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#### Home for Easter

Congress packed up its nightshirt along with its troubles and adjourned for an Easter recess. Worn and weary with jangling over taxation the members are seeking rest, and perhaps guidance, in their old home towns. During the week agreement was like Finnegan: "on again, off again, gone again." The great problem was how to jump from one flying trapeze to another. Congressmen, who are agile in acrobatis, couldn't get together on the correct procedure. How to switch from credit to cash and carry on taxes was the sticker. All seemed agreed on the wisdom of the switch; but they couldn't agree on what to do with the tax liability of citizens for 1942: to forgive 75% or 50% or none at all.

One representative, Clare Boothe Luce, whose office, by the way, is next to Oregon's Harris Ellsworth's, has already been home and made a speech. With characteristic Luce lucidity or acidity she laid out the way Washington runs the war for the benefit of her Connecticut constituents. Relating the failure and delinquencies of the war administration she queried: "Is not some one in authority fighting a lazy man's war, a stupid man's war, a soft war at the expense of our sons' lives and our nation?" Well, if Clare ran it, it would not be a "man's war"; and it surely would not be stupid.

Mrs. Luce declared it was time to wage a "hard war", and put her finger on taxation: "There is no more important war bill than a total tax bill," adding that to control inflation: "we must bring out a tax bill adjusted not to people's wants but to their actual needs; those who can afford it, the well-to-do and the rich, must be taxed almost to the point of constitutional confiscation." She further stated that if It became necessary to draft labor "we must also devise a bill to draft all capital, profits and plants."

Mrs. Luce's address was perhaps too strong for this moment. But she is right in this, that we are not waging a "hard war" where one is needed. Instead of talking about forgiving taxes congress should be spending its time figuring how to incrase the income from taxation. While Britain collects half its budget in taxes. our country skids along on only 30 per cent. with talk about forgiving chunks of that. The idea of a withholding tax is sound, but this is no time to talk about lightening the tax load the people must bear.

### Petroleum Reserves

Wildcatting, the drilling of wells to locate new oil fields, has declined during the war period. Well drilling for oil declined 40 per cent in 1942. Petroleum production tapered off slightly that year, but war demands continue enormous, and whenever gas and tire rationing is relaxed demand for gas and oil will immediately expand.

According to a study in Business Week our oil reserves are estimated at 20 billion barrels, which at present rates of consumption would last only 16 years. But with peace we will see a revival of exploration which usually results in opening new fields and adding to known reserves. There is constant improvement in refining processes so that higher octane gas is being produced. The Socony company is now announcing new inventions in refining which give a gas with far higher octane than at present. This, it is claimed, will greatly increase the value of gasoline in terms of energy. The increase in engine efficiency, the cutting down of weight through greater use of light metals will also provide more miles per gallon of gasoline. Thus the life of our known reserves of petroleum may be extended.

Finally the erection of all the alcohol plants for manufacture of styrene and butadiene for use in the manufacture of synthetic rubber may find their post-war use in manufacture of alcehol for mixing with gasoline for use in internal combustion engines. In fact this might be the solution of the rubber problem: using the alcohol for fuel instead of tires and going back to the purchase of rubber from foreign countries. This would hold the alcohol plants in reserve for rubber use too.

So, while the country should not neglect its petroleum resources and should extend its drilling as quickly as possible under priority and price restrictions, still the prospect is not unduly alarming. It is recalled that in the past many warnings have been given of declining oil reserves, yet each five-year period has seen an expansion of reserves, in spite of increased consumption. This cannot go on forever, for petroleum is an exhaustible resource. But long before that occurs other fuels will be provided in quantity to take the place of gasoline. Lubricants, well, that is another matter.

### Short Law Crop

Only 18 will take state bar examinations in June, according to the announcement of Arthur S. Benson, clerk of the state supreme court. The usual run is well over 100, though last year only 50 wrote.

This interlude of a short crop of law school graduates will be hailed as a boon by many. The truth is that there have been too many lawyers for the volume of business to be handled. In consequence many had to shift to other occupations though their legal training was probably of value there. And the assertion has been made by those interested in improving donal standards that the overcrowding of the profession results in violation of ethics on the part of the weaker-willed members of ession. "Cutting the corners" is encouraged when the lawyer is right up against it for

The volume of law business handled by priers has declined. The number of eled in circuit and supreme courts is fewsome weeks only two or three decisions are er—some weeks only two or three decisions are
handed down by the high court. Much work know where our sheep are, but haven't sufficient is done by government agencies which hire their points to get them.—Astorian Budget.

own attorneys. And the war, with its wet blanket on business, reduced the work in law

When the war is over the barristers will bud again; and it is to be hoped that business will bud too so they may be honorably employed in an old and honorable profession.

### **News Behind** The News

By PAUL MALLON

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WASHINGTON, April 21-The charge has been made in the press that much of the housewife's trouble in getting enough food at the grocery is due to government over-buying and waste of foods. One authority claimed 20 per cent of our available food was lost by govern-

ment inefficiency. It's true. Competent food authorities, outside the government here, say the federal handling of food was a "disgrace." They date it back even to the time when the camps were being constructed and too much food was bought for the commissary departments to feed the workers. The 20 per cent estimate may

Paul Mallon

or may not be accurate, but proof of the basic fact lies in the official action turning

back large supplies to consumer channels. Apparently, the over-buying was not in any one line, but in eggs, dairy products, meats, vegetables, canned foods and now potatoes (too many were dehydrat-

Local newspapers a few days back carried an item urging servicemen to avoid public restaurants and to eat in camps where there is plenty of food.

Somehow these things happen in various phases of the war effort day after day and no one is ever held responsible. So far, the war has been conducted without placing of responsibility.

No one was held responsible for Pearl Harbor, and apparently no one has been held responsible for anything since then.

It is true, the commissary departments for the armed services should err on the side of getting too much for the men, rather than too little, and we at home must accept what is left, without complaint. But waste of food by anyone, including the armed services is disastrously detrimental to the war effort, and should be exposed rather than censored.

If the average man makes a mistake in his income tax return, he will find how important the government regards even a minor slip. This man cannot be allowed to feel that generals and admirals are immune to a similar responsibility for their errors, in more vital matters.

Fighting, government, and civilian morale will deteriorate if a complacent and benevolent attitude toward inefficiency continues to be maintained.

The defference between the Keynes British plan and the White American plan for financially internationalizing the post-war world were omitted in a recent column for purposes of simplification. But there are differences-vast ones.

Shrewd Keynes has presented a tricky method of instituting the international board of directors which is to run the international money world. Instead of having membership on the board divided according to the amount of money put up by each of the nations, he would allocate these mighty seats on the basis of foreign trade handled by each nation in the three pre-war years.

Of course, this would give Britain complete control. The British, on their little island, are almost entirely an international trading nation. Their dollar volume of international shipping is much

Thus, the British proposed to gain control, not only of the stabilization of international currencies, but they would also even be able to devalue the dollar and up the value of the pound. They could impose penalties on any non-subscribing nation, could borrow money from our federal reserve bank, and generally lay a heavy hand upon the fiscal affairs of the United States.

Our White plan proposed that no participating nation gain more than 25 per cent of control on the board, but wants us to donate 40 per cent of the \$5,000,000,000 fund. It would let us have a veto power on many important issues by requiring a four-fifths vote from the board of directors.

Keynes, similarly, is toying with us on the gold aspects of the plan. It is clear that the smaller nations could put up as little as 5 per cent of their donation in gold, making 95 per cent of their contribution to the fund in their more doubtful currencies and bonds. Obviously, Keynes proposes to use gold, even in this small way, only for two good British reasons:

(1) London investors own most of the stock of the gold mines in the world in Africa, Australia, Canada and elsewhere, and (2) the United States has clung to gold, and even a minor use of it would make any financial scheme primarily attractive to

Obviously, Lord Keynes has done more than propose a simple utilitarian method of stabilizing international exchange. He has concocted a skillful device for British financial control.

#### **Editorial Comment** From Other Papers

This entire community will be well pleased with the friendly settlement of matters which have been in dispute between the Eugene Fruit Growers Association and Cannery Workers Union No. 23,031because it means that farmers, canners and all of us can turn all our energies to this summer's job of food pack.

All labor relationships become much easier when the two sides discover that "the other fellow doesn't wear horns." We think everybody in Eugene and Lane county will feel a certain satisfaction in this agreement as evidence that "good will" lives here.—Eugene Register-Guard.

Senator Van Neys says that people are getting sick and tired of reading government publicity. We think the senator is wrong. The people never get a chance to read it. It all goes into the waste basket. It's the newspaper editorial departments that are sick of the stuff.—Bend Bulletin.



The Clock Watcher

## **Today's Radio Programs**

KSLM-SATURDAY-1390 Ec. 7:00—News in Brief, 7:05—Rise 'n' Shine, 7:30—News. 7:45—Morning Moods. 7:45—Morning Moods.
8:00—Eaion Boys.
8:30—News Brevities,
8:35—Tango Time.
9:00—Pastor's Call.
9:30—Popular Salute.
10:00—World in Review.
10:05—Jack Feeney.
10:30—Organ, Violin, Harp Trie.
11:30—Cainpus Freshmen.
11:15—Passion Week Scripture,
11:30—Hits of Yesteryear.
12:00—Organalities.
12:15—News.
12:30—Hillbilly Serenade.
12:35—Willamette Falley Opinion

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4:30—Teatime Tunes. 5:15—Let's Reminisce. 5:45—Violin. 6:00—Tonight's Headlines. 6:15—War News Commentary. 5:20—Evening Serenade. 6:50—War Fronts in Review. 0 Weekend Jamboree. 0 Willamette Valley Opinions. 7:50-Five Nove

8:00—News. 8:15—Teddy Powell's Orchestra, 8:45—Main Street Album. :00—News, 1:15—Old Timers' Dance. 9:45—Johnny Mezzner's Orchestra. 10:00—Let's Dance. 10:30—News. 16:45—Roll up the Rug.

KALE-MBS-SATURDAY-1330 Kc. 6:45—Uncle Sam. 7:06—Around the Clock. 7:15-Texas Rangers. 30—Memory Timekeeper, 00—Haven of Rest. 8:30—News, 8:45—Old Songs. 00—Buyer's Parade, 15—The Woman's Side of the News 36—Wartime Women, 9:35—Wartime Womei 9:35—Hello Again. 0:00—News 0:15—Stars of Today. 0:30—This and That. 1:00—Journal Juniors. 11:30—Concert Gens. 12:25—On the Farm Front. 12:30—News 12:06—Concert. 2:45 On the Farm Front, 1:00 Elmer Davis, 1:38 From Rigadoon to Bumba, 2:00 Navy Builetin Board, 3:00 I Hear America Singing, 3:30 Hawaii Cails, 4:00-American Eagle Club. 4:00—American Eagle Club.
4:45—News.
5:00—Mastera Entertains.
6:30—Norman Neabitt.
6:00—Cisco Kid.
6:30—Upton Close.
6:45—They're The Barrys.
7:00—John B. Hughes.
7:15—Movie Parade.
7:30—Jerry Sears.
6:00—This is The Hour.
6:30—Music.
9:00—News.
10:00—Orchestra.
10:30—News.
10:45—Jack Mulean Orchestra.
11:30—Shady Valley Folks.

EER-BN-SATURDAY-1196 Ke. 6:00-Musical Clock. 6:00—Musical Clock.
7:00—The Cadets.
7:15—Mirandy of Persimmon Holler.
7:30—News.
8:00—Reakfast Club.
9:00—Christian Science Program.
9:15—Reading is Fum.
9:30—Breakfast at Sardi's.
10:00—National Farm and Hems.
10:30—Christian Science Program.
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10:30—Musical Cocktail.
2:45—Sol Lewis, Country Editor.
3:00—Korn Kobblers. 6:00—Message of Israel. Symphen comlinsen, ht Bands.

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S-Dick Joy, News.
S-Consumer News.
S-Jackson Wheeler, News.
S-Fashions for Rations.
O-Theatre of Today.
S-Kid Critics. Wattz.

Ryder. Porter, News, Lewis.

Next day's programs appear on comics page.

5:00—Music, 5:30—America's Home Front, 5:45—News.
5:55—Eric Severeid, News.
6:00—Air-Flo of the Air.
6:15—Victory Bellen.
6:30—SPARS and WAVES.
6:45—Saturday Night Serenade.
7:15—Heathman Concert. Frazier Hunt, Thanks to the Yanks. Hobby Lobby.

9:00—Hit Parade.
9:45—Don't You Believe It.
10:00—Five Star Final.
10:15—Soldiers of the Press,
10:30—Orchestra.
11:30—Manny Strand Orchestra.

11:55—News. Midnight to 6 a.m.—Music and News. KGW-NBC-SATURDAY-620 Ke. 4:00—Dawn Patrol. 6:00—Everything Goes. 6:50—News Headlines. 7:00-News

7:00—News.
7:25—Aunt Jemima,
7:30—Nellie Revell Presents.
7:45—Sam Hayes.
8:00—Organ Concert.
8:15—James Abbe Covers the News.
8:30—Coast Guard on Parada.
8:45—Vegstables for Victory,
9:00—Music Room.
8:15—Consumer's Time. 9:30—Mirth and Madness, 10:90—Music 10:30—All Out for Victory. 10:45—The People's War.

11:00—Stars of Tomorrow.
12:00—US Air Force Band.
12:30—News.
1:00—Matinee in Rhythm.
1:30—Minstrei Melodies. 2:00—Doctors at War. 2:30—Visiting Nurse of the Air. e 2:45—News by Alex Brier. 3:00—Musical Mosaics. 3:25—News. 3:30—Religion in the News.

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4:30—Noan Webster Says.
5:00—Sports Script.
5:45—America Looks Abroad.
6:00—National Barn Dance.
6:30—Can You Top This?
7:00—Bill Stern Sports Newsreel.
7:30—Grand Of Opry. -Truth or Consequ -Abie's Irish Rese. 0-Mystery of the Mo 10:00—News. 10:15—Pasadena Auditorium Orch. 10:30—St. Francis Hotel Orchestra.

10:55—News. 11:00—Hetel Biltmore Orchestra. 11:30—News 12:00-2 a.m.—Swing Shift. EGAC-SATURDAY-SSO Ec. 10:00-News 10:15-Homen 10:15—Homemaker's Hour.
11:30—Co-ed Half Hour.
12:30—News.
12:15—Noon Farm Hour.
1:30—Favorite Classics.
1:15—Today's War Commentary.
1:30—Books and Authors.
2:15—Modern Mood.
2:30—Memory Book of Music.
2:30—News. 3:00-News
3:15-Treasury Star Parade.
3:39-Concert Hall.
4:90-Traffic Safety Quis.
4:15-The Band Stand.
4:30-Stories for Boys and Girls.
5:30-The Mood is Blue.
5:15-On the Campuses.
5:30-Evening Vespers.
5:45-H's Oregon's War.
6:15-News. Evening Farm Hour.

9:45-Treasury Star Parade. KSLM-SUNDAY-1398 Kc. ngworth Fourson Organ, Harp, Viol

0-World in Review. American Lutheran Church Langworth String Quartetta. —War Commentary. —Golden Manuellary. 6:30—Tonight's Headlines. 6:35—Anita Boyer and Tomboyers. 6:30—Langworth Gypay Orchestra. 7:30—Bob Hamilton's Quintones. 7:30—Langworth Novelty and Salon p-First Presbyterian Church. 0-Westminster Players. k Home Hour.

KALE-MBS-SUNDAY-1330 Ke.

1:00-Lutheran Hour. 1:30—Young People's Church. 2:00—Temple Baptist Church. 2:30-Portland Bible Classes.

3:00-First Nighter. 3:30-Upton Close 3:45-Voice of the Dairy Farmer. 4:06-Dr. Johnson.

4:45-News. 5:00-American Forum. 5:45-Gabriel Heatter. 6:00-Old Fashioned Revival Hour. 7:00-John B Hughes. 7:15-Music of the Masters. 7:45-Rocking Horse Rhythm. 8:00-Hinson Memorial Church

9:15-Voice of Prophecy. 9:45-Sunday Serenade. 10:00-Old Fashioned Revival Hour. 11:00-Answering You.

11:30-Return of Nick Carter. KEX-BN-SUNDAY-1190 Ke. 8:00-Soldiers of Production. 8:30-Things As tTey Are. 8:45-African Trek. 9:00-The Quiet Hour. 9:30—Stars from the Blue, 10:00—Horace Heidt Review, 10:45—News. 10:45—News.
11:00—Coast to Coast on a Bus.
11:45—Speaking of Glamour.
12:15—Wake Up, America.
1:00—National Vespers.
1:46—Voice of the Farmer. 2:00—Granpappy and His Pals. 2:30—Musical Steelmakers. 2:30—Musical Steelmakers.
3:30—News.
3:30—Here's to Romance.
3:30—Free World Thestre.
4:30—Chaplain Jim, USA.
4:30—Serenade.
5:00—Christian Science Program.
5:15—Neighbors.
5:30—Edw. Tomlinson, Commentator
5:45—Drew Pearson. 5:35—Edw. Tominson, Commer 5:45—Drew Pearson, 6:00—The Green Hørnet, 6:30—Inner Sanctum Mysteries, 7:00—Good Will Hour, 1:15 Jimmie Fidler. 1:30 Quiz Kids. 1:00 Dorothy Thomps. 1:30 News Headlines. 9:55—Music. 9:55—News. 10:00—University Explorer, 10:15—Organ Reveries. 10:30—The Quiet Hour. 11:00—Symphony of Melody. 11:30—War News Roundup.

KOIN-CBS-SUNDAY-056 Ks. 5:00-News of the World, 6:45-English Meledles. 7:50-Church of the Air, 7:30-Wings Over Jordan. 8:00-Warren Sweeney, News, 8:05-West Coast Church, 8:30-Invitation to Learning. 9:00—News. 9:30—Salt Lake Tapernacie. 0:00—Church of the Air. 9:30—Trans-Atlantic Call. 19:30—Trans-Atlantic Call.
11:30—Thuse We Leve.
11:30—World News Today.
11:35—Aunt Jemima.
12:30—Toronto Symphony and Choir.
1:30—The Passe that Refreshes on 2:00—The Family Hour. 3:30—Sgt. Gene Autry. 4:00—Commander

11:55—News. 11:55—News. Midnight to 8 a.m.—Music and News. 0-News,
5-Commando Mary,
0-National Radio Pulpit,
0-Words and Music,
0-The Church in Your Home. 0-News. 15-The Dinning Sisters. 9:00—Commentator.
9:30—That They Might Live.
10:00—War Telescope.
10:15—Labor for Victory.
10:30—We Believe.
11:30—Chicago Round Table.
11:30—John Charles Thomas.
12:30—Washington Reports on tioning.

They Sell Sailors Elephants New Novel by Frederick Hazlitt Brennan

Chapter 19 (continued)

She had the last word. "The navy teaches men to tell the truth," she said, vaguely. "I'm so glad it's only ten days more, dear."

Duty, honor, coutry-and tellng the truth—were heavy on Fireman Dunnevan's mind as he and Seaman Linn approached The Nutberger Merry-Go-

Round in downtown San Diego.

driving their rented flivver.

"Benny?" "Yeah?"

"We've double-crosst Miss Elnora. Our hearts ain't pure no

"How do you figure that,

"First we promersed to stick Sedgwick with Erin Go Bragh. But we dint. Ner!"

"That was a act of Providence, Tim. With Garvey an' you helpin' out. But we tried to stick him. Deny that?" "Ner, but-"

"Okay. The switch trick didn't jell. So what? We move in on Sedgwick. We get him scairt his gal will find out he's bought The Shamrock. Right?" "Yerse, but-"

"So what does Sedgwick do? He agrees to let us be the anonymal owners, like the deal never went through. He puts The Shamrock back in the Linn-Dunn Stable. So what, dumb-

head?" "Whut, Benny?"

"Soon as Silent Thomas relacts his vigilance, we make the switch we gummed up before. Get it?" "You mean put Erin Go Bragh

in Shamrock's place?" "Right! So what? We keep our word to Miss Elnora don't we? What's double-crossting about that?" "You mean it's like a de-

layed steal, Benny?" "A brain!" Fireman Dunnevan had one

more twinge of conscience. "But we shoont of told Sedgwick Millicent an' Georgine was gonna sue us, Benny. That wasn't honest. Besides, you took five hunnert bucks more from Sedgwick to settle the case outa court."

"That's jest insurance, Tim." "How you figger-" "Look, dumbhead, can you guarantee that them dames

### **Safety Valve** Letters from Statesman Readers

Senator Defends Law

To the Editor: In your paper of April 17th I read an account of the talk made by Senator Lamport before the Realtor Board. He refers despairingly to the Community Property law. The bill for this law in the legislature was sponsored by me, and I feel I should answer his remarks, and incidentally, tell the whole truth about the measure.

I had this bill prepared for three reasons, all of which were important. Only one point was mentioned by Senator Lamport. Here is an explanation of the three points:

1st: The most important purpose and result of this law is to place Oregon on an equality with Washington, Idaho, Nevada and California; those states which entirely surround Oregon. This arrangement will encourage our wealthy Oregonians to remain here where they made their fortunes. Of course, in due time under this arrangement, their inheritance taxes will automatically come to Ore-

2nd: This law will place the wemen in Oregen in the position regarding property which they rightfully should be in. Oregon is proud of her women, and this law is concrete evidence of that pride.

3rd: As a result of this law the citizens of Oregon and all of her bordering states will be placed in exactly the same position regarding federal income taxes. This is just and right, and is as it should be in the ordinary course of business affairs, and is just good common horse sense.

Oregon has always been first in national duty compared to other states in competitive endeavor. It seems silly to talk of Oregon trying to avoid taxes. We will gladly pay whatever our government asks, but our payments in common justice to our citizens must be comparable

with the neighboring states. Senator Lamport seems to enjoy seeing people pay taxes. He deplores the placing of our income tax payers on a par with the citizens of our neighboring states, and he voted against the Community Property law. By the same token he apparently wishes to see even our old age pensioners pay sales taxes, as voted for a sales tax law. I like most Oregonians, have had to work hard for what property and income I have been able to secure, and I am endeavoring to preserve it and make it a easy and equitable as possible for Oregonians to earn a living and pay their taxes.

Yours very truly, Lew Wallace,

won't make trouble before this

is over?" "Ner, but-"

"I'm holdin' Sedgwick's hunderd as a reserve fund, jest in case. Get it?"

"You sure can make things look right, Benny!"

"They look right because they're a hunderd per cent. Two guys had no purer motive from the start of this than I an' you. Tim. They sold us elephants an' all this time we been actin'

"But whut if Millie an' Geor-

"Pipe down-"

They find reached the Nutberger Merry-Go-Round. Georgine and Millicent hurried out to the car.

"Hi-yah, Tim and Benny!" "Hi-yah, girls!" "Yerse, hi-yah?"

Georgine was not smiling. She had a folded sports page on her tray, which she shoved in front of Benny. "More news from Denmark,

Benny!" she said. "Talk fast, talk fast!" Seaman Linn glanced at the

newspaper story: Sedgwick Denies He Bought Maiden Stakes Winnert Says He Is Through With Racing

Chapter 20

Then Seaman Linn read the newspaper story:

Linn-Dunn Stable Still Owner of "Mystery Twin"

By JAKE JICK

Bert Sedgwick, better known among his host of friends on the turf as "Show Money," denied this morning a rumor that he had purchased The Shamrock,

has the whole town talking. "I said I was through with racing and that still goes," Sedgwick told the writer. "So far as I know, The Shamrock still is owned by Mr. Linn and Mrs. Dunnevan. They have had numerous offers for the horse but have refused to sell."

whose sensational race yesterday

(To be continued)

### Today's Garden By LILLIE L. MADSEN

Mrs. W. A. M .- writes that she has a daphne which is not doing so well. Says the ground is hard and cracking around it. It is on the north side of the house.

Answer: I rather believe it is a soil condition. Daphnes like a well drained, in fact an almost perfectly drained, soil. A peaty or very sandy soil is best. Daphnes are very short lived in a heavy clay, soggy soil. They thrive best in full sun. I would move the daphne to a southern exposure if possible. See to it that the soil is loose and friable. If it is very heavy, add some peat or sand to the soil. When you replant it-and this can be done at any time now, plant it just a trifle deeper than it has been growing, provided that it was not too deeply planted in the beginning. Humus is good for the daphne. I had to move mine three times before I found a good spot for it. After it is once established in a suitable location it does very well. Give it a few soakings during the very driest part of the summer. As a rule, this daphne to which you refer is not injured by frost.

Mrs. S. P.—from your des-cription of the shrub, I would guess that it was one of the deutzias - but this is only a guess. Send me a little branch of it-preferably with flowers, and perhaps I can better identi-

fy it. R. O .- The red bud is a lovely tree and will eventually bloom. Don't get discouraged. It took mine five years after it was planted. However, I have been told of some which bloomed in two or three years. But it is worth waiting for even if it does take five years.



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