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**— BY —
A WISE OWL**

Have you ever seen me early in the morning? Well how do I look? Must be pretty awful, cause this A. M. when I walked out to get the paper, Jim Smeltzer asked: "How are you this morning?" "All right," I replied. "Well," he continued, "You oughta notify your face."

Jimmy Markley wrote from overseas that he has a girl built like the First National Bank — everything deposited in the right places.

George says the best way to get out of a garden is to put on a wide straw hat, dress in loose-fitting clothes, hold a garden trowel in one hand, then pick up a tall cool drink with the other hand and tell the man where to dig.

It seems as if the best time to buy anything is a year ago.

Elwood Martin says that the other day, after 4 days of rain a harassed lady down his way dialed a number on the phone and when the party answered she asked: "Are you the game warden?" and a gruff voice answered, "Yes."
"Well, thank goodness, I have the right person at last," the woman said. "Will you please suggest some games suitable for my children to play indoors?"

Or, as the little doughnut said to the big layer cake: "If I had your dough I wouldn't be hanging around this hole."

The old-timers were swapping baseball yarns the other night when Dyke Garber began bragging how fast on the base-paths he was back in his day.

"Was I fast? When I hit a homer, I was touching first base before the spectators heard the crack of the bat!"

"When I got to second, the second baseman usually said something that made me sore, so I slapped the third baseman in the catcher's mouth?" — — — — — Whoa!!!

This is an era when you hear of the man who began life with a million dollars and ran it into a shoe-string.

At the beauty parlor two women were discussing a mutual friend when one exclaimed: "She has the face of a woman of 40, the allure of a girl of 20 and the mind of a 10 year old girl. Just add them up."

I like this—
A judge asked: You say it was an accident that you shot your wife? How did it happen?
Defendant: She got in front of my mother-in-law just as I pulled the trigger.

Many of the wooden Indians that used to stand in front of cigar stores seem to have moved inside, behind the counters.

An elderly woman from town called a telephone operator and said: "My telephone cord is too long. Will you please pull it back about two feet at your end?"

Protect the birds, the dove brinks
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tions — — — — — I know an old crow I'd like to shoot.

The little boy peered over the edge of the stationary counter at Murphy's ten-cent store and asked hopefully: "Have you any blank report cards?"

When they operated on father, they opened mother's male.

Two frogs were watching a man put up screens. One asked: "How do they make screens?" That's easy. They take a bunch of square holes and put screen around it.

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

Oldtimers To Sponsor Midget Baseball Team

The Mount Joy Old Timers have decided to sponsor the Mount Joy Midget Baseball Team. The kids did not have a sponsor until Friday night. When the Old Timers found out there would be no team, they went into action. Now they're asking you not to let the kids down, show your interest by attending a meeting of the Old Timers on Monday night, May 5th, at 8:00 P. M. in the Fire House.

All Old Timers are urged to attend and anyone interested in doing something for the youth of the town is also urged to attend.

The Old Timers do not promote sports, they only encourage it by giving awards and moral help. In the past three years the Old Timers have had as their guests at their annual dinners, the Mt. Joy High Basketball Team, eastern regional champions of Pennsylvania; the Mount Joy High School Baseball Team, of Lancaster County for 1951; and the Mount Joy Junior High School Basketball Team, champions of Lancaster County for 1952.

In addition they have given outstanding athletic awards to the deserving high school students. 1949 George McCue, 1950 Ben Brown, and 1951 Tommy Kear.

This year they have honored Wm. Ellis, past official, Frank Zink, Singles tennis champion of Lancaster County and Marshall Gemberling, star basketball player, and high scorer of the Lanco League.

The committees for the ensuing year have been appointed by President Benj. F. Groff: Banquet, Chas. L. Eshleman, Ellis Fellenbaum, George Brown 2nd, Henry Klugh, Sr., John L. Schroll, Harold Zimmerman, Sr., John Wealand and Martin Metzler; Award, Benj. F. Groff, John J. Schroll and George Brown 2nd; Executive, Earl Griswinger, Albert Myers, Henry O'Neil, Walter Eshleman and Lee Ellis; Finance, Chas. Bennett, Sr., George D. Groff and Solon V. Barr; Baseball, Russell Halbleib, Clarence Bleyer, and George Brown 2nd.

VFW's Annual Marble Tournament Friday

The Annual V. F. W. Marble Tournament will be held on Friday evening, May 2, and continue thru Saturday, with students in 1st thru 8th grade competing for the local mibs crown. Martin S. Brown, commander of our local V. F. W. Post said that the tournament will be held at the Grade School playground and all parents of competing students are asked to cooperate in having their children present for their matches.

Three medals will be awarded and the Mt. Joy champ will compete with other children, at a later date, for the Lancaster County Championship.

At the regular meeting of the Post, on Monday, announcement was made of a joint meeting with the V. F. W. Auxiliary on May 8. Commander Brown also announced that tentative plans are being made for a Post sponsored card party to be held in the Fire Hall.

Half of America's Males Live Less than 65 Years

Despite the great victories of medical science in combating premature death, life ends before age 65 for half of all American males and 40 percent of all females. Each year about 280,000 men and 200,000 women die before reaching their 65th birthday.

These figures include over 100,000 deaths annually among infants under one year of age, and this although the mortality rate among babies in the first year of life has been reduced by more than one third in the last 10 years.

"While there are many biological and environmental hazards which beset early life, much more can be done either to prevent or to overcome them," statisticians observe. "The measures being taken in many communities to especially provide facilities for the care of prematurely born children should prove effective in reducing further the mortality in infancy."

All of the common diseases, including the so-called "old age diseases," cause a relatively high proportion of deaths before age 65, it is noted. This is especially notable in deaths attributed to heart disease and cancer.

"Although there is just cause for pride in the gains which have been made in conserving life," the statisticians comment, "much still remains to be done, especially in the earlier years when life conservation will add much to our productive capacity as well as our social well-being."

Hi Girls Tennis Team Is Undefeated To Date

The Mount Joy High School girls tennis team is undefeated so far this year, having played three games. They have five games to be played before the close of school.

The team defeated Manheim 8-0, taking both the singles and doubles at Manheim on April 22. Schofield, defeated Henry, Manheim, 6-1, 6-1, Spangler defeated Adair, Manheim, 6-0, 8-6. Shank defeated Shockley, Manheim 6-0, 6-0. Thome defeated Witman, Manheim 6-3, 6-0. Zink defeated Achey, Manheim 6-0, 6-0. Max defeated Hunter, Manheim 6-4, 6-4. In the doubles, Schofield and Shank defeated Adair and Henry 6-0, 6-2, and Melhorn and Gruber defeated Clark and Witner 6-4, 10-8.

The matches with New Holland on the local courts on April 23rd were rained out; however, since Mount Joy won the four matches which were completed, Mount Joy won 4-0. Schofield defeated Brubaker, N. H., 6-0, 6-0. Spangler defeated Steinman, N. H., 6-2, 6-1. Shank defeated Sweigart, N. H., 6-1, 6-0. Thome defeated Brubaker, N. H., 6-0, 6-1. Zink got to play only one set with Martin, N. H., which Zink won 6-0.

On April 29 the team met Manheim at home. Once more, Mt. Joy won 7-0, taking all the singles and doubles. Schofield defeated Adair, Manheim, 6-0, 6-1. Spangler defeated Henry, Manheim 6-0, 6-1. Shank defeated Witman, Manheim, 6-1, 6-0. Thome defeated Shockley, Manheim, 6-1, 6-3. Zink defeated Achey, Manheim, 6-1, 6-3. In the doubles, Spangler and Shank, defeated Adair and Adair, 6-1, 6-1. L. Eshleman, Ellis Fellenbaum, Gruber and Melhorn bowed to Henry and Shockley 6-4 in their first set, but they then took the match 6-2, 6-3.

Fishermen's Paradise Opens Friday, May 16

Pennsylvania's "Fisherman's Paradise" located on Spring Creek near Bellefonte in Center County will open its gates for the 1952 season on Friday, May 16th and extend to July 19th, both dates inclusive, excepting Sundays when the Paradise is closed. Fishing will officially begin at 8:00 A. M., and continue until 8:00 P. M., Eastern Standard Time. This year may prove to be more popular than last when a record of 35,406 anglers registered in at the "Paradise."

There is no special license required, fishermen sixteen years and over must have a resident fisherman's license and must personally register in and out. Anglers are allowed to visit the project five times during the season and while the thrill of catching big fish will be the order of the day, only one fish may be killed in any single day's visit. The fisherman is restricted to the use of artificial lures of hair or feather construction with barbless hooks or hooks from which the barb has been removed. Spoons, spinners or swivels are prohibited and wading the stream, for any purpose, is not permitted. Fish caught foul must be carefully returned to the water and assistance in hooking or landing fish is not allowed.

Only fish ten inches or longer taken from the large stream may be killed while the size limit on the adjacent ladies stream is seven inches.

The rules and regulations will be prominently posted and each angler will be given a printed card bearing these regulations. The only project of its kind in Pennsylvania, it is located almost in the exact center of the state. The Commission invites the fishermen of Pennsylvania to visit the "Paradise" sometime during the season.

SPORTSMEN UNINTERESTED IN POISON BAIT PROGRAM
A meeting for the sportsmen was held at Florin last week relative to the poison bait program being conducted by the State authorities. Only fourteen persons turned out to discuss the subject and as a result no action was taken.

FOOD SALE SATURDAY, MAY 10
The Higum Class of the Methodist Sunday School will hold a food sale in front of Titus Rutt's Ins. office on East Main Street, May 10, from 8:30 a. m. until?

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THE LOW DOWN from HICKORY GROVE

Folks, I have something to say for you to mull over—and not forget—not forget, unless you don't give a hoot or hoop about whether your little Daisy or your little Butch have a chance to prosper in proportion to how much pep, energy, and up-and-at-'em they choose to display. Via floating along figuring things are not much different than of yore—and doing nothing about it, you are lowering the boom on the future of those little apples of your eye.

Now for mulling. Europe is socialist. Europe is unhappy, broke. Our Govt. is sniffin' at the same bait used by Europe when it was edging its foot into the socialist door. Sit back, take it easy, the Govt. will pull your teeth, run the phones, toot the R.R. whistle—you just lean back, relax. Brothers and sisters—are we mice, men or suckers? To make a start on our come-back from the brink—to catch a Govt. by the coat tail that has backslid, I propose a grand auction. To get the highest bidder, sell all the municipal and Govt. TVA's, and what have you—get all these tax exempt properties onto the tax rolls—apply the sales money to reducing the Govt. and City debts, thereby reducing our taxes—a saving all around, comin' and goin'. Come on nice folks—who has a hot idea—who is next at the plate? Yours with the low down.

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Those In Service

Charles W. Sheetz, SK3, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Sheetz, of Florin, is a member of the crew of the aircraft carrier, U.S.S. Wasp which was damaged in the collision that sank the destroyer-mine-sweeper Hobson on Saturday night.

As far as could be learned there were no other men from this area aboard.

Reports show that none of the Wasp personnel were injured or lost.

Now stepping out with a military cadence is Thelma L. Hostetter, seaman recruit, WAVES, USN, of 117 Donegal street, Mount Joy.

Miss Hostetter, who attended Blain Vocational entered the Naval service April 9, 1952.

She is now undergoing recruit training at the U. S. Naval Training Center, Bainbridge, Md. For her, the next few weeks will be filled with drill, learning to identify aircraft and ships; how, when, why, and whom to salute; the background of Naval courtesy, history, organization, and how to live harmoniously and efficiently as a member of a large and complex organization.

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