

Lawyer: "What's so different about your will?"
 Henpecked husband: "I'm leaving everything to my wife providing she marries again within the year. I want somebody to be sorry I died."
 A proper question is, if you don't like life, why not shoot yourself? Otherwise, smile!
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The inventor of spectacles is one of the unknown heroes of science and an anonymous benefactor of mankind. Until spectacles were introduced more than 650 years ago, millions of nearsighted people didn't think the world they lived in was such an impressive place. They lived out their lives unable to see mountains, clouds or stars.
 B a d , especially discreditable news, travels faster than radio waves.

Springbrook Civic News

Mildred Hug GR. 4-1926

Mrs. Donald Briggs of Westmoreland recently accompanied Mrs. George Nabholz to the Jamestown Festival in Virginia. The festival commemorated the 350th anniversary of the landing of settlers in 1607. Pearl and Hope also visited Williamsburg and Yorktown.

Susan Grand, daughter of Paul and Virginia Grand of Springbrook, celebrated her sixth birthday recently with a party for her little friends. Johnny Reed, Vicky Carlson, Wendy and Johnny Chambers, Dennis Hug and David and Gary Ostrowski of Detroit were those present.

Joe and Peggy Mogle and sons Steve and Davey recently spent a week-end with Joe's sister in Plymouth, Indiana.

The Lester Kirksey's of Lakeland and their two children have returned home from an enjoyable vacation at Burt Lake.

Anyone passing Ron and Jo Cervin's house on a recent Saturday night must have done a double-take upon viewing a fireplace mantel banked with evergreens and glittery Christmas balls.
 The same group that always get together on New Year's eve to celebrate decided to have an early party in honor of Bob and Helen Hug, complete with Christmas tree et al. The Ed Smiths, Ray Hoekings, Ward Pimbers, Bern Lorenz, Vin Kirchner and Richard Hugs were the others present.

David and Anita Currier, children of the Donald Curriers of Crystal Spring Court, each enjoyed a week at the Christian Life camp at Burt Lake in the Waterloo Recreation Area near Chelsea.

The Leslie Guthries of Westmoreland entertained at two barbecues recently. The first was for friends from their old neighborhood in Detroit and the second was a potluck barbecue for old friends. Mr. and Mrs. Simon, Mr. and Mrs. Deason, and Mr. and Mrs. Nighingale and their families.

The St. Joseph Circle meeting

Looking Ahead

By DR. GEORGE S. BENSON

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 ter all, Sweden is our home. We have ties there. I don't think we could leave. Maybe a miracle will happen. Maybe the people will wake up." As we neared Oslo, she gave me her name and an invitation to visit their home. Upon reaching Stockholm, after a week in Norway, I learned that her family indeed does have ties in Sweden. For generations it has been one of the biggest names in Swedish commerce. Yet her small brood, in 1957, lives on a standard no higher than our American upper middle-income group.

As this dispatch is written I have just come from the home of a family considerably lower on the economic ladder. Prior to this visit, I had spent a half-day on a grain, potato and hay farm 20 miles north of Stockholm, talking to farmer Nils Andersson, having tea in his home, walking over the farm and watching the farm youngsters at play.

Studying Sweden
 And on the day I arrived in Stockholm I interviewed Per Oeterberg, international secretary of the powerful Confederation of Swedish Trade Unions (with 1,405,000 members) and one of the top Socialist Party leaders in Sweden; and, later, Carl Steffan Giesecke, director of the National Confederation of Swedish Employers (15,500 employer members). In addition, I have talked with leaders of KF, a big nationwide Cooperative combine, have visited its stores and factories; and I have a date coming up with one of Sweden's top private enterprise industrialists at his huge Stockholm plant.

Perhaps of still greater importance in getting the story of Sweden, I have watched thousands of Swedes working and playing — in residential neighborhoods, in the industrial areas, out in the small communities. There are other contacts and observations to make, but in the dispatch next week I will report on something in Sweden that will give every American, young and old, a crystal clear picture of the living standard in the Swedish Welfare State — an anti- and, I think, dramatic picture that mere statistics could not possibly convey.

—G.G.

Senator Goldwater believes that high tax rates are actually a major source of inflation, because they are "a limiting factor on personal and business savings, and thus result in excessive pressure on the banking system for capital which should have come from current income."

"When anything goes wrong around our house," struttled the proud husband, "I just get busy and fix it."

"Well, dear," said his wife, doing a little fixing of the clock, the cuckoo backs out and asks what time it is."

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 —Charles Buxton

Marjorie Dunham Now Stationed in Florida

Marjorie Catherine Dunham, personnelman seaman apprentice, USN, and the daughter of Mrs. Anna Mae Arnold, 3455 Rhinwood Street, Farmington, reported to the Naval Air Station at Jacksonville, Florida, August 19, where she was assigned duties in the administrative Personnel Division.

Miss Dunham entered the Navy in February 1957 at Detroit, and received recruit training at Bainbridge, Maryland.
 A graduate of Lowrey High School, she was employed by All State Insurance as a file clerk prior to entering the service.

It takes an average of \$1.01 per day to feed each man at the world's largest Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois.

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The John Breen family of Lakeland had a cottage at Union Lake for a month this summer. Sons John and Tim especially, enjoyed the swimming and fishing.

Paul and Virginia Grands home on Springbrook was the scene of a family reunion last Sunday. The Grands included Virginia's twenty nine year old grandmother Mrs. Grace Sanders were mostly from Detroit and Indiana.

John and Dorothy Ralston of Springbrook and their children, Jimmy and Tommy, have returned home after an enjoyable vacation spent touring the New England States. Niagara Falls, the Green Mountains in New Hampshire, scenic Maine, and historic Boston were a few of the many places visited. The Ralstons also visited friends in New York City before returning home.

The Harold Kelsos of Springbrook had Harold's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Branecki of Grand Rapids, as week-end guests recently.

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