

Noxen News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Albert VanCampen and daughters, Louise and Bernadette, Rochester, N. Y., spent Wednesday with Albert's mother, Mrs. Beulah VanCampen.

Mrs. Grace Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grab and daughter, Karen, Crown Point, N. Y., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Edwards and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Galka, Sr., spent several days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Dendler and family at Carteret, N. J.

Richard and Harold Harding, sons of Wilson Harding, have accepted positions at the Tonawanda plant at Buffalo, N. Y.

Recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hohlitzell were their daughter, Nancy, Baltimore, Md., James Strickland, Buffalo, N. Y., John Dale and Jean Krewson of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dimmick and Mike and Sylvia, Cass Lake, Minn., have returned to their home after a visit with Mr. Dimmick's mother, Mrs. Arba Dimmick.

Florence Laffin returned Sunday after spending a few weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Laffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Daubert of

Allentown, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Robert May and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lurick and Christine, Florham Park, N. J., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George VanCampen.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bowley and Mary Roberts, Parsons, W. V., visited Mr. and Mrs. James Gillis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Casterline, Jr., and sons of Persippany, N. J., spent the weekend with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Hess, Sr., have returned from Alaska where they visited their son, Wheeler Jr., and family. They went by plane.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Kraft spent several days this past week in Allentown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Payne and Linda, Nancy, Susan, also Faye Blanton, Smyrna, Ga., are visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Leiland Case and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Keiper.

Noxen WSCS will hold a bake sale at the Farmers' Market Wednesday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Montross, Sharon and Gregory, and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Montross and son, Dennis, Tunckhannock, have returned from Niagara Falls and Canada.

Mrs. Nevin Benner has returned to her home at Richfield, Pa., after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Casterline. Frances Andrews of New Jersey, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Space.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ruff spent last week at Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Gertrude Thomas spent Thursday with Mrs. E. Y. B. Engelman and Mrs. George Engelman.

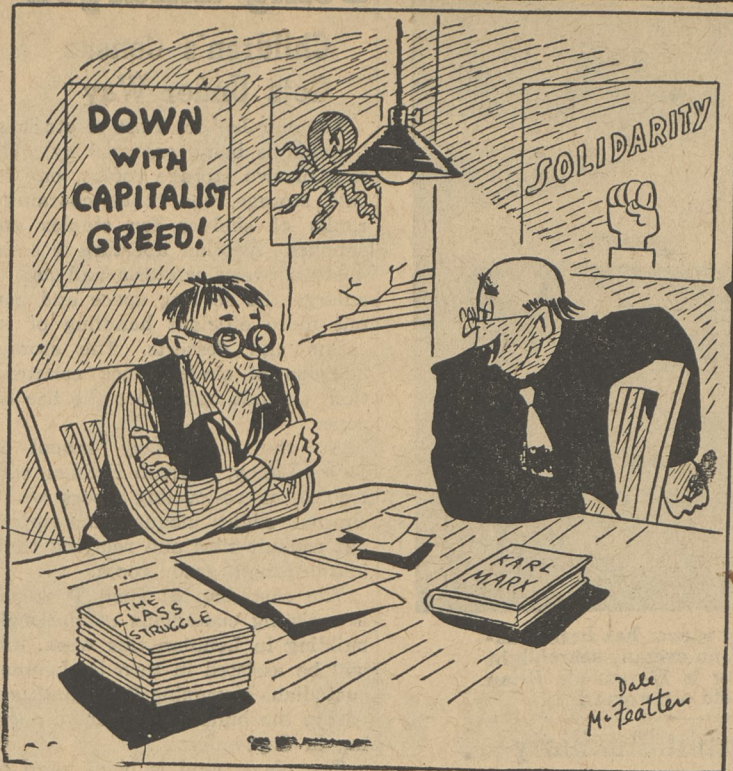
Beverly Lord has returned from Apalachin, N. Y., after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. William Dayton.

Phillip Witkoski Entertain At Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Witkoski, Sweet Valley, entertained at a family dinner last Sunday to celebrate Mr. Witkoski's birthday anniversary. Present were their daughter, Dorothy Witkoski, Mr. and Mrs. John Paul and Donna, Donald and John, of Sweet Valley; Mr. and Mrs. John Busch and Carl, Phillip, Gary Busch, Conyngham, Pa. Afternoon callers at the home were Mr. and Mrs. John McHugh, Mrs. Margaret Wickham, Mrs. Robert McKeown and son, John of Nanticoke; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wrubleski and daughter, Maureen, of Philadelphia.

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Shorthorn Picnic

Pennsylvania Milking Shorthorn Association of which W. L. Conyngham is president, will hold its annual picnic Saturday, August 6 at Hillside Farm. Dinner will be served at noon at Jackson Fire Hall by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Fire Company.

About 100 breeders and families are expected to attend, many of

them coming from the Pittsburgh, Lancaster, Harrisburg and some Somerset areas.

Frequent cutting doesn't make your hair grow faster, experts say.

Average Apple Crop Forecast

Luzerne County Crop Better Than Average

A crop of 6,000,000 bushels of apples from Pennsylvania commercial orchards is forecast in initial estimates by the Federal-State Crop Reporting Service, State Department of Agriculture.

If this amount is realized the 1955 crop will compare with last year's harvest of 6,020,000 bushels and the 10-year 1944-53 average of 6,008,000 bushels, the Department said.

Also based on July 1 surveys, the Pennsylvania peach crop is estimated at 2,320,000 bushels, 230,000 under last year, but 131,000 better than average.

First estimates on the Pennsylvania grape crop show production of 25,000 tons, 1,600 less than last year. The 10-year average for grapes is 17,250 tons.

There was no change from June 1 pear forecast of 175,000 bushels, 10,000 under 1954 production.

The July 1 estimate for red sour cherries at 11,000 tons equals the all-time record set in 1951. Last year's production was 9,500 tons with the 10-year average at 7,100 tons.

Reporting on the apple situation the Department said that in the Adams-Franklin-York fruit belt the prospects are nearly as good as last year. Set was generally good on all varieties, but Stayman and York probably will not bear as heavy as

Local People Enjoy Fishing In Canada

Mr. and Mrs. Wrighter Benseoter, Beckie Cragle, of Hunlock Creek, R. D., and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Harvey of Dallas spent a week fishing at Lake Sharron in the Chibougamau Reservation, Quebec, Canada. In all they traveled 2054 miles. They visited the modern village of Chibougamau at the end of the road; also the copper and gold mines.

Last Tuesday evening, they witnessed a small hurricane which uprooted trees. Waves on the lake were high and they almost lost their boats and motors which were tied to the dock.

Another exciting event was shooting the rapids in a boat. They stopped in 1954, the survey showed. The crop is clean and growing well. Early June rains were sufficient to aid normal growth. There was some hail damage June 11 and 12. Hot weather of early July caused some sun scald on a few varieties.

In the Berks-Lehigh area prospects for apples are good but declined somewhat following hail damage of late May and early June. Damage to fruit in a few orchards ran as much as 100 per cent, it was said. Fruit is sizing nicely.

Apple prospects in the northwest are reported to be better than last year.

An excellent quality crop of peaches is in prospect on July 1 with fruit sizing well, generally clean and free of insect or disease damage. Some hail damage was reported from local areas.

ped at a restaurant for a barbecue hamburger and cup of coffee and were served a barbecue chicken and fixings (a considerable difference in the price when they paid the bill. The error was probably due to Leonard's French.

Starting home with their limit of fish (one of which Harvey landed weighed 15 lb. and was 42 inches long) they came through the Laurentide reservation where they were able to take a close up picture of a moose eating in the river.

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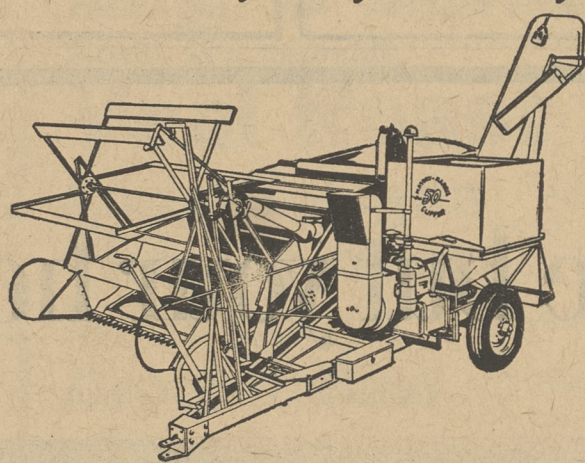
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