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BY A WISE OWL

Boy, what a week end! Now I'm really convinced that Spring is here. The only thing that marred the lovely weather was my spouse buying onion sets and rose bushes at the Acme. From here on in, no peace for the weary. Dig, dig, dig. I realize this is my annual gripe, but I can't help it. If I only owned a rototiller.

That reminds me. I made that remark in front of my sister-in-law and she howled. Said she couldn't see how that little thing up on the television ariel could be of any use in digging gardens. — The dope doesn't know that's a tenorator not a rototiller!

She's the kind of person nobody likes. In fact, her friends used to get up parties just not to invite her.

Over at York on Sunday I met an other motorist on a street too narrow for two cars to pass. Because the other guy was going the wrong way, I leaned out the window and yelled: "I never backed up for an idiot." "That's all right," he called back shifting into reverse. "I always do." — Way don't I keep my big mouth shut!

A man coming home from the Alleghenies was asked if it was cold there as it was in Mt. Joy. "Horrible cold," he said, "for they have no thermometer there, and, of course, it gets just as cold as it pleases."

An errand boy walked into an uptown business place and apologized for oversleeping, saying: "I may get to work late—but I'll make up for it by leaving early." — Confusing, isn't it?

That's almost as bad as Ed's wife. She started out the door saying: "I'm going out to do some shopping—I'll be back in about twenty dollars."

A lady in Wisconsin, called up her sister in Elizabethtown, to report a whopping spring blizzard in progress.

"I'll mail you some snow in a letter," she proposed. "It will be gone long before it gets to E'town, the sister pointed out. "Don't be silly," said the lady. "Who'd be mean enough to steal a little snow out of an envelope?"

I dropped into a Sporting Hill home quite unexpectedly last night just as supper was placed on the table. When the whole family was seated there was fourteen at the table. The mother of the brood invited me to eat, explaining: "We're having windmill soup." "Windmill soup?" I repeated. "Yes," she replied. "If it goes around you get some."

You just can't get away with a wise crack at all any more. Some one else is always ahead of you. A lady from town told me that on the way to Florida recently they drove quite late one night and were desperate for a place to sleep. So they stopped at a place they'd ordinarily have passed up because it didn't look too good. The next morning when it was light and they really got a good look at it her husband was furious, so when he paid the bill he asked: "What does this pigsty cost?" Without batting an eye, the owner replied: "For one pig \$3; for two pigs \$5."

Over at Roof's, on Tuesday night a hillbilly was fumbling with his new watch and finally removed the back cover. "Say, Hank, what does this here 'S' an 'F' stands for on the back here?" he asked his companion. "Well, I'll tell ya, Clem, 'S' stands for s'afternoon an 'F' stands for forenoon," replied Hank.

A marriage is a union between two people in which the man pays the dues.

There's a domestic here in town that has her own way of getting even with her missus' husband when he hauls her out for something. The next time she does the laundry, she puts starch in his handkerchiefs.

An old grocer in the country store near Center was in the habit of playing cards in the back room with his friends. One day when the game was especially good a customer came in. The old grocer said, "Be real quiet and he'll go away."

That's a dandy green coin car! The cops have to empty the parking meters. Just saw Mike pushing and Neiss emptying the meters. What a clatter when the coins drop into that can.

Don't get caught on an April Fool joke. A WISE OWL

Mortuary Record

MRS. NOAH GEHART
Mrs. Minerva Fogle Gehart, fifty-six, wife of Noah Herman Gehart, 123 S. Barbara St., Mt. Joy, died at 11:40 a. m. Sunday at her home of a heart disease after a lingering illness.
Born at Newtown, Rapho Twp., she was a daughter of the late William H. and Clara E. Kaylor Fogle. She resided in East Donegal Twp. until 1932 and later in York and Elizabethtown until moving to Mt. Joy in 1944. Prior to her marriage she was employed as a weaver in the former George H. Brown and Son Mills, Mt. Joy. She was a member of St. Mark's E. U. B. Church, Mt. Joy, and the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Friendship Fire Co. No. 1, Mt. Joy.

Besides her husband, she is survived by one son, Capt. John William Gehart, U. S. Army Ordnance Corps, Aberdeen, Proving Grounds, Aberdeen, Md., and three daughters; Frances Elizabeth, wife of Elwood C. Mateer, Mt. Joy; Miss Catherine Pauline Gehart, at home and Esther Jane, wife of Clifford R. Morrison, Elizabethtown.

Six grandchildren and these brothers and sisters also survive: William K. Fogle and Clara, wife of William Witmer, both of Newtown, Columbia R1 Lester K. Fogle and Gladys, wife of Wayne P. Young, both of Mount Joy; Adam K. Fogle, Elizabethtown R.D.; Victor K. and Harry K. Fogle, Mrs. Priscilla Paroli and Mrs. Martha Orto, all of Philadelphia; Mrs. Anna Martin, Lancaster; Frances, wife of Earl Garner, Lancaster R1; and Alice, wife of George Schoelkopf, Columbia.
Funeral services were held at the James B. Heilig Funeral Home at 2 p. m. Thursday (today). Interment will be made at the Mount Joy Cemetery.

EVANGELIST SERVICES
Evangelistic services will be held at the Macedonia A. M. E. Church, this morn., on Easter with morning and evening services and continue through the week with services each evening. An invitation is extended to all to come hear the preaching and singing.

FLORIN EASTER PROGRAM
The Loyalty Chorus will present an Easter Program at the Florin Church of the Brethren on Easter Day at 7:30 p. m. in the evening. This program of music is sponsored by the young people of the church.
A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

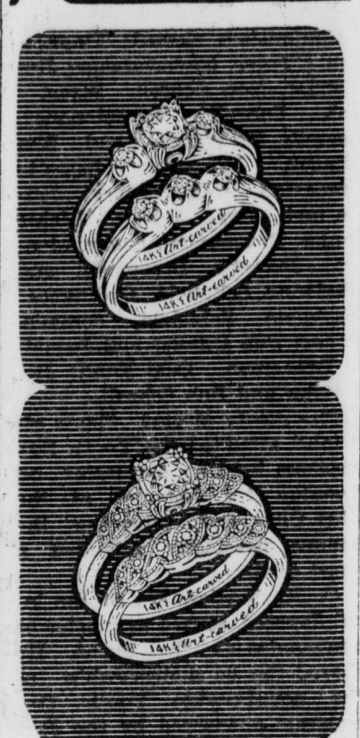
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SALUNGA NEWS
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Zerphney from Salunga, returned to their home on Sunday night after a 12 day stay in Biloxi, Mississippi, and a 6 weeks visit in Miami, Fla., they made the trip by car.

DID YOU KNOW?
The total daily requirement of Vitamin A for an adult is contained in an average serving of sweet potato.

BIRTHS
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rhen, Mount Joy, R2, a son Wednesday at Lancaster Osteopathic Hospital.

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Holy Week Services At E'Town Church

Mr. Earl M. Bowman, Pastor of the Lititz Church of the Brethren, will be the guest minister in the Abundant Life Meetings, scheduled for each evening of Holy Week in the Washington Street Church of the Brethren, Elizabethtown. Dr. Bowman will preach a series of sermons on the general theme, "Highlights In The Life of Jesus Christ." The various

choirs and musical groups of the Church will assist in the services, and attendance each evening will be sponsored by the classes and departments of the Church School. These meetings are a continuation of a program, begun the first week in March in district-wide meetings in the Palmyra Church, under the leadership of Bob Richards, and have as their basis purpose to bring a renewal of life to the church, and to encourage a larger use of the church's evangelistic opportunity.

EASTER EGG HUNT
An Easter Egg Hunt will be held at the Macedonia A.M.E. Church, Fairview St., this morn., on Saturday, April 4 at 10 a. m. It is sponsored by Mrs. Mary Moulson. There will be a small admission fee.

SIMON P. NISSLEY
MARY G. NISSLEY
FUNERAL DIRECTORS
Mount Joy, Pa.

Editorially . . .

You Can't Drive Fast

"The next time you drive at seventy miles an hour just remember that if your judgment fails or if some little thing goes wrong with the intricate mechanism you are guiding, your life's not worth much!"
This is the studied opinion expressed to us last week by O. D. Shiple, who has been engaged by the state truckers' association to study the cause of all automobile accidents on the turnpike.

And, incidentally, every civic club in this section should arrange to hear Mr. Shiple—for he has a safety message one cannot ignore.

After studying hundreds of turnpike mishaps, he recommends a maximum speed of 50 miles an hour for pleasure cars, 40 for trucks, and suggest a deflector rail be built to separate the opposite lanes of traffic.

"That deflector rail alone would have saved a hundred lives since the turnpike was built," he concluded.

All Those Worthy Causes

We can't mention a one of the many, many worthy causes launched in the past few months that does not deserve public support, but did any of you ever see such an avalanche of worthy causes and benefits as at present?

No matter what the disease or the misfortune, somebody's putting on a drive for funds. And now this week we're supposed to observe Acute Appendicitis Week!

On that one we renege. It's been five years since we had an attack of acute appendicitis and we'll be darned if we're going out and celebrate the fact that we had it. (But at that it was one of the best rest periods we've had in the last ten years!)

Give 'Em Heck, Earl!

The Intell's editorial writer currently is all perturbed because Grayb Diehm's county budget underestimates the yearly receipts and over-estimates the county's expenditures, even to the extent that the low county rate can be reduced even lower.

That sort of thing IS different! Especially when one considers that for the past twenty years, the federal administrators never came close to estimating what they were going to spend, and never once underestimated. And when it came to predicting the tax-bite, they never came close to that either. Nor the deficits which have piled up into something to behold, indeed!
We like the Intell's crusading spirit—but we like that tax reduction a lot more!

Farm Accidents

Some times when we see some of these nearby farmers manipulating tractors on steep grades, making turns practically on a dime and darting from one point to another, we wonder why there are not more accidents than there are. But, we learn, 22 farmers died in Pennsylvania last year from tractor accidents. And that's mighty good reason for observing this—and every week—as Farm and Home Safety Week.

All in all, 112 persons died through accidents on farms in the state last year—and most of these could have been prevented. That's something to keep in mind.

Happy Daze

If, as the Federal Reserve Board appears to suspect, "you are as rich as you feel", Americans are pretty darn well-heeled. To measure this mental attitude, the financial confidence of the nation, the Board has had the University of Michigan interview 2,400 people in 66 different test areas during January and February.

This is the eighth such annual survey the Board has made and if their sampling technique is correct:

More people are planning to buy new cars, new homes, new furniture, T-V sets and washing machines this year than in 1952. The same number, approximately plan to buy refrigerators. And, naturally, more people think this is a good time for major purchases than did a year ago. Eighty per-cent are unworried about prices, believing they will remain at present levels or go down this year. In early 1951 and 1952, more than half expected them to go up.

And even though experts are pointing with alarm to the \$23,700,000,000 the American public owes the installment man, those who have to get it up are feeling no pain.

We still wonder who these people are who get surveyed. Did you ever get the treatment? We never did.



Even a Mental Marvel Knows It's Best to Check the Directory Before Calling

Remembering telephone numbers is tricky business . . . they can be easily mixed up . . . easily forgotten. That's why smart telephone users always look up numbers in the directory before they call.

The few seconds you take to check the number may mean minutes saved when you make the call. So play it safe. Check the directory and save your time and temper.

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SEEDLESS RAISINS Del Monte or Sunmaid Regular 5c Packages 6 for 19c
For Your Spring Salad!
FLORIDA CRISP CUCUMBERS Your Choice!
LOUISIANA SCALLIONS bunch 3 for 17c
FLORIDA CRISP RED RADISHES bunch
Snow Crop Frozen Food Sale!
Lima Beans SNOW CROP 2 10-oz. 49c FRENCH FRIES SNOW CROP 9-oz. 39c
Vegetables SNOW CROP 2 10-oz. 39c BRUSSELS SPROUTS SNOW CROP 2 10-oz. 49c
Diced Potatoes SNOW CROP 2 16-oz. 33c SPINACH SNOW CROP CHOPPED OR LEAF 2 pkg. 37c
OLD SOUTH FROZEN
ORANGE JUICE 2 6-oz. cans 29c 6 6-oz. cans 85c

Bonus Buys!
SUGAR FINE 5-lb. 48c 10-lb. 95c 25-lb. \$2.35
4X CONFECTIONERS SUGAR 1-lb. pkg 12c
DEWCO SWEET PEAS REDUCED PRICE! 2 16-oz. cans 29c
RED SALMON SUNNYBROOK 7 1/2-oz. can 41c 16-oz. can 65c
CHEESE SPREADS BORDEN'S OR KRAFT'S—PIMENTO, Relish, Pineapple or Olive-Pimento 5-oz. 23c
dexo 100% HYDROGENATED VEGETABLE SHORTENING 1-lb. can 29c 3-lb. can 79c
DEL MONTE or LIBBY PEACHES WHOLE KERNEL 29-oz. can 31c
BUTTER KERNEL CORN 2 8 1/2-oz. cans 23c 2 16-oz. cans 33c
IONA CUT BEETS 2 16-oz. cans 21c
CORNED BEEF HASH ARMOUR'S, LIBBY'S OR BROADCAST 16-oz. can 27c
OUR OWN TEA BAGS SPECIAL OFFER Comb. pkg. of 64 tea bags 41c
JELLY EGGS 1-lb. bag 25c 2-lb. bag 45c
DECORATED EGGS FALCON-GOODENUT CREAM OR FRUIT & NUT 8-oz. each 29c 16-oz. each 55c
HOT CROSS BUNS JANE PARKER pkg. of 9 23c
LAYER CAKE JANE PARKER CHOCOLATE FUDGE GOLDEN SPECIAL PRICE! each 49c

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WESSON OIL pint bottle 37c quart bottle 71c gallon can \$2.29	CHEER large pkg 29c giant pkg 70c	LIPTON TEA 4-oz. 33c 8-oz. 65c
WOODBURY SOAP 1c SALE OF 4 regular size cake comb. 26c Buy 3 Cakes at Regular Price of 25c Get 4th Cake for 1c. Total Cost 26c	DREFT large pkg 29c giant pkg 70c	LIPTON TEA BAGS pkg. of 16's 20c pkg. of 48's 53c
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B & M OLD FASHIONED BEEF STEW 20-oz. can 55c	CRISCO SHORTENING 1-lb. can 34c 3-lb. can 93c	DUZ large pkg. 27c giant pkg. 65c
SWIFT'S BABY MEATS ALL VARIETIES 3 1/2-oz. can 22c	GLAMOUR SOAP 8-oz. in bag 31c	OXYDOL DETERGENT large pkg. 29c giant pkg. 70c

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