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COMMUNITY LOCALS

Mrs. M. S. May, Washington, D.C., is visiting at the home of Mr. A. H. Carpenter and Miss Liza Carpenter.

Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Wentz, York, Penna., and Miss Mary Fringer of town, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hesson.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman A. Whitmore, Sr., and Mrs. June Stewart of Media, Pa., spent the past week-end with Mrs. Howard S. Baker.

Grover Zimmerman, retired Carroll County Soil Conservationist, addressed the Kiwanis Club of Taneytown, Wednesday evening, at Taney Inn.

Mrs. Anna Motter will be hostess this evening (Thurs.) to the Graceful Workers S. S. Class of Grace United Church of Christ.

Mrs. Cora Riffle had as Sunday guests her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Ecker and son Charles of Stewartstown, Penna.

Mrs. Elma Shoemaker returned home Tuesday after spending two weeks with her brothers and sisters of Thurmont.

Mrs. Vincent Hines and sons, David and Paul, of Philadelphia, Pa., are spending some time with Mrs. Hines' mother, Mrs. Charles B. Kephart.

The Daughters of America will install their officers for next year on Friday evening, June 28, at 8 P. M. They will be installed by their Deputy, Marjorie Crouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Baumgardner entertained the Senior Class of Taneytown H. S. of which their son, Ronald is a member, on Monday evening at their Twin Kiss Snack Bar.

Dr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Null and children of Landenberg, Pa., visited over the week-end with their respective parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert J. Null and Mr. and Mrs. Hilbert Hess.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Kiser will attend the 47th International Christian Endeavor Convention in Washington, D. C., July 2-6 in Sheraton Park Hotel.

On June 26 the Taneytown Jaycettes and guests will tour the Black & Decker plant, Hampstead. The group will meet at Ed's Twin Kiss Restaurant at 5:30 P. M. to proceed on the field trip together.

Miss Hazel E. Hess presented pupils in piano and voice in recital at her home on June 17-18-19 at 8:00 P. M. There were 100 pupils and guests who attended the three recitals.

Mrs. John Blanchfield, Sr., Mrs. John Blanchfield, Jr., and Mrs. Alice Reifsnider, near town, attended the 25th Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Ausherman, Detour, Md., on Sunday, June 16th.

Mrs. D. L. Shipley, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Shipley and Miss Joanne Shipley of Baltimore; Mrs. Betty Little, Miss Betsy Little, Mr. John Little and son David of Hanover, Penna., were Friday evening dinner guests of Mrs. Samuel Ott.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Kiser were: Mr. and Mrs. Hans Steffan and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Kiser, Keymar; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Dudderar, New Windsor; and Mr. and Mrs. Claude DeBerry, daughter, Frances and son, Stephen, Emmitsburg.

The Rev. Francis B. Wagner, pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Taneytown, has assumed his new pastorate at St. Joan of Arc Church in Aberdeen, Md. The Rev. Joseph A. Kenney from the Shrine of Little Flower, Baltimore, has been appointed to serve the Taneytown church.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fleagle were Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Stoner, Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. Harman Albaugh and son Jimmy, Glen Burnie; Mrs. Stoner Fleagle, daughter Peggy and son Phillip, Mayberry; and Miss Rachael Fitz of Westminster.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wm. Stambaugh of Keysville, recently sold their 30-acre farm along the Monocacy River, near Detour, to Rev. and Mrs. Linwood A. Hubbard of Rockville. The sale of the farm was made by R. L. Zentz of Taneytown, local Real Estate Broker.

Mrs. Harry Reindollar, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reindollar attended the two-day Toy Show in New Castle, Penna., presented by the American Hardware Supply Co., on Sunday and Monday. They were dinner guests on Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace S. Thomson at Girard, Ohio. Mrs. Edgar Thomson of Youngstown, Ohio, was also a guest.

Father's Day supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Harner and family were: Mr. and Mrs. John H. Harner, Mrs. William E. Ritter and Bobby Lookingbill of Taneytown; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wilhide of Keymar; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Worley and daughter of Hanover, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Durbarow of Gettysburg, Penna.

Mrs. John M. Hoagland has as house guest this week her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth F. Huff of Delavan, Wisconsin. Mr. Huff will join her here and they will leave Friday for Washington, D.C., to attend an International Congress of Instructors of the Deaf. Mr. Huff is a co-chairman of interpreters. All speeches will be interpreted into four languages as well as sign language.

HIGH SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

Graduation exercises for the forty-one seniors of Taneytown High School were held on Wednesday evening, June 12, in the high school auditorium.

The invocation was offered by Rev. Francis P. Wagner, parish priest of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, followed by the selection "Das Abend Gebet" by Reinecke, played by the high school band under the baton of Warren Eshbach.

Ned C. Musser, principal of the school, introduced the speaker who was the Rev. Robert Benner, pastor of the Seventh Street Lutheran Church, Lebanon, Pa. The theme of Rev. Benner's address was "Look Up, Laugh, Love, and Lift."

Pastor Benner is a native of Taneytown and a graduate of Taneytown High School, class of 1932. In 1936 he graduated from Gettysburg College with an A.B. degree cum laude.

In 1939 he received his B.D. degree from Gettysburg Lutheran Theological Seminary and in 1943 he received the S.T.M. degree from the same institution.

The senior class, under the direction of Mrs. Jean Bowers, sang two selections, "The Halls of Ivy" and "Climb Every Mountain."

Neal Powell, newly-elected member of the Carroll County Board of Education, brought greetings from the board and conferred the diplomas to the senior class.

The following awards were presented to the senior class:

1. The Activities medal is awarded to the senior boy or girl who has accumulated the largest number of points by participation in extra-curricular activities during the 10th, 11th, and 12th grade years. Jean Myers was the recipient of this award.

2. The Balfour Scholarship Key is awarded to the member of the senior class who has maintained the highest scholastic average over a period of four years at Taneytown High School. This was awarded to Jean Myers.

3. The American Legion Citizenship Medals were presented by Paul Rodkey of the American Legion Post #120. These medals are awarded to the boy and girl of the senior class who have demonstrated to the school that they are good citizens by excelling in the qualities of courtesy, helpfulness, honor, leadership, and service. Stephen Feeser and Jean Myers received these medals.

4. Wayne Baumgardner, representing the Alumni Association awarded the Athletic Trophies to James Myers and Anita McCurley. These trophies are awarded to the senior boy and senior girl who have demonstrated proficiency in athletics and who have adhered to the principles of good sportsmanship and school citizenship.

5. Keith McCurley, president of the Key Club, presented the Sandy Ninninger Gold Medal to Diana Dinterman. This medal is awarded to the boy or girl who has made the most of his or her ability, personality, physique, handicaps, and circumstances between the time he or she entered high school and graduation.

6. The Daughters of American Revolution Certificate awarded to the senior girl who has distinguished herself in the traits of cooperation, dependability, leadership, and patriotism, and who has written a good essay was given to Betty Stonesifer by Miss Liza Carpenter, representing the D.A.R.

7. The Balfour Commercial Medal is awarded to the graduate who is the most efficient and accurate in all commercial subjects and who is a good all-around citizen in the commercial department. Betty Stonesifer was the recipient of this medal.

8. Betty Stonesifer also received the Home Economics award for being the most outstanding student in this field.

9. Representing the band parents, Carroll Kiser awarded to Jean Myers the Arion Music Award. This is presented to the senior for outstanding musical ability and achievement in the band or orchestra.

Mr. Musser announced the members of the senior class who ranked second, third and fourth in their class scholastically. These were the students: second, Betty Stonesifer; third, Judith Kiser; fourth, Bonnie Brown.

58TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED

We express our sincere thanks to our daughter and son-in-law for their kindness and surprise shower to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith for their 58th Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, June 15th, 1963, at Schotties Restaurant for their gorgeous dinner. Those attended were: Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Fair, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Rittase, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hiltner, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Weishaar, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Weishaar, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Weishaar, Mrs. Anna Simpson, Mrs. Myrtle Nussbaum, Miss Barbara Smith and Master Eddie Smith. After dinner all returned to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Fair's for the afternoon and spent a delightful afternoon.

C.E. GALILEAN SERVICE

The annual Christian Endeavor Galilean Service, sponsored by the Carroll County C.E. Union, will be held at the Westminster Community Pond Sunday, June 23, at 2:30 P. M. Rev. Eugene McFarland is in charge of the program. Rev. John Gonso will lead group singing. Special music by Mr. Larry Harris, with Miss Joyce Dell, music chairman. Rev. William Hendricks will have charge of offertory and prayer.

TANEYTOWN COMMUNITY V.B.S.

The Taneytown Community Vacation Bible School is starting off in a big way. The pre-registration enrollment was 181 pupils. With the second day of the School the enrollment climbed to 212 pupils. The boys and girls are having a wonderful experience learning and studying the theme of the School which is "Christ's Way, My Way." The pupils are meeting daily from 9:00 to 11:30 A. M.

We feel that we have a good staff of teachers and helpers. They are as follows: Nursery: co-teachers, Misses Cynthia Johnson and Phyllis Dutera; helper, Barbara Harvey, Nursery teacher, Mrs. Vivian Hahn with helpers, Beverly Hawk, Linda Harner, Becky Hahn and Shirley Albaugh. Kindergarten teacher, Mrs. Joan Miller with helpers Doris Hawk, Pat Feeser, Peggy Hahn and Patty Shryock. Beginners co-teachers — first grade, Misses Joan Reindollar and Cynthia Nussbaum with helpers Beverly Miller and Carolyn Specht.

Primary teacher — second grade, Miss Gale Crabbs with helpers Beverly Fair, Susan Copenhaver, Linda Weant and Margaret Laird. Third grade teacher, Miss Deborah Wiley with helpers Karen Skiles, Iris Leatherman, Donna Simpson and Mary Jane Blettner. Fourth grade teacher, Mrs. Kenneth Stonesifer with helpers Jackie Jester, Nina Trankley and Peggy Smith. Fifth grade teacher, Mrs. Nadine Brown with helpers Susan Raffle and Susan Laird. Sixth grade teacher, Mrs. Allyne Gonder with helpers Diana Fair and Linda Clem. Playground helpers: Miss Carol Remsburg and Darold Stonesifer. The co-directors are Mrs. Blanche Lookingbill and Mrs. Betty Naylor with The Rev. William F. Wiley, supervisor. This makes a complete staff of forty-two.

On Thursday, June 27, there will be an "Open Vacation Bible School Day" to which the parents are welcome to visit the School from 9:00 to 11:30 A. M. and see the work of the pupils before the closing day. An informal closing will be held on Friday, June 28, from 10:45 to 11:30 A. M., at which time the pupils and staff will be treated and certificates will be presented. May our children be faithful in their attendance at the School.

HOME MISSION STUDY

"Who cares? Do you?" was asked last evening at Trinity Lutheran Church of approximately 175 persons attending the home mission study on juvenile delinquency sponsored by the Lutheran Church Women. Those who posed this question were panelists James E. Boylan, Jr., chief judge of the circuit court, Westminster; Miss Margaret Frederick, superintendent of the Montrose School for Girls, Reisterstown; Dr. William Gene Miller, acting head of the psychology department, Western Maryland College; and Reuben Jessop, executive director of Lutheran Social Services, Inc., Baltimore.

Each panelist reviewed experiences, gave opinions on the nature, cause and prevention of juvenile delinquency, and answered questions submitted by the audience. The Rev. Howard Miller, pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church, served as moderator. Mrs. Stanley Jennings led the opening devotion and presented an opening meditation on the topic, "Who Cares?"

Following the panelists' participation, Mrs. Kenneth Shorb, Mrs. Henry Reindollar, and Mrs. Elwood Harner reviewed "What the Community Offers Youth" and "What We Hope to Offer Youth in the Future," respectively.

The panelists presided at informal discussions during the serving of refreshments by the women of the host congregation. Mrs. William Hopkins, president of the Lutheran Church Women, held a brief business meeting after the mission study.

LOCAL FISHING RODEO

The Jaycees are anticipating a huge turnout for the annual Fishing Rodeo at the Taneytown Rod and Gun Club Saturday, June 22, from 9:00 to 10:30.

All children of Taneytown and community under 16 years of age are invited to participate. There will be prizes for the most fish, the biggest fish, the smallest fish and the first fish. The prizes will consist of fishing rods, reels, tackle boxes, tackle, and others.

Each child must have an entry blank signed by parent or guardian (blanks will be found in The Carroll Record and at the pond). The Boy Scouts will have a first aid tent set up. Refreshments and small prizes will be given to everyone. Rain date is Monday, June 24, at 6:30 P. M.

TANEYTOWN CHILDREN SWIM LESSONS BEGIN JUNE 24

The Red Cross swimming lessons will begin Monday, June 24, for the children of Taneytown between 8 and 18. The lessons will continue through July 5.

The Taneytown Jaycees announce that the bus will leave the parking lot between the United Brethren and Presbyterian churches at 8:00 A. M. Monday morning, June 24, and return at approximately 11:00 A. M. Charges will remain the same as last year. At this time, there are still a few seats available on the bus. Any one desiring transportation may call Dean Nussbaum, PL 6-6248.

The Jaycees regret the overlapping of the swimming lesson program with the Vacation Bible School, but have no control over the dates selected by the Red Cross.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETS

The regular monthly dinner meeting of the Taneytown Chamber of Commerce was held at Taney Inn on Monday, June 17, at 6:30 P. M. After a brief business meeting, President Dunham turned the meeting over to Mr. Ned Musser, Program Chairman. Mr. Musser introduced Dr. Frank Wargny, who is principal of the Taneytown Elementary School. Dr. Wargny's topic was "What Communities Should Expect From Their Schools."

He stated that years ago education was defined as the association of a child with a worthwhile adult. He observed, in his opinion, that this formula is about as good today as when it was first stated.

Continuing on the What Is Education question, he noted among other things that it is designed to produce moral and intellectual growth; equality of opportunity for all children; to promote self-realization and to create a sense of belonging. Dr. Wargny then stated he would like to tell a story, which, although it does not relate directly to education, he feels could well point the moral of one of the basic aims of education. This story, he feels, hints at something. The story follows:

A clerk, by the name of Mr. Neill, was employed for a number of years in a firm in lower Manhattan. He commuted by subway from his home in the Bronx daily. Mr. Neill estimated that he spent 5 1/2 working days each year commuting to and from work. The subway was noisy, so it was not possible to talk with his fellow passengers; therefore he read. After a time, he tired of reading and began to look into the faces of his fellow passengers, and he studied them. They soon became an obsession with him to the point where he became rather an adept student of physiognomy. He learned to tell what province an immigrant came from. He could distinguish a scholar, a sportsman, a miner, a clergyman, an artist, a brute, a housewife, a storekeeper, a gambler, and so forth. He finally came to one conclusion, and that was that he never saw a really good face. All of them seemed ugly. He began to be sorry he started the hobby.

One afternoon in late November, on a half holiday, as he sat in Columbus Park watching the derelicts, cold and shivering, he decided to do a good deed. He removed his overcoat and placed it around one of the derelicts and boarded the subway to go home. Half way home as he looked out of the window of the subway car, he saw for the first time in his life, what appeared to be an honestly good face. He realized he had to get out to talk to this man. He left the subway and followed the man into a brown stone house. He knocked on the apartment door which the man had entered. An old lady answered the door. Mr. Neill told her he wanted to talk to the fine looking man that just entered. The old lady assured him that no one had just entered, and that she and her husband were the only ones in the apartment. He repeated his request and then realized that he was frightening the old lady, so he left.

Seeing this good face brought about a change in Mr. Neill's life. He bought crutches for a cripple in his neighborhood; he changed from the office gown to the life of the office. A short time later he saw the good face again from the subway window. This time the man with the good face entered another apartment occupied by a woman with two small children. The woman assured him that no man had entered there. Up to this time, Mr. Neill had kept his secret, but one day he confided in the chief clerk of his firm. He told him he was entering the apartment two days after this, the office boy came running into the office crying out that Mr. Neill had been hit by an auto when crossing the street and was dying. Mr. Neill had said as he lay on the street that he had seen a man with a good face and was running across the street to him and was hit by a car. Mr. Neill was removed to the hospital where he died shortly afterward. Just before his death, one of the doctors entered the room and leaned over his body. He turned to the nurse and said, "Nurse, who was the man with the good face who was bending over this man as I entered?" The nurse told him twice, "There was no one in this room, doctor, but this man and myself."

This story was written by Dr. Frank Luther Mott, who was Dean of the School of Journalism at the University of Missouri. Dr. Wargny reiterated that this story does not confine itself to schools, but he hopes it will hint at something. Your reporter believes that this story is worth reading over again and thinking about.

Following Dr. Wargny's presentation, Mr. Ned Musser, Principal of Taneytown High School, spoke on "What is the Communities Responsibility to the Schools?"

Mr. Musser prefaced his remarks by relating a satirical story which was written by Dr. George Orwell. The story had to do with a farm on which the animals revolted, evicted the farmer and his family and set up their own community government. The pigs, being the smartest, took over; the cows being docile, were relegated to unimportant rolls; the geese were assigned to sentry duty, and so forth. One quarrelsome pig, due to his nature, was given no position. Subsequently, the police dog had 12 puppies. The quarrelsome pig was assigned to give them their education. As the government began to evolve, strife and difficulty reared its ugly head. A big meeting was called in the barnyard, but a leader

FIREMEN'S CARNIVAL LAST WEEK

Taneytown was crowded last Friday evening for the big Firemen's parade. It was held between two heavy showers of rain.

Award was made of a jacket to Jack Smith, Charles Feeser, Robert Boone, Raymond Baker, Emma Reifsnider and Herman Keefe were awarded baseball tickets for selling tickets. Roland Hiner, Rt. 7, Westminster, was awarded the new car.

The Taneytown Volunteer Fire Co. wishes to thank everyone who helped make the carnival a success. Their appreciation is extended, especially to the Ladies Auxiliary, the chairman and helpers of each committee and to everyone who lent a hand during the week.

FREE SCOUT MOVIE ON JUNE 20

"This Is Girl Scouting," a colored moving picture, will be presented on Thursday night, June 20, by the Taneytown Girl Scouts at the Taneytown Elementary School at 7:30 P. M. Everyone is invited to attend. Girls who are Scouts, or would like to be Scouts, together with their parents, are urged to attend.

This movie shows four Scout troops from four different sections of our country — a Brownie troop in New England showing friendship between children who can see and children who cannot; a Junior troop in the South where a Greek puppeteer shares his talents and heritage while the girls work on a dramatics badge; Cadette Girl Scouts go on a camping trip in a national park in the West and are tested by a well-planned challenge which involves emergency preparedness; a Senior troop in the Middle West learn to share their troop experience with migrant children. All these troops have been experimenting with the new Girl Scout program.

Mrs. John Chatlos, the Troop Service Director, will explain to the audience the changes in the Girl Scout program so that girls and parents will understand some of the things that are ahead for the girls who are in the troops of our community. These changes become effective September 1.

Since all the handbooks for the girls are new and will not be for sale until September 9, an opportunity will be given for any girls to place an advance order for her book. This will insure her of having her own book at the beginning of the year. The book will be \$1.00 plus 3¢ tax; money to accompany order.

could not be decided upon. Shortly, who appeared on the scene but the quarrelsome pig with the now fully grown, 12 well trained, snarling police dogs. The pig immediately declared himself the dictator of the farm and had his police dogs to enforce it. The moral of the story is that if we close our eyes to education or any phase of our way of life, something like this could happen to us. Therefore, we must appreciate and give direction to the American education effort.

Our education system in this country, Mr. Musser said, is new, having been developed since the Civil War. The evolution has come slowly. Secondary and Elementary schools have developed in this period. It was not until 1874 that the state of Illinois allocated tax money for the maintenance and operation of schools. The other states followed suit.

What is the purpose of education? Is it for the college-bound or is it general education for all, allowing each child to manifest his utmost potential. There is some conflict on this point and this conflict is producing comprehensive schools, Mr. Musser stated.

Mr. Musser challenged his audience to show him one substitute for our public schools. If there is none, he said, we have to appreciate our schools, pay for them and give them intelligent direction.

He noted that teacher certification facilities are taxed to find qualified teachers to teach our boys and girls. Of all the 50 states, only Kansas, Nevada and Arizona have all certified teachers. Maryland in the elementary system has 33.5 per cent non-certified teachers and in the secondary system 17.6 per cent non-certified teachers.

Maryland ranks 11th in the nation in average teacher's salaries and we might think that this would guarantee good teachers, but this is obviously a fallacy. Maryland has neglected the training of teachers. This is evidenced by the fact that this year 8,000 teachers will be required; 1,700 of these will have to be "imported" from other states.

Mr. Musser challenged the community to provide our schools with an identity. A school, he said, definitely has a personality if it is associated with people and their community. Present trends would tend to reduce the identity of a school and this is probably not good. Mr. Musser noted that Taneytown loses only two teachers this year and this is the lowest turnover in many, many years. This he feels is a good sign. He noted that our consolidation problem here in Taneytown has given Taneytown High a definite identity. He suggested that we also give our teachers an identity by inviting them to social gatherings and inviting them into our homes for dinner. Get to know the teachers through your own eyes, he said, and not just through the eyes of children. Give them a decent income proportionate to the job they do. He concluded his remarks with this challenge — Support your public schools in all ways.

Chamber members are reminded that the next regular meeting will be a dinner meeting at Taney Inn on Monday, July 15.

"SPICE 'N' EVERYTHING NICE"

With all my heart, I wish you every morning a smile that shall last until the next day's dawning. I wish you health—life's greatest wealth; I wish you always near so that I may help to cheer. Each future day and in some way—help to bring you happiness!

The R A I N S! Exactly as the Farmer's Almanac stated for June and here it is "Sorry, it's lowery. Spiders making webs wider for innocent riders. Showers meant brides parents should rent tents. You'll sizzle in this drizzle. No matter, cut the chatter, crops are getting fatter!" Cute and True!

Did you know (which many people are not aware) that in the Movies when you drink alcohol is being used here it is — Ginger Ale is the Champagne, Grape Juice for the wine and tea for the Whiskey.

Watching that man who inserts the packages of all brands of cigarettes as I was passing in those huge machines, I asked him which cigarette is now tops of the Market and this is what he said, "KENT IS SURELY RISING FAST AND GETTING UP TO MARLBORO AND PALL MALL!" He said it was due to the Micronite Filter for which they have the patent!

Don't forget these hot days, Folks, to be sure to give your Pet fresh water so often. Remember when I had Nellie, that precious cow? She used to permit me to milk her either side and I think it was the affection I gave her as she was the sweetest disposition I have ever seen in any cow. Perhaps it was the wonderful food, "PURINA" that I gave her, as the farmers for miles around used to come and look at the additional lbs. on Nellie of which I used to write in my Column. No one should ever own stock if they cannot feed them properly. Eh?

Have you noticed the improvement of the Ted Mack Shows which now are at 5:00 P. M. on Sundays? Then, those Ladies desiring to dance with Lawrence Welk? He is one of the finest men and good on any TV Show. Everyone has the greatest esteem for that Leader of The Champagne Music!

Be sure and rest as much as you can, Mrs. Housewife these hot days. I know of a very busy lady who now and then stops for a ten minute rest period when she has much to do around the house and I think that is a clever idea. What say you and you?

Many write asking me as to purchasing a used car and do I think it is O. K.? Well, here it is, folks, right from experience. One should not buy any used car unless the Dealer states the history of the car and a newly painted used car is always suspicious as it may have been in an accident. It may need new shoe brakes and that is an expensive item. It may leak oil and that is a frightfully expensive affair constantly laying out money for oil. Taxes may look good from a certain point of view but I have known where they were turned to the innards and the innertubes showed bubbles from openings. Go to a man that you can really trust — one you know right in your community and even ask him if you could take it to another mechanic to be checked. I have had so many bitter experiences. Folks that many times, I have felt like writing an article for The Reader's Digest and entitle it, "I BOUGHT A USED CAR." People would be shocked to read of the experiences. Very few people are going to trade a car in for a new one unless something is wrong with it and that from a used car Dealer's sales man! Was he not honest? But I know that man whom I met just too late for then I would not have had my awful experiences.

Now, here is to that July born person — those from June 20 to July 20. This is called the "Crab Sign" or Cancer. That does not necessarily mean you will have Cancer. This Sign is governed by Luna, the Moon which rules over the breast and reflective faculties. The men are usually the most wonderful mechanics that there are. They are very tactful and diplomatic and have great fondness for the game of chance, in other words speculation. The Cancer women are truly the most feminine of any of the 12 signs. They are most attractive and are very talented for many things. They adore children and are always the sweetest of Mothers. The men and women are so different in this sign for the men are very quiet and the women are great talkers. They surely do love life and yet enjoy a beautiful home to which they desire to have their friends visit. Cancer people are inclined to look over the past and being very slow to adopt new methods retard their progress. These people should always have the advanced education. They must be careful as to contradicting anyone. The men at times are very fickle and they must overcome this. It is best for them, therefore to marry a little later in life for enduring marriages.

Have a grand week-end, Folks. Be kind and thoughtful and always remember if you cannot say something good about any individual, keep your lip tightly closed for it is best not to say anything at all.

Until next week, D.V.,
I am,
Faithfully,
Your Observer.

When you pay your fine in the traffic department at the Decatur, Ga., police station, you receive a cash register slip as a receipt. On the back of the slip is printed: "Thank you for your patronage."

The reward for a good deed is to have done it.