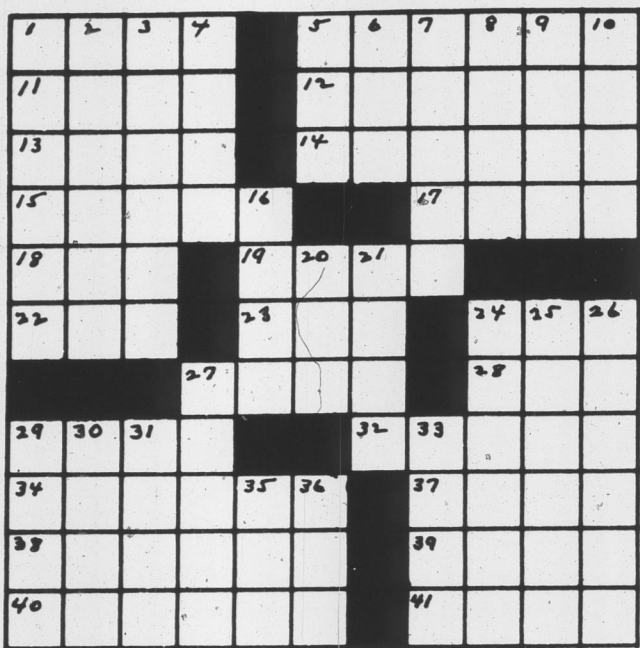


Community Corner



ACROSS

- 1 Splendor
- 5 Waver
- 11 Examination
- 12 Fly
- 13 Place
- 14 Liquid measure
- 15 Complete
- 17 Arab abode
- 18 Bitter beer
- 19 Woeful word
- 22 Conducted
- 23 Flying machine
- 24 Picnic drink
- 27 Put a value on
- 28 Big beast
- 29 Man's nickname
- 32 Fine fabric
- 34 Mr. Firestone
- 37 Asian land
- 38 Stir up
- 39 Speck
- 40 Most sensible
- 41 Arctic vehicle

DOWN

- 1 cards
- 2 Beautiful bird
- 3 Tangled together
- 4 Request
- 5 Tire by work
- 6 Miss Gardner
- 7 Lively songs
- 8 Story
- 9 English school
- 10 Torn place
- 16 Tibetan monk
- 20 Illuminated
- 21 "Rock of"
- 24 Scout group
- 25 Pain reliever
- 26 Wrote
- 27 Theater entertainment
- 29 Exclamations
- 30 Actress Theda...
- 31 Golf club
- 33 Purposes
- 35 Letter
- 36 Thus far

(Answers on page 6)



NATIVITY ART — Rev. Herbert George, left, of Epworth Forest, presented slides of Christmas Nativity Art for the Kiwanis Club of Lakeland, North Webster, on Monday morning, Dec. 23. With him is Kiwanis' Program Chairman Curtis Jordan.

Rev. George explained that the church has used art to portray many of the events that are closely associated with the birth of Jesus. Among the slides depicting nativity art were masterpieces from a church in Italy, showing the arrival of the wise men at the scene of Jesus' birth, and another from a French Romanesque Church, showing Mary and the Babe on a donkey moving slowly away from Bethlehem.

Other nativity art scenes portrayed Mary and baby Jesus through Renaissance artistry; modern revision of Joseph and Mary with the baby on their journey to Egypt; French artists showing Mary and Joseph arriving in Bethlehem and making their plea before the innkeeper for a place to stay; art illustrating the shepherds being directed by an angel to the place of Jesus birth, and a masterpiece showing Mary and Jesus in Dresden, Germany.

LOUISA'S LETTER



Dear Louisa,
I have a problem and can't decide what to do about it. My husband was in an auto wreck about a year ago and there were two girls with him. Since this incident he has been seeing one of the girls off and on. About a month ago things started getting out of hand.
I found her glasses in his car and she rides by the house and calls on the phone all the time. I know it sounds silly, but I still feel like I love him so much and don't want to lose him.
I saw a lawyer and he suggests a legal separation. My husband feels that he doesn't know how he feels. Am I a fool to love him after all he has done or should I look for the next fish in the sea. (He won't agree to see a marriage counselor.)
Please — I need advice and fast.
Y.T. — Tex.

your mind and this may also let him know that he, too, has to make a choice.
Louisa

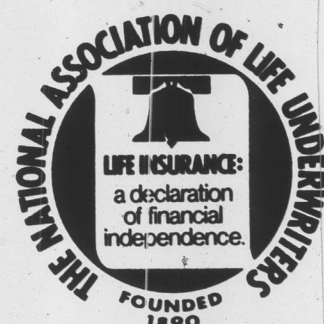
Dear Louisa,
Is it necessary to send presents to all the weddings to which you are invited?
My husband is in business and we get invitations from people I've never met. Some of them are just announcements.
Wife — N.H.

Answer:
It is never obligatory to send presents unless you wish to do so. However, if you attend the wedding and a reception, afterwards, you would naturally feel that a present should be sent.

Then there are people you feel close to and others that you or your husband may feel obligated to for some reason or another and you would wish to present them with a gift.

But you should not feel that you have to send a gift simply because you have received an invitation or an announcement.
Louisa

Address: Louisa, Box 532, Orangeburg, S.C. 29115



Questions & Answers About LIFE & HEALTH INSURANCE

Question 1: What is an annuity?

Answer: An annuity is a plan where a person can invest a sum of money, generally with a life insurance company. Basically an annuity provides for a systematic liquidation of a sum of money, plus earnings on the money, over the lifetime of an individual (called the annuitant). Payments from the annuity can begin immediately, or can be deferred until some future date, such as the attainment of age 65 or 70.

Question 2: How does money accumulate in an annuity?

Answer: There are many ways in which this is accomplished. A person may receive a large sum of money, such as an inheritance, and place this single sum in an annuity with the intent of having it paid out at retirement to supplement retirement income. Between the date the annuity is purchased and payments begin to the annuitant, earnings on the money are tax sheltered. That is, there is no current tax on interest or earnings credited to the annuity. When payments begin, a portion of each payment is considered a return of principal, a portion considered interest and the interest is taxable as ordinary income. The same principle holds true if money is deposited in an annuity on a periodic basis, such as monthly or yearly. Thus there is a two-fold tax deferral: first during the accumulation or holding period when earnings are tax free, then at payout time when the taxable portion is spread out over the lifetime of the annuitant.

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Meals for Older Americans

Meals for Older Americans are served each day at the following locations: The Scout Cabin, Syracuse; the Pierceton Community Building; Mentone Community Room in the fire station; the Retired Tigers Center, 320 W. Main, Warsaw; and Packerton Community Building.

Meals for Older Americans is for persons 60 years or older and is a chance to meet new friends and enjoy hot, nutritional meals. The sites are opened several hours each day including noon for programs. Meals for Older Americans is not associated with welfare but is for the promotion for better health for the older population. Donations are accepted for the meals.

The site directors request all persons planning on attending the meals to make reservations by 1 p.m. the day prior to attending. Phone 457-2631 for Syracuse transportation and reservations.

January 2-January 8
THURSDAY — Grapefruit juice, double chicken, dressing and gravy, three bean salad, snowflake dinner roll.

margarine, yellow apple, milk, tea, and coffee

FRIDAY — Apricot juice, sliced pot roast, buttered parsley potatoes, cream style corn, kaiser roll, margarine, plums, milk, tea, and coffee

MONDAY — Tomato juice, beef chop suey, fluffy rice and soy sauce, cracked wheat bread, margarine, spicy apple slices, fortune cookies, milk, tea, and coffee

TUESDAY — Pear nectar, stuffed cabbage roll, mixed vegetables, cottage cheese with chives, pumpernickel bread, tangerine, milk, tea, and coffee
WEDNESDAY — Cranberry juice, chicken and noodles, green beans with bacon bits, whole wheat bread, Bing cherry gelatin, milk, tea, and coffee

Christmas in Milford

Five Milford businesses participated in drawings for Christmas gifts to be won by area residents. No purchases were necessary as participants had only to deposit coupons from The Mail-Journal or register at the businesses.

Winner of a \$25 savings account at the Milford branch of the First National Bank of Warsaw was Barbara Ray, Milford, an employee of Walter Drugs Inc. of Milford.

A \$25 gift certificate from Jenkins Automotive, on Main Street in Milford, was won by Jay Vanlaningham, a student at Wawasee High School.

Jennie's Restaurant in downtown Milford drew winners' names for three prizes. Betty Smith, Milford, was the winner of first prize, two prime rib dinners.

Her daughter-in-law, Connie Smith, Milford, won second prize, two fresh deep fried chicken dinners. Third prize, hamburger, fries and drink for two, was won by Greg Smith, Warsaw.

A Raggedy Ann style "Becky" doll was won by Kelly Lechleider, Milford, at Doll's Decorating Center in downtown Milford.

Rita Vanlaningham, Milford, was winner of a free haircut and styling at Bobi's Shear Success, on Main Street in Milford

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Carey, North Webster, spent Christmas Eve with Mrs. Carey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Ferverda, North Webster. Attending the family Christmas Eve celebration was Mrs. Carey's brother, Don Ferverda and family, and her sister, Mrs. Nub (Sue) Niles and her family. The Carey family spent Christmas Day at home enjoying a Christmas meal, opening gifts and playing games. Those attending the Christmas Day activities were Mr. and Mrs. Max (Debbie) Sumpter, and son Dustin; Beth Carey and Jeff Carey.

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CALENDAR

Week Of January 1
To January 8

WEDNESDAY

- NEW YEARS DAY**
Al-Anon
9 a.m., in North Webster Church of God
- AA**
12 noon, in Syracuse Church of God
- Alcoholics Anonymous**
7:30 p.m., at Wawasee Episcopal Center, All Saints Episcopal Church, south shore of Lake Wawasee, one-half mile east of South Shore Golf Club on Vernon Road
- Al-Anon
7:30 p.m., Sacred Heart Church, Warsaw
- Al-Anon
7:30 p.m., Saint Andrew's United Methodist Church, Syracuse

THURSDAY

- Wawasee Community Toughlove**
7 p.m., in Lakeland Youth Center, Syracuse. Parent Support group for parents troubled by their teenagers behavior
- Milford Volunteer Firemen**
7 p.m., in Milford Fire Station
- Milford First Brethren Women's Missionary Society**
with a gift.
7:30 p.m.
- Adult-Children of Alcoholics**
7:30 p.m., in North Webster United Methodist Church
- North Webster American Legion Auxiliary**
8 p.m., in the Legion Hall

FRIDAY

- Milford Kiwanis**
6:45 a.m., Milford Community Building
- Alcoholics Anonymous**
7:30 p.m., Wawasee Episcopal Center, All Saints Episcopal Church, south shore of Lake Wawasee, one-half mile east of South Shore Golf Club on Vernon Road
- Alcoholics Anonymous**
8 p.m., Saint Andrew's United Methodist Church, Syracuse

SATURDAY

- Wawasee Kiwanis**
7 a.m., Gropp's, Syracuse
- Blood Pressure Check**
9 a.m. to noon, Milford Community Building

SUNDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous**
10 a.m., North Webster Fire Station
- Alcoholics Anonymous, Al-Anon, Alotem**
8 p.m., in North Webster United Methodist Church

MONDAY

- Lakeland Kiwanis**
6:45 a.m., in Church of God meeting room, North Webster
- Syracuse Library Board**
5:15 p.m., in Syracuse Public Library
- Milford Lions**
7 p.m., in Milford Community Building
- Syracuse Primary Mothers**
7 p.m.
- Kosciusko County Fair Board**
7:30 p.m., in Shrine Building, Kosciusko County Fairgrounds, Warsaw
- Sorosis Club**
7:30 p.m.
- Wawasee High School Music Boosters**
7:30 p.m., in Wawasee High School Choir Room
- Al-Anon
7:30 p.m., in Milford United Methodist Church

TUESDAY

- Syracuse-Wawasee Rotary**
12 noon, Beacon Restaurant
- For Fun Group**
12 noon, in Calvary United Methodist Church. The group is for those 50 years old and up to gather for lunch and a program of special interest to older adults
- Milford Library Board**
4:20 p.m., in Milford Public Library
- Women's Fellowship**
7 p.m., in Syracuse Church of the Brethren
- Kosciusko County Photo Philas Camera Club**
7 p.m., in Kiwanis Room above Hull House and Hull Hardware, South Buffalo St., Warsaw
- Syracuse-Wawasee Garden Club**
7:30 p.m.
- Milford American Legion Auxiliary, Ancil Geiger Unit 226**
7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

- Al-Anon
9 a.m., in North Webster Church of God
- AA**
12 noon, in Syracuse Church of God
- Syracuse PTO Monthly Board Meeting**
12 noon, in Syracuse Elementary LRC
- Goodwill Club**
1:30 p.m., in the House of Friendship
- North Webster Town Board**
7 p.m., in the town hall
- Syracuse Fire Department, Fire Drill**
7 p.m., at the fire station
- Eagles Auxiliary Meeting Aerie 3760**
7 p.m., Lakeland Eagles, 404 Sycamore Street, Syracuse
- Alcoholics Anonymous**
7:30 p.m., Wawasee Episcopal Center, All Saints Episcopal Church, south shore of Lake Wawasee, one-half mile east of South Shore Golf Club on Vernon Road
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