

Honest Robber

E. R. Hayes of Council Bluffs, Iowa, believes there may be such a thing as honor among thieves after all.

Long Trustee Term

George B. Reimensnyder, 90, dean of the Northumberland County Bar Association, has been relieved of two trusteeships for \$1,000 each.

Radio In Pulpit

Members of the Druid Hills Baptist Church, at Atlanta, Ga., keep abreast of the European crisis even during Sunday services.

Potter Produces Spuds

Potter County produced 130,400 bushels of potatoes according to the Seed Potato Growers group.

Bank Directors Chosen

Thomas Smith and W. Edward Meyer were elected directors of the Logan National Bank last week.

How To Live

Reviewing a century of living Mrs. Frances Elizabeth of Philadelphia, says if you live right, you'll live to be 100, too.

Has New Excuse

When Joseph Bartlett, of Sayre, was told by his teacher that he should go home, he soon returned and informed her: "I can't go home; I have no boat."

Cat Gives Self Up

While scanning the lost-and-found column of a newspaper, Officer E. K. O'Brien of Washington, saw an ad about a missing tomcat named Teddy.

Kills Horses, Self

The suicide of Lloyd Lewis, 55, of Wyalusing, was attributed by A. E. Dann, county coroner, to family troubles.

Slightly Inebriated

Seeing a hearse zigzagging down the street, of Dallas, Texas, police stopped the driver and asked, "Whose dead?"

Lightning Singes Hair

When a bolt of lightning flashed along the electric wiring at Lebanon, N. J., it singed off William Bruner's hair to within a quarter inch of his scalp.

Church Bells To Arms

Church bells made of bronze throughout Germany are soon to be taken from their steeples and melted to be made into armaments.

NEWSPAPER MAN KILLED

Hugh R. Riley, of Annapolis, Md., one of Maryland's best known free lance newspaper correspondents, and father of H. R. Riley, Jr., sports associate in the Penn State College department of public information, was fatally injured in a head-on collision between his automobile and a police car near Upper Marlboro, Md., Friday.

CENSUS TAKER FACES GUN

A young census enumerator in Fayette county was used to counting noses but balked and fretted when the snout of a shotgun confronted him recently upon knocking on the door of a farmer's home.

CRUSHED TO DEATH IN TREAD OF CATERPILLAR SIXTEEN-TON TRACTOR

Young Clinton County Highway Construction Worker Meets Horrible Death as Body is Drawn Into Machine

Drawn into the mechanism of a caterpillar tractor or bull-dozer, he started for his day's work on the road construction project between Westport and Bitumen, Raymond Gregory, 24, of Westport, Clinton County, father of a three-week-old baby, was instantly killed last Thursday morning at 7:45 o'clock.

There were no witnesses to the tragic accident but the young man's aunt, Mrs. Edward Gregory, discovered that something was wrong when she looked from the window of her home at Westport and saw the tractor advancing toward the fence of the yard at her home, with no operator on the machine.

Wind Jerks Tyrone Motorist From Car

Dragged Fifty Feet Before He Let Go The Door Handle

A. H. Williams, 63-year-old Tyrone resident, literally "went with the wind" of the Phillipsburg-Tyrone road Friday when a strong gust of wind pulled him from the seat of the car he was driving.

Man Killed By Falling Tree

Victim Failed to Heed Warning Called By Fellow-Workman

Failing to heed the warning called by a companion while engaged in felling a tree on Tussey mountain, southeast of Williamsburg, Ralph Emory Looze, 55, of Williamsburg, was almost instantly killed Friday morning when struck on the head by a protruding limb.

Corinth Shrine Installs Officers

Bellefonte Group Attends Impressive Ceremony at Lock Haven

Nearly 100 members of Corinth Shrine, White Shrine of Jerusalem, from the area embracing Lock Haven, Bellefonte, State College, Williamsport, Jersey Shore, Renovo and Avis, attended installation services at the Lock Haven lodge rooms last Thursday evening.

Still Active On 90th Anniversary

Mrs. Rachel Belle Brady Beck, widow of William F. Beck, of Lock Haven, and a great-great-granddaughter of Captain John Brady, Central Pennsylvania pioneer, celebrated her 90th birthday anniversary at her home Monday.

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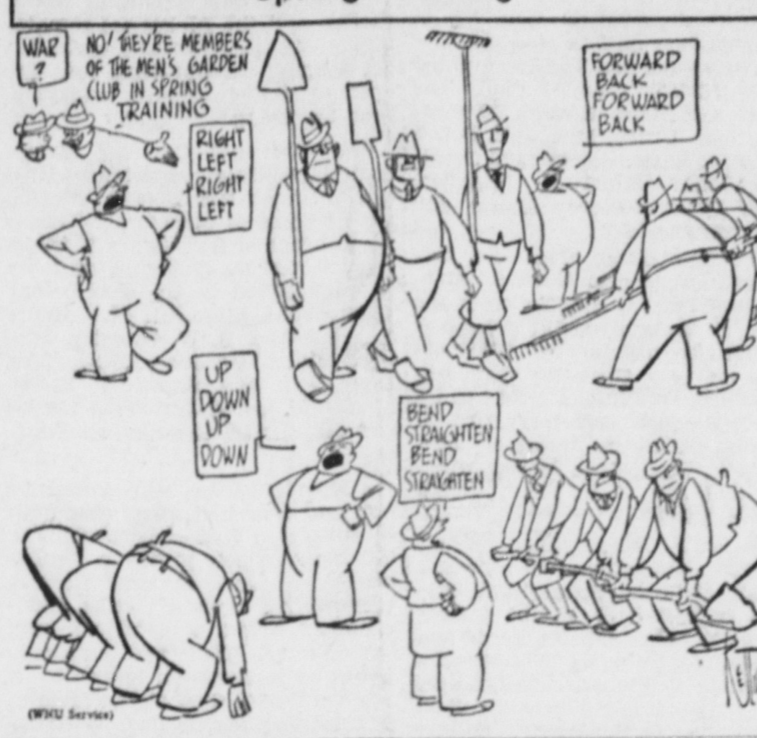
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Spring Training



MISSING GIRL LOCATED AT PHILA.

Leaving nothing but a note stating she would be home sometime, Flora May Dunlap, a 14-year-old high school girl, of Chester Hill, near Philadelphia, started a wide police investigation following her strange disappearance.

Winger Scalps Woman

Mrs. George Boyesen, 27, of Syracuse, the mother of two children, was literally scalped when her long hair became entangled in a wash wringer.

FOX HUNTING IN 'THE BARRENS'

Note—With the completion, last week, of a brief history of Scotia during its industrial activity, it would seem appropriate to add the following memories of early fox hunting to the legendary land of the great Pine Barrens. It was written by Col. Henry W. Shoemaker and appeared in a somewhat recent issue of the Altoona Daily Tribune.

Word has come to the Great Pine Barrens of Ferguson township, Centre county, that Miss Marion G. Jones, talented Altoona girl, has received a leave of absence from the management of the New York World's Fair, where she was retained in a consultative capacity, and will return to her first love, the "Barrens," to paint its sunset, old churches and manor houses, and resume collecting the priceless folklore of that romantic region.

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der, who came up from the Paxtang Settlement in 1784, and the Hartsock and Gray families who arrived at the Barrens together in 1788. Marion Jones should be setting up her easel near the venerable Hartsock mansion where she stays in time to paint the first hepaticas. It was for nearly half a century ago that the young aristocrats of Bellefonte, Fairbrook, Whitehall and Houersville to stage a monster fox hunt on horseback on Easter Monday, except on such days which fell at the time of the new moon, for even the proud scions of the Ulster Scots were superstitious enough to know that if one saw the sickle in the eastern sky and thought of a red fox it brought bad luck, and how hard it was to exclude Sir Reynard from the picture on such occasions. It was at the last hunt, the fox, a robust red male, hid himself among a herd of deer, and many of

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more than a half century, and prior to that time was active in the work of the Union church at Mackeyville. The family lived for a time in Bellefonte where Mr. Beck was associated with Bunnell & Aikens in the music business for several years, and also resided at Lamar. She reads the daily papers and The Centre Democrat, is opposed to women taking an active part in politics, stating that she has never voted and does not intend to do so. She has two sons, Brady F. and Ward Beck, both of Lock Haven. Her husband died several years ago.

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PLANNING FISHERMAN'S PARADISE FOR YOUTHS UNDER LICENSE AGE

Property Below Spring Creek Project Turned Over to Bellefonte Boy Scout Troop No. 2 For Boys' Fishing Area

A "Fisherman's Paradise" on Spring Creek for boys under the license age was in the making Saturday after a meeting in Bellefonte Friday of Boy Scout officials and former Commissioner Oliver M. Deibler, Greensburg, according to the announcement of Scout Commissioner Foster Augustine.

The property is just below the Fish Commission's Spring Creek Improvement Project on Spring Creek, owned by Mr. Deibler, has been turned over to Bellefonte Scout Troop No. 2 for development into a boys' fishing area. The rules and regulations will be formed by Scout officials, and all boys under license age will be permitted to fish in the area during certain times.

Although no regulations have been formulated at this time, Boy Scouts of the Muncy district will assume the responsibility of enforcing the regulations and visiting hours. A meeting to make final arrangements will be held at an early date.

Guy Poorman, Troop 2 scoutmaster, Frank Hoffman, Elmer Garbrick, and Mr. Augustine met with Mr. Deibler in Bellefonte Friday. Announcement was made that the area would be posted to all fishing until the Scout committee draws up the program and regulations.

Mr. Deibler purchased the property a number of years ago and fenced the area. However, it has always been open to public fishing except on Sundays. Since the boys' pool has been eliminated at Fish-

MURDER DOPE:

Col. Lynn G. Adams, of the State Police, carps at those who start rumors concerning the Rachel Taylor murder investigation. The Colonel, apparently, has never been informed that the best way to keep rumors from getting abroad is to give out a little information once in a while. By that we don't mean he has to reveal any important evidence, or name any suspects. But he could release for publication a little more than the pap soup dished out at so-called press conferences. The public desire for information is not satisfied by such statements as "We're checking every possible clue." "No possibility is being overlooked," and so forth. Like the Colonel, we've often wondered who starts rumors. We do know that when factual information is not available, rumors spread with all the speed and viciousness of a forest fire.

BETTER HURRY:

It's no secret that unless the Taylor murder is solved before the end of the present school year at Penn State, in June, the chances are great that the slaying will go down as another unsolved Centre county horror. With the return of students to their homes; with the departure of many members of the college staff on vacations, and with the great changes in the resident population of State College which occur at the end of the school year, someone who may know vitally important information, or who may be involved in the crime, will have a golden opportunity to leave the town without a breath of suspicion following. And any physical evidence which may still be intact can be destroyed or removed to the ends of the earth.

BEST SPEECH:

The best all-round after dinner speech we've heard for many a moon was the one given Friday night by Dr. Robert White, City Comptroller of Philadelphia, at the annual Jefferson Day dinner at the Nittany Lion Inn, State College. It was not a formal oration, but included everything this corner thinks a good speech should have.

IT'S AN ILL WIND:

William W. Litke, toastmaster at the Jefferson Day dinner, began to quote the old axiom "It's an ill wind," and then forgot the rest of the saying while the audience chuckled. Practically all of them knew that the line the toastmaster was groping for was "that gathers no moss."

DID YOU KNOW:

That Betty Ann Hartwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Hartwick, of Reynolds avenue, Bellefonte, is a talented and attractive member of the Penn State girls' varsity quartette? She is in her senior year at the college and is majoring in music. . . . That first day anglers in Centre county had to call time out once in a while to break off chunks of ice that formed where the wet fishing lines passed through the guides of their rods? . . . That the Rachel Taylor slaying had a noticeable effect on the volume of business in Bellefonte during the late evening hours? Merchants report a marked drop in the number of late customers. . . . That you can expect an increase in your electric light bill for the past month? According to reports the sun spots which have been playing havoc with telephone, telegraph and radio equipment for the month or two, also are causing some erratic mischief with power meters.

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KNIFE:

This department is somewhat perturbed over the disappearance Friday night or Saturday morning of the knife which has been on our desk off and on for the past 12 years. We have searched all the haunts which it has frequented, but it is not to be found. Consequently we've come to the conclusion that it has been kidnaped. Ordinarily the disappearance of a knife, valued at \$1 would be nothing for this corner to concern itself about. But the knife has a history. About five years ago it was taken, and a new one, just like it, was purchased. Several months later the new knife disappeared. In righteous indignation we played a long lunch, issuing an ultimatum and gave the suspected "kidnaper" 24 hours in which to return the knife. Next morning as we

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