

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 1954

**To A Whisker**  
 They operate something like the whiskers of cats walking in the dark.  
 When the feelers touch an obstruction, they transmit the distance to dials inside the car, where crewmen record them.  
 Zoologists estimate there are around 900,000 species of animals of which 675,000 are insects.



A FIRE IN THIS ROOM early Tuesday morning resulted in the death of Henry Paul Webb, 31, at the residence, 404 Richland St., Hazelwood. The blaze was believed ignited by a cigarette. (Mountaineer Photo).

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## The Cow Paster Sirkit

By UNKLE ABE

**—Went Into Graveyard**  
 I remember when I went on the Cow Paster Sirkit I had ezackly 6 diseases—all I listed herebefor plus Eckzemy. Also I remember what the Steward over at the Valley Church, Uncle Tom Hawkins, reported to his church a'ter that he had come to meet me.

"Well, folks," he told 'em, I don't no what kind o' preacher we've got, howsomever, I kin tell ye one thing, the conference shore went into the graveyard, almost, to git him."

My menyou (under Dr. Abel) was as follers: 1 soft biled aig, 1 glass o' biled sweet milk, 1 peece o' toast—that was for breckfas. For dinner, the same—an' for summer also that was "no change in the South ward." That was my menyou for a month or two. Then I made the mistake o' eatin' haff a peeche—when I had a vilent onset. The folks whir I was stayin' that nite thawt I was goin' to die. "I'm a-goin' a'ter the docter," sed the man of the house.

"No, hold it," sez I; "my docter sez I'm not hardly as sick as I 'pear to be endurin' these spells. Jist give me this here stimlyant, boys, punch up the far—an' keep the water a'bilin', (yes, hit was jist like a hawg-killin' time). Then I sed to the gals:

Walk me over the floar one more time—an' massarg me up an' down." (Gals make the best massargers, ye no.)

**Wanted Graveyard Sermons**  
 Trubble was, at some places they wanted me to preach graveyard sermons, an' I don't z'leeve much in them. I all'as perferred makin' fokes laff—never did like to see fokes cry, 'specially grown-ups. While I don't b'leeve in takin' the Gospel too all-fard lite an' makin' a joke of it, I sertainly don't b'leeve in makin' a funeral ackzeyun of it all the time—an' I told 'em so. In this way I got by with jist as few graveyard (cryin' an' shoutin') servises as possibul.

Well, in a year or so I had made 'nough at preechin' an' tradin' to buy me a k-yar. But hit was shore hard to keep up a k-yar on the Cow Paster Sirkit. Thar wuz-nt enny ragulashuns or restrickshuns, skeerely, in them days on k-yars—jist so a feller could maninge to oan some kind o' trap, buy the gas an' keep it on the road 'thout gittin' killed.

**Used The Fam'ly To Brake**  
 I'de have the fam'ly git out whenever I'd git stalled in a muddy place; then a'ter chuggin' throo, I'd lode up aig-in an' go helter-skelter onct more. Purty soon I had no brakes; so when the downhill was too steep I'de have wife an' childern (all above 2 years old) to hold back while I hell the k-yar in low. That shows how steep some o' the roads air on Cow Paster.

**Crackt 3 1/2 Ribs**  
 But onct the Sirkit Rider neerly got kilt on a steep grade, I thawt secon' gear an' the foot-brake (what thar was) would hold. But

## 300 Collegians To Open Training Course At Lake

More than 300 Methodist college students and adult counselors from 12 Southern states will open an eight-day leadership training conference here Tuesday (June 8).

The student conference will be the first South-wide meeting of the season at the Lake Junaluska Assembly, which is marking its 41st year as the Methodist Church's summer program headquarters in the Southeast.

The Rev. Sam L. Laird, director of religious life at Emory University, Atlanta, Ga., will direct the student meeting, representing the Methodist Board of Education Headquarters in Nashville, Tenn.

The Rev. R. Harold Hipps, Greensboro, N. C., will serve as dean and an eminent French theologian, Dr. Emile Cailliet of Princeton University, will be the daily platform speaker.

Dr. Cailliet will relate his address to the conference theme, "The Campus Predicament and the Christian Corrective."

Workshops in worship, the Bible, recreation, music, public relations, campus evangelism, missions, social action and Christian education will be led by Wesley Foundation directors on college campuses and staff members of national Methodist boards.

The Lake Junaluska conference is one of six regional training programs for students being sponsored this year by the church education board and the Methodist Student Movement.

Two others this month will be at Epworth Forest, Ind., June 12-19, and Camp Casowasco, N. Y., June 9-16. Three to open August 28 will be at Mt. Sequoyah, Ark., Lake Poinsett, S. D., and Lake Tahoe, Calif.

**No Fish In Jail**  
 DANVILLE, Va. (AP)—Sgt. A. W. Wiggs of Danville police called on a friend and to open the conversation in a jocular mood asked him if there was anybody there he wanted sent to jail.

"I don't believe so," the friend replied.

"Go on . . . Go ahead," shouted his wife from an inner room.

The puzzled pair found that the wife thought her husband was being invited to go fishing.

**Took The Swell-Head**  
 Unkle Abe wuz generally bein' called "preecher" by now—an' wuz feelin' sorter big. In fact when I'de got over two or three of my diseezes an' wuz eatin' 'bout 1/2 what a preacher is s'posed to eat, and I'de got well stretched out on the Cow Paster in the spring of 1925, I felt 'bout as big as a 'Presidin' Elder. I felt fully as big if my ol' Shivvy wuz a-workin' well and my gas tank wuz 1-3 full an'—most important, if I got two or three compliments on my "wonderful sermon."

Now, 5 or 6 compliments is the limit with most preechers. Caze if thar's more than that the head generally begins to swell—an' mout bust, yes sir-ee! So, that bein' the case it mout be best for a preecher to have one or two in his congregashuns chompin' their teeth at him—sorter acks as a re-doocer, see?

(To be concluded next week)

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**Beyond Belief**  
 DETROIT (AP)—The first time the man came into court charged with stealing canned goods from a hospital where he worked, he explained:  
 "I found out someone else had stolen the stuff and I was just returning it."  
 Recorder's Judge Joseph Gillis cocked a quizzical eye, but found him innocent.  
 Two weeks later the man was back before the judge, with this explanation of 14 one-pound bags of coffee found by a hospital guard who noticed a suspicious bulge under the defendant's coat:  
 "I knew someone else was planning to steal this coffee, so I just decided to take it first."  
 The man got 90 days in jail.  
 H. G. Wells wrote more than a dozen books after he was 70 years old.

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Avoid excessive thread tension when you are sewing washable clothes. Too tight seams will pucker when wet. Experts advise using 11 to 14 stitches per inch, depending upon the fabric. If seams are not too tightly stitched they will remain flat even after a number of launders, jings.