OWL LAFFS

— BY —

A WISE OWL

A Fairview street colored chap was taken to the hospital at Lancaster. They took his temperature and soon the doctor came along and asked him when he ate last.

He said a lady put a glass tube in his mouth but before he could get a bite and taste it she took it away.

A fellow at Florin came to see a local doctor—might as well tell you it was Doc O'Connor. Doc told him he must avoid all kinds of excitement.

The patient said: "Doc can't I even look at them from across the street?"

Guess you heard the one about the fellow who was trapped in a fire on a 20-story building. It was a boot and shoe storage room.

The man put on eleven pairs of rubber boots and then jumped out a window. When he struck the ground he started bouncing and bouncing and would you believe it he just kept on bouncing for eleven days.

They finally shot him to keep the poor fellow from starving to death.

They tell me there's a farmer out in the Gravel Barrick who has a pair of steers that are so dern thin he branded them by putting a piece of carbon paper between 'em.

A fellow down town told his wife that he wished he had some new seat covers.

She went up to Eshleman Bros. and bought him two pairs of pajamas.

A fellow from town went to a dance recently and put his top coat and hat in a room where a number of people had left their babies.

As he was a bit early he flopped on a couch and started to doze.

Soon he felt a cloth being wrapped about his bald dome and a pin was fastened.

A little later a kind pattin' him on the head and a woman's loving voice said: "Bess it's little heart, its 'ittle back end ditting cold."

Back at school a teacher was quizzing a class on liquid measures. As an illustration she said: "What do two pints make combined?"

A youngster at the far end of the class answered: "Sixteen Highballs."

They tell me we have a preacher here in town who never talks more than twenty minutes but no one can understand just how he times himself so accurately.

I asked him that very question and he admitted that he always puts a cough drop in his mouth and it takes exactly twenty minutes for it to dissolve.

But the other Sunday he talked nearly two hours and when the congregation began getting fidgety he examined his cough drop.

By mistake he had put a pants button in his mouth.

A fellow working for the PP & L was down at Shatto's getting his hair cut on company time when in walked his boss.

He gave the guy a bawling out and the fellow said that because it grew on company time he thought he had a perfect right to have it cut on their time.

An enterprising real estate agent called on a young house-wife and tried to interest her in buying a house.

She told him she didn't need a home. She said: "I was born in a hosptial, educated in a college, courted in an automobile, and married in a church. I live out of the delicatessen and paper bags.

I spend my mornings on the golf course, my afternoons at the bridge table, and my evenings at the movies. And when I die I am going to be buried at the undertaker's.

What I really need is a garage."

A WISE OWL

BASKETBALL

THEY JUST CAN'T STOP THAT JUNIOR HI GANG

Mount Joy's Junior High school basketball aggregation had entirely too much of what it takes to win games and marched thru its schedule to date without a single reverse—ten in a row.

Marietta was second with a 7-2 record.

For the County Championship our lads must engage an aggregation who have a similar record—ten wins—in Lancaster township.

In Mount Joy's final game last Thursday they had no truble defeating East Donegal 37 to 23. The visitors led 21 to 6 at half time and 30 to 16 at the end of the third quarter. All the subs available saw action and held East Donegal to an even 7 to 7 score in the last period. Score:

Mount Joy Jr.	G	Fl	Tl
[illegible]	5	1	11
Boston	0	0	0
Grove	0	0	0
Washington	0	0	0
Eshelfelter	3	0	6
Frey	0	0	0
Thome	0	0	0
Metzler	4	1	9
Weber	2	3	7
Gilbert	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0
[illegible]	2	0	4
[illegible]	0	0	0
Beiler	0	0	0
Malehorn	0	0	0
Totals	16	5	37

East Donegal Jr.	G	Fl	Tl
Hershey	2	0	4
Kirk	2	2	6
Ely	1	0	2
Bowers	3	1	7
Mis'ovich	1	0	2
Lehman	1	0	2
Totals	10	3	23

Score by periods:
MOUNT JOY ..... 8 13 9 7—37
EAST DONEGAL 2 4 10 7—23
..Referee: Hershey.

EAST DONEGAL HIGH SPRINGS A BIG UPSET

Determined not to lose every game during the league season, E. Donegal High school, Section 1, Cellar Champions, turned on the gas after trailing Mt. Joy High 27 to 33 at the end of the third period, scoring 17 points to Mt. Joy's 3 and won their only game of the season Friday night at Maytown.

Wolfersmuth led in scoring for the victors while Kear showed the way for Mt. Joy.

In the preliminarry game East Donegal JV won easily over Mt. Joy JV 44 to 32.

Elizabethtown won the Section 1 championship with nine victories without a loss.

Mount Joy	G	Fl	Tl
Clark	2	5	9
Zimmerman	2	1	5
Miller	1	2	4
[illegible]	0	0	0
[illegible]	5	2	12
Gamber	3	0	6
[illegible]	13	10	36

	G	Fl	Tl
[illegible]	2	1	5
[illegible]	0	2	2
Guman	1	1	3
Fetterman	5	1	11
Wolfersmith	7	1	15
Kirby	3	2	8
Totals	18	8	44

Score by periods:
MOUNT JOY ..... 10 6 17 3—36
EAST DONEGAL . 7 12 8 17—44
Referees: Namit & Wallick.

LEAGUE STANDING
(Section 1)

Teams	W.	L.	Pct.
Elizabethtown	9	0	1.000
East Hempfield	6	3	.667
Manheim Central	4	4	.500
Marietta	4	5	.444
Mount Joy	3	7	.300
East Donegal	1	8	.111

Other League Scores
E-town 56, Manheim 41.
E. Hempfield 53 Marietta 44.

MARIETTA'S LEAGUERS JUST CANNOT BE DEFEATED

The undefeated Marietta team won its 17th straight game in Lanco League competition Thursday night as they scored an 85-71 triumph over Landisville.

Reamstown edged Mount Joy, 81 to 80, with Trupe providing a story book finish with 28 seconds to play, Trupe was fouled as he knotted the count with a field goal. His free toss then won for Reamstown.

Mt. Joy Legion	G	Fl	Tl
McAdoo	3	2	8
Ressel	3	3	9
Overly	0	0	0
Shupp	5	2	12
Gemberling	12	5	29
Constantine	7	1	15
Stark	2	3	7
Totals	32	16	80

Reamstown	G	Fl	Tl
Frymyer	14	0	28
Weaver	2	1	5
Kreider	1	0	2
Givler	5	2	12
Garman	2	0	4
TrupeKilhefner	6	0	12
Good	0	0	0
Totals	36	9	81

Score by periods:
MOUNT JOY ..... 16 26 18 20—80
REAMSTOWN .... 23 20 20 18—81
Referees: Sweigart & Markel.
Reamstown B 49, Mount Joy B 47.

Junior Hi In First Playoff - Lanc. T.

Mount Joy Junior High School's undefeated Champions of Section 1 will meet Lancaster Township, undefeated Champions of Section 3, on Friday evening, Feb. 15 at 8 o'clock on the Lititz High School floor. The winner of this game will play the champions of Section 2 for the County title on Wednesday, Feb. 20 on the Lititz floor. On each of these playoffs one game will be played at 8:00 p. m. and the doors will open at 7:00 p. m. The Lititz High School gym can seat eight or nine hundred people.

The Junior High School team is coached by Mr. John Lichty, and has won 16 games this year without a defeat. The members of this team are: Charles Asheafelter, Gerald Miller, Jay Metzler, Richard Hallman, Peter Nissley, Joseph Weber, Pere Mackison, Gerald Becker, Jack Beaston, Larry Geib, Charles Groff, Harry Frey, Jack Gilbert, Eugene Grove, Robert Melhorn, James Pennel, James Rutt, Ronald Schofield, and Bernard Thome. The Cheerleaders: Shirley Metzler, Kay Kear, Winona Markley and Kitty Wittle.

NO FISHING FROM MAR. 14 UNTIL TUESDAY, APRIL 15

Through the columns of the Pa. Angler, it's official monthly magazine, the Pennsylvania Fish Commission directs the attention of all fishermen to the law of 1949 which prohibits all kinds of fishing in any waters of the state from midnight March 14th to 5:00 a. m. April 15th, except rivers, lakes and ponds not stocked with trout.

This means, that no type of fishing is allowed and includes all the warm water creeks in the state. The penalty for failure to comply with the act is a fine of five ($5.00) dollars and costs for first offense and twenty ($20.00) dollars and costs for second and subsequent offenses.

There seems to be some confusion about the exceptions in the act which prompts the Commission to further point out "that even tho a creek has never been a trout stream and has never been stocked with trout, it comes within the provisions of the act and is closed during this period. Only rivers, lakes, and ponds that are not stocked with trout, remain open."

The Commission further brings to the attention of the fishermen in Pennsylvania that the day's limit of trout beginning April 15th, 1952, is eight (8) instead of ten (10) as heretofore.

OUR RIFLEMEN MAKE NEAR PERFECT RECORD

Mount Joy High School's up and doing rifle team came mighty near making a "perfect" score in a match with Manheim Twp Thursday. The Nitrauer lads shop exceptionally well, scoring 494 but Mount Joy with perfects of 100 by Berrier, Hess and Barnhart, and a pair of 98's for Tyndall and Garlin, upset all calculations and put Mt. Joy out in front 496 to 494. Some shootin' 'eh!

Here's the score:

Mount Joy

Berrier	100
Hess	100
Barnhart	100
Garlin	98
Tyndall	98
Total	496

Manheim Twp.

Dungan	98
Batzer	99
Gerz	99
Graec	99
Trego	98
Total	494

In another league contest Ephrata won from West Lampeter 491 to 481.

BIG CHICKIES BOWMAN FIELD ARCHERY CLUB

Big Chickies Bowman, a field archery club was recently organized with these officers: president Joe Ream; vice president, Gene Grove; secretary and treasurer, John Germer, Jr.; recording secretary, Abe Geltmacher Jr. Board of Directors, James Young, Joe Zekany and Verne Hiestand.

Approximately 28 acres of woodland located near Sporting Hill has been acquired and a large building adjoining will be used as a Club Headquarters. The construction of a field archery course will begin on Saturday, February 16th.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

Teams	W.	L	Pct.
Marietta	17	0	1.000
Quarryville	15	2	.882
Mount Joy	10	6	.625
Reamstown	10	7	.588
Landisville	9	8	.529
Millersville	8	8	.500
New Holland	5	12	.294
Rothsville	3	14	.176
Lititz	2	14	.125

John Fuller says the mint makes the money first and its up to you to make it last.

THE LOW DOWN
from
HICKORY GROVE

I am a sort of delving type—there is most always more in the wood pile than just wood, speaking in my poetic license manner. Why does a country that once possessed horse sense in abundance—grew into a fit and rugged outfit, lose its equilibrium — act half pixlicated. We let a bully like Stalin cow us—our Congress and Government spends without a lick of sense—our off-shoot are turned over to the "sitter" as mama and papa cavort. Our campuses ooze with entertainment seekers versus with the knowledge thirsty.

Mr. Frued, an Austrian, born back there 100 years ago—made for himself quite a soft and pleasant living, and also made a hit with the prancing mamas and papas when he hit upon a novel theory—on how to bring up little Butch and little Annie. Give 'em rope, he says—rope, no end—let 'em go to town—let 'em develop personality. It took on—and now look. In Waco, Texas, 22 high school and university students, for fun and amusement dug up a coffin in a cemetery and there and dumped same, and contents, in the lake.

This ends the first lesson, and if there is a doctor in the house—a Freudist type—he is wanted on the phone.

Yours with the low down,
JIMMIE

Those In Service

George Ford, USN, returned to the states after spending 5½ months overseas. George is assigned to the John W. Weeks, the ship which guarded the "Flying Enterprise" for six days. He spent the weekend at his home on Lumber street.

Pvt. William Derr would like to thank the Remembrance Committee for sending him the Xmas gift and Bulletin during his stay at Camp Roberts, Calif. He is now spending a 21-day leave with his parents, Mr and Mrs. William Derr, on N. Barbara street.

Mark Stanley Nolt, 19, Cooper Ave., Landisville, recently enlisted in the U. S. Navy and is now undergoing Recruit Training at the Naval Recruit Training Center, at Bainbridge, Md., where he will be for the next 11 weeks. Mark enlisted in the Navy through the Lancaster Navy Recruiting Office and left for training on Monday Feb. 11.

To the people of Mount Joy. I am just writing you this letter to tell you that I read the Mount Joy Bulletin every week.

Pfc. Paul Stark and I are stationed together in the same Company and same platoon. I read the paper every chance I get.

It sure is swell of the people of Mount Joy doing everything they can to make everyone feel at home.

Pfc. GARBER

Tourist Trade Dates Back To Days of Early Romans

The foreign tourist trade was a booming business, even back in the days of Cleopatra and Julius Caesar.

History research experts point out that "travel-loving Romans had regular tourist routes in Egypt."

The Land of the Nile held considerable fascination for the Early Romans, and a wealthy citizen of the Roman Republic, traveling with his family, became a familiar sight in Egypt.

Like tourists of all ages, many of them carried umbrellas on their pilgrimages to the pyramids and temples of the pharaohs.

And like tourists of all ages, they were resented for their curiosity and strange ways, although they left a trail of good Roman money in their wake.

One ancient bas-relief discovered in Egypt portrays a Roman father, mother, and two children at the feast of the Egyptian wargod. Their expressions are wide-eyed and intent as they drink in the strange sights, and the little boy depicted in the sculpture carries the inevitable umbrella.

Countries of Western Europe, including England and France, have long held a similar fascination for Americans who travel in foreign lands.

About 79 per cent or 237,000 of the approximately 300,000 passports issued in 1950 were for Western Europe where American residents spent more than $182,000,000 last year, excluding international fares, according to figures furnished by the U.S. Office of International trade.

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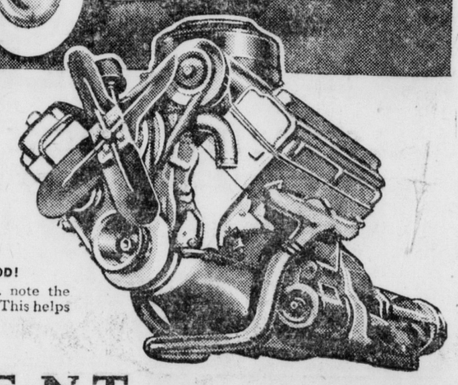

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