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### Average Weight Of Bears This Season Around 200 Pounds, Less Than In 1959

Carl Stainbrook, director of Pennsylvania Game Commission, with headquarters for thirteen counties on Harveys Lake Highway, reports that thirty-nine bears were taken on the first day for his area, with four more reported by Wednesday night. He expected a big kill after a light snow, the last three days of the season.

Damage from bears this year has been mainly to bees. Mangling of a heifer, laid at first to a bear, was found to be due to a large dog.

Mr. Stainbrook says that hunters on the first three days of the bear season enjoyed such mild weather that they did not move around enough to keep the bears stirred up. Hunters sat, or moved slowly, enjoying the sunshine. Bears remained invisible in the thickets.

It takes chilly weather, he says, to keep hunters and game in motion.

### Library Lists Many Books On The Civil War

#### New Volumes Being Added Continuously To History Shelves

With increased interest in the Civil War because of the one hundredth anniversary which starts next year, Back Mountain Memorial Library is fortunate to have a large selection of books pertaining to the War on its shelves.

Among them are many modern works as well as source books of interest to the student.

Here are a few of them: "America's Tragedy", James T. Adams, 1934; "Four Years in Secession" adventures in and beyond the Union lines, Junius Henry Browne, 1865; "Life of General Philip H. Sheridan", Frank A. Burr, 1888; "This Hallowed Ground", Bruce Catton, 1956; "The Passing of the Armies", an account of the final campaign of the Army of the Potomac based upon personal reminiscences of the Fifth Army Corps, Joshua L. Chamberlain, 1915; "A Diary From Dixie", as written by Mary Boykin Chesnut, wife of James Chesnut Jr., U. S. Senator from North Carolina, 1859-1861, Mary Boykin (Miller) Chesnut, 1905; "The Boys of '61", or Four Years of Fighting from the First Battle of Bull Run to the Fall of Richmond, Charles Carleton Coffin, 1882;

"Following the Flag", Charles C. Coffin, 1884; "Redeeming the Republic", the third period of the War of the Rebellion in the year 1864, Charles C. Coffin, 1890; "Union, Disunion, Reunion", three decades of Federal Legislation, 1855 to 1885, Samuel S. Cox, 1885; "To Appomattox", Nine April Days 1865, 1959; "Scraps of Paper", Mrs. Marietta Andrews, 1929; "The Day Lincoln Was Shot", James A. Bishop, 1955; "War Years With Jeb Stuart", William W. Blackford, 1945; "Glory Road", Bruce Catton, 1952; "Mr. Lincoln's Army", Bruce Catton, 1951; "Stillness at Appomattox", Bruce Catton, 1953; "The Rise and Fall of the Confederate Government", 2 volumes, Jefferson Davis, 1881; "Expansion and Conflict", W. E. Dodd, 1915; "Lincoln or Lee", W. E. Dodd, 1928; "The Civil War Through the Camera", H. W. Wilson, 1912; "Edwin McMasters Stanton", the autocrat of rebellion, emancipation and reconstruction, Frank A. Flower, 1905; "Regimental Losses in the American Civil War 1861-1865, W. F. Fox, 1889;

"R. E. Lee", a biography, 4 volumes, Douglas Southall Freeman, 1940; "The Soldier's Story of his Captivity" at Andersonville, Belle Isley and other Rebel Prisons, Warren

### Walter Steltz Has Rifle Wound In Foot

Walter Steltz, 25, Pikes Creek, accidentally shot himself through the foot early Saturday afternoon while scrambling over a ledge with his rifle in the Loyallville area. Hunting companions Herbert and Gilbert Boston took him to Nesbitt Hospital.

The foot, with a bullet wound through the instep to the sole, has several shattered bones. Drainage is being done, and debris has been removed.

Steltz is an employee of Baldwin Electric in Kingston.

### Manzoni's Herd Name Is Forest Heights

Battleboro, Vt.—John T. Manzoni, Dallas, has been given the exclusive use of the name "Forest Heights" as a herd name in registering pure-bred Holstein-Friesian cattle.

This prefix name is granted and will be recorded by The Holstein-Friesian Association of America. It will be used in naming all animals bred by Mr. Manzoni.

L. Goss, 1866; "South After Gettysburg", Cornelia Hancock, 1937; "The Romance of The Civil War", Albert Bushnell Hart, 1914; "The Battle of Gettysburg" the actual eye witness account of Frank A. Haskell, written a few weeks after the battle, republished in 1958; "The Battles for the War of the Union", Holmes Prescott, 1897; "Campfires and Battlefields", Rossiter Johnson;

"Personal Reminiscences, Anecdotes and Letters of Robert E. Lee", William L. Jones, 1876; "Spies of the Blue and Gray", Harnett Kane, 1954; "Lee and Grant at Appomattox", McKinley Kantor, 1950; "Recollection of a Drummer Boy", sixth edition, 1889; "Reveille in Washington", Margaret K. Leech, 1941; "Illustrated History of the Civil War", Frank Leslie, 1895; "My Story of the War", Mary A. Livermore, 1890; "From Manassas to Appomattox", James Longstreet, 1896; "History of the Civil War", Benton J. Lossing, 1912; "McClellan's Own Story", George B. McClellan, 1887; "Abraham Lincoln and Men of War-times", A. K. McClure, 1892; "Gettysburg", 1948;

"Photographic History of the Civil War" edited by Francis T. Miller, 10 volumes, 1911; "Anecdotes, Poetry and Incidents of the War North and South, 1860-1865", Frank Moore, 1866; "The Civil War in Song and Story", Frank Moore, 1882; "Women of the War", Frank Moore, 1886; "Soldier in Our Civil War", 2 volumes, Paul F. Motteley, 1885; "Dan Sickles", hero of Gettysburg and Yankee King of Spain, Edgcomb Pinchon, 1945; "Naval History of the Civil War", David D. Porter, 1886; "The Civil War in Pictures", Fletcher Pratt, 1955; "Monitor and the Merrimac", Fletcher Pratt, 1951; "The Twentieth Maine", John J. Pullen; "The Florence Nightingale of the Southern Army—Ella K. Newsom, Confederate Nurse", Richard J. Fraise, 1914; "When Dana Was The Sun" a story of personal journalism, Charles J. Rosebault, 1931; "Storm Over The Land", Carl Sandburg, 1942; "The Story of the Battle of Gettysburg", James K. Scott, 1927; "Personal Memoirs" 2 volumes, Philip Henry Sheridan; "Memoirs" 2 volumes, William Tecumseh Sherman, 1875; "Old Abe", American eagle, Lorraine Sherwood, 1946; "They Met at Gettysburg", Edward J. Stackpole, 1956; "Fighting for the Stars and Stripes", L. G. Stahl, 1903; "Belle of the Fifties" memoirs of Mrs. Clay of Alabama, covering social and political life in Washington and the South, 1853-1866, Ada Sterling, 1905; "History of the Army of the Potomac", J. H. Stine, 1892; "First Blood" the story of Fort Sumter, W. A. Swanberg, 1957;

"The War With the South," published in 1862 and continued to the end of the War, Robert Tomes; "Echoes From the South," E. B. Treat, 1866; "The Blue Coats" John Treadwell, 1867; "Battlefield and Prison Pen" John W. Urban, 1882; "Mighty Stonewall" Frank E. Vandiver, 1957; "Battles of the Civil War" T. E. Vineyard, 1914; "Those Fatal Generals," E. V. Westrate, 1936; "Lincoln and His Generals," Thomas H. Williams, 1952; "The End of an Era," John S. Wise, 1902; "The Story of the Civil War" or the exploits, adventures and travels of Mrs. L. J. Velasquez (Lieut. H. T. Bulford), C. J. Worthington, 1890; "A Southern Girl in '61," the wartime memories of a Confederate Senator's daughter, Mrs. D. G. Wright, 1905;

"Marse Robert, Knight of the Confederacy," James C. Young, 1931; "What A Boy Saw In the Army," Jesse B. Young, 1894; "Lee's Lieutenants" 3 volumes, Douglas Southall Freeman, 1944; "Personal Recollections of General Nelson A. Miles," Nelson Appleton Miles, 1896; "Mr. Lincoln's Camera Man—Matthew B. Brady, Roy Meredith, 1946; "John Brown's Body," narrative poem, Stephen Benet, 1928; "Overthrow of American Slavery," poetry, 1928; "Campaigns of the Fifty-Second Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry," Smith B. Mott, 1911; "Pennsylvania Gettysburg Battlefield Commission, Fiftieth Anniversary," State of Pennsylvania, 1913; "Pennsylvania at Chickamauga and Chattanooga," 1897; "Antietam Battlefield Commission, Second Brigade of the Pennsylvania Reserves at Antietam," 1908; "Pennsylvania at Gettysburg," the seventy-fifth anniversary, 1939; "New York at Gettysburg" 3 volumes, 1900.

### From Pillar To Post . . .

by HIX

After the numbers on Pioneer Avenue and Mt. Greenwood Road have been straightened out for Shavertown and Trucksville, the rest of Pioneer Avenue running through a portion of Dallas Township and a small corner of Dallas Borough will still be a No-Man's Land. Numbers going North could presumably be extended to include this area, but with the abrupt ending of Pioneer Avenue as it merges with Main Road, Dallas, complications would ensue.

On Main Street, Dallas, numbers increase as they run south toward the intersection with Pioneer Avenue.

Giving directions to a motorist trying to find the Ralph Smiths or the E. M. Joneses, or the Hickses on Pioneer Avenue, is a frustrating business.

"When you come through Trucksville, you'll notice a blinker light after you've passed the green light leading to Carverton Road. Take that left-hand fork at the blinker, and drive up Mt. Greenwood Road."

"Check."

"Then pretty soon you'll find you're on Pioneer Avenue instead of Mt. Greenwood Road, but it's the same street, the one the buses marked 'Upper Road,' travel along."

"Upper Road, OK."

"When Mt. Greenwood Road becomes Pioneer Avenue, you're in Shavertown instead of in Trucksville. It's right after you pass the cemetery."

"Yes, I'm with you so far, go on."

"Now you go up and down a roller-coaster, passing a church at the foot of a pretty steep hill. The houses are all numbered here, but you won't find any more numbers after you cross into Dallas Township."

"Where's Dallas Township?"

"It's after you leave Shavertown."

"Still on Pioneer Avenue?"

"Yes, you're still on Pioneer Avenue. At the foot of another roller-coaster, you cross Overbrook Road and keep on going until you find a house on the right, behind a white picket fence. That'll be the Hicks place. You can identify it by the mailbox across the road. It's in Dallas Borough."

"Any number?"

"No number. You just have to identify it by the mailbox."

"Isn't there an easier way to find it?"

"Well, you can stick to the main highway, 309, instead of turning off at the blinker light in Trucksville. Watch for the Forty-Four Dairy Bar, and turn up a street going up a hill to the left. At the top of this hill there is a stop sign, and if there is nothing coming on the Upper Road, you can make a sharp U turn onto it, going back the way you came. Start counting houses. The third on the left will have a picket fence in front of it."

"Come again. There MUST be an easier way."

"OK, here's the real dope. Follow highway 115, after it branches off Highway 309, another mile right into central Dallas. At the traffic light turn to the left. Three quarters of a mile along the Main Road there will be a fork. One fork leads down hill. Ignore that road, and take the right hand fork which leads right around a curve. Start counting houses. The third house on the left, etc., etc., including the picket fence."

It would be pretty slick to be able to say, "Take the Upper Road at the blinker light in Trucksville, follow it to North 7777, and there you are."

### Rambling Around

By The Oldtimer — D. A. Waters

Like the election figures, the census figures have been issued and reissued, adjusted and corrected, until most of us have become completely confused. However they have now come out with what they call "final" figures and maybe we had better stop and read them again.

As of now the seven municipalities Back of The Mountain show an increase of 3802 residents, an increase just under 26% in the last ten years. This is far from uniform. Dallas Borough with over 54% shows the highest rate of increase and almost the highest number with 912, second only to Kingston Township with 968. However the rate in Kingston Township shows only 21%.

Second highest rate of increase appears in Lehman Township with just under 35% and 598 people. Dallas Township has more personal increase with 872, but the rate there is only 27%.

Lake, Jackson, and Franklin Townships all show increases between ten and twenty per cent.

While there are a lot of people making a living in this area, or seeming to do so, after all, our bread and butter in most cases is earned elsewhere. Local gas stations sell a lot of gas to people going to and from work, the local banks cash pay checks issued on out of area banks, and supermarkets empty their shelves for cash brought in from outside. Advertisements in The DALLAS POST would not pay if money did not come from outside to buy the wares offered.

The apparent boom in population in this area is not only made at the expense of other communities from which new residents have moved, but others from county municipalities have moved to greater distances leaving the county shrinking in population year after year and census after census since 1930. Up to that time it had grown steadily. The same daily paper that gave a 1960 figure of 346,972 for the county, elsewhere showed 343,186 in 1910. We are now only about one per cent up compared to fifty years ago. The last three census figures each showed a substantial drop from the preceding one. There was a drop between 1870 and 1880 which was overcome then, but there is nothing to show the present dropping will not continue.

In the Valley the biggest noise is being made about the loss of the anthracite industry, but in its most prosperous days it never employed enough to make up the loss. Years ago it was the loss of the Sheldon Axle Works and the Wales Adder Machine Co. A long list could be made up of industries closed down and departed. Certainly there are a lot fewer farmers, but think of the enormous increase in milkmen and distributors. The lost anthracite has been replaced by oil and gas, all of which employ men. The Sheldon plant is occupied by several smaller outfits, not employing as many, perhaps, but nevertheless doing business every day. The Kingston Cake is better known than the Wales Adder ever was, but probably has less employees. It may

have more.

The railroad industry, in which I have been employed for over forty years, is one of the hardest hit, almost nationwide. Pipelines, subsidized, internal waterways, passenger cars and trucks of public built roads, and airlines operated with heavy assistance from publicly operated terminals or direct subsidy have together about ruined the railroad industry. Of course the loss of anthracite is felt here locally, probably more than in any related industry.

On the more hopeful side it might be added that some new industries are being added in this county from time to time. Most of the buildings formerly occupied by lace and silk mills are in use for some other purposes, and substantial new factories are appearing here and there.

Cities like Scranton, offering business firms good facilities at favorable rates, seem to show improvement. One of the real troubles is that today business firms, labor unions, even unemployed, show the greatest interest in getting something for nothing, or the nearest possible amount thereto. And in the long run, nobody prospers under such a philosophy.

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Chairman P. R. Com. for the O.L.H.

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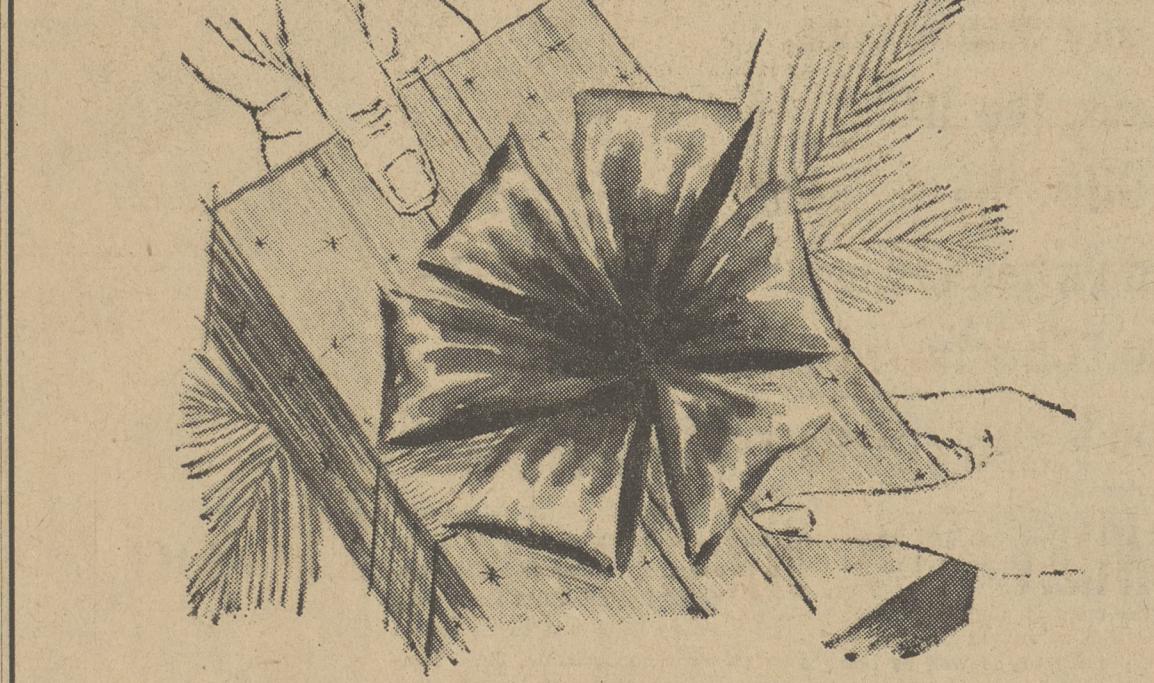
Examples: At Halloween they had no party and they did not dress up in costumes. If it isn't bad enough at Halloween the teacher told them not to bring her any gifts at Christmas, because they are not having a party. Is it because the teacher hasn't any money or is she not concerned for her pupils.

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