

SANTA CLAUS, IND., IS ENJOYING A BOOM

Santa Claus is just about all things to all people in one form or another. To the youngsters he is the jolly old fellow who brings them everything their hearts desire.

Right now, Santa Claus, Ind., is a right busy place. From all parts of the country mail is pouring into the little postoffice just to get the Santa Claus post mark.

To stamp collectors goes the credit for putting Santa Claus on the map. Back in 1926 a Los Angeles philatelist sent a letter to the town to be post-marked with the coveted name.

The stamp collector suggested the name of the town be changed to two words. His idea was carried through and as soon as the name appeared on postal guides, the town was flooded with mail from other philatelists who wanted the unique post mark.

THE PRIVATE LIVES OF ELIZABETH AND ESSEX AT THE GRAND

"The Private Lives of Elizabeth and Essex" the new Warner Bros. technicolor production, starring Bette Davis and Errol Flynn will be the attraction at the Grand theatre, Patton, on Friday and Saturday of this week.

Bette Davis, of course, is cast as the self-willed, vain and domineering Queen Elizabeth, torn between her love of England and its people and her overwhelming love for the handsome and dashing young Earl of Essex.

The brilliant supporting cast for the two stars includes Olivia De Havilland, Donald Crisp, Vincent Price, Henry Stephenson, Alan Dale, Ralph Forbes, Henry Daniell, and others.

ROMANCE JOINS WITH COMEDY IN GAY "DAY TIME WIFE" WITH TYRONE POWER LEAD

The season's smartest get together of romance and revelry with a top comedy cast in a story that's as modern as the world the day after tomorrow is scheduled for the Grand theatre on Sunday and Monday.

Screen fans will delight in seeing Tyrone in the type of light comedy role in which he excels. He's a perfect swell guy, married to a peach of a wife, but he's in trouble up to his neck because there's something about a secretary!

NEW WEIGHMASTER'S BLANKS TO BE ISSUED

Harrisburg.—New types of application blanks for weighmaster's certificates will be issued about the first of the year.

In an effort to assure all customers that they are receiving the weight of coal and other commodities represented a conference will be held shortly with local sealers or fweights and measures.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT.

The Receiver of The First National Bank of Patton, Patton, Pa., not wishing to permit the real estate known as the New Palmer House Lot, located on Magee and Fifth avenues in the Borough of Patton, to pass into the hands of an outside syndicate through the sale of the remaining assets is reserving that parcel from the general list until December 30, 1939.

PARK M. WEIMER, Receiver, The First National Bank of Patton, Patton Pa.

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Resolutions of Respect.

Branch No. 90, Knights of St. George, Patton, Penna.

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom to remove from our fraternal circle, our beloved Brother, John A. Ulrich, and

Whereas, by his death, Patton Branch, No. 90, Knights of St. George, has lost an outstanding member, a good Catholic, and a teacher in matters pertaining to our organization and the principles it exemplifies; therefore,

Be it resolved, that by his death we have suffered an irreparable loss, and as a token in his respect, that our charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days; that a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of the Order; a copy sent to the deceased's widow, and the same be published in the local newspaper.

JAMES HALEY, ANTHONY HUBER, LEROY LUTHER, Committee.

RUBINOFF TO PLAY IN JOHNSTOWN WITH TEAM OF PIANO ARTISTS FOR BENEFIT FETE

Rubinoff, world famous violinist, will appear in Johnstown to present a concert on January 9th under the auspices of the Johnstown Quota Club.

Hitler's Toys Outsold By Chamberlain Dolls

Neville Chamberlain-with-an-umbrella, the "appeasement" prime minister who claims to have kept Europe out of war last year, has become such a popular toy with British youngsters that the German toy-makers, whose peace he "preserved," are griping.



The Reich's doll manufacturers claim their exports to London have collapsed because Mr. Chamberlain-with-an-umbrella is the No. 1 favorite toy on the British isles. Many other "men of destiny" have been made into dolls this year.

AMERICAN STORES CO. Prices Effective Until Closing, Sat., Dec. 9. GOOD BUILDING, Magee Avenue, PATTON. SAVE THE MOST ON THE BEST! CONVINCING YOURSELF — THAT HERE ARE QUALITY FOODS AT LOWEST PRICES — SAVE ON EVERY ITEM EVERY DAY! GOLD SEAL FLOUR. HAPPY BAKER FLOUR 61c. PRIM PASTRY FLOUR 59c. NEW PACK Pancake or Buckwheat Flour, 20 oz. pkg. 5c. BETTY JANE APPLE BUTTER, 2 large 38 oz. jars 25c. Golden Bantam CORN, Whole or Crushed 3 No. 2 cans 25c. Hormel's SPAM, for sandwiches, 12 oz. tin 25c. BREAD .. GOLDEN KRUST Sliced loaf 5c : Jumbo Supreme 2 Sliced loaves 15c. WINCREST FRESH COFFEE .. 3 LB. bag 39c. 26 PIECE SET OF 'LIFETIME' SILVERWARE ... AN IDEAL GIFT \$2.98 WITH \$10.00 IN SILVER TICKETS. POPULAR COURT PATTERN—SEE DISPLAY IN OUR STORE. Fancy, Fresh Fruits and Vegetables. JUICY FLORIDA ORANGES, 2 Doz. 25c. Florida Grapefruit ... Heavy with Sparkling juice 4 for 15c. Fancy Florida Tangerines, Doz. 10c. Jersey SWEET POTATOES, 3 Lbs. 10c. PASCAL CELERY, 2 big stalks 19c. ICEBERG LETTUCE, 2 solid heads 13c. FANCY APPLES, 5 lbs. 13c. BUTTON RADISHES, 3 big behs. 10c. BIG SALE OF FRESH PORK! Fresh Pork LOIN, Rib ends Pound 13c : Loin Ends Pound 16c. Fresh PORK SHOULDERS, Callie Style, lb., 11c. Butt End Sh'd'r, lb., 17c : Whole Pork Sh'd'r, lb., 15c. Fancy FRESH HAMs, Whole or shank half, lb. 19c. RUMP ROAST . . . FROM QUALITY STEER BEEF, lb. 25c. Crescent Skinned Hams, Small size, whole or shank half, lb 21c. Fresh Ground Lean Beef, lb. 15c. Pure Pork Sausage, lb. 15c. Quality Smoked Squares, lb. 10c. Best Quality Pure Lard, 2 lbs. 15c. Smoked Picnic Shoulders, lb. 15c. Special Sliced Bacon, one-half lb. 9c. Tender Sliced Pork Liver, lb. 10c. Market Sliced Boiled Ham, fourth lb 10c.

Here's Your Bird! Large \$5.00 Aluminum Roaster and YOUR TURKEY. With the Purchase of any RANGE. GENERAL ELECTRIC. Chas. F. Pitt Co., Inc. PATTON, PA.

CELLOPHANE IS USED FOR WEINIE CASINGS. Washington.—Increasing use of cellophane sheeting as a substitute for natural animal casings of sausage in Germany is reported by the American Consulate in a report made public by the Forests Products Division, Department of Commerce. As a result of regulations issued by the German government, eliminating all products of foreign manufacture, which can be substituted by German-made products, domestically produced transparent cellophane sheeting has decreased imports of animal casings considerably. It is claimed in Germany that the cellulose casings, in addition to being about 25 per cent cheaper than the natural casings, do not allow fats to escape and conserve the sausage filling so that the meat can be kept fresh for longer periods of time. Manufacture of the cellophane sheetings is similar to the manufacture of viscose or rayon, both of which have cellulose as a basis.