

OWL LAFFS



—BY—
A WISE OWL

That really must have been some fishing trip last week! Ike Morris was really miserable but being a swell sport he alternated between "feeding the fish" and fishing. But don't you feel bad! Even the most seasoned fishermen can't take it sometimes.

How that Strasburg fella rates this column every week I don't know, but here he is again. Now it's fish instead of dogs. Anyway, he too was on this fishing trip and the only way they could keep him in his room, so the rest of the party could get some sleep, was to lock the door, so Clay who shared his room, did just that and threw the key under the bed. Murphy crawled under to retrieve it, bashed his head against the crockery and crawled out amazed. — He didn't think those things were used anymore.

I could fill this entire column on that one trip, but I won't. There still seems to be some question as to the catch—they were bonitas for our guess and darn good eating.

A local ex-GI is attending summer school and when he was home over the weekend his ma asked him what kind of person his roommate was. Her son replied: "Mother, I can give you a very good idea. Last Thursday night he barked his shins on a chair, and said: 'Oh, the perversity of inanimate objects'. You know what I'd of said!"

An uptown man walked jauntily downtown when it was so cool the other morning and exclaimed: "Oh! I feel like a two year old." His companion, who didn't share his exuberance, asked: "Horse or egg?" There is quite a difference, but why did he have to say that?

Some Manheim fellows bought a mountain camp and the one fellow told me they have only one trouble and that is that the water is unsafe. I then asked what precautions they take against it and he explained: "Well, first we filter it. Then we boil it. Then we add chemicals to it and then just to play safe, we drink beer."

An East Main streeter was narrating the close call he had last night when he woke up in the wee small hours and saw something white in his room. He said he grabbed his gun and shot it and when he put on the lights he discovered he had shot his white shirt. The fellow he told said: "I don't see what was such a narrow escape about that." And the man explained: "Well, for heavens sake, suppose I'd forgotten to take off my shirt last night, I'd have been shot."

Met a Donegal St. lady in Lancaster going round in a revolving door. When she went round several times I pulled her out and asked her what the trouble was, and she answered: "Bless me if I can remember if I was going in or coming out, so I just kept going around until I could make up my mind." — Well, that's alright if you have nothing better to do.

Then there was the bewildered rural resident who looked into his hair brush and said: "Guess I need a shave."

There's a lady in Florin who has three pairs of eye glasses. One is for long sight, one pair is for near sight and the third pair is to look for the other two. She uses the third pair most.

On a radio quiz program the other night the master of Ceremonies asked a young boy "Who is the speaker of the House?" The youth unhesitatingly replied: "Mother."

Down in the Acme this morning two little girls were standing at the meat counter while the butcher got their order ready. One re-

SOFT BALL!

Following are the scores during the past week.
Thursday Nite
Fire Co. 5, Legion 4.
Browns 9, Rotary 6.
Monday Nite
Fire Co. 3, Browns 3.
Rotary 5, Legion 2.

STANDING OF THE LEAGUE

Second Half			
Teams	W	L	Pcs.
Fire Company	5	0	1.000
Browns	4	1	.800
Rotary Club	4	2	.667
American Legion	4	2	.667
Gerberichs	3	2	.600
Seiler	1	4	.200
Merchants	0	5	.000
Sico	0	5	.000

SPORTSMEN WILL RAISE PHEASANTS FOR LIBERATION

The Mt. Joy Sportsmen's Association held a meeting Monday evening at the Fire Hall. Twelve members were present at the meeting and elected Paul Diffenderfer chairman of a committee to arrange for a wild life booth for the Annual Mt. Joy Community Exhibit to be held sometime in October.

At the meeting the game committee reported that 300 one-day old pheasant chicks had been received and stated that the pheasants would be raised on the farm of Charles Bailey, Mt. Joy R1 and would be liberated when grown.

FIRE COMPANY WINS FIRST HALF CHAMPIONSHIP

In a softball game played on the park diamond, Tuesday evening, the Fire Company defeated the Legion 7 to 2. A home run in the fifth inning with two on by "Junior" Walters, broke up the game for the Legionaires.

By winning this playoff game, the Firemen are now first half champs.

MT. JOY TENNIS CLUB AIMS FOR NET CROWN

With only one more week of play remaining the Mount Joy Tennis Club continues to hold a narrow margin in the hot Inter-County Tennis League race for first place.

STANDING OF TEAMS

Mount Joy	51	10	.842
Lancaster	46	15	.754
Manheim	33	32	.508
Harrisburg	39	34	.460
York Raquet	14	22	.389
Middletown	7	56	.111

DUCK HUNTING SEASON AND LIMIT REDUCED

With the wild duck population reduced to "a dangerous level" the government Thursday limited the 1946 hunting season to 45 days, the daily bag limit to seven and the possession limit to 14.

This compares with an 80-day hunting season last year, with a daily bag limit of 10 and with a possession limit of 20.

The hunting season runs from Oct. 5 to NOV. 18 in the northern zone; from Oct. 26 to Dec. 9 in the intermediate zone, from Nov. 26 to Jan. 6 in the southern zone.

Trouble is that too many children regard the family ice box as their local filling station.

A man doesn't usually start to protect his hair until he hasn't enough left on his head to protect.

Too many women's hats looked like a tossed salad, says a local subscriber.

Everybody reads newspapers but NOT everybody reads circular advertising left on their door step.

marked: "What part of the cow do the chops come from?" The other girl asked: "Don't you know?" And the first replied: "Do you?" To which the second inquired: "Didn't you ever hear of a cow licking it's chops?" — Before they asked me any questions, I left.

When a local parent was told by his college student son, that in chemistry they are looking for a universal solvent the parent asked: "What is that?" The student explained: "A liquid that will dissolve anything." "That's a great idea," agreed his pa, "but when you find it what are you going to keep it in?" — He would think of that.

Have a nice time at the picnic and save a hard boiled egg for me.
A WISE OWL

We Want News!

This is vacation time! When you go places for a day, the weekend or longer, or if you have company, drop us a card or call 41J and tell us about it. — That's news!

Preparing For A Town Bowling League

The town Bowling League will begin the 1946-47 season on Monday evening, Aug. 26th at 7:00 p.m. Following are the captains and the teams they have chosen.

No. 1 - Tronio, Capt.; Decker, Greiner, Hallgren, H. Brown and Frey.
No. 2 - F. Alwine Capt.; L. Heck, Scopy, Fackler, F. Good, Boozer.
No. 3 - M. Good Capt.; B. Garman, Dougherty, Railing, Herr, E. Brown.
No. 4 - Shonk Capt.; Spangler, Sheetz, Germer, Reinhold, Eshleman.
No. 5 - J. Barnhart Capt.; Funk, Grove, Peifer, E. Myers, Anderson.
No. 6 - Bennett Capt.; Kreider, Hipple, A. Myers, Packer, R. Pennell.
No. 7 - E. Kuhn Capt.; R. Heck, Mumma, Kulp, J. Pennell, R. Brown.
No. 8 - R. Schneider Capt.; Young, Hostetter, Corll, Buck, J. Mateer.

MOUNT JOY NETSTERS TROUCE MANHEIM 9 TO 0

The Mount Joy tennis team rolled up another victory in the Inter-County Tennis League last Saturday afternoon when they defeated Manheim 9-0.

SINGLES: F. Zink (MJ) defeated J. Fellenbaum (M) 7-5, 6-3. Crider (MJ) defeated Young (M) 7-5, 8-6. Stetson (MJ) defeated Stern (M) 7-5, 8-6. Divet (MJ) defeated Retew (M) 6-2, 6-2. Leicht (MJ) defeated R. Diehl 6-4, 6-1.

DOUBLES: Crider and Stetson (MJ) defeated Fellenbaum and Young (M) 6-0, 6-0. Leicht and Divet (MJ) defeated Carper and Fry (M) 6-2, 6-4. Zink and Germer (MJ) defeated Stern and Diehl (M) 6-4, 7-5.

Fixing Up the Farm
by BURTON WILLIAMS

Farm Shop Pays Its Way

A WELL equipped farm shop is the best answer for keeping farm machinery in operating condition. It is essential to keep buildings, your home and other equipment in good repair. The shop need not be expensive or elaborate, but it should be orderly and systematic. Location of the shop will largely depend upon the layout of other buildings within the farmstead arrangement. The shop should be convenient for servicing machinery after it is brought in from the fields.



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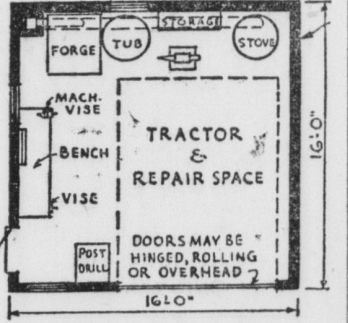
The Navy Department has just issued an announcement that authority is hereby granted to reenlist Waves in Class V-10 of the Naval Reserve for INACTIVE DUTY, according to Chief Electrician's Mate, E. C. Miner, Recruiter in Charge of the Navy Recruiting Station in Lancaster, Pa.

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NEWTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. John Fogie of Mountville, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Riple of Mt. Joy, Minnie Gelmacher and Mrs. Earl Gelmacher of Kinderhook and Mrs. Susan Haines visited Mrs. Susan Fogie and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fogie on Sunday.

Harry Floy was badly burned about the face arms and shoulders while working at his shop on Monday.

Mrs. Ira Keller and Mrs. Aron Zeumer of Kinderhook visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mahan.

John Gelmacher went on a fishing trip to Indian River over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gelmacher were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Witmer, also visited Daniel Gelmacher on Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Myers and son Mervin and daughter Doris of Lancaster visited Mrs. Wilbert Witmer and Mrs. Irvin Witmer on Thursday.

Mrs. Daniel Moore visited Mrs. Oliver Greenwalt and family at Mt. Joy on Sunday.

Mrs. Abram Gamber, Minnie and Howard Gamber visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hauser at Middletown on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Winters and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Winters of Manheim visited Mr. and Mrs. Abram Gamber on Sunday.

Mrs. Victor Snyder, Mrs. Jacob McGongall and Mrs. Edward Isler spent Sat. evening at Williams Grove Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Isler of Elizabethtown on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Isler returned home from their vacation to Monterey Minn. on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Koser and daughter of Mt. Joy, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gamber and family of Ironville, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gelmacher, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jacobs and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jacobs of Salunga Mr. Ray Gamber and Miss Louise Hershey of Millersville visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frank and family on Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Myers of Kinderhook visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weaver on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gelmacher visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Garner of Mt. Joy R1 on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leverage Lucas of Columbia and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Erb of Columbia R1 visited Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gelmacher on Tuesday evening.

The ladies aid held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Harry Weaver.

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By Gene Byrnes

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DOUBLE FEATURE
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Kathryn Grayson — June Allyson—Jimmy Durante
"TWO SISTERS FROM BOSTON"

MON. & TUES., AUG. 19-20 WED. & THUR., AUG. 21-22
Gale Storm — Phil Regan
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OLIVIA DE HAVILLAND — RAY MILLIAND -in-
"THE WELL GROOMED BRIDE"

MONDAY—TUESDAY, AUGUST 19-20
GEORGE BRENT — DOROTHY MCGUIRE -in-
"THE SPIRAL STAIRCASE"

WEDNESDAY — THURSDAY, AUGUST 21-22
MARIE MONTEZ — PRESTON FOSTER -in-
"TANGIER"

FRIDAY—SATURDAY, AUGUST 23-24
JOAN LESLIE — ROBERT HUTTON -in-
"TOO YOUNG TO KNOW"