

Weekend Weather Forecast

Fair and colder today. Warmer with rain or snow over the weekend. Temperatures should average about four degrees below normal.

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Most Anything At A Glance

BY ABIGAIL

One of the nicest Christmas activities I think should be stressed here is carol singing. There has been one group faithful to the cause but this does not adequately express community interest in the project. It seems that out of 4500 citizens more than 15 or 20 singers could be organized for this occasion once or twice a year. Singing adds so much more to the solemnity of Christmas, I think. Several years ago a generous-sized group revived the carolling tradition, but since that time the number has diminished to a relatively small band. There'll be singing again this year—by the same little group. It should be easy to form a group of caroleers out of the numerous church choirs we have here. I believe that all that is needed is an organizer. It's not too late yet to add a more solemn touch to the Christmas festivities by organizing a representative group of singers.

Dear hunters hit a bonanza this year as the short season closed last week. Well over 200 of the favorite American big game were slain. This is a county record and I can't help but wonder just how the deer herd survives the vicious attack thrown at it by an ever-increasing numerical army of hunters. Every year the number of nimrods increases and a great many of them are coming from nearby cities. Well over 200 of the deer were slain in Frederick County alone.

The big game hunters were a lot luckier, in a way, than their cousins, the rabbit shooters with the spread guns. Many complained about the dearth of the bunny and some didn't even bag a single cottontail. They are of the opinion that the importation of rabbits from other states will have to be revived if the sport here is to be continued. This practice was discontinued about five years ago and since then the rabbit population seems to be diminishing progressively.

Once again the annual Christmas kiddies' party will be held. Plans are well on the way for the big celebration which annually draws over 500 of the small fry to town for candy, oranges, free lunch and a free movie treat. You folks had better make plans right now to attend the affair or you won't have any peace of mind until after Christmas! You know, these activities deserve your support and the more of you that attend, the better those in charge of the party like it.

Seems funny, but I can't seem to be able to generate any Christmas spirit until the lights go on in town. First to get in the swing were a few private homes which put up decorations early this week. These were followed by the official town decorations featuring lights about every half block over the entire town and about the Square. This usually is the signal that the time is fast approaching for the big day and finally, the judging contest which takes place between Christmas and New Year's. December 28 has been tentatively set as the date of the judging, so you folks who have any intentions of entering in the competition, better stay at home that evening and have your displays lighted, or you won't be in the running because the judges don't bother with dark houses. Interest in the decorating contest, appears to be increasing each year. So much so that in the past several years a good many people from neighboring towns drive here to see some of the more elaborate exhibits. Let's keep up the good work folks... maybe someday we'll be called the best-decorated Christmas town in the nation.

I often wonder what our President thinks when he motors from Washington to his Gettysburg home. Having to travel such an inadequate road is enough to discourage any individual and cause them to remain at home. At any rate it should provide some food for thought when the national roads program goes into effect. This route should be of primary interest to all in this section. The state is slowly improving conditions but it might be another 10 or 20 years at

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Two Colleges To Share In Ford Foundation Gift

Mount St. Mary's College will be the recipient of a gift of \$132,600 as the result of a donation from the Ford Foundation it was disclosed this week. St. Joseph College will also get a share of the millions being given educational institutions under the proposed plan of the Foundation.

The amount St. Joseph College will receive has not yet been revealed. Rt. Rev. Msgr. John L. Sheridan, president of Mt. St. Mary's College, in discussing the contribution stated: "The magnificent gift of the Ford Foundation is a far-sighted and heartening expression of faith and interest in the cause of education. Our faculty is the heart of our institution and we are gratified that now we will be able to tackle the problem of faculty salaries with increased optimism."

"The generosity of the Ford Foundation and the growing awareness of the needs of the college teacher, should quicken morale on every campus in our Nation. There has never been anything like this in the entire history of education."

The gigantic gift, the largest single appropriation in the history of philanthropy, was 105 million dollars more than the Foundation had previously given in its 19 years of existence. The amount earmarked for colleges and hospitals is purported to be half a billion dollars—a sum roughly equal to \$3 for every man, woman and child in the Nation.

Middletown Asks Bids On New Sewer

The Burgess and Commissioners of Middletown are accepting bids until Jan. 6, on the proposed new sewerage system for the town, with three separate contracts up for award.

It was decided at a public meeting held this week at Middletown, to find out how much the system would cost. Engineers have placed an estimate at about \$430,000. A bond issue would be used to finance the improvement and a sewer-water charge would pay off the bond issue.

Frederick Fair Still In 'Black'

Operations of the Frederick County Agricultural Society for the past year showed a net profit of \$1,023.35, Treasurer James McSherry reported at the annual meeting of the life members held in Frederick recently.

The net profit was after payment of \$6,137.77 for permanent improvements and the amortization of \$2,000 of a \$4,000 loan. The treasurer's statement disclosed the 1955 Frederick Fair had a profit of \$1,170.28, while the non-Fair activities of the society resulted in an operating loss of \$4,573.66.

The cash balance of the group as of Dec. 1 was \$4,391.60, subject to the remaining \$2,000 outstanding of the \$4,000 loan.

PTA To Hear Band, Glee Club

The Music Dept. of Emmitsburg High School, directed by Miss Ruth Stull, and the school band, directed by James Fisher, will present a musical program at the regular Parent-Teachers' Assn. meeting on Wednesday evening, Dec. 21 at 8 p. m.

The pageant, "Star Over Bethlehem," will include characters from the Glee Club and the entire student body. Charles Dornburg, Eugene Wood and Mrs. Glenn Polly, are assisting with the dramatics. The public is invited to attend the program.

Hospital Report

Discharged John F. Sullivan, Mt. St. Mary's College. Robert H. Gillelan, Emmitsburg. Mrs. Maurice Sharrh and infant daughter, Fairfield, Route 1. Admitted Mrs. Carl Kepner, Fairfield, Route 1. Mrs. Nellie Zacharias, Emmitsburg. Mrs. Charles Coart, Rocky Ridge, Md. Births Mr. and Mrs. Richard Florence, Emmitsburg, a daughter, last Friday.

ENTERS SENATE RACE AGAIN



GEORGE P. MAHONEY

Maryland's Democratic party nominee for the U. S. Senate in 1952, George P. Mahoney, announced this week he is a candidate for the Senate nomination in 1956.

The former Democratic National Committeeman said he sought the Senate seat because "I am most anxious to serve the people of Maryland and the nation in our search for a safer, more contented world."

Mahoney, who piled up 406,370 votes in the face of the Eisenhower landslide, lost his 1952 try for the Senate to Republican Senator J. Glenn Beall, but received more votes than any Democratic candidate for office in Maryland's history.

Mahoney announced that Michael J. Birmingham, chairman of the Baltimore County Board of Commissioners, would serve as chairman of a campaign "advisory committee composed of outstanding Democrats, representing various areas of the State and segments of the party."

PAROLED

A parole was granted Herman W. Jones, Route 1 last Friday in Franklin County Court, Chambersburg, Pa. Jones had been in jail since last June 10 on two bogus check charges.

CHURCH NOTES

ST. JOSEPH'S CATH. CHURCH Rev. John D. Sullivan, Pastor Rev. Vincent G. Heary Sunday Masses at 7:00, 8:30 and High Mass at 10:00 a. m. Weekday Masses at 6:30 and 7:30 a. m. Baptisms every Sunday at 1:00 p. m.

ST. ANTHONY'S SHRINE Rev. Vincent J. Tomalski, Pastor Masses on Sunday at 7:30 and 9:30 a. m. Confessions Saturdays at 3:30 and 7:00 p. m.

TOM'S CREEK METHODIST Rev. Paul McCauley, Pastor Sunday School, 9:00 a. m. Church Services, 10:00 a. m. On Friday, Dec. 16, Church School Practice at 7:30 p. m.

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Paul McCauley, Pastor Worship Service, 9:00 a. m. Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Church School Choir and Senior Choir practice Monday, Dec. 19, at 7 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Rev. Gideon Galambos, Pastor Children's Christmas Program at 7:30 p. m., Sunday.

EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH Rev. Philip Bower, Pastor Sunday School, 9:15 a. m. The Service, 10:30 a. m. Sermon, "Preaching the Gospel to the Poor."

Luther League, 7 p. m. The annual Christmas bazaar with roast turkey and oyster suppers will be held Saturday, Dec. 10. Suppers will be served family style from 3:30 o'clock on in the Lutheran Parish Hall.

On Saturday, Dec. 10, the annual Christmas Bazaar, featuring turkey-oyster suppers served family style, will be held in the parish hall.

REFORMED CHURCH Rev. Edmund P. Welker, Pastor Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Worship Service, 10:30 a. m. A congregational meeting will be held Wednesday, Dec. 7, at 7:30 p. m.

Dr. and Mrs. Hampson, Baltimore, visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. George S. Eyster.

Mr. D. G. Agnew, Cambridge, O., visited this week with Mr. and Mrs. George Eyster.

The Women's Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. E. R. Shriver Tuesday evening. Hostesses were Mrs. Shriver and Miss Anna Gillelan. The leaders were Mrs. Irwin Brown and Mrs. Esta Miller.

Lions Club Votes To Sponsor Horse Show In 1956

Twenty-two Lions were present Monday evening for the regular meeting of the Emmitsburg Lions Club held in Bucher's Restaurant, Vice President Philip B. Sharpe presiding.

The committee in charge of the annual Christmas party was announced as follows: Herbert W. Roger, chairman, George L. Willhide, J. Ward Kerrigan, Dr. D. L. Beegle, John J. Hollinger and C. A. Elder. The committee will make the necessary arrangements for the promotion of the annual kiddies' Christmas party, which will be held Sat., Dec. 24.

A letter from the Frederick Lions Club was received, thanking the group for a recent donation toward an eye-corrective machine which will be presented to the County Health Dept. for use in county schools soon after the first of the year. Christmas greetings also were received from District Governor John Morgan, Frederick.

At the next regular meeting the soccer team of Emmitsburg High School will be honored as guests of the Lions.

Plans for the 1956 Horse Show were discussed and Robert E. Daugherty was unanimously appointed general chairman of the show. He was authorized to select his own committee.

Special Church Services Scheduled

Elias Ev. Lutheran Church will hold the first in a series of special services in observance of Christmas Sunday morning at the 10:30 service this Sunday. The choir, under the direction of Mrs. Reginald Zepp, will present The Birth of Christ in Prophecy, Gospel and Music. The order of service will include the procession hymn, "O, How Shall I Receive Thee?"; invocation, confession and absolution, the introit and Gloria Patri, collect. The prophecy—Micah 5:2,4; Isaiah 9:7-7; 40: 3-5. Anthem, "And the Glory of the Lord," Handel. The Annunciation, Luke 1:26-33, 38. Solo and chorus, "The Magnificat," with Mrs. Zepp as soloist. The Nativity, Luke 2:1-7. Anthem, "Joseph Came Seeking a Resting Place," Willoughby. The Visit of the Shepherds, Luke 2: 8-10.

Anthem, "Wake Now, Ye Shepherds," Winslow. Anthem, "Glory in the Highest," Whitford. Miss Harriet Fitez, a student at Towson State Teachers College, has returned to her home here because of illness. Mrs. Paul Beale and sons, Robert, Allan and Joseph, spent last Saturday in Gettysburg. Mr. and Mrs. W. Parker Smith and Mrs. Rose Papietella, Baltimore, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Scott.

Mrs. Galen Gough and son, Wally, were confined to their home near town for several days this week, due to a virus infection. Cleon Elliott spent the weekend with his family at Charles Town, W. Va.

Prominent Personalities

LEADERSHIP • CHARACTER

(Interviews by Col. Galen Gough)

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

—of—

ADA HOLLINGER SPERRY

For outstanding business leadership and community interest without prejudice, goes the Chronicle Award of Merit this week to Mrs. Ada Hollinger Sperry.

Progressively active in business and alert as though she were many years younger, Mrs. Sperry reveals only that she was blessed with birth. She is a strong advocate of accepting life for its wonderful advantages and that one's age is no barrier to progress and accomplishment. To this conclusion she has proved her point by owning and managing one of the town's most thriving businesses.

Mrs. Sperry spent her earlier schooling in Washington County, Maryland. She specialized in science, English and mathematics at Goucher College in Baltimore and came to Emmitsburg in 1900. In 1912 she married Ralph S. Sperry at Calaria, Iowa.

Having faith in the industrial development of the town the couple opened an automotive service here and from a humble beginning developed one of the finest garages in the community. She actively influenced the business progression and eventually, in 1927, established a Ford new car and truck agency here. The business flourished and is today unexcelled in both service and supply.

Mrs. Sperry has two nephews, one of them being John J. Hollinger, well-known locally. The nephew and his son, John S., are actively associated in the garage

WESTMINSTER MAN FATALLY SHOOTING TWO

A Westminster resident, Ralph Bauerlein, 25, is being held on a double murder charge at Westminster, after confessing to the slaying of his estranged wife, and Elmer Stambaugh, 42-year-old Taneytown factory worker, near Taneytown at about 9:30 Monday.

The confessed slayer surrendered to police at his home about an hour after the fatal shooting in which he used a shotgun and rifle, firing 15 shots from the .22 rifle into the body of his wife.

A rubber plant employe, Bauerlein told police his wife was separated from him for several months and had gone to live with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stambaugh and their family about 1 1/2 miles southeast of Taneytown.

Monday night the Stambaugh family and Mrs. Bauerlein had gone to a neighbor's home to help lay some flooring. Bauerlein, according to authorities, went to the Stambaugh house and let himself in with a skeleton key. As the family returned to the home Bauerlein secreted himself in a room and when they entered, stepped out, shotgun in hand. He directed his fire at Mr. Stambaugh and shot him through the stomach. The gun jammed after the first shot and Bauerlein tossed it to the floor. Mrs. Stambaugh and her two children cowered in the kitchen and Mrs. Bauerlein ran to a pantry. Bauerlein fired a shot from the .22 which missed her and she turned back and left the kitchen, stepping across Stambaugh's body.

When she reached the edge of the porch Bauerlein again fired at her, hitting her in the left temple. She fell at a fence gate about 15 feet from the porch. Bauerlein said he fired 14 more shots into her body.

LAST SATURDAY

J. W. Rowe—\$7.00

THIS SATURDAY NIGHT

\$38.00

CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

The Youth Fellowship of Mt. Tabor Church, Rocky Ridge, will hold its annual Candlelight Service on Sunday, Dec. 18, at 8 p. m. There will be special music and a guest speaker. Everyone is cordially invited.

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GEORGE W. SHRINER

George W. Shriner, well-known businessman and race horse owner and breeder, of Taneytown, died Saturday at 11 a. m. at the Annie M. Warner Hospital in Gettysburg, following a heart attack on Dec. 1.

Mr. Shriner, 59, World War I veteran, operated in partnership with his brother, Marlin, until the time of his death, the Shriner Mfg. Co., and the Big Pipe Creek Recreational Park which includes the Rainbow skating rink. The firm at one time operated a sewing factory here.

Mr. Shriner attained note in standardbred racing circles as a breeder of harness horses. During the First World War he was a member of Co. D, 311th Machine Gun Battalion, and later became a member of the Taneytown American Legion and Fire Company. He was a member of the Grace Ev. and Reformed Church.

The deceased was a son of the late Charles E. H. and Gertrude Smith Shriner. Surviving are his widow, Hazel Gladhill Shriner; two daughters, Mrs. James Miller, Chambersburg, Pa., and Mrs. Ray Warehime, Taneytown; three grandchildren; a sister, Miss Alma Shriner, Taneytown; and his brother, Marlin, Woodsboro.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the C. O. Fuss funeral home, Taneytown, with Rev. Morgan R. Andreas officiating. Interment was made in Kriders' Cemetery near Westminster. The pallbearers were John E. Smith, Roy D. Phillips, George L. Harner, Harold S. Mehring, James C. Baumgardner and Mervin E. Wantz.

GLEE CLUB WILL PRESENT XMAS PROGRAM

St. Joseph's High School Glee Club will present "A Starlight Christmas" Sunday evening, Dec. 18, at 8 o'clock. Tickets for the program may be secured from any members of the student body.

The Juniors received their SJHS rings last Friday. The green glint of the tourmaline stone may be seen on each Junior's finger.

The PTA December meeting numbered 29 parents. After a short business meeting, a social was held.

After having bowed 69-61 to Union Bridge last Friday, the fighting five of St. Joseph's varsity captured their second victory Monday from Fairfield High by a 66-61 score, making the record two wins and two losses.

The girls' team likewise edged a victory over Union Bridge, 19-18. At the final whistle in the Fairfield tilt, the score was tied and in a fighting overtime period SJHS girls scored their second victory, 25-23. For the lassies, the record at present stands at two victories and one loss, to Fairfield earlier in the season.

Girl Scouts Meet

The weekly meeting of the Emmitsburg Girl Scouts was held last Friday with Linda Bowers, president, presiding.

The meeting opened with a salute to the flag and reciting the Girl Scout laws.

It was proposed to hold a Christmas party this year instead of distributing presents, as is ordinarily done. The motion passed and a party is scheduled for Thursday, Dec. 22, from 4 to 7:30 p. m.

The three troops were divided into three committees with each committee holding individual discussions.

The meeting was formally closed with plans for the next meeting to be held Dec. 16.

CORRECTION

It was inadvertently printed in the Lions Club Christmas posters, now displayed in local stores, that carol singing would take place in front of the Presbyterian Church on Dec. 23. Present plans now call for the popular singing to take place on Tuesday evening, Dec. 20.

Honored At Shower

Miss Mary Fiery served as hostess Wednesday afternoon at a bridal shower honoring Miss Betty Ann Hollinger whose marriage to Mr. Guy A. Baker, Jr. will take place Dec. 26.

Lighted candles, snowflakes and Christmas greens provided a seasonal setting for the occasion.

The bride-to-be received many lovely gifts from the following guests: Mrs. Anna Leary, Miss Edna Stull, Mrs. Helen Walter, Mrs. Dorothy Hung, Mrs. Mary Scott, Mrs. Margaret Polly, Mrs. Hazel Caldwell, Mrs. Alma Jones, Mrs. Mary Hoke, Miss Ruth Stull, Miss Catherine Wivell, Mrs. Rita Remavage and Miss Mary Fiery.

Annual Kiddies' Xmas Party December 24

For the 27th consecutive year the Emmitsburg Lions Club will sponsor the annual Christmas party and parade for the enjoyment of district children. The affair will be held on Saturday morning and afternoon, Dec. 24.

Activities will get under way at 10 a. m. this year. First on the agenda will be a free movie for children only, at 10 o'clock, at the Gem Theater, through the courtesy of the management. If necessary, a second show will be projected at 11 a. m. Following the movie a free lunch will be offered the kiddies at 12 o'clock in the Fire Hall, under the supervision of the Emmitsburg Homemakers' Club.

In addition to the Lions Club, the affair is sponsored and supported by most local merchants, the Town Council and the Homemakers Club. Money is raised by advertising and the Town Fathers assume the responsibility of providing the decorations. About 500 children are present for the affair, rain or shine.

Following the free lunch the Christmas Parade will be held at 2 p. m., with music being supplied by the Emmitsburg Municipal Band under the direction of Walter A. Simpson. The parade will form at the Doughboy in West End and will proceed over the usual route, terminating at the Square for the distribution of candy and oranges by Santa. Traffic will be regulated by the Maryland State Police and the Emmitsburg Police Dept.

A previously-discussed plan to bring Santa here by helicopter has been abandoned and instead, the usual procedure will prevail. Santa will be escorted from his landing site atop Carricks Knob by his usual escort, John J. Hollinger. Christmas music will be amplified from the Square by a local business concern.

Thurmont To Buy Water Company

A charter amendment authorizing the Town Commissioners of Thurmont to purchase the Mechanicstown Water Co. for public use, has become effective following the expiration of the period during which a referendum could have been demanded.

The Town Fathers are expected to proceed in the near future to advertise an \$87,000 bond issue with which to purchase and pay off the bonded indebtedness of the privately-owned company which supplies all Thurmont's water needs.

CAROL SINGING SET FOR TUESDAY

The Community of Emmitsburg and its nearby neighbors are all cordially invited to participate in a "Christmas Carol Sing," Tuesday, Dec. 20, at 8:00 p. m., in front of the Presbyterian Church. Miss Ruth Stull, instructor of music at Emmitsburg High School will organize the singers and direct the singing.

Coffee and Christmas cookies will be served to everyone.

If you like to sing, or just like to listen, or if you like to see other folks happy at Christmas time, join the group next Tuesday evening and participate in your own way of enjoyment in the traditional Carol Singing. You'll be glad you did!

Property Sold

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Hemler have sold to Robert A. Brunner, a property of two acres and improvements along the Frederick road in the Emmitsburg District, consideration being about \$6,000.

Trespass Charge Is Basis Of Suit

Mrs. Esther S. Barnhart, Hagerstown, and her daughter, Martha, 16, Hagerstown, have asked for damages totaling \$1750.75 in a trespass suit filed in Franklin County Courts, Chambersburg.

Named as defendants are the Accelerated Transport Pony Express, Inc., Hagerstown, Ralph D. Masser, Fairfield, R. I.

The bill of complaint says that the basis for the litigation is an accident near Waynesboro Apr. 18, 1954, in which a Pony Express truck operated by Masser collided with an auto in which Miss Bryan was a passenger. Mrs. Barnhart asks \$250.75 as reimbursement for medical expenses for a broken ankle and other costs, while Miss Bryan asks \$1600 as reimbursement for pain and suffering.

Nurses' Assn. Elects Officers

The Private Duty Nurses' Association of Emmitsburg held a business meeting and its annual Christmas party in the VFW Home Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock with 32 members and one

guest present. Officers elected were Mrs. Anna Law, president; Mrs. Nellie Sarah, vice president; Mrs. Doris Carey, secretary, and Mrs. Eleanor Hayes, treasurer. At the Christmas party the members exchanged gifts and played cards until midnight.



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WASHINGTON, Dec. 14—The holiday season is an appropriate period in which to translate slogans into action. I am thinking in particular of the President's recent proclamation setting aside a special day to emphasize safe driving. An accident-free holiday season is the finest gift we can give ourselves.

Unfortunately at this time of the year there is an increase in preventable accidents of all types, not just on our highways but also in the home and at our places of work. Safety engineers can design the safest of Christmas decorations—they can create tools and places to work where hazards are reduced to a minimum, but it takes the human individual to make safety slogans and devices really work.

I hope that everyone in the 6th Maryland District, in Washington, and throughout the world will take advantage of this season to stress accident prevention. Let us determine that no preventable accident will mar our holiday.

Real and ultimate safety on the highways and in our city streets is a goal that requires a three-fold approach. We need modern, safe highways and city streets; we need automobiles that are designed as "safe containers for the transportation of human beings"; we need driver education—not only through high school training programs for youngsters, but also for adult drivers who need to be taught how to use modern vehicles on high speed turnpikes.

School officials in the 6th Maryland District and in Washington and the automobile dealers who furnish free of charge the automobiles are to be commended for their part in making possible driver-training courses. I think, too, that the AAA deserves a great deal of credit for originating and planning the high school training courses.

In Washington, existing laws require dealers who furnish public schools with training vehicles to pay sales and excise taxes and registration fees. Last session I introduced legislation which would free automobile firms of these costs while the cars are loaned to our local schools. The measure passed the House and was reported favorably by the Senate District Committee. I look for early action by the Senate.

Methodists List Christmas Services

The Christmas Season began for the Methodist Churches of the Thurmont Circuit on Sunday, Dec. 4, with a series of Advent sermons and the singing of Carols.

On Dec. 11, the Circuit MYF held its regular Sunday evening meeting at Thormont. The program was entitled "The Christmas Story," which was told by the reading of Scripture and inspiring chalk sketches by Mrs. Earl Davis in addition to carol singing by the group. During the business meeting, Monday, Jan. 2, was set for a Fellowship Night from 7:30 to 10:30 o'clock in the social room of the Thurmont Church. After the business meeting, members of the social committee, which included Carl Crist, chairman, Nancy Valentine, Sharon Kifer, Georgie Lewis, Becky Humerick, and Sandy Kifer, made detailed plans for the party, while the remaining young people Christmas wrapped the presents brought for the Navajo Indians.

The Womens Society of Christian Service of the Toms Creek Church will meet on Dec. 26 at

7:30 p. m. with a program entitled "We Would See Jesus—Today." At the same time the official board will hold a short meeting, after which a Church-wide Christmas Social will be held.

The Tom's Creek Church School will present a special Christmas service at 7:30 p. m. on Sunday, Dec. 18. The program entitled "Tidings of Joy" consists of songs, interspersed with recitations and exercises.

The Thurmont Church School will sponsor a program on Wednesday, Dec. 21, at 7:30 p. m. in the church auditorium. The younger departments will give recitations, exercises and songs, followed by the Intermediate, Senior and Adult departments, which will present the narration and music as background for the beautiful, color, filmstrip entitled "Born In A Manager."

The Emmitsburg Church School will present its service on Christmas Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. The program will consist of music and recitations. One feature will be by the Young Peoples Classes which will give a presentation of the Christmas story with the singing of familiar Christmas Carols and with the displaying of silhouette pictures painted by the young people. Pat Zimmerman will read the accompanying Scripture.

The offerings taken at these three special services will be sent to the Methodist Childrens Homes of the Baltimore Conference. Since these offerings are the principal support of the Strawbridge and Kelso Homes, you are asked to be generous. Christmas Sunday morning wor-

Santa To Visit Fairfield Bank

Jolly ole Saint Nick will arrive at the First National Bank

in Fairfield Saturday, Dec. 17, at 6:30 p. m., Mr. Wesley Schaible, cashier, said early this week after receipt of a letter from Santa. All the kiddies are welcome to the institution and greet him as well as to receive the treats St. Nick will have in store for them.

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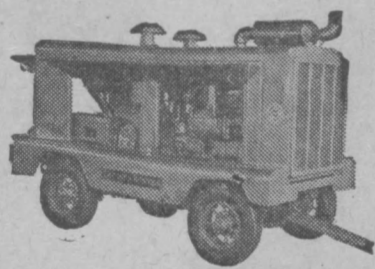
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In addition to dancing, games were played and refreshments served.

Firemen Elect

Charles Mumma was elected president of the Rocky Ridge Volunteer Fire Co. at its regular meeting last week in the Fire

Hall.

Other officers elected were: vice president, Richard Saylor; secretary, James Six; assistant secretary, William Kaas; treasurer, John D. Kaas; assistant treasurer, Ernest Staub Sr.; fire chief, Leon Stover; first assistant chief, Graydon Clem; second as-

sistant chief, Ralph Baker; directors, Floyd Wetzel, Vernon Barbe, Raymond Keilholz, Kenneth Mumma, Raymond Etheridge, Donald Fisher, and Robert S. Fitez.

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North Zealand and South Sweden. My two remaining days in Copenhagen were spent mainly in trips out of Copenhagen to North Zealand and South Sweden, the coasts in which lie parallel to each other across "Oresund," an arm of the Baltic Sea.

On the first of these tours, with two especially noteworthy castles as the main objects of interest, we had also glimpses of attractive suburbs not seen before, of several royal palaces in picturesque settings, of an open-air museum (Frilandsmuseet) where old farm buildings and their furnishings have been assembled to show Danish agricultural life in earlier days, and drove thru a typical Danish countryside of farmland, lakes, and beech forests, crossing over to the shore and a seaside resort for a smorgasbord lunch. By this time we had seen and admired Frederiksborg Castle, built originally in the 17th century by the architect-king Christian IV (responsible for so many of Copenhagen's finest old buildings) but mainly destroyed by fire in the last century, then restored over a period of 40 years and made into a national museum for Danish historical collections. My notes on this imposing place resort frequently to the word "marvelous" — for the vaulted and sculptured and gilded ceilings, the pure ivory ornaments, the hand-carved oak furniture, the huge historical paintings, etc., and I should not omit the first Bible printed in Danish.

A little farther north and situated directly on the shore of the Sound stands Kronborg, the other castle visited that day, in the town of Elsinore (Danish, Helsingor), especially famous,

like so many places, for its literary association. For this is the place that Shakespeare chose as the setting for his tragedy of "Hamlet" (Prince of Denmark); tho in fact Hamlet, if he ever lived, could not have lived there, for Kronborg was not built until the 16th century, and whatever historical background the play has, belongs to a far earlier period. But that made no difference to Shakespeare, who knew it as a famous castle in Denmark and so used it for his literary purpose and thus, all unknowingly, added to its fame, well deserved in its own right. It is a fine example of Northern Renaissance architecture (was designed by Dutch architects), is beautifully situated, and is an imposing landmark of earlier days when it controlled the collection of dues—the Sound toll—which ships had to pay to enter the Baltic; has interesting interior details, too, such as its huge Knights' Hall, the longest in Europe, and great Flemish tapestries made for Frederick II.

The trip to South Sweden by coach and boat happened to fall on Mid-summer Day (June 24), and this chance happening added a touch of the unexpected to an otherwise quieter tour than most. But first there was the crossing, in which the coach accompanied us, of the Oresund, which gave us a good view of the beautiful coast of Zealand and of the little island where the famous Danish astronomer Tycho Brahe had his observatory, then the landing at the old port and shipping center of Landskrona and a long, slow passport examination with only one man in charge. (I had more than time to read a sign over the narrow exit passage-way that said in parallel columns:

"Danskar Exit for other than Scandinavians.")

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
Charles McC. Mathias and Charles B. Trail, Trustees under the Will of Grace W. Trail, deceased, on Petition, No. 14,826, Equity in the Circuit Court for Frederick County, Maryland, in Equity.

The object of this Petition is to procure the discharge of Charles B. Trail as trustee under the Will of Grace W. Trail, deceased, of a certain trust estate created therein for the benefit of Grace Trail Babcock. It is alleged in the petition that the said Charles B. Trail is the only remaining Trustee appointed under said will, that he is a non-resident of the State of Maryland, and that the best interests of the trust estate requires that it be administered by a resident of the State of Maryland, subject to the supervision of the Circuit Court for Frederick County.

It is thereupon Ordered by the Circuit Court for Frederick County, this 1st day of December, 1955, that the Petitioner, by causing a copy of this Order to be inserted in some newspaper published in the County of Frederick, once in each of three successive weeks before the 31st day of December, 1955, giving notice to all parties in interest in the aforesaid trust of the object and substance of the petition, warning them to be and appear in this Court, in person or by solicitor, on or before the 31st day of December, 1955, and show cause, if any, why a decree should not be passed as prayed; and a copy of this order shall be mailed by registered letter to the said trustee not later than December 5th, 1955.

STEDMAN PRESCOTT, Judge

Mathias and Mathias, Solicitors for Petitioner

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News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Martz and daughter, Mary Catherine, Utica, and Mr. and Mrs. David Stone, sifer and daughter, Doris, Taneytown, and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Wantz, Littlestown, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wantz.

Pvt. Eugene Sprague is participating in the largest joint Army-Air Force maneuver since World War II, Exercise Sage Brush, in Louisiana. Some 110,000 Army troops are testing the latest concepts of atomic bacteriological, chemical and electronic warfare.

The exercise ended yesterday. Pvt. Sprague, in C.O.O. of the 3rd Infantry Division's 5th Battalion at Fort Polk, La., is regularly stationed at Fort Benning, Ga. A son of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Sprague, he entered the Army in January, 1955, and completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C.

Miss Janet Reck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Reck, a senior at Western Maryland College, was one of 13 seniors selected to represent her college in the publication, "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities." She was selected for this honor on the basis of scholarship, leadership,

service to the college community and potentiality as a future contributor to society.

Miss Reck is a biology and physical education major who plans to teach after graduation. She has been active in all sports for women at the college but has found time for many other activities including membership in the student association, girls' glee club and Future Teachers of America. She is a member of the Argonauts, College Academic Honor Society, Women's Athletic Assn., Dormitory Council and College Players. She is also a member of the Phi Alpha Mi so-

rority. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bollinger have purchased the former James Welty property and are making it their home.



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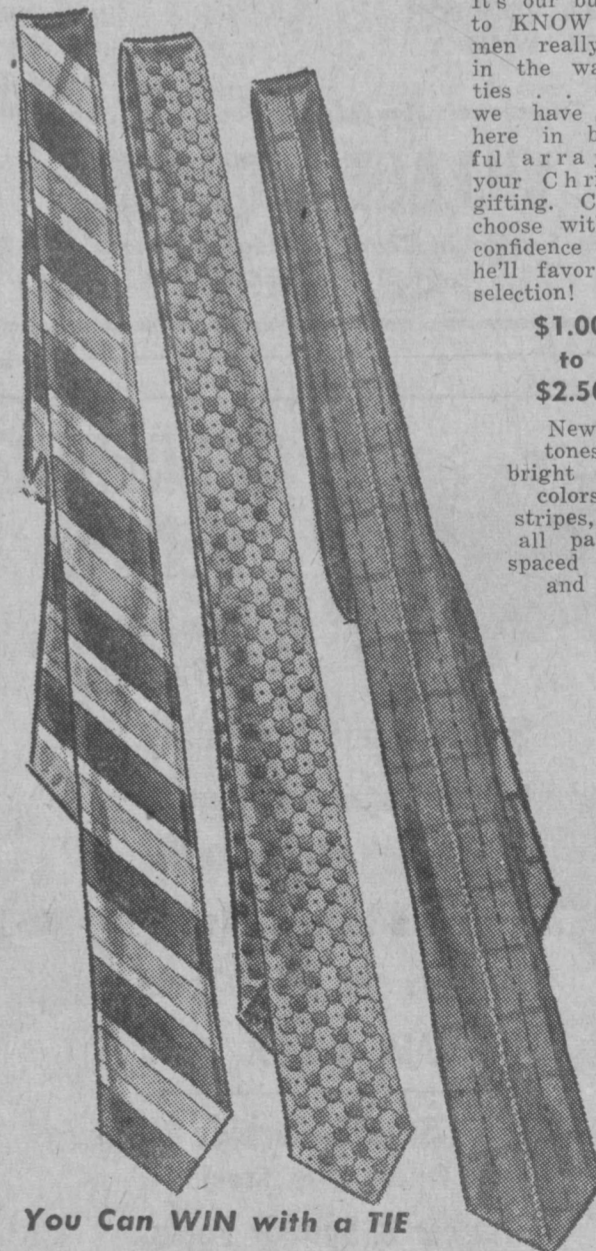
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Writer's Note: The following article does not intentionally refer to the President with political favoritism, but rather to his integrity and principles as a man. The policies governing

our national security are foremost in thought. This newspaper does not necessarily concur with the opinions expressed. NATIONAL: Our national affairs are more dependent upon our President than any of the political advisors he may have on his staff. What he thinks and believes in influences everyone around him and no official is big enough to influence the President against his will. President Eisenhower is a man of fortitude and personal convictions and nothing can deviate him from the soundness of his policies.

POLITICALLY: It is not a matter of politics or whether our President is a Republican or

Democrat. As the President serving the people, he does not think in the terms of his status politically. To the contrary. The American public is his greatest concern and the proper law governing the people. The passage of bills is important, but it is just as essential that some bills proposed are vetoed and shelved in the interest of all concerned. Politicians try to use pressure, but rarely has any President been influenced against his better judgment and I dare say that President Eisenhower is not a "Yes man."

SOLIDITY: The strength of our nation depends on the solidity and firmness of the stand which our President takes on various issues. The foundation of our national security relies upon his judgment and when the public lends to distraction, disrupting his efforts and annoy him with controversial issues, they aid toward creating dissension and insecurity. Unnecessary bills providing matters of no significance relative to our national concern should not be presented in Washington, but made a local issue within the States from which they come. Projects which benefit individuals rather than our people as a whole should never be permitted to pass the House of Representatives. A clearing house and a board of censors may possibly solve this problem provided politics could be limited with an approval of increased restrictions on what constitutes a bill.

INFLUENCE: Many politicians believe they can influence the President with their interests if they reach him before the bill reaches the House so it is not uncommon for a lobbyist to use strategic means of creating favorable reflections which he might cast in the President's direction. The President has far greater duties to perform than to listen to the whims and opinions of every politician having a string to pull. Needless to say, the President does not encourage such tactics.

EXAMPLE: During 1944-45 the writer was then active in politics and certain strategic services which included that of authenticating a bill devised to kick out all the private detective agencies which placed guards at the gates of our national defense plants. In consequence, a bill was written and it was brought to the attention of Senator Albert B. Chandler, then on the Committee on Military Affairs. Since Sen. Chandler was a good friend this political contact was used to further the proposed bill's passage. The proposed bill was brought to chief of the committee then, Sen. Reynolds. It was rewritten and the bill was passed. As a result all the defense plant guards were placed under the jurisdiction of the U. S. Army. In short, the President never heard of the bill until it came to him from the Senate. That is the way it should be. Just because of an individual being the author of any proposed bill, he should not feel that his plan is good enough for the President's consideration, until it reaches him through the proper channels.

SUPPORT: To give our na-

tional security support we should cooperate according to the expectancy of our status as a citizen. "Each to his own." There are laymen, professional men, clerical and untold other classifications of people who make up our nation. Some are writers, analysts and critics. Many are blessed with extraordinary talents and are capable of many accomplishments. Regardless of status, standing or influence, no one should by action, deed or thought overlook the importance of our national security and that it rests upon the shoulders of our President. Give him support and not pressure.

The Rev. Francis Stauble, Germantown, Pa., was a recent visitor at St. Joseph's Rectory. Fr. Stauble is a former pastor of St. Joseph's parish.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

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Given under my hand this 21st day of November, 1955. JESSIE STEELE MARTIN, Administratrix

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WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS"

By C. WILSON HARDER

There's an old saying "It makes a difference whose ox is being gored."

Dave Dubinsky and his International Ladies Garment Workers Union now realize that fact.

For Dubinsky's union was in the front rank of those working to tear down U.S. protective tariff laws to promote world peace, world brotherhood, and other worldwide ideals. In addition, the union's C. W. Harder was a leader in the International Conference of Free Trade Unions.

Therefore, it is interesting the other day in New York Dubinsky's union won a suit for \$60,000 total damages against three blouse makers for importing Jap made blouses.

Damages were awarded on basis that in importing Jap made blouses these manufacturers violated their union contract requiring them to only sell union made products.

According to the union, the blouses were made in Jap union shops, but on a pay scale ranging as low as 13 cents per hour. In addition, imports that totaled 120,000 blouses in 1954 have jumped to 25 million this year, of about 20% of all blouse sales. The Jap product retails for a dollar, or less.

Dubinsky's union now takes stand continuation of this trend threatens 30,000 U. S. workers.

However, companies involved in suit may appeal decision.

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They contend that they prefer to sell their own production, but also point out they must compete with importers, wholesalers and retailers who can bring in the cheap Jap product with no control by the union.

In addition, at least one of the manufacturers claims that some time ago they were unsuccessful in interesting the union in building up a mutual fund to combat reciprocal trade treaty arrangements which make it possible for American industry and labor to be scuttled. But at the time the union leadership was stary eyed over worldwide "free trade."

Now, at least as far as Dubinsky's organization is concerned, the light has dawned with the union now seeking legislation to protect the membership from Jap imports.

With his great influence in labor circles it is possible that Dave Dubinsky may work with other labor leaders to show them error in their stands on tariff cutting. To be sure, he now has a concrete example of how internationalism and one worldism works to destroy U. S. economy.

The nationwide membership of the National Federation of Independent Business has often been criticized for an unwavering stand against tariff cutting.

Yet contrary to essence of these criticisms, this stand has not been taken solely for the interests of independent business.

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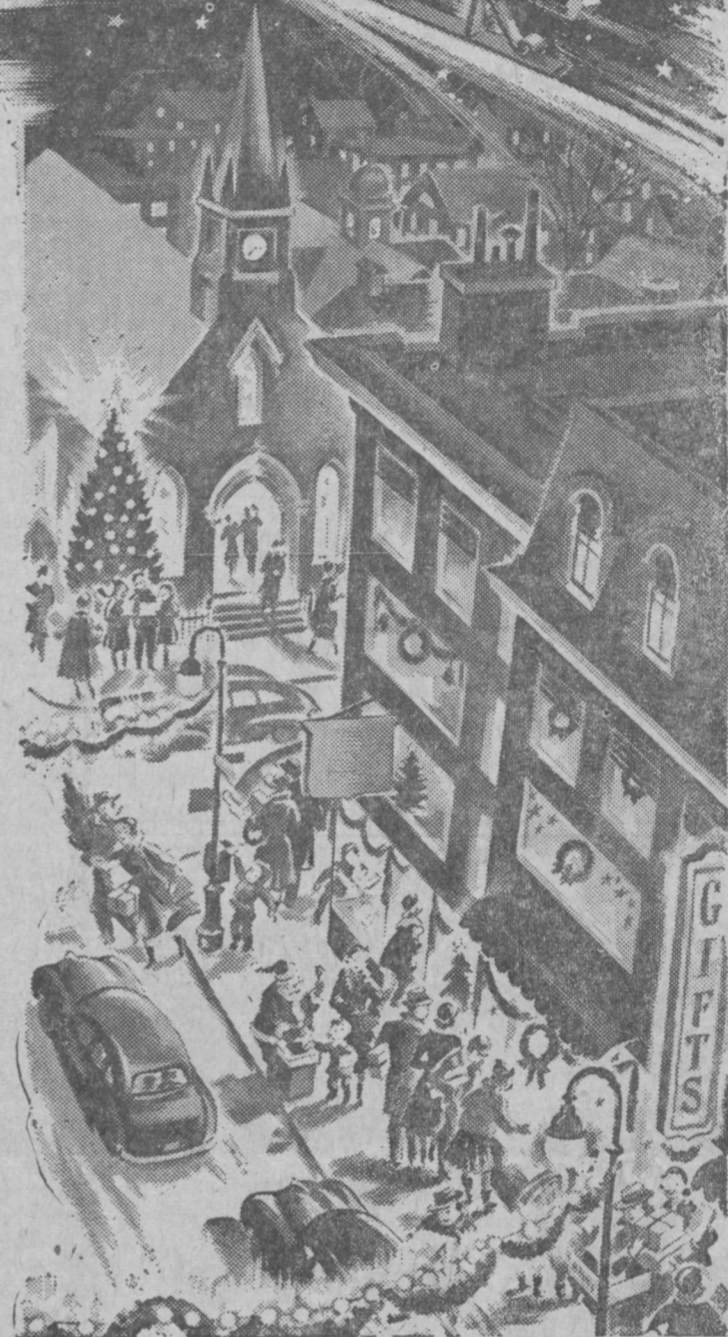
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LOOKING AHEAD
By Dr. George S. Bennett
DIRECTOR - NATIONAL
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New York, New York

The Citizen's Obligation
Diogenes said that the foundation of every nation is the education of its youth. Any observing person can see the evidence on all sides that a nation's strength and its destiny are dependent upon the intel-

lectual capacity (and Christian stature) of its people—in other words, the quantity and quality of education throughout its population. For these reasons every American citizen, young and old, has a direct stake in the health and capacity of our schools and colleges.
Quite often the question has been asked by people with a deep sense of citizenship responsibility: "What should I do to help in the education problem?" And my answer has been something like this:
The Key Objective
1. First of all, be sure you know that the primary purpose of American education should be the preparation of our youth for citizenship in our own Republic. Whatever loftier goals may be set by education and the individual himself are purely academic unless the free way of life in our Republic, which now is in jeopardy, is continued. It will continue to be in jeopardy until every child in America is receiving sound citizenship education as a matter of course.

2. Work with other citizens and public school officials toward getting a program of American citizenship education in your schools; and the appointment of teachers who can teach such courses with devotion and enthusiasm. In spite of whatever vast armament strength the U.S.A. may be able to mobilize, the strongest bulwark against those nations who wish to conquer us is an informed citizenry—a population whose members, young and old, understand the spiritual and material advantages of our great nation in comparison with all other nations of the world.
Elevate Profession

3. Mobilize active support for your educational institutions, including the colleges as well as public schools; and help make the teaching profession attractive to exceptionally capable people. Mark Twain's comment about everybody talking about the weather and nobody doing anything about it is not quite true of education; but there has been a great deal more talk than intelligent, dedicated action.

A number of parents have told me they feel rather distantly removed from the institutions of education so far as the academic phase is concerned. These parents are aware of their children's social and perhaps sports activities in connection with schooling. Also they are aware of and sometimes assist in some forms of school homework, and they are interested in the progress of the child as reflected on his report card. But comparatively few of these parents can claim a personal acquaintanceship with the teachers and school administrators, and few of them know intimately the contents of the daily fare of education given their children. Yet this is, I feel, a vital part of parental responsibility.

Most educators, in public and private schools and colleges, welcome the interest of parents not only in school activities but in the subject matter being taught and how it is taught. Educators who do not feel this way are in a small minority. A friend of mine one evening laid down his evening paper and picked up the geography book which his 10-year-old daughter had brought home. He was stunned to find that the book's author seemed convinced that Russian Communism's seizure of nation after nation in recent years was justified—in self-defense.

He went with his daughter to school next day and met the teacher for the first time. He found the teacher was as disturbed about the geography book as he. She had gone to her principal some weeks previous. He found the school administrator head over heels in work; he'd meant to follow up the teacher's complaint, but "just put it off." The obviously slanted geography book was ultimately withdrawn.

This incident is cited merely as an example of proper citizen interest and proper cooperation between the citizen and his schools.

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army, Pvt. Gochenour attended Emmitsburg High School and worked in Gettysburg as a shoemaker. He graduated from the Armored School at Fort Knox and is now a Tank Crewman in his present unit, Tank Co., of the 503rd Airborne Infantry Regiment.

The 503rd (Rock) Airborne Infantry Regiment includes three combat jumps in its battle honors, Markham Valley, Noemfoor Island, and the most difficult and daring operation of the war, the island fortress of Corregidor. It was from this operation that the famous 503rd Airborne Infantry Regiment derived its name "The Rock of Corregidor."

The Regiment is now a unit of the 11th Airborne Division and will participate in Operation Gyroscope to Europe early next year.



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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

New Light on an Old Subject

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Don't try to light up the cobwebs in the rafters. Use a reflector and a smaller bulb will probably do the job. Too many farmers use naked bulbs that waste 50% of the light.

Try using moveable projector bulbs that beam light the way a searchlight does. A couple of these "spots" will often give you

better illumination than a gang of juice-wasting overhead lamps. From where I sit, it's amazing how often we misuse the things we have... like electricity. We also make a mistake if we misuse our right of personal choice—about which candidate to vote for, say, or whether beer or coffee makes the ideal mealtime drink—by trying to force our opinions on others. Respect for the other fellow's point of view should be our "guiding light."

Joe Marsh

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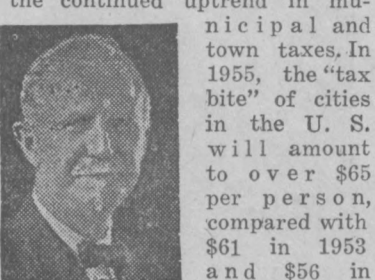
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Writes...

By ROGER W. BABSON

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15—I am much concerned by the continued uptrend in municipal and town taxes.



In 1952, I am especially disappointed with the very little attention which the Conference on Education, recently held here, gave to this important subject.

Taxes Reflect Heavy Municipal Debt

A study covering 481 U. S. cities with populations of 25,000 or more shows that local taxes accounted for about one-half of total municipal revenues from all sources, including Federal and state grants for education, roadbuilding, and other purposes. The rapid rate at which these taxes have been increasing in recent years points up the fact that municipal debts are also growing larger.

In fact, city debts increased seven per cent during 1954 to a record level of \$12.2 billion for cities of over 25,000 population. As a result, the average debt per capita in these cities is \$196. In New York City the per-capita debt was over \$600 per person, and is still rising. I predict a further boost in city and town taxes and debts in 1956.

Are Our Cities Overspending?

Obviously, city debts are rising faster than city tax rates, even though the latter are becoming more and more burdensome, especially to owners of real estate. Why should city debt be rising so fast at this point in our history when general business is at record high levels? Of course, costs of city services are up all along the line, but that is only part of the story. Raw material and labor costs also adversely affect manufacturers of many products, but the prices of those products have not soared as

much as city taxes.

In some cases, the city tax load has been permitted to become burdensome because of poor municipal management or downright mismanagement. There are many localities where money goes down the drain because accounting, purchasing, and other procedures need tightening, but even these loose policies do not fully explain our plight.

People Expect Too Much

Of course, our cities and towns are overspending. Municipal, county, and state governments all over the country are living well beyond their means. In many cases, they are forced to do so because of heavy popular demand for luxuries in the form of ornate school buildings, careless road-planning with little thought of future needs, expensive recreational services and equipment.

When I was a boy, cities were expected to provide fire and police protection, water and sewage systems, also good schools. Now the people are demanding many additional services, often of no real value, and all of them very costly. I believe in parking lots for their cars; but not buildings, mis-called "schools," for mothers to park their children. It is ironical that cities along the seacoast in New England have built municipal swimming pools for children and adults! We provide busses to take the children to school and then build gymnasiums to exercise them when they arrive. I walked four miles each day for 10 years to get an education, and am still alive!

American Cities Are In For Tough Sledding

We are now at peace, even though the world is troubled. We are prospering as no other people have prospered before. But I believe that bad times will come again. We shall again be called upon to make sacrifices to preserve our political and economic freedom, as these are threatened by war or depression. These sacrifices will be easier to make, and our efforts will be more effective, if we now pay closer attention to tax and debt policies and to efficient government.

The menace to our economy and to our way of life from political extravagance at all levels is a very real one. We must learn again that thrift is the mainstay of any government and of any individual. If voters persist in their demands for luxuries to be provided by city, state, and town governments, and continue piling up debt, we will some day force the breakdown of democracy in America.

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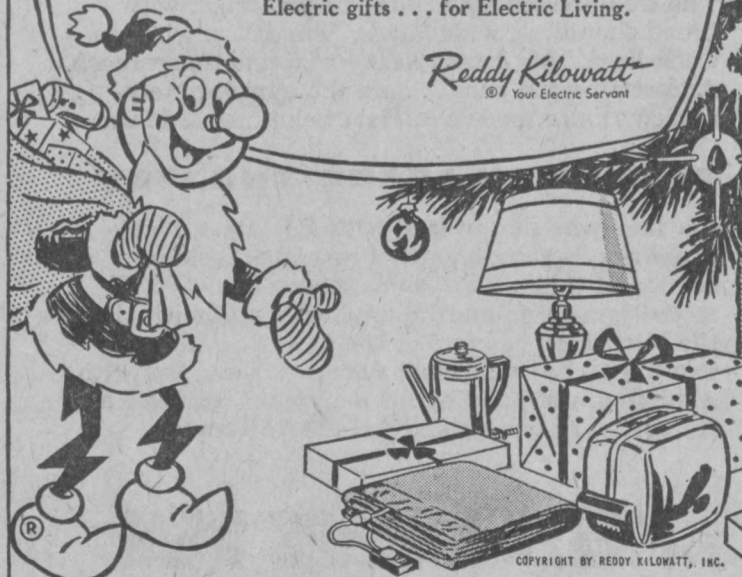
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The advancement was the result of world-wide examinations conducted in August.

Tuition Rises

Washington College, Chestertown, has announced an increase in tuition from \$500 an academic year to \$650, effective in September of 1956.

Dr. Daniel Z. Gibson, president of the eastern shore college which is the 11th oldest in the country, said the increase is necessary to maintain and improve the quality of education the College now provides. President Gibson also said that even with the tuition raise, students will not be paying the full cost of their education.

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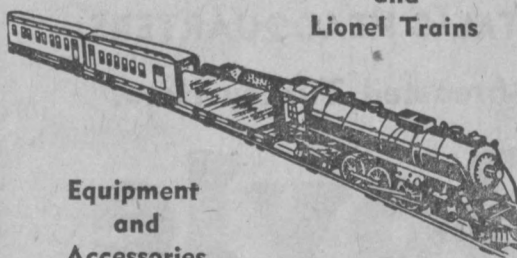
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FAIRFIELD NEWS

Missionary Society Christmas Party Set For Tonight

The Women's Missionary Society of Zion Lutheran Church will hold its regular monthly and Christmas party tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the parish house. A Christmas dramatization, entitled "What Do The Christmas Carols Say?" will be presented with the following participating: Mrs. Russell Summers, Sr., as Mary; Mrs. James Donaldson, Jr., as Mrs. A; Emma Filsinger, an angel; James Landis, Jr., as Joseph; Ronald Shindedecker, a shepherd; Carl Filsinger, Jr., a wiseman; Jeanne Donaldson, Karen; Mrs. Fred Wood, soloist; Miss Helen McCleaf, pianist. The hostesses will be Mrs. James Hammett and Mrs. John Beard.

Christmas Program Monday Eve

St. John's Ev. and Reformed Church will present its Christmas program on Monday evening, Dec. 19, at 7:30 o'clock in the church.

FHA Members Plan Carol Sing

Members of the FHA of Fairfield High School and their advisor, Miss Marie Weissenfuh, will hold a carol singing party on Wednesday evening, Dec. 21. Invited to join the group are the FHA members of the Littlestown High School.

The caroleers will leave by bus from the high school building at 7:30 p. m. and tour the Fairfield, Gettysburg, and Littlestown areas. On their return to the high school, members and guests will be served refreshments. Committees in charge of the affair are: route: Martha Moritz and Marie Pryor; refreshments: Margaret Cullison, Betty Duvall, Diane Kleppinger and Charlotte Hardman; entertainment, Lou Anna Zentz, Martha Moritz, and Marie Pryor.

President Warren G. Harding declared World War I officially ended on July 2, 1921.

Don't be a litterbug. Carry a litterbag in your car. Keep your state clean.

Fairfield Hi News

The Fairfield Joint Schools will close for Christmas vacation on Friday, Dec. 23, at 12 o'clock, it was announced by George B. Inskip, supervising principal. They will reopen on Monday, Jan. 2.

The Christmas assembly program will be presented Friday morning, Dec. 23, in the junior high school auditorium and will be in the form of a Christmas musicale with the high school choruses under the direction of Mrs. Ralph Barley and the school band, directed by Mr. Charles Rogers, participating. The public is invited to attend.

Dr. Ira M. Henderson has started the physical examinations of students in grades one, three, seven, and 11. Parents wishing to have their family physician examine their children may do so at their own expense. The necessary forms may be obtained at the school.

The following students had their names placed on the Honor Roll for the first 12 weeks of school:

Seventh grade: Joseph DeMarco, Nancy Kime, Carolyn Hartman, Linda Harbaugh, Rosie Kettaman, Lynn Falk, Linda Dick, Betty Davis, Julie Ann Ross, Yvonne Herring, Sue Ann Deardorff, Elaine Newell, John Beach, Nancy Kugler, Patricia Labofish, Randall Inskip, John Snively, James Sanders, Viola May, Dale Ritchey, Linda McGlaughlin, Anna Miller, Connie Myers, Ray Kuykendall, Virginia Spence.

Eighth grade: Millie Weise, Ellen Sites, Sandra Hartle, Tim Stearns, Tynia Trombow, Dean Snively, Marlene Stultz, Lana Sowers, James Ruth, Linda Shuyler, Jay Martin, Donna J. Myers, and Ann Musselman.

Ninth grade: Gladys Pryor, Louise Pryor, Margaret Cullison, Shirley Eyer, Mary Shuyler, Glenda Hess, Dorothy Sprankle, Judy Bostwick, Barbara Sanders, Jo Metz, Joyce Spence, Elizabeth Dick, Donna Sanders, Theodore Lowe, Freda Myers, Harold Shriner, Donald McIntire, and Monica Machacek.

Tenth grade: Lois Sanders, Laura Lee Martin, Robert Dick, and Glenda Deardorff.

Eleventh grade: Maysie McCleaf, Nancy Weikert, Albert Shulley, Dorothy Myers, Ronald Brown.

Twelfth grade: Connie Schroll.

Spence Voted Most Valuable Player

At the annual dinner of the Fairfield community baseball team Edward Spence, son of Mr. and Mrs. Olmer Spence, was awarded a trophy as the most valuable player. The ceremonies were held for the team Tuesday evening at the Eagles Home, Waynesboro, Pa.

Serving as master of ceremonies was Ernest Haines, Jr., president of the Fairfield squad and proprietor of the Cut Rate Store, who presented the trophy, his personal gift to the team. Spence is a senior attending Fairfield High School.

Earl Hartzell, representing the Fairfield school board, praised the members of the team for the manner in which they played this past summer and the manner in which the baseball diamond was turned back to the school this fall. The team uses the high school field during the summer.

Door prizes were won by Kenneth Deardorff, Guy Weikert, Mrs. Ernest Haines and Clyde McCauslin. Approximately 40 attended the dinner.

AMVETS Will Hold 'Shoot' Saturday

A shooting match sponsored by the Fairfield AMVETS Post, 172, will be held Saturday, Dec. 17, at the Indian Trail Inn, starting at 1:30 p. m. Turkeys, chickens, and hams will be offered as prizes and 12-gauge shotguns will be used with shells furnished.

Jeanne Preston, Elaine Neely, Irene Bowling, Larry Byers, and Lou Anna Zentz.

In order to be eligible for the Honor Roll an average of "B" must be obtained.

Gowns, loaned by Tobey's store, Gettysburg, were presented and modeled by Miss Lou Anna Zentz, a member of the senior class, in the school's home economics room Tuesday morning. Attending the display were the Home Economics students in the junior and senior classes. The display was used as a classroom demonstration in the "Buying of Junior Miss Fashions" in the Consumers Series which the students are now studying.

Fairfield Personals

Mrs. Ira M. Henderson presided at the tea table Sunday afternoon when the Girl Scouts entertained their mothers at the Christmas tea. Assisting Mrs. Henderson were Scout leaders and members of the troop committee.

Members of the Luther League will meet at the Parish House on Thursday evening, Dec. 22, at 6:30 o'clock to go caroling and deliver cookies to the sick and shut-ins of the congregation.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Shindedecker have returned to their home in Buffalo, N. Y., after attending the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Susan Shindedecker.

James Landis, Jr., has accepted a position with the Western Union Telegraph service in Gettysburg. His duties are in the White House Press department.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson of Gettysburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rudisill and family of York.

An evening of games, sponsored by the Band Auxiliary of the Fairfield High School, will be held Thursday evening in the high school cafeteria. Game playing will start at 8 p. m. Refreshments will be on sale.

Charles Sheldon has returned to his home in Altadena, Calif., after visiting his nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harbaugh.

Mrs. Joseph Harbaugh spent the week-end with her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. John Whitefield, Washington, D. C.

Mrs. E. A. Seabrook and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kepner spent Sunday at the home of Captain and Mrs. M. W. Arnold, Kensington, Md.

The ladies' auxiliary of the Fairfield Fire Co. held its annual Christmas party at the fire hall last night.

Miss Mary Harbaugh entertained the bridge club on Monday evening. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Musselman, Gettysburg.

Chorus Will Present Christmas Program

On Sunday evening, Dec. 18, at 8 o'clock, the Community Chorus of Fairfield will present its annual Christmas program, "The Melody of Christmas." This is an arrangement by Ellen Jane Lorenz from various Franz Schubert's works and will be given in the Lutheran Church.

Soloists are Mrs. Ira Naugle, soprano; the Rev. Lamont Woelk, baritone; Marle Kittinger, bass; Walter Keeney, tenor, and Edwin Stoner, baritone.

Lutheran Church News

A Christmas party for the children will be held in the Parish House Saturday afternoon, Dec. 17, at 2 o'clock. All children of the Nursery, Primary, and Junior departments are invited to attend. A film strip will be shown and games will be played as well as refreshments being served.

The Children's departments of the Sunday School are trimming trees with packages containing clothing. It is asked that each package be marked with a size arctica, in 1820.

and whether for a boy or girl. The packages will be given to the welfare children of the county.

The adult department of the Sunday School will hold a cookie exchange on Wednesday evening, Dec. 21. Each family is asked to bring Christmas cookies and the recipe. Following the "swapping" of cookies and recipes, plates of cookies will be wrapped for the sick and shut-ins of the congregation.

Cap. Nathaniel Palmer, an American whaling captain, logged the first sight of land in Ant-

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Large Assortment of TREES

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- Locally dressed lb. 59c
- Lean Soup Meat, 2 lbs. 29c
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- FRESH Pork Shoulder lb. 25c
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- Juicy Oranges doz. 29c
- Tangerines doz. 39c
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- Large Bnch. Celery 23c
- Bananas 2 lbs. 25c
- Sliced Tomatoes lb. 15c

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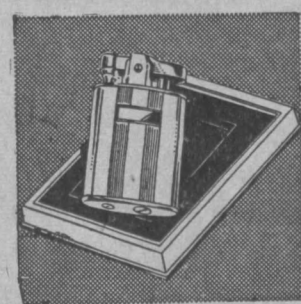
Stop in now and register for the electric train and other valuable prizes to be given away Christmas Eve when Santa Claus visits our store from 3 to 8 p. m.



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If you really want to make this Christmas a memorable one for someone you love, express your sentiments with a gift of Jewelry.



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FOR SALE—Shellbark Kernels, \$1 per pound. George J. Cool. Phone HI. 7-3052. 12/16/4tp

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NOTICES

Attention Taxpayers! The tax year is drawing to a close and all taxpayers owing 1955 or prior year County and State taxes are requested to make settlement at once.

Frederick County requires tax payments during the year taxes are levied in order to pay current obligations.

Payment of all unpaid taxes now is necessary. Respectfully, JAMES H. FALK, County Treasurer

NOTICE—Lawn Mowers, Clipper Blades, Ice Skates, Circular Saws, Gummed and sharpened. Blanchard Service Shop, Starnes' Dam. Phone Taneytown 3598. 12/2/3t

NOTICE of Stockholders Meeting. The regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Farmers State Bank, Emmitsburg, Md., will be held in the Directors' Room of the bank Tuesday, January 10, 1956, at 1:00 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. GEORGE L. WILHIDE, Cashier

Christmas Service Scheduled The Tom's Creek Methodist Church will hold its annual Christmas service Sunday at 7:30 p. m. The public is invited.

NOTICE — For your complete Building Supplies see the Flohr Lumber Co., Blue Ridge Summit, Pa., phone 23, or A. W. McCreaf, Emmitsburg, Md. Telephone Hillcrest 7-4284. 1t

WANTED TO RENT—A farm of about 10 acres. Write particulars to Emmitsburg Chronicle, Box A, Emmitsburg, Md. 16/2tp

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY — A seven-room House and bath with adjacent Butcher Shop and all necessary outbuildings. Good location on E. Main St. For information call at 123 E. Main St., or phone HI. 7-4634. 1t

NOTICE — Shop at the Penny-Wise Shop, 48 York St., Gettysburg, Pa., for Ladies and Children's Wearing Apparel at lowest prices. Open every evening until Christmas. Phone Gettysburg 1315-W. 1t

WANTED TO BUY—Used Shoe Roller Skates, size 5 to 5½. Phone 7-5011 or 7-4664, 12/9 2tp

FOUND—Stray Heifer in pasture. Been in about 2 weeks. Owner may claim same by calling Taneytown 3928. 1tp

HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED — Male Clerk for part time work. Age 18 to 35. American Store. 1t

HELP WANTED — Experienced Chauffeur. Desirable working conditions. Write Box C, Emmitsburg Chronicle. 1t

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the rate of progress being made. Some Federal aid for

STRAND GETTYSBURG

Fri-Sat. Dec. 16-17

DOUBLE FEATURE! The Bowery Boys "SPY CHASERS"

—and— "SKEBENGA" Africa in Color

Sun.-Mon. Dec. 18-19

Johnny Sheffield as "Bomba" in

"LORD OF THE JUNGLE"

GEM THEATRE EMMITSBURG, MD.

Phone HI. 7-2282

Last Times Tonight: "CREATURE WITH ATOM BRAIN"

Saturday Dec. 17

"THE OUTLAWS DAUGHTER" Bill Williams

Sun.-Mon. Dec. 18-19

Randolph Scott "TEN WANTED MEN"

Tues.-Wed. Dec. 20-21

"FEMALE ON THE BEACH" Starring Joan Crawford

Thurs.-Fri. Dec. 22-23

"PUSHOVER" Fred MacMurray

KIM NOVAK

Route 15 should be forthcoming because it is the main traffic artery leading into the Nation's Capital, and used by motorists from every state in the Union and many foreign countries.

Really, it's a disgrace in its present condition, and it must create a lot of talk among members of foreign nations as they head into Washington via Route 15.

Mrs. Hazel Caldwell spent the past weekend with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kellogg, in Arlington, Va.

Give the Gift that's always right!



And the gift that's always right will make her proud of you.

- ✓ Dresses
- ✓ Blouses
- ✓ Skirts
- ✓ Sweaters
- ✓ Slips
- ✓ Pajamas
- ✓ Robes
- ✓ Hosiery
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Has Just the Gift For "Brother"



- Ear Muffs
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- Skirts
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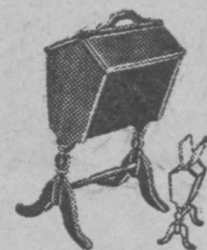
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A Welcome



Here are just a few selections of gifts for the Home. Gifts that are practical and will last for years & years.



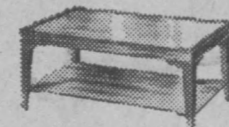
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 - Hose — Socks
 - Boxed Handkerchiefs
 - Van Heusen Pajamas
 - Jackets — Robes
 - Sweaters
 - Gloves
 - Esquire Footmans
 - Trousers

- FOR HER**
- Bras by Star Dust, Warner's and Exquisite Form
 - Slips by Star Dust and Loomcraft
 - Hose by Cannon, Best Made, Patricia and Peter Pau
 - Towels, Sheets and Pillow Cases by Cannon
 - Dresser Sets
 - Wallets
 - Steak Knives

- TOYS**
- Plasticville, USA
 - Revell Scale Model Sets
 - Games of all kinds
 - Dolls — Doll Beds
 - Stuffed Toys
 - Blackboards
 - Wheel Toys
 - Athletic Equipment
 - Tree and House Decorations

We Give S&H Stamps

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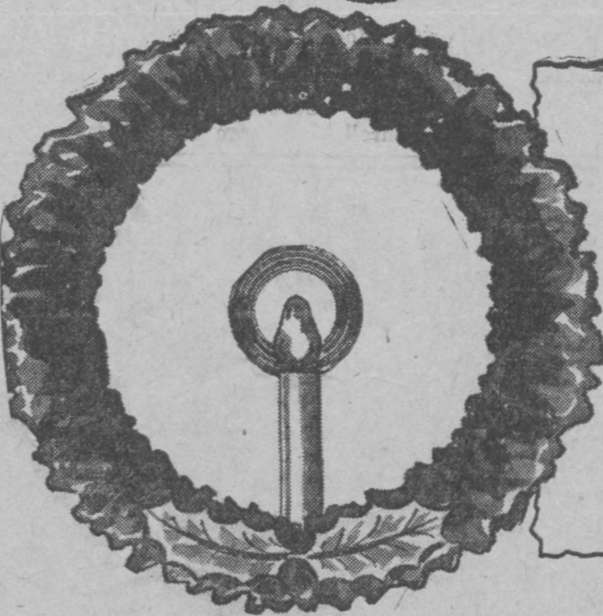
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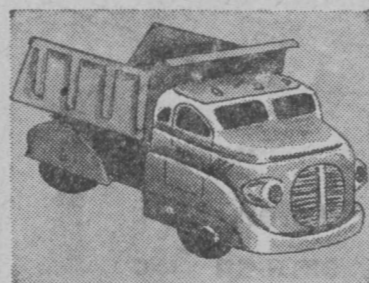
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Lovely holiday trim for your Christmas windows. Big sparkling red cellophane wreath with 4-inch electric candle. Bulb has reflector.

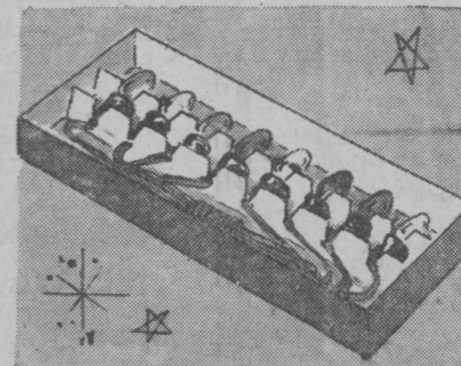
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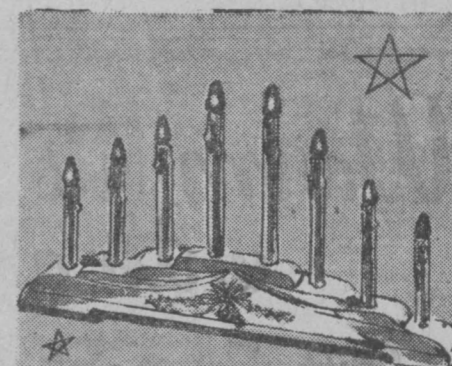
In assorted colors with solid rubber wheels, 12½ inches long, strongly made for rough play.



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Loop string with combination plug. 8 Mazda bulbs included with each set. Convenient clip-on sockets.



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