OWL LAFFS

—BY—
A WISE OWL

There are two times when a person knows he shouldn't spend money—before and after.

On walking down the street today I noticed a boy on the sidewalk with a sign tied across his chest, with the letters B.A.I.K., written across the sign.

In curiosity, I asked him, "Sonny, what do those letters stand for?"

"Mister," he said. "They stand for BOY AM I KONFUSED."

"But Sonny," I said, "Confused is not spelled with a 'K'."

"Mister, he said. "You just don't know how confused I am."

We very rarely get vacations, but when we do it usually consists of 2 weeks which are 2 short, after which we are 2 tired 2 return 2 work and 2 broke not 2.

A young man was patiently waiting in front of a counter at a railroad station to buy some stamps. The two female clerks were busy talking.

"Her evening gown," said one, "was of metallic brocade, had a braided bow, and full sleeves."

At this point the young man broke in with: "I wonder if you could get me a neat purple stamp with a perforated hem, the whole business treated with a coating of lovely mucilage and costing about three cents?"

It's no crime to be broke, it's just a little inconvenient around meal time.

Now I ask all of you, which is worse: A wife who drives from the back seat, or a husband who cooks from the dining room table? - - - If a man still has both his tonsils and his appendix, the chances are he's a doctor - - - It's hard to keep the nine circle square where there is a triangle - - - Ignorance of the law does not prevent the losing lawyer from collecting his fee - - - A flirtation is attention with intention - - - Every woman really has a secret desire to write. Checks, that is.

Riding a bus to Lancaster yesterday, I was amused to see a small boy grab a toupee off a man sitting in front of them. Indignantly, the man complained: "Madam, what do you mean by letting your child snatch off my wig?"

"If it's just a wig, think nothing of it. I was afraid the little devil had scalped you" the mother replied.

A timely sign in a Washington garden—"Let it be said of their flowers that they died with their roots on."

If you want to get rich quick and without much capital, this should interest you. This is how I did it. I bought a cat farm. Cats multiply fast and cat skins sell for a good profit. Food for the cats cost a lot of green stuff so I bought a rat farm which was right next door. Now I had the rats to feed to the cats. But what about food for the rats? This was settled easy. The cat carcasses after they were skinned provided that. Well, that's where my profit came in. I fed the rats to the cats, the cats to the rats and got the skins free.

A family tree is a device for tracing yourself back to better folks than you are.

One of our exchange editors read that a New York young woman kneads bread with her gloves on, and as a hint to delinquent subscribers, gave vent to his feelings with the following item printed in an issue of his newspaper:

"It is said a New York woman kneads bread with her gloves on, but we do more than that. We knead bread with our boots on; and we knead bread with our pants on; and if a lot of our subscribers don't soon pay up—we'll need bread without anything on."

Mount Joy Lost
(From page 1)

proved their speed, stealing the ball time and again. Their downfall was one of those things when that ball just wouldn't go thru the hoop. Our ace scorers, McCue and Wilson couldn't make them shoot.

At that Mount Joy and Coach Houck are very proud of our team. They deserve a lot of credit.

There were 1728 paid admissions to the game, 1400 of whom were local fans. The score.

Mount Joy	G	Fl	PF	Tl
McCue F	8	2	3	18
Wilson F	1	8	4	10
Bowman C	1	0	3	2
Boyer C	0	0	1	0
Brown G	3	0	3	6
Shupp G	2	2	2	6
Miller G	0	1	2	1
Totals	15	13	20	43

Fredonia	G	Fl	PF	Tl
Gamble F	5	3	2	13
Clinefelter F	0	1	4	1
Craig C	10	7	4	27
Loomis C	0	0	0	0
Slater G	1	5	3	7
Matthews G	0	1	1	1
Rodemoyer G	0	0	0	0
Gilson G	0	0	1	0
Totals	16	17	15	49

Free throws missed: Mt. Joy—McCue 5, Wilson, Shupp. Fredonia—Gamble 3, Craig 4, Slater 2, Matthews.

Score by periods:
MOUNT JOY 5 13 11 14—43
FREDONIA 17 10 11 11—49

LOCAL 5 WON LANCO "B" CHAMPIONSHIP

Mount Joy won the championship of the class "B" Lanco cage league last Thursday night as they defeated Millersville 50-34 to take the final series two games to one.

The champions got off to a fast start as they tallied 20 points in the opening quarter while holding Millersville to eight.

The locals continued to add to its advantage in the next two quarters and it was only in the final period they were outscored, 12-10.

Millersville	G	Fl	Tl
J. Herr F	1	0	2
Gehr F	0	0	0
Filling F	2	1	5
Bowers C	2	4	8
Howell C	1	1	3
Levan G	2	1	5
Aumen G	4	0	14
Totals	14	6	34

Mount Joy	G	Fl	Tl
Goodling F	5	0	10
Ney F	0	1	1
Helm C	0	0	0
Weaver G	6	1	13
Reichard G	1	1	3
Baker G	1	1	3
C. Hershey G	2	0	4
H. Hershey G	1	0	2
Totals	32	6	50

MILLERSVILLE 6 7 12—34
MOUNT JOY 20 10 10 10—05
Referees, Witwer and Raber.

MOUNT JOY HIGH MET FREDONIA A SECOND TIME

Both Mount Joy and Fredonia met a second time. Both teams were guests of honor in Hershey last evening when Gov. Fine presented the coaches with their Regional championship trophies. Fredonia, of course, also received the state trophy.

An additional trophy will also go into the Mount Joy trophy case. Coach Houck revealed Tuesday night that it will be a worn, well-used copy of the New Testament. The book, Houck revealed, has been carried with the team for the past two years and has had an important role in the coaching of his teams.

WILL TRAP FOXES ON REQUEST

The Mount Joy Sportsmen's Association announces that it has the services of two men to trap foxes. Any farmer desiring this service shall notify the Association.

If you scorch food, put a raw potato in it and let it stand for awhile. This will "draw" the burned flavor -- unless, of course, the food is actually burnt.

Two Rotarians met before luncheon and the one remarked: "My wife tells me that your wife displayed a marvelous knowledge of Parliamentary law at the Women's Club the other day."

"Well, why shouldn't she?" answered the other. "She has been the speaker of the house for 15 years."

A local young man moved to the city and after several weeks of having his clothes done by a laundry he was very discouraged, for they sent his clothes back, shrunk out of shape so he could not get into them. So he finally got angry and sent them a large rail road spike. To this he attacher a note saying "I'll bet you can't shrink this."

A few days later the man returned to him, a small bundle, inside of it was a carpet tack. On it said, "The heck we can't."

Let's not fall for "any of those April fool jokes this week end.

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Weekly Letter By Penna. State Game Commission

Observation Camp Tops

Since World War II, educators and sportsmen have become increasingly aware of the need to teach youngsters the value and importance of the wise use of our natural resources, as well as the pleasures and benefits derived from hunting and fishing.

A natural product of this awakened consciousness, the Junior Conservation Camp, sponsored by the Pa. Federation of Sportsmen's Clubs and Pa. State College, will be operated this summer for its fourth consecutive year. Beginning June 10th, four camp groups will spend 12 days each at the State College Forestry Camp, in northern Huntingdon Co. Camp costs will be borne by the sportsmen's clubs that sponsor the boys.

All of the state conservation agencies and the U. S. Soil Conservation Service will join with the camp staff and other specialists in teaching the campers subjects pertaining to the outdoors and natural resources.

Never a dull moment describes the life enjoyed by the fortunate campers. The boys revel in an excitingly new and busy existence in the roughly comfortable buildings and on the grounds of the forestry camp.

The boys who attend the camp are high school sophomores and juniors. They are usually selected through competitive examination. They agree to return to organize junior sportsmen's clubs upon return to their home locale.

Battle With Dogs Fatal To Deer

One February day, as George Weller, a Deputy Game Protector checked his Rabbit box traps, set along the Blue Mountain in Lebanon County, he heard the furious barking of dogs. Thinking they might be running a fox, Weller hurried to his truck, a half mile away, where he obtained his shot gun.

He knew the dogs had their howling and growling. As he moved in the direction of the traces as quietly as the crusted snow would permit, this is the pathetic sight Weller encountered, as he related it:

While stalking the animals I heard sounds which were high-raising. When within 75 feet of the battle, I saw a big hound and a shepherd dog attacking a large buck deer. Six times they brought the deer down.

Their teamwork was amazing. The hound would run back and forth at one side of the deer, while the smaller shepherd stood at the other side barking to attract the buck's attention. As the buck would turn to watch the noisy shepherd, the hound would spring, sink his teeth in the back of the deer's neck and would throw his weight against the deer's ribs, knocking the terrified animal down. Immediately, the smaller dog would grab the buck at the hind quarters, and both dogs would chew and tear at the deer furiously, staying out of the reach of the sharp hoofs.

At this point, I closed in to take part in this unequal battle. The buck was now bellowing with rage and pain. He came to his feet, throwing the tormenting hound 8 or 10 feet in my direction. The vicious attackers returned to their former positions. Being close enough at that time, I stilled the dogs with my gun.

The buck stood with its head close to the ground, the neck hair erect. In deer fashion, he appeared grateful as he hobbled back into the brush.

The following day, when I approached the deer which was then lying about 20 feet from the body of one of the dogs, it got lamely to its feet. However, when I returned two days later, I learned that the odds had been too great, the battle too exhausting. The buck lay dead. Its right rear quarter had been badly lacerated and its neck bore many deep tooth wounds.

Tunnel A Highway For Deer

One of the Pennsylvania Turnpike tunnels was recently used as an escape avenue, writes Game Protector John S. Dittmar, Loysburg, who says:

One of the watchers at the Allegheny Tunnel of the Turnpike told me this story the other day. As he watched an end of the tunnel a car stopped and the driver reported that he had passed a dog chasing a deer in the tunnel. While they waited, a doe deer came out of the 1 1-2 mile long tunnel, followed by a beagle. The watcher caught the hound, which wore no collar or identification tag.

Antlered Bucks In March

I observed, the first of March, that some of our buck deer still retain their antlers, reports Game Protector Calvin A. Hooper, Jr., New Castle. Getting down to cases, he said, There are three such deer that frequent a State Game Land in Lawrence Co. One is a 14, the second an 8 and the third a 6 point buck.

TROUT FOR LOCAL STOCKING WILL ARRIVE SATURDAY

Fish Warden Robert M. Greener has received word that his next shipment of trout will arrive this Saturday, March 31, at the Marietta Postoffice at 10:30 a. m.

The shipment will include trout for these streams: Donegal Springs, 350 brooks; Donegal creek, 650 brooks; Charles' Run, 300 brooks; and Gladfelter's Run, 350 brooks.

Cuban money is printed in the United States.

THE LOW DOWN from HICKORY GROVE

Quite a few States are coming out of their lethargy as concerns where do we get off if we do not soon, up and lower the boom, on the giant vehicles 2 and 3 sections long, that are pounding our roads to dust. Lethargy, my word, says Henry. Sure, I says—but quiet— and if you do not have a dictionary, I will loan you mine.

I will proceed. I been reading where California has just discovered that its big trucks hit it up to 70 and that they cut run by 15 minutes, the fastest R. R. streamliner between San Francisco and Los Angeles—445 miles. The State has just discovered this flagrant speed.

I deduct as follows, towit, via 3 answers. One: Let every citizen sell his flivver—stay home, Two: Build passenger - car - size gopher holes every half mile, so when a 70 mile per hour double-jointed, mile-high truck heaves into view, Mr. and Mrs. Ordinary Citizen may dive for safety. Three: And, no jokin', require that the heavy freight people provide their own road bed join in with the railroads, buy half the R. R. right-of-way and pave such, if they choose, or get themself their own private and independent roadway.

And in conclusion after we get a new law where any passenger car builder who builds a car that will go faster than 50 miles per hour, would be hanged at daybreak, or even sooner.

Migrating Lemmings

Legend has it that migrating lemmings in the Scandinavian north move to the sea and try to swim it in a vain search for the lost 'continent of Atlantis. Canadian lemmings are less likely to encounter water on their travels and usually perish of exhaustion or starvation. All types of lemmings, however, change from shy, timid creatures to bold, pugnacious animals on their migration march.

Ohio's Electric Power

Among the most important industrial advantages of the state of Ohio are its electric power resources. Ohio's electric power industry has developed during the past seventy years, since 1879 when Charles Francis Brush demonstrated the first practical electric lighting system, at Cleveland, until it represents an investment of nearly one and one half billion dollars.

Theory About Sun

Some thought has been given as to what goes on to keep the sun an eternal ball of fire. The theory has been advanced that heat of the sun is caused by a cycle of atomic fission reactions leading from one stage to another until it returns to its original stage and starts all over again.

Live Afloat

Canton, China, might well qualify to be known as the world capital of river folk. Thousands of people live their entire lives there in boats—mostly zampans —afloat on the Pearl river. Some of them, especially women, seldom set foot on the city's streets.

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Week's Best Recipe

Stuffed Potatoes with Brazil nuts: 6 large potatoes, 2 t salt, 1-4 t pepper, 1c hot milk, 1-2 c ground Brazil nuts, 1-2 c grated American cheese: Select potatoes as near the same size as possible in order to bake evenly. Scrub potatoes, dry. Grease the skins with fat or oil. Bake in hot oven about 1 hour. When baked, cut slice from top of each, scoop out centers (not breaking skins). Mash or put potatoes through rices, add salt and pepper and beat in hot milk to make light and fluffy. Stir in ground Brazil nuts. Pile lightly into shells, rounding slightly. Sprinkle grated cheese over potato. Serves six.

You Can Do It

You can work magic with white pique. Take a topper from last year, make deep cuffs of pique and large buttonholes, sew buttons on sleeve of jacket and have buttoned cuffs. The idea can be carried out for collar and down each side of jacket opening, using the buttons to hold trimming in place. To follow the "pretty" look of the feminine costume, frills, embroidery, lace, is used at the neckline. You can do much at home with your needle to add these touches. Flowers can be tucked in at the waistline, neckline, and using a "skull" cap as a form, can become a flower garden on the head.

Inspirational

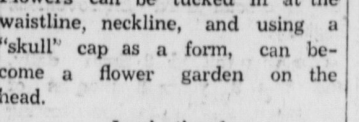A man should never be ashamed to admit that he has been in the wrong, which is but saying, in other words, that he is wiser today than he was yesterday.