

OWL LAFFS



BY A WISE OWL

My grandfather tells of the time he took his girl to a dance in the country. At that time he very seldom saw any money so he took a large pumpkin to pay their way in the shin-dig.

After carrying the big pumpkin about three miles through underbrush and briars he presented it to the door-keeper and was given eleven little pumpkins for change which he had to carry back with him.

A small boy was having an argument on Donegal street and was using some pretty strong language.

A woman, who was passing, stopped and said to him in a shocked voice: "How do you think your mother would feel if she heard you?"

"She'd be tickled to death," replied the boy. "She's deaf."

I overheard the E-town bus driver ask a West Main Street man if he got home all right Friday night.

The man replied "Of course. Why do you ask?"

"Well, when you got up and gave the lady your seat Friday night you were the only two people on the bus."

Joe Detwiler told me he would like to make a barber pole but he found out that Hostetter's don't have any striped paint.

A Mastersonville farmer's daughter had gone to the city to attend a very fashionable school for young ladies. She had written several letters to her parents at times, telling them of the new things she had found and was interested in.

But one day they got a letter that upset them a great deal. She wrote in one letter that she was "in love with ping pong."

"There ye air!" exclaimed her father, "I knowed no good would come o' sending her to that city! Naow, ye see, she's done gone an' fell in love weth an oriental."

Do you like "knock-knocks." Here's one we think should take the prize, for something or other:

"Knock-knock."
"Who's there?"
"Sam and Janet."
"Sam and Janet who?"
"Sure. You know — Sam and Janet evening, you may meet a stranger!"

The story is told of the burglar who entered the home of a poor minister late one night. Hearing the minister stir, the burglar exclaimed: "Lay still, mister, and you won't get hurt. I've got a gun and I'm searching for your money."

To which the minister said, "My good man, let me strike a match, and I'll search with you." — Wrong house.

Tongue twisters have always been amusing, but we have one that we guarantee will send any party goofy:

"A skunk sat on a stump. The skunk thought the stump stunk and the stump thought the skunk stunk."

At weddings today With food at its price I throw my old shoes But hold onto the rice!

Then there was the momma mouse who said to her daughter: "All right, go ahead and marry that big rat if you want, but I tell you you'll be in a hole the rest of your life."

Here's one sent to me with no name signed, must be a democrat: With money what it is Reduced to, Two can live as cheaply As three used to.

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4-H Club Meets At Leader's Home

The Mount Joy 4-H Club met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. John Musser, Mount Joy R1. The meeting attended by 14 girls was in charge of the president, Miss Janice Breneman, Mount Joy R2.

Lucille Martin, Mount Joy R1 was chosen to replace the vice president originally chosen. Following the business meeting, Miss Yvonne Cook, Extension Service worker, helped the members plan their project which is "Festive Family Meals".

Refreshments were served to the group by Mrs. Musser. The group will meet again June 22 at the home of Miss Kay Zimmerman, Mount Joy.

Two Escape Injury In Automobile Wreck

Edward Geltmacher, seventeen, and Eugene Zeller, twenty-five, both of Mount Joy, escaped serious injury last Thursday when their car shot off the road, hit two trees, a fence and then rolled over and caught fire.

State police said Geltmacher, the driver, apparently fell asleep while driving on the Mount Joy-Mastersonville road, three miles north of town at 4:15 p. m. Both were treated by their own physicians.

Mastersonville Boy Struck By Automobile In Florin, On Sunday

Roscoe M. Geib, nine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Omar Geib, Mastersonville, was injured when struck by an automobile in front of his grandmother's home on West Main Street, Florin at 5:15 p. m. Sunday. He was admitted to the Lancaster General Hospital with skull and leg injuries.

The driver was George Gilford Summy, 54, of 134 East High Street, Elizabethtown. The boy darted across the Harrisburg pike and was struck when he ran into the path of the Summy car.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Zimmerman, Sr., 115 South Barbara Street, Mount Joy, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marlene L. to Charles D. Drace, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Drace, Rheems.

Miss Zimmerman, a graduate of Mount Joy High School, is a student nurse at the St. Joseph's Hospital, Lancaster and Mr. Drace is employed by Harold Zimmerman and Son, sheet metal workers, Mt. Joy.

No date has been set for the wedding.

ADD FLOWER SHOW FOR GARDEN DAYS

A flower show, with prizes for specimen and arrangement classes, has again been added to the annual Garden Days program at the Pennsylvania State University June 15, 16, and 17. Professor Robert P. Meahl announced. The annual flower show has been a popular feature of the program which attracts representatives from garden clubs in all parts of the state, Professor Meahl said.

This year's program includes numerous guest speakers, along with University personnel, as well as a series of special educational displays.

VISITED HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Kuhns have returned to their home in St. Louis, Missouri after spending a week in this vicinity among friends and renewing old acquaintances.

Ask Jim Pennell if you're interested in buying boxes of strawberries that are really full. — Can we help it if the bottom of each box is filled with a layer of green plums!

HAPPENINGS — of — LONG AGO

THIRTY YEARS AGO

June 11, 1924
Weddings for the week included Emma Enterline and Dorsey Butterbaugh; Francis H. Barr and Rebecca McKonley.

H. C. Schock, left Mount Joy for a tour of France; he reported a rough voyage.

The annual reunion and reception of new members of the Mount Joy High School Alumni Association was held in the auditorium at which time the largest class to graduate from the school, 27, was honored.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Newcomer and two daughters Emily and Virginia left for an extended trip to California.

A miscellaneous shower was held in honor of the newly married couple. Mr. and Mrs. James Piersol.

Amos Wolgemuth and Rev. Eli Engle left for Topeka, Kansas where they will attend the annual conference of the Brethren in Christ church.

Deaths for the week included Harry K. Shelley, Mrs. Lydie Fuhrman, Mrs. Frank Gantz, Jonas W. Hess, William Bortzfeld, Abram Mumma and Mrs. W. Scott Eshleman.

John Grave Kuhns, was one of a class of 80 who was graduated from the Medical Department of John Hopkins University Baltimore.

The Mount Joy professionals defeated the Adamstown baseball team 4-3 Sunday with Waltz as pitcher.

In the Mount Joy Industrial league, the Cotton Mill was defeated by the Business Men 7 to 2 with pitchers Derr for the business men and Conrad for the mill. The Shoe Factory and Skeeters game was tie 5-5 with pitchers Heelerling, factory and A. Myers, Skeeters.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

June 15, 1939
Robert K. Brown was graduated at Lehigh University with a bachelor of science degree in Industrial Engineering.

Enos Jay and Arthur Kulp accompanied a group of Elizabethtown men to Bowers Beach Sunday. The group caught 300 croakers, trout and flounders.

William Weldon and Charles Latchford entertained the Usher's League at Mr. Latchford's home on South Barbara Street.

Harry G. Walters, Jr. graduated from Evening School of Accounts and Finance of the University of Pennsylvania.

Miss Eunice Herr left for a three weeks trip to California where she will visit her uncles and attend the San Francisco World's Fair.

Last Sunday a fishing party from Mount Joy spent the day at Rehoboth Beach. Out on the bay in row boats, a strong wind and rain storm blew them five miles from the shore and they were marooned for four hours. Those in the party from Mount Joy were Mr. and Mrs. James Sheaffer, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Barnhart, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Kramer.

The local Girl Scouts held a benefit movie at the Joy Theater to raise money to send the troop to camp.

Weddings for the week included Ethel F. Moore and George F. Broske; Evelyn Kraybill and Earl Koehenour; Anna Martha Detwiler and Graybill Stauffer; Helen Rensel and William Ma-teer; Ethel Heisey and Albert L. Bell and Harriet Rannels and Thomas Blank.

Miss Arlene Young was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower held last Tuesday evening. She will marry Lewis Diller, June 23.

TEN YEARS AGO

June 15, 1944
A plea was put out to the citizens to collect more waste paper in order to keep the paper mills running full time.

K. H. Snyder was appointed to take charge of the Mt. Joy Rotary Club playground for the 8 weeks between June 15 and August 15.

O.P.A. announced that home-makers may have the bulk sum of 20 pounds of sugar for canning.

Miss Mariam Nolt, Miss Rhoda Nissley and Miss Joyce Fryberger were among those appearing on the dean's honor roll at Elizabethtown College at the end of the school year.

Deaths for the week included Hiram Paules and Mrs. John Eshleman.

Penna. Game Commission Weekly Letter

A few years ago government experts reported the loss in fruits, vegetables and grains in this country to the ravages of insects, worms and beetles amounted to \$100,000,000 annually.

Recognizing the economic value of song and insectivorous birds, which hold the pests in check, their protection has become an established policy receiving legal backing in state and federal laws.

From the esthetic standpoint alone, the bright plumage and melodious calls of many of our small birds is repayment sufficient for their safeguarding, because they add charm and enjoyment to man's outdoor living.

Reasons, also, why boys with guns should be taught not to shoot song birds, and why owners of house cats should restrict the activities of their prowling felines.

Deer Going Soft?

Not long ago, George Turilla of the Tamaqua detail of state police drove his car to the Fraternal Order of Police Lodge, at the upper end of Hauto Dam. According to Billy Drasher, a Schuylkill County game protector, Turilla observed something on the porch as he approached the lodge. Getting closer he saw four deer there, seemingly taking cover from rain pouring down at the time.

Views On Game and Fur Seasons To Be Obtained

The Game Commission has invited representatives of the sportsmen's organizations, the trappers, the Pomono Grange, The Pennsylvania State University, and other interested groups or agencies to a meeting at Harrisburg June 30. The purpose is to obtain the opinions and recommendations of all segments on the setting of the coming game and fur seasons, as well as to learn the present wildlife situation over the entire state.

The next day, July 1, the game authorities will meet officially. They will then carefully consider all recommendations, important among which will be those of the Commission's field officers. At that session the game and fur seasons for the next hunting license year will be decided. The so-called 1954 hunting license year begins on September 1, 1954 and ends on August 31, 1955.

Watches Otters At Play

Says Game Protector Theodore T. Schaffer: "While on a recent patrol of State Game Lands No. 159, Wayne County, I was privileged to see three otters at the same time. They were leaping out of the water and playing at Alder Marsh

Pond. Two of them come out on shore, within 20 feet of where I was standing."

Carbon County Ringnecks Defy Men and Guns

Game Protector William E. Fulmer, of Lehigh, says: "Around here there is a noticeable increase in the number of male ringneck pheasants that seem to think rival cocks are not the only intruders to be driven from their crowing areas. On occasions they have attacked people for no apparent reason.

"One particular bird seems to consider the Palmerton Rod and Gun Club rifle and pistol range his private ground. Persons going to fire on the range are amused by this cock pheasant. He seems to appear from nowhere, jumps atop the target backdrop and crows continuously. I have chased him many times in order to go on firing, only to have him suddenly reappear just as I was about to squeeze the trigger.

"On one occasion I was forced to leave before finishing pistol practice because this bird followed me from target to target. Discharging a firearm did not seem to alarm him."

Autos Slay Beavers

"In spite of the increased bag limit and extended seasons, beavers in Susquehanna County not only held their own but increased." So says Game protector Casimir M. Stanis, of Uniondale, continuing, "If this was not noticed earlier, then three beavers recently killed on highways hereabouts should convince. In a single week, one beaver was killed in each of three townships in my district. These beavers, averaged about 30 pounds."

Commissioner comments on Ringnecks Over the state's pheasant

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range Pennsylvania outdoorsmen have reported ringneck hatches were early and large under favorable weather conditions.

Game Commission members are of course intensely interested in the game bird reproduction. Vice-President Nicholas Biddle voices the general enthu-

siasm in saying: "I have seen many ringnecks this spring in southeastern Montgomery Co., near Bethayres. On May 30, my granddaughter and I had a special treat. I stopped my automobile on Welsh Road and we witnessed a hen pseasant crossing the road with her brood of a dozen young chicks following."

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