

Wartime Hints

—for— Transylvania and Brevard HOMEMAKERS

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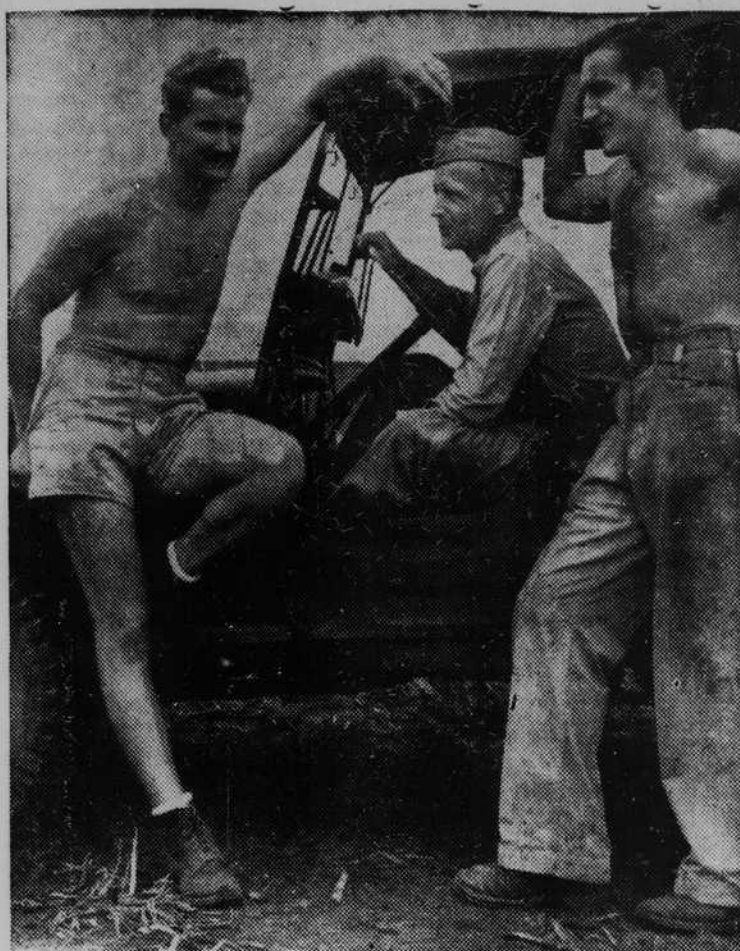
Hallowe'en for Fun

Now that another Hallowe'en occasion is almost upon us, or at least will be next Tuesday night, it might not be amiss to give out a gentle reminder to the youngsters to have plenty of fun on that night but not to carry it too far to damage anyone's personal property. Pure fun and harmless pranks are O. K. if not done to another's inconvenience and loss. Hallowe'en, as you no doubt already know, derived its name from the eve or vigil of All Hallows, or festival of All Saints, on the evening of Oct. 31. In England and Scotland the occasion was long consecrated to harmless fireside revelries, with ceremonies for divining a future sweetheart. So, now, young swains and maidens fair, you'd better beware!

Mrs. English's Spanish Rice

Mrs. E. S. English's Spanish Rice dish which she brought for the covered dish luncheon for the all-day meeting at the Methodist church last week was devoured with such relish by all present that it was thought others might like to have the recipe to try out on their families. It's really a meal-in-one, both nourishing and appetizing. Here's the recipe as given by Mrs. English: Mix well together in baking dish, the following ingredients: 2 cups rice, slightly cooked and drained, 2 tablespoons fat, 1 can No. 2 tomatoes, 1 cup hot water, 3 tablespoons chopped onions, 1 tablespoon chopped green peppers, 1 cup grated cheese, and one-half teaspoon salt and pinch cayenne pepper. Form one-half pound of hamburger into

Pisgah Forest Boy And His Pals In Pacific



THREE NORTH CAROLINA MARINES SOMEWHERE IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC—Veterans of service with a night fighter squadron of the Fourth Marine Air Wing discuss the latest activity at their encampment in a former Jap cane field. They are, left to right: Corporal Edwin Cheek, 21, Pisgah Forest, N. C.; Master Technical Sergeant Clifford M. Baker, 36, of 134 Crawford Street, Asheboro, radio technician; and Corporal John R. Hull, 19, of Victory Station, Gastonia, plane painter.

In A Foxhole

(Editor's note—This impressive poem was sent to The Times by Alma Kilpatrick of Brevard. The poem was said to have been written by an American soldier in the Pacific.)

Christ, I thought I knew all the answers,
Until Madmen started this war,
I never gave you a second thought
Nor talked to you before.

The age-old story of Bethlehem,
And the drama of Calvary,
Were nothing more than mere
fairy tales—

Yes, Lord mere fairy tales to me.

But tonight my helmet is heavy,
And so is the pack on my back,
Barbed wire has left me two torn
hands,

My feet leave a bloody track,

My shoulders sag, neath this heavy
gun.

My body is weary with pain,
And my whole tortured being cries
out,

For rest and release, but in vain.

For the first time in my life I
know.

Your head hurt from a thorny
crown,

And your tired, bleeding shoulders
ached,

When that heavy cross weighed
you down.

Those nails cut into your hands
and feet,

Every inch of your flesh was
torn,

And your bruised body was weary,
My God, once you too were care-
worn.

But you didn't quit—you carried
on

Until the grim battle was
through,

And now "I know" you did it for
me—

So I'll go on fighting for you.

I want you to know I am sorry
It was my sins that put you to
death,

And I'll keep on saying I'm sorry,
Until I draw my last breath.

Christ, I never knew that war
could be,

The means of saving my soul.
How little I thought I would find
you,

In this muddy foxhole.

The WFA has increased the al-
lotment of flue-cured tobacco to
cigarette manufacturers by 64-
000,000 during the current market-
ing season.

GAS FUMES

—by—
Bill Bailey and Gill Thomas
Brief Comment About Topics
of Interest and People
You Know.



Two more of our boys have given their lives for our country—Sgt. Harold J. McCrary and Pfc. Watha Powell. Finer soldiers never followed the Stars and Stripes.

We wish we could get as enthused over our work as J. H. (Gentleman Farmer) Glazener gets over his farm work. He will take time out any ole time to tell you about soya beans grown on James Dickson's farm. There are big beans, middle-sized beans and little beans, but these are a lotta beans.

Gas Fumes was very fortunate last week. Received nice letters from James Wood, CRM; Tech. Sgt. Thern M. Cassell, Pvt. Ray Israel. Thanks, Sgt. Cassell, for all the nice things you said about Gas Fumes. If we can write something that interests service men, then we have accomplished our aim, and will appreciate your suggestions.

Last week we served several new customers at our station. Thanks. We hope we do not disappoint you and will try to service your car to your satisfaction.

Last week we were supposed to give you some information as to making application for new "A" or "D" basic ration books, but space would not permit. Applications for new basic "A" gasoline ration books must be filed with

the ration board as current "A-11" coupons will be worthless after Nov. 8 and coupons in the new book must be used. Applications may be obtained at any filling station and should be filled out and turned in to the ration board with identification cover of present "A" or "D" basic ration book. "A-11" coupons will be good detached. The dead-line for filing applications is Nov. 8. It will be a pleasure for us to help you with your application.

Service men who have visited us since the last installment: Ralph J. Brown, S 2-c; Pfc. Harley H. McMinn; Reid S. Leverett, C m 1-c; Pfc. J. E. Smith; C. E. Patton, F 1-c; A. B. Galloway (AB); Pfc. A. C. Shuford; 2nd Lieut. Juanita Hamilton Webster, A. N. C.; Pfc. Ted E. Dalton; Rice J. Pickelsimer, HA 1-c; Pvt. Bennett Stansell.

Gas Fumes wishes to congratulate the Home Demonstration club of the Calvert-Cherryfield section of our county. They were called upon to raise \$150 for the United War fund. They obtained more than one-third this amount with a pie supper given by the ladies of the community. They are fast attaining the balance of their goal by donations, combining business with pleasure in a "good time had by all."

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The War Fund drive has been continued through this week in order to enable the county to reach its quota. If you have not already done so, make a generous contribution. There is dire need for every penny we have been asked to contribute.



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small balls and place over the mixture. Bake around two hours in moderate oven, and stir occasionally while baking. One cup chopped celery may be added if desired.

Golden Rule Applies

To continue the subject of the Golden Rule and how to apply it in the home, as revealed in replies to hundreds of questionnaires sent out by domestic relations experts, here are a few of the answers given to keep love alive: keep the love fires burning by continually throwing fresh fuel on the flames; tell your husband every day in every way you love him; keep on cutting the bait with which you caught your fish; take a little trouble, if necessary, as you would for a stranger on whom you wish to make a good impression; be a free-hand cook and penny-pincher; make the home cheerful and comfortable; help your wife run her budget instead of lambasting her because she can't make one dollar do the work of five.

Going Nowhere Fast

That sounds like a wisecrack but it isn't. In fact, our sun is doing just that and in so doing makes one of the major mysteries of science. For at least two billion years now, we are told, the sun dragging all the planets along with it, including our earth, has been moving steadily in the direction of the great star Vega at the amazing rate of 378,000,000 miles a year. By the time we reach Vega, which still cannot be for a couple of billion years or so, it won't be there. At least, let's hope not.

It's Style She Wanted

A certain Brevard housewife had been noticing her cook taking home with her the grapefruit hulls left from the breakfast table, and wondered why she should do that.

OAKLAND NEWS

By MRS. LEE NORTON

Walter Reid visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Reid, here the past week.

Clarence W. Norton, of Wil- lard, visited relatives and friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chappell were here last week for a farewell visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chappell, before leaving for Miami, Fla., where he will be transferred to further war service.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McCall left here last Friday for Miami, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Ray Sanders, of West Ashe- ville, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Sanders.

Rev. and Mrs. Lester Williams have moved from Lake Toxaway to the McNeely place here at White Pine tourist camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Ducker and Mrs. E. D. Reid were visitors in Seneca, S. C., last Sunday.

Prayer service next Sunday night will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hall, with Miss Frances Thomas in charge.

One day she asked:

Housewife: "Mandy, I notice you've been taking our empty grapefruit hulls home with you. What on earth do you do with them?"

Mandy: "Yassum. Ise been carry- ing 'em home. I think they make my garbage look so stylish."

When your doctor asks where you prefer to have your prescription filled, say: VARNER'S, because: Filled only by registered pharmacist; as written and at reasonable prices. (Advt.) tfe

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