

Hot Water—a 2,000 Hour a Year Necessity



If the dishes are done by hand, about seven hours of every week are spent over the dishpan. Hot water on tap just a few inches from the dish pan means better soap suds, faster removal of greasy, sticky foods and thorough rinsing.

By Louise Brown
Hot water on tap 24 hours a day is practically a necessity for the standards of comfort and cleanliness in this present day and age. If you are statistically inclined, someone has figured out that approximately 2,000 hours a year, hot water is essential for bacteria-free cleanliness, health protection, emergencies and convenience.

Incidentally, do you have any idea how hot water should be for dishwashing? For hand dishwashing, the temperature should be between 120 and 135 degrees—for rinsing 140 degrees. The electric dishwasher can stand hotter temperatures, of course, than the hands can and needs 150 degree water to do an efficient job.

Hot Water in Laundry

Take dishwashing, for instance. Most housewives have to take it three times a day, day in and day out, year in and year out. It's a disagreeable task that can be made much easier when there's plenty of hot water on hand—for the whole job, from glassware to skillets. Plenty of hot soap suds and more hot rinsing water makes the job go quicker and washes the dishes really clean.

Nowadays, with electric washers and good soaps, boiling the clothes is considered unnecessary. But the best of washers and soaps will never get clothes clean without steaming hot water. If you have been afraid to hang your washes out for fear of whispering neighbors, perhaps your hot water supply is to blame. Laundry experts recommend 140 degree water, too hot for the hands, for snowy-white clothes.

There are dozens of cleaning jobs around the house, too, that are reduced to a minimum of work with plenty of hot water.

Baths

And how many times a day do you suppose some person starts to draw water for a bath or turns on the shower and finds the water cold enough for a polar bear?

Of course the solution to all these household needs is a constant supply of really hot water. And it is available today through the same wires that furnish us light, energy to run labor-saving appliances and heat for cooking.

Electric water heaters are being installed in many modern homes as a dependable solution to the household hot water problem, for electric hot water service is fully automatic and safe, needing absolutely no attention once the heater is installed. The electric heater furnishes 150 degree water—hot enough for any need.

Heaters range in size to suit the needs of every family—depending on the number in the family, the size of washings, the number of baths per day, the amount of entertaining done, and so on. It is much more practical and more economical in the long run, to choose an adequate size tank for your family's needs than to try and skimp along on a small one.

DRY TOP

A birthday anniversary surprise party was held at the home of Oliver Bitner in honor of their daughter Jane who has passed her 14th anniversary. The evening was spent in playing games and music, at 10 o'clock refreshments were served in the form of ice cream and cake. Those present were: June Kesaling, Helen McKinley, Verna Poorman, Gladys and Geraldine Kelly, Joyce Breen, Fay Hipple, Ruth Lucas, Evelyn Jane and Betty Jean McKinley, Mary Eckenroth, Mrs. Joseph Flick and daughters Maxine and Louise, Mrs. William Eckenroth, Mrs. Lorin Rocky, Miss Betty Jane Funk and William Fleck, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bitner, Mrs. Florence Grace and Lois Jean Bitner, Harold and Paul Bitner. The young folks all report a good time and hope for many returns.

Walter Kesaling of near Pittsburgh, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kesaling.

William Edmonson spent his Easter vacation with home folks. Louis and Arline Green of State College, spent their Easter vacation with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Merryman.

Mrs. Joseph Watson Jr., of Bellefonte, spent Monday at the Oliver Bitner home.

Those who spent Easter Sunday at the Clyde Poorman home were: Russell Poorman of State College, Ethel Poorman of Centre Hall and Mary Clemens of Bellefonte.

We have been having a good old fashion March, zero weather, wind and all.

Mr. and Mrs. Guyer Fisher and daughter Dorothy Jean spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Oliver Bitner.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green and friends of State College spent Sunday at the G. C. Merryman home.

KENNEDY

Mrs. Lillian Bryan and Mrs. William Gates spent two days with friends at Osceola Mills.

The dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lucas held at the J. P. M. Carthy home was well attended and they received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shippeno also Miss Eunice Gunning, Mr. Ted Maples all of Verona, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Leathers for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Heverly, also Mrs. George Heverly of Roma, were supper guests at the Guy Lucas home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leathers daughter spent Easter with friends at Orviston.

Calles at the William Gates home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Snyder and son of York.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leathers, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leathers and family all report having had a pleasant time.

There will be Sunday school and preaching Sunday morning at Mt. Eagle School house. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and two daughters called on friends Sunday p. m.

BLANCHARD

(From last week)

Mrs. Phillip Schroat of Lock Haven, spent Thursday evening with her father, Mr. Alex Heverly.

The Keystone Bible Class of the Baptist church met with their teacher Mrs. Tillie Kunes on Wednesday evening.

Mr. John Spearly of Bellefonte, called at the R. J. Spangler home on Sunday afternoon.

Harter Vonads was unable to work for a few days of last week, because of a severe cold.

The Young People of the Church of Christ with the assistance of the pastor and wife are preparing a Sunrise service for Easter morning.

Mrs. Emma James, employed at Bellefonte, spent Sunday afternoon at her home here.

The members of the Presbyterian church of Beech Creek will hold their first service in the newly remodeled church auditorium on Good Friday night.

Many farmers and those interested in Agriculture attended the Agriculture meeting in the School House on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Barner are moving from their home on the C. B. Page property to Mill Hill.

A baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Dietz Sunday evening.

Essay Contest Winners Chosen

Winners of an essay contest sponsored by the Clearfield-Centre County Committee of the American Legion were announced this week by Aaron D. Leitzell, of Bellefonte, chairman of the committee.

Miss Marian K. Powers, Osceola Mills High school student, won first place; Richard Walker, of the Bellefonte High school, won second place, and third honors went to Sarah Louise Bloom, of the Curwensville High school.

The subject of the essay was "What the American Form of Government Means to Democracy."

Essays contributed by Centre county contestants were judged as follows: first, Richard Walker; second, Phyllis Scholl, and third, Emmet Witmer. Centre county winners are to be honored with medals presented by Brooks-Doll Post, Bellefonte. In the bi-county district, essays were received from high school students in the following cities: Clearfield, Phillipsburg, Osceola Mills, Bellefonte, DuBois, Curwensville and Grampian.

The bi-county winner will be entered in the State contest, and in the event Miss Powers' essay takes first place in the State, Richard Walker will be awarded the scholarship prize for the bi-county event.

Legion officials reported that this year's contest attracted widespread interest and that a much larger number of contestants took part this year than in former years.

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ORVISTON

There were 153 present at Sunday School on Sunday.

William Haines of Howard spent Thursday at the Paul Lomison home.

Doris Daley of Johnsonburg, spent her Easter vacation with her mother, Mrs. Blanche Daley.

Miss Verna Shank of Tyrone, spent her Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Shank.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hunter of State College, spent Sunday at the William Barnhart home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Confer, Mr. and Mrs. William Gillespie spent Sunday at the Joseph Confer home at Milesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Berry of Flemington, spent Sunday with Mrs. Berry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Chaplain.

Ed Fisher is spending several days at his home in North Bend. A number of people from here attended the funeral of Jacob Bechdol at Roma on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Paul Lomison of Lock Haven, spent Friday at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. McDowell Peters and family of Beech Creek, spent Sunday at the Clyde Confer home.

Mrs. Ed Holter of Beech Creek, visited friends and relatives here Friday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. DeBoer were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lomison.

The Misses Ann Daughenbaugh and Helen Stauffer of Howard, visited with their girl friend Emeline Butler on Thursday.

The Christian Endeavor held an Easter program on Sunday evening that was well attended and enjoyed by all.

John Daley of Baltimore, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Blanche Daley.

(From last week)

The Loyal Daughters Class met at the home of Mrs. Charles Barner on Monday night for their regular monthly meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heverly of Lock Haven, spent Sunday with Mrs. Heverly's mother, Mrs. Bertha Condo.

Stanton Packey of Williamsport, spent Monday with his mother, Mrs. William Packey.

Mrs. Paul Lomison and Mr. and Mrs. James Rupert of Lock Haven, visited the Paul Lomison home on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Decker of Loganon spent the weekend with Mrs. Decker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Confer.

The revival services conducted the past two weeks by the Lancaster Brothers, of Wilkes Barre, came to a close on Sunday night, there was a very large audience for the last night. Several men from Harrisburg are installing new stained glass windows in the church, donated by the classes and some by private citizens of our town.

The following members of the P. O. of A. accompanied the state president of the lodge to Woodward on Thursday night, district president, Mrs. Earl Lomison, Mrs. Blanche Daley, Mrs. Ben Confer, Mrs. W. O. Gray and Mrs. Deibert Barnhart.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Gray entertained relatives from out of town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leathers and daughter Alice and Mrs. Lillian Bryan of Mt. Eagle visited the Ed Confer home on Sunday.

Home, Sweet Home

Pleading guilty to charges of receiving money under false pretense, George Hearst, 42, of Wilkes Barre, told the court: "Any old place in which to hang my hat is home, sweet home to me." The judge promptly informed him he could hang his hat in the county jail for three months.

WOULD YOU BELIEVE IT?

Advertisement for Hotpoint water heaters featuring a man's face and the text: "NO HOT WATER" and "THINGS YOU MAY NOT KNOW". It lists benefits like "RAIN BATHING" and "PET PEEVES".

Advertisement for Hotpoint water heaters with a large image of a water heater and text: "Insure a dependable supply of hot water for all family needs with a modern Hotpoint Automatic Electric Water Heater. Just install it and forget it."

GUY W. LYONS West Bishop Street, Bellefonte, Pa.

Large advertisement for General Electric Automatic Electric Water Heaters. Includes the slogan "The Thrifty Way to Have HOT WATER" and lists five reasons why G-E costs so little to use.

Advertisement for Bushels of 150-DEGREE HOT WATER! featuring a cartoon character and text: "GO ELECTRIC, FOLKS, AND GET PERFECT HOT WATER SERVICE AT SPECIAL LOW RATE! No Fuss! No Muss! No Cuss!"

Advertisement for Westinghouse Electric Water Heater with the slogan "AND YOU'VE GOT WHAT IT TAKES" and text: "for Real Hot Water Service". It lists benefits like "YOU'VE GOT special low rates" and "YOU'VE GOT plumbing and fixtures".