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The load becomes light which is cheerfully borne. —Ovid

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A healthful hunger for a great idea is the beauty and blessedness of life. —Ingelow

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COLLEGEVILLE, PA., THURSDAY, AUGUST 19, 1943

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## About People You Know in Collegeville

### Grabers Enjoy Family Dinner

Mr and Mrs Ernest O. Graber, of Detroit, Michigan, are spending two weeks with his parents, Mr and Mrs H. W. Graber. Mr Graber is central regional sales manager of United Motors Service, a division of General Motors Corp.

The Grabers gathered together at a family dinner on Sunday. It was in honor of their guests from Detroit as well as in celebration of the birthday of another son, Homer, of Chester, Pa. Those present were Mr and Mrs H. W. Graber, A. Frieda Graber, Mr and Mrs H. Ralph Graber and daughter Doris, and Carl Kuhn, all of Collegeville; Mr and Mrs J. Homer Graber and daughters Jean and Ruth, of Chester, Pa.; Mr and Mrs Ernest O. Graber, of Detroit, Mich.; Jean Horne, of Chestertown, Md., and William Simpkins, of Bridgeton, N. J., a Naval student at Ursinus College.

### Home on Furlough

First Lt. Leon Godshall arrived Wednesday to spend a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr and Mrs Morvin Godshall. Lt Godshall is stationed at March Field, Calif.

Lt Albert Zvarick, instructor at Edgewood Arsenal, Md., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr and Mrs Harry Zvarick, Eighth Avenue.

### Attended Legion Convention

William F. Xander, chief clerk of Montgomery County Draft Board 8, was in Wilkes-Barre for three days last week for the American Legion convention.

Mr and Mrs Albert Wanner, of Coatesville, spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs Clarence Wanner and family.

Mrs Linwood Yost returned Saturday from a week's visit with her sister, Mrs Alvin Whitlock, who is summering at Ocean City, N. J.

Marilyn and Patricia Jones left Monday to spend the week with their grandparents, Mr and Mrs Frank Bechtel, of Phoenixville.

Mr and Mrs Norman Jones, of Philadelphia, were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Ralph Jones, Third Avenue. On Monday evening, Mrs Jones was hostess to a bridge club composed of ladies from Trappe and Collegeville.

After enjoying a 10-day furlough, Corp. Howard Schultze, of the Flagg apartments, returned to Camp Cambell, Ky., on Saturday.

The monthly meeting of Trinity Girls Class was held on Friday evening at the home of Mrs Thelma Cook with Mrs Beth Wilcox as co-hostess.

Corp. Walter Ettinger returned Sunday to Camp Ord, California, after spending a week of his 15-day furlough with Mrs Ettinger's parents, Mr and Mrs Robert W. Silknitter. Mrs Ettinger, who had spent three months near her husband's camp in California, returned home with him and will remain as the guest of her parents.

Mrs Edward B. McFadden, of Philadelphia, was a luncheon guest on Thursday of Miss Amy A. Ball.

Mr and Mrs David Fairweather and daughter Ruth, also Mr and Mrs Thomas Stanley, all of Lansdowne, were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Harry Cassel.

Mr and Mrs Charles Hessler spent several days last week vacationing in Cape May, N. J. Mr Hessler, former proprietor of Hessler's Market here, has been inducted into the Navy and will leave for active service next week.

Carl Retzstadt, U. S. Navy, who completed his boot training at the Sampson Training school in New York recently, returned on Tuesday to active duty after spending a week's leave with his wife here.

## NEWS FROM THE R. D. ROUTES

Mr and Mrs H. Steinbright, of Arcadia Farms, had as their house guests Mr and Mrs E. Buck, of Philadelphia.

Mrs John A. Gehret and children, of Collegeville R. D. 1, have just returned from a three-week vacation spent in Philadelphia. They will leave Thursday to spend the next two weeks in New York.

## SCOUTS RETURN TODAY

About half a dozen of the Collegeville Boy Scouts will return today from a four-day camping trip to Mill Hill, near Pennsburg. The boys left on Monday morning at 7 o'clock by bicycle for the camping spot. They were accompanied by scout leader William J. Grove, Trappe attorney.

## Agnes Sommers Is Married Tuesday

Local Girl Becomes Bride of Philadelphian at Pretty Ceremony at Trinity Church, Here

A Summer wedding of local interest was solemnized on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Trinity Reformed and Evangelical Church, Collegeville, when Miss Agnes Sommers, daughter of Mr and Mrs Arthur R. Sommers, of 445 Main Street, Collegeville, became the bride of Mr Benjamin Ford, Jr., son of Mrs Benjamin Ford, of 2907 Judson Street, Philadelphia. Dr John Lentz, the pastor, conducted the ceremony.

The bride was dressed in a pretty wedding gown of satin with lace trim and made with a long tulle veil. She carried roses and baby's breath. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Attending Miss Sommers was her sister, Mrs Theodore Long. Dr Theodore Long served Mr Ford as best man. Ushers were Dr Robert C. Miller, Collegeville, and Virgil Sommers, brother of the bride, of Norristown.

Mrs Long wore a yellow gown and carried pink roses and blue delphinium.

Following the ceremony, a reception for 30 guests was held at the home of the bride.

After the reception the newlyweds left on a honeymoon trip to Rehoboth Beach. They will be at home in Philadelphia.

The bride is a graduate of the Collegeville High School and the Lankenau Hospital Nurses Training School, Philadelphia. She has been employed as the school nurse at the Hill School, Pottstown.

Mr Ford is a graduate of the North Philadelphia High School and took special training at the Philadelphia Navy Yard where he is now employed.

## TRAPPE COMMUNITY 4-H CLUB TO HOLD ANNUAL ROUND-UP

A meeting of the 4-H Trappe Community Club was held at the home of Raymond, Louise and Kathryn Waltz, Limerick, members of the club.

The roll was called with 15 members present. Each member reported on his pigs and capons.

It was announced that the regular round-up could not be held at the Hatfield Fair as the Fair has been canceled for this year. The members decided to hold a round-up and sale at the Fair grounds on September 20.

The possibility of holding the regular 4-H pork supper was discussed. The next meeting will be held September 13 at the home of Eugene Bechtel, Trappe.

The older members of the club instructed the new members what to do to the pigs to get them ready for the round-up and sale.

## WINS WOMEN'S GOLF TROPHY

Mrs Carl Espenshig, Collegeville, won the annual cup awarded to the best woman golfer at the Springfield Country Club, Royersford by topping her opponent in the play-off rounds over the weekend.

## PATROLMEN INSPECT BUSESSES

Patrolmen at the Collegeville barracks of the Pennsylvania State Police barracks are making their annual inspection of school busses in this area preparatory to the opening of the schools. On Wednesday the police inspected most of the busses while a few will be inspected here on Monday. Today the police will be in Green Lane for the same purpose.

## 125,374 VOTERS REGISTERED IN COUNTY FOR PRIMARIES

A total of 125,374 persons were registered in Montgomery County at the close of the current registration period Saturday noon, the deadline for voting registration prior to the September Primary, according to information released this week at the office of the Montgomery County Registration Commission.

Of this number, 98,012 Republicans and 25,139 Democrats will be able to vote at the Primary with the remaining 2,223, most of whom are registered non-partisan and a scattering in miscellaneous parties not being eligible to use their franchise until the municipal election in November.

Spurred by registration meetings about the County during the spring, the Republicans have added 16,181 voters to their registration rolls following last November's gubernatorial election.

## NOTICE TO PATIENTS!

Dr Herbert Wm. Barron will have no office hours from Thursday, August 19, to Sunday, August 22, inclusive.

## ACCIDENTAL GUN FIRING KILLS LIMERICK RESIDENT

Joseph Weiss, Limerick, died Friday night in what Coronor W. J. Rushong described as an accidental shooting.

According to Rushong, Weiss was in the cellar of his home at 4:30 p. m. cleaning guns, when a revolver in his hand discharged, fatally founding him.

His wife, Anna, hearing the shot, rushed to the cellar.

Weiss died at 5:30 p. m. before he could be removed from his home.

## REGISTRATION DATES FOR NEW PUPILS ARE ANNOUNCED

Registration of all new resident and non-resident pupils in the Collegeville-Trappe Schools will be held on Friday, September 10. Classes will open in the local schools on September 13.

In Schwenksville, the J. Horace Landis Consolidated School will accept registrations from new resident and non-resident pupils on Monday and Tuesday, August 30 and 31. Children who become six years of age before February 1, 1944, may enter school in September.

Pupil registrations at the Henry K. Boyer School, Evansburg, were taken on the last two days of the last term in order to avoid a first-day confusion. Any new pupils who did not register at that time must bring birth certificate and certificate of vaccination on the opening day, August 30.

Schools in Skippack township will register new pupils on the opening day of school, Tuesday, September 7.

New pupils in the Upper Providence Township schools have already been registered. Schools will open in the township on September 7.

## ATTORNEY WISMER PURCHASES FORMER ALLEBACH PROPERTY

Ralph F. Wismer, Trappe attorney and treasurer of Ursinus College, has purchased the former A. T. Allebach property on Main Street, Collegeville, from the Schwenksville Building and Loan Association. The College will lease the property from Wismer for use as a dormitory for women. The large stone residence has been used by the college as a dormitory for women for the past several years.

## MISS DOROTHY FRANCIS BECOMES MUSIC SUPERVISOR

Miss Dorothy Francis, daughter of Mr and Mrs A. H. Francis, has been appointed music supervisor of the elementary schools of Barren Hill and Spring Mill, Whitmarsh Township. Miss Francis will assume her duties at the opening of school after Labor Day. She is a graduate of West Chester State Teachers College with the class of 1943.

## WAR STAMP SALES AT SUNDAY EVENING SINGS TOTAL \$30

The sixth and final "War Stamp Sing" conducted by Miss Marion Spangler at Studio-Cottage was a fitting climax for the series. The community group of singers enjoyed their favorite hymns and sang additional versions from the new hymnal of the Evangelical and Reformed Church. Each evening the group concluded with a reading of Bach's cantata, "God's Time Is Best." At the final meeting, Dr Jeno Donath, Collegeville R. D. 1, delighted the audience with a spirited violin number and especially with his rendition of a Hungarian Fantasy. Louisa P. Youngjohns was the accompanist. The sale of war stamps at the series of sings netted \$30.

## DEMOCRATS OUSTED FROM COUNTY ASSESSMENT BOARD

The ousting of Democrat appointees to the Montgomery County Board for Assessments and Revision of Taxes and the appointment of Hoffman-Republicans caused quite a stir in county political circles during the past week. The ouster came about when the inheritance tax appraisers were put under the jurisdiction of Secretary of Revenue David Harris from the office of Democrat Auditor General F. Clair Ross.

James J. Hynes, former chief of the county board, was appointed again as chief at a salary of \$3,600. Other appointments included Harvey Williams, Bryn Mawr; Mrs Edith Bevans, Ardmore; and William Kirkpatrick, North Wales.

## BIRTHS ANNOUNCED

A son was born on Saturday to Mr and Mrs Lawrence Eckert, Collegeville R. D. 1, at the Montgomery Hospital.

A daughter was born at the Homeopathic Hospital, Pottstown, last Thursday to Mr and Mrs Nelson Weidenbaugh, Linfield.

## Early Morning Fire Causes \$2400 Loss

Two Cars, 300 Chickens, Several Buildings Lost on Sunday Morning at William Thomas Farm

Fire on the William Thomas farm on Fern Avenue, Lower Providence Township, caused an estimated damage of \$2,400 early on Sunday morning. The fire was discovered shortly before 1:15 on Sunday and the Collegeville and Trappe fire companies responded to the early morning alarm. Three hundred chickens perished in the blaze and the corn crib, tool shed, large chicken house and a quantity of furniture were completely destroyed. Two autos were also lost.

Mr and Mrs Eugene Claycomb and Howard Keyser were on the Thomas property in the absence of Mr and Mrs Thomas who were vacationing at the shore. When the excited barking dogs led the occupants to the porch of the home they noticed the flames and quickly formed a bucket brigade after calling the local firemen. When the Collegeville and Trappe companies arrived at the scene they played streams of water from their booster tanks in order to save the big barn which adjoins the burned buildings. The Jeffersonville Fire Company was called to stand by but did not go into action.

The buildings are owned by Mr and Mrs William Thomas but the tenant farmer on the property is Henry Haines. Haines owned the chickens and one of the two cars and his son, Kenneth Haines, owned the furniture which was stored on the second floor of one of the buildings. The younger Haines stored the furniture while he helped during the harvest season.

The adjoining barn contained 300 tons of hay, machinery, and farming implements. The firemen easily controlled the blaze so that there was little danger to the barn and the contents.

A part of the loss is covered by insurance. The buildings are insured by the owners. Haines and his son had no insurance on the furniture which was stored in the loft of the building.

Origin of the fire is unknown. The Trappe Fire Company also answered an alarm during the week to the Moore property on Seventh Avenue. A field fire there was quickly brought under control.

## THE DEATH ROLL

### Mrs Jesse J. Thompson

Mrs Jesse J. Thompson, of Skippack, former resident of Trappe, died at the Homeopathic Hospital, Pottstown, on Wednesday after a three-weeks' illness. She had lived in Trappe for almost 13 years prior to 1941. She was in St. Louis, Missouri, for some time and was stricken at her home in the Tyson Apartments, Skippack.

There are no close survivors. Her late husband was employed as an engineer at the Graterford Penitentiary until his death about a year ago.

Funeral services were held on Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the Charles J. Franks Funeral Home, Trappe.

### Jacob H. Reiff

Funeral services for Jacob H. Reiff, 77, former Rahns resident, were held on Saturday in the Lower Skippack Mennonite Church at 2:30 o'clock with interment in the adjoining cemetery.

Two sons survive. They are Amos of Reading; and Russell Reiff, of Center Square.

### Irwin S. Yerger

Irwin S. Yerger, 71, of Fairview Village, died on Saturday at the Sacred Heart Hospital, Norristown, after a long illness.

He is survived by the following children: Russell H., of Fairview; Jesse, of Germantown; Maurice H., of Frederick; and Ethel Yerger, of Malvern.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon from a Skippack funeral home with interment in North Wales.

### Simon Andzejewicz

Simon Andzejewicz, 60, a farmer who lived near Limerick, died on Saturday at the Homeopathic Hospital, Pottstown.

He is survived by his wife and four children: Adam, Pottstown; Francis, U. S. Navy; Mrs Joseph Schwoyer, Pottstown; and Hedwig, at home.

Funeral services were held at 9:30 a. m. on Tuesday from his late residence with solemn high mass at St. Mary's Church, Delphi, at 10 o'clock. Interment in St. Aloysius cemetery. Charles J. Franks, funeral director.

More than 6 million persons in the United States are subject to hay fever.

## PLAN SERVICE HONOR ROLL FOR EVANSBURG DISTRICT

Plans are under way for an honor roll to be erected for those who are in the armed forces from the Evansburg school district. Those interested are anxious to have every name included. In order that this may be done, will those who live in the above district and have someone from their family in the armed forces please send their name or names on a post card or letter to Mr Addis Welch or Rev Edward Platts, both of Collegeville R. D. 1. Such cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

## TELEPHONE COMPANY STOPS NEW INSTALLATIONS HERE

No new telephone installations can be made for the general public in the Collegeville Exchange Area because the capacity of the local telephone system has been reached, Frank L. Houseman, manager of the Bell Telephone Company, announced today.

"The company can only install new telephones required for direct defense or for public health, welfare or security, as defined by the War Production Board, except as future disconnections make additional service available for the public," Mr. Houseman said.

"In normal times adequate telephone office additions would have been made to handle new installations," he explained, "but the War Production Board, in order to conserve critical war materials, has set a limit to the number of telephones that may be connected to a central office. That limit has been reached in the Collegeville Exchange Area.

"The telephone company sincerely regrets any inconvenience the restrictions on new installations may cause but I am confident the public will agree that war needs must come first."

## ENTERTAIN ON SUNDAY IN HONOR OF GENNARIA BROS.

Mr and Mrs John Hahn, Collegeville R. D. 1, entertained on Sunday in honor of Harvey Gennaria S1/C and Harold Gennaria S2/C who were home for the first time together since enlisting last year. Present at the party for the two brothers were: Mr and Mrs Henry Gennaria and family, of Yerkess; Mr and Mrs Russell Rantz, Royersford; Miss Carolyn Trussline, of Conshohocken; Miss Gloria Eakin, Trappe; Jerome Gennaria Jr., Manoa; John Hahn Sr., Jerome Gennaria Sr., and Mr and Mrs Ernest Horrocks and family, all of Collegeville R. D. 1, and the host and hostess.

## LEAK HALTS FLOW IN NEW OIL LINE AT PHOENIXVILLE

The first flow of petroleum at the Phoenixville junction of the new big inch pipe line was halted momentarily on Saturday when a leak was discovered about five miles west of Eagle. The flow was halted for a few hours at the Norris City, Ill., junction until the leak could be repaired.

Half of the flow of 300,000 barrels goes to the big Philadelphia refineries while the remainder goes to Bayonne, N. J.

## ARMY PLANE FORCED DOWN

An army plane enroute from Ohio to Florida ran out of gasoline over this section this week and made a forced landing on the Penhurst state school near Linfield. The plane landed on the Linfield property on Monday after the pilot was unable to locate the Pottstown airport at Limerick.

## NEW STAMPS VALID SEPT. 12

The first stamp from the new War Ration Book 3 will be used beginning on September 12, according to an announcement from the OPA. Brown stamps marked 'A' from the book will be used for the purchase of meats, fats, oil, butter, and cheese. The red stamps in book 2 will be invalidated on October 2.

## MCCOLLUM IN HOSPITAL

Joseph McCollum, Evansburg real estate man, is in the Homeopathic Hospital, Pottstown, where he was admitted last Thursday. His condition is reported as serious. There has been no change for the past couple of days.

## \$301,966,095 COUNTY ASSESSMENT

The assessed valuation for tax purposes of all property in Montgomery County is \$301,966,095, it was announced at the Commissioners' Office, Norristown. Total valuation of personal property, also for taxes, is \$231,868,160. Nearby valuations are: Upper Providence, \$2,568,810, realty, and \$348,325, personal; Trappe, \$561,450, realty, and \$206,515, personal; Collegeville, \$782,575, realty, and \$300,825, personal; Lower Providence, \$2,195,635, realty, and \$311,265, personal.

## Two C-T Teachers Have Resigned

Samuel Kurtz and Homer Ruth Leaving Faculty; Third Resignation Expected Very Soon

The Collegeville-Trappe School Board will have the problem of naming several new teachers at the next meeting of that group due to resignation of two members of the Collegeville-Trappe High School faculty and the expected resignation of a third-member.

The resignation of Mr Samuel Kurtz, instructor in the science department has already been received. Kurtz taught chemistry, physics, and science at the high school. He is a native of Sanatoga and will go to Albright College, Reading, as an instructor under the Army Air Forces training program.

The resignation of Mr Homer Ruth, shop instructor at the high school, has also been received. Mr Ruth will probably remain at work in a defense plant although no confirmation of this could be made.

The resignation of one of the women on the faculty at the high school is expected momentarily. The resignation—should it be received—will be acted upon at the next meeting of the school board.

The problem of securing adequate trained teachers will hit the school board especially hard this year since the men who are leaving school are going into defense plants or into the armed forces and there is not enough women to fill the vacancies created by resignations throughout the county.

The board will probably appoint a Trappe woman to fill one of the vacancies created by these resignations.

## SUPERIOR LOSES FINAL GAME TO DEGER'S, 16-4

Superior Tube Company's baseball team completed the playoffs in the Phoenix industrial league this week when the team dropped a 16 to 4 decision to the Deger Dairy squad. Superior won the regular season's cup but lost all but one game in the round robin playoffs. After the regular season of play—with league honors already won—the Tubers lost some of the spirit which has characterized the team play through every season in the past four years.

The Tubers won league honors this year in the Phoenix loop and last year mowed down all opposition in the strong North Penn league. The year before that they won top honors in the Norristown industrial league.

The game on Monday evening with Deger's was a batting duel with a total of 24 hits for the two teams in only five innings of play. Thirty Deger men faced the Superior battery in the five innings and 22 Tuber batsmen faced Hopple, Deger moundsman.

Deger Dairy	R.	H.	E.
Shaffer, c	2	3	0
Rothermel, lf	2	2	0
S. Thomas, cf	2	0	0
Detwiler, 1b	3	3	0
Morrow, ss	2	3	1
Garber, 3b	1	1	1
G. Thomas, 2b	1	1	0
Cage, rf, 2b	2	1	0
Hopple, p	1	2	1
Byrne, rf	0	0	0
Totals	16	16	3

Superior	R.	H.	E.
Reed, lf	0	2	0
Tyson, rf	1	1	0
Marshall, ss	0	0	0
Smith, 2b	1	1	0
Vanderslice, cf	1	1	1
Nace, 1b	1	1	0
Rosenberger, p	0	1	0
McCure, 2b, p	0	1	2
Landis, p	0	0	0
Gensler, 3b	0	0	0
Keyser, p	0	0	0
Yeagle, 0	0	0	0
D. Yeagle, 0	0	0	0
Totals	4	8	3

## Deger's 11 0 5 0-16 Superior 4 0 0 0-4

Final Playoff Standing	W.	L.
Deger's Dairy	5	0
Spring City	3	2
Superior	1	4
Valley Forge	1	4

## SEPTEMBER DRAFT QUOTA TO BE MATERIALLY SMALLER

According to word received from the Montgomery County Draft Board headquarters at Collegeville the September call for men for the armed forces is expected to be materially smaller than the quota of men examined in August.

No married men with pre-Pearl Harbor children have been examined by the local board to date although the board is expected to make arrangements for preliminary, local physical examinations for this class of men with low call numbers within the next few days.

## About People You Know in Trappe

### Married in Augustus Parsonage

The marriage of Granville Rambo and Leona Reickert, both of Royersford, took place on Saturday morning, August 14, in Augustus Lutheran parsonage, Trappe at eleven o'clock. The Rev. W. O. Fegely, D.D., officiated.

### See Hambletonian Races

Frank W. Shalkop and S. Walter Stearly attended the Hambletonian races at Yonkers, New York, on Wednesday.

### Transferred to St. Louis

Pfc Earl W. Brunner, Jr., was transferred from Camp Pickett, Virginia, to the Medical Supply Services School, St. Louis Medical Depot, St. Louis, Missouri, on August 10. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Earl W. Brunner, of Trappe.

### Gets Corporal Rating

Cpl William N. Williams, son of Mrs Rachael Williams, of Trappe, who enlisted in the Marine Corps in July, 1942, received his recent promotion while in foreign service. His address is: Cpl William N. Williams, D-2-19, "Pion," c/o F. P. O., San Francisco, California.

### Returns to Rhode Island

Mrs John Barry and daughter Dolores returned to Quanset, Rhode Island, with Chief Petty Officer John Barry, Navy officer who has been stationed in the north for the past six weeks.

### Visiting at Geneva, N. Y.

Miss Marion Detwiler will leave today for Geneva, New York, as the guest of Mr Ralph Richards, of Geneva. Returning on Monday she will visit a former West Chester State Teacher's College classmate, Miss Shirley Davies, of Catawauqua.

Misses Carol and Dolores Cook returned to Philadelphia after a week's visit at the home of Mr and Mrs A. Wesley Foley and family.

Mr and Mrs John Kopenhafer and family, of Lebanon, spent several days with Mr and Mrs Warren Foley and family.

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BRIEFS

The ban against pleasure driving in the east is to be lifted about September 1—OPA thinks. It is likely that motorists hereabouts will be given two gallons rather than a gallon and a half. Now you can back the car out of the garage to wash it two times a week.

Buying a steak dinner is getting to be quite a problem these days. Even the restaurants are short on the meat supply for dinners. And hamburgers are almost impossible to get. It seems to us that the hamburger meat is being served in the form of steak.

The President was carried to the Canadian vacation spot on a 10-car train. But what we can't understand is why the President returned to this country before he and Winston got together for their chat about the war.

Speaking of the state of the war. We are betting that one of the results of this last conference between the two leaders will result in opening a road into China. The why and how of a plan to get more supplies to China hinges on the fact that the Chinese are losing the will to fight when all avenues to import supplies are closed to them.

In more ways than one we will be happy to see the end of the war. Just now we are wondering how many soldiers and sailors of all nations will be veterans of this war. And what the total cost will finally be when the armistice comes.

Figuring on the basis that the war will cost us 200 billion dollars in cold cash, the per capita share of that expenditure in the United States will be about \$1,538. What would that sum do for each family? It would build a modern new home or it would send one of the children to college for two or three years. It would build a modern hospital for every community of over 2,000 persons in the United States. But that is mere paper talk—what it actually will do is win the war for us and give us a chance to win the peace that follows. Whether we shall win that peace is quite another problem. We hope that the New Deal will call in experts who have experience other than a high-sounding array of academic degrees. But the New Deal has not been doing that—they've operated the country on the basis of theory.

We are confident that no country will win this war any more than any country has ever won any war. We could all make money by the baskets and have everyone prosperous but if we have a bumper crop of gold star service flags all of that money is as nothing in the years to come.

More than special care is needed to make all of your home canned fruits and vegetables usable when wanted. Above all, use a tried and true canning method. Spoiled canned goods nullifies all of your work in working and canning and does not help the war effort one bit. It was a minor tragedy when one local woman had a couple of dozen cans of vegetables spoil already.

The rumor that Churchill had said that the war would end in Europe within six months came a bit prematurely. A statesman like Winny would not let such information out for public consumption. While he may easily hold such beliefs it would surely be a personal belief and not mean for "us common people."

We are going to liberate the Philippines, the President says. But that has been headline news during the administration of more than one President. Any ambitious Far Eastern power would gobble up the islands at the first opportunity if we were to grant them independence after the war. That is—unless our foreign policy (which Walter Lippman says is non-existent) would guarantee a defense of the islands against an attack by other nations.

Are all of those people who are leaving Berlin going to Vienna as a health measure? From our point of view it would look like a good step.

A third term is all right for Peters and Hillgass but all wrong for Roosevelt. But by what reasoning is this so?

We have heard any number of people talking about the construction of new homes after the war. If half of the people build or buy a new house who have talked about it there should be no depression for some years to come. Which reminds us that Collegeville could stand a number of new, small homes. Without increasing the borough expenses one iota dozens of new families in new homes could be accommodated without expanding present borough facilities. Most quoted argument against new homes is that the school taxes would be increased. The slight decrease in the number of tuition pupils each year prove that argument wrong.

NEWS OF 10 AND 25 YEARS AGO

August 17, 1933

The marriage of Miss Hannah Irene Walker, of Trooper, to Douglas R. Ward, of Trappe, has been announced.

The Collegeville Fire Hall will be given a coat of stucco plaster it was decided at the meeting of the company this week. Members of the company will also paint the exterior of the building.

Mr. Joseph Schaeffer, of Evansburg, who has been connected with the DeCosta airport at Evansburg, left this week for the West Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Homer, of Los Angeles, California, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yost.

Dr. Russell Hunsberger, Stanley Omwake, Edward Brownback, Harold Brownback, and Gunnar Rambo enjoyed a fishing trip to Deal's Island on Wednesday. They made a nice haul of 280 fish.

J. H. Francis, postmaster at Oaks, has announced that all persons and firms in that area who are willing to cooperate with the NRA movement should get the emblems at the post office at any time.

According to the borough school census there are 167 children in the borough between the ages of 6 and 16. Of these 78 are males and 89 females. This is an increase of 12 over last year and there are 12 who are eligible as beginners this year.

August 15, 1918

Rev. William Yenser has succeeded Robert Moyer as the assistant at the Collegeville Post Office.

The garage of Attorney Thomas Hallman was visited by thieves two times during the past week. Both times the intruders were driven away before they had taken anything from the premises.

J. Harold Brownback has enlisted in the Naval Reserve forces and will be stationed at the chemical laboratory at the League Island Navy Yard, Philadelphia.

W. H. MacDade, son of Rev. R. H. MacDade, Oaks, has been appointed an internal revenue inspector and will work at the Philadelphia office.

Second Lieutenant Norman Wannere, of Camp Dix, was in town over the weekend visiting relatives and friends.

Montgomery County now has 1,578 miles of improved earth roads. This total of improved roads will be increased with the county's share of cash road tax bonus sent from Harrisburg in the amount of \$22,279.

Ethelbert Yost, of Camp Crane, Allentown, was in town over the weekend visiting his parents and friends.

The war news of the past week undoubtedly strengthens the belief that the beginning of the end of the war has been reached.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hunsicker, of Ironbridge, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Florence H., to Robert J. Bell, of Logan.

Pvt. Wilmer Tyson is enjoying a ten-day furlough with his parents. He is stationed at Tallahassee, Fla.

AUDITORS' STATEMENT

UPPER PROVIDENCE TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PA. FOR THE YEAR ENDING JULY 5, 1943. Assessed valuation of taxable real estate \$2,554,385.00

RECEIPTS: Bal. on hand July 6, 1942, \$4,219.69. General Fund \$4,219.69. 1942 tax collected \$4,086.85. Delinquent tax (Prev. to 1942) \$4,496.61. State and Federal Grants \$19,659.23. Tuition non-resident pupils \$72.00. Interest \$94.00. All other sources \$48.19. Total Receipts \$70,583.41

EXPENSES: General Control \$1,920.29. Instruction \$38,185.87. Auxiliary Agencies \$1,133.16. Operation of School Plant \$2,512.13. Maintenance of School Plant \$2,512.13. Fixed Charges \$825.76. Debt Service \$10,300.00. Capital Outlay \$216.29. Total Payments \$64,132.41

SINKING FUND: Bal. on hand July 6, 1942, \$20,917.27. Received from General Fund \$10,300.00. Received from Interest \$170.00. Total Receipts \$31,387.27. Paid out to redeem bonds \$3,000.00. Paid out in interest on bonds \$188.00. Paid out for other purposes \$188.00. Total Payments \$3,376.00. Balance in Sinking Fund, July 5, 1943, \$26,190.51

ASSETS: School Buildings and Sites \$150,000.00. Textbooks and Equipment \$10,000.00. Unpaid Taxes \$4,233.64. Telephone Rental \$6,000.00. General Fund Balance \$6,450.60. Total Assets \$196,874.75. LIABILITIES: Bonded Indebtedness \$65,000.00. Accounts Payable None. Total Liabilities \$65,000.00

FOR THE COLLEGEVILLE-TRAPPE JOINT SCHOOL BOARD. FOR THE YEAR ENDING JULY 5, 1943. CURRENT EXPENSES: a. Expenses of General Control Secretary's Office, Salaries \$250.00. Treasurer (Commission or Sal.) \$175.00. Auditors \$30.00. Legal Service \$50.00. Census Enumeration \$30.00. Other Expenses of Gen. Control \$63.77. Total General Control \$553.77

b. Expenses of Instruction Salaries of Supervisors \$1,070.89. Salaries of Principals \$2,920.00. Salaries of Teachers \$29,222.08. Textbooks \$674.22. Books for School Libraries \$114.59. Supplies used in Instruction \$1,012.87. Attending Teachers Institute \$172.80. Commencement Exer. & Exhibits \$69.70. Other Expenses of Instruction \$115.70. Total Expense of Instruction \$36,078.56

c. Expenses of Auxiliary Agencies Social Centers and Recreation \$134.45. Enforcement of Compulsory \$437.00. Dental Service \$1,478.93. Other Expenses of Coord. Act. \$457.91. Total Aux. Ag. & Coord. Act. \$2,505.99

d. Expenses of Operation of School Plant Wages of Janitors and Other \$3,053.83. Fuel \$1,328.33. Water \$243.14. Light and Power \$1,088.70. Janitors' Supplies \$148.56. Care of Grounds \$158.74. Services Other than Personal \$7.50. Telephone Rental \$6,000.00. Other Expenses of Operation \$24.43. Total Expense of Operation \$6,332.56

e. Expenses of Maintenance of School Plant Upkeep of Grounds \$13.66. Repairs of Buildings \$590.00. Repairs and Replacement of Heating, Plumbing, & Lighting \$565.29. Apparatus Used in Instruction \$121.15. Furniture \$191.05. Other Equipment \$191.05. Total Expense of Maintenance \$1,541.48

f. Expenses of Fixed Charges State Retirement Board \$460.67. Rent \$20.00. Fire Insurance \$718.85. Compensation Insurance \$82.70. Other Expenses (Taxes on Property, Etc.) \$70.00. Total Expense of Fixed Charges \$1,341.84

RECEIPTS: Bal. on hand July 6, 1942, \$45.27. State appropriation: Teachers \$14,837.07. Tuition non-resident pupils \$10,988.87. Allocation from Collegeville Bd. \$12,480.00. Allocation from Trappe Board \$7,020.00. All other sources \$541.98. Total receipts \$49,723.19

ASSETS: School Buildings and Sites \$202,000.00. Textbooks and Equipment \$19,200.00. Other Accounts Receivable \$5,000.00. General Fund Balance \$718.80. Total Assets \$222,141.80

LIABILITIES: Amount of Treasurer's Bond \$50,000.00. Amount of Treasurer's Bond \$4,000.00. Amount of Secretary's Bond \$300.00. We hereby certify that we have examined the above accounts and find them correct, and that the securities of the officers of the board are in accordance with law.

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AUDITORS' STATEMENT

FOR THE TRAPPE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT. FOR THE YEAR ENDING JULY 5, 1943. Assessed valuation of taxable real estate \$571,850.00

RECEIPTS: Bal. on hand July 6, 1942, \$4,219.69. General Fund \$4,219.69. 1942 tax collected \$4,086.85. Delinquent tax (Prev. to 1942) \$4,496.61. State and Federal Grants \$19,659.23. Tuition non-resident pupils \$72.00. Interest \$94.00. All other sources \$48.19. Total Receipts \$70,583.41

EXPENSES: General Control \$1,920.29. Instruction \$38,185.87. Auxiliary Agencies \$1,133.16. Operation of School Plant \$2,512.13. Maintenance of School Plant \$2,512.13. Fixed Charges \$825.76. Debt Service \$10,300.00. Capital Outlay \$216.29. Total Payments \$64,132.41

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ASSETS: School Buildings and Sites \$150,000.00. Textbooks and Equipment \$10,000.00. Unpaid Taxes \$4,233.64. Telephone Rental \$6,000.00. General Fund Balance \$6,450.60. Total Assets \$196,874.75. LIABILITIES: Bonded Indebtedness \$65,000.00. Accounts Payable None. Total Liabilities \$65,000.00

FOR THE COLLEGEVILLE-TRAPPE JOINT SCHOOL BOARD. FOR THE YEAR ENDING JULY 5, 1943. CURRENT EXPENSES: a. Expenses of General Control Secretary's Office, Salaries \$250.00. Treasurer (Commission or Sal.) \$175.00. Auditors \$30.00. Legal Service \$50.00. Census Enumeration \$30.00. Other Expenses of Gen. Control \$63.77. Total General Control \$553.77

b. Expenses of Instruction Salaries of Supervisors \$1,070.89. Salaries of Principals \$2,920.00. Salaries of Teachers \$29,222.08. Textbooks \$674.22. Books for School Libraries \$114.59. Supplies used in Instruction \$1,012.87. Attending Teachers Institute \$172.80. Commencement Exer. & Exhibits \$69.70. Other Expenses of Instruction \$115.70. Total Expense of Instruction \$36,078.56

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FOR THE COLLEGEVILLE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT. FOR THE YEAR ENDING JULY 5, 1943. Assessed valuation of taxable real estate \$785,425.00

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NOTICE ORPHANS' COURT OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PA. NOTICE OF FILING AND AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS. Notice is hereby given to heirs, legatees, creditors and all parties in interest that accounts in the following estates have been filed in the office of the Register of Wills or Clerk of the Orphans Court, as the case may be, on the dates below stated

ADAM, ANNIE—Upper Hanover, August 4—Frank Adams, extr. ALDERFER, JOHN S.—Franconia—July 13—Horace L. Bergey, admr. ALDERFER, JOHN S.—Franconia—July 13—Horace L. Bergey, admr. ALLEN, WILLIAM J.—June 30—Jenkintown Bank & Trust Co., trustee.

ARMISTEAD, ABRAHAM L.—(otherwise Abraham L. Armistead)—August 4—Louise Armistead, admr. ARTZ, JENNIE M.—Pottstown—July 17—Francina B. Artz, extr. BAILEY, CHARLES H.—Lower Merion—July 27—Charles M. Stuard, admr. BARNETT, LAURA E.—C.—August 11—Charles D. Bunn, admr. BARNETT, CHARLES H.—Harding, two of the surv. trustees.

BEALER, MARY L.—August 11—Montgomery Trust Co., trustee for Elizabeth Bealer. BEAN, DILLMAN D.—Souderton—August 11—Mary K. Bean, extr. BOORD, SUSANNA W.—August 10—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., trustee for Reta S. Davis. BRIGANT, ANNA LINN—June 4—Girard Trust Company, et al., trustees for Harriet Linn Brigan, admr. BRIGANT, ANNA LINN—June 4—Girard Trust Company, et al., trustees for Virginia Linn Brigan, admr.

BRODERICK, WILLIAM J.—Lower Merion—August 11—Albert H. Ladner, Jr., admr. BRUCE, CATHARINE A.—Lower Merion—July 31—Pennsylvania Company for Insurances on Lives and Granting Annuities, et al., extr. BRUNO, KARL—Norrington—August 2—Angela D. Mideo, extr. BUNN, ELIZABETH R.—August 10—The Security Trust Co., extr. trustee for Lyman B. Reinsnyder. CASANAVE, JOHN H.—June 15—Corn Exchange National Bank & Trust Co., et al., trustees.

CASSEL, MARIA M.—Norrington—August 4—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., extr. CHASE, WYLLIE—Norrington—August 2—Donald P. Osterhout, extr. CLEAVER, EMMA ELIZABETH—Ambler—July 26—Thomas A. Foubert, extr. COLEMAN, JOSEPH A.—Norrington—June 22—Madge Noble Coleman, admr. COY, GEORGE ROBERT—late minor—June 11—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., sub. guardian. DAVIS, ESALAS K.—June 12—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., trustee for William Harry Davis. DAVIS, SARAH A.—August 4—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., trustee for Margaret Davis (nee Cochran).

DE HAVEN, ISAAC NORRIS—July 31—Charles E. Stevenson, surv. trustee and Joseph Kay, admr. DELP, JENNIE S.—Norrington—July 15—Montgomery Trust Co., et al., extr. DETTNER, AUGUSTUS W.—et al.—settlors—July 31—Hatfield National Bank, guardian. DETTNER, AUGUSTUS W.—et al.—settlors—August 4—Norrington-Penn Trust Company, trustee. DETTNER, JOHN M.—settlor—August 4—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., trustee. DETWEILER, ISAAC F.—Souderton—June 18—Ella B. Detweiler, extr. DIETZ, MOLLY—Souderton—May 7—Leola Dietz, admr. DILBERTO, ONOFRIO—Norrington—August 9—Michael Dilberto, extr. DOAN, WILLIAM—Lansdale—June 26—Gilbert E. Doan, extr. ELLIOTT, ANNE R.—Norrington—June 19—Mabel Thomas, admr. FABIAN, SETTI—Conshohocken—June 6—Matthew Fabian, admr. FAGELBY, SARAH Y.—August 5—Montgomery Trust Co., trustee for Amelia F. Berndt. FOX, FRANCES MACOMB—Norrington—July 30—The Doylestown National Bank and Trust Co., extr. FOX, OLIVER M.—Norrington—August 4—Montgomery National Bank of Norristown, trustee. FRANKENFIELD, GEORGE W.—Lower Merion—August 3—Ambler Trust Co., et al., extr. FRANKENFIELD, ROSE—Towamencin—August 11—William F. K. Ruth, extr. GARR, ELLA M.—East Greenville—July 30—Ella M. Garr, admr. GEHMAN, ALICE—July 31—Union National Bank & Trust Co., of Souderton, trustee under agreement of trust dated October 29, 1939. GEHRET, ELIZABETH O.—July 22—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., trustee for Robert Gehret Watson. GINTHER, JOHN D.—Montgomery—August 11—First National Bank of Lansdale, admr. GOTWALS, CLAYTON K.—Souderton—August 6—Union National Bank & Trust Co., of Souderton, extr. GREEN, CHARLES—Jenkintown—June 21—Jenkintown Bank & Trust Co., et al., extr. GREEN, EMIL—Abington—July 28—Edward J. Kirchner, extr. GREENWALT, GEORGE W.—Lansdale—August 11—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., et al., extr. HACKER, LAURA EMMA (also known as Laura E. Hacker)—Lansdale—August 7—Leighton F. Hacker et al., extr. HACKMAN, SAL—Franconia—June 24—Henry D. Hackman, et al., extr. HAEHNLEN, WALTER L. (also known as W. L. Haehnlen, and Walter Landell Haehnlen)—Lower Merion—August 10—Florence H. Haehnlen, extr. HANLEY, EMMA—Norrington—August 5—Security Trust Company of Pottstown, admr. HENS, KATE H.—Hatfield—July 31—Hatfield National Bank, extr. HENDRICKS, ABRAHAM H.—Collegeville—August 11—Miriam E. Hendricks, extr. HERBST, ERVILLA R.—Pottstown—July 30—George D. Herbst, et al., extr. HOLT, ELLA K.—Lower Merion—August 10—Walter L. Haehnlen, extr. as stated by Florence H. Haehnlen, extr. of Walter L. Haehnlen, dec'd. HOMER, MURIEL B.—June 28—Norrington-Penn Trust Company, trustee for Joseph William Homer. HUBER, WILLIAM HENRY—Pennsburg—June 21—Annie Mary Huber, extr. HUBER, CHRISTOPHER—August 9—First National Bank of Lansdale, sub. trustee for George C. Huber, and Mary Huber. HUGHES, JOHN J.—Norrington—August 16—Edwin B. Hughes, et al., extr. JACOBY, JAMES B.—Marlborough—July 23—Northern Trust Company, et al., extr. KEHOE, MARY ANN—August 10—The First National Bank of Lansdale, sub. trustee for Margaret Wall, late minor. KEYS, EDNA R.—August 4—Norrington-Penn Trust Company, trustee for Mary R. Kirk, et al. KILB, RAYMOND T.—Souderton—August 11—Margaret H. Kile, admr. KIRK, DONALD T.—Narberth—August 4—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., admr. KIRK, EDWARD GOODWIN—Lower Merion—June 3—Pennsylvania Company for Insurances on Lives and Granting Annuities, et al., extr. KLEIN, JACOB W.—July 22—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., trustee for Christ's United Evangelical Church, et al. KNELLER, EMMA W.—Pembury—August 4—J. Augustus Scholl, extr. KNOOP, WILLIAM—Lansdale—August 7—Little M. Knopf, extr. KOCH, HOWARD M.—West Pottsgrove—August 11—Jesse R. Evans, extr.

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KOFFEL, AMOS B.—Hatfield—July 1—Jesse Z. Groff, admr. KULP, ABRAHAM L.—Telford—May 12—Howard C. Hetrick, extr. KULP, SALLIE C.—Towamencin—August 8—Montgomery Trust Company, admr. LANDMAN, SAHON A.—Franconia—June 15—Union National Bank & Trust Company of Souderton, admr. LAZLER, NICHOLAS H.—settlor—August 5—Norrington-Penn Trust Company, trustee. LAUREL, KATHARINE P.—August 11—The Pennsylvania Company for Insurances on Lives and Granting Annuities, et al., trustees. LEB, JENNIE C.—Conshohocken—August 10—J. Ellwood Lee, Jr., et al., extr. LEIDY, DAVID L., late minor—August 16—Hatfield National Bank, guardian. LEWIS, LYDIA K.—Pottstown—August 10—Frank Gephart, et al., admrs. c.t.a. LYSINGER, EDNA ELIZABETH—Norrington—July 26—Aulton F. Lysinger, admr. McCRACKEN, JAMES A.—Norrington—August 5—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., trustee. McFADDEN, MARY—Lower Merion—August 11—William P. Tinney, admr. McFADDEN, MARY—Norrington—July 30—Edith Hallman, extr. MERRICK, JOSEPH W.—May 24—Jenkintown Bank & Trust Co., trustee. MORGAN, THOMAS M.—Lower Merion—June 25—Anna L. Milligan, extr. MORHAN, TRENDA R.—Lower Merion—August 11—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., trustee for the Libraries of Neely Sunday Schools of Lower Merion. OVERHOLTZER, JOHN E.—July 26—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., trustee for the Libraries of Neely Sunday Schools of Lower Merion. OVERHOLTZER, JOHN E.—July 26—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., trustee for Public Schools of Norristown, Pa. PALMER, MARTHA E.—Horsham—August 5—Hathorn National Bank, extr. PICKAWAIT, JOHN C.—Upper Merion—July 26—John C. Pickawait, extr. PICKAWAIT, MATTHIAS—Upper Merion—May 26—John Wargo, surv. extr. PILE, MAE—Shillington (also known as MARGARET C. Cheltenham)—July 31—Irene E. Pile, admr. c.t.a. PRICE, HARRIE B.—August 5—Harris National Bank, trustee for Virginia Gilpin Price, et al. PRICE, VIRGINIA GILPIN—late minor—June 12—Harris B. Price, Jr., guardian. PUGH, HARRY C.—August 11—Norrington-Penn Trust Co., et al., trustees for Mary W. Pugh, et al. RADTKE, FRANK F.—Upper Gwynedd—August 4—Hedwig Alice Bean, admr. RAIDMAN, NATHAN—Lower Merion—August 11—Florence Raidman, et al

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Sgt Donald McCann of the U. S. Marine Corps should now be addressed at S.S.-11, M.A.G.-11, F. M. A. W., Navy 140, care of the Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, California. McCann saw action against the Japs in the Solomons and was invalided to a New Zealand base. His present whereabouts are, of course, a military secret.

Private Raymond H. Price, proprietor of the Old Mill Inn at Schwenksville before his induction, is now in training at Fort Belvoir, Virginia. His address: 4th Platoon, Company B, 3rd Battalion, E.R.T.C., Fort Belvoir, Va.

Sgt David Vanderslice was given his new rank on July 1 he writes from Camp Davis, North Carolina. He says that the camp is becoming quite crowded and that he has been assigned to another part of the camp. His new address is N Battery, Enl. Group, A.A.A. School, Camp Davis.

Staff Sgt A. W. Zimmerman is now training at the A. P. Hill Military Reservation, Virginia, after being transferred from Fort Meade, Maryland. His new address: HQ Co., 2nd Battalion, 385th Infantry, A.P.O. 76, A. P. Hill Military Reservation, Virginia.

Corporal Paul L. Heil writes from Carlsbad, New Mexico, to give his new address. Carlsbad is near the famous caverns opened a few years ago and now a tourist attraction of some note. Mail should be sent to Heil at HQ & HQ Squadron, 319th B.T.G., C.A.A.F., Carlsbad, New Mexico.

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**EAGLEVILLE NEWS**  
Miss Amy Preston, of Bethlehem, visited the Misses Campbell over the weekend.  
Mrs Dorothy Mallon, of Philadelphia, who enjoyed a two-weeks' vacation resumed her work.  
Mr and Mrs Harry Dengler returned to Philadelphia after a visit with friends here.  
Miss Rose Jefferies spent Saturday in Norristown visiting her father.

Mr George Rhoads, of Oaklyn Avenue, has been on the sick list. Mr George Spangler was inducted into the services last week. A daughter was born to Mr and Mrs James Musselman, of Ridge Pike, on Saturday.  
Mr William Kirn, who had been on the sick list, is working again.  
Rev Robert Beyer, a son of the Presbyterian Congregation, filled the pulpit on Sunday instead of Dr. R. L. Williams.  
Mrs J. Cook, of Jeffersonville, visited the Stahley family.

**Lower Providence Baptist Church**  
Rev. J. H. Carter, minister. Services for Sunday are as follows: 9:30, Church School; 10:45, Church Worship with sermon; Rev Edward Kenney, guest preacher. At 7 o'clock the Christian Endeavor will meet with Miss Catherine Zollers as leader.

Pfc Earl W. Brunner Jr. is now at the Medical Supplies Service School, St. Louis Medical Depot, St. Louis, Missouri.

Seaman Second Class, George Musselman, who joined the Navy seven months ago, spent a weekend pass visiting relatives in town. Seaman Musselman is stationed at Sampson, N. Y.

Sergeant Donald Bechtel has been transferred from his former base in Florida to the Hattiesburg (Miss.) Army Air Base. Mail to Bechtel should be sent to Reporting Co. C, 572nd S.A.W., Hattiesburg Army Air Base, Hattiesburg, Miss.

Cpl Theodore Andes, Creamery, is home on a 10-day furlough from Fort Jackson, South Carolina.

**TRINITY REFORMED CHURCH**  
Services in Trinity Reformed Church, Collegeville, this Sunday, will be as follows:  
9:30—Church School.  
10:30—Morning Worship with sermon by the pastor.

**ST. JAMES' EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Germantown Pike and Evansburg Rd. The Rev Edward Platts, vicar. Services for August 22, Ninth Sunday after Trinity are as follows: Church School at 9:30, Morning Prayer and Sermon at 10:45. Visitors are always welcome to worship with us in this church.  
"Grange" comes from the title barns of Europe.

**OPA'S RATION CALENDAR**

Processed Foods—Blue Stamps R, S and T in War Ration Book Two are valid through September 20.  
Meats and Fats—(Including also butter, cheese, edible oils, canned fish and condensed and evaporated milk)—Red Stamps T, U, V and W in War Ration Book Two are valid through August 31.  
Sugar—Stamp No. 14 in Book One good for five pounds through October. Stamps 15 and 16 are valid for five pounds each, for home canning only, through October 31.  
Fuel Oil—Period 5, (1942-43) may be used through September 30, Period 1 coupons (1943-44), good for 10 gallons for household use, may be used now.  
Shoes—Stamp No. 18 in War Ration Book One good for one pair of shoes through October 31.  
Gasoline—Coupon 6 in "A" book is valid through November 21.  
Tires—August 31 is the deadline for "A" and "C" book holders to have tires inspected.

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RAMBLING AT RANDOM

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tion led by Mr McDonald, of Norristown. He was assisted by Mrs Lyons. William Hampton, chairman of the local Disaster Committee of the Red Cross, gave a talk explaining Red Cross Disaster work and Alvis Raynor, chief observer of the Airplane Spotters organization here, explained the work of that group. Lt. H. R. Berry, commander of the local CAP group thanked the public for their support. He said that the CAP appreciates the use of the C-T school building for its meetings and is glad to assume responsibility for organization of a public First Aid Unit here as partial repayment for this kind consideration. Squad drills by a number of CAP members climaxed the afternoon's program. Incidentally, the bake committee had to scurry around Sunday morning to find sweet corn—the William Thomas fire having "baked" their original order too soon and too much — and with the borers, drought, et al, it was no easy job to locate 130 ears right off the bat.

In dry weather all signs of rain fall. Full moon on Sunday and the return of the Virgin Mary (Maria came over the hill last week) didn't bring any rain—so, guess we can put the umbrella away until Monday, August 23, when St. Swithin's 40-day dry prediction ends.

The Perkiomen and its tributaries are all very low. Springs and wells are low and many of the small streams and runs are completely dried up.

Mr Katydid is rasping his wings together (by the way, Mrs Katydid doesn't make any noise) these evenings and according to an old tradition this means frost can be expected in six weeks. We are not too sure about the six weeks; but we are sure that Summer is swiftly passing, and another winter is just around the corner of the coal bin.

The men who fly our bombers over Europe in daylight raids are taking a terrific beating. It takes stout hearts to face death, as they do every time they go aloft, without flinching. Probably the most gruelling test on their nerves is after they come back to their base and find this friend and that friend "missing" and a hollow, empty atmosphere around the barracks. This is an important morale factor.

Under present practice, a man in the Pacific theatre gets a ticket home after making 100 combat missions; a man in the Mediterranean comes home after 50 missions; and a man in the European theatre comes back after 25 combat missions.

Agriculture experts say the blossom-end rot prevalent in tomatoes now is not a disease; but due entirely to the dry weather, and is not unusual at this time of the growing season. The rot appears when the fruit would normally start to ripen. Loss of water thru the leaves is so great during such periods that sufficient quantities cannot be supplied through the root system. In order to meet this loss the plant will draw on the water that was previously stored in the fruits when they were developing under more favorable conditions.

In 1917 Henry C. Benner was given a gold watch by his parents upon graduation from the Worcester High School. Six years later, in 1923, he lost the watch while cultivating corn on his father's farm near Kulpsville, now the E. H. Rosenberry property. Last week Fritz Hellemann, working in the same field found the watch. The lids were corroded fast and the hands gone, but the gold case was almost as bright as it was when new.

Neighbor Jesse Wanner took his boys, Clarence and Albert, on a fishing expedition Sunday morning and showed them how it's done by landing an 8 1/2 lb. carp—without a landing net, too.

The apple crop over the state, according to Harrisburg reports, will be about 50 percent of normal. Early varieties are reported good, but late apples fall considerably below last year's crop. Rains at pollination time were responsible for the light crop, orchardists say, plus some frost damage.

Limiting bread and milk deliveries to every other day was an economical move—providing both consumer and dairyman have storage space. A better plan would be to "swap" customers in order to avoid overlapping routes. For instance, six milkmen and seven bakers pass Jay's door on Fifth avenue. None of them can have more than three of four customers and some have only one on the street. Many, many needless miles are duplicated as these milkmen and bakers follow each other around to single or isolated customers.

Can Russia's "harping" about our failure to open a second front be mere propaganda (a la Willie) designed to confuse Germany and Japan? Russia knows from experience what "Air Power" means and therefore must realize that we long ago opened a second front

NEWS FROM TRAPPE

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Mr and Mrs Albert Stewart and family, of Lansdale, visited Warren W. Walters and family on Sunday. Mr and Mrs A. Wesley Poley and daughters entertained Mr and Mrs John C. Dyson and Mrs Irwin P. Williams, of Arcola, and Private John C. Dyson, Jr., of Camp Robinson, Arkansas, as dinner guests on Sunday. Private Dyson is visiting his parents on a 15-day furlough and will be transferred to the Air Corp upon his return to Camp Robinson.

Miss Ruth Stephens, of Philadelphia, and Tec. Sgt. Ralph Letz of the U. S. Air Corps, now stationed at Cape May, were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Clyde Miller of the McHarg apartments on Saturday evening. Sgt Letz has just returned from three years of foreign service.

Mr and Mrs S. L. Cornish and son are visiting the Rev and Mrs George Drach, of Baltimore, Maryland, at Rohoboth Beach for the week.

Mr and Mrs E. Gilbert Stauffer and sons Donald, Kenneth, Erdin and James, of Kenilworth, visited Mr and Mrs Wallace Hoyer on Sunday.

Mrs George Carvell and son, of Pottstown, spent several days with Mr and Mrs Albert Greiner and family.

Susan Stearly, of near Phoenixville, visited her grandparents, Mr and Mrs S. Walter Stearly and family during the weekend.

Mr and Mrs Calvin Leib and son, of Chester, were weekend guests of Mr and Mrs David Reynolds. Mr and Mrs William R. Knecht and family, of Springfield, spent Sunday as their guests.

Private Robert G. Hunsicker, who is serving somewhere in Africa, has had a change of address. The new mailing address is Btry B, 630th AAA Bn., A.P.O. 464, c/o Postmaster, New York City.

Rev and Mrs Arthur C. Ohl returned home on Thursday after a visit at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Arthur R. Ohl and daughter, of Hawthorne, New Jersey.

Mrs Herbert Young, of Germantown, spent several days at the home of Mr and Mrs Harold F. Poley and family.

James Heffelfinger is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs Warren Heissler, of Delair, New Jersey, this week.

Constance Warren and Lois Hall spent the weekend accompanied by Esther Stewart, of Rahns, at the home of Jane Moore, of Evansburg. Mr and Mrs Elmer Schrack, of Roversford, were recent guests of Mr and Mrs J. Harold Brownback.

St. Luke's Evan. and Ref. Church

Divine Worship will be held in St. Luke's Reformed Church on Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. To this service all visitors, naval and army students as well as soldiers on furlough are cordially welcome. Sunday School session at 9:15 o'clock at which time John Pearson and son, Wayne, will accompany the singing with cornet music.

The Semper Fidelis class of St. Luke's Sunday School held a covered dish dinner after the service on Sunday morning in connection with their regular business meeting. Friends and members of their families were also invited, making a total attendance of 40.

Mrs Charles E. Wismer and these members of the class were present: Ruth Hallman, Dorothy Hallman, Mrs Samuel Leshner, Mrs Harry Moyer, Mrs Winfred Hess, Blanche Bechtel, Eleanor Klauder, Mary Emma Wismer, Mrs Frank Kramer, Mrs Ralph Stittler, Mrs Wesley Zollers, Mrs Floyd Landis and Mrs Maris Griffiths.

Augustus Lutheran Church There will be no sessions of Augustus Lutheran Sunday School on August 22 or 29th. The Service will be regularly conducted at 10:15 o'clock each Sunday.

Augustus Lutheran League is arranging to send Christmas gifts to the men and women of the Congregation who are in the armed forces. Any contribution will be greatly appreciated. If you wish to contribute give same to: Alma M. Fegey, treasurer or Pauline Brownback and Evelyn Bechtel, of the Committee.

Evangelical Congregational Church Services for Sunday are as follows: Sunday School at 1:30 p. m.; Preaching Service at 2:30 p. m.; Christian Endeavor at 7:45 p. m.; Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:45.

successfully over Germany, Italy, Africa, and the South Pacific. The only damage thus far to Axis soil has been done by our (American and British) Air Front.

The American Legion, immediately following the last war, advocated that the only fair way to run a war was to draft industry, management, everybody into the war effort—to work as well as fight for Uncle Sam—with no deferments except for physical reasons. This program did not get very far against the opposition of "big business" interests.

Chinese blame and punish the father if children are delinquent.

NEWS FROM OAKS

Private Thomas Freece, who has been stationed in Colorado for several months, has been honorably discharged from the Army and returned to the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs Clyde I. Freece.

Mr and Mrs Louis Miller and family left for Lake Wallenpaupack in Pike County, where they will vacation for a week. Mrs Allen Bowden will take care of the store in their absence.

Mrs D. Urner and children spent last week in Leslie, Maryland, attending a conference of the Nazarene Church. Mr Urner joined them over the weekend.

Mrs Mike Cunnane and daughter, Miss Naomi Cunnane, spent last week with her sister, Mrs William Levis.

Misses Neda Custer, Gene Walker and Margaret Ritchie enjoyed the weekend in Wildwood, N. J.

Mr and Mrs Louis Rhoads moved from Audubon to the Mrs Margaret Famous property along Egypt road. Mr and Mrs Chester Rambo moved on Thursday from the Jacob Kopenhaver apartment to the home owned by the Fitzgerald estate opposite the Green Tree Brethren Church.

Mrs Martha Bechtel, of Collegeville, spent Thursday with Mr and Mrs Grant Keyser and renewing old acquaintances in the village.

Miss Alice Scott, of Malvern, spent a couple of weeks with her cousin, Mrs Mary Still.

Mrs William Levis spent Thursday in Norristown the guest of her niece, Mrs Alice Levering.

Robert Ivins was called in the Army and left Tuesday. Mrs Ivins will rent her home furnished, and move to the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs William H. Levis.

Mr Cope, Philadelphia, is spending a couple of weeks with Mr and Mrs Horace Ashenfelder.

Rev John Bomberger and family, who have been spending several weeks with Miss Edna Gottwald, left Monday morning for Ocean City, where they will spend a couple of weeks' vacation before returning to their home in Philadelphia.

Mr and Mrs Preston Dunlap are spending a few days with Mrs Dunlap's mother, Mrs Klingler, in the upper part of the state.

Mr and Mrs Lee Palmer, who have been spending a few days at the shore returned on Monday evening.

Mr and Mrs William H. Levis entertained at a farewell dinner Monday evening in honor of their son-in-law, Mr Robert Ivins, who leaves Tuesday morning for army duty.

John Francis accompanied a party of fishermen to Bowers Beach last Wednesday. The men enjoyed good luck. Mr Francis caught both the largest and most fish on the boat.

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LOST—Brown envelope containing 4 Ration Books. Between Evansburg and Dr. Platte's office. Return to WILLIAM SWENHART, Evansburg, Pa. 8-19-43

LOST—Ladies blue pocketbook on Saturday afternoon, August 14, on after two bus between Bridge Hotel, Collegeville and Lamb Hotel, Trappe. Return to 141 Main St., Collegeville or phone 572. 8-19-43

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ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS "Better to know what it costs before you start." Black Rock Road COLLEGEVILLE, R. D. 1

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