week ago:

Paul Armin Buckreus, Hartford.

Ralph Thomas Duhning, R. 1, Slinger (town of Polk).

Frank Ramon Hahn Jr., Slinger.

Orin Ervin Kirchner, R. 2, Kewaskum.

Albert Joseph Kornell, R. 2, West Bend (formerly of Newburg).

\*Rollin Robert Osborne, Evanston, Ill. (formerly of Hartford).

Lester Gustav Pusch, Hartford.

Richard George Schubert, R. 4, West Bend.

\*Indicates officer relieved from active duty.

## ATTEND STATE CAGE TOURNEY

Coach Ernest Mitchell and members of his Kewaskum high school basketball team of the past season attended the state tournament basketball games at the University of Wisconsin Fieldhouse in Madison Thursday. Kilian Honeck Jr. helped drive the boys to Madison. Coach Mitchell and wife also attended the semi-finals Friday and finals Saturday, spending the week end with Ernie's folks at nearby Mineral Point.

## REINDL RENTS PROST FARM

Gilbert Reindl has rented the Est. Prost farm, better known as the former Sebastian Pfum farm in the town of Kewaskum, and with his family moved onto the place last week from the Mrs. Anna Felix farm, known as the former Dorothy Guergisberg farm near Elmora. The Felix farm has been sold to Bert Mount of Milwaukee. Art and Harvey Bunkelman and the latter's wife formerly occupied the Prost farm.

## Mrs. Adam Roden of Town Kewaskum Dies

Mrs. Adam Roden, 76, nee Elizabeth Junk, passed away at 8:15 a. m. on Tuesday, March 18, at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Roden, in the town of Kewaskum. She fractured her hip 1 1/2 years ago and had been bedridden ever since. Pneumonia set in a week ago, since when she had been seriously ill.

Mrs. Roden was born Aug. 19, 1870, in the town of Kewaskum and resided in this vicinity all her life. She came to her present home 6 1/2 years ago. She was married to Adam Roden on May 14, 1889, and he predeceased her on May 21, 1942. Three children were born to this union, one of whom died in infancy and the other, a son, Joseph, succumbed on June 16, 1924. The only surviving son is John, with whom she resided. She also leaves two grandsons, Francis Roden of Fond du Lac and Lloyd Roden of the town of Kewaskum, and one great-grandchild. One grand-daughter, Bernice Roden Otten, died on Oct. 5, 1944.

The deceased was a member of the Christian Mothers' sodality of St. Michael's church, St. Michaels.

She remains were in state at the Miller funeral home here from 7 p. m. Wednesday until Friday morning when services were held at 9:30 a. m. at St. Michael's church, the Rev. R. G. Kastner officiating. Burial took place in the parish cemetery.

## Picnic Dates are Announced by Firemen, Legion, Parish

Three big picnics will again be held in Kewaskum this coming summer, it was revealed in announcements made this week.

The committee in charge of the annual picnic of Holy Trinity parish wishes to announce that Sunday, June 22, has been selected as the date for the event. Plans are now going ahead for the affair and further announcements will be made at a later date.

The Kewaskum fire department has set Sunday, July 13, as the date for their annual picnic in the village park. The firemen are already at work to make this year's affair equally as grand.

The Kewaskum American Legion post will hold its annual picnic in the village park on Sunday, Aug. 10, it is announced by the committee in charge. Last year's big homecoming picnic was one of the biggest held anywhere in this section and the Legion plans to make this year's affair equally as grand.

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## SCHAFFSKOPF NOTES

Thirty players attended Tuesday night's schaffskopf tournament at Heiler's tavern. Prize winners were as follows: 1st, Bill Harbeck, \$2.84; 2nd, Ray Kudak, 40-4-36; 3rd, Walter Heiler, 42-6-34; 4th, K. A. Honeck Jr., 36-2-34; 5th, "Jimmy" Miller, 36-2-34; 6th, D. Hingen, 42-10-32.

Next Tuesday night, March 25, the weekly tournament will be held at "Jimmy" Miller's tavern, beginning promptly at 8 p. m. The following week, April 1, play will be at Louis Heiler's again.

## BIRTH

THEUSCH—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Theusch of St. Michaels at the Bahmer Maternity home, West Bend, on Monday morning, March 17.

## Miss Kohlbeck Bride of Atty. L. W. Bartelt

In a private wedding ceremony performed by the Rev. Alton C. Piel in the Evangelical Lutheran church of the Reformation, Milwaukee, on Saturday, March 15, Miss Hilda Kohlbeck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kohlbeck, 2127 N. 21st street, Milwaukee, became the bride of Attorney Lyle W. Bartelt, Kewaskum, son of Mr. and Mrs. August C. Bartelt, Forest Lake. The service was witnessed by members of the immediate families of the couple.

The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Carl Korbel, as matron of honor. The groom's brother, August Bartelt Jr., attended him as best man.

Given in marriage by her uncle, Anthony Kohlbeck, the attractive bride wore a dark brown wool gabardine suit with a white halo hat. Her corsage was composed of cypripedia (green orchids). The matron of honor was attired in a navy blue wool gabardine suit with black accessories and wore a corsage of pink camellias.

Dinner was served to the wedding party at the Knickerbocker hotel, Milwaukee, and later the bride and groom left on a three weeks honeymoon in California. Upon their return, they will be at home after April 3 in the groom's home on North Fond du Lac avenue in Kewaskum.

The bride is a graduate of Milwaukee State Teachers college, and a member of Kappa Delta Pi sorority. She is a teacher in the Kewaskum high school. Atty. Bartelt, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin, practices law in Kewaskum.

## BATTONI-DREHER

Miss Alice A. Dreher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Dreher of Kewaskum, was married to Gilbert Battoni, son of Mrs. Louis Battoni of Milwaukee, in the rectory of Mother of Good Council church, Milwaukee, in a nuptial ceremony read at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, Feb. 15, by the groom's brother, the Rev. Samuel A. Battoni of Iron Mountain, Mich.

Attending the bride as matron of honor was her friend, Mrs. Eva P. Fattler. The groom was attended by his brother, James A. Battoni, as best man.

For her marriage the bride chose a navy gabardine formal suit with double peplum back and white accessories, with which she wore a corsage of white orchids. Her matron of honor wore a navy wool suit and a corsage of white roses.

Breakfast was served in Milwaukee to the wedding guests following which a reception was held at the Lake Lawn Winter resort. The newlyweds are at home since March 15 at 2966 N. 79th street in Milwaukee.

## WITH OUR SERVICEMEN

S/SGT. ORIN KIRCHNER  
HONORABLY DISCHARGED

S/SGT. Orin E. Kirchner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kirchner of the town of Kewaskum, and husband of Mrs. Lorraine Kirchner, who arrived home on Feb. 18 from Bremerhaven, Germany, on terminal leave, received his honorable discharge on March 5. The discharge was sent to him from Fort Sheridan, Ill. Orin arrived in New York on Feb. 13 from Germany. He served in the armed forces 15 months and 18 days. Kirchner entered the service on Nov. 15, 1945, and received four months of training at Camp Roberts, Calif. before being sent overseas on March 21, 1946. Overseas he served at Augsburg, Bavaria, Germany for 19 months as a section leader with the 74th Constabulary Squadron. He was awarded the good conduct, victory and army of occupation medals.

## HOLY TRINITY SURPASSES GOAL IN CHARITIES DRIVE

Holy Trinity parish of Kewaskum went over its goal in the Catholic Charities drive on the first day of collections Sunday, March 9, again being among the first in the Milwaukee archdiocese to do so. Although the campaign was not scheduled to start until Sunday, March 16, the local parish conducted the drive a week earlier because of the men's day of recollection at the church last Sunday.

The drive will continue to March 20 throughout the 16 counties comprising the archdiocese. Contributions will be used to support the 21 charitable agencies and institutions of the archdiocese.

## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

False rumors are being spread in this community that the Techtman Funeral Home in Kewaskum was ordered to close by the state board of health at Madison due to lack of proper equipment. These rumors are absolutely untrue. I can prove to the public that my funeral home was not ordered to close. I don't see how anyone can say a thing like that! It was said that is why I left Kewaskum. I had a good opportunity to buy a nice business place at Hilbert. A lot of other rumors which were said about my business while I was at Kewaskum were not true either. These rumors must be stopped.

Harvey Techtman

## Hospital Drive for Funds Nears \$50,000

Archbishop Kiley Dedicates New Wing in Ceremony Tuesday

Baltus Rolfs, co-ordinating chairman of the fund raising committee for the St. Joseph's Community hospital drive, disclosed that close to \$50,000 has been contributed by the people of the community to help pay unforeseen costs incurred in building the new wing. The drive is continuing steadily toward its objective goal of \$100,000.

Workers are urged to clean up on contacts not yet made or where credits must be remade. Many donations are coming in from persons who said they

## TAVERN LEAGUE DONATES

The Washington County Tavern League voted at its last meeting sizable amounts as donations to the West Bend and Hartford hospitals. The league is a non-profit organization and is supported entirely from dues of its members.

have not been contacted. Others who have not and wish to make donations may do so at campaign headquarters in the West Bend city hall council chambers.

The hospital wing was dedicated on Tuesday at 10 a. m. by His Excellency, the Most Rev. Moses E. Kiley, archbishop of the Milwaukee archdiocese, in an impressive Catholic rite. The dedication and a high mass took place in the first floor corridor of the new wing with several hundred people in attendance. A dinner was served at noon to about 125 guests of the Sisters of the Divine Saviour, who operate the hospital. Guests included visiting Catholic dignitaries, priests, members of the hospital fund raising committee, and others. Many visiting priests participated in the dedication and mass and singing was by the sisters of St. Mary's convent mother house in Milwaukee. The sermon was delivered by the Rev. Christopher Reiner, S. D. S., rector of the Salvatorian seminary at St. Nazianz. Judge F. W. Bucklin was master of ceremonies.

## Kewaskum Loses in Second Round at Port Tournament

The Kewaskum Legion of the Land O' Rivers league won their opening game in the Class B invitational tournament at Port Washington Sunday afternoon when they defeated Saukville, 27-26. They then advanced to the second round of play and were eliminated Monday evening when the strong Cedarburg Electros nosed them out, 20-15. Cedarburg placed second in the Rivers this past season.

Kewaskum's Lakes champions were also invited to participate in the class A tournament at Port but did not enter because all of the players could not make it.

Merrill Krueger led Kewaskum's victory over Saukville with 13 points. After a close first half, the Legion pulled away from the opponents. The lineups and points scored follow: Kewaskum—G. Backhaus 7, Krueger 13, Schief 4, Stahl 7, Geldel 2, Brauchle 0, W. Bunkelman 4, Saukville—H. Watry 7, G. Brary 4, Schumacher 0, W. Brary 5, E. Laner 0, Brophy 2, A. Laner 4, G. Laner 2, Hallala 2.

Kewaskum almost upset the favored Cedarburg team Monday night. The extremely tough luck in shooting kept them from winning a deserved victory.

The Legion held Regnitz, leading scorer in the northern Rivers circuit this season to 5 points. Moldenhauer, towering center, was also held to 5. The game was chiefly defensive, the first quarter ending 1-0, Kewaskum—G. Backhaus 4, Krueger 4, Schief 6, Geldel 0, Bunkelman 2, Stahl 2, Cedarburg—Regnitz 5, Kuehl 4, Retzlaff 0, Moldenhauer 5, Peterson 4, Reuter 2.

## STUDENT TO LEARN RURAL HEALTH NURSING IN COUNTY

All university students in the field of public health nursing are required to have field experience in both city and rural areas.

Washington county has been chosen by the state board of health as a teaching center for rural experience for Miss Irene M. Thomas from the University of Minnesota. She will spend six weeks—March 24 through May 3—under the supervision of Miss Gladys Satter, county nurse. During this time, they will be carrying on the regular routine work of the public health nurse which will include visits in the schools, visits to homes, immunization and tuberculosis testing clinics.

## MEMBERS OF THE DARTBALL TEAM

Members of the dartball team of the St. Lucas Ev. Lutheran church and their wives surprised their pastor, Rev. Gerhard Kaniess, in honor of his birthday Monday evening. Rev. Kaniess served as president of the Kettle Moraine dartball league this past season.

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Rural America Has Major Role In Annual Red Cross Campaign



FRIENDLY FLAVOR... Typical of the variety of Red Cross services that makes hospital routine take on the flavor of life outside...

Farm Leaders Laud Red Cross in Urging Support in Campaign

Paying tribute to the Red Cross as a "good neighbor," Clinton P. Anderson, secretary of agriculture, has urged rural America to support the 1947 fund campaign.

Two other farm leaders, A. S. Goss, master of National Grange, and Edward A. O'Neal, president of American Farm Bureau federation, also endorsed the current drive.

Churches Utilize Chartered Buses To Swell Crowd

PHILADELPHIA, PA. — As a means of swelling attendance, 15 Philadelphia churches are engaged in a novel experiment of providing "portal-to-portal" transportation services.

Small Town Rates Frequent Mention As 'Coldest Spot'

BIG PINEY, WYO. — Although this little cattle-raising community nestled in the Wyoming mountains has only 241 residents, it probably rates mention in the nation's newspapers more often than any other small town in the country.

Street 'Strays'

SANTA FE, N. M. — Camino de las Vacas—Street of the Cows—has been lost or strayed in this ancient city. Notified that the street is 40 feet south of where it was originally established 60 years ago, the city council ordered the street committee "to corral the straying street."

Lack of Sleep Termed Harmful as Too Many Cocktails

CHICAGO. — Lack of sleep can produce the same symptoms as drinking one too many cocktails, declares J. P. Fanning who, as secretary and general manager of National Association of Bedding Manufacturers, has studied sleeping from every angle.

Agency to Stress Four Main Fields Of Service in 1947

WNU Features. Rural America—the provision stockpile of the nation—has an especially important share in the current fund campaign of the American Red Cross, officials at the Washington, D. C., national headquarters emphasize.

With a 1947 campaign goal of 60 million dollars, the Red Cross again is relying upon the rural areas and the small towns which center the farming communities for substantial support in attaining its quota.

Major Red Cross responsibilities will be four-fold in 1947-48.

They include: service to veterans and their families; to men in army and navy hospitals; to men serving with the armed forces overseas or in this country, and to the community.

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Agency to Stress Four Main Fields Of Service in 1947

WNU Features. Rural America—the provision stockpile of the nation—has an especially important share in the current fund campaign of the American Red Cross, officials at the Washington, D. C., national headquarters emphasize.

With a 1947 campaign goal of 60 million dollars, the Red Cross again is relying upon the rural areas and the small towns which center the farming communities for substantial support in attaining its quota.

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NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS By PAUL MALLON

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

FUMBLING, CORRUPTION MARK U.S. GOVERNMENT OF GERMANY

WASHINGTON.—Here is an inside unofficial report on Germany, Japan and the American occupations (paraphrased conversationally) from an army man who has studied both sectors. Keep this one for your scrapbooks, because the top men are said to be growing alive to the deplorable situation it presents concerning the occupation of Germany.

HELPING HAND... Red Cross Gray Lady Mrs. John W. Johnson

has a long shopping list. She is shown adding items wanted by a patient at Bay Pines Veterans' hospital, St. Petersburg, Fla. She'll buy them at the canteen and downtown.

In this country and overseas, Red Cross field directors are serving, giving emergency assistance, counseling and helping keep the men in communication with their families at home.

In the field of community service, Red Cross disaster work is a round-the-clock operation the country over. National, state and local governments expect the Red Cross to assume leadership in disaster preparedness and relief, and rural areas know well the work of Red Cross following to tornadoes, floods and fires.

Red Cross first aid, water safety and accident-prevention services have been carried on in all communities of this country. First aid instruction for young people and adults, swimming classes for children of the community, and spreading the gospel of safety from farm accidents, are several ways these Red Cross safety services function.

Aid Rural Areas. Red Cross home-nursing instruction in rural communities where hospital facilities are scarce is receiving greater emphasis. Community nutrition classes teach the homemaker how better to prepare and preserve foods.

Sawing Proves Easy as Sewing, Woman Insists

JACKSON, MICH.—Although she has made her living for years as a dressmaker, Mrs. Myrtle Ann Dibble is as adept with a hammer and saw as with a needle and scissors. For proof, she soon will have a seven-room house completed practically entirely by her own efforts.

Work was commenced last May when the basement was dug, the only time Mrs. Dibble called in professional help. She mixed her own cement, the two daughters, Laurietta Lee, 13, and Mona Mae, 12, hauling the blocks while she set them. More than 1,000 blocks were required for the basement. A mason, inspecting the work, described it as a "pretty good job."

As the next step, Mrs. Dibble purchased green oak logs and had them cut into boards at a sawmill. She fitted them herself, displaying blistered palms as evidence that green oak "saws plenty hard." Driving nails into that wood was "the hardest job I ever took on," she adds.

Mrs. Dibble did all the electrical work and plans to wire the entire house. She also will do her own plumbing. A divorcee, Mrs. Dibble used her life savings to start the house. With expenses running higher than anticipated, Mrs. Dibble was forced to return to dressmaking to get money to finish the house.

entists, he says, got 35 men "roaring drunk" by keeping them awake four days, after which they were as irresponsible as alcoholics.

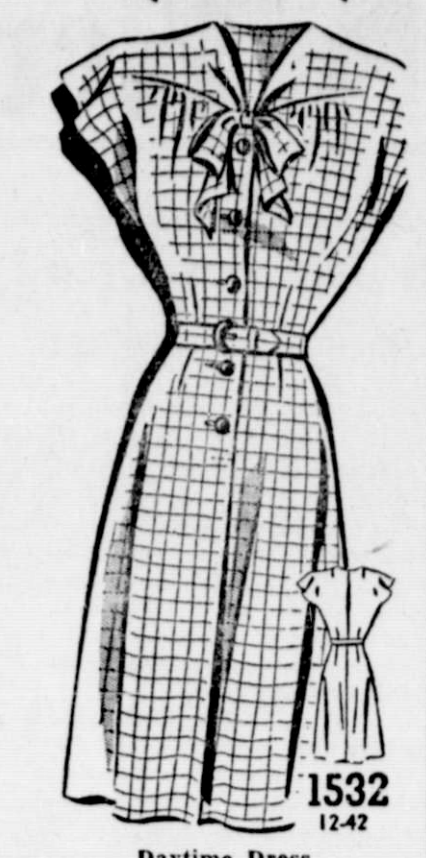
The sleep advocate says Hitler probably never would have torn the world apart "if he had gone to bed instead of staying up all night arguing in beer saloons."

"Napoleon also was a shunner of sleep, and look what happened to him," he adds.

We employ both Germans and Poles now and say nothing about it. We should develop this field openly. Then the Germans and Poles (who know Germany best) might be able to work out a plan of economic self-support. Until this is done, occupation will be costly and futile. But by doing this, we could bring the boys home where they belong, cut down the tremendous current costs (I am really speaking of both Germany and Austria in practically all my observations and conclusions) and put the sector on a workable basis.

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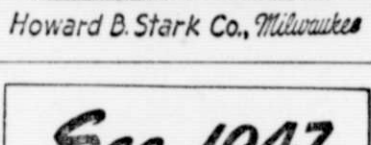
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Don't take much shortening or sugar, either! Toasted Kellogg's All-Bran and crunchy nuts make mighty fine eating!

2 tablespoons shortening 1 cup sifted flour 1/4 cup sugar 2 1/2 teaspoons baking powder 1 cup Kellogg's All-Bran 1/2 teaspoon salt 1/2 cup milk 1/2 cup chopped nuts

Blend shortening and sugar. Add egg, beat well. Stir in flour, salt, and milk. Let soak until most of moisture is taken up. Add chopped nuts to sifted dry ingredients. Add to first mixture. Stir only until flour disappears. Fill greased muffin pans two-thirds full. Bake in moderately hot oven (400° F.). 35 to 50 minutes. Makes 9 tasty muffins.

Really Good 5¢ Caramel Bar



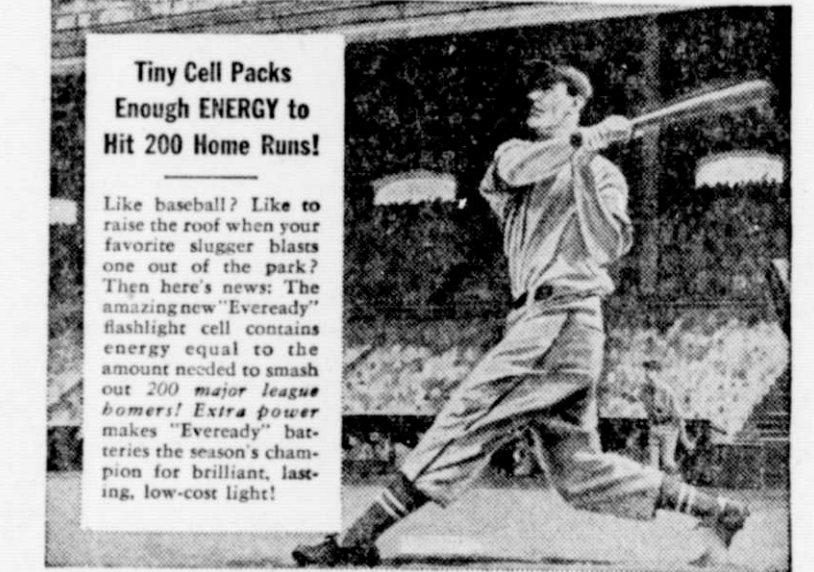
See 1947 NATIONAL TRAILER COACH SHOW!

When paints and varnishes fail to dry you can rest assured the trouble is the result of dirty or oily surface or a surface that has been washed with soap and water, some of the soap having remained on the porous surface of wood.

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# Kathleen Norris Says:

The Crime School for Children

Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features.



"A New Mexico boy of 15 got his mother to lean over the bathtub to look down the drain for something, then cracked her over the head."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

"IT SEEMS to me that it is about time," writes Mary Pierce from Minneapolis, "for the mothers of America to do something about the crime wave on the radio. The late afternoon hours and early evening hours are the times when our children are free to listen to air programs, and those are the times when crimes of every description are exploited and featured, rough and vulgar voices sound through my house, and my children are prepared to chatter eagerly of fashions in which poisons can be administered, murders concealed, lies and theft used to further this purpose or that.

"The other night," her letter continues, "my husband, who is a professor of English, and I settled ourselves to listen to the program our two sons so much enjoy. The boys are 8 and 11. We heard not one, but seven crime stories in a single afternoon and evening. The whining voices of underworld women, the violent threats of professional gangsters, the argot of criminals, all these were poured forth in a flood. Several of the sleuths who solved such puerile and childish mysteries as were concocted for these programs were accompanied by their delicate, refined sweethearts or wives, who casually joked over the murderers who fell dead or wounded over their feet, and commented wittily to such victims as were destined for the electric chair. Pirates, robbers, prostitutes, thugs, gunmen, vile schemers of all sorts personalized these dramas; the language was almost all vulgar abbreviations, or those phrases now so dimly familiar to us all: 'stick 'em up—come clean—sing—get yourself a mouthpiece.'

A Movement Has Begun.

"Surely," Mrs. Pierce goes on, "all this must be having an effect upon our children. Why accustom them to gentle voices all day long, correct their grammar, even try to instill into them some of the rudiments of moral and self-controlled living, and then fill their minds and souls, just before bedtime, with the groans of the tortured, the suspense of danger, the cruelties of crime and the rattle of gunfire? Can we do anything about it, and what can we do?"

Yes, we can do something about it, I say in answer. A movement is already on foot to curb this dangerous excess of sensationalism, and with your help and the help of your club and church, it may well gain a valuable importance within the next few months. Something was done to clean up the movies some years ago; it wasn't done completely, but no human effort ever is 100 per cent successful. To control the radio situation will be simpler, because we can decline to buy the products that are at present actually contributing to the delinquency of our children.

"Forbid the children to use the radio," sounds reasonable advice. But it isn't. For many of these programs are especially designed for children, the products they advertise are to be used by children, and in children's hours of leisure it is only fair that they should be able to look to the radio for entertainment. They might well look to it for much more; they might well be helped and inspired by it. But if that is looking too far ahead, and too hopefully, at least we may insist that



"That delicious five-year-old girl..."

## Women Losing Power Because of Expensive Tastes

The American woman is losing her power over men, and it's her own fault, according to Dr. Lynn T. White Jr., president of Mills College for Women, Oakland, Calif. "Women are very expensive—they want a lot for what they give. The result is that a woman's bargaining power, which means in the long run her self-respect and social status, is today less than it used to be."

## EVIL ON THE AIR

The radio is a great avenue of communication, as everybody knows. It is a marvelous instrument of education, news, entertainment, culture. Unfortunately, it is also a source of evil. Lurid detective story programs are doing extensive harm to the impressionable minds of children. Many recent crimes have been traced directly to incidents dramatized on the air.

A situation similar to the movies, before the Legion of Decency stepped in, has developed on the radio. Vicious criminals are portrayed almost as heroes. Vile deeds are the basis of every plot and the conversation is coarse slang and the tough argot of the underworld. Even though the criminals always end up dead or in jail, the lesson that "crime does not pay" is somehow lost on many young listeners. They hear, too, how stupid the police are, compared to some flashy private detective who solves the case in a jiffy. This sort of education does not make for good citizenship, certainly.

A mother asks Miss Norris what can be done about these crime programs. Miss Norris replies that an organization has been formed to combat this evil. If it can attract enough members, it can change the kind of stories that are being broadcast.

the crime school doesn't open up as soon as the regular school closes and the small receptive minds and souls don't plunge into the underworld for an hour or two every night of their lives.

## Evidence of Damage.

"I'll tell you how he poisoned her," said a seven-year-old boy to me enthusiastically, a few months ago. "She useter take aspirin tablets, see? So he just—"

"And just that one man killed four of them, and the police couldn't get a clue," a demure little girl remarked. "They tied her, and they told her they were going to kill her, and my little sister Joan got crying in the night about it."

Two Portland girls of 12 went into a drugstore last December and tried to buy strychnine. They didn't get it and they didn't want it, but they thought it would be fun to try, and perhaps to have to sign in the druggist's book. A boy of 15 in New Mexico got his mother to lean over the bathtub and look down the drain for something, cracking her over the head when he got her into that position because he had heard of this particular method.

If giving them helpful and constructive and moral thoughts really is good for the rising generation, then supplanting these with a familiarity with the lowest and most dangerous characters and situations imaginable just as truly is bad. It is as if you gave that delicious five-year-old girl her supper of spinach, milk, ginger cookies, and followed it with lobster newburg, cocktails and a dash of cyanide of potassium.

If you're interested write to Mrs. Charles Hartigan, 1063 Thomas Jefferson street, Washington 7, D. C., and ask for information as to what is being done about this danger.

## Why Do Babies Cry?

"When is a cry-baby not a cry-baby?" is a question physicians recently have been studying in Paris, France. Distracted mothers the world over will not be satisfied with their conclusions—that a cry-baby is just naturally a cry-baby.

One specialist decided a possible cause of continual crying was too strict adherence to a rigid schedule of feeding, toilet and sleep, making the child restless. Another thought irregular attention and picking it up whenever it cried, was the cause.

# Gags



## MOPSY by GLADYS PARKER

I'M GOING TO REPORT THIS AUTHOR TO THE POLICE. I'M SURE HE EXECUTED THE WRONG MAN!



## HOME-TOWN ECHOES By G. Kessler



## LAUGHING STOCK By Frank Adams



"Boy—did I tell the water company off!"

## BEATING THE GAME

"Madam, where did you get that?" asked the clerk in a self-service grocery as he stared at a package of shortening atop her basket. "We had shortening yesterday, but it was sold out in a few minutes."

"I know," said the shopper triumphantly. "I was here yesterday, too, but didn't have enough money. So I hid the shortening in the store until today!"

## Time Isn't Money

"Say, old man, can you let me have five?"

"No..."

"... minutes of your time?"

"... trouble at all, Mac."

## REQUIRED READING

When Winston Churchill distributed copies of his speeches to members of Parliament, a liberal representative from Devonshire sent this acknowledgment:

"Dear Mr. Churchill, "Thanks for the copy of your speeches lately delivered in the House of Commons. To quote the late Lord Beaconsfield, 'I shall lose no time in reading them.'"

## Too Tight a Spot

First Burglar—Someone's knocking at the door. What'll we do?

Second—Jump out the window.

First Burglar—But we're on the 13th floor of this hotel!

Second—Listen, brother, this is no time to get superstitious!

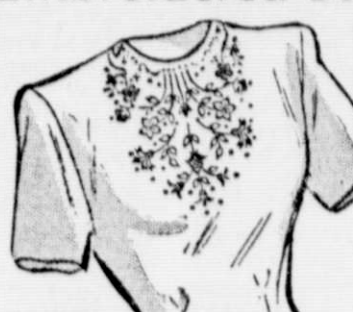
## And No Waiting

"Now, Miss," asked the dentist of the movie usherette, "which tooth is giving you trouble."

"Second from the left in the balcony."

## NEEDLECRAFT PATTERNS

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### Black Death, Greatest of Epidemics, Took 75 Million

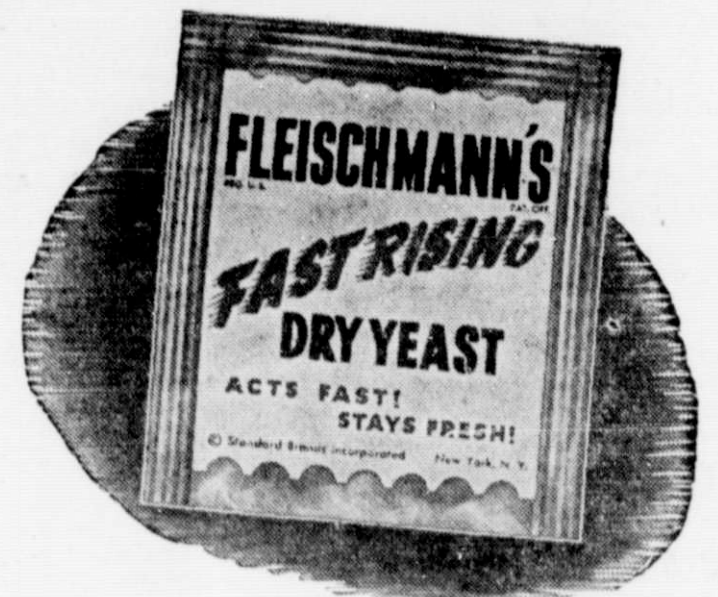
Of the some 250 major epidemics of infectious diseases that have occurred in the past 3,400 years, the greatest was the Black Death, which, between 1333 and 1382, killed 75,000,000 persons in Europe and Asia. The second greatest was the influenza pandemic which swept throughout the world in 1918-1919 and carried off 21,000,000 victims.

## Relieves Child's Cold As He Sleeps



This wonderful special penetrating-stimulating action—brought to you only by Vicks VapoRub—works for hours to relieve distress of colds while the child sleeps. Often by morning most misery of the cold is gone. Try it tonight!

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CHAMPION FARMERS, and farmers generally, are changing to Firestone Champion Ground Grip tires... insisting upon them when they buy new tires... specifying them when they order new tractors.

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There are sound reasons for this superiority. The curved connected traction bars flare outward from the center, and mud falls freely from the wider shoulder openings. The extra high, curved, pyramid-like bars cut into the soil with a cleaving action, and because they are connected, the bars take a powerful "center bite" in the heart of the traction zone. Extra height, Triple-Bracing, and buttressing at the base give the traction bars greater strength... lengthen tire life. The curved connected bars are in continuous contact with the highway, insuring a smooth ride.

Insist upon Firestone Champion Ground Grips when you buy new tires, or order a new tractor. They cost no more than ordinary tractor tires.



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## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

On Wednesday the state was swept by the worst sleet storm in years. It rained all night Tuesday and all day Wednesday, accompanied by a severe electrical storm. Telephone and telegraphic communications were completely cut off. Never before did local citizens witness such a sight as greeted them Wednesday morning. From the corner of Main st. and Fond du Lac ave. south as far as one could see, all telephone poles were broken off by the wires tangled with the electric wires. No vehicles could drive on that street until after noon when a crew of men cleared away the debris. Over 60 telephone poles were broken off between Kewaskum and West Bend, while north as far as Appleton nearly all the poles were down. Nearly all of both the Theresa and East Valley telephone company lines will have to be rebuilt. Telephone and telegraphic communications of the North Western Ry. were almost completely cut off and railroad traffic was at a standstill until Friday. Trees and shrubs were extensively damaged and broken. The sidewalks in the village were impassable Thursday because of the iced tree branches hanging down upon the walks. It is believed that it will take at least three months before all lines will be repaired.

Mrs. C. H. Witt, nee Maria Kleissig, of Fredonia, sister of John Kleissig of this village, died.

Mrs. Louis Brandt, village, committee member of the Pence Ev. church, which is carrying on a campaign to raise money to pay for the installation of electric lights, recently sent a letter to Mrs. Warren Harding at Washington, D. C., telling her of the campaign. Last week Mrs. Brandt received a letter from the first lady, including an autographed White House card with her permission to use it for the benefit of the undertaking.

John Kruezer moved into the former Schroeter residence, Fred Meinecke and family moved to Parton.

### APRIL 1 CLOSING DATE FOR FARMERS TO FILE ACP PLAN

April 1, 1947, is the last date for most farmers to file their farm plan under the 1947 agricultural conservation program, according to Raymond D. Lepien, chairman of the Washington County Triple-A committee.

Only in cases where the farms changed hands or a new operator takes over after March 1 is the closing date extended. The closing date for either of the above situations is 30 days after the change takes place.

Under the agricultural conservation program, the federal government assists the farmers in carrying out the good soil conservation practices needed on the farm by paying a part of the cost of performing the practices. The 1947 farm plan must be filed at the county office by April 1, 1947, if federal assistance is desired even though the practice for which payment is desired will not be completed until fall.

If you haven't completed a 1947 ACP farm plan, visit the triple-A office in West Bend by April 1. The AAA office is located in the Security building at West Bend. At the time of the visit, have in mind the soil conservation practices needed on your farm and which you intend to perform in 1947.

## AUCTION

On the Charles Harter Farm, located 3 miles west of Batavia, 2 miles S. E. of Beechwood

**Monday, Mch. 24**

Commencing at 11:00 a. m.  
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TERMS—1,000 bushels of oats, 20 ton of good mixed hay, 4 ft. silage in 12 ft. silo, 10 ton of straw, 1 1/2 ton N. F. 20-10 fertilizer.

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## WEST BEND HOST TO COUNTY FAIR OFFICIALS OF DISTRICT

About seventy-five county fair secretaries, presidents and other officials will hold a one-day district meeting at West Bend on Friday, March 28. They will meet in the recreation room of the Wisconsin Gas & Electric company.

The purpose of such district meetings, according to E. E. Sk. Iskey, secretary of the Washington county 4-H club fair, is to discuss new state department of agriculture rulings governing county fairs. Poultry shows will be permitted this year as the ban on Newcastle disease has been lifted. State aid has been reduced on horse shows and horse pulling contests. Encouragement is being given to 4-H departments and 4-H fairs over which the Washington county fair is cited as one of the leading fairs in the state.

Delegates from about twenty south-eastern Wisconsin counties are expected to be in attendance.

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT BOWLING

LEAGUE STANDINGS	Won	Lost
National Bank	46	17
Koehn Jewelers	45	18
Kortendick Market	40	23
Foet's	38	25
White House Milk	31	30
St. Michael's Tav. & Groc.	31	30
Schuster's Mart	32	31
Aluminum Co.	31	32
Ward's Music Service	30	33
Lithia Co.	30	33
A. G. Koch, Inc.	29	34
Kewaskum Dairy	28	35
L. Rosenheimer	25	38
Kewaskum Utensil No. 1	22	41
Bar-N Ranch	21	42
Kewaskum Utensil No. 2	15	48

TEN HIGH INDIVIDUALS  
C. Yonker 173-2, J. Hokanson 173-2, R. Hoelz 172-19, R. Hommel 171-41, E. Schmitt 170-52, P. Otto 170-2, P. Best 170-1, J. Van Dorem 167-32, E. Dural 166-15, O. Tank 165-5.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. E. L. Morgenroth and children wish to express their gratitude to those who were of assistance in the recent illness and death of their husband and father. Countless acts of sympathy and kindness were a source of real strength and helpfulness.

Youngsters of junior high and high school age are taking part in a poultry essay contest sponsored this spring by the Wisconsin Poultry Improvement Association.

## Around the Town

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schult of Milwaukee spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reysen at Beechwood.

—Mr. and Mrs. Orval Reysen and son of Beechwood were to Milwaukee Friday where the former had cysts removed from his eye.

—Miss Bernice Fromm, R. 2, West Bend, Mrs. Clara Janssen of Adell and Edward Dettmann of Kewaskum returned Monday evening from a three weeks vacation trip to California and other western states.

### CARD OF THANKS

The recent bereavement which has visited our home, the illness and death of our dear mother and grandmother, Mrs. Adam Roden, has brought to us a greater appreciation of our relatives and friends. Such kindnesses and neighborly thoughtfulness can never be forgotten. Special thanks to Fr. Kastner, organist, choir, drivers, pallbearers, Christian Mothers' sodality, for the floral and spiritual offerings, to the fraternal officer, Miller funeral home, and all who showed respect by calling at the funeral home or attending the funeral.

The Surviving Family  
It looks as if fertilizer supplies will be shorter than usual in northern Wisconsin this spring, reports H. W. Kimm, county agent in Iron County.

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## NEW FANE

Mrs. Wm. Klabin visited Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Henry Fick.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Haack visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. C. Bleck. Mrs. Lester Ehnert and daughter visited Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Kadinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kadinger and family attended a birthday party at Theresa Tuesday evening. Quite a number of neighbors were entertained at a house-warming on Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kadinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Uedem, Wm. Bremser and Mrs. J. Schellinger and daughter visited Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Dworschack and daughter.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

NOTICE—Get your alfalfa seed supply now while we have it on hand. K. A. Honeck Sr., Kewaskum. 3-21-47

FOR SALE—Order now. Save on frozen peaches. Unsweetened 30 lb. cans. See Clarence Blingon, Kewaskum. Phone 93F4. 3-21-2

FOR SALE—Dressed poultry, including dressed and drawn turkeys. Clarence Blingon, Kewaskum. Phone 93F4. 3-21-47

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AUTO BATTERIES—Vardon 2 year guaranteed batteries—11.45 exchange. Gamble dealer, Kewaskum. 2-28-47

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PROTECT CHICKS! Purify their drinking water. Beebe B-CHLORO disinfects and purifies chicks' drinking water—easily and economically. B-CHLORO contains an "indicator" that changes color when water is no longer pure. Use for laying and breeding birds, turkeys and waterfowl of all ages.

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WANTED TO GIVE AWAY—Four 2-months-old pups on the Ervin Hammen farm, Kewaskum. R. 2, 3-21-2

FOR SALE—Good haled hay on the F. Dettmann farm. See Albert Sauer, Beechwood for particulars. 3-21-4p

FOR SALE—Good hay. Inquire at the Al. Theusch tavern, St. Michaels. 3-21-3p

I MUST GET A MAN at once in this community to work with our district manager. Must have car and be over 23 years of age. The work is in line with the program advocated by the Department of Agriculture. Permanent work, good pay for man who has lived on farm. Write lock box 66, c/o the Statesman. It p

FOR SALE—55 lbs. of white clover seed.

FOR SALE—All equipment in blacksmith shop, including electric and acetylene welding machines. Inquire forenoon only.

FOR SALE—60-acre farm; steel stanchions and drinking cups in barn. 7-room house, all electrified. Now vacant. Possession with down payment, \$6600.00. It p

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Any price is too high if it can be reduced. *John McMorris*

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We believe there is nothing more important to this country than to lower the prices of the goods that people buy. The American people have insisted that the government withdraw from its attempts to control prices in peacetime. That places the responsibility where it belongs—in the hands of business and industry. Not all business can reduce prices now. Not all can reduce by the same amount. Our company has felt a duty to act as promptly as possible. In our case, the business outlook now makes it possible to move toward the goal of lower prices. The only way out of the vicious circle of higher and higher prices is to break through.

We have taken this step not because of present competitive conditions nor because of a drop in demand from customers. We have taken it because of our belief that ANY PRICE IS TOO HIGH IF IT CAN BE REDUCED. These reductions, which will save the users of our products approximately \$20,000,000 a year, will become effective before April 1, and will apply to a selected list of tractor, farm machine, motor truck, and industrial power products. Since we lose money on a few of our products, and barely break even on some others, these reductions will not apply to our entire line. Reductions will be made individually on products. Some will be cut more than others. Exact details will be announced as soon as possible.

Our ability to maintain this lower level of prices will depend in part on what happens to the prices and flow of materials that we buy from others. Because we believe price reduction is vital, we are willing to assume the risks that are involved.

Prices had not gone up as much or as fast as many others

Here are Average Price Increases since 1941

All Manufactured Products (U. S. Government Reports)	63.7%
Metals and Metal Products (U. S. Government Reports)	41.2%
Motor Trucks	35%
Industrial Power Products	34%
Farm Machines	25%

These benefits to customers will depend, too, on uninterrupted production at reasonable wage levels. This is not a program that can be carried out if it is hampered by strikes or work stoppages. Our employees have had substantial increases in pay, and wage questions are currently being discussed with many of the unions with which we deal. Stockholders have recently had an increase in dividend rate. Having considered the interests of these two groups, we are now making these price reductions for the benefit of the third group—our customers.

Business, to our way of thinking, has a social as well as an economic responsibility. This company has long followed the policy of operating in the interests of three groups—its customers, its employees and its stockholders. The duty of the management is to see that equal justice is done as between the three groups. This price reduction program is another demonstration of our policy in action.

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**AROUND THE TOWN**

Friday March 21, 1947

—For eye service—see Endlich's—ad.  
—Sunday, March 23, is Passion Sunday.  
—Mrs. Marvin Kleinke spent Monday in Milwaukee.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eberle spent Monday in Milwaukee.  
—Miss Irene Backhaus spent the week end with friends at Barton.  
—Theodore R. Schmidt spent Tuesday and Wednesday at Madison on business.  
—Miss Helen Bunkelmann is employed as a saleslady at the A. G. Koch, Inc. store.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stautz and son visited Mrs. Bertha Stautz at Holtonville Sunday.  
—Miss June Kraft of Fond du Lac spent the week end with the Harvey and Henry Ramthun families.  
—Mrs. Milton Coulter and children of Mayville spent a few days of this week with the Louis Schaefer family.

—John H. Martin spent from Thursday to Saturday in Milwaukee.  
—Mrs. Ben Volm and son Edward of the town of Kewaskum visited Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Theusch Sunday.  
—Louis Heiser Jr., who attended school in Chicago the past couple of weeks, returned to his home last Friday.  
—Miss Louise Martin spent a few days the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Schoenbeck and family at West Bend.  
—Mrs. Minnie Guggisberg of Campbellsport visited Mrs. Dorothy Guggisberg and the John Kleinschays Sunday afternoon.  
—FOR QUALITY HOME FURNISHINGS AT MOST REASONABLE PRICES—VISIT MILLER'S FURNITURE STORES—Advertisement  
—Henry W. Ramthun, who was seriously ill with pneumonia the past week at his home, is somewhat improved. We are happy to announce.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jaeger and daughters spent Monday in Fond du Lac and from there left for Chicago to visit relatives. They returned home Tuesday.

—Mrs. William Martin spent Wednesday in Milwaukee.  
—Jerome Stautz of Mission House college, Franklin, spent the week end at his home.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Anton Berres of Barton were Monday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Theusch.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kral of Milwaukee spent the week end with Mrs. John F. Schaefer.  
—Mrs. Tillie Schaeffer and the Misses Ione and LaVerne Terlinden spent Monday in Fond du Lac.  
—Mrs. Ed. Clement of Chicago spent last week with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Koch.  
—Clara Simon arrived home Wednesday after a four week stay at Wauwatosa and Milwaukee with relatives.  
—Bob Brauchle of Lawrence college, Appleton, spent the week end at the home of his folks, Dr. and Mrs. Leo Brauchle.  
—Miss Edith Martin of Milwaukee and Dave Balhazor of West Bend were Sunday visitors with the George Koerber family.  
—Franklin and Louis Heiser Jr. left Thursday morning by auto for Columbus, Ohio, where they will spend a week with their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Heiser.

—Gerhard Kanies Jr. of Northwestern college, Watertown, spent the week end at home.  
—Miss Inez Stelplflug of Milwaukee spent the week end with her mother and brother here.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Gritzmacher and Mrs. Emma Geidel of West Bend called on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wesenberg and family and Mrs. Jacob Becker Friday evening.  
—Leo Honeck, local livestock dealer, accompanied by Fred Buss Jr., spent from Saturday to Wednesday on a trip to the state of Alabama where the former tracked a load of livestock.  
—The Misses Ione and LaVerne Terlinden, Mary Slesar and Loraine Eberle and Joe Slesar were to Milwaukee Wednesday evening where they attended the home show at the Milwaukee auditorium.  
—Leo Weiler, proprietor of Weiler's Log Cabin ballroom near Port Washington, whose advertisements appear regularly in the Statesman, paid this office a pleasant call on Monday. Mr. Weiler has just returned from a vacation in Florida and the publishers are indebted to him for a fine case of fresh from Florida fruit which he presented to us.

—Mrs. Hattie Mueller of Milwaukee spent the week end with the Walter Melahn and Louis Schaefer families.  
—SEE FIELDS' FURNITURE MART AT WEST BEND BEFORE YOU BUY YOUR FURNITURE, RUGS, 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.  
—Here is an item which came to our desk this past week and which we have been asked to publish in this column: "Yes sir, we turned on the radio at 8:00 in the morning and a few minutes later we heard the voice of Louis Opgenorth. He did a good job and we enjoyed it from start to finish. Louis should have the white collar job instead of running a 180-acre farm."—the Adolph Glass family. (Editor's note—Mr. Opgenorth and two other Washington county farmers were in Chicago recently where they were interviewed by Everett Mitchell, WMAQ farm program director. The interviews were recorded and Mr. Opgenorth's talk was broadcast over WMAQ last Wednesday morning).

**SPECIALS**

for week of March 22-29

SWIRL, The Magic Suds, large box	21c
Sun Maid Seedless Raisins, 15 ounce package	27c
Juneau Early Peas, size 2, two 20 ounce cans	25c
<b>FREE! FREE! FREE!</b>	
Without Extra Charge! A Package of <b>SNO SHEEN CAKE FLOUR</b> when you buy a 50 lb. BAG of <b>Pillsbury's Best 50 LB. BAG Enriched Flour 3.75</b>	
Goldwyn White Cream Corn, two 20 ounce cans	25c
Purity Evaporated Milk, two 14 1/2 ounce cans	25c
Hi-Life Canned Dog Food, with meat and fish, 1 lb. can	12c
Spam, at	43c
Sauerkraut, two 2 1/2 cans	25c
Gingham Girl Peaches, sliced or halves, No. 2 1/2 can	29c
Del Monte Prune Juice, quart bottle	29c
Hilex, gallons	47c
Sweetened Orange Juice, 46 ounce can	25c
Rosalie Coffee, steel cut, vac. packed, 1 lb. jar	39c
Walnuts, in shell, pound	43c
Ritz Crackers, pound	27c
Chase & Sanborn Coffee 1 pound	45c
Chase & Sanborn Coffee 2 pound	89c



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**IGA Grocery Specials**

POST CORN FLAKES, 13 ounce box	13c
QUAKER OATS, 48 ounce box	27c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 14 ounce can, 2 for	19c
BAKER'S COCOA, 8 ounce can	15c
SILVER BUCKLE COFFEE, 1 pound bag	47c
G.F. KIDNEY BEANS, 19 ounce can, 2 for	29c
GOLDEN HILL ORANGE JUICE, 46 ounce tin	25c
CALIFORNIA FRESH DATES, Pound	30c
NO TRICK PAINT CLEANER, 1 1/4 pound box	30c
IGA SALAD DRESSING, Quart jar	59c
FRANK'S SAUERKRAUT, 27 ounce can, 2 for	21c
IGA FANCY ASPARAGUS, 13 ounce can	39c

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# Republican Party Control Shifting

## Taft Swings to Right As GOP Senate Leader

By BAUKHAGE  
News Analyst and Commentator.

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WASHINGTON. — Recently the keen ears of the master politicians on Capitol Hill have been tuned to some strange squeaks and rattles developing in the otherwise smoothly running Republican senate machinery. It is confidently predicted on the Democratic side of the aisle that "Chaufeur" Taft who had pretty easy going in the driver's seat up until the latter part of February will have to jump out and tinker under the hood more than once.



Baukhage

From now on, observers say, there are going to be a lot more orders from the back seat. When the gentleman from Ohio took over after the November elections even the old-timers sat up and took notice of the way he assumed charge. He just shuffled the deck and dealt himself the cards he wanted; chairman of the policy committee; chairman of the labor committee which was going to direct labor legislation on which had been almost the No. 1 issue of the day; chairman of the committee which handles the new economic report. Under the reorganization act, this report must

ride herd on the party vote, delivering it when and where he wished. But, did you ever try to ride a horse or drive a cow with a large sized bumble-bee leaping from forelock to buttock or from cud to rump? Not so easy, and no bumble-bee ever buzzed or stung like the apis presidentia.

Early in January I reminded you of the trouble the presidential he was expected to cause when I quoted Republican National Committeeman Clarence Budington Kelland's remark:

"I don't think you are going to see the matter (Republican candidacy) jell at all until Ohio decides whether it's going to be Taft or Bricker." And it hasn't jelled. Although it was predicted Bricker would bow out, he has refused to bow. Quite the contrary, it is Taft who is bowing—not out, but to the demands of the right wing of the party. (Taft's friends insist Bricker will exit at the right moment.)

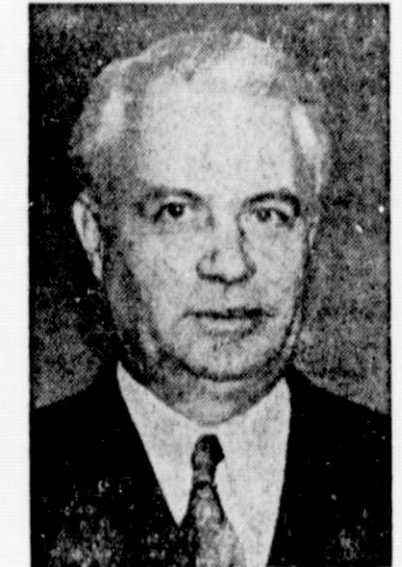
But Taft's first obeisance was made toward the end of the Lillenthal hearings. He announced his opposition to the confirmation of the TVA head and did it with such absence of the famous Taft logic that eyebrows went up all over the place. The reason for departing from the common sense path that his superior intellect usually dictates soon became evident. Simultaneously his control of the party in the senate began to slip.

That was seen in the vote on the budget. In that case Taft took what most people considered the sensible, middle-of-the-road course. The four and a half billion cut rather than the six billion urged by the house.

What happened to force Taft's anti-Lillenthal statement? Well, a certain conservative commentator talked with Taft—criticized what he implied was a dangerous lack of conservatism for a prospective standard-bearer of GOP. Then, a well-known columnist came forth with the story that some of the powerful backers of the Republican party enlisted the support of a number of Republican lawmakers in the anti-Lillenthal movement. They began to whisper that perhaps Bricker would represent sounder, safer, saner views for the presidency. Taft heard the whisper and came out emphatically, if not too convincingly, against Lillenthal.

About that time the Roper poll revealed the percentage of preference for various Republican potential candidates, against Truman. And lo, all the rest, Dewey, Vandenberg, Stassen, Bricker, led Taft.

That doesn't mean that Taft will be best in the hearts of the delegates to the Republican national convention in 1948, but wisecracks are saying it does mean that Taft no longer will call the turn on legislation.



JOHN W. BRICKER  
Dark Horse in Lead

he submitted annually to congress by the President's economic council. With reasonable support from party stalwarts and with these powerful chairmanships in his hands it looked as though the senior senator from the Buckeye state easily could

## Aim To Crack 'Iron Curtain'

If there is much more evidence of the cracking of the so-called "iron curtain," the impression may get about soon that it is a pretty porous protection of the secrets of the Soviets.

Recently I was walking the corridors of the state department with one of its officials. "How long," I asked him, "do you expect the Kremlin to permit you people and the British, with your American and British propaganda magazines and pamphlets and your broadcasts, to poison Ivan and his Tovarishches, with this western poison?"

"Oh," he replied, "they won't stop us."

"Why not?" I inquired. "They can't," was his answer.

British Broadcasting company has been beaming broadcasts on Russia for a year or more. BBC reports that the programs have been well received and that the effort is worth while. The state department began its broadcasts last month. Some of its officials believe that it is worth the millions it will cost to continue them. The first program had few listeners; it was criticized. It is being tailored according to listener comment. There is no way for the Russians to know about the programs, since notice of them, except by announcement over BBC, appears in no Russian paper.

How is it the Russians permit it at all? And even if they don't put out obstacles in the way, will the Russians listen? Are there enough radio sets with short-wave receivers to make up a worth while potential audience?

These are the questions I asked. I'll try to give some of the answers.

As to the Russian attitude, it seems negative. When the British first talked about broadcasting to Russia, a Russian official is reported to have said: "We have tried to cooperate with you. You have your kind of democracy. You believe in freedom of speech. So we have cooperated with you by sending you broadcasts in English from Russia. We have our kind of democracy. We do not believe in freedom of speech. So we hope you will cooperate with

our kind of democracy by NOT broadcasting to us."

If that wasn't actually said, it ought to have been. It is too good to be untrue.

The British did not cooperate. Neither did 11 other countries, including Ecuador, which, along with the United States, are all now beaming their programs on Russia. I don't know about the others, but the British seem to have quite a following and since the Russian people are more interested in America than in any other country, I see no reason why the state department's effort should be quite as successful.

What are the chances? In the first place, radio listening has been developed in Russia. People are encouraged to have sets and they are short-wave sets because short-wave is the communication method used by the Russian government. That's because of the great distance.

How many have sets? When Averell Harriman was there he made an estimate of 75,000 sets. A later estimate put the figure as 75,000 to a million.

## SEEK DIRECT ACTION

# Congress Hears 'Little Business'

WASHINGTON.—As a means of securing action on resolutions approved during their four-day meeting here, delegates to the national conference of American Small Business organizations tramped Capitol corridors to present their views directly to their home-state congressmen.

The 80-odd delegates, some of whom represented "just themselves" while others acted as spokesmen for associations with thousands of members, spoke of diverse difficulties.

An Illinois food machinery manufacturer complained of labor troubles. An Oregon lumberman hoped for a better break from the government on timberland leases. "Big company monopolies" drew the ire of a St. Louis tire dealer, and a



VOICES OF PROTEST? . . . Perhaps the idea of living in the United States doesn't appeal to these English war babies, who put up quite a howl on arrival in New York aboard a transport ship.

## NEWS REVIEW

# Lewis Conviction Upheld; Pact Aimed at Germany

### JUDICIARY:

#### Curb Lewis

The Supreme court decision against John L. Lewis and the United Mine Workers has been regarded as one of the momentous verdicts in American history, definitely establishing the power and dignity of the courts in civil affairs.

By a 7 to 2 ruling, the court cracked down on Lewis' and the UMW's open flaunting of Circuit Judge Goldsborough's order calling for a suspension of the recent soft coal strike to provide additional time for working on an agreement. In his majority opinion, Chief Justice Vinson wrote:

"The interests of orderly government demand respect and compliance be given to orders issued by courts. . . . In our complex society there is a great variety of limited loyalties, but the overriding loyalty of all is to our country and to the institutions under which a particular interest may be pursued. . . ."

To emphasize the gravity of the offense, the court sustained Lewis' fine of \$10,000 and placed the UMW fine at \$700,000.

### EUROPE:

#### Hem in Reich

Even before determination of the future design of Germany, the major powers are proceeding to build a ring of steel around the reich to guard against a revived German state waging a third war of aggression.

The British and French forged the first link with a 50-year alliance,



NO PLACE LIKE HOME! . . . When the Eskimo family of Toby Anugazuk was brought to New York for a sportsman's show, the father fashioned a makeshift igloo for son, Okoyohok, in a snowdrift. The fur-clad, 18-months-old Okoyohok objected vociferously to the housing project.

### MEAT:

#### Consumer Pressure

During the extensive debates over decontrolling meat, arguments flew thick and fast whether strict government control or the law of supply and demand constituted the best method of keeping retail prices within bounds.

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pledging the two countries to go to each other's assistance in the event of an attack by Germany or any other country. At the same time, the two allies agreed to integrate their economies to build an industrial base for war and promote the exchange of goods.

France's declaration that she would offer the same terms to other major powers led to speculation whether the treaty would implement the U. S. proposal for a defensive alliance of the Big Four against the threat of future German resurgence. Thus far, Russia has shied away from the U. S. proposition, but has been dicker with Britain for a mutual aid pact.

Holland and Belgium were expected to act favorably upon the French invitation to consummate a similar defensive and economic pact. On the other hand, Poland and Czechoslovakia were expected to look to Moscow for instructions on negotiating such a treaty.

### CONGRESS:

#### Doom OPA

Len; the whipping boy for public and politician alike, OPA was headed for the discard by June 30 because of congressional limitation of its funds. The office of temporary controls, established last December as the supervisory agency over remaining wartime regulatory bureaus, also was scheduled to go.

With abolition of OPA, it was reported that rent control would be transferred to the department of commerce and sugar control to the department of agriculture. Because of the scarcity of housing and sugar in the face of tremendous demand, legislators continued to favor their regulation to prevent hardship and skyrocketing prices.

While the Republican minority continued to ride herd in the house and threatened to put OPA out of business before June 30 by refusing a deficiency appropriation and chopping nine million dollars from previous appropriations, the senate provided funds for closing out the agency within the next three months. As a result of these differences, the bill was sent to a senate-hour conference for settlement of terms.

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# NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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## FUMBLING, CORRUPTION MARK U. S. GOVERNMENT OF GERMANY

WASHINGTON.—Here is an inside (unofficial) report on Germany, Japan and the American occupations (paraphrased conversationally) from an army man who has studied both sectors. Keep this one for your scrapbooks, because the top men are said to be growing alive to the deplorable situation it presents concerning the occupation of Germany. In line with it, General Marshall may change policy in the Moscow talks for a German treaty, and the army certainly will be induced to make some corrections at least, if it does not overturn its German setup. Here it is:

The occupation of Japan is nearly perfect. This has been accomplished because the Japanese are behind General MacArthur, not only 100 per cent, but (in true Nipponese fashion) about 101 per cent. Industries have been restored and are functioning as well as anyone expected. There are some defects, but Japan is considerably supporting herself.

Far more important, the American soldier in Japan is a model. The officers have no trouble on looting, black markets or even such moral ills. Following the guidance set forth by MacArthur, they are cooperating with the people, and the people with them.

In Germany, the occupation is disgraceful. It is a disgrace to American arms and administration. About 45 per cent of the occupation army, numbering nearly 200,000, are kids, less than 21 years of age. Another 30 or 35 per cent are repeaters, lads who came back to the states, could not get or did not want a job, knew of the conditions of black marketing and looting in Central Europe, and went back.

### NO WORKABLE PLAN

But these kids and men are not to be held responsible for the corruption of the army of occupation. The men in charge should have set down an efficient program from the beginning, as MacArthur did. Their trouble was that after the war they did not know what to do. They had no occupation formula such as MacArthur developed. So they turned for guidance to propaganda from home, and the most vociferous of the public here demanded swift denazification of any and all Germans, retributive punishment and other steps which have kept Germany from supporting herself. Denazification is all right, as a theory. I feel that way myself. But nearly everyone who knew how to run factories and business operations naturally was connected with the Nazi party one way or another, so what we have done is to "debusinessize" Germany in the process. It would have been far better if we had required some Nazis who knew how to do things, to work for us.

However you may look at this angle, our basic defect is that we did not improvise a workable plan for Germany because our commanders had not studied and did not know the German people. (MacArthur's aides had really studied Japan during the war.)

The Russian occupation is worse yet. The Reds came in and took everything they could lay their hands on. They even took silk wall paper off the walls. In the Berlin subway they made off with so much of the machinery that we had to go after them, and get some of it back in order to put the subway in operation. But particularly they took machinery of all kinds. I suppose their idea was to take it back to Russia and operate it, but much of it still is standing out on German sidings.

### THE BETTER METHOD BUREAU

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# Veterans' SERVICE BUREAU

EDITOR'S NOTE: This newspaper through special arrangement with the Washington Bureau of Western Newspaper Union at 1616 Eye Street N. W., Washington, D. C., is able to bring readers this weekly column on problems of the veteran and serviceman and his family. Questions may be addressed to the above Bureau and they will be answered in a subsequent column. No replies can be made direct by mail, but only in the columns which will appear in this newspaper regularly.

### Liberalizes Insurance

President Truman has signed a new law, one of the first passed by the 80th congress, which further liberalizes the national service life insurance act for World War II veterans who have permitted their term insurance policies to lapse.

The new law gives the Veterans' administrator authority to determine the conditions of reinstatement by administrative regulation. Some of the provisions of the new law are:

1—Extends the deadline for reinstatement from February 1, 1947, to August 1, 1947.

2—A veteran may obtain permanent NSLI from VA without the previous necessity of first holding term insurance.

3—Automatic conversion, in certain cases, to a permanent plan for policyholders who are totally disabled. Under the old law, if they failed to convert within the term period their insurance protection lapsed.

4—All NSLI policies provide for a waiver of premiums for veterans who become totally disabled for six or more consecutive months and even though premiums are waived.

(Editor's Note: War department is refusing to supply addresses of men in service except to their immediate family. Due to this ruling, it will be impossible for us to secure addresses except for wives, children, parents, brother or sister of the serviceman.)

### Questions and Answers

Q. My husband and I were married and had two children before World War I, in which he participated. He was wounded in action and gets a pension. Several years ago he obtained a divorce from me and has remarried. I was given a monthly amount which will run out in a short time. I am not able to work. Would I be entitled to a government pension? Where can I get information about this? What I get now is barely enough for necessities as prices are so high.—F. B. Goodland, Kans.

A. The chances are you are not entitled to a government pension and neither would you be entitled to a widow's pension since you are not legally the veteran's wife. The only method by which you might be able to obtain a part of the veteran's pension is by mutual agreement or by some court action. Would suggest that you contact the attorney in the nearest Veterans' administration office, since laws in force in the several states govern largely.

Q. I am writing for information as to whether I can draw anything or not. I am a widow of a war veteran of World War II. We were separated at the time he went into service, although we were never divorced and I am not drawing his insurance. He was killed in action in 1943 and, as I am not able to work, I want to know if I can draw the maintenance for my support.—Widow, Dallas, Tex.

A. Apparently you are still the legal wife of the veteran, not being divorced, and you likely would be entitled to a widow's pension for the death of your husband. Even if divorced, if the divorce was granted because of misconduct of the veteran and not your own misconduct, you likely would be entitled to a pension. I do not believe you could draw any back allotment or gratuity payment, although you might write to the Office of Dependency Benefits, 4200 Goodfellow Blvd., St. Louis 20, Mo. Suggest, however, that you contact your nearest office of Veterans' administration and ask about a widow's pension.

Q. I would like to know who is head of the old age pension of North Carolina. Also how much a person in North Carolina is supposed to draw per month.—M. S. P., Walnut Cove, N. C.

A. Although this question apparently does not pertain to veterans affairs, suggest you contact the County Superintendent of Public Welfare at Winston-Salem for answers to your questions. Each county in North Carolina operates its own old age pension.

Q. When man and wife, both veterans, go to college what is their subsistence allowance under the G.I. bill? So far I have received two different answers to this question and I would like a definite and official one.—L. J. M., Phoenix, Ariz.

A. Here's the official one. Veterans' administration says when both man and wife are qualified veterans taking educational training under the G.I. bill, the man receives \$90 per month and the woman \$65. A new regulation, will provide that where there are children, the woman also will receive \$90.

Q. I have a neighbor whose son served in World War II. Soon after receiving his honorable discharge he had a nervous breakdown and is a patient in Winters General hospital at Topeka, Kas. He has his mother's only support and she is in need of financial help as her health is not a bit good. Can you advise us?—Mrs. I. G. R., Peru, Kas.

A. I take it that the veteran in question is not drawing a disability pension. If he is not, then application should be made to officials of the VA at the hospital for a disability rating.

**Chicken Liver Omelets**  
Make chicken liver omelets to vary your menu. Sauté chopped chicken livers in fat or salad oil, season to taste with salt, pepper and Worcestershire sauce, then place over the omelet just before serving.

**Baby Blankets**  
You can make four baby blankets from one regular size blanket. Cut the blanket into quarters and bind with ribbon or blanket binding. This plan gives enough baby blankets for frequent laundings.

**Sap Lambs**  
Lambs infested with stomach worms, scab mites and ticks are sapped of their energy and will not make the best use of their feed until they are cured of the parasites.

**Bright Glassware**  
To keep glassware bright, wipe as soon as pieces are removed from sink and rinsed in hot water. Tumblers that contained milk should be rinsed in cold water before washing.

**Clean Fixtures**  
Metal fixtures such as door knobs, door hinges, metal racks, and radiators can be cleaned easily with a stiff brush and hot soapy water. Dry with a clean cloth.

**Developed Motors**  
In 1884, Frank J. Sprague, pioneer in the industrial development of electric motors and electric railways, exhibited his first direct current motor.

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To remove rust from refrigerator shelves, clean them first with a mild scouring powder and hot water, then cover them with a thin coating of paraffin.

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**City of Gardens**  
Lisbon, city of gardens and parks, enjoys spring-like climate all the year. Its temperature averages about 50 in the winter.

**Sizing Kiddies**  
Children's clothing should be sized according to height and hip circumference rather than by age.

**Test New Grasses**  
About 20 potential new species of range forage grasses are under test at University of California.

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## BARBS . . . by Baukhage

The British have a right to resent America's back-seat driving on Palestine—at least until we step in and offer to help change tires.

With pork prices soaring Lewis Carroll made more sense than nonsense when he wondered why the sea was boiling hot and whether pigs have wings.

March weather is uncomfortable. Too hot for galoshes; too wet without them.

Apologies to my listener in Hope, Ark., who claimed I put a rat in apparatus instead of a ray in apparatus. Tomatoes, tomatoes, tomatoes—that's what you get for moving around.

Churchill Had Pressure Chamber for High Altitudes

The only personal air-pressure chamber known is that built for Winston Churchill in 1944 to enable him to take plane trips at high altitudes where he had been forbidden to fly by his physicians.

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LAST LOVER

BY Helen Topping Miller

Jill McFarlane, whose father, Richard, disappeared in World War I, is in love with Lieut. Spang Gordon.

Richard returns, telling her mother, Julia, that he is now Captain Mackey. He sees Ric at camp and later threatens Sandra, but the two marry anyway.

and her grandfather, John I., try to make things so uncomfortable for the woman that she will not stay. She starts Julia by recognizing the picture of Richard in Jill's room as that of Captain Mackey as a young man.

CHAPTER XVII

"I haven't even dared let myself think since Ric's letter came. And there's another danger, Dave. This woman knows Richard. She knew him in Hawaii. He telephoned last night. He told me that he had tried to prevent this marriage by having Ric sent away, but that they were too quick for him."

"So Ric knows about his father?" "No, Ric doesn't know. Richard didn't tell him. And Jill doesn't know."

"They'll have to know, Dooley. Surely you can see now that your only protection is the truth?" "Dave, I can't tell them! I can't make myself do it!"

"But Richard is alive! You have a living personality to deal with now, not a shadow, not a memory. I think you're taking an awful chance, Dooley, risking a shock to Jill much worse than the truth would be. I think you're dead wrong."

"Maybe I am," she sighed. "Maybe I'm a quixotic and sentimental fool. It's like some great, dark, sinister structure, Dave. It's a secret tower, full of hidden passages and galleys and torture chambers and moaning dungeons. I've built it, all these years, and somehow I knew all the time I was building it that all the foundation was putting under it was false, and that some day it would crumble. I don't know how I knew—it was just a feeling in my heart. Something that never let me rest, never let me be content. And I know now that the whole false mass of it ought to come down, and yet I dread the crashing and the dust and the confusion, I dread pulling out the first stone!"

"Somebody else may pull out that first stone, Dooley, and bring the whole thing down your head."

"I know that, too. It doesn't matter what happens to me, Dave. That doesn't matter at all. But I do want to protect Jill."

Dave steered carefully through the thin traffic on the edge of the town.

"To my mind, the best protection Jill can have is the truth. But I'm not going to argue with you. It's your own problem, you've had the misery of it all these years, you've got the anxiety of it now. You may be able to count on Richard to keep his identity concealed. It's to his own interest, of course. It would be definitely awkward for him if the War Department got wind of it. There are always a few blackbirds in every army, but if they're found out it doesn't go well with them."

"What is a blackbird?" "A man who gets discharged from a military unit for some reason, or who deserts or leaves his command without complying with regulations and then enlists somewhere else under an assumed name. That's the spot Richard is in, right now, and he's probably more acutely aware of it than even you are. I doubt if he'll start anything. He was taking a risk, even to let you know that he was alive. But if this woman knows anything about it, that's another angle and a bad one."

"She saw Richard's picture in Jill's room and identified it instantly as the picture of Roger Mackey. She could see her mind working. She's a type I've never met before, Dave. I don't know exactly how to deal with her."

"Why on earth did Ric send her to you, anyway?" "Because he didn't know what else to do with her. He was shipped out suddenly—Richard did that—and I suppose she had no money. There's nothing at all to do, Dave, but wait. And now Jill is threatening to go to Washington and get a job there if Sandra stays at Buzzard's Hill."

Failed in Her Duty to Ric "Jill won't do that. She won't desert you, she's loyal to you."

"Here's the movie, I suppose we should go in. Julia's voice never met weary. "Go in and look at imitation tragedy and forget our own. The sickening thing for me, Dave, is the realization that I must be a very weak person. No strong woman could have muddled up one life as I have muddled mine."

"What did you have to do with it?" Dave demanded, a little angrily. "Did you create any of these circumstances, by any act of your own? You've taken what came with courage and made the best of it. I won't have you blaming yourself."

"But I must be to blame for Ric. A mother has to be to blame, Dave. Your child is given to you—clean, plastic clay, nothing carved upon the surface at all, all new and untried, to make of it what you will. I haven't even a father's influence for an alibi with Ric. I failed some how to put strength into his spirit, to make him wise enough to judge values, to give him the courage to reject everything that wasn't good and fine. It isn't pleasant to know that you've failed with your only son."

"You're all wrong, Dooley. Any psychologist would tell you how wrong you are. You aren't given a child like a sheet of white paper with nothing at all written upon it. What is born to you is a record, the long scroll scribbled all over with the story of generations of McFarlanes, their weaknesses, their meannesses, their nobility, traits over which you have no control whatever."

"I did have the control of direction. I could have put power behind

the weakness and eliminated the meanness and built up what was good, but I didn't. I couldn't somehow ever get near to Ric, Dave. I could only give him love, and he accepted that, but always with that faint tinge of condescension. I suppose it was because he had no father. There was a maleness in Ric that only a father could have touched. I was always less a parent to him than just another woman. By the time he was seven he was treating me with the same sort of casual indulgence that Richard used to have for me. He told me the truth when it suited him, and when he felt the urge to deceive me, it never bothered him for a minute. John I. tried to help, but he hindered, too. He was too stern one day, and then too fond and foolish the next. The generations can't meet, Dave. There isn't any plane for them to stand upon. They have to look up or down, and always the vision is distorted."

"You gave your children two parents, Dooley. Don't forget that."

"Jill said that the other day. And I was always aware of it, with Ric. He has that charm that Richard has, that trick of getting what he wants, of being untouched by the disapproval of other people, a kind of veneer that kept him apart, so that he was himself, complete and just a little arrogant, entirely pleased with himself and slightly amused by all the rest of the world. There's a deadly kind of fascination about it. It makes you want to break through and make the person who owns it aware of you. Even when I was so furious at Rich-

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Did she believe that when the war was over, Buzzard's Hill would belong to Ric, and that the others would be brushed off casually, that she would step into the comfort and security that Dooley had worked so hard for years to win for them all? "I'd kill her first!" Jill thought angrily. "I'd strangle her with my bare hands!"

She kicked off the beige pajamas, and got into the tub and lay there, soaking in the comforting hot water, letting her mind drift off blankly. The radio was playing in Ric's room, some jive thing. Sandra had come up as soon as Dave went away, bored with Jill and drowsy old John I., giving them only the curties of good nights.

Overhead Jill heard a plane flying, slowly, circling over the town. The beat of the motors was low and near, and she sprang out of the tub and wrapped herself in a towel and crouched at the window to glimpse the skimming lights, the shadow of fleet wings against the purple night sky. That was Spang's plane, she knew. Spang's "wild blue yonder," the hollow, secret, endless roadway that Spang was traveling so happily now.

Akwarily she scrubbed herself dry, wriggled into a night gown, slipping her arm back into the sling, aware of Sandra, standing in the door, watching her.

"Funny thing," Jill was thinking as she looked at the reflection of Sandra in the mirror, "no matter how much she dresses up you always feel that somehow she isn't quite clean." Aloud she said, "Hello, Sandra. What's on your mind? Is your room all right?"

Sandra came into the room, perched on the end of the chaise longue, draping all the flounces gracefully about her legs.

"It's all right," she said, grudgingly, "but awfully lonely! You don't know about missing a man so much it makes you ill, Jill. You couldn't."

"Oh, couldn't I?" Jill thought, angrily. But she kept her voice casual and her face controlled, as she went on brushing. "It is sort of tough to have your bridegroom snatched away from you, isn't it? But you must have known that something like that would happen. You'd been married to a soldier before."

Sandra's teeth clicked. "It needn't have happened. It was all done for spite by an officer who hates me. He contrived to have Ricky sent away. We had forty-eight hours! Forty-eight hours of each other, and then there I was—alone!"

"But of course you were more or less used to being alone. The adjustment wasn't quite as difficult as though you'd been with Ric for months or maybe years."

"You don't know anything about love," Sandra remarked. "You don't know what torture it was, seeing him go! All I could do was stand there at that gate and watch him trudging away, looking back to wave at me. . . . She began to cry, carefully dabbing away every tear, her mouth twitching.

"You may have changed Richard's direction, but you didn't destroy him."

ard Sunday night when he came back, I was feeling that irritation, the impelling to crash through that shell of his, get past that mocking smile, find some vulnerable spot, some place where he could be hurt. Ric's like that, too. Suave and charming, and entirely remote. But I should have done something about that when he was small."

"That very aloofness may save Ric, Dooley," Dave reminded her. "If I'm any judge of human nature this woman he has married won't like it. She'll want to absorb every thought and feeling Ric has, she'll eat him alive the way some spiders devour their mates. Her very lack of reticence and reserve will repel Ric, if it hasn't done that already. She dragged him into this marriage, by some female trick, of course, and a few weeks away from her will cool him down. Very likely he's wondering right now what he saw in her, and how he's going to get out of the mess he's in."

"I think," Julia said, opening the door and gathering up her purse and gloves, "that the McFarlane at all. There's an atavistic thing in them, a strutting sort of insolence that goes back to plumes and sabers and knights riding alone. The woman who innocently lures a McFarlane man into marriage destroys him. I destroyed Richard, and Sandra will wreck Ric."

Sandra Puts On an Act "More fantastic nonsense!" growled Dave, getting out his wallet before the lighted ticket window. "You may have changed Richard's direction, but you didn't destroy him. What was in him would have worked the same destruction anyway. Well, let's see what sort of pale imitation of the real thing Hollywood has to offer."

Jill dragged her feet upstairs wearily. She had worked hard that day, tiring herself to exhaustion, forcing her young body, handicapped by the broken arm, to tasks that she had never known before, because the need was so great now that the man-power shortage had moved in on Buzzard's Hill, and because when every bone and muscle screamed with weariness, she could sleep, she would be too tired to think.

In one day life in the old house

had abruptly stiffened to this horrible, watchful formality. Why had Sandra come to Buzzard's Hill? She must have hated coming, being pushed off in a state of dependence, among strangers, yet up there, and undoubtedly, Jill decided, Sandra was a resourceful creature. As Spang had said, she knew all the answers. She could have got along, somehow.

Did she believe that when the war was over, Buzzard's Hill would belong to Ric, and that the others would be brushed off casually, that she would step into the comfort and security that Dooley had worked so hard for years to win for them all? "I'd kill her first!" Jill thought angrily. "I'd strangle her with my bare hands!"

She kicked off the beige pajamas, and got into the tub and lay there, soaking in the comforting hot water, letting her mind drift off blankly. The radio was playing in Ric's room, some jive thing. Sandra had come up as soon as Dave went away, bored with Jill and drowsy old John I., giving them only the curties of good nights.

Overhead Jill heard a plane flying, slowly, circling over the town. The beat of the motors was low and near, and she sprang out of the tub and wrapped herself in a towel and crouched at the window to glimpse the skimming lights, the shadow of fleet wings against the purple night sky. That was Spang's plane, she knew. Spang's "wild blue yonder," the hollow, secret, endless roadway that Spang was traveling so happily now.

Akwarily she scrubbed herself dry, wriggled into a night gown, slipping her arm back into the sling, aware of Sandra, standing in the door, watching her.

"Funny thing," Jill was thinking as she looked at the reflection of Sandra in the mirror, "no matter how much she dresses up you always feel that somehow she isn't quite clean." Aloud she said, "Hello, Sandra. What's on your mind? Is your room all right?"

Sandra came into the room, perched on the end of the chaise longue, draping all the flounces gracefully about her legs.

"It's all right," she said, grudgingly, "but awfully lonely! You don't know about missing a man so much it makes you ill, Jill. You couldn't."

"Oh, couldn't I?" Jill thought, angrily. But she kept her voice casual and her face controlled, as she went on brushing. "It is sort of tough to have your bridegroom snatched away from you, isn't it? But you must have known that something like that would happen. You'd been married to a soldier before."

Sandra's teeth clicked. "It needn't have happened. It was all done for spite by an officer who hates me. He contrived to have Ricky sent away. We had forty-eight hours! Forty-eight hours of each other, and then there I was—alone!"

"But of course you were more or less used to being alone. The adjustment wasn't quite as difficult as though you'd been with Ric for months or maybe years."

"You don't know anything about love," Sandra remarked. "You don't know what torture it was, seeing him go! All I could do was stand there at that gate and watch him trudging away, looking back to wave at me. . . . She began to cry, carefully dabbing away every tear, her mouth twitching.

"You may have changed Richard's direction, but you didn't destroy him."

ard Sunday night when he came back, I was feeling that irritation, the impelling to crash through that shell of his, get past that mocking smile, find some vulnerable spot, some place where he could be hurt. Ric's like that, too. Suave and charming, and entirely remote. But I should have done something about that when he was small."

"That very aloofness may save Ric, Dooley," Dave reminded her. "If I'm any judge of human nature this woman he has married won't like it. She'll want to absorb every thought and feeling Ric has, she'll eat him alive the way some spiders devour their mates. Her very lack of reticence and reserve will repel Ric, if it hasn't done that already. She dragged him into this marriage, by some female trick, of course, and a few weeks away from her will cool him down. Very likely he's wondering right now what he saw in her, and how he's going to get out of the mess he's in."

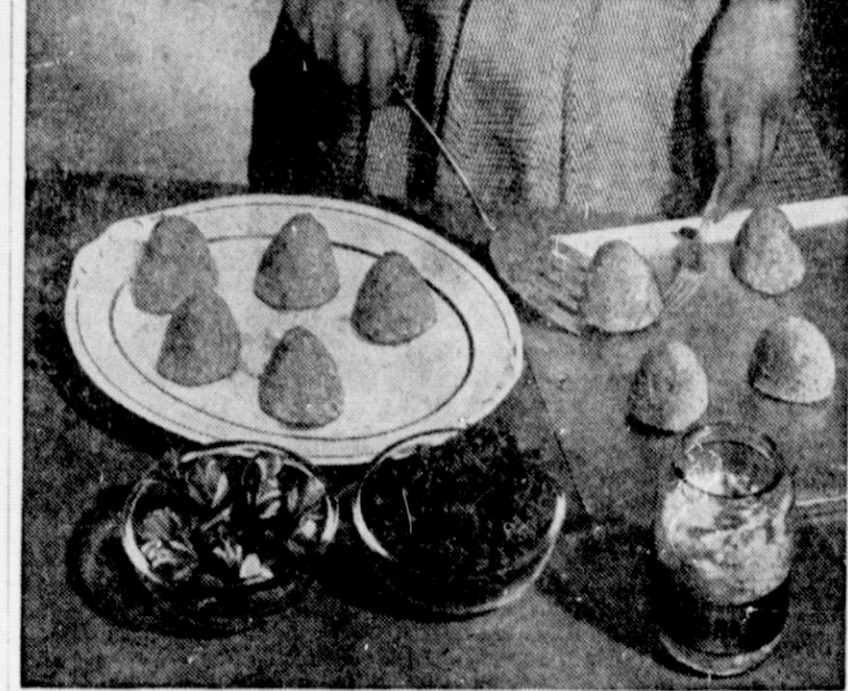
"I think," Julia said, opening the door and gathering up her purse and gloves, "that the McFarlane at all. There's an atavistic thing in them, a strutting sort of insolence that goes back to plumes and sabers and knights riding alone. The woman who innocently lures a McFarlane man into marriage destroys him. I destroyed Richard, and Sandra will wreck Ric."

Sandra Puts On an Act "More fantastic nonsense!" growled Dave, getting out his wallet before the lighted ticket window. "You may have changed Richard's direction, but you didn't destroy him. What was in him would have worked the same destruction anyway. Well, let's see what sort of pale imitation of the real thing Hollywood has to offer."

Jill dragged her feet upstairs wearily. She had worked hard that day, tiring herself to exhaustion, forcing her young body, handicapped by the broken arm, to tasks that she had never known before, because the need was so great now that the man-power shortage had moved in on Buzzard's Hill, and because when every bone and muscle screamed with weariness, she could sleep, she would be too tired to think.

In one day life in the old house

HOUSEHOLD MEMOS by Lynn Chambers



Glamorize Vegetable Dishes (See recipes below)

Interesting Vegetables

I sometimes think when I look at vegetables come to the table looking drab and colorless how futile it seems for them to have color and freshness in their fresh state if they are so mutilated by cooking. Look at their glorious greens and yellows at the market or in the gardens, and think how wonderful it would be to have at least a reasonable facsimile at the dinner table!

The secret is in their care and preparation. Wash and refrigerate them upon arrival in the kitchen. Then, do take care when you cook them. . . . prepare just to doneness and you will save their crispness and color, and, of course, their nutritive values.

Using interesting methods of preparation to bring out their fullest delicate flavors. Make them into croquettes, toss them into a casserole or a salad, but do keep them looking like vegetables! Your own pleasure and that of your family will well repay your efforts.

\*Baked Vegetable-Nut Croquettes. (Serves 6) 1 1/2 cups canned corn 2 cups seasoned mashed potatoes 2 tablespoons melted fat 1 teaspoon chopped parsley 1/2 teaspoon salt 1/2 teaspoon pepper Dash of cayenne 1 egg, slightly beaten 2 tablespoons cold water 1 cup bread crumbs

Drain corn, combine with potatoes, melted fat, onion, parsley, seasoned and nutmeats. Divide mixture into uniform portions and shape into croquettes by molding into a pyramid shape with hands. Dip each croquette lightly into crumbs, then into egg which has been mixed with water, then again in crumbs. Place in a well greased baking sheet and bake in a moderate (375-degree) oven for 30 minutes or until lightly browned.

Snap Beans and Bacon. (Serves 5) 1 quart can or 1 1/2 pounds of fresh snap beans 2 medium sized potatoes, diced 1/4 pound bacon, diced 1/4 cup chopped onion 3/4 cup water 1 1/2 teaspoons salt 1/2 teaspoon pepper

Brown the bacon, add the onion and let onion brown slightly. Add to other ingredients. Bring to a boil, then cook over low heat, fresh beans 25 minutes or long enough to heat canned beans.

Creamed Corn with Green Peppers. (Serves 5) 2 tablespoons butter or substitute 2 tablespoons flour 1 cup milk 1 teaspoon salt 1/2 teaspoon pepper 1 teaspoon sugar 1 egg, well beaten 1/2 cup chopped green pepper 2 cups corn kernels, canned or frozen

Melt butter, add flour and blend

Tossed Spring Salad. (Serves 6) 1 head lettuce 5 radishes, sliced 1/2 cucumber, sliced 2 tablespoons diced onion 1/2 bunch watercress, if desired Salt 1/4 to 1/2 cup french dressing Break lettuce into bite-sized pieces. Toss with remaining ingredients.

Apple and Lettuce Salad. 3 apples, peeled and diced 3/4 cup chopped nuts 2 tablespoons lemon juice 1/2 cup mayonnaise Lettuce

Combine apples, lemon juice and nuts. Toss with dressing and serve on leaves of lettuce.

Cranberry and Celery Salad. 1 pkg. lime flavored gelatin 2 cups boiling water 1 cup finely diced celery 1 can cranberry sauce

Dissolve gelatin in boiling water; cool. Slice cranberry sauce into 1/4 inch thick slices and cut into rounds with a cookie cutter. Arrange rounds in bottom of shallow pan. When gelatin begins to congeal, add celery and pour over cranberry rounds. When firm, cut into squares so that the round is centered in each square of gelatin. Serve on lettuce.

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LYNN SAYS: Taste-Tested Ideas Are Good for Morale

Want a good filling for layer cake? Whip a cup of heavy cream, blend in two-thirds cup of light brown sugar and one teaspoon vanilla.

Next time you make gingerbread, try it with a lemon icing made with grated rind, juice, powdered sugar and a bit of butter.

To serve with ham: Fill halves of cooked pears with peanut butter and broil.

Glaze baked ham with apple sauce which has been made with brown sugar and cinnamon.

Rice pudding takes on a note of glamor if it's topped with marshmallows and tangerine sections about 10 minutes before it comes out of the oven.

Dandelion greens are good boiled with ham hock or salt pork. Or, combine them with onions for a salad.

Make a luncheon complete by serving scrambled eggs with bacon on toast points; don't forget asparagus tips.

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**DUNDEE**

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Shea have moved to their new home at Long lake.

Frank Jakel of Sheboygan spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Grandlie.

Lloyd Murphy spent the week end with his wife and other relatives in Milwaukee.

John Krueger of Campbellsport visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Amelia Krueger.

Walter Lakoski of La Crosse spent from Friday until Tuesday with his wife at Long lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Strohschein of Minnesota visited the past week with Rev. and Mrs. Walter Strohschein.

Miss Anna Dins of Fond du Lac visited the past week with Mrs. Clara Dins and Mrs. Leo Rosenbaum.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gardner and family of Fond du Lac visited Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. George Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Louise Mielke visited on Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kishlinger in Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Koelsch and family from Milwaukee spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lakoski.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Borchert, who visited with relatives since Jan. 15th in California, returned home Monday.

George Mueller and son Anton of Chicago spent the week end at the latter's farm and summer home at Long lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lawrence of Bridgman, Mich. spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berndt.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Grandlie spent Monday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Grandie in Sheboygan.

The Misses Carol and Corrine Strohschein who are attending school in Fond du Lac spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. Walter Lakoski spent several days last week with relatives in Milwaukee and also attended the funeral of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gueck and family and Frank Jakel of Sheboygan spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Grandlie.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grandie Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Rudolph of Sheboygan visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Grandlie.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Strohschein and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Al. Strohschein of Minnesota, spent Monday in Milwaukee.

Louis and Arthur Mielke and families spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mielke and Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Mielke at Port Washington.

Arlene Mielke and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wichter and daughters, Inge and Iria, of Milwaukee visited the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Louise Mielke.

Ernest Haegler, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Gerhard Haegler of Sheboygan, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Haegler and Mr. and Mrs. Mike

**Wesley in Milwaukee.**

The Young Peoples society of the Trinity Lutheran church had their monthly meeting at the church basement Friday evening. After a social hour lunch was served.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Gasper was baptized Sunday at the Dundee Trinity Lutheran church by the Rev. Walter Strohschein and received the name Gene Carl.

Mrs. Emma Heider, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Roschl, Mr. and Mrs. Louise Hamman, Mr. and Mrs. Meirvin Hamman, Mrs. Bertha Ebert and son Lenard spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Page in honor of the former's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowen entertained the following for dinner and supper at their home Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bowen and family, Dr. and Mrs. Alex Ullrich and children of Plymouth, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Bowen and son Thomas from here.

**MRS. CLARA BENSON BECOMES BRIDE OF FRANK BERNDT**

Mrs. Clara Benson, Long lake, and Frank Berndt of Bridgman, Michigan, were married Monday, March 19th, at 5:30 p. m. at the Dundee Trinity Lutheran church by the Rev. Walter Strohschein. After which a wedding dinner was served to twenty invited guests at Bauer's Hotel at Campbellsport. The bride wore a light blue dress with matching hat and a corsage of American Beauty red roses. The bride's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lawrence of Bridgman, Michigan, were the attendants. Mrs. Lawrence, who attended as matron of honor, wore a gray suit with pink accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. Mr. Lawrence attended as best man. Mr. Berndt and his bride will reside at the bride's home at Long lake, Dundee, Wis.

**Elm Grove Center**

Floyd Weed visited relatives at Cudahy on Sunday.

Donald Galaghan was a Fond du Lac caller Saturday.

George Buchner was a Kewaskum caller Saturday.

Raymond Arndt and brother Leon were Milwaukee callers on Friday.

Edward Johnson and Ford Lapinski were Kewaskum callers Thursday.

Mrs. George Buchner spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Henry Guell.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Guell and Mr. and Mrs. John Miller autographed to Appleton Monday afternoon.

Barbara Commins spent a week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Majoris in South Eden.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Ditter entertained relatives on Sunday, it being the former's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Ditter spent Tuesday evening at Plymouth.

Miss Eleanor Mitchell of Milwaukee spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Bessie Mitchell and family.

Dale Swetteger and sons Carl and

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Capt. A. L. Prosser, group commander, New London Group, Atlantic Reserve Fleet, congratulates Harry A. Jeske (left) chief motor machinist's mate, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Erich F. Jeske of Kewaskum, after presenting him a letter of commendation with ribbon.

Jimmy Swetteger of Oshkosh spent Saturday at the Henry Guell home.

Bernard, Herbert, Jackie and Margaret Dins of Armstrong spent Monday with their aunt, Mrs. Ferd. Lapinski.

Miss Rose Mary Scannell, teacher of Mitchell school, entertained the parents of the pupils at moving pictures at the school Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell and daughter and Mrs. Bessie Mitchell spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seller near Ashford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Ditter, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Guell, Mr. and Mrs. George Buehner and son Kenneth, Roland Commins, Edward Johnson and Bobbie Guell attended the International Harvester company's program held at the Campo theatre on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Buchner attended services at St. Peter's Lutheran church at Fond du Lac Sunday morning at 10:30. They were sponsors for Karen Swann Newton, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Newton of 73 Seventh street, Fond du Lac. They entertained relatives at dinner at their home, Rev. Gerhardt Pieper was the pastor.

**ST. KILIAN**

Francis Schrauth visited with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bonlander visited last week one day at Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Batzler were on business in Milwaukee on Sunday.

Miss Verna Strobel returned home after making an indefinite stay at Beaver Dam.

Alois Zehren returned home from service after receiving his honorable discharge.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Beisler and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Beisler visited in Milwaukee last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Batzler entertained relatives on Saturday evening in honor of the latter's birthday.

Roland Flasch returned home from Medford after spending several days with his sister, Mrs. Leo Zenner.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Beisler attended the Wisconsin Dairymen's association banquet on Monday evening at the Hotel Itelaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Melzer and son Joey and Mrs. Mary Melzer visited last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. John Weninger of Lomira.

Claude and Carrol Straub, Joe Salay and Bill Schwartzburg, all of Milwaukee, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Straub last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob. McPhillough entertained a number of relatives and

friends in honor of Mrs. Al. Flasch's birthday. Cards were played and lunch was served.

The homemakers had their last card party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al. Flasch, honors going to Mrs. Hugo Straub, Mrs. Verona Felix, Ferdinand Wellend and John Felix. Lunch was served. Arrangements were made to

have their spring business meeting on April 10 and to have Miss Luise demonstrate wall finishes and papering at the home of Mrs. John Felix.

—Ralph A. Hoffmann and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ryan of Milwaukee visited with their mother, Mrs. Aug. C. Hoffmann on Sunday.

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