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Latest News Wed.-Thurs.-Fri.-Sat.

Fri.-Sat., June 25-26

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LATEST NEWS — COLOR CARTOON — SERIAL

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Westfall and children and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mueller and baby of Detroit were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Auten Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Walling, Milford, and Mrs. Lester Wright, Ypsilanti, were Sunday callers at the home of Mrs. Walling's niece, Mrs. William Burnett.

Misspissippi Charles D. Jewel of Annapolis visited his aunt, Mrs. Paul Schreiber, enroute to his parents' home in Washington. He was accompanied by Miss Eleanor Jewel of Grand Rapids, who remained for a longer visit with her sister, Mrs. Schreiber.

Guests on Father's Day of Ben Meyers were his daughter, Mrs. Sherman Yerkes, and her daughter, Isabel, and small son, all from Canada. It was the first time in eight years that Mrs. Yerkes had been to Farmington and it was a most pleasant surprise for her father.

Average Father
Census figures indicate 32 million American fathers average 44 years of age; they have one to two children at home; they live in a city of 2,500 or over; and they earn from \$1,100 to \$1,200 annually if they work in an industrial establishment.

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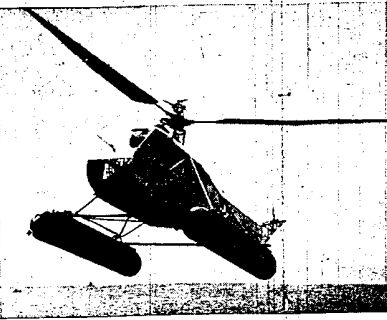
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SERVICE NOTES

It was incorrectly stated in last week's paper that Doug Bell had been transferred to Tampa, Florida. Doug was just last Thursday inducted into service with the United States Navy, and is now at Great Lakes, Illinois. It was Damon Knight, formerly of Seymour Johnson Field, who has been transferred and is now at Tampa, Florida.

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Camp Maxey, Texas

Dear Sirs:

Again I want to write and tell you how much enjoyment I get from reading the Enterprise. I have been in the Army almost eight months now, and I look forward to my home town paper.

If all of the boys in the service have the spirit we have in the 380th, it will be a short war.

Again I say "Thanks," and let's all do our best for an all out victory.

Pfc Frank Barber.

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June 15, 1943

Dear Editor:

I should have sent my new address some time ago, but things are so busy I just can't keep up with them. I am doing fine and believe everyone back home is doing his part. That's what it is going to take to win this war, and we Americans are just the kind of people to do it.

Whatever we have to do, I'm sure the reward will be well worth the effort.

I wish to thank you again for the Enterprise. It sure helps to hear news from home.

Best wishes, A Home Town Soldier.

Corporal John Bedson.

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Corporal Henry Dehane, Jr., stationed at Niagara Falls, New York, called his father Sunday for Father's Day.

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Corporal C. E. Alverson and his wife, on furlough from Fort Custer, visited with friends and relatives here. He returned on Monday.

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About 40 years is the age deadline for the trees in a profitable apple orchard—50, perhaps, in the northern parts of New England, New York, and Michigan, where trees develop slowly. Horticulturists of the department of agriculture consider that most commercial orchards should be replaced at least by the time they are 40 years old.

Fruit of the best size and quality grows on relatively young trees. It sent his final message from another U-boat victim. The lifeboats are pulling away from the doomed vessel as millions of dollars' worth of food, supplies and munitions settle to the ocean bottom in another allied catastrophe in the Battle of the Atlantic.

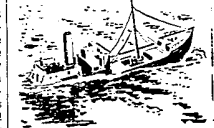
Since it takes about six to eight years before apple trees even begin to bear, and about 10 before they bear heavily, one-fourth of the life of the trees is over before they are good producers. Therefore a grower practicing systematic renewal has about one-fourth of his acreage under 10 years of age all the time. As that one-fourth comes into bearing an equal number of worn-out trees are removed and new stock planted near—though not exactly the same planting spots. Sometimes the young trees are planted between older trees when the orchard is about 35 years old. Five years later the old trees come out, when the young ones grow to need the space.

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