

WISE OWL

A young man near Neffsville has a terrific decision to make and he is giving it quite a lot of thought. His father has offered to give him \$5,000 if he gives up all his bad habits. While many of his friends think he should take it he asks "How am I going to spend \$5,000 if I have no bad habits?

Our office sage says: "Don't let opportunity fool you, it often comes disguised as work.

A Florin man complained: "I'm all out of sorts from following my doctor's orders. He said the only way to relieve my rheumatism is to stay away from dampness."

"That isn't hard to do, is it?" "No, but I feel so silly sitting in a dry bathtub brushing myself with a feather duster," he explains.

Always remember -- the tongue being a wet place, is apt to slip when going very fast.

honor system is one in which the efficient captain ample opportunity instructor has the honor and the student has the system."

the New Year week-end they va- captain. cationed in the big city and while there one night they hailed a has undoubtedly told you about the walt and Norman Heisey. taxi and told the driver where theft and instructed you to apprethey wanted to go. The driver hend the thief." raced off wildly and went careening down the street, swaying, bumping and giving the couple several anxious moments. Noticing their concern, he shouted band said—" over his shoulder, "Don't worry, folks; I ain't going to land you in no hospital. I just got out of

wife, sympathetically. "Was it an "Naw," replied the driver. "I

"How dreadful," answered the

was a mental case."----Help!!

I have just been enlightened that there is a different between ma wants and a woman's wants. My daughter says a man wants all he can get while a woman wants everything she can't get.

When a Sporting Hill lady went to a doctor he examined her very thoroughly and told her all she needs is a good rest. But the lady persisted: "But I feel I said. The necklace has been reneed some medicine. Wry don't turned." She nodded toward a box you look at my tongue?" "That on her dressing table. needs a rest too," answered Doc.

Up at Chet's last night the bartender shoved a double shot of whiskey across the bar. The stranger picked it up with one hand, held his nose with the other and closed his eyes. Then he downed it in one gulp. bartender smiled and asked: isn't that bad is it?" And the stranger replied: "Oh no, but if I see it or smell it my mouth about apprehending the criminal feating Mt. Joy Legion by a 68-40 waters and dilutes the darn stuff".

A man went into a bank to cash a check then frowned as he pel the possibility of having them Snavely F. locked up at the clock. He glan- found in his possession he decided W. Longenecker ced down at his wristwatch then to return them. In doing so he un- C. Longenecker C back up at the clock and said: intentionally returned the originals Rice G "That clock's fast isn't it?" "Certainly," replied the teller, "it would fall down if it weren't."

Gwennie Kramer had a lot of trouble the other night. She dreamed that cannibals were chasing her. Now I don't know was it something she et or didn't et, but why cannibals? A WISE OWL

DO CONCRETE WORK

When there is not danger of freezing, concrete work can be done around the farmstead. Excrete walks between buildings, and ble spouse that her husband undera concrete strip flanking each stood and expected. foundation wall.

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CONSIDERING the fact that the necklace was valued at \$50,000 and it was not insured, Mrs. Hol-

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you think I'm made of money."

"Point? What point?" Mr. Holbrook was becoming irritated.

"I mean," said Bess, "that I'm not the empty-headed, irresponsible person you think me. The diamond necklace wasn't stolen. I left it back in New York-in a safety deposit "You what?"

imitations. I wouldn't dream of play and a few prominent aviation clamation—there are two or three wearing the originals without haventhusiasts spoke on the future of dozen other good subjects, but to-

Mr. Holbrook's mouth fell open. "So you see," said Bess. It isn't as bad as it seems."

Rita Fenway, one of the guests, the fact that there's a thief aboard.

"Of course," Mrs. Holbrook said. Marlin Young. "And nothing could be more satisfactory. My dears, consider that we are to be on the high seas for a week. The criminal, whoever he A Junior boy says "that the my dears, will give our clever and mond Garman. to apprehend the thief."

had demonstrated her hidden er. genius she excused herself from a friends for a ride. Mr. and Mrs. group in the main lounge and unhave a memory of New York City obtrusively descended to her cabin. Cecil Weaver took a short signtthat they'll never forget. Over After a moment she rang for the seeing ride. Late afternoon pi-

"Yes, ma'm. I have two of the crew making a search now." "Instruct them to desist. It will

not be necessary." "But, Mrs. Holbrook, your hus-



band has undoubtedly told you about the theft and instructed you to apprehend the thief."

"Never mind what my husband "Returned? The imitations, you mean?'

"No. The 'real ones. Captain Talbert, I'm going to take you into my confidence. The story I told about the necklace being imitation was false. I've never worn false jewelry and I never shall. I merely told that story so that the thief would think his loot valueless."

CAPTAIN TALBERT'S face Lititz, with Stark scoring 27 points, had little difficulty in deby searching for the imitations so that the thief would return—"

"Exactly. The imitations weren't Weber F worth keeping, and in order to dis- Breneman F -and spared me the unpleasant- Shupp G

ness of facing my husband-alone." Captain Talbert nodded understandingly. He knew what the word "alone" meant. He regarded Mrs. Holbrook with frank admiration, "Mrs. Holbrook, allow me to congratulate you, and please understand that you will have my fullest co-operation. After a reasonable length of time I'll announce that we have been

unsuccessful in our search." A moment later Captain Talbert went out, Left alone, Mrs. Holbrook Score by period sat down before her mirror. It had MOUNT JOY been a strain. A great strain. She tension agricultural engineers of sighed wearily. It was such a relief the Pa. State College list paving to feel that once more she could READ ABOUT POTATOES the feeding lot or barnyard, con- return to the role of the irresponsi-

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even her husband, for her husband knew her for

excitable person.

But, good

South High Results of the second of the lord, Bess! You Norman Sprecher. Plans for ex- This is a message

all day. A few new models of is hired to do. "The jewels that were stolen were the latest airplanes were on dis- As a huddle sample—take Re-

Rita Fenway, one of the guests, suddenly said: "But it doesn't alter John Hawthorne, Phares Landis." Ing out 1500 million bucks to proper crop prices on account of a surplus And that means we're all in danger the week was done by Lester Wol- big Bureau Building the boys are of being robbed. And the cruise gemuth, David Nauman, Joseph shelling out about the same amount

> Marlin Young visited the Bloomburg Municipal Airport.

Pilots visiting other nearby airis, will have to remain with us dur- ports were Bruce Robinson, Ralph ing that length of time. A week, Kauffman, Albert Forry and Ray-

Other pilots took short hops on Sunday afternoon: Sim Horton An hour after Mrs. Holbrook and Norman Sprecher flew togeth-Henry Weber took three lots were Walt Reily, Paul Hess, "Captain Talbert, my husband Frank Hassinger, Warren Greena-

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LOCALS HAD GAME WON UP TO THE LAST MINUTE

Mount Joy High led by three points with one minute to go when Manheim tied the count here Tuesday evening. After two slow minutes, Manheim Boro romped away in the final minute of the extra

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Manheim	G	FL	TI	1
L. Frey F	5	4	14	
Showers F	1	4	6	
Rhoads C	3	7	13	
Goss G	3	2	8	
B. Frey G	6	2	14	-
Miller G	1	0	2	
Totals	19	19	57	
Mount Joy	G	FI	TI	

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Wilson F	6	2	14
McCue F	6	2	14
Bowman C	4	0	8
Koser G	3	0	6
Bates G	3	2	8
Boyer G		0	0
Total	22	6	50

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LOCAL TEAM WAS DEFEATED BY PRETZEL TOWNERS 68-40 Lititz, with Stark scoring 27

Mount Joy

Totals Marks F Reist F Ludwig C

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If you plan to grow potatoes commercially, you can get a lot of information out of a new extension publication. It covers soils, rotation, fertilizers, cultivation, When in need of Printing, (a v- varieties and storage,

might at least act concerned. I pansion in the new year were dis- Each of you being a more or less paid 50 grand for that rope. Maybe cussed. Members present were: astute kind of hombre knows that Sam Balsbach, Fred Sherick, Sim four or five heads are better than "That," said Mrs. Holbrook, "is Horton, Arthur Hostetter, William one. So, in order to give 150 mil-Risser, John Landis, John Bender, lion U.S.A. citizens an honest break Clair Sharpe, Stehman Landis, Har- gather around your congressmen old Baer and Norman Sprecher. from your own home state and The Annual Pennsylvania Fly- huddle with them. It will help get ing Farmers Day was held last or keep your feet on terra firma. week at the Harrisburg State Air- Some one or two in your bunch will port in connection with the Pa. remind the others that there are Farm Show. A large crowd at- still folks back home to look out tended the meeting which lasted after-and which is what Congress

private flying. Local pilots at- day I will stick to Reclamation. You tending the meeting were: Jacob and your bunch should try to un-Martin, David Heisey, James ravel how-come the Govt. is shell-Endslow, Elmer Groff, John Groff, ing out 1500 million bucks to prop Considerable local flying during whilst across the street in another won't be over for another week." McKendricks, Harold Baer and for dams on creeks and streams to get more water and power to reclaim more land by the thousands of acres on which to raise more crops. Brother.

You can huddle on that subject most honorable senators-but don't

Yours with the low-down. Jimmy

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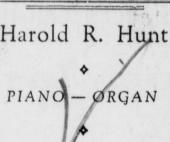
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