

Bellefonte, Pa., May 16, 1930.

THE TALE OF A WILD CAT.

Charles Baum, special enforcement officer of the State Game Commission, has reported the best story of a wild cat that has been heard this year. Mostly it is a tale about the catamount and how a trap was detected.

L. Rager, of Lewistown, had been operating a trap line along the Mifflin and Catawba borders. It is a wild section in some big mountains. During the late winter months he came across one of his traps from which a wild cat had been stolen.

The carcass of the catamount was nearby, but the pelt was missing. In addition to the value of the bounty paid by the State for the scalp of the predatory beast, Rager made an investigation of the trap and he noticed that the trap had not made a complete workmanlike job of the skin.

The fur on the two front legs on the tail still remained on the carcass.

Rager hunts up Enforcement Officer Baum and tells him all about it. Also he brings along the tail pelt which had been played upon him.

Baum notified the Game Commission officers in Harrisburg and the officials there to keep on looking-out for the skin of a tail-wild cat which probably would be worth for bounty payment. Nothing happened for two months.

When one day there arrived at the office a wild cat pelt that exactly matched the description. It came from Mifflin county close to the Rager trap had been robbed.

Baum was notified of the man who claimed the \$15 bounty.

The man who sent the pelt to the Game Commission and the man who turned it over to him were both fined \$100. The chap who stole the wildcat from the trap had been notified to come back into Pennsylvania and take his medicine. And Rager will get the \$15 bounty.

EVEN BED PILLOWS ARE REGULATED BY LAW.

Do you know your feathers? Many persons do not, and that is why the bureau of bedding and upholstery, Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry, is kept busy answering questions and making tests, all tending to bring the standards of manufactured bedding up to legal requirements.

The manager of a prominent New York city hotel recently sent to M. P. Frederick, director of the State bureau of bedding and upholstery, a bed pillow which had been purchased as high quality down, asking for an analysis of the contents. The analysis showed 35 per cent. goose feathers (new) white but stained yellow; 25 per cent. duck feathers (new); 15 per cent. chicken feathers (new); 15 per cent. second-hand feathers (goose and duck); faint trace of down included in the 35 per cent. of goose feathers.

The Bureau, in reply, also commented on the quality of the contents of the pillow as follows: "These pillows have an objectionable odor. Many of the feathers are unclean; that is, the yellowish stain indicates impurities of the fowl which were not removed in the cleaning process. There also was present a large quantity of dust or rind, chiefly the ground quill-pith, which tends to show that the mixture was not properly 'dirt-screened' at the factory. The size of this pillow is approximately 21x27 inches, which is standard size, yet its weight is three pounds six ounces. It would require only one and one half pounds of pure down to fill a pillow of this size."

In the 14th century it was not considered respectable to speak English owing to the superior social prestige of Norman-French.

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PRISONERS DO NOT MAKE MOSPS, BROOMS.

A resolution adopted at the biennial convention of the American Association of Workers for the Blind asking the Governors and prison managers of the seven States to do what they can to discontinue the manufacture of brooms and mosps in the State prisons, caused Mrs. E. S. H. McCauley, state secretary of the association, to point out that brooms and mosps have not been manufactured in Pennsylvania prisons since 1926.

Pennsylvania officials recognizing that there are so few industries which the blind can undertake successfully took the first steps in March, 1926, to discontinue the manufacture of these articles by prison labor and within a few months that industry was closed out at the prisons.

Of course, thousands of persons attain middle age without developing serious illnesses or complications that will shorten life later on if unattended. But that is no reason for any mature person to conclude that the absence of pain or positive sickness is an assurance that their present physical condition is one hundred percent and will thus continue indefinitely.

"The keys to long and happy life, barring violence and accident, are the conscientious observance from day to day of the fundamental rules of health, and an annual checkup for the discovery of conditions which are observable only by the practised eye of the physician."

"It therefore follows that while parents are interesting themselves in diet, fresh air, sleep and exercise for their children's interest they should also look out for themselves."

"Healthy children are the nation's asset, but healthy grown-ups represent the country's present working capital. To slight the well-being of either class is consequently very foolish. Long and happy life insist upon daily attention and the annual checkup for both young and old. See that it gets it."

Read the Watchman and get all the news.

Huge numbers of mouth organs are made in the South German town of Tressingen. A monument stands there in honor of Messner, the inventor of the mouth organ.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR STATE SENATOR
We are authorized to announce the name of Harry B. Scott, of Phillipsburg, Pa., as a candidate for the nomination for State Senator, representing the Thirty-Fourth District, comprising Clearfield and Centre counties, at the Primary Election to be held on Tuesday, May 20th, 1930, subject to the rules governing the Republican party.

FOR STATE COMMITTEEMAN
We are authorized to announce the name of Harry B. Scott of Phillipsburg, Pa., as a candidate for the election for State Committeeman representing Centre county, at the Primary Election to be held Tuesday, May 20th, 1930, subject to the rules governing the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of James H. Hugg of Phillipsburg, Pa., as the Centre County Member of the Republican State Committee, subject to rules and regulations of the Primary Election to be held May 20, 1930.

CHAIRMAN COUNTY COMMITTEE.
We are authorized to announce the name of Harry A. Rossman of Milesburg, Pa., as a candidate for the election as chairman of the Republican County Committee, subject to the decision of the Republican voters of Centre County, at the Primary Election to be held May 20, 1930.

VICE CHAIRMAN COUNTY COMMITTEE
We are authorized to announce the name of Emily D. Smith, of State College, Pa., as a candidate for the election as vice chairman of the Republican County Committee, subject to the decision of the Republican voters of Centre County, at the Primary Election to be held May 20, 1930.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

WANTED.—Money to loan on real estate security. J. M. Keichline, Atty., Bellefonte, Pa. 75-15-3m

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.—In the matter of the estate of Robert Mills Beach, late of the Borough of Bellefonte, County of Centre and State of Pennsylvania, deceased. Letters testamentary in the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Centre county, all persons having claims or demands against the said estate are requested to make the same known, and all persons indebted to said decedent to make payment thereof without delay, to
ELIZABETH BLANCHARD BEACH, Executrix, Bellefonte, Pa. 75-13-6t



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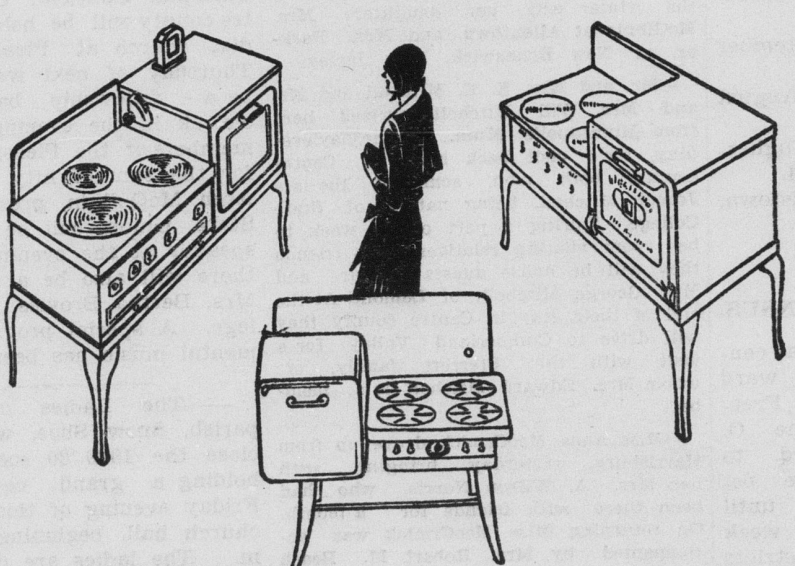
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