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GOOD EVENING
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Rash Of Injuries To Visitors Here

Four tourists were treated at the Warner Hospital Thursday. Susan Duffield, aged 3, Bridgeton, N.J., fell off a sliding board at the Drummer Boy campground and was treated at the hospital for an injury to the back of her head.

Joe Forster, 9, Morris Plains, N.J., was treated for head injuries suffered when he bumped his head on a corner of a cabinet in a trailer.

Freda Serrante, 31, Staten Island, N.Y., was treated for an ankle injury after she reportedly fell over a drain pipe at Holiday Inn.

Jennie Aubert, 57, Niagara Falls, N.Y., was treated for an injury to her right ankle after a fall on the battlefield and was admitted as a patient at the hospital.

Outline Plan For Michaux Forest Lands

Bureau of Forests officials Thursday night unveiled a comprehensive resource utilization plan for the 82,261-acre Michaux Forest which, if successful, will be extended to 13 similar state-owned forest districts in the commonwealth.

Samuel S. Cobb, director of the Bureau of Forests, said at the meeting on the Mont Alto campus of Pennsylvania State University that "the management of this strategically-located state forest land will have an increasingly significant impact on the economic, recreational and aesthetic aspects of the counties of Adams, Cumberland, Franklin and York."

Speaking to nearly 40 community and civic leaders, conservation experts, interested citizens and members of the press, the five-man panel outlined the plan for the future of the forestland as determined in a two-year study of professional management techniques and exhaustive research.

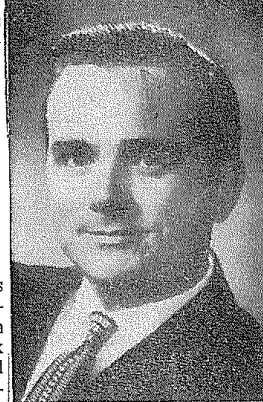
FIVE ON PANEL
On the panel in addition to Cobb were Kenneth D. Swartz, district forester; Richard Thorpe, assistant chief in the division of state forest management; Nicholas Lylo, assistant district forest, and James C. Nelson, forest resource planner for the division of forest advisory service.

Nelson said the plans had to take into consideration conflicts in desires between different groups of citizens. He also noted present watershed reservoir use of the forests by Chambersburg, with two large dams in Adams County, and Waynesboro with one dam in Adams County. In addition, he said, there are other

Two Psychics Speakers On 'Spiritual Awareness'

Negative emotions can be turned to positive use, a Canadian writer, lecturer and former president of the Toronto Society for Psychological Research, told a near-capacity crowd last night at the final lecture on "Spiritual Awareness" in Christ Chapel, Gettysburg College campus.

Dr. Allen Spraggett, noted authority on the psychic, based his



DR. SPRAGGETT

remarks on research into concentrated thought in the cell growth of plants.

Also appearing in the final public program of Spiritual Frontiers Fellowship, Inc., was Ronald Hearn, a British psychic making his first U. S. appearance at the five-day eastern retreat of the organization of religious leaders who are part of a general revolt against 19th century materialism.

RETURNING IN 1972
College Chaplain John W. Vandersdall told the assembly: "never have so many trustees, faculty and students of Gettysburg College participated" in a visiting conference.

"Large numbers of the present student generation are entering in a major pilgrimage for meaning . . . in a world which is drowning in its own sham," the chaplain said.

The local conference is the first to be held by the Evanston, Ill.-based organization, which voted Thursday to return to Gettysburg College for the 1972 conference next July.

"Hatred and hostility can be turned to positive ends," Dr. Spraggett declared.

SEEDS RESPONDED
He said that experiments on barley seeds by students in

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Car Demolished; Driver Is Unhurt

Hartzell Services Set For Saturday

Funeral services for Miss Mildred H. Hartzell, 67, 46 E. Lincoln Ave., registrar of Gettysburg College for the last 14 years, who died suddenly Thursday morning at the Warner Hospital, will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the Monahan Funeral Home on Carlisle St.

The service will be conducted by her pastor, the Rev. E. Edward Keyser of St. James Lutheran Church, and the Rev. Dr. Harold A. Dunkelberger of the college faculty. There will not be a viewing.

Interment will be made in the Evergreen Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Adams County Public Library.

New Oxford's Fire Queen Is Ruth J. Senft

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Miss Ruth Jane Senft, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roderic Senft, 115 Pleasant St., New Oxford, was selected the 1971 New Oxford fire company queen during the company's annual carnival Thursday evening.

The outgoing queen, Deborah Breighner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lavere Breighner, New Oxford, presented Miss Senft with a trophy and a \$75 U. S. Savings bond. A senior at New Oxford High School, Miss Senft, will represent the company in the Adams County Volunteer Contest to be held in New Oxford, Friday, August 6.

Other winners were: Debbie Maria Ann Noel, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Noel, New Oxford R. 1, who received a trophy and a \$50 U. S. Savings bond as first runner-up, and Sonya Kay Duncan, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duncan, Berlin Road, New Oxford, second runner-up trophy and \$25 U. S. Savings bond.

Other contestants were Patsy Jean Roche, 16, daughter of Hamiltonban Twp. Police chief and Mrs. Charles Roche, New Oxford R. 1, and Bev Ann Noel, 19 daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Noel, New Oxford R. 1.

Harry Moul Jr., president of the Abbottstown Fire Company, presided as master of ceremonies. He introduced Miss Charla Bender, Gettysburg, reigning as the Adams County Volunteer Firemen's Association queen.

Judging the contest were: Gerald Nace, Hanover, Bethlehem

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\$241,865 Worth Of Liquor Sold
Adams County's two liquor stores sold nearly a quarter mil-

Morton Letter To Shapp In June Vowed Tower Fight

A letter from Secretary of Interior Rogers C. B. Morton to Gov. Milton J. Shapp indicates that as recently as June 14 the Department of Interior and the National Park Service was strongly opposed to the erection of a large observation tower overlooking the battlefield.

The letter, released by the governor's office, and Gov. Shapp's reply, are printed here: June 14, 1971
"Dear Milt:

"It is with deep concern that I bring to your attention the present threat to Gettysburg National Military Park.

"You are doubtless aware that the proposal to construct a 320-foot observation tower in the heart of the Gettysburg battlefield has created national interest, with almost unanimous opposition to the project being voiced in newspapers and magazines throughout the country.

"In a recent memorandum to me, the Director of the National Park Service summarized the disastrous impact this tower would have upon Gettysburg:

"The tower is only a quarter of a mile from the entrance to the National Cemetery, and will look down upon the place where Lincoln spoke. It is only 1,200 feet from the High Watermark of the Confederacy, the place where Lee's final thrust at Gettysburg was thrown back—an event accepted by historians as the turning point of the Civil War. In terms of scale, one might compare the 320 foot height of the tower with the Statue of Liberty, which is 152 feet high, and the Capitol Building of Washington—including the statue—which is 290 feet. There are probably no buildings in Gettysburg more than six stories tall.

"One of the advertised attractions of the tower is that from it a person can see any part of the Gettysburg battlefield. The reverse, unfortunately, will also be true. From every point in the historic area the tower will dominate the scene. The observation portion of the supermonumental structure is faced with tinted glass and blue enamel according to Time magazine, 'on the doubtful theory that it will thus blend with the sky.' Its proposed construction has resulted in nationwide publicity, expressing strong opposition, and calling for action against this 'environmental insult,' as it has been termed.

"The most devastating effect of the tower, however, will be upon the integrity and character of the historic site, which in-