## **Junior Martins Win** Over Powellsville

The Williamston Junior Martins won another game by a 5 to 1 score over a strong Powellsville team, which has been undefeated for two

Garland Wynne, hurling for the Martins, held the visitors to eight well scattered hits, while the Mar-tins gathered nine long safeties off Ted Miller, former Williamston Martin hurler.

The leading hitters for Williamston were Fenner Wallace, with a triple and a double, and Sonny Boy Wynne, with two for two.
The batteries: Junior Martin: G

Wynne and H. Wynne; Powellsville. Miller and Johnson.

The Junior Martins and Bear Grass All-Stars will meet on the local diamond Sunday afternoon. The exhibition is slated to get underway promptly at 3:30 o'clock, and a large crowd is expected to turn out for the affray.

## Navy Sub-Chasers In Mass Production

Far from the ocean-prowling U-boats whose extinction soon will be their assignment, Navy sub-chasers are to be turned out, ultimately at the rate of one a week, by the Pull-man-Standard Car Manufacturing Company's new shipyard now rising on the shore of Lake Michigan near Chicago. These will be the first allsteel anti-sub patrol craft built in the mid-west. Other Great Lakes yards are turning out the regular wooden ones, 110-footers, but the Navy needed a company with long experience in working heavy steel, and these 50 sleek, diesel-powered avengers will be built by workers who in peacetime pioneered modern streamlined trains. Although almost all present employes of the car works will work on the ships, several thousand men will have to be en-gaged from outside and trained in shipbuilding crafts. It was pointed out that many skilled workers, including welders, riveters, electrioians, pipe and frame fitters, sheet metal workers, poiners, painters, plumbers and cabinet makers are readily adaptable to shipbuilding.

# Retail Trade Shows

Apparently we've reached the where still-expanding industrial production—almost all of it war work—can no longer produce similar gains in retail business. While heavy production hums, re-



## En Route to Blitzed Britain



Comm. Ying Tsung Chow (left), Chinese naval attache to London, and Maj. John P. Y. Hwang, air attache to the London Embassy, are shown with Hwang's baby, Howard, in their New York hotel. They recently arrived from China, en route to their posts in England. Maj. Hwang has been fighting with the Chinese Air Force since the start of the war with Japan. He is credited with knocking down nine Jap planes.

#### Retail Trade Head



Here's the man whose decisions will affect practically every person in the U. S. It's Dr. Merle Fainsod, Harvard professor, at his desk in Washington, D. C., who has been named head of the new retail trade and services division of the Office of Price Administration, Refere heave Price Administration. Before being named to his new position, Fainsod was price executive in the consumer durable goods section

(Central Press) tail trade for several weeks has fall-A Steady Decrease en steadily behind the pace it had maintained ever since the days when the upswing was called a "defense boom." National department-store sales gains have run merely 15, 13 and 8 per cent ahead of corresponding 1941 weeks, lately— and this means less actual movement of goods across counters because prices are about 19 per cent higher, on the average. Some stores say the custom-

er slow-up was especially noticeable

At Random . .

By CHAS. SMALLWOOD My country 'tis for me Tis me for my country

Be I wise man, or be I fool, I hope 'm wise enough, not to be fool enough, to pit my sparsely gained wisdow against the expertly attained knowledge of Mr. Roosevelt and his orps of advantageously positioned act-finders and advisers

"Take time by the fore-lock," says the wise-man. Take time by the tail, says the fool. Time that is lost, is time that is tossed to the wasting of he winds and the wails.

Hitler, Tojo, Musseline; Three of kind. Roosevelt, Stalin, Churchill, Chiang, Four aces, mine. On with the ame, boys, on with the game

Into the fray goes the son of my father, that the freedom he won ball retain.

"This life is what you make it." No-It's how you take it.

World War I-"War to make the world safe for Democracy.' World War II-War to make Democracy safe for the world.

"All signs fail in dry weather"ind likewise in wet.

'When is a door not a door?" Anwer-"When it's a-jar." When is a chair not a chair? An

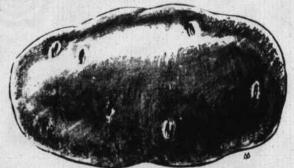
"To be or not to be-is the question." To do or not to do-is the an right after the OPA price-freezing SWCE

order, as though shoppers were waiting for the May 18 reductions. Visit in Norfolk

Messrs. C. D. and G. L. Pittman se reductions will scarcely be worth waiting for, probably av- and Ralph eraging out to less than one per cent. in Norfolk and Ralph Taylor spent Wednesday

WE BUY AND GRADE

# Irish Potatoes



U. S. COBBLERS

## **New Grading Machinery**

To the potato farmers of Martin and adjoining counties, we extend a most cordial welcome to sell their 1942 potatoes with us. Our grading machinery is the best made and we always have the top market price for our customers.

## LARGE STOCK BAGS

We have all the fine quality bags necessary to take care of the farmers of this section. For prompt and efficient service, Sell your potato crop with us.

Smith and Sons

ROBERSONVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

Barring unpredictable developments, the total food supply this year will be the largest on record, according to a statement made by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Farmers

grains would result in a supply of feed next fall and winter more than ample for increased numbers of livestock on farms at that time.

The large pig crop produced last fall is compared to market in increase.

months.

A summary of the situation by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics shows that both the production and consumption of feed will set new high records this year, provided all production and marketing goals to meet the war needs are regebed. Consumer and Government demand for farm products continues to rise. Costs of agricultural prohave been larger to date this year

Biggest acreage increases this year will be in oil crops—peanuts, soybeans, and flaxseed. While goals for peanuts and flaxseed may not be met, the soybean goal may be exceeded. Larger acreages of feed crops also are being planted to maintain feed surplies in abundance for confeed supplies in abundance for con-version into increased quantities of milk, meat, eggs and other livestock Bigger acreages of food products. crops indicated include rice, potaoes, sweet potatoes, dry beans, su-

gar beets and truck crops.

The 1942 wheat crop may total 795 million bushels, to be added to a carry-over of 630 million bushels on July 1st next. The total supply would be enough to take care of domestic needs for two years. Wheat transportation and storage facilities will be taxed in handling the new crop. The carryover of cotton is likely to total 10 million bales, and to this will be added a crop from a larger acre-

Food Supply Will Be Largest On Record Will be in the carryover supply of feed grains this year, and to this will be added the crop from more than In million acres of corn farmers report they intend to plant this year. Good yields of corn and other feed

Department of Agriculture. Farmers indicate their will plant record acreages of many crops. Production of milk and eggs is rising in seasonal volume. Marketing of livestock is also expected to increase in coming months.

The large pig crop produced last fall is coming to market in increasing volume now, and a big spring crop is in prospect. Slaughter supplies of hogs during the next six months will be 15 to 20 per cent largements.

meet the war needs are reached. Con-sumer and Government demand for farm products continues to rise, yielding farmers higher prices and income. Costs of agricultural production also are rising—notably farm milk and cheese has been up to cur-wages—but net returns to farmers rent requirements, but a considerrent requirements, but a considerable additional expansion is sought in the production of dry skim milk Forecast is that prices received by farmers for whole milk at wholesale are likely to be considerably higher than a year earlier during most of 1942.

Production of eggs was much larg t this winter than last, and is rising ow in seasonal volume. The total utput this year may exceed produc tion goals calling for an increase of 13 per cent in 1942 over 1941. Supplies of poultry meat this year will be the largest on record. Six to 10 per cent more chickens and turkeys will be raised on farms this year than last, and the output of commercial broilers is expected to set a new high record.

Potatoes and other fresh vegetables hould be in larger supply this year than last, and a high record pack of canned vegetables is being planned

Pvt. Seth Davis, of the F.A.R.C age than in 1941.

Some 600 million bushels of corn ed his parents over the week-end.

## Rules of the Road . . .

right-of-way, the driver of a vehicle alone . hall at all times cause such vehicle to travel on the right half of the highway unless such right side is

ntersection or railroad grade cross-

## Reports Big Savings In War Production

United Aircraft, which itself has NO PASSING AT INTERSECTIONS passed back \$26,000,000 in savings on government war jobs after achieving Sec. 109, Motor Vehicle Laws of mass-production economies, reports North Carolina: - In crossing an in- further savings in voluntary kicktersection of highways or the inter-section of a highway by a railroad of which is cutting the price \$2,250, 000 on one airplane engine part

Tea
The Government has ordered tea bstructed or impassable."

In other words, it is unlawful to lass another vehicle at any highway intersection or railroad grade crossfrom tea-producing countie



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# FIDAIM .. is Vital to America

... is Vital to Health

A NATION in top-notch health is a nation fit to win! One of the things stressed at the national nutrition conference in Washington, D. C., was the fact that every man, woman and child should drink milk every day—a pint for adults and a quart for the children.

Milk was given first place in the basic minimum diets designed by health authorities to maintain optimum national health. Milk should not be an optional food.

Most people find milk a delicious, refresh ing beverage. If you are one who does not, be sure that your diet includes milk in soups, sauces, gravies, and puddings cooked on an electric range. Electric cookery, now as always, is fast, clean, modern, safe and economical-just like electric light. You'll enjoy milk, too, in delicious ice cream.

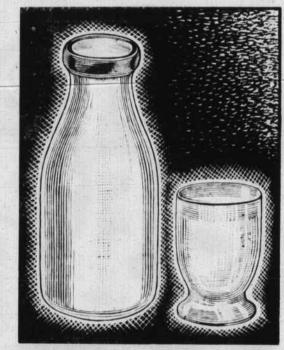
M's good . . . and good for you! Be wise! Next time thirst calls—drink milk!

### TRY TO SERVE THESE BASIC FOODS EVERY DAY:





EGGS-At least 3 or 4 a week, cooked any way you choose; or in "made"





MEAT, POULTRY OR FISH—One or more servings daily. Dried beans,



GRAPEFRUIT — or raw cabbage, or salad greens —at least one of these.



VEGETARIES - Green leafy and yellow; one big helping or more a day-



BREAD OR CEREAL-Whole-grain products or enriched white bread and



FRUIT, potatoes, other vegetables or fruits in



nut butter and s

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