

# Community Letters

FROM NEWS CORRESPONDENTS

All Correspondence Must Be in This Office Tuesday

## Davis Hill

(Mrs. Floyd Slocum, Reporter)

May 29.—Mrs. John Snyder and son of Camden and Mrs. Anna Felson of Elnora, N. Y., are guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slocum and son of Trumansburg were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Slocum.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Amesbury and family of Richburg were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Green.

Victor Hoagland is wearing a broad smile these days because of the arrival of a 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  pound baby girl born at the home of Mrs. Eggleston at Andover Saturday morning.

Ford Green and family of Wellsville were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Green, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Halsey and family were visitors at Frank Halsey's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ordway were shoppers in Andover, Saturday.

Victor Hoagland and daughters were visitors at Floyd Slocum's, Saturday.

Mrs. Floyd Slocum called on Julia Hoagland at Andover, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Halsey and son were guests at Frank Halsey's, Tuesday.

Glenn and Charles Halsey and Ed. Dean assisted Floyd Slocum plant potatoes Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Halsey visited Mrs. Lawrence Ordway, Tuesday.

Generous  
"Son, why don't you play circus? It's great fun. First you make a sawdust ring."  
"But where would I get the sawdust, dad?"  
"Here's the saw. Just cut some of the firewood into fireplace lengths. And you can have all the sawdust you make."

## Voorhees Hill

(Mrs. Raymond Church, Reporter)

May 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene VanSchaick and little daughter of Osceola, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd VanSchaick, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Colgrove, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth VanSchaick and son of Elkland called on Mr. and Mrs. P. H. VanSchaick Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kruger and little daughter of Wellsville, Mr. and Mrs. Claire Church of Elkland, Pa., were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Church, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Adams called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Kent in Wellsville, Saturday.

Miss Verna Jean Church passed the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Muriel Kruger and family of Wellsville.

Dr. and Mrs. B. A. Barney of Hornell were callers on the hill Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. James Lewis, Mrs. Abram Slocum and the Misses Thelma Lewisa, Audrey and Rosalyn Cary visited the Bradley gardens in Wellsville, Sunday p. m.

Mrs. Addie Church of Wellsville was the guest of her son, Carroll and family, Sunday.

Miss Marian Foster of Stannards and Harold Barney of Independence passed Sunday afternoon at the Adams home.

"Thought you told me last month you were spading your back yard?"  
"No, I said I was thinking about it."  
"Oh, I see. You just turned it over in your mind."

To impress on his pupils the need of thinking before speaking, the master told them to count 50 before saying anything important, and 100 if it was very important.

Next day he was speaking standing with his back to the fire, when he noticed several lips moving rapidly.

Suddenly the whole class shouted: "Ninety-eight, ninety-nine, a hundred. Your coat's on fire, sir!"

## West Greenwood

(Mrs. Dan Mullen, Reporter)

May 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robbins of Belvidere and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mullen and son were in Bath on business Friday.

Thomas Mullen and son of Call Hill were calling on relatives in this place Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Teribury were in Andover on business, Saturday p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. James Baker of Canistota have been passing a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Olive Banks and Alice Baker of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harkenrider have a baby girl, born last week at St. James Mercy hospital, Hornell.

Mr. and Mrs. Olive Banks and Alice Baker spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Gayhart and family of Lever Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ephriam Ribble and Charles Dewey of Hammondsport were calling on relatives in this place and Andover, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carrier and two sons of Cuba spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Dan Mullen and family and called on her grandmother, Mrs. Emily King of Slate Creek.

Edward Clancy of Canistota spent the week-end with friends in this place.

Mrs. Ada Mullen and daughter, Florence, of Canistota were calling on relatives here one evening last week.

Mrs. Jones: "Why, my dear; I haven't seen you for ages."  
Mrs. Smith: "Oh, I've been so busy with one thing another—I've just had my teeth taken out, and the gas stove put in."

Ethel: "The last time I went horseback riding, I wanted to go one way and the horse wanted to go the other."  
Bessy: "What happened?"  
Ethel: "The horse tossed me for it."

## Hunters Spend About \$44 For Deer With \$15 Value

Deer valued at \$15 each as meat induced hunters to spend an average of \$44 each on the Fremont National forest in Oregon, reports the forest service, United States department of agriculture.

The sample spending account was kept by Leo D. Quackenbush, forest ranger, who found that 9,500 hunters visited the Oregon forest last hunting season and took 1,900 deer.

On the basis of meat and hide value only, the deer taken were estimated to be worth \$28,500, figuring an average of 70 pounds of meat per deer at 20 cents a pound and \$1 each for hide and horns.

Altogether the 9,500 hunters in this one national forest spent nearly \$85,000 on their hunting, boosting business in the local communities and adding to the income of the state. Although they brought out bucks worth only \$28,500, there is no indication that the hunters thought they spent too much for their sport.

Ranger Quackenbush estimated that the 9,500 hunters averaged three per car and that the cars traveled an average of 300 miles going to and from the hunting grounds. It is estimated that the 3,168 cars averaged approximately \$6 worth of gasoline and oil on the hunting trip, or a total of \$18,998.

The expenditures for ammunition and equipment were rounded off at about \$22,800. Incidental expenses were estimated at \$14,250. No estimate was made of the purchase of red hats and shirts and other incidental hunting equipment. Resident hunting licenses at \$3 for each hunter yielded a total of \$28,000 for the state.

## AROUND OUR HOUSE

### FRUIT LEMONADES FOR THIRST

Iced fruit beverages with tangy flavor and bright color are refreshing any time of day whether served in the dining room on the front porch, or out on the lawn.

A combination of various fruit juices makes a delicious beverage if tart juices, such as lemons, sour oranges, apple cider, or rhubarb are used with the sweeter, blander fruits.

A cold beverage sweetened with a sugar syrup is usually smoother than one to which unmelted sugar has been added. A sugar syrup can be made by boiling four cups of sugar with four cups of water for 10 minutes. The syrup may be poured into clean hot jars, sealed and used as needed.

When the fruit is cut for the punch, or when the juices are pressed or stirred, use silver, glass or stainless steel since other metals may flavor the beverage. Utensils made of glass, china, enamel, or wood are desirable as containers for the juices.

The ever-popular lemonade makes a good base for delicious variations:

**Apple Lemonade**  
Wash and dice the apples, using the skins and core; cook with enough water to cover the apples, strain them thru a cloth and add one cup of the juice. Dissolve the sugar in the juice and cool. To serve, fill each glass half-full of the apple sirup, add the juice of half a lemon and finish filling the glass with ice and water.

**Other Fruit Lemonades**  
Lemonade may also be made with crushed berries, using whole berries for garnish; with pineapple juice, with ginger; with crushed mint leaves, and with currants made into sirup.

## BRIEF BUSINESS BRINGERS

**FOR SALE**  
FOR SALE—Dunn Property corner Greenwood and First Streets. Inquire of Mrs. E. H. Brandes, R. D. No. 1, Wellsville. 25

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**Agrigraphs**  
A 1941 wheat acreage allotment of 239,496 acres has been announced for New York State.

For control of the tent caterpillar on shade trees, a lead arsenate spray on the foliage is recommended.

Horses and cattle rate above human beings on the mosquito's menu. Man rates just ahead of chickens and cats as the preferred source of a meal, entomologists have found.

Farmers interested in growing wood as a crop have to know a great deal about the care and culture of trees. Cornell bulletin E-291 has helpful information and may be had free by residents of New York State who request it from the New York State College of Agriculture, Ithaca, N. Y.

## Soil Testing Experiment Aids Engineering Study

As a result of investigations of soil testing and sampling methods now under way, it is the belief of the Engineering foundation of New York, engineers will be able to plan building foundations with greater assurance and economy than at present.

A comprehensive research project designed to further engineering knowledge of load capacity and settlement resulting under load is being conducted by the committee on sampling and testing of the soil mechanics and foundation division of the American Society of Civil Engineers in co-operation with other engineering bodies, including United States army engineers.

Sampling methods employed by engineers throughout the world are being studied and collated under the direction of Dr. M. Juul Hvorslev, school of engineering of Harvard university, as the initial step in the program, it is pointed out in the report to the foundation, which is sponsoring the studies.

The "science of foundations" is vital to millions of people who intrust their lives daily to the validity of the judgment of engineers in planning the foundations of dams, skyscrapers, bridge piers, tunnels or high retaining walls.



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**Solving Weather Mysteries**  
Commander Francis Wilton Reichelderfer, chief of the United States weather bureau, visualizes an expanded service which will take more of the mystery out of the weather's antics. He doubts that many people know just how brave a man the forecaster is when he steps up to a surface weather map and makes a forecast for tomorrow. "The weather forecaster's diagnosis must be based to a large extent upon the surface weather map," he went on, "and this map gives comparatively meager information on the atmospheric conditions at higher altitudes where most of our weather is produced. Lacking a fixed network of airways stations over the oceans, we must rely upon weather observations from surface vessels for the ocean weather . . . but improvement of the service will require an increase in the number of reporting ships and in the frequency of reports by radio from two to four daily," he declared.

**Largest African Bridge**  
The longest single-span bridge in Africa and the third longest in the world, crosses the Sabi river, in Southern Rhodesia, and is 1,080 feet long. Its single arch rises to a height of 280 feet. Work began on it in April, 1934. It was the gift of the trustees of the late Alfred Beit and has been named the Birch-enough bridge in recognition of the services to the country of Sir Henry Birch-enough, the chairman of the Beit trustees and president of the British South African company. Fifteen hundred tons of steel have gone into the bridge. Its purpose is to give the people of the eastern district access across the Sabi river to the central districts of Southern Rhodesia. The bridge will also serve to open up to visitors from the Union of South Africa and elsewhere one of the most beautiful mountain districts in the territory.

**First Printed 'Franks'**  
The first printed franks, comparable to the stamped envelopes and covers of modern times, were issued in 1653 in Paris. M. (afterwards Count) de Villayer, with royal sanction, sold letter-covers of wrappers bearing a distinctive mark. His footmen collected and delivered letters in such wrappings, removing the wrappers upon delivery.