

### Casualty Insurance Funnies

So you think you've got troubles to get hopped up about? Consider the booze-loving Richmond, Va., pet rabbit who joined his owner and a guest for cocktails one afternoon. Normally a beer drinker, the bunny cottoned to a martini poured into his saucer by the visitor. Apparently hungry for hors d'oeuvres, he promptly bounced out to the porch and chewed up the guest's overshoes.

The rabbit's appetite resulted in one of the strangest claims handled recently by Aetna Life & Casualty, whose 4,150 claim employees processed 11 million insurance benefit payments last year. They find that animals can get themselves into the weirdest predicaments. So can people.

Like the woman who had an un-scheduled dip at a Wheeling, W. Va., poolside party and suffered the additional indignity of losing her wig, revealing a nearly-bald pate. Aetna Life & Casualty paid for cleaning the woman's wig and clothing and buying her a new pair of shoes.

Occasionally, man and animal meet head on. More trouble. Ask the Burlington, Vt., man whose dog was sprayed by a skunk cornered in the garage. The man grabbed a shotgun and aimed at the culprit. The gun jammed. The skunk fired again. The man went into the house for another shotgun, with the skunk following close behind. Now desperate, the man got off a shot with his second gun, blasting a hole through a chair, table, and wall. Unable to stand any more "non-scents," the skunk escaped out the door unharmed. The claim for furniture and house damage was paid.

In Rochester, N.Y., an ungrateful goat figuratively bit the hand that was about to feed him. A visitor who was buying milk for the animal left her purse on a fence post. The goat chewed up \$85 in bills before the lady returned with

the milk and a friendship that had suddenly soured. A theft insurance policy carried by the woman did not apply. The price of pheasant-under-glass may have reached an all-time high in Syracuse, N.Y., when one of the birds crashed through the picture window of a home insured by Aetna Life & Casualty. As if to atone for the fowl play, however, the pheasant thoughtfully laid an egg in the dining room before departing.

One of the most bizarre auto accidents investigated by Aetna Life & Casualty claim specialists was reported at Spokane, Wash. It involved a camp trailer in which a man was dozing while it was being towed by a car driven by his wife. The man, who customarily slept with a minimum of clothing, was jolted awake when another car sideswiped them.

He opened the back door a crack to see what had happened. His wife, determined to catch the culprit, started up with a jerk, pitching him into the street.

Clothed exclusively in righteous indignation, the man dashed after her for a couple of blocks. Then, halted by a shortness of both breath and wardrobe, he huddled between two parked cars until rescued by a passing officer—who at first thought it all a bare-faced lie.

### Flowers From Islands At Hess's Flower Show

The flowers of far away romantic islands, fresh and in full bloom, will be shown in real life settings in Hess's Fifth Annual International Flower Show during the week of May 16 on the main floor of Hess's Department Store of Allentown.

More than a quarter-million exotic blooms, plants and art from many countries will cover much of Hess's 60,000 square-foot main floor. The stately eremuri plant from the Himalayas of Asia and flowers from other lands will be imported to create the opulent gardens that only those who travel around the world might manage to see.

Everett Conklin, internationally-famed floral arranger who heads up the team of arrangers who created the displays for the four previous

### SPORTSMANS CORNER

by Jim Hopple

The directors of both the Fish and Game Commissions are applauding the signing of House Bill 1005 limiting landowners' liability in regard to hunter and fisherman use of private lands and waters.

In a joint statement Glenn L. Bowers, Director of the Pennsylvania Game Commission, and Robert J. Bielo, Director of the Pennsylvania Fish Commission, said this legislation presents another long step forward in Pennsylvania's history-making effort to assure all Pennsylvanians the utmost opportunity to enjoy outdoor recreation.

Bowers said that passage of House Bill 1005 can well be expected to improve the Game Commission's opportunity to keep private lands open for public use and to open additional hunting land.

Bielo commented that the sportsmen-backed legislation relieving the landowners of liability for recreation seekers enjoying hunting and fishing clearly outlines the sportsmen's desires to work closely with landowners and farmers in programs of mutual benefit.

The Pennsylvania Game Commission has approved purchase of 18,500 ringnecked pheasants (males only) from commercial breeders for release prior to the 1966 fall hunting season. This is in addition to the ring-necked pheasants which will be produced at the Commission's Game Farms.

Trout season opens this Saturday and anyone making first day catch may phone me at 674-3529.

Meadow mice, chief food of mammals, birds and snakes of the fields, have only one defense, reproduction. A pair may have 17 litters of five each year, and with assistance from their offspring could produce a million mice in one year.

Black bears, looked upon as one of the toughest animals in existence, have tender feet and cater to them by staying mainly on established trails.

Hess's International Flower Shows, said that the floral story will include realistically growing backgrounds from such romantic areas as the Polynesian and the French Society Islands, from the Caribbean, Japanese Islands, from Canadian from Majorca, from Ceylon, from the island oases of Sahara Desert.

Hess's Fifth Annual International Flower Show will open Monday, May 16, and continue through Saturday, May 21, with frequent changes of flowers for a fresh and vibrant appearance throughout the week. The show is open to the public during the Allentown department store's regular hours: from 10 a.m. to 5:25 p.m. except Thursday when Hess's is open from noon to nine at night.

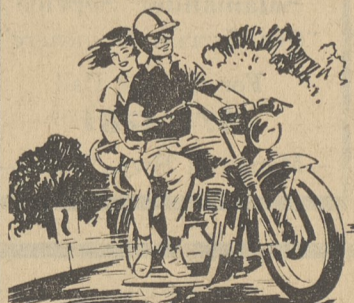
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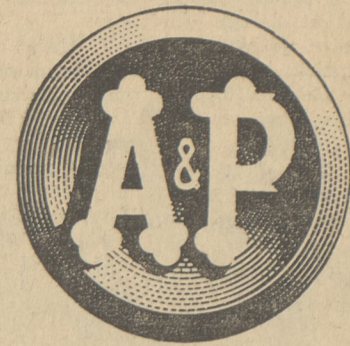
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