



Village Variety

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It's this weekend...

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Grand Opening

BOB WALKER'S

Village Variety

 Stewart
& King
Next to
Piggly Wiggly

You are cordially invited to attend the gala grand opening of Village Variety this weekend to get acquainted with this modern, new store and its friendly staff.

Village Variety is more than just a variety store... it's a junior department store with many different departments offering you a wide

selection of top quality infants' and children's apparel, notions, stationery and school supplies, toys, hardware and paints, housewares and others.

You'll enjoy shopping in this air-cooled store with the latest fixtures and displays specially designed for either leisurely browsing or a hurried shopping trip... and you'll find ample parking space right at the door.



Village Variety is
air-cooled for your
shopping comfort...
open 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Daily and Sunday

Free!

Free Candy

For all children accompanied by
parents Friday and Saturday

Vanda Orchids

1500 Hawaiian orchid corsages
will be given away this Friday
and Saturday.

Free Balloons

For all children accompanied by
parents Friday and Saturday.

Bob Walker invites you
to visit Medford's
newest store...

You'll like Village
Variety's old-fashioned
friendliness and service.
Everyone on the staff is a
specialist at pleasing you!



Harold Harrison
Assistant Manager



BOB WALKER
Owner-Manager

Speckled Coffee Mugs

A Village Variety super special... heat-proof ceramic coffee mugs in lovely decorator colors.

Regular 29c each

4 FOR 79c

(Limit 4, please)

Children's Canvas

Play Shoes

Navy blue or bright red washable canvas play shoes with non-skid soles. Sizes 5 to 12.

Regular
\$1.49
Pair

85c

A Village Variety Special Stationery

High quality boxed stationery in pink, white or blue.

Regular 89c
Box

49c

Men's and Boys' Straw Hats

Wide-brimmed work straws that are cool and comfortable.

69c Value
Each

19c

A Village Variety Special Sponge Pack

Jumbo bargain pack of 10 packages in assorted colors.

Regular 98c

39c

Special Group of Ceramics

A wide assortment of
ceramics novelties.

Values to
\$1.98
Each

99c

Grand Opening Special Toys and Games

Jacks, dolls, funny faces
and many others.

Values to
69c
Each

10c

Cutlery Trays

Unbreakable polyethylene trays with five spacious compartments... regular 98c.

Each **65c**

Hurricane Lamps

Copper hurricane lamps for attaching to walls... regular \$1.29 value.

Each **69c**

Plastic Flowers

Assorted plastic flowers for adding a touch of color to your home... values to 49c each.

4 FOR **99c**

Bark Pictures

Colorful outdoor scenes with a rustic touch... regular \$1.29.

Each **87c**

Household Brooms

4-sew household brooms... sturdy stitching holds the straws in place... regular \$1.69.

Each **95c**

Outside Paint

General purpose white paint for fences, barns, and other uses... \$3.49 value.

Gallon **\$1.99**

Pittsburgh Paint

Ranch and home outside white house paint for superior finishes... regular \$6.79.

Gallon **\$4.98**

Ironing Board Pad and Cover

Scorch-resistant silicone cover and pad, fits standard boards.
\$1.98 Value

Set **88c**

Ladies' Skimmer Casual Shoes

Girls' and ladies' sizes in tan or navy blue... fully washable.

\$1.79 Value
Pair **99c**

Short Sleeve Sport Shirts

Drip-dry, wash 'n wear shirts in men's sizes S, M and L.

Regular **\$1.39**
\$1.98

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Stewart and King... Next to Piggly Wiggly... Plenty of Parking

Family Council

*Editor's note: The Family Council consists of a Judge, psychiatrist, three clergymen, three editors, and a women's editor. Each article is a summary of an actual case history. The Council reports on problems that have been dealt with by responsible agencies and counselors.

Harriet E. - Why should he choose a divorcee with children?

Dan J. - Is it really a nutty idea?

Harriet E. - I am a married woman, trying to help my bachelor brother who makes his home with me.

Dan is nearly 40. He is good looking and has a fine job. He has dated so many girls but never seems to find his ideal. I have always told him he is too choosy, but he says he can't help it.

Naturally, I would like to encourage his interest in almost any woman. But I find myself unable to approve his recent choice. Flora is a divorcee with three children. He says he cares more for her than anyone he has ever met. What I can't understand is why he should choose such a woman when there are so many younger, more attractive single girls around.

Dan J. - I'll agree that it's kind of odd for a bachelor to care for a woman with three kids, but that's the way it goes. I can't explain it.

Harriet really wants me to marry one of her single friends, but I never could care for that girl. She's pretty, I'll agree, but she doesn't appeal to me.

Harriet seems scared now that I'm really thinking of taking the plunge. But there's nothing to worry about. I'm still playing the field and I haven't asked Flora to marry me. I figure with three kids on her hands, she isn't going to disappear very fast. In the meantime I can take lots of time to think about it. Is it really a nutty idea?

The Council: We see nothing wrong or "nutty" about a bachelor falling for a woman with children. Certainly many happy marriages of this sort have been made.

But we do find Dan's attitude peculiar and not at all promising for the woman involved.

A man who finds himself attracted to a woman with children usually makes a fairly quick decision. If he feels he doesn't want to start married life with a ready-made family, he ducks away fast.

If the attraction is very strong he makes up his mind that he must be ready to offer himself as a father as well as a husband. Although the children's father is still living, any sensible man recognizes that he cannot be married to the mother of young children without taking some responsibilities as a father.

Dan shows none of the concern of a man in love. He seems quite gleeful that Flora's situation isn't a particularly happy one, that she may be anxiously awaiting his decision. At the same time he is upsetting his sister and possibly the single girl Harriet would like him to marry. So he has at least three women in quite a tizzy.

We get the impression that Dan is serious about nothing but his need to hurt or frustrate women. Possibly this makes him feel like a big shot because his real valuation of himself is mighty low. If it were not, he would inevitably find a woman he could care for.

What it comes to is that Dan is teasing. Teasing is cruelty disguised as fun. Any woman, including his sister, who takes him seriously, lets herself in for pain.

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Tips Offered on Enjoying Car Trips

Boston - The Automobile Legal association offers these tips for sensible planning of your vacation trip:

Don't aim too high for daily mileage; always reserve a few days at vacation's end for rest and relaxation; use 40 m.p.h., not 50, as average speed in planning advance reservations for overnight stops.

If you expect to use ferries, obtain the latest schedules and time your dock arrival accordingly; allow for toll costs, which may be higher than you think; get a complete set of current maps; start early and stop early each day; and have a complete car checkup before starting out.