# OWL LAFFS

—BY—

## A WISE OWL

No, that was not a wedding you heard going down town klinkety, klank the other day, it was ex-postmaster Charlie Bennett. He's got a car that goes "jingle, jangle, jingle", but only when some jokester ties a tin can to the bottom of his car.---What else could he do? You can't just lie down out on Main Street and crawl under your car to untie the thing.

I finally gave in to the temptation and joined the pop corn eaters down at the movies. Man! Is that pop corn good! I suggest that after eating a bag of the salted corn there should be a coke dispenser there also, but the management didn't think much of the idea.

But to get back to pop corn. I don't know why you must wait until around the holidays, usually, to get the yellow and pink candied stuff. They tell me that up in the New England states pop corn is very popular in every flavor, raspberry, cherry, grape, lime, etc. Have you ever tasted it? Must be real good.

Isn't it too bad that when success turns a fellow's head, it does not wring his neck?

One of the fellows boasts that he has cut down his drinking fifty per cent. He eliminates the chasers.

Some of the real old folks can still match wits with the youth of today as was proven after an accident that happened Saturday night.

A young man had made the rounds of several taverns and on his way to another he was driving along when the highway turned left but he didn't. Consequently his car went across a lawn, jumped the porch and crashed through the wall of a little white cottage landing in the living room where a sweet old lady sat plaiting a rug. When she looked up in surprise, the driver, sort of flustered, asked: "Could you tell me the way to York?" "Certainly", snorted the old lady. "Drive right through the china closet and turn left at the kitchen stove!" And on she went with her rug making.

Heard a pretty ridiculous argument up at the post office this A.M. One man contended that the white man is superior to the Indian. The other fellow argued: "Now you take when the white man came to this country the Indian was running things. There were no taxes. There were no debts. The women did all the work. Now you tell me how in heck you could improve on a system like that?"

Men! remember that your wife still likes candy and flowers. Let her know that you remember. Speak of them occasionally.

You know, if the Russians were really proud of their Communist experiment, instead of an Iron Curtain they'd put in a Plate Glass Window.

Jim Berrier just couldn't come back from his West Coast trip without bringing us a story, so here it is. He says they were driving through desert country and they stopped at a ramshackle old house to ask how much more desert they had to travel. When Jim saw how dilapidated the shack was he just stood and looked at it in amazement. A bearded old man rocked back and forth on what should have been a porch and paid no attention to Jim. Finally Jim exclaimed: "Old Timer, one look at this house convinces me you are worse off than anybody in this state." The old nester cackled: "I ain't as hard up as you think I be, son. I live here but I DON'T OWN this place."

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# Weekly Letter By Penna. State Game Commission

Sportsmen have often been heard to say I'd like to do something to improve game conditions in my locality but I live in town, not on hunting territory.

Individuals and organizations can contribute to the welfare of game and the continuance of their sport by purchasing standing grain on farms, preferably yellow corn, that will remain uncut as food and winter cover for many forms of wildlife when severe weather and a low supply of natural food often make survival difficult.

Futhermore, such grain purchases create a favorable impression among the hunters' farmer hosts who are not only paid for their grain but who, through the transaction, learn that sportsmen are willing to give as well as to take.

**Home-Raised Rabbits Preferred Over Imported Stock**

A number of states continue their ban against the importation of cottontail rabbits. The game departments of these states believe that western rabbits cost more in the long run than do habitat restoration and livetrapping and transfer programs at home. The authorities believe, also, that home-grown bunnies produce more offspring, are hardier and provide better hunting than do those bought from other states.

Disease factors, however, are the major reasons why conservation agencies rule against rabbit importations. Massachusetts, once free of tularemia, has experienced several cases within the past few years. These were the result of infection by imported rabbits, or of native rabbits infected by imported bunnies.

New Mexico, which exports thousands of rabbits each year, recently found bubonic plague was carried by its native rabbit population. Pennsylvania sportsmen have bought rabbits from New Mexico in past years. Having this knowledge of disease possibilities sportsmen will likely heed the warning sounded in other states.

For years, the rabbit trapping program has worked successfully in the Keystone State. Should the experimental cottontail farms succeed as anticipated, a network of these naturol propogating areas over the Commonwealth should produce so well that the importation of western stock, already lessened because of its questionable value, could be abandoned with beneficial effect on the Commonwealth's rabbit population.

**Hunters Warned**

Soon hawks will start their southward migration through Pennsylvania, using the flight routes this kind have followed year after year. When the flight is on hunters at mountain top positions have practiced indiscriminate off-season wing shooting by intercepting these migranth as they fly past, killing many unlawfully. Commission employes have been instructed to enforce the hawk laws along these flight routes.

Unfortunately, many persons class all hawks as villians but ornithologists have established that most found in the Commonwealth are generally beneficial. Therefore, only three, the predacious goshawk, sharp-skinned hawk and Cooper's hawk, are not protected and may be lawfully killed at any time.

Hawk hunters should study the appearance of these birds on sight to avoid violation of the law. Many excellent hawk and owl publications are available. The Game Commission publishes one such, a 25c booklet, titled "Pennsylvania Birds of Prey", which pictures and describes each hawk so well a little study would enable anyone to identify hawks that are legal targets.

**LANCASTER COUNTY OLD FIDDLERS HOLD JAMBOREE**

The Third Annual Old Fiddlers Jamboree will be held on Sunday, September 17th at Rocky Springs Park, Lancaster, starting at 1:30 p.m.

The Old Fiddlers Jamboree is held to do honor to men that used their talent to provide enjoyment and entertainment to so many rural people of America.

Fiddlers and musical groups from Chester, Berks, York, Dauphin, Lebanon, Montgomery, Allegheny, Delaware and Schuylkill Counties have signified their intentions to attend this jamboree.

Any fiddler or musician is invited to attend and lend their musical talent to make this jamboree a big success.

**MOUNT JOY SPORTSMEN IN MEMBERSHIP DRIVE**

The annual membership drive of the Mount Joy Sportsmen Association is now underway and will continue until December 1 it was announced at the regular monthly meeting of the club this week at the Fire House. Two trap shoots will be held at the sportsmen's field northwest of Florin September 17 and October 1.

Black bass were stocked in the Little Chiques and Big Chiques Creeks September 11, George Bowers a member of the club showed movies on hunting and fishing following the business meeting which was in charge of Elwood Martin, president.

MUTT AND JEFF — By Bud Fisher

# THE LOW DOWN from HICKORY GROVE

The Big Chief of the census was here at Hickory recent-like. He was touring the nation—having a nice time too, I recon. The weather was nice. And what do you suppose he told us. Told us that the census shows that people are moving from the cities and crowded spots to the country. Yep, that is what the main said. Just as though everybody—man or woman—hadn't known same, and for years.

Now folks I am commentin' on this little newsy item so you can kinda guess what we are getting for our tax money. It is a fair sample. A sample of the unneeded things we are paying for—thousands it has cost to be told that folks prefer the country to the city. Oh me!

There are one million persons on Sambo's payroll doing even more useless more uneeded, also more harmful things than this census man and his sashaying up and down and across the land. It is time for a rising up—little people, big people, middle size people. The Govt. is far and away too big, too expensive, too busy carrying on unneeded and harmful projects of a 1000 kinds—including Socialism in many garbs.

For study by literary clubs and hungry lunch clubs, far and wide, here is a place to uncover some fummididdles. When you have done so, hang a lantern aloft. Don't be a shrinking violet—talk right out—tell the citizens.

JIMMY

**BENNY BROWN RETAINS JR. TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP**

Benny Brown, son of George Brown, East Main Street, successfully defended his American Legion Post 185 Junior Tennis championship by coming through in the finals Sunday, defeating Bill Beaston in straight sets, 6-2, 6-2.

This was the Second Annual tourney, held on the borough courts, and the second time Brown has won the title.

He entered the final round by scoring a 6-1, 6-2 victory over Ken Engle while Beaston had to go three sets to defeat Ben Clinger, in the semi-final round, 6-4, 3-6, 6-1. Saturday's Scores:

**First Round**

Ben Brown defeated Jack Beaston, 6-2, 6-2.

Owen Phillips defeated Charlie Groff, 6-3, 6-2.

Pete Nissley defeated Frank Zimmerman, 6-2, 6-2.

Ken Engle defeated Glenn Wolgemuth, 6-0, 6-2.

Bill Beaston defeated Vern Oberholtzer, 6-0, 6-0.

Don Martin defeated John Hendrix, 7-5, 6-4.

Toby Weber defeated Bill Derr, 6-0, 6-0.

Ben Clinger defeated Charlie Ashenfelter 6-2, 6-0.

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Ken Engle defeated Pete Nissley 6-1, 6-0.

Bill Beaston defeated Don Martin 6-2, 6-3.

Ben Clinger defeated Toby Weber, 6-0, 6-1.

# Donegal Airport News

Sunday afternoon Alfred Gusler, Fred Loewen and John Hawthorne visited the airports at Harrisburg and New Kingston.

Several pilots stopped to refuel on the way home from New Jersey bound for various parts of the state. There were hundreds of airplanes at the seashore points, one pilot reported.

Sim Horton and Fred Sherick received their Private Pilots Certificates during the week.

Fred Pease and wife of Westminster, Maryland, stopped to refuel on a cross country flight. Mr. Pease flies a Cessna 140.

The annual Airplane Owners and Pilots Association Roundup was held during the weekend at Wildwood, N. J. This annual affair featured a clambake and other entertainment on Saturday afternoon and evening and demonstrations and displays of new airplane models on Sunday. Many pilots and their friends from all over the country attended the affair. As one pilot remarked on his return, "there were thousands of airplanes parked on the field"

# RHEEMS

Church of the Brethren will have preaching services in the local Church Sunday morning preceded by Sunday School.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Church met on Tuesday in the sewing room of the church with the following members present: Harriet Kaylor, Ida Brubaker, Susan Hostetter, Mrs. Douple, Ada Breneman, Sadie Becker, Alice Eshelman, Grace Becker, Mildred Douple, Ruth Eshelman, Salome Shank, Naomi Hoover, Dora Gruber and Ida Becker.

Miss Janet Horning of this place has enrolled as a student in the Lancaster General Hospital School of Nursing.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wittle attended a family reunion at Kauffman's Park near Manheim on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hoover announced the birth of a daughter at the General Hospital on Saturday.

Miss Doris Rutt, daughter of Mrs. Harry Heisey of this place and Mr. Samuel Singer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Singer of Elizabethtown, were married on Sunday at the Christ Evangelical and Reformed Church in Elizabethtown. The Rev. Philip Saylor performed the ceremony.

Miss Beulah Gibble of Lancaster visited with her mother, Mrs. Ida Gibble of this place on Saturday.

Mr. John E. Hershey and daughter, Mrs. Samuel Brubaker of near Elizabethtown visited the Elmer Engle family on Tuesday afternoon.

The weekly cottage prayer meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hawthorne on Wednesday evening and was very well attended.

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**A WEEK OF ENTERTAINMENT AT MARIETTA'S PARK.**

A full weeks entertainment, fun, rides and plenty of excitement is guaranteed at Marietta Memorial Park carnival. Starting September 18 and continuing thru September 23. A traveling carnival will be on the field. This will be augmented by independantly operated concessions of the Park Association, the Marietta Lions Club, Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion, Ambulance Fund, Pioneer Ball Club and Merchants Ball Club. It will be the first cooperative carnival of its kind in Marietta. A large tent has been rented for games and bleachers will be provided to seat all.

Under the supervision of Charles Bauserman, Carnival chairman and Leroy Appley, assistant, thirty-eight Marietta merchants have been organized and are cooperating in promoting the carnival. Each merchant is giving a coupon with each purchase from his establishment. Every evening during the week a traveling sound wagon will announce that nights attractions in our neighboring towns.

Two amplifying systems on the park grounds will keep the crowd informed of other exciting events during the entire week. For complete details of the entertainment see ad elsewhere in The Bulletin.

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**EARL SHIRK, BAREVILLE COUNTY TARGET CHAMP**

Earl Shirk ended the four year reign of M. S. Evans as Lancaster County Trap Shoot Champion at New Holland Saturday as he defeated Evans in a 25-bird shootoff 24 to 21.

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