

OWL LAFFS



BY A WISE OWL

By Georget if you guys don't soon send in some good laffs, I'm going to lose my job.

Back in the days when "Heck" Mumma, and his cohorts were working in the foundry at the G.I.C.Co. I had plenty of material to fill this column up!

Anyway, here's a few I dug up:

One of our local bachelors was standing on the Post Office corner, when an old flame of years back, that he might of married, passed by. He sighed, and said, "She's the best thing that never happened to me."

A local auctioneer was sick so he asked one of his friends to take over for him at a sale on a farm near White Oak. All went well until a billy goat was brought out. The friend didn't know what it was so he called the auctioneer on the phone and asked him:

"How do I describe this creature. I never saw anything like it. It has a gray coat, a mean and nasty look, gray whiskers, and smells to high heaven."

"Holy mackerel," shouted the sick auctioneer. "Don't sell that. That's the farmer."

Coming home from the sale, I stopped at a little general store back there in the hills, and saw a sign over a spittoon which read: "We aim to please, will you aim, too, please?"

You know, a good deal depends on our early habits. "When I was a baby, my mother hired a woman to wheel me about, and I have been pushed for money ever since."

Baxter "Hogan" Wells was playing golf on a new course last Sunday, and teed up for the first hole, he made a wild swing and completely missed the ball.

"It's a good thing I found out at the start," he said. "This course is at least two inches lower than the course I usually play."

Here's a little poem "So What" Enck sent in: You'll find by traveling East and West And even North and South, That nothing's opened by mistake As often as one's mouth.

Heard the fellows over at the fire house talking about the pinocle games they used to play there several years back. One of the fellows remarked: "Man those games were so big there were kibitzers kibitzing the kibitzers."

A local Main Street man was told by his doctor that he must drink hot water with his whiskey, otherwise he mustn't take it at all. "But how shall I get the water," asked the Main Streeter. "My wife won't let me have it for the whiskey punch."

"Tell her you want to shave," the doc said. The next day the doctor called and asked the wife how the patient was. "He's clean mad," she replied. "He's shaving every ten minutes."

Speaking of shaving reminds me of an old grouch who came into Detwiler's barber shop last Saturday and asked for a haircut? "How would you like it cut, sir?" asked Joe. "Off!" snapped the grouch. That fellow got his haircut without conversation.

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NEWTOWN

By Mrs. Edith Erb Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Kuhns and daughters, Mary and Joan, spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Kuhns's brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Lester Witmer of Paradise.

Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Arndt viewed the film of "The Billy Graham London Crusade," at Stumps Athletic field Thursday evening.

Visitors of Mrs. Matilda Derr, were Mrs. Cora Gable and son, Norman, Klinesville, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gainer, West Fairview, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Derr and sons, Mt. Joy RD.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Miller were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yoder and daughter, Judy, Mr. and Mrs. George Bryson and daughter Ruth, Lancaster.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Aristic Wittle during the past week were, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wittle and daughters, Columbia, Mr. Harry Hamilton, Mrs. Ben Hoffman, E-town, Mr. Charles Wittle, Columbia RD, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spahr, Phila., Rev. O. K. Buch, Manheim, Mr. and Mrs. Ragner Hallgren, Mt. Joy, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hallgren and family, Hummelstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Reigle, of Mount Joy visited Mrs. Serena Fogie.

Mr. and Mrs. North Arbogast, Sunbury, visited Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Arndt.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Kuhns this week were Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Loyd and nephew, of York.

Mrs. Harvey Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barton, Columbia, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fogie.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fogie and son Richard attended the Barton reunion held at Safe Harbor Park.

Messrs Thomas Fogie and Fobert Frank enjoyed a trip to Erie, Pa., Canada and Crystal Beach.

Saturday afternoon Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Arndt and Mr. Daniel Geltmacher attended the Central Manor campmeeting.

Mrs. Edna Kuhns and daughter Mary attended the funeral service of Mrs. Fred Leiberher, Mt. Joy Sunday.

First Class Donald DeGeorge who is stationed at Camp LeJune, N. C. visited his wife and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Witmer and family visited Mr. and Mrs. John Kaufman, Sr., Ironville, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Schoelkopf and sons, Columbia.

Bus Schedule (From page 1)

Table listing bus routes and times for Washington School, Wood Street, Bridge, School, Leaves Garage, Stop 1, Maytown Square, Swartz's, Shuman's Corner, Good's Farm, Fisher's, Florin Farms, Long's, Eby Farm, Witmer's, High School, Shirk's (Bainbridge Road), Wolfe's, Brandt's, Trout's, Tressler's, Cunningham's, Rowenna, Arnold's (Vinegar Ferry Road), Depot - Texas Eastern, River Road Crossroads, Hawthorne's, Toll Gate, Low Maytown, High School, MARIETTA - E. DONEGAL, Leave Miller's Garage, M. and travel down West Market St. to Eater's Corner, turn right toward Maytown - right turn on Essex St. to Walnut St. to High School.

Table listing bus routes and times for Leave Garage, Stop 1, Eater's Corner, Bridge St. at Market, High School, LOWER MARIETTA AND EAST DONEGAL, From High School go toward Marietta - left at Long Lane to Marietta - Lancaster Highway - cross highway and go toward river to Columbia Pike at Chickies - turn right toward Marietta - right turn at Bank Street to High School.

Table listing bus routes and times for Leave Garage, Stop 1, Long Lane, Marietta - Lancaster Highway, Richard's, Arnold's Garage, Bank Street, Patches Farm, High School, MARIETTA, From Donegal High to Marietta - out West Market St. to Gay Street - turn right on Gay Street - turn right on Walnut St. to High School.

Table listing bus routes and times for Stop 1, Gay Street on Market St., Walnut Street on Gay Street, High School, From Donegal High School to Marietta - turn down Chestnut St. - right turn on East Market St. - right turn on New Haven St. - to school.

Table listing bus routes and times for Leave High School, Stop 1, E. Market on Chestnut Street, E. Market St. on New Haven Street, High School, MT. JOY TOWNSHIP, Leave Garage, Stop 1, Snyder's Garage, Eppenshades, Martin's, Heisey's, Eshleman's, Mumma's, Kaylor's, Miller's, Gantz's, Shelter Grandview, Moyer's, Eshleman's.

ram Gamber were Mr. and Mrs. Salem Gamber and daughter, Columbia RD, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gamber and son, Manheim. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gamber and Miss Minnie Gamber, visited Mr. and Mrs. Salem Gamber, Columbia RD.

P. P. & L. Earnings Show Increase

Consolidated earnings of Pennsylvania Power & Light Company and its subsidiary, the Scranton Electric Company, accruing to the common stock of Pennsylvania Power & Light Company for the 12 months ended July 31, 1954 were \$15,903,582, equivalent to \$2.82 per share of common stock outstanding at such date, as compared with \$12,976,809 or \$2.63 per share on a pro forma consolidated basis for twelve months ended July 31, 1953.

Consolidated revenues for the 12 months ended July 31, 1954 were \$107,944,733, an increase of 4.2 percent, over the revenues for the previous year.

Table listing earnings for 13, Cherry Hill, 14, Milton Grove Store, 15, Milton Grove School, 16, Funk's, 17, Gish's, 18, Walter Becker's, 19, E. Musser Heisey's, 20, Roy Shearer's, 21, Florin School, 22, Mateer's Corner, 23, High School.

All Florin students living north of the railroad tracks will board the above bus either at the Florin Mount Joy Township School or Mateer's Corner.

FLORIN Leave High School 8:10 Stop 1, Wood Street at Bridge 8:14 2, Shuman's Corner 8:15 3, High School 8:21

JOE'S SHOE REPAIR

On The Square ELIZABETHTOWN PHONE 9227R

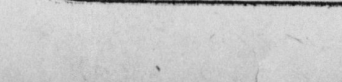
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ATTEND BOTTLE GAS SERVICE SCHOOL

John H. Kitch and Harry Deater of Ward Bottle Gas have returned from attending a Bottle Gas service school held at The Pennsylvania State University during the past week.

Service men attended the school from New York State, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Delaware, New Jersey, West Virginia, and Virginia.

The school was unique in that the instructors include men from the Mechanical Engineering Department of the University and engineers from the service departments of the various bottle gas equipment and appliance manufacturers.

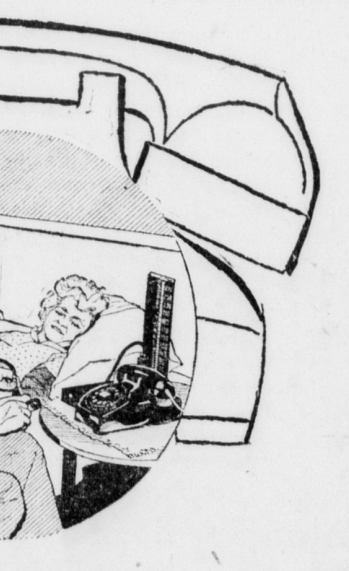
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WM. K. RESSLER FLORIN, PA. MT. JOY 3-5731

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FLORIN

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vogel and family spent a week at East Liverpool, Ohio, with friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. George Mumpser, and Mr. Norman Mateer and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Eshelman and family at Emigsville, York Co., on Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Becker and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Eshelman spent Sunday at Long Run, Church of the Brethren, near Lehighton.

Miss Maude Buller and Mrs. John Kissinger and two sons left Sunday, for Burton, S. C. to spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Emory Waters and family.

Mrs. Harry Farmer Sr. was a surgical patient at St. Joseph's Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Olson and family moved to Philadelphia on Tuesday, vacating the Buller apartment.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bender Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mumpser, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kell and family at Carlisle.

Mrs. Benjamin Fair returned to her home Tuesday from St. Joseph's Hospital after undergoing surgery.

Mrs. Joseph Baltozer was admitted to St. Joseph's Hospital on Friday.

Miss Mary Hamilton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wagner and Mrs. Annie Wagner at Elizabethtown RD, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Harry Mumpser of Dillsburg called on Mr. and Mrs. George Mumpser Friday evening. Rev. Mumpser was a former minister at the Church of God at Mount Joy.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kauffman visited Mrs. Emma Peifer, at the Messiah Home at Harrisburg on Sunday.

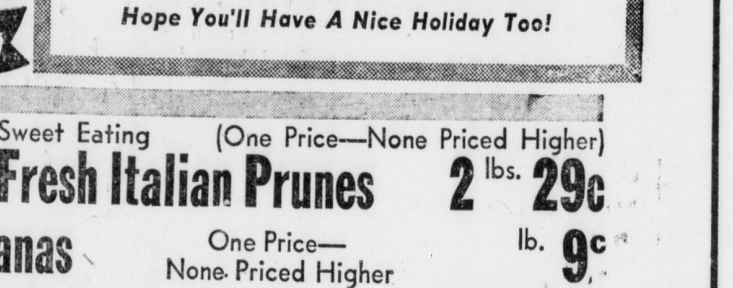
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Boned Chicken or Turkey Banquet Brand 2 5-oz. 55c Cream Cheese Kraft "Philadelphia" or Borden's "Eagle" 2 3-oz. 31c 8-oz. 35c Gums or Life Savers All Your Favorites Box of 20 59c

Butter Sunnyfield 1/2-lb. 65c 1-lb. 63c Creamery prints Banquet—One Whole 4-lb. \$1.29 Cooked Chicken con 2 2-oz. 75c Agar Luncheon Meat 2 2-oz. 75c Noodle & Tuna StarKist 15-oz. 25c Sugar Granulated 5-lb. 49c 10-lb. 97c Hot Roll Mix Pillsbury 14 1/2-oz. 28c

Pea Beans Dried 1-lb. 15c 2-lb. 29c Beans Ann 2 15-oz. 23c 2 23-oz. 31c Preserves Stratford Farms 24-oz. 49c Strawberry jar 49c Cheddar Cheese Mild 4 1/2-lb. 49c 6-lb. 63c Beverages Frank's or Bev-Rich 3 12-oz. 25c 5c Candy Bars Box \$1.00 for 24 6 for 24 25c Hi-C Orange Drink 2 4-oz. 49c

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Don't Forget To Put Cigarettes on Your Shopping List! All Prices in This Advertisement Guaranteed Through Saturday, September 4th Keebler Club or Twin Crackers 11-oz. 27c Nabisco Oreo Sandwich Cookies 11 3/4-oz. 33c Evan's Sundae Toppings Pineapple or Butterscotch jar 15c Chocolate Fudge 8-oz. Jar 17c

Chicken-of-the-Sea Tuna Fish White Meat Solid Pack (White Label) 7-oz. can 41c Light Meat Solid Pack (Red Label) 7-oz. can 37c Chunk Style Light Meat Label (Green Label) 6 1/2-oz. can 33c Chunk Style Light Meat Label (Blue Label) 6 1/2-oz. can 37c

STORE HOURS—Mon., Tues., Wed., Thurs., & Saturday. 8:00 to 6:00; Friday 8:00 to 9:00 87 EAST MAIN ST. MT. JOY, PA.