

**Weekend Weather Forecast**

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## Most Anything At A Glance

BY ABIGAIL

A sure indication that spring is in the offing are the stories that are filtering in concerning the different signs of spring. Usually the earliest one pertains to seeing the first robin. I have had several calls concerning this particular bird, the usual harbinger of spring. I usually ignore these more or less dubious tips on spring until such time as I have an opportunity to get out into the yard and inspect the foliage about the premises. And sure enough, life is beginning to return to the dead limbs and shoots, so now I can safely tell you that spring is just around the corner.

I can't for the life of me understand why some local organization doesn't make some effort to have the Government build us a new Postoffice here. We've had the necessary qualifications for such a building and service for the past 20 years, but no one seems to care whether or not we get a new building. Here it is election year, the best and most opportune time to get anything from a politician, and not a finger is being lifted! The local apathy continues as it has for the past two decades to make a material gain here is once more slipping by. Wouldn't it be a feather in some group's cap if they were instrumental in convincing the Government that we really want and need a new Postoffice here?

Welcome to town Trooper "Bill" Morgan. Glad to have you among us. You'll find a nice friendly group of people here and our associations with the State Police in the past have been on the harmonious side. Thank goodness. It's easy to make friends here and it's easy to hold this friendship. You'll find most of the populace very cooperative.

The more I think of an expensive swimming pool for this area, the less I like the plan. Reports indicate that such a project would be too costly an affair, possibly forty or fifty thousand dollars. This is a whopper of a figure and I doubt if many towns our size can raise such a sum. There are other ways which this problem can be met, at a far more economical advantage and with about the same pleasurable results. We're fortunate in having good pure mountain water in our vicinity, being so pure that a filtration plant wouldn't be necessary. These plants are a costly article and almost prohibits building pools in small towns where finances are always limited.

I have thought this matter over deeply during the winter and I firmly believe there are spots in our mountains where land is cheap and water is abundant and free, that could be easily adapted for public swimming. The land could be cleared for a swimming site and the trees could be used for a picnic or recreational area. The water could be dammed so as to provide almost any depth desired. I feel that if Emmittsburg is to have a swimming area, it will have to be in the mountains. I know of one such spot just about a mile from here that would make a good swimming site. In fact kiddies have been using it for years. A small dam wouldn't cost much and a few tables and chairs would give it the added touch desired. Let's take advantage of our natural surroundings, many times they are the least costly and the best!

## Baseball Meeting Sunday

A meeting of the Emmittsburg Baseball Assn. has been scheduled for Sunday at 1:30 p. m. in the Fire Hall, by the president, J. William Rowe. All last year's players and prospective players for this season are urged to be present. It is hoped that a field manager can be selected. The general public is invited to attend.

## Trooper Morgan Assigned Here

Trooper William G. Morgan has been assigned to the Emmittsburg area by the Maryland State Police, succeeding Trooper 1/C Donald A. Tucker, who recently transferred to Barrack C. at Cumberland.

## Dimes Drive Here Totals Over \$900

Emmittsburg's March of Dimes drive ran well ahead of expectations. Lumen F. Lora, general chairman of the local drive reported here this week. While no actual quota for this district had been set, the chairman reported that \$925.77 had been realized from the various social functions held to raise monies for the drive.

The largest boost to the drive was the Mothers' March which produced exactly \$400. Second largest single contribution raiser was the Frederick beer distributor, J. Austin Whitehill, who redeemed beer caps at a cent each. This project brought in \$187.00. Other social functions such as the dance, card party, etc., netted \$338.77. Included in this sum were collections from schools and canisters placed in the principal business establishments in town.

The chairman reported he was very gratified with the results of the drive and wishes to thank all those who in any way contributed to the success of the project, whether solicitor, worker or contributor.

## Fire Company To Begin First Aid Class Soon

President Herbert W. Roger presided at the regular monthly meeting of the Vigilant Hose Co. held Tuesday night in the Fire Hall.

Eugene Kraemer, instructor of the planned first aid school to be started in the near future, reported that a meeting of interested parties would be held last night (Thursday) in an effort to select a meeting date suitable to the majority who have agreed to attend the classes. The Standard First Aid courses are open to the general public and anyone interested in taking instructions should declare their intentions by registering at the Fire Hall as soon as possible.

The organization voted to have constructed six more large tables similar to the ones in use in the hall at the present time.

Fire Chief John S. Hollinger reported he has been appointed to serve on the program committee of the Maryland State Volunteer Firemen's Assn., and will attend the annual convention to be held this summer in Frederick.

A letter from the transportation committee of the Maryland State Firemen's Assn., was received stating that all those firemen who wished to get their license plates in the reserve block for 1956, should contact the secretary of their respective company before March 7.

## Farm Bureau Group Meets

The Emmittsburg Farm Bureau Planning Group met Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Baumgardner. Mrs. Baumgardner, chairman, had charge of the meeting, which was opened with a song, followed by The Lord's Prayer, and the reading of Psalm 24.

Seven families were present and the group welcomed Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Keilholz as a new member.

Glenn Springer gave the secretary's report and George Martin the treasurer's report.

Mr. Harry Zentz of the Frederick Planning group, and Mr. Ecker, field representative of New Windsor, were guests. Mr. Ecker acted as discussion leader and the panel discussion was both interesting and educational.

A poem, "When Folks Visited," was read by Raymond Keilholz. Carol Emrich recited a poem, "Her Very First Valentine."

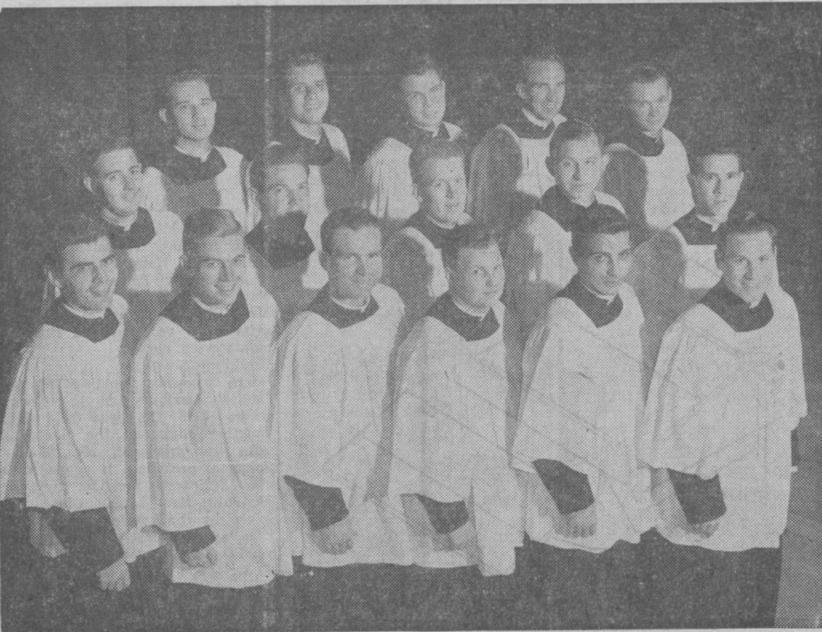
Birthday greetings were sung celebrating Carol's anniversary. The origin of St. Valentine was read by Martha Baumgardner, and a reading, "Down On the Farm," was given by John Baumgardner. Games were played with the guessing game being won by George Martin.

Refreshments were served, followed by adjournment. The next meeting will be held Mar. 13 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Springer.

## Discharged

Seaman James R. Kelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis R. Kelly, Rt. 2, and husband of Mrs. Regina M. Kelly, Rocky Ridge, R. 1, has been honorably discharged from the U. S. Navy at the U. S. Naval Receiving Station, Norfolk, Va.

## Singing Group On Television Sunday



Pictured above is the Mount St. Mary's Seminary Schola which will appear over television this Sunday. Shown first row, left to right are: William Friend; Bart Wassmansdorf; Jerome Leary; John Butler and Martin Muller. Second row: Frederick Myers; Karl Steffen; Paul Harrigan; Joseph Gorecki and John Brusconi. Third row: Edward Coady; Joseph Young; William Hart; John Lipinski; Thomas Caroluzza and Augustine Moore.

The Schola Cantorum of Mt. St. Mary's Seminary, Emmittsburg, the Rev. David W. Shaum, directing, will appear over TV station WNCW, York, Pa., Sunday, Feb. 19, at 5:30 p. m. in a program of church music. The program, one of a series in explanation of Catholic beliefs and practices, will deal with the many variations of

theme and melody. The male choir will be heard in polyphonic works of Palestrina and Byrd; Gregorian chant and Hymnody. Rev. Kenneth H. Martini, assistant pastor of St. Rose of Lima Church, York, will introduce the choir selections, give a short history of church music and explain the different kinds. Rev.

Vincent J. Smith, St. Patrick's Parish, York, will offer an example of soli chant.

The program will also feature examples of music forbidden for church use, particularly stressing some of the popular wedding marches and the reasons for their ban.

## Prominent Personalities

LEADERSHIP • CHARACTER

(Interviews by Col. Galen Gough)

### BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

—of—

#### J. EDWARD HOUCK, JR.

The Chronicle Award of Merit is happily bestowed upon J. Edward Houck, Jr., for his conscientious service and continued community leadership as a young businessman conducting the largest establishment of its type in the town and for Boy Scout leadership.



Mr. Houck was born Nov. 18, 1930 and his parents were the late James Edward and Agnes Rosensteel Houck. "Eddie" as his intimates call him, is a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church and was educated locally at St. Euphemia's, Emmittsburg High, St. Joseph's High Schools and was an honor graduate. He attended Mt. St. Mary's College and majored in business administration. During his schooling he assisted his father in conducting the present business and took complete charge of the concern in 1949 due to the death of his parents. His sisters, Mary Theresa and Margaret assisted in running the business. In May of

1951 he married the former Doris Louise Olinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Olinger and now is the father of three fine children: Denise, 3; Patti, 1, and Jimmy, three months. Mr. Houck served in the Army from January 1952 until his discharge in 1954. He was stationed for the most part of his service at Ft. Jackson, S. C., and held the rank of sergeant of Co. H, 28th Infantry, on his discharge. During 1953 he took part in the maneuvers centering around the first atomic cannon shot at Camp Desert Rock, Nev.

#### WILLIAM H. FLORENCE

William H. Florence, 81, died suddenly at 11:30 a. m. Friday, Feb. 10, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. Ralph Cordell, Waynesboro, Pa., with whom he had made his home for the last five years.

He had been suffering from a heart condition for the last four years.

He was born at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., a son of Joseph and Josephine (Lof) Florence. He went to Rouzerville, Pa., from Emmittsburg 61 years ago and resided there for two years. Since then he had made his home in Waynesboro.

He learned the carpenter's trade from his father and followed that occupation until his retirement nine years ago. He was an em-

ploye of A. R. Warner and Son, and for many years was a foreman.

His wife, Ida May Reachard Florence, died in December of 1947.

Surviving are a son and a daughter, J. Omar Florence and Mrs. Cordell, both of Waynesboro; two brothers, J. Edward Florence, Waynesboro, and C. R. Florence, Rouzerville; a sister, Mrs. Margaret Topper, Emmittsburg; three grandchildren; five great-grandchildren, also a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Grove Funeral Home, Waynesboro, in charge of Rev. Paul Nagy Jr. Interment in Harbaugh's Cemetery.

#### FRANCIS H. ORNDORFF

Francis Henry Orndorff, 86, life-long resident of the Rocky Ridge community, died Sunday morning, Feb. 12, at 4:05 o'clock in Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, where he was admitted four days previously for treatment.

He was a son of the late James A. and Mary Orndorff and a member of St. Anthony's Catholic Church and the Holy Name Society. He was twice married. His first wife, Mrs. Cora Welty Orndorff, died 44 years ago.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mary E. Kaas Orndorff, and these daughters and sons: Miss Ruth Orndorff, Baltimore; Maurice Orndorff, Emmittsburg; Charles F. Orndorff, Altoona, Pa.; Mrs. Viola Hemler, near Thurmont; Mrs. Alice McLaughlin, Emmittsburg; Miss Catherine B. Orndorff, Lancaster, Pa.; Mrs. Bernadette Kaas, near Thurmont; Mrs. Evelyn B. Hartsdgen, Emmittsburg, and John L. Orndorff, Rocky Ridge; 32 grandchildren and 37 great-grandchildren.

Requiem mass was celebrated Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock in St. Anthony's Church with Rev. Vincent Tomalski as celebrant. Interment was in St. Anthony's Shrine Cemetery, S. L. Allison, funeral director.

Pallbearers were Charles Hartsdgen, Francis Hemler, Robert Kaas, Francis McLaughlin, Karl Orndorff, and Paul Orndorff.

#### CLARENCE W. SPRIGG

Clarence Winton Sprigg, aged 75 years, died at his home, Gettysburg, Pa. Rt. 2, Friday evening, Feb. 10, at 10:30 o'clock of a heart condition. He was born in Berkeley Springs, W. Va., son of the late George and Eliza Smith Sprigg. He moved to the Emmittsburg vicinity 30 years ago and operated a restaurant here.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Daisy Darr Sprigg, Gettysburg Rt. 2; and these children: Mrs. Murray Stultz, Fairfield, Pa., Rt. 2; Mrs. Elden Flickinger, Taneytown; Charles W. Sprigg, Gettysburg Rt. 2; Clarence A. Sprigg, Gettysburg Rt. 2; George O. Sprigg, Camp Hill, Pa.; 14 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

He was a member of the Reformed Church of Emmittsburg. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the funeral home in Emmittsburg. Rev. Edmund Welker, pastor of the Reformed Church, officiated. Interment in Evergreen Cemetery, Gettysburg. S. L. Allison, funeral director.

Pallbearers were John Herr, Garland Lefner, A. J. Larmer, Roscoe Shindler, Guy Gordon, and Walter Simpson.

## PTA Schedules Card Party

A benefit card party will be held Apr. 12 at St. Joseph's High School, Emmittsburg, sponsored by the P.T.A. Many lovely prizes, in addition to door prizes, will be awarded.

## MENTAL HEALTH AUTHORITY TO TALK HERE

Mrs. Lucille Fuchs, a representative of the Frederick County Health Dept., will be the principal speaker at an open meeting of the Emmittsburg Homemakers' Club to be held next Friday, Feb. 24 at 1:30 p. m., in the auditorium of the Emmittsburg Public School.

The Homemakers' Club extends a cordial welcome to the general public to attend this talk on mental health by Mrs. Fuchs, a recognized authority on the subject.

Mrs. Fuchs recently started her services as psychiatric social worker at the Community Guidance Clinic of the County Health Dept. The clinic deals with problems of mental health. Since the county will now have a second day of clinic service, Mrs. Fuchs will be able not only to reach many of those persons who are now on a waiting list, but will be able to develop contacts with other agencies.

Mrs. Fuchs brings to her position a background of training and experience suited to the program being carried on in the county. She has a Master's Degree in social work from the University of Michigan where she specialized in psychiatric social work. As psychiatric social worker in the Community Guidance Clinic, she does direct counseling with some patients as well as working with the families of those patients who are being seen by the psychiatrist or by the psychologist.

## Engagement Announced

The engagement of Miss Barbara Ann Rosensteel to George Vincent Arnold Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George Vincent Arnold, Taneytown, R.D., is announced by her mother, Mrs. Marie C. Rosensteel, De Paul St.



Miss Rosensteel, a 1952 graduate of St. Joseph's High School, Emmittsburg, is a senior at St. Joseph College, Emmittsburg. She is majoring in business education.

Mr. Arnold, also a 1952 graduate of St. Joseph's High School, is a senior at the University of Maryland. He is majoring in animal husbandry.

No date has been set for the wedding.

## Homemakers Sponsor Adult Sewing Class

The Emmittsburg Homemakers' Club will sponsor an adult educational course in sewing in the near future. The series of 10 lessons is open to the public and is slated to begin in the near future. The course will be given in the Emmittsburg High School and it is important that those interested in the project, register immediately with Mrs. Kenneth Wagaman, by phoning Hillcrest 7-4795.

## Sister Addresses College Group

Sister Margaret Flinton, head of the French department of St. Joseph College, spoke on "To the Glory of the French Peasant Woman" at a meeting of the Cumberland Valley Chapter of the Alliance Francaise last Sunday afternoon in Sharpe Hall, Wilson College, Chambersburg.

The speaker, member of the Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul, gave the origin of the order founded in France by St. Vincent and originally made up of French peasant girls. She said that the white cornette and blue woaden habit worn by the Sisters today is the dress worn 400 years ago by the first members of the order. Madame Louise de Marillac, a Parisian widow, was the foundress of the order.

Rev. Dr. Gommard de Pauw, a graduate of the University of Louvain, Belgium, and a native of that country will be the speaker at the Mar. 11 meeting. Rev. Dr. de Pauw is a member of the faculty of Mt. St. Mary's Seminary.

## Lions Club To Publicize Bi-centennial

Emmittsburg's Bi-centennial will receive national and international publicity as the result of action taken at the regular meeting of the Emmittsburg Lions Club held Monday night in the Lutheran parish hall, Vice President Philip B. Sharpe, presiding.

The plan to publicize the Bi-centennial was offered to the club by Capt. Philip B. Sharpe. According to Mr. Sharpe there are three mail meter canceling devices in the Emmittsburg District. Between these three machines several hundred thousand pieces of mail are stamped annually and go to all parts of the world.

Advertising dies can be purchased at a nominal fee and can be used for as long as nine months in a single year. Advertising copy is placed on the dies and every piece of mail going out of Emmittsburg's Postoffice will bear a slogan or advertisement proclaiming the Bi-centennial in 1957. It is the opinion of the club that this is an excellent way to publicize the week-long affair over a sustained period and the club voted to authorize an expenditure to purchase the required metal stamping dies. The plan is subject to the approval of the local postmaster.

The group also voted a donation of \$10 to the "Seeing Eye" project of the Lions International. This service provides specially trained dogs for blind individuals for a nominal fee, far less than they could be obtained otherwise.

## Suit Favors Dallas McNair; Awarded \$9,954

Dallas Sonny McNair was awarded \$9,954 in a suit heard before a jury Tuesday in the Carroll County Court at Westminster.

McNair was in a suit against Scott T. McNair and Dula M. Welty, individuals and as administrators of the estate of their father, Scott N. McNair, and two other children, William G. McNair, of Carroll County, and Robert W. McNair, of Adams County, Pa.

Dallas McNair, stepson of Scott M. McNair, claimed that before the elderly man died in February of 1954 he promised Dallas he would leave him his 117-acre farm. But Scott McNair failed to make out a will before his death.

Dallas McNair at the original trial in January, 1955, claimed he ran the farm as a virtually unpaid family worker with the understanding that he would be repaid by inheriting the estate.

But when Scott McNair died without a will, he said, the four defendants took charge of the property and allegedly denied him anything.

The case was originally heard in Equity Court in Frederick with Associate Judge Patrick H. Schnauffer presiding. It was transferred later to the Carroll County courts.

Witnesses for the plaintiff testified that the Emmittsburg farmer had on several occasions said that he intended leaving the farm to his stepson, Dallas McNair was the son of Scott McNair's second wife.

The stepson had testified that none of McNair's children helped on the farm and that he quit school at 14 to help his stepfather operate the place.

Sherman P. Bowers and Parson Newman were attorneys for the defendants, and Edward D. Storm and Charles O. Fisher, Westminster, were the plaintiff's lawyers.

## Pen-Mar League To Open April 29

Sunday, Apr. 29, was set as the opening date of the Pen-Mar Baseball League at a meeting of team representatives last Sunday afternoon at the Emmittsburg VFW Home.

It was announced the schedule of games will be reversed from that of last year.

A complete set of new by-laws was adopted and umpires of the Adams County Umpires Assn. were again designated for the coming season. Forfeits were posted by all teams.

George Millen, Union Bridge, vice president, presided in the absence of President Guy McLaughlin, Emmittsburg.

Another meeting has been set for Sunday, Mar. 25, at the same place.

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**K-P LUNCHEON MEAT** 2 12-oz cans **59c**  
**GELATINE DESSERTS** 6 kinds; Ideal 3 pkgs **20c**  
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 Sunshine or Valley-Hi Strawberries 2 10-oz pkgs **49c**  
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 Seabrook Cut Green Beans 2 10-oz pkgs **47c**

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WESTON'S GEORGE INN COOKIES 1 lb pkg **39c**  
 NABISCO GRAHAM CRACKERS 1 lb pkg **34c**

Delvalle's Sunnydell  
**ICE CREAM** 1/2 gal ctn **89c**  
 ALL POPULAR FLAVORS 2 pint pkgs **49c**

**Ideal Instant Coffee** 4-oz jar **83c**

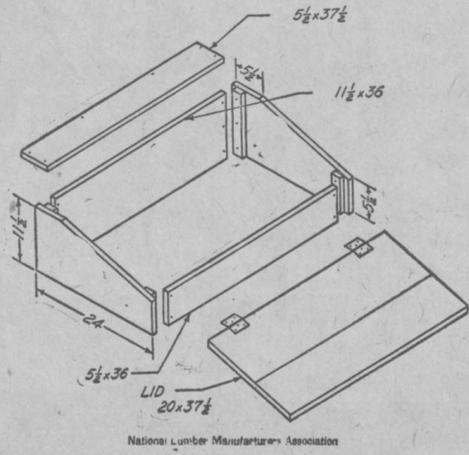
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**Rocky Ridge News Items**  
 Mrs. Ethel Mumma and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mumma visited Mr. Basil Sanders, who is a patient at the Newton D. Baker Hospital, Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kale, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Valentine and children, Pamela and Colby, Hagerstown, were recent visitors of Miss Cotta Valentine.  
 Mrs. Helen Mumma and Mrs.

**HERE'S HOW... MAKE A WINDOW WELL COVER**

A simple window well cover made from 1 by 2, 1 by 6, and 1 by 12-inch lumber will keep out rain, snow, and leaves, and the hinged lid can be opened to provide light when needed.  
 Cut all parts to the sizes shown. Set the braces one board thickness from the ends of the sides and fasten. Use 1 1/4-inch flat-head wood screws to assemble all parts. Fasten the front and back to the braces and the top to the sides. Make the top from two boards fastened below with 18-inch 1 x 2 cleats. Bevel one edge of the lid to make a snug fit at the hinge line. Use 3/4-inch screws to attach 3-inch butt hinges to lid and top. Paint well cover with two coats of outside paint.



**Newsoddis** by J.C.  
**AMONG WESTERN NATIONS, THE BED HAS ALWAYS DENOTED RANK.**  
**ROMAN PATRICIANS ENJOYED IVORY AND TORTOISE SHELL BEDS CROSS-LACED WITH LEATHER BANDS.**  
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**SCIENCE IN YOUR LIFE**



**Reaching A Ripe Old Age**  
 When a 96-year-old New Englander was recently asked the secret of his long life and good health, he replied after a pause: "The reason I've lived so long is because I've never died."  
 His explanation is far more reasonable than many of the countless longevity "secrets" proposed in the past.  
 In the Middle Ages, for instance, the waters of a "Fountain of Youth" — repeatedly sought but never found — were believed to renew aging limbs magically.  
 Today, because of modern medical advances, man has come closer to his age-old dream of prolonging life indefinitely than ever before in his entire history. The average man could expect to live a mere 22 years in the time of Caesar, 33 years in the Middle Ages and 41 years in 1840. Today he has almost reached the Biblical span of three-score years and ten.  
 And he can look forward to an even longer and healthier life, for scientists each year are discovering more about the cause of old age and the ways to forestall it. So far they have traced some of the blame to faulty diet, gradual decrease in sex hormone output, mineral-vitamin deficiency and inadequate intake of high-quality protein.  
 To counter such problems, science has now developed a new compound—Neobon—which combines in a single preparation the ingredients necessary to prevent or relieve these undesirable features of the aging process. Prepared in a liquid dosage form as well as in capsules, the preparation is pleasant-tasting and easy to take.  
 Whatever help science gives him, however, the older man who wishes to stave off old age must rely mainly on his own ability to keep alert and interested. This is a conviction held by most medical authorities, and specifically by 96-year-old Dr. John B. Cummings. "Go when you feel like it," is his advice to the older person, "Go when you don't feel like it, but keep going!"

**NOW PLAYING AT THE MAJESTIC THEATER**  
 Birdie Fox spent last Thursday in Frederick.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Stitely and children, Patsy and Jimmy, and Miss Bertha Albaugh, Taneytown, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gruber.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Liberty, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mumma.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mumma have moved to the property of Mrs. Shirley Eyer, along the Rocky Ridge-Motters Rd.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Hahn were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Welty of Burkittsville.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eyer gave a birthday party in honor of the first birthday of their son, Ronnie Eugene, last Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hahn. Guests present from New Windsor were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parrish; Mrs. William Harbaugh, New Midway; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scheller and children, Deborah and Stevie; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crushon, Taneytown; Ruth Anne Shriner, Thurmont; James Welty, Mrs. Nettie Welty, Margie and Nancy Pomeroy, Mr. and Mrs. John Hahn, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eyer. Many nice gifts were received and refreshments were served.  
**Auxiliary Meets**  
 The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Rocky Ridge Fire Co. was held last Tuesday night in the fire hall with the president, Mrs. Beba Johnson, presiding. It opened with the Scripture reading by the chaplain, Mrs. Lillian Clem, followed by the Lord's Prayer. Minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Ruth Etheridge, and the treasurer's report was given by Mrs. Mary Barber. Plans were made to serve a chicken and oyster supper, sponsored by the fire company Mar. 24. Fourteen members were present. The meeting adjourned with prayer by the chaplain. A white elephant bingo party was played and refreshments served.

**ALONG THE POTOMAC**  
 By U. S. Congressman  
 DeWitt S. Hyde  
 WASHINGTON, Feb. 15—Garrett County has been selected as one of the pilot counties for the government's Rural Development Program. I am certain that this Federal-state-local cooperative effort will prove of benefit to the county and to the nation.  
 The Rural Development Program is one approach to the problem of soft spots in an overall high level economy. RDP's purpose is to raise the income-level of the small farm and to provide the necessary technical help and facilities to achieve this goal. It is also designed to assist in the diversification of income producing activities.  
 My bill to provide for an area assistance program is also designed to aid communities with chronic unemployment problems. Its aim is to achieve lasting improvement through creation of new employment opportunities. It would augment the RDP and assist in the establishment of new industries.  
 I would also like to report that we are continuing our efforts for an enlarged program of research into the uses of coal and the creation of new markets as provided for in another bill of mine.  
 Legislation relieving the small business operator of some of the excessive tax burden he carries would benefit our District. My bill to increase the surtax exemption from \$25,000 to \$50,000 would provide a margin of safety for the small merchant.  
 My concern for the Potomac River Valley's future prompted me to call on the Secretary of the Interior, Douglas McKay, and the Director of the National Park Service, Conrad L. Wirth. Both of these able public servants are aware of our problems. On the matter of the use of the C&O Canal section of the Valley, I am convinced that a satisfactory and integrated program can be realized.  
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## WHO IS HARDEST HIT?

The Federal income tax begins at 20%, on the lowest taxable incomes. From there on it rises fast until it reaches 91% in the high brackets.

You might logically judge from this that people of large means, because of progressive taxation, pay most of the tax bill. But they don't! Eighty-four per cent of all individual income taxes collected come from the basic 20% rate—and only 16% from the surtaxes. As Graham Patterson puts it in "Town Journal," "So the high rates are actually more destructive of income than productive of revenue."

Excessively costly Government hits everyone—and it hits people of moderate means hardest! There aren't enough rich people to carry the load.

## BLACK DIAMONDS

An eastern bank, the First National City Bank of New York, recently had something to say about the coal industry, under the colorful title "Bright future for black diamonds."

Coal has been making something of a comeback, after a period in which it was deep in the doldrums. The bank's account shows why the horizon has brightened. Half of our electric power comes from coal—and power consumption is soaring. In the next 20 years, it is estimated, power companies alone may require as much as 500 million tons of coal a year—more than the industry's total 1955 production.

It takes a ton of coal to make a ton of steel—and steel demand also has been running at tremendous levels. The fast-growing organic-chemical industry looks to coal for one-third of the raw materials it uses in producing its long list of products. And special types of coal are providing an economical and efficient fuel in new types of industrial boilers and other firing equipment.

The bank also pays tribute to the progressiveness of the coal men in investing in costly machines which produce the fuel at less cost. An automatic miner, for instance, can rip eight tons of coal out of a seam in a single minute!

## \*HOW GOOD A PARENT ARE YOU?

By John Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation  
United States Department of Justice

(Continued)

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### UNHAPPY HOMES

Incompatibility not only keeps the adult protagonists in a state of mental turmoil but also contributes to the emotional stability of their children. The rebellious attitude of many delinquents may be traced to their home background. If parents must quarrel violently, their differences should be settled outside the presence of their children.

The case of Bill is certainly one in point. Fourteen years old, a natural leader with above-average intelligence, Bill came to the attention of authorities after a series of burglaries and robberies. His mother blamed his youthful associates; his father condemned

city officials for permitting cheap dance halls, pool rooms and low dives to cater to boys.

The father worked from 12 to 13 hours a day to provide for the family. The mother continually nagged him and accused him of unfaithfulness. He in turn began drinking and became more interested in his bar friends than in his family. The mother completely lost control over Bill during the illness of another child. The result: Another career in crime was begun.

### BAD EXAMPLES

Lack of responsibility enters the picture more often than lack of money. A teen-age girl from a wealthy home and with an exclusive boarding-school background, confessed to burglarizing eight apartments in the fashionable area of a Midwestern city. She did not associate with her classmates, whom she feared to invite to visit her home because of her mother. The latter had actually called at the school on several occasions in so intoxicated a condition that she was unable to talk coherently.

The unhappy girl wanted to go to Mexico City. Her father refused to allow her to go unless she was accompanied by her mother. Obviously, if she were ashamed to invite her classmates

to her home because of her mother, she did not want to go on a trip with her. Determined to leave home, the girl set out to finance the journey by burglarizing the apartments of friends.

### LACK OF DISCIPLINE

Criminals are made, not born. Long before a youngster is legally labeled "juvenile delinquent," his acts repeat a familiar pattern of conduct — falsehoods, disobedience, truancy, petty stealing. Each dereliction leads to another. Unless he learns the fundamental lessons of self-discipline, trouble is inevitable.

Every child should have maxi-

mum freedom of expression, but when such freedom transgresses common decency or impinges upon the rights of others, it must be curtailed. Our prisons are filled with individuals who enjoyed freedom of expression without self-discipline.

The rise of delinquency during the war was rooted in the years long before the war. The harvest of delinquency was reaped from seeds planted by adult delinquents, for the habits and attitudes of the individual are fixed early in life. Only tragedy can result when parents are jolted out of their lethargy too late.

Fourteen-year-old Jimmy drank a little beer, smoked and ran around with girls. One terrible day he beat a neighbor to death with a shotgun barrel and took the man's car. He drove it around until evening when, filled with remorse, he confessed the deed to his father.

Jimmy's home was comfortable; his father provided a good living. The mother was very devout, but neither the father nor the children went to church. The element of discipline was lacking. Jimmy was permitted to quit school because he didn't like the teacher. He had access to his father's car and frequently drove various men in the community to gambling houses, saloons, and even to houses of ill fame. At the age of 12 he began being intimate with girls. As the youngest of 10 children he was treated as a baby and his parents always excused his boyish pranks. A firmer hand would have saved the boy and the life of the neighbor.

The case of two girls, 14 and 15 years of age, is a shocking example of deficient home life. Authorities learned that the juveniles had spent a night in the hotel rooms of two musicians in a famous band, both of whom were married and had children. Investigation disclosed that for a long time both girls had haunted the stage door, picking up musicians who frequented the place. The two juveniles were as hard and experienced as women of the streets. Both were placed in private schools, but neither closer supervision nor legal action resulting in \$10 fines levied against the mothers could restore them to chaste and normal girlhood or a clean future. A generation ago girls of a comparable age would not have been permitted to be on the streets unaccompanied at a late hour of night.

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If you catch a trophy fish you want mounted, make notes on its color as it fades rapidly. These details are of great help to a taxidermist in reproducing the fish.

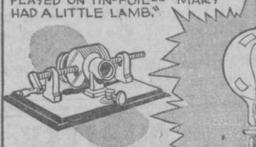
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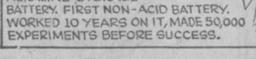
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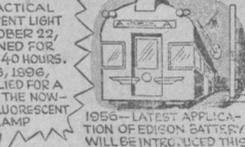
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## YOU'RE NEVER OLD

New Life And Interests Bring Kiddies Running To You  
By Spring Byington

EVERY mother-in-law has her difficulties. I should know. I have two married daughters and three grandchildren, and don't I know how tempting it

is to give my daughters some fine points in bringing up their children even when such advice is not wanted!

It took me a long time to learn: "Never be meddlesome with your married children. Don't make a fetish out of your devotion."

I know how a mother often suffers from a deprivation of affection when a son or daughter leaves the fireside and starts living a new life. She wants to continue being helpful and doesn't know how; in fact, she begins to feel like a displaced person who can now be useful only as a baby-sitter. But she has to realize the fact that her married children's lives are their own, and she can't make them suffer because of her loneliness.

### Steaks No Help

Often her very best intentions will be frowned upon. I remember how noble I felt when I took three big steaks out of my freezer and brought them to my daughter's house, knowing how limited her budget was. Were she and her husband grateful? No, they were embarrassed. I had hurt their pride, and I have never been so stupid with them again.

It's not even good to give a married daughter advice, except perhaps by a gently dropped hint, because they should work through their own problems. I let myself be a sounding board

on their problems and sometimes ask questions that might help them come to their own conclusions. But the decisions have to be their own. Further, I never drop in on my daughters unannounced. I telephone first and I don't make those calls too frequent. And as to the care of my grandchildren, whenever I'm driven by an urge to pass along some information I remind myself that the parents themselves are better suited for this task. After all, they are one generation closer to the infants than is the grandmother.

### Sometimes You're Wrong

It's true that there have been occasions when I felt I just had to say something, knowing I was perfectly right. But I no longer argued the point. I merely write a note to my daughter expressing how I feel in the matter, always being careful to add that I could be wrong. There have been times when I was wrong in the advice I was trying to give, and if I had gone to her home to argue about it, to interfere, only rancor would have resulted.

When mothers-in-law feel lonely and frustrated, it's usually because they have failed to find new interests for themselves but prefer to relive their lives at the expense of the lives of others.

So cheer up when you find your children resenting your interfering with their lives. Start developing new interests and they'll come running to you.

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Given under our hand this 9th day of January, 1956.  
**GEORGE S. EYSTER and ANDREW R. EYSTER,**  
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Applicants will be chosen on the basis of their high school record and the results of the College Entrance Board Examination. Candidates for the scholarships should make formal application to the Director of Admissions, Mt. St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg, Md., and indicate the date on which they will take the College Entrance Board Examination. No applications will be considered after May 1.

Applicants should communicate directly with the College Entrance Examination Board, Box 592, Princeton, N. J. for information relative to the examination centers in their vicinity and the dates at which they may take the examination.

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The action came at the request of the Board of Election Supervisors, of which Howard R. Dumuth is chairman. He suggested \$10 is the customary rental figure in other counties.

**Your Personal Health**

**THE RIGHT TO WORK**

If you were asked to list the various "rights" which are most important to you, undoubtedly you would include the "right to work." Many of us know the terrible fear and insecurity that come when we lose our jobs or when we are unable to find work. And few moments in life give as much satisfaction and pride as the moment when we can announce that we have a job, whether it is our job after leaving school, or a new job ending a period of uncertainty.

We all know that loss of a job through illness give the sick person tremendous financial worry, worry which often hinders his recovery. The longer the period of illness, the greater the worry, for bills pile up and savings dwindle. Tuberculosis is a particularly severe economic disaster for the victim, for it often means long treatment, and it may require curtailed activity or even a new kind of job after the patient is able to go back to work.

Surely, a man who has recovered from TB has the "right to work," certainly he does not want to remain a burden on his family and on the community any longer than necessary. But he often faces an extra handicap—a large measure of public misinformation about tuberculosis. A former patient who has his doctor's approval to return to work is not a danger to his co-workers. Doctors do not approve a return to work when the disease is in a contagious stage. If there is someone where you work who has had tuberculosis and who has gone to work with medical ap-

**Old Petticoats Can Be Restored**

Don't throw away that favorite nylon petticoat just because it has lost its crispness!

Putting the perkiness back into nylon taffeta or net petticoats is simple to do with pre-cooked cold water laundry starch, so suggests Lavonia Hilbert, Extension clothing specialist with the University of Maryland.

Offering the following tips, Miss Hilbert says: Launder petticoat as usual, then leave it damp for starching. Add about one and one-fourth cups of starch to two

quarts cold water, using a pan large enough for starching. Then stir until the starch is dissolved. Dip the petticoat up and down several times, pressing the starch solution through the garment—BUT DO NOT WRING. Fasten dripping petticoat at waistband to hanger on line, and let it drip dry. The specialist says it will be extremely stiff when dry, but it will have a slightly softer finish when it is ironed. Folds of net petticoats should be separated as they dry, so they will not stick together.

If using a dry iron on the garment, set the iron at the proper temperature and iron petticoat while it is still damp for best results. If using a steam iron, iron after petticoat is dry.

A word is added by the specialist when laundering "can-can" petticoats. She says the "can-cans" are easier to iron if ironed on the right side first. Then, she advises, turn the skirt wrong-side out and iron ruffles. Begin with the top ruffle.

**Benefit Smorgasbord Sponsored By PTA**

The Thurmont school cafeteria will be the scene of a Smorgasbord supper to be held on two successive days, Feb. 17 and 18 between the hours of 4 and 8 p. m. The buffet-type supper, featuring baked chicken, baked ham, fillet of fish and scalloped oysters, is being sponsored by the Thurmont PTA. Proceeds are designated for the purchase of ur-

gently needed school equipment. Under the supervision of Mrs. Ross Smith and the assistance of several hundred committee members, the sponsoring organization plans to make this one of the most outstanding community events ever undertaken.

A unique feature of the smorgasbord is the many and varied assortment of foods that are available. A top tier arrangement on the tables will include such items as fruit cocktail, consommé and various salads and relishes. A wide choice of vegetables is being offered as well as a variety of cakes and pies.

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Destructive Forces Identified
There are many forces working today for the destruction of our government and our way of life. Communism is one force, with an expanding empire already enslaving 40 per cent of the world's people, with its Fifth Column in America, its hordes of fellow travelers, and its unwitting dupes who run into the millions when we count ignorance as a betrayal of citi-

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zanship. Socialism is another force dedicated to the destruction of our Republic. It is a twin with Communism. It is much more attractive to ignorance than is Communism; for with its false-face on, it holds up a potent appeal to those seeking something for nothing in a "decent" way.

A third force, working somewhat blindly but leading nevertheless toward destruction, is political demagoguery. In some ways it is the worst. It is native in character and the intelligent people of America, because of their apathy, have permitted it to grow up and spellbind millions. It is degrading to a whole nation's morality. Wherever demagoguery prevails ignorance becomes frozen and individual freedom ultimately is killed. Demagoguery has its appeal to ignorance the pipe-dream—"We can get you something for nothing."

Ignorance Begets Slavery
Thomas Jefferson was not distinguished as a poet, but occasionally he put some of his greatest wisdom into rhyme. He felt strongly about the liability of ignorance on freedom. Here is the way Jefferson put it: "If a nation expects to be ignorant and free, it expects what never was and never will be." And Emerson, the writer-philosopher, wrote: "A nation never falls but by suicide."

And, you may ask, what has all this to do with the Hoover Report on governmental reorganization and the Jaycees? Just this: In our world today it is suicidal to be ignorant of the philosophy and the menace of Communism; suicidal to be ignorant of the record of Socialism and of its cunning masquerades; suicidal to be ignorant of the true character of demagoguery; and, lastly, suicidal for our American citizenry to be ignorant of what's going on in their government—at the local, state, and national level. The Challenge

Unless a sufficient number of informed citizens begin taking a more active part in the formation and operation of their government, that government will fall prey to, first, the demagogues; and then the dictators. On the other hand, if enough of us will adequately inform ourselves on the political and economic facts of life today—worldwide and at home—and strengthen our government by intelligent and unselfish participation in it, the American nation will not be destroyed; and Socialism, Communism and demagoguery will suffer defeat. Any citizen can intelligently

and unselfishly participate in his government by spending two cents for a post card and telling his representative in Congress, in the State legislature and in the county courthouse why he should take this or that action. But first he must know why. The Citizens Committee for the Hoover Report can help you know the "why" of recommendations it has made to strengthen our Federal government through improved efficiency and economy. For a concise explanation of the recommendations, write the Committee for its 252-page digest and analyses—441 Lexington Ave., New York 17.

Automation Will Not Cause Unemployment Experts Say

Job reallocation problems which may arise from automation which may arise from automation which may arise from automation without serious hardship, so long as we retain the high flexibility of the labor force, according to a report from the National Assn. of Manufacturers on automation and employment.

There will be industries in which total employment will be increased through automation, others in which it will be reduced, and still others yet unborn whose job opportunities only the future will reveal, the association said.

The NAM pointed out that the labor force is "reallocating" itself voluntarily—with people entering or leaving the labor force, or making other changes of status—at the rate of eight million changes every month.

In manufacturing, the number of persons who voluntarily quit their jobs each month runs at more than two per cent of the labor force, the report noted.

"In other words, over an entire year the total number of quits is equal to about one-quarter of the total number of jobs," the association said. "Most of these people who leave jobs voluntarily move quickly to other fields of endeavor."

Census Bureau statistics indicate that an average of more than six million people move either in or out of the labor force each month, and in addition, other millions make some change in

their status within the labor force each month, the NAM observed. Altogether, it added, more than eight million changes occur each month.

"In this setting, even where labor-saving methods bring about a reduction of employment in an industry, very often no particular individual loses his job as a result," the report said. "Each month a considerable number of employes retire, leave voluntarily for better jobs, or die.

"By not replacing these people as rapidly as they depart, reallocation occurs by a natural process of reduction. Since the conversion of an industry to a new technology takes place gradually in most instances, this process of attrition should take care of most situations in which automation causes reallocation."

One appraisal of the industries "ripe for automation" in the near future indicates that their employment accounts for only eight per cent of the total labor force, the NAM said, and it is estimated that not more than 50 per cent of the persons now employed in those industries would be displaced over the next 20 years.

"This suggests that the reallocation problem arising out of automation would involve about 2.5 million jobs over a 20-year period. Is this alarming? Just as great a shift was accomplished in only four years, with very little difficulty, during the reconversion period following the World War II peak," the association observed.

"From the peak in 1943 to 1947, manufacturing employment declined about 2.5 million, while employment in the trade and service fields grew about the same amount."

Some who fear that automation will cause the loss of jobs assume, erroneously, that automation may take place more quickly than people can be trained to fill the new jobs, the report said.

"So this assumption leads to the fear that since people will not have sufficient skill to seize the new opportunities, they will remain unemployed," the NAM continued.

"The actual danger is quite different. First, the new equipment cannot be designed or built until there are sufficient trained people to design and build it. Second, it will not be installed until there is sufficient trained manpower to operate and service

it. "No business concern is going to make an expensive change in its equipment or methods without first making sure that the necessary manpower is available. Automation can take place only as rapidly as the necessary upgrading of skills develops.

"Therefore, the real danger in failing to have enough trained manpower is not unemployment, but a slowing down of technological progress."

SPORTS AFIELD
By Ted Kesting

"What's happening to our deer?" asks Durward L. Allen in an article in the current issue of Sports Afield. Back in the 1900's bucks that would rough dress at 175 to 200 pounds were common, and they wore heavy racks of eight to 12 points. Old does regularly fawned and some bore triplets. Fawns were chunky 75 to 90-pounders by fall. Spike bucks were rare and forkhorns uncommon.

But by the middle '40's the average legal buck dressed out at a little over 100 pounds. Antlers were small, and few deer had more than eight points. Spikes and forks had become a regular thing. December fawns scaled 35 to 50 pounds. Many does had single and some no young at all.

A national expert has said, "Big herds have been mismanaged so consistently the bulk of the nation's hunters don't know poor deer when they see them." This remark was not aimed at game commissions but at a great chunk of the American people. Game commissions are faced with a public phobia against killing female deer.

The average person considers a drastic fall thinning of the herd the alternative of letting deer "slaughter." He doesn't recognize starve because they've eaten all the available food. It wouldn't occur to such a person that malnutrition can cause a doe to "resorb" her developing young or drop fawns too weak to live, and that starving deer are subject to pneumonia and parasites. They offer to pay for the damage when hungry herds destroy farmers' crops.

The situation is really serious. It's now a certainty from coast to coast that you can't manage deer without cropping them, and you can't take the necessary harvest under a bucks only law.

What would an experienced biologist do? He'd send hunters out in the fall to take about 25 per cent of the bucks, does and fawns. Then he'd go in and improve forest habitat. Long ago deer managers learned that you can't improve deer food supplies in the presence of a capacity herd because new browse never gets started—the deer eat it off. And game managers know that 50 well-fed does will produce more fawns than 100 will turn out after a food shortage has taken effect.

GI Now In Georgia

Pvt. Donald L. Gochenour, 20, son of Mrs. William J. Myers, recently was assigned to the 3rd Infantry Division at Fort Benning, Ga.

After three years in the Far East, the 3rd, nicknamed the "Rock of the Marne" division, is

undergoing infantry training at Battalion, Pvt. Gochenour was the fort. A tank crewman in Co. C of last stationed at Fort Campbell, Ky. He entered the army in April the division's 3rd Reconnaissance 1955.

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(This is one of a series of articles on federal income tax filing. The articles are based on information provided by the American Institute of Accountants and the Maryland Society of Certified Public Accountants.)

Nobody likes to be sick. But if there was sickness in your family during 1955, you may have some compensation tax-wise.

First there is the question of "sick pay." If you were absent from work due to injury or sickness and received payments from your employer (either sick benefits or regular pay) or his insurance company, these payments, within limits, are free of tax.

There are two limitations: First, the maximum amount is \$100 per week, plus any amounts which came from your own contributions to the plan.

Second, unless the absence was for sickness during which you were hospitalized at least one day, or for an injury, the payments are not tax free until after the first 7 calendar days of absence.

If these payments are included in the wages shown on your withholding slips, you should subtract the proper amount from your income in the place provided on the first page of the tax return (Form 1040). Attach an explanation as described in the instructions. You are entitled to exclude this amount even if you do not itemize your deductions.

Apart from sick pay, you may have received payments covering medical expenses for yourself and your dependents. Don't include these in your income, but don't deduct the medical expenses covered by these payments either.

Medical Deductions

If you itemize your deductions, you may be able to save tax money by listing medical and dental expenses you paid for yourself and your dependents.

This year you list your medical and dental expenses on a separate sheet, rather than on the form itself. Space is provided on the form for figuring the amount that is allowable as a deduction.

You are allowed a deduction for your medical expenses beyond 3% of your adjusted gross income. If you (or your husband or wife) were 65 or over at the end of the year, the 3% rule does not apply to your own medical expenses. It does apply to any medical expenses you pay for your dependents.

Your deduction is limited to a

maximum amount for the year, as explained in the instructions. Medicines and drugs may be included in your medical expenses only to the extent they exceed 1% of your gross income.

Among the items to include in your list of medical expenses are fees of doctors, dentists, hospitals and nurses. List premiums for Blue Cross and other health, accident or hospitalization insurance, but remember you cannot deduct medical expenses paid or reimbursed by insurance.

Widows and Widowers

There are several provisions of special interest to widows and widowers:

- 1. You may file a joint return with a husband or wife who died during the tax year if no separate return is filed.
2. If you have not remarried and have in your household a dependent child or stepchild, you are entitled for the next two years to use the same tax computation (with income-splitting) as you would have been entitled to on a joint return.
3. When life insurance proceeds are taken as an annuity or in installments, widows and widowers are allowed \$1,000 per year of tax-free payments in addition to the principal.
4. You may be entitled to retirement income credit if your deceased husband or wife would have qualified.
5. You may be entitled to a deduction for child care expenses.

The instructions that come with your tax forms give further information. Help is also available from the Internal Revenue Service, which urges you to consult a properly qualified advisor if you need outside assistance.

Next article: Deductions Reduce Your Income Tax.

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by Colonel Gough

**Living Today**  
Editor's Note: The following article is a reprint from the book, "Health Psychology," a treatise on mental and physical coordination, written by the writer of this article. The book was published when Mr. Gough was the health editor of the Psychology magazine, New York City, during 1930-31. He holds honorary degrees Ps.D., Ms.D. At the time he was professionally engaged in psychoanalytical and psychological research on the Psychology magazine staff.

**PSYCHO-ANALYSIS:** It may help the reader to understand what we mean by mental and physical coordination if he understands some of the principles of psychology and psycho-analysis. This is a subject which the layman knows practically nothing about and still it is one of the most generally used and talked of subjects in the world today. There is prevalent among many of the laity the idea that anything to do with psychology means something mysterious, awe-inspiring—some faith one must believe in, or else it may have something to do with sex, etc. Many of these are erroneous im-

pressions. Psychology and psycho-analysis are scientific studies, just as material as arithmetic's two and two makes four.

It is true that the originator of psycho-analysis, Dr. Sigmund Freud, used the term sex to express himself, but he would have been the victim of much less criticism and more easily understood if he had used the word social instead. Much has been accomplished in this field and after all it is probably only in its infancy. It has so much to do with life, for it is life in a sense that it will be a subject which will grow and grow developing into limitless boundaries as the centuries come.

The modern trend of the times has brought with it much thinking and there have been written many volumes devoted to the study of psychology and psycho-analysis. Theories have been expounded, advanced and worked out and many discarded. Auto-suggestions reveals itself in various forms. The layman's understanding of the subject is vague. However, the theory has been definitely accepted and the realm of unhappiness depends a great deal on psycho-analytical knowledge. The modern physician realizes this and appreciates its importance in healing. (A good doctor knows his patient's mind better than the person does himself.)

**PSYCHOLOGY:** The study of the mind in its relationship explaining the intricate functionings and the human organ as it reveals that there is a subconscious mind. The great Austrian, Dr. Freud, began the development of psycho-analysis. He

was striving to derive at some scientific explanation of the workings of the "hidden mind" and its relation to the patient's general behavior and welfare. Dr. Freud realized that within us were many inexplicable characteristics. These known complexes of the human mind have been detrimental and effects the physical well-being. Dreams, hypnotism, and insanity have been the result of much mystery and thought to be supernaturally influenced. Once an insane person was thought to be cursed by evil spirits. The knowledge that the mind can become sick just as does the human body is now an accepted fact, and should bring no reflections on any individual.

Psycho-analysis has been of much help to mentally ill persons and when practiced by a licensed psychologist is unexcelled for one's physical well-being. Psycho-analysis is used universally and the intermediate stages of neurosis and the incumbent repressions and fears have now been reduced in their intensity through the understanding of the subconscious mind. (Next week: A continuation of psycho-analysis with recommendation that your local doctor and physician be consulted before discussing the subject for any detailed information other than from a qualified psycho-analyst.)

**SENATE CLOAKROOM**  
By J. GLENN BEALL

Sometimes friends and enemies can be disguised to look like one another.

And sometimes legislators can be made to look like they are voting directly against the interests of their constituents.

That, in effect, is what happened during the recent debate on the natural gas bill when 53 Senators—including myself—had

to win a point by voting down an amendment which was offered under the guise of being "a protection for the consumer."

**Interesting Maneuver**  
Actually, the so-called "protection" offered in the proposal was already included in the bill and would have been a duplication but the motive behind the amendment represented an extremely interesting maneuver. I would, therefore, like to review it for those of you who enjoy studying behind-the-scenes strategies.

As you know, the natural gas bill itself was passed in the Senate by a rather sizeable margin of 15 votes. But according to the rules for handling legislation, the bill could not even have come up for final consideration at the time if it had been amended.

**Consumers Considered**  
That is why the opponents, who wanted delay, were fighting so hard to make some sort of change in the measure.

It was obvious that both sides of the measure were trying to do all that they could to help consumers, even though they were arguing about how it could be done most effectively. Therefore, according to the figuring of the opponents, it would be practically impossible for anyone to vote against an amendment which stated in black and white, that consumer interests would be protected.

**Amendment Killed**  
Fortunately, the trick didn't work. Feeling that the consumers would ultimately gain most by prompt enactment of the measure, the supporters of the bill kept their eye on the final passage vote and rejected the unnecessary consumer amendment, which, although it might have sounded good, would practically have killed the bill.

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**HOGAN'S ALLEY**  
BY PAT HOGAN

Dear Critics, whose verdicts are always so new!—One word in your ear. There were Critics before . . . And the man who plants cabbages imitates, too!  
—Henry Austin Dobson

**EVE GETS GIRL'S GOAT:** Eve Arden seems to attract homeless animals like the Pied Piper did children. Evidently inspired by the publicity about her adoption

of a stray burro and a perfumed skunk, not to mention a full quota of cats and dogs, a little girl approached "Our Miss Brooks" after her show the other night. The youngster had been given a goat for Christmas but because of lack of facilities, her parents said she had to get rid of it.

"Please take it, Miss Arden," the child pleaded. "I know you're kind to animals." Finally Eve acquiesced, and added it to her menagerie on her 38-acre ranch.

LIKE ANY OTHER FAN, first lady of the movies, Bette Davis, fell in love at first sight with a movie star when she saw him in a picture. But, unlike the usual hero - worshipper, she met him personally a year later and married him.

She admitted this on the set at the Fox studio where they were filming "The 20th Century-Fox Hour" TV production, "Crack-up," seen on CBS-TV under General Electric sponsorship. Her husband, Gary Merrill, stars in the show in which Bette appears on television for the first time.

"After seeing Gary in this teleplay I fell in love with him all over again," confided Miss Davis. "I'm going to give him another 5-year option. Our three children are in favor of it, too!"

ANY DAY NOW you may be hearing the "Brain Bricht Night Th'nicht Babalu Mambo." It would, of course, be written by Desi Arnaz, who since last week calls himself the "kolorfully kilted Kuban." He convulsed a live studio audience at the "I Love Lucy" TV show with his performance as a

Desi Arnaz Scotsman in kilts, complete with Scotch burr delivered in Desi's own brand of Latin accent. It was part of a dream sequence in an episode in which Desi "Loves Lucy" in Scotland.

**FOUR STAR PLAYHOUSE** was filming a sequence in which a native was attempting to kill David Niven with a spear. In the scene Niven was supposed to turn around just in time to see the native creeping up behind him with a spear, then dodge and subdue his attacker. Instead when he turned, Niven calmly said:

"Hi, Leon, bring be a rum grog!"

After the two shook hands, laughing, it was learned that the "native" was Leon Lontoc, a well-known Filipino actor, who works as a waiter nights. Niven had recognized him as his favorite boy at the famed Beachcombers where he has worked for 15 years.

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**From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh**

**She Knew It All The Time**

Chances are, long ago your grandma knew how to keep you from catching cold. Mine did. "Stay out of drafts," she'd warn. "Bundle up. Don't get wet."

Then, maybe, when you grew up you found that the old lady's theories were considered old fashioned. Germs were the thing—and the way to avoid a cold was to avoid infection by somebody who already had one.

Now I read where scientists aren't so sure. Germs carry a cold, of course, but they now believe something else "sets it off"—something like drafts, wet feet or going without your muffler. Grandma, take a bow!

From where I sit, there's liable to be sound reasoning behind the old customs people believe in. "Early to bed, early to rise," for instance—or the practice of drinking hot milk or a glass of beer at bedtime. I'm not saying you ought to hold with these beliefs yourself... but you'd better get the facts before giving them the "chill."

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# FAIRFIELD NEWS

Vera Eversole and Mary Lee Hardman were crowned queen and king and presided at the Senior Class Valentine dance in the high school gym last Saturday. The attendants were Barbara Miller and James Herring.

Girl Scout Troop 33 of Fairfield met Wednesday evening at the home of its leader, Mrs. Robert Davis. She acquainted them with the requirements necessary to obtain the "Better Grooming" badge.

A large crowd attended the card party Thursday evening in the high school cafeteria, sponsored by the Fairfield Lions Club. The next party is scheduled for Wednesday evening, Feb. 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woods were guests of honor at a dinner held last Sunday at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Donaldson, Jr., in honor of their 36th wedding anniversary. Guest present were Mr. and Mrs. James Donaldson, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Peter DeMarco and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tshudy and son and Mrs. John Plager and daughter of Lancaster, Pa.

Lenten devotions will be held in St. Mary's Catholic Church every Friday evening during Lent at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. George M. Neely Sr. and her grandson, Henry Neely, are now residing at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Neely Jr., York, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. William Beitler and family of Washington, D. C., visited last Saturday with Mrs. Albert Culbertson, Henderson Apts.

Robert Newman, Philadelphia, Pa., arrived Monday for a visit with his nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Newman.

Mrs. Harry Sease is a patient in the University of Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Fairfield Fire Co. was held last night at

the home of Mrs. Raymond Hare. Following the business meeting, a quilting party was held.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hare entertained the Associated Women of the Adams County Farm Bureau at their home Monday evening. Mrs. Glenn Keefer, president, presided. Following this, games were played and refreshments served. The March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Luther Kepler.

The Ella M. Glenn Bible Class of Zion Lutheran Church will serve a ham dinner Saturday evening, Feb. 25. Serving will start at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. O'Leary Robert entertained the 500 card party at her home Tuesday evening. Prizes for high scores were won by Mrs. James Donaldson and Miss Mary Harbaugh. The club will meet in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Joseph Scott, Jr.

Mrs. Lee Robison, Glen Burnie, Md., is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Joseph Scott, Sr.

Mrs. Betty Bishop and Mr. Richard Straup, members of the faculty of the Fairfield Joint High School, attended the National Organization of Office Managers Conference held at the Yorktown Hotel, York, on Monday.

## Gun Club Sponsors 'Shoot' Saturday

The Tom's Creek Rod and Gun Club, Fairfield, will sponsor a shooting match Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the Indian Trail Inn, on the Fairfield-Greentown Rd. The affair is limited to 12 gauge guns and prizes of turkeys, chickens and hams will be awarded.

At birth baby antelope weigh from five to six pounds and stand about 16 inches high. Development is so rapid they gain almost a pound a day for the first few days and soon are nibbling grass.

## Bank Stockholders Have Banquet

A stockholders dinner of the First National Bank of Fairfield was held Monday evening at the high school cafeteria. Decorations for the dinner were on a Valentine theme with red and white carnations, white snapdragons, and hearts and Valentine napkins and candies. More than 100 were served at the dinner by the ladies of Zion Lutheran Church.

Attorney John A. MacPhail served as toastmaster. The invocation was given by the Rev. A. W. Geigley. Group singing was led by William Shultz, accompanied at the piano by Miss Helen McClear.

Wesley Schaible, cashier of the bank, gave the address of welcome and Howard C. Diehl, president of the bank, introduced other directors: Mervin I. Weikert, J. B. Waddle, S. L. Allison, E. H. Newman, E. L. Sheads, Harold K. Deardorff, George C. Steinberger and Luther N. Martin. Director J. E. Zimmerman was unable to be present for the dinner.

President Diehl also introduced assistant cashier Kenneth Slonaker and bank attorney, Donald M. Swope.

Rev. Nevin E. Smith, Hanover, was the principal speaker and said "The first duty of bankers is to instill confidence in a community." Speaking of Washington and Lincoln and giving brief histories of their lives, Rev. Mr. Smith declared "Say about them what you will, these two men, more than any others, inspired the confidence of their fellow man. In this, bankers should follow the precept of Lincoln and Washington. It is a banker's duty to inspire confidence in his integrity, and his judgment. Confidence is one of the greatest needs in the world. Without it we can have no progress. Fairfield, I am sure, is one community that does have confidence in those in which it reposes leadership. The proof of that confidence is shown in the growth of the community over the last several years."

## Emmitsburg Services

**TOM'S CREEK METHODIST**  
Rev. Paul McCauley, Pastor  
Sunday, 9:00 a. m., Church School. Worship at 10 a. m.  
Circuit MYF will meet Wednesday in the social room of the Thurmont Methodist Church at 7:30 p. m.

**TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Paul McCauley, Pastor  
Sunday, 9:00 a. m., Worship Service, Church School 10 a. m.  
Friday, Feb. 24, the Mite Society will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fuss at 8:00 p. m.

**ELIAS LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Rev. Philip Bower, pastor  
Sunday School, 9:15 a. m.  
The Service, 10:30 a. m.  
The Chapel Choir will sing, "Go to Dark Gethsemane," Noble, Sermon, "Training for Combat." Catechise Class, 6:30 p. m.  
The Lenten Service will be held Wednesday night, Feb. 22, at 7:30 o'clock, followed by joint meeting of church council, Sunday School cabinet, Missionary Society, LOYAL and Luther League.

**REFORMED CHURCH**  
Rev. Edmund Welker, pastor  
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.  
Church Service, 10:30 a. m.  
Religious film, "The Secret of the Gift," will be shown in the church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Union World Day of Prayer Service will be held Friday evening, Feb. 17, at 7:30 o'clock. Mid-week Lenten Services are scheduled for Wednesday, Feb. 22, at 7:30 p. m.

**ST. JOSEPH'S CATH. CHURCH**  
Rev. John D. Sullivan, Pastor  
Rev. Vincent Heary, Asst.  
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.  
Friday at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m., Stations of the Cross, Lenten Devotions and Benediction. Monday evenings at 7:30, Miraculous Medal Devotions, sermon and Benediction. Daily Masses at 6:30 and 7:30 a. m.

**ST. ANTHONY'S SHRINE**  
Rev. Vincent J. Tomalski, Pastor  
Masses on Sunday at 7:30 and 9:30 a. m. Confessions Saturdays at 8:30 and 7:00 p. m.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. Gideon Galambos, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
Worship Service, 11:00 a. m.

**JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES**  
Taneytown, Md.  
Sunday, 7 p. m., Watchtower Study. Tuesday, 8 p. m., Book Study. Thursday, 7:30 p. m., Theocratic Ministry School; 8:30, Service meeting.

Before lighting a campfire, clear all inflammable material from the ground for at least six feet so the fire will not spread, even in a wind.—Sports Afield

## AMVETS New Home To Open March 1

The new home of the Fairfield AMVETS will be "ready for formal occupancy" Mar. 1, according to reports presented Tuesday evening at a meeting of the organization at the home, near Fairfield.

The organization bought the farm of Dale Rider last summer and since that time the membership has been engaged in remodeling the house and working on grounds and acreage about it to convert the former farm for organizational use. The group has been holding its meetings there while engaged in the remodeling.

Three new members were accepted by the Post Tuesday, Lawrence J. Cullison, Gettysburg; Melvin C. Herring, Cashtown, and William A. Bigham, Fairfield, bringing the number of members to 60.

The next meeting of the Post will be held at the Post Home Mar. 13.

## Ten Pin League

(Does not include games bowled week of Feb. 13).

	W.	L.
Ditzler's	38	13
Five Aces	41	16
Blue Jays	38	19
Mt. St. Mary's	29	19
Eagles	31	26
Indian Trail Inn	19	38
Yellow Jackets	12	42
Newman's Market	11	46

High single game last week, Sparks, 222; high 3-game, D. Topper, 611; team high, single game, Five Aces, 895; team high, three games, Blue Jays, 2508.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

St. Joseph's	48	15
Senators	45	18
Redsox	44	19
Green's Pastry	30	33
Black Lables	29	34
Maple Splitters	25	38
IOOF	22	41
Bald Head Row	9	54

Weekly high scores: B. Valentine, 154; F. Cool, 383; Senators, 595; Redsox, 1,679.

## CHURCH NOTES

### Fairfield Services

**ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Rev. Verle C. Schumacher  
Sunday School, 9:15 a. m.  
Worship Service, 10:30 a. m.

**ST. JOHN'S EV. REFORMED**  
Rev. Mark B. Michael, pastor.  
Worship Service at 9 a. m.  
Sunday School at 10 a. m.

**LOWER MARSH CREEK PRESBYTERIAN**  
Rev. Harry S. Ecker, pastor  
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.  
Worship Service, 10:30 a. m.

**FAIRFIELD MENNONITE**  
Rev. Lamont A. Woelk, pastor  
Church School, 10 a. m.  
Worship Service, 11 a. m.

**ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC**  
Rev. John J. McAnulty, pastor  
Masses at 7 and 9 a. m.

**GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Lower Tract Road  
Sunday School, 10 a. m.  
Church, 6:30 p. m. BYF, 7:30 p. m.  
Wednesday: Prayer meeting at 8:00 p. m.

## P-TA Meets

The regular monthly meeting of St. Joseph's High School PTA was held Tuesday evening in the school auditorium. Following the business meeting, a party was held in honor of the ninth birthday of the organization. Rev. John J. Hart, pastor of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church, Thurmont, was the guest speaker.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hoskins and daughter, Sharyn Lynn, of Dumfries, and Lieut. and Mrs. James Baumgardner, Arlington, Va., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baumgardner last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Miller and Mrs. Euphemia Rotering spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Tyson, Woodlawn, and Mrs. Mae Welty at Jenkins Memorial Home, Baltimore.

Miss Monica Warthen entertained classmates and friends at a party recently in honor of her 13th birthday. The guests included Mary Sprankle, Julianne Clark, Rita Remavage, Barbara Welty, Katherine Winn, Stephanie A. Baker, Carol Wenschoff, Rita Cool, Mary Myers, Alice Sherwin, Mrs. John Wagerman, her niece and nephew, and Karen A. and John Warthen. Refreshments were served. The guests played records, games, and danced.

Pvt. Charles Baker, Camp Lejeune, S. C., spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy A. Baker, Gettysburg Rd.

Mrs. Estelle Watkins is vacationing in Florida.

Mrs. Sue Callahan, Gettysburg, visited her mother, Mrs. Louise Warthen, St. Anthony's, last Sunday.

Mrs. Ida Wolfe, De Paul St., has returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Topper and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Topper families of Ferndale. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Topper and daughter accompanied her home Sunday and visited with his mother, Mrs. Ray Topper.

Mrs. Marie C. Rosensteel and daughter, Barbara, De Paul St., accompanied Mr. and Mrs. George V. Arnold and William Arnold, Taneytown Rt. 2, to College Park last Sunday where they visited George V. Arnold Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Glass, Emmitsburg Rt. 2, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Harry L. McNair and family, York. Mrs. McNair is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glass.

S. A. Thomas Wivell, spent the weekend here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wivell. Seaman Wivell received his orders to report back to the ship, USS Diamond Head, for permanent duty at Norfolk, Va.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Glass and son, Mickey, have returned to their home in Alexandria, Va., after spending a week visiting Mr. Glass' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Glass, near town, and Mrs. Glass' mother, Mrs. Dorothy Trimmer of Gettysburg, Pa.

Miss Mary Louise Callahan, Gettysburg, and Mrs. B. J. Eck-enrode and children, Joseph, Juliet, Mary Beth and Thomas, Emmitsburg, visited friends at the Monastery of the Visitation Convent, Bethesda, last Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Norris, Jr., and family, have moved to Mayville, New York.

Mrs. Genevieve R. Elder, who has been visiting in Pittsburgh, Pa., for the past six weeks, returned to her home here Saturday. She was accompanied here by her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Smith, who returned to Pittsburgh Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Garner, Alexandria, Va., spent the weekend here visiting Mrs. Garner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Fitzgerald.

Mr. John J. Hollinger, service manager of Sperry's Garage, spent Wednesday in Washington, D. C., attending an advanced service school on Fordomatic transmissions.

## St. Joseph's High School News

A Children of Mary meeting was held Tuesday afternoon with Virginia Topper, president, presiding. At the close of the meeting, a panel discussion was held with Alice Scott presiding as the chairman. Participating as panel members were Agnes Scott, whose topic was "An Open Letter." "Catholic Press in Catholic Action," was the title of Anne Breth's speech. A poem, "The Catholic Press," was read by Yvonne Clements and excerpts proving that Catholic newspapers contain interesting and worthwhile topics, were read by Joan Hobbs.

Mr. Bennett of Frederick, will give the Seniors a general aptitude test on Friday (today).

## VALENTINE PARTY

A Valentine party was given for Margaret Plank and some of her classmates last Sunday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Masser and Mrs. Koontz. Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Domburg and family, Larry Wetzel, Betty Wetzel, Nancy Andrew, Norman Shriver, Rodney Herring, Tommy Wilhide, Helen Leist, Mae Bushman, Linda Masser and Nickie Masser.

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## Meeting Time Is Changed

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## CLASSIFIED ADS

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### NOTICES

NOTICE — Bingo Game, Rocky Ridge Fire Hall, Fri., Feb. 24, 1956. New prizes, including groceries. 2/10/56

NOTICE TAXPAYERS! Due to unusual circumstances in the preparation of tax bills, mailing of 1956 bills will be delayed until late in February.

The County Commissioners have authorized the extension of the 2% discount period on County taxes to March 31, 1956 eliminating the 1% discount ordinarily granted in March.

Respectfully,  
JAMES H. FALK,  
County Treasurer

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## SPRANKLE—KEEFER

In a setting of spring flowers and palms Miss Elizabeth Jean Keefe, Waynesboro, Pa., daughter of Linus M. Keefe, Baltimore, and the late Mrs. Keefe, became the bride of Bernard Eugene Sprankle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard M. Sprankle, Fairfield Rt. 2, at a nuptial mass Saturday morning, Feb. 10, at 9 o'clock in St. Andrew's Catholic Church, Waynesboro, Pa. The Rev. Fr. John Gunville officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a gown of white chantilly lace over satin fashioned with a fitted jacket which had long sleeves tapering over the wrists and small satin-covered buttons from the mandarin collar to the waistline. The ballerina-length skirt was designed with ruffled tiers. Her elbow-length veil was attached to a satin pillbox hat trimmed with iridescent sequins. Her only jewelry was a pearl necklace, a gift of the bridegroom. She carried a prayer book topped with a white orchid from which fell white satin streamers tied with lilies of the valley.

The maid of honor, Miss Mary Jane Scott, Emmitsburg, wore a Nile green ballerina-length chantilly lace gown over taffeta designed with an empire waistline which was tied with a taffeta cummerbund. She wore matching lace mitts and a green pearl headdress to which a short veil was attached. She carried an old-fashioned bouquet of mixed spring flowers and wore a necklace and bracelet of pale pink pearls and rhinestones, a gift of the bride.

Donald Topper, Emmitsburg, was the best man. William D. Baker, Waynesboro, and Gerald Sprankle, Fairfield, a cousin of the bridegroom, were ushers. Miss Marie Keefe wore a navy blue street-length dress with white accessories and a gardenia corsage. Miss Theresa Keefe wore a brown and yellow print dress with brown accessories and a corsage of yellow rosebuds. They are the bride's aunts with whom she made her home in Waynesboro.

The bridegroom's mother wore a peacock blue crepe street-length dress with black accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds. Traditional wedding marches were played by the organist. Eugene Rosensteel, Emmitsburg, sang "Panis Angelicus" and "O Lord I Am Not Worthy."

A reception was held afterwards at the Anthony Wayne Hotel in Waynesboro for 75 guests. Later the couple left on a honeymoon of unannounced destination. As a going-away ensemble the bride wore a sandstone suit with a white hat and sandstone-colored accessories. Upon their return they will make their home in the Harner Apts., Center Square, Emmitsburg. The bride, who was graduated from St. Joseph's High School, Emmitsburg, with the class of '55 was employed until Feb. 1 by the telephone company in Waynesboro. Her husband, a graduate of the Emmitsburg High School, served with the U. S. Army in Europe. He is currently employed at Camp Detrick, Frederick. Out-of-town guests were from Baltimore, Thurmont, Emmitsburg, Fairfield, Hagerstown and Gettysburg, Pa.

## UMBEL—CLARK

A pretty church wedding was solemnized February 14 at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at Mount Carmel Catholic Church, Thurmont, when Miss Ruth Lynn Umbel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur T. Umbel, Emmitsburg, became the bride of Vincent Patrick Clarke, son of Mrs. Charles Clarke and the late Mr. Clarke of Thurmont.

The Rev. Fr. Hart officiated at the double ring ceremony and an organ recital was given. The traditional wedding marches were played by Miss Ruth Shuff, Emmitsburg.

The bride, given in marriage, by her father, wore a gown of French imported lace over satin with sleeves ending in points over the hands. Her nose-length veil was attached to a crown of flowers and she carried a nosegay of red and white carnations.

Mrs. Robert Goff, sister of the bridegroom, was matron of honor and she wore a gown of blue net over taffeta and carried a nosegay of red and white carnations. Paul Clarke, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride.

Mrs. Clarke is a graduate of Emmitsburg High School, Class of 1954 and also attended Towson State Teachers College.

Mr. Clarke is a graduate of St. John's High School, Frederick and is now a first class petty officer in the Navy. He is stationed at Pensacola, Fla., with the special services. The newlyweds left on a honeymoon through the South and will reside in Pensacola, Fla.

## Homemakers

### To Meet Thursday

The regular meeting of the Emmitsburg Homemakers' Club will be held in the Club Room on Thursday, Feb. 23, at 1:30 p. m. Mrs. Kenneth Wagaman, health leader, will conduct a talk on mental health.

## Grange Meeting Held Wednesday

Overseer Harry Swomley presided at the regular meeting of the Emmitsburg Grange held on Wednesday evening in the Public School, 26 members attending.

A report of the recent banquet was given by the treasurer. Dates for the conferring of the first and second degrees to be given April 3 in Walkersville have been announced. The third and fourth degrees will be conferred April 17.

A discussion on Port Authority tax was held and all Grangers are urged to oppose this tax by contacting their congressman.

Mrs. George J. Martin will be in charge of the food stand at the David Martin public sale on Saturday, Feb. 25 and Mrs. E. Eckenrode, Mrs. William Krom, Mrs. Harry Swomley and Mrs. Clara Harner, will serve on the committee.

It was announced the Emmitsburg and Lewistown Granges had tied for the attendance banner at the Pomona meeting Saturday, Feb. 4, at Thurmont.

The Harney Grange will visit Emmitsburg at the next regular meeting and will present the program. A film, entitled "Party Line," with Bill Baird's puppets, was shown as the lecturer's program. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. George J. Martin.

## Scout Activities

In a recent contest in Troop 284, all the Scouts were asked to draw a map of Emmitsburg showing all places that could be reached in case of an emergency so they would be familiar with them. The places included—their home, doctor, pastor, police, fire house, and nearest water supply. Of the maps turned in, Tenderfoot Scout Jerry Rightmire received top honor and the Flaming Arrow Patrol, under Patrol Leader James Fitzgerald, was top patrol. By doing this and learning how to act in an emergency, these Scouts may sometimes save a life. The Scouts are instructed on the use of the telephone in an emergency, the correct way to put in a fire alarm, the necessary information to be told to police, firemen, doctors or priests, whatever the case may be. Many of the Scouts are working on first aid, firemanship, safety in the home, etc. These boys are working for a better, safer community.

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Mrs. James Wivell, Rt. 2.  
**DISCHARGED**  
Mrs. Charles Shriner and infant son.  
Mrs. Vernon Clem and infant daughter, Rocky Ridge.  
**BIRTHS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sanders, Fairfield, daughter, Feb. 12.  
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Clark, daughter, Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Wivell, Rt. 2, son, Monday.

**Recovering From Amputation**  
Mrs. Edward Craig, Route 1, has returned home from the Memorial Hospital in Frederick where she recently underwent a double amputation of her legs. She is reported convalescing satisfactorily at her home.

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## Thurmont To Sell Bonds For Purchase Of Water Company

The town of Thurmont will proceed immediately to advertise and sell bonds to purchase the Mechanicstown Water Co. Thomas S. Glass, attorney to the corporation, said last week.

Mr. Glass said officials of the town were "very pleased" with a ruling of the Court of Appeals, handed down on Friday, that Maryland's cities and towns have the power to raise their own debt and tax limits under home rule granted them by the legislature.

It was the action of the high court, in a test case, which Thurmont was awaiting before it sold its bonds. Had the ruling been adverse, it would have been necessary to secure legislative action to sell the bonds.

The purchase of the company will occur as soon as the bonds are sold, Mr. Glass said. Stockholders of the company have placed their stock in escrow at the Thurmont Bank where the money from the sale of the bonds will be deposited to pay for the stock.

The town will float \$87,000 in bonds. Of the total issue, it was announced some time ago, \$85,000 is needed to purchase the capital stock of the water company and the remainder to pay off the bonded indebtedness of the company.

The bonds would be liquidated over a period of 30 years. Mr. Glass said the ratio of the town's indebtedness to its assessable base is so favorable that a low rate of interest for the bonds is assured.

Town officials feel revenues from the sale of water will be

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## Mail Carrier Exam

An examination for rural carrier for the postoffice at Rocky Ridge will be open for acceptance of applications until March 13, the Civil Service Commission has announced.

sufficient not only to pay the principal and interest on the bonds but to provide a surplus of around \$5000 a year which could be used, if necessary, to expand the system.

## Church Service

The Protestant congregations of Emmitsburg churches will hold their first Union Lenten Services in the Methodist Church, Wednesday night, Feb. 29, with the sermon by Rev. Gideon Galambos.

Services will continue in the Presbyterian Church on Mar. 7, Lutheran Church, Mar. 14, and the Reformed Church, Mar. 21.

All Wednesday night services will start at 7:30 o'clock.



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