

Weekend Weather Forecast
 Rising temperature trend today and tomorrow. Colder by Sunday. Temperatures to average 6-10 degrees below normal.

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Most Anything At A Glance

BY ABIGAIL

I probably won't be thanked for this and to boot will catch a lot of you know what, but I have felt all along that something should be done about the matter. The best minds are at work trying to devise a method of reducing automobile fatalities and are meeting with practically no success at all. Millions are being spent to incorporate the latest safety features in new highways and still the slaughter continues unabated.

I never have been and probably never will be in favor of issuing a driver's license to 16-year-old boys. I seldom if ever have seen a boy of that tender age with the proper sense of responsibility he should have when he sits behind the wheel of an automobile. They just don't have it, period! To license a youth of this age to drive a vehicle is just plain inviting disaster and I can't understand why the state insists on doing it. Imagine turning a one-ton steel vehicle with over 200 horsepower over to a youngster with no sense of responsibility or danger. It is an invitation to catastrophe, sure as shootin'. The first thing right off the bat that he undoubtedly will do when his parents aren't present is to see how dang fast the thing will do. This is inevitable. I have seen it happen too many times. A girl though, is much more cautious and not so daring. I might be wrong but I am inclined to believe that most girls at 16 are mature enough to drive a car. You never see them speeding or "peeling rubber" as the expression goes. They really do appear to have much better sense, that is when it comes to driving, than those of the opposite sex. A boy is decidedly different. First he has to get the top speed of the car, peel rubber in fast take-offs, apparently in an effort to attract the attention of the young gals. Then he must do feats of daring in competition with fellow drivers of comparable age. He really isn't capable of good driving sense until he reaches at least 18 years of age and sometimes that age is questionable varying with individuals.

Received a postcard in the mail this week regarding my column on trees last week. I cited the danger caused by trees along the roadways. Says the postal: "Don't worry about the trees—keep the kids at home nights. A church campaign in your town should help very much." Another unsigned letter bemoans the fact that teen-agers have nothing to do unless they go out of town and that is when they get into trouble. Maybe so but every community has the same problem, regardless of whether it has recreational facilities or not. You can have all the skating rinks, movies, recreation centers, etc. in the world and still the juvenile delinquency rate is about the same compared to the population figures in towns which do not have such facilities. I don't have the answer to the teen-age problem—if there is one. It seems almost certain that out of any group some will manage to get into some sort of trouble, rich or poor, educated or illiterate, recreation facilities or not, makes no difference. I guess it's more or less up to the individual to steer a straight course, more or less.

It's been ticking away now for 54 years and unlike Big Ben of London fame it has never received a name. Someone ought to sponsor a contest to name our friend, the town clock in the steeple of St. Joseph's Church. Wednesday was its birthday, in case you are interested. The time-piece was installed on January 23, 1903 under the pastorate of the late beloved Father Hayden. The clock originally cost \$500 and I am told it is now valued at \$5,000. The giant tick-tock is manually wound once a week and keeps amazingly accurate time considering its age. I am not aware of the life expectancy of such a time recorder but I hope it lasts another 50 years. I don't know what we'd do without its four friendly beaming faces giving out free time all four seasons of the year. It truly is one of the landmarks of this happy little village. I'd still like to give it a name though. Any suggestions?

Three Women Killed In Car Crash

Three women were killed and two others seriously injured in an automobile accident about five miles west of Emmitsburg near the Underground Pentagon Tuesday morning when they were driving to work. Their car was involved in a head-on collision with a tractor-trailer.

One of the women identified as Mrs. Grace Hamilton Ott, 72, Pen Mar, was killed instantly. Two others died later in the Waynesboro, Pa., Hospital.

The accident occurred about 6:45 a. m. All the women, residents of the Pen Mar-Pennersville, Pa., area, were on their way to their place of employment at the Knouse Food Cooperative, in Orrtanna, Pa.

Dying at 8:30 at the hospital was Mrs. Daisy Debrick, 49, Pen Mar, crushed chest.

Dying at 10:20 at the hospital was Mrs. Anna Watson, 28, Pen Mar, fractured skull.

Described as in serious condition at the hospital are Mrs. Alice Kint, RFD 4, Waynesboro, 38, fractured left arm, deep contusions of both legs. Mrs. Alice Gilland, RFD 4, Waynesboro, 48, dislocated hip, broken bones and other injuries including a right symphysis of the pelvis.

Mrs. Ott, killed instantly, died of a fractured skull, Pennsylvania State Police reported.

According to the Pennsylvania State Police the accident occurred on U. S. 16 at the Fountaindale intersection which is about five miles west of Emmitsburg, over the Maryland line.

A tractor-trailer, driven by Ronald Hewitt, 22, Gettysburg, Pa., was going west on Rt. 16. It was preceded by an oil tanker which was traveling at a slower rate of speed, according to reports.

Hewitt, Pennsylvania Police said, applied his brakes to slow down for the oil tanker and skidded on the icy roads into the path of the 1949 Mercury in which the five women were passengers. The Mercury was going east on Rt. 16. The head-on collision demolished the Mercury.

Hewitt was reported uninjured. Damage to the tractor-trailer was estimated by State Police at \$250. It was also reported the roads were icy and it was foggy.

The tractor-trailer was owned by H. E. Brinkerhoff.

Car Skids, Hits Tree; None Injured

No one was reported injured when a car skidded at 5:45 o'clock Monday morning on the Lincoln Highway, four miles east of Gettysburg and struck a tree and a parked car.

Police said Lester F. McLaughlin, 48, Emmitsburg, was driving east when his car skidded on the highway, ran off the road, struck a tree and then struck a parked car owned by Harry Lopan, 47, Gettysburg Rt. 5. Little damage was reported.

Three Cars Slide On Icy Road; No One Hurt

Three cars, all headed for Westminster, where the owners of the vehicles were employed in the Western Electric plant, crashed Monday morning at 7:15 o'clock at the Zora intersection when two of the autos skidded on the same sheet of ice on Rt. 16.

None of the drivers was injured, Pennsylvania State Police said. Elmer D. Wyand, 19, Waynesboro, Pa., was driving south on the Waynesboro-Emmitsburg Rd., police said, when his car skidded on the curve at the intersection.

Wyand's car knocked down several guard poles along the side of road and came to rest on the Fairfield-Zora Rd., headed west.

Curtis N. Wayne, 33, Silver Spring, also headed toward Emmitsburg, pulled his car from Rt. 16 onto 116 to aid Wyand. Wyand, uninjured, was out of his car, and Wayne went to a store nearby to call the state police at Gettysburg.

Wayne was speaking to police when he was able to give an eye witness report over the phone as a car driven by Robert W. Davis, 25, Hagerstown, skidded on Rt. 16 and crossed into 116 and smashed into the parked Wayne car.

Damage was estimated at \$700 to Wayne's car, \$700 to Davis' car and \$500 to Wyand's vehicle.

George Greco, Baltimore, visited over the weekend with his parents, Prof. and Mrs. Dominic Greco.

CHAMBER WILL DISCUSS BYPASS PLAN TODAY

A delegation from the Emmitsburg Chamber of Commerce will meet with the Maryland State Roads Commission in Baltimore this afternoon in an effort to induce the Commission to bring the new Route 15 bypass as close to Emmitsburg as is possible. The Chamber has been studying a plan for some time now and has been awaiting the hearing date which has been set for today. Members of the delegation are Curtis R. Bucher, Cloyd W. Seiss, Arthur Elder, Clarence G. Frailey and possibly other interested individuals.

The plan was discussed at the regular monthly meeting of the Emmitsburg Chamber of Commerce held Monday night in the Fire Hall, President Curtis R. Bucher presiding.

Clarence G. Frailey was named the group's delegate to the board of directors of the Community Fund and Col. T. J. Frailey was appointed as alternate delegate.

The group decided to have special signs made and they will be attached to the four welcome signs at the main approaches to the town. The signs will advertise the coming Bicentennial. Cloyd W. Seiss was named chairman of the project. Col. Thomas J. Frailey was appointed local representative and will attend the national convention of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce to be held in Washington in April. The local Chamber decided to once more affiliate itself with the U. S. Chamber of Commerce and ordered its national dues of \$25 to be paid.

A committee was appointed to relocate the welcome sign on the Waynesboro Road. Permission has been granted by Clarence Valentine to erect the sign on his property facing the highway. The drop prize was won by Colonel Frailey.

Baby Shower

A baby shower was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Henke last Monday for Mrs. Jerry Joy. Those present were Mrs. Austin Joy, Mary Jo Joy, Mrs. Hubert Joy, Mrs. Gloria Martin, Mrs. Robert Joy, Mrs. Jane Orndorff, Lois Hartdagan, Eileen Wetzel, Mrs. Jenny Ott, Helen and Lillian Orndorff, and Mrs. Jerry Joy. Many lovely gifts were received and refreshments were served.

Local Man Does Important Work In Mass. Senate

William E. Hays, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Hays, now living in Waltham, Mass., was recently appointed to the chairmanship of several important committees of the Massachusetts Senate, to which he was elected last November. In addition to being chairman of the committees on constitutional law and on pensions, Mr. Hays also is a member of the judiciary committee and that in legal affairs. He is serving his first term in the Senate after having been elected to seven consecutive terms in the House of Representatives.

In 1921 Mr. Hays graduated from Emmitsburg High School and thereafter from Lafayette College and Harvard Law School. Since 1929 he has practiced law in Boston, at the same time taking an active part in political affairs. His representative district included the town of Lexington, of Revolutionary fame, and now his senatorial district embraces another equally famous site, that of Concord.

Along with his own business and political activities, Senator Hays finds time to take an active part in local Waltham affairs. For some years he has been a director of the Waltham National Bank and a member of the Board of Trustees of the Waltham Hospital.

"Bill," as he prefers to be called, reports that he lives not far from another Emmitsburgian, Mrs. John J. Morarity (formerly Mary Weant), and that they keep each other posted on the happenings back home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hays have three children, William C., who graduated from Bowdoin College a year ago, who now is with the Army Engineers in Germany; David W., a senior at Lafayette College, and Stephen E., a senior at Waltham High School.

Extinguishes Fire

The Vigilant Hose Co. was called last Saturday morning to extinguish a chimney fire at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sanders. Little damage was reported.

Mountaineers Continue Win Streak

The Blue and White cagers of Mt. St. Mary's College continued their terrific drive for top ranking in the Mason-Dixon Conference last week by dinging three more strong opponents.

Last Thursday night the Phelan men routed Baltimore University 123 to 79 on the home court. They came right back Saturday night to measure a strong Georgetown University five, 86-82 in a real thriller played on the local court.

Continuing in the winning mood the collegians pounced on American U. Monday night and came out victorious, 89-85 in a nip and tuck affair.

Jack Sullivan, the sensational scoring ace, poured 43 more points through the hoops Monday evening as the Mountaineers came from behind to edge American U. in an important Mason-Dixon Conference game at Washington, D. C., 89-85. The output gave Sullivan 485 for the season for a 32.2 average per game. Conceivably Sullivan could get into the top 10 all-time college scorers. He now has 2090.

Again the Mounties were forced to put on a strong finish to win. The quintet trailed 78-67 with but seven minutes remaining.

At that point the Blue and White began to come on via the scoring of Sullivan and Bert Sheing. Sullivan landed a goal to pull the Mounties to within 85-83 with 1:05 minutes remaining. Bill Williams knotted the score on a jump shot and then, with 20 seconds remaining, Sullivan took a pass and laid it up to send the Mountaineers to the front 87-85. With two seconds remaining Sheing converted a pair of free tosses to make his total output 27.

The win put the Mountaineers into second place in the conference with a 6-1 record and an overall season mark of 10-5.

American U. dropped from the lead in suffering its first conference loss and is now 3-1 and 4-8 for the entire campaign.

Mt. St. Mary's now takes a long holiday for midyear examinations, resuming action on Saturday, Feb. 9, with Loyola at Emmitsburg.

MASON-DIXON STANDING

W.	L.
Catholic U.	6
Mt. St. Mary's	6
American U.	3
Loyola	3
Johns Hopkins	3
Roanoke	3
Lynchburg	4
Hampden-Sydney	3
Towson	3
Randolph-Macon	2
Bridgewater	2
Baltimore U.	2
Western Maryland	2
Washington College	1
Gallaudet	0

Services Held For Longenecker

Funeral services were held from the Allison Funeral Home, Emmitsburg, last Sunday afternoon for Jacob R. Longenecker, 81, of Fairfield, Pa., who died at the Warner Hospital on Thursday morning. The Rev. Philip Bower officiated and interment was in Mountainview Cemetery. The pallbearers were Paul Newman, Russell Hartman, Norman Shriver, Clifton Nary, Walter Kugler, and Norman Riley.

Scouts Plan Parents' Night February 7

The Scout Week program and Parents' Night is planned for Thursday evening, Feb. 7, at 7:30 o'clock at the Lutheran Parish Hall. An evening of skits, awards, talks, and handicrafts will be held with special ceremonies honoring Scout Week. A window display on the Square will be made up for public viewing of the Scouts' activities. Sunday, Feb. 10, is designated as Scout Sunday and the Boy Scouts will attend services at 8:30 a. m. at St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Each year the Scouts attend a different religious denomination in the community to observe this Sunday. All Scouts will wear their uniform for the complete week of Feb. 6-12.

The meeting held Thursday night in St. Euphemia's School had as its theme—Safety. With many accidents happening daily through carelessness, the Scouts are pushing all types of safety measures in the home, school, and play. On Tuesday night, Police Chief Daniel Kaas gave a safety speech to the group, explaining the need to teach and practice safety precautions every hour of the day.

Consolidation Of School Is Recommended

Dr. James A. Sensenbaugh, superintendent of Frederick County Schools and Duval Sweadner, supervisor of Frederick County high schools, met with the School Improvement Committee of the PTA in the Emmitsburg High School on January 17 to discuss a means by which the curriculum of this local school could be improved.

Records show that with only 79 pupils in the senior high school (grades 10, 11 and 12) where most of the specialization takes place, no courses could be added to the present curriculum. It was explained however, that if Emmitsburg wished to obtain a more extensive educational program it could do so by combining with the Thurmont senior high school.

Dr. Sensenbaugh was interrogated about diverting some of the pupils now attending Thurmont senior high school. He was asked if some could be diverted to the Emmitsburg school and thus increase its enrollment, and also just what additional courses and other advantages could be offered in Thurmont. He agreed to make a study of these queries at once and let the committee know his findings in a few days.

On January 23 a letter was received from the superintendent explaining that only three senior high school students now attending Thurmont, live nearer to Emmitsburg than to Thurmont. He also listed 21 courses now being offered in the local high school and 37 courses now being offered in Thurmont. He explained that if Emmitsburg were to increase Thurmont's enrollment of the senior high school eight more subjects might be added, making a total of 45 courses that would be available to the Emmitsburg students at Thurmont, or an addition of 21 courses to its present curriculum.

EHS Cagers Down Frederick

Emmitsburg High School Liners continued their winning ways this week by trouncing a strong Frederick High five 63 to 43 on the local court. Taking an early lead the Liners, led by Ancarrow (22) and Baumgardner (21), were never headed. They led 19-12 at the quarter and 34-25 at half time. Lineup:

Emmitsburg G. F. Pts.
 Glass 1 0 2
 Wolfe 2 0 4
 Bollinger 1 0 2
 Ancarrow 9 4 22
 McCauslin 3 0 6
 Baumgardner 9 3 21
 Hahn 2 2 6
 Totals 27 9 63

MRS. RUTH E. SHOEMAKER

Ruth Elizabeth Shoemaker, 41, East Main St., Emmitsburg, wife of Roderick Shoemaker, died at the Annie M. Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, Wednesday night at 11:45 p. m., after a lingering illness.

The deceased was a native of Frederick County and was a daughter of Guy L. Favorite and the late Nellie M. (Michael) Favorite. She is survived, in addition to her husband and father, her stepmother, Mrs. Guy Favorite, Chester, Pa., and three sons: Richard of Hollywood, Fla.; Harry, at home and Kenneth, Emmitsburg; two grandchildren and these 11 brothers and sisters: Henry Favorite, Sykesville; Mrs. William Shorb, Emmitsburg; Mrs. Carl Bollinger, Gettysburg; Frank Favorite, Baltimore; Quinn Favorite, Baltimore; Mrs. Leland Bucher, Missouri; Guy, Jr., Missouri; John Favorite, Kansas; Robert Favorite, Chester, Pa.; Clarence Favorite, Rocky Ridge and Patricia Favorite, Chester, Pa.

The deceased was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Emmitsburg and the Sodality of the church and the American Legion Auxiliary.

Friends may call at the Allison Funeral Home, W. Main St., after 7 o'clock this evening. The rosary will be recited at 8 p. m. Funeral services will be held on Saturday morning meeting at the funeral home at 8:30 a. m., followed by a Requiem Mass at 9 a. m. in St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Rev. Fr. John D. Sullivan, C.M., pastor, officiating. Interment will be made in the New St. Joseph's Cemetery, S. Seton Ave. extended.

FOOD SALE

Elias Lutheran Church Choirs will hold a benefit food sale at the Fire Hall on Saturday, Feb. 2, at 10 a. m.

MOTHERS WILL COLLECT FOR POLIO FUND

A group of Emmitsburg mothers will make a door-to-door canvass to aid the local March of Dimes drive next Tuesday evening. The group was appointed by Mrs. Blanche Keilholtz, president of the local Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary.

Each year the Auxiliary participates in this drive for funds to fight polio. This year the Frederick County goal is \$20,000 and it is urged that the goal be attained if the fight against this crippling disease is to be won.

Those residents who are interested in donating to this noble cause are asked to have their porch lights turned on during the period between 7 and 9 p. m. Tuesday evening, Jan. 29. Last night the same group sponsored a card party to help boost the drive.

Lumen F. Norris, general chairman of the local drive, reports a benefit dance will be held in the VFW annex on Friday night, Feb. 1, for the March of Dimes drive.

Etta Mae Norris is the general chairman of the soliciting committee and announces the following canvassers and the areas they will cover Tuesday: Emmitt Gardens, Blanche Keilholtz; East Main St., Carmen Topper, Norma Nusbbaum and Jane Orndorff; West Main St., Anna Stoner, Anna Law, Mary Hoke and Loretta Adelsberger; W. Main St. extended, Yvonne Baker and Etta Mae Norris; S. Seton Ave., Betty Ann Baker and Gloria Martin; two colleges, Dolores Henke; N. Seton Ave. and extension, Betty Goulden, Madeline Rightour and Merlene Ryder; Federal Ave., Marianne Timmerman; DePaul St., Eunice Neighbour; St. Anthony's, Betty Messner.

J. HARRY KELLY

J. Harry Kelly, 82, Emmitsburg, a retired farmer, died last Friday afternoon at 2:20 o'clock at the Warner Hospital where he had been a patient for 23 days.

A native of Frederick County, he was a son of the late James A. and Adelaide (Eltz) Kelly, and had resided during recent years with a brother, David F. Kelly, Emmitsburg.

He was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Emmitsburg; a member of the Knights of Columbus for 25 years, and of the Altar Society of St. Joseph's Church.

Surviving are two brothers, David, with whom he resided, and James A. Kelly, Emmitsburg, and a nephew, Carmel Kelly, Gettysburg.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning, meeting at the Allison Funeral Home, Emmitsburg, at 8:30 o'clock, followed by a requiem mass at St. Joseph's Catholic Church at 9 o'clock. Rev. Fr. John Sullivan was the celebrant. Interment was in the church cemetery.

The pallbearers were John E. Chrismer, Leonard J. Sanders, Paul E. Humerick, Roger I. Zurbable, Paul A. Keepers, and George P. Sanders.

LAURA MAE CULLISON

Laura Mae Cullison, infant daughter of William L. and Nita Mae (Davis) Cullison, Fairfield Rt. 2, died last Friday morning at 8 o'clock at the Cullison home of bronchial pneumonia. The child was born last Oct. 23, 1956.

Surviving, in addition to the parents, are these great-grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cullison, Fairfield Rt. 2; Mr. and Mrs. David T. Davis, Gettysburg Rt. 3; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis, Gettysburg Rt. 3; Mrs. L. C. Baxley, of Virginia, and Mrs. Laura Winebrenner, Fairfield Rt. 2.

Gravestone services were held last Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at St. Joseph's Catholic Cemetery, Emmitsburg, with Rev. Fr. John Sullivan officiating.

EYSTER SERVICES HELD

Funeral services were held from the Allison Funeral Home, Emmitsburg, last Friday afternoon for George S. Eyster, 66, of Emmitsburg, who died at Warner Hospital on Wednesday. The Rev. Philip Bower officiated and Masonic rites were in charge of Tyrian Lodge No. 205, F.A.M. of Emmitsburg. Interment was in Mountainview Cemetery. The pallbearers were Robert M. Gillelan, Thomas R. Giggel, Vernon G. Keilholtz, Norman Shriver, John Hollinger and James T. Hays, Jr.

Dolores Topper, Baltimore, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Topper, over the weekend.

Donald Rodgers, Baltimore, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Rodgers.

Lions Club Will Stage Big Talent Show

The Emmitsburg Lions Club will offer to the public for its entertainment, a gigantic amateur talent show, it was announced by the committee in charge of arrangements this week. Funds derived from the affair will be used for community welfare work.

The committee consists of J. Ralph McDonnell, chairman, John J. Hollinger, Paul W. Claypool, Clarence E. Hahn, Bernard J. Ecknerode and Arthur Elder.

The show will be held in the local public school on the evening of Friday, Feb. 22 at 8 p. m. Music will be furnished by an orchestra before and during the show, for the public's entertainment.

In an effort to draw the best talent in this area the Lions Club will offer up to \$50 in prize money. First prize will be \$25; second, \$15 and third, \$10.

Arrangements are being made to have comedians, acrobats, musicians, etc., to participate in the show. Refreshments will be on sale during the contest.

It is the hope of the committee to have enough talent to produce a two-hour program and the audience will be the judge of the winners. The volume of applause will determine the prize winners. It is hoped to draw top-notch talent from this area and from neighboring towns. It was explained that the talent must be absolutely amateur. Anyone interested in participating in the contest is asked to register at the Emmitsburg Chronicle, either by personal visitation or by telephone confirmation, or contacting any member of the above committee. Just about every type of talent is needed. Singers, instrumentalists, mimics, comedians, acrobats, vocal duets, trios, quartets and any other form of talent or entertainment is welcome to enter the show.

Tickets to the affair will sell at the following nominal prices: Adults 75c, grade school children, 35c. Children who are of pre-school age will be admitted free.

Slippery Road Causes Car Crash

Slippery highways were blamed for a three-car accident last Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, three miles north of here on the Emmitsburg-Gettysburg Rd.

Pennsylvania State police said a south-bound auto had stopped on the highway preparatory to making a left turn into a drive. Other cars stopped behind it.

Gaston Forget Monte Laurier, 46, Quebec, Canada, traveling in a 1956 sedan, attempted to slow down for the line of traffic, skidded and his car smashed into the rear of a car operated by George Ott, 28, Emmitsburg, driving the Ott car into the rear of a 1957 station wagon, which was also stopped, operated by Michael J. Shinko, 42, Hazleton.

Damage was estimated at \$300 to the Canadian's car, \$150 to Ott's sedan, and \$25 to the station wagon. No one was injured.

Birthday Party

A party was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henke celebrating the second birthday of their son, Robert, Jr. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. William Martin and children, Bruce, Tony, Denny, and Gene; Mrs. Robert Joy and children, Lee and Gloria Rose; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Joy; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Joy, Kenneth Joy, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henke and children, Robert and Yvonne.

Volley Ball Champs

Emmitsburg High School walked off victorious this week in the Junior High School (North) Volley ball tournament held here last Thursday afternoon. The local No. 1 team won all six games to head the standings.

The local No. 2 team finished second in their division with a log of two wins and four defeats.

Standings

W.	L.
Emmitsburg	6
Thurmont	5
Liberty	3
Walkersville	3

Fractures Ankle

Mrs. Mary McClain, 67, Emmitsburg, fractured her right ankle in a fall last Friday. She was treated at the Warner Hospital.

OF A NUMBER OF THINGS

Early History of Wiscasset, 'down-East' New England Town Continuing the Record of Wiscasset's Prosperous Period With One Short Story and Two Parts of a Long One

In this same period that takes Wiscasset's history thru the late 18th and early years of the 19th century there occurred a small but unusual incident that linked it—in a very different way from something presently to follow—with the French Revolution.

It seems remarkable that the closing months of the life of Queen Marie Antoinette should have any connection with the Wis-

casset Region of Southern Maine; but there is the "Marie Antoinette House" on the shore of the Sheepscot in the little village of Edgecomb just opposite Wiscasset, and this is the story told by Maine historians to explain its name:

In 1793, when Louis XVI had already been executed by the Revolutionists, a sea-captain from Wiscasset, one of many commanding vessels that continued to trade with France, was drawn into a Loyalist plot to save the Queen by taking her to the captain's home on an island in the Sheepscot. But when part of the Queen's household furnishings and wardrobe were already loaded on the vessel, the plot was discovered and soon after the Queen was

sent to the guillotine. The Captain, whose home had in the meantime been made ready to receive the Queen, escaped with his vessel to bring back the news of her execution. Later Captain Clough's house was moved to the mainland, but the royal possessions he had brought with him "have long since been scattered and lost."

Completely different from this little human-interest story with its tragic background is the long-drawn-out series of incidents dealing with "Separation,"—the separation of Maine District from Massachusetts State. It is of course, like many other happenings previously mentioned, an important item of general Maine history involving all the settlements and therefore not to be omitted in the history of any one; but the decisive and exciting parts of it came in a later period, and here there are to report only two slight incidents that were the earliest organized signs of interest in the problem. These were (1) three connected annual meetings held in the years 1785-1787 to discuss grievances and take some action but without accomplishing anything on account of insufficient support; (2) two connected meetings ten years later for the same purpose and with the same result. (By this time conditions in the Maine District had greatly improved, as illustrated in the report on Wiscasset's thriving state, partly thru definite measures taken by Massachusetts, desired to hold on to Maine, and partly thru gradual natural recovery from the effects of the War of Independence.) Then followed another still longer interval of inactivity lasting until well on in the 19th century and several things happening in this new United States had greatly affected the District, especially its shipping centers like Wiscasset. Hint of Bad Times Coming for Maine District and Wiscasset

One of these happenings also had its beginnings in this same eventful late 18th century and had more than a slight connection with the French Revolution, for it was the direct result of the war between France and England which broke out in the early years of the Revolutionary Period, i.e., in 1792. This was the interference of both France and England, each trying to destroy the other's foreign trade, with American shipping (which was in great part centered in New England.) It began for France with the seizing of American ships and cargoes in British West Indian waters, where Wiscasset and some other Southern Maine towns carried on a very lucrative trade, and it continued with the taking of merchant vessels headed for English ports. For England it meant the seizing of cargoes intended for French ports, with payment, or obliging them to be sold only to countries at peace with England, and later, as its need for men for its huge navy increased, stopping our vessels and taking off seamen who could not prove themselves to be of American birth (a practice known as search and impressment). Although New England's trading continued in spite of these interferences, by 1807 it had begun to show an ominous decrease.

Embargo Act of 1807; War of 1812

The Embargo Act, passed by Congress during President Jefferson's 2nd term, put a temporary end to all our foreign trade, closing our ports to foreign ships and stopping our ships from sailing to foreign ports. It was of course well intended, with the idea of forcing France and England to give up these unjust interferences with our trade as part of their struggle against each other; but instead, as might have been foreseen, it merely caused us a tremendous loss of trade and led to great discontent and distress, especially in New England. In 1809 it was repealed, and replaced by the Non-Interference Law, which permitted trade with all foreign countries except England and France. Then trade partly recovered; but England's practice of stopping our ships and impressing many American seamen, along with other real or supposed affronts from the English in Canada, led to a declaration of war against England in 1812, this in President Madison's second term. For reasons there is not space to go into here, new men in Congress from the South and what was then called West had demanded war; New England, including Maine District with its long coast and many towns engaged in trade, had strongly opposed it altho its trade had suffered so greatly, for it knew that war would make things still worse. And this indeed was true for a time, but was not the whole story.

This "War of 1812" as it was called, altho it lasted till the beginning of 1815, is described in one of the latest encyclopedia articles as "in many ways the strangest war in United States history." It is not part of this story to go into those ways, nor into the details of the conflict itself with its various engagements on land and water from Canada to New Orleans; I can note only how Wiscasset Region was involved in it, mentioning first that none of the particular engage-

ments of importance took place there nor anywhere in New England. But this does not mean that it escaped the damaging effects of the war!

In the first place, when actual war began, with practically no defense set up for the whole Maine coast, British warships from Canada forced the coastwise

trading and even fishing vessels back to shore, keeping up a virtual blockade. They also made direct attacks on Maine soil along the coast and up the rivers, some of these being repelled by armed privateers or militia units. There is record of one such engagement a few miles to the east of the mouth of the Sheepscot in which

A British ship was taken with American prisoners on board, the British crew being sent to the Wiscasset jail; and of another in which several barge loads of British marines were landed close to Wiscasset but driven away by militia quartered there. A.E.H. (To Be Finally Concluded)

Set up a scientific study and research program for the purpose of developing more industrial uses for agricultural products; Extend the life of the District of Columbia Auditorium Commission;

Increase annuities payable to certain annuitants from the Civil Service Retirement and Disability Fund, and

Provide for the enlargement of the Antietam National Cemetery.

The only man who brags about his honesty is the one who suspects he is suspected.

CLOAKROOM SENATE

By J. GLENN BEALL

Gasoline — one cent more per gallon!

The big question now is: "Why?" Shortly after the recent gasoline increases were announced, I began receiving information designed to show that the price boosts were unjustified.

Each mail brought additional comments about the matter so, in an effort to clear the air for consumers and suppliers alike, I suggested that the Senate Banking and Currency Committee study the matter to see whether the increases are in order.

Resolution To Be Submitted

My proposal will be incorporated into a formal resolution and submitted to the Senate as soon as possible.

As a member of the Banking and Currency Committee, I have seen that such probes can be quite effective.

I remember vividly, for instance how the high coffee prices of '54 dropped after they were studied by a subcommittee, of which I was chairman.

In the light of the numerous warnings we have received recently concerning the possibility of inflation, it seems especially important for the Banking and Currency Committee to utilize its full power to investigate prices and costs in the months ahead.

Annuity Increases Proposed

In addition to requesting a study of gasoline prices, I have just introduced or co-sponsored measures which would:

Provide for the appointment of an additional District Judge for Maryland.

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INCOME TAX FACTS No. 1 How to Save Tax Dollars

(This is one of a series of articles on federal income tax filing. These articles are based on information provided by the American Institute of Accountants, and the Maryland Society of Certified Public Accountants in cooperation with the Internal Revenue Service.)

Between now and April 15 over sixty million Americans must file a tax return to report their 1956 income to the federal government. On the basis of past experience about 1 out of every 4 returns filed will contain an error of \$2.00 or more. Last year these errors totaled over \$100,000,000.

To help you prepare a correct return and avoid mistakes that cost you tax dollars, this newspaper is printing a series of eight articles prepared with the help of the national and state organizations of certified public accountants.

Today's article deals with problems faced by almost anyone who has to make out a return. Later articles will give special hints on deductions you may take, particularly if you own a car, home or business. Use this series along with the official instruction book which comes free with your tax forms.

Common Mistakes

According to the results of a sampling by the Internal Revenue Service, the mistakes most often made by taxpayers, fall into these four groups:

(1) Incorrect listing of income. This is the main source of error, partly because of debatable questions involving business income. Individuals make mistakes too by leaving out such items as interest on savings accounts, dividends and contest winnings, or by including items which are exempt. (2) Errors in personal deductions. This category includes the deductions taken when the 10 percent "standard deduction" is not used. Important deductions from income are: state and local taxes, interest paid on loans, charitable contributions, medical expenses, losses from storm, fire, flood or theft.

(3) Claiming too many or too few dependents. Exemptions are allowed for the taxpayer himself and for certain persons he supports, if they fit the definitions in the instruction book. (4) Faulty arithmetic. This is the cause of the fewest number of errors, but approximately 30 percent of these arithmetical mistakes are made by the taxpayer against himself, resulting in approximately \$19,000,000 in overpayment of taxes.

The first thing to determine is whether you should file a return or not. Everyone whose gross income was \$600 or more in 1956 must file a return by April 15, 1957. Even if your income was less than \$600 you should file a return if any tax was withheld by your employer and you wish to receive a refund. In any case, if you had as much as \$400 earnings from self-employment you must file a return to report those earnings for social security purposes.

Next Article: Selecting the Correct Form Saves Tax Dollars.

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We are presenting herewith for your approval our 1956 Financial Statement. We are also listing for your information the number of fire calls our company responded to during the past 12 months. There was a total of 23 calls, of these only five were in the town limits, with the remaining 18 in the county. Day calls numbered 15 while night calls came to eight. To these calls our company had an average of over 27 men per fire. This is a record of which we are very proud. Many man-hours were spent fighting fires, going to and coming from, and many more hours in cleaning of equipment, practice, and class work.

The amount of property involved in the fires came to \$139,100.00 with damages or loss amounting to \$19,000.00.

We would also like to bring to the attention of the public that during the past year the company has graduated classes in First Aid and the Advanced Fire Fighting Course from the University of Maryland Fire Extension Service. At the present time a number of members are enrolled in the Civil Defense Rescue Course.

Purchased new this year was a Stevenson resuscitator which will enable the Company to better serve the community in rescue and accident cases, or common emergencies where there is a need for oxygen. This type of equipment could also benefit members who are overcome by smoke, electric shock, etc. Ten complete sets of protective clothing were purchased for the active members along with 500 feet of Dacron Hose 2 1/2 inches, and 150 feet of Dacron hose 1 1/2 inches. The Vigilant Hose Company stands among the leaders in up-to-date and complete equipment to meet our needs, and we know our 27-man average at a fire is not surpassed.

I am proud to represent the Vigilant Hose Company and am certain your generosity in past fund drives expresses your appreciation of the efforts of our members to serve the community in time of need.

Very sincerely, HERBERT W. ROGER President

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Will Demand Proof of Parenthood

Col. Henry C. Stanwood, Maryland Director of Selective Service, announced this week that effective Feb. 1, registrants must furnish local boards with satisfactory evidence regarding parenthood in order to be considered as fathers in the sequence of selection used for filling induction calls. This evidence must be in the possession of the registrant's own local board prior to the issuance by the local board of the order to the registrant to report for induction. Fathers will be used to fill induction calls only after all available volunteers, and non-fathers—ages 19 to 26, have been inducted.

Colonel Stanwood also explained that in the cases of unborn children, the satisfactory evidence required must be in the form of a certificate of pregnancy obtained from a licensed physician. In cases of born children, a registrant must submit a birth certificate to his own local board and evidence that he maintains a bona fide family relationship with such child for induction. Fathers will be used

NOTICE!

I have on hand a number of Watches and Clocks which have been in my shop for over one year, unclaimed. Under Article 63, Section 40 of the Annotated Code of Maryland Law, I am authorized to dispose of these articles at private or public sale. These items will be sold, if unclaimed, on or after Jan. 26, 1957. Present owners of these articles are:

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By ROGER W. BABSON

Babson Recommends An Investment

Babson Park, Mass., Jan. 24 —It is the first time for several years that I have felt free to recommend any specific stock or bond in this Weekly Column. I, however, now want to explain the mention of non-taxable bonds which I made in my recent Forecast for 1957.

History Of Bonds

There is a big difference between stocks and bonds. Stocks own the equity in a corporation. Profits go to the stockholders after payment of interest on the bonds and other indebtedness. This may be much or none, and it fluctuates up and down. Some people make lots of money by buying stocks at the right time; while other people lose everything by buying them at the wrong time.

Bonds—on the contrary—are the same as a mortgage on your house. The interest on bonds is a prior claim. Usually their price does not fluctuate as widely as the price of common stocks and the interest is 'most always paid. Hence, they are much safer to buy than are stocks. In addition to U. S. Government Bonds, there are three other important types of bonds: (1) "Full Faith" State and Municipal Bonds, which are the safest investment you can buy and whose interest is non-taxable. (2) Corporation Bonds, which of the same company—are safer than the stock of that company, but their interest is taxable. (3) Revenue Bonds which are issued by your state, city, or town, but your interest payment depends upon the earnings of a state turnpike, or upon your local gas, water, or sewerage system. This interest, however, is not taxable.

Today's Prices For Bonds

All bonds are cheaper than they have been for over 20 years. Buy almost any today and you should have an excellent investment. But by proper selection, with the help of an investment counselor, you should be sure to make money particularly by purchasing selected non-taxable bonds. Buying good non-taxable bonds is just like discovering gold in your own back yard. No reader of this column remembers my ever saying this since the panic of 1929-1932.

All of the following non-taxable Revenue Bonds were selling at par (\$1,000) a few months ago. Today they can be bought as follows:

Florida Turnpike Authority Revenue 3 1/2%, 4/1/35, 88.50; Illinois Toll Highway Revenue.

3 3/4%, 1/1/95, 87.00; Ind. Toll Road Commission Revenue, 3 1/2%, 1/1/94, 87.50; Greater New Orleans Expressway Revenue, 4%, 11/1/94, 92.00; Maine Turnpike Revenue, 4%, 1/1/89, 95.50; Mackinac Bridge Authority Revenue, 4%, 1/1/84, 94.50, Ohio Turnpike Revenue, 3 3/4%, 6/1/92, 88.50; Chesapeake Bay Ferry District Revenue, 4 3/4%, 4/1/86, 95.00; Massachusetts Turnpike Revenue, 3.30%, 5/1/94, 87.00.

Non-Taxable Benefits

But here is something else to remember. The income you get from ANY stock, corporation bond, or even U. S. Government Bond, is taxable. Practically everyone must pay a Federal Tax of at least 20%-25% of all dividends and interest received except from State, City and Town Bonds, and special non-taxable authority issues which include these Turnpike Revenue Bonds.

Here is what this means to you. Whatever your income, you can save 20%-25%. If, however, you are in a higher income tax bracket (say 50%), 4% on any of the above bonds could net you the same as 8% on taxable stocks. If your income is \$50,000, then the interest on these 4% taxfree bonds equals 16% in taxable income; while those having incomes of \$80,000 get an equivalent yield of 25% on their money after all taxes. Seems too good to be true; but it is true!

The Fly In The Ointment

Why doesn't everyone with large incomes buy these bonds now? It may be that they are waiting for lower prices due to the fear that many more new Turnpike Bonds are coming on the market. Or it may be due to fear of the competition which these present turnpikes may have from the new U. S. Government highways. Surely I do not fear such competition.

If you believe that automobile riding is going to be less and that automobile business is "going to pot," then don't buy these tax-free Turnpike Bonds. If you believe World War III is soon coming, when gas again will be rationed, you are justified in being cautious. But I believe such fears are now foolish. Hence, I say: "Buy seasoned Non-Taxable Turnpikes — and buy them today."

Beall, Butler Sponsor Bill For Extra Judge

A bill to provide for the appointment of an additional Federal District Judge for Maryland was introduced this week by U. S. John Marshall Butler and J. Glenn Beall (R. Md.)

The Maryland senators in joint statement concerning this measure commented:

"It is essential that the heavy case loads now imposed upon our two Federal District Judges in Maryland be eased by the appointment of a third judge. Despite the dedicated service of our present Federal Judges in Maryland, the heavy dockets in our Federal Court requires the appointment of an additional judge without delay. Legislation authorizing an addi-

tional Federal Judge for Maryland was approved by the Senate Committee on the Judiciary during the closing days of the 84th Congress. We are confident this proposal will receive prompt and sympathetic consideration by both the Senate and the House of Representatives."

Senators Butler and Beall also introduced jointly a bill to have Congress grant authority to the Potomac Electric Power Co. for construction of a dam on the Po-

tomac River. This dam will form a part of a multi-million dollar steam generating plant to be located approximately three-fourths of a mile downstream from the junction of the Potomac and Mon-

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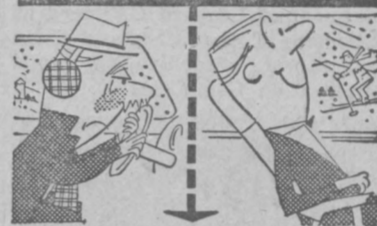
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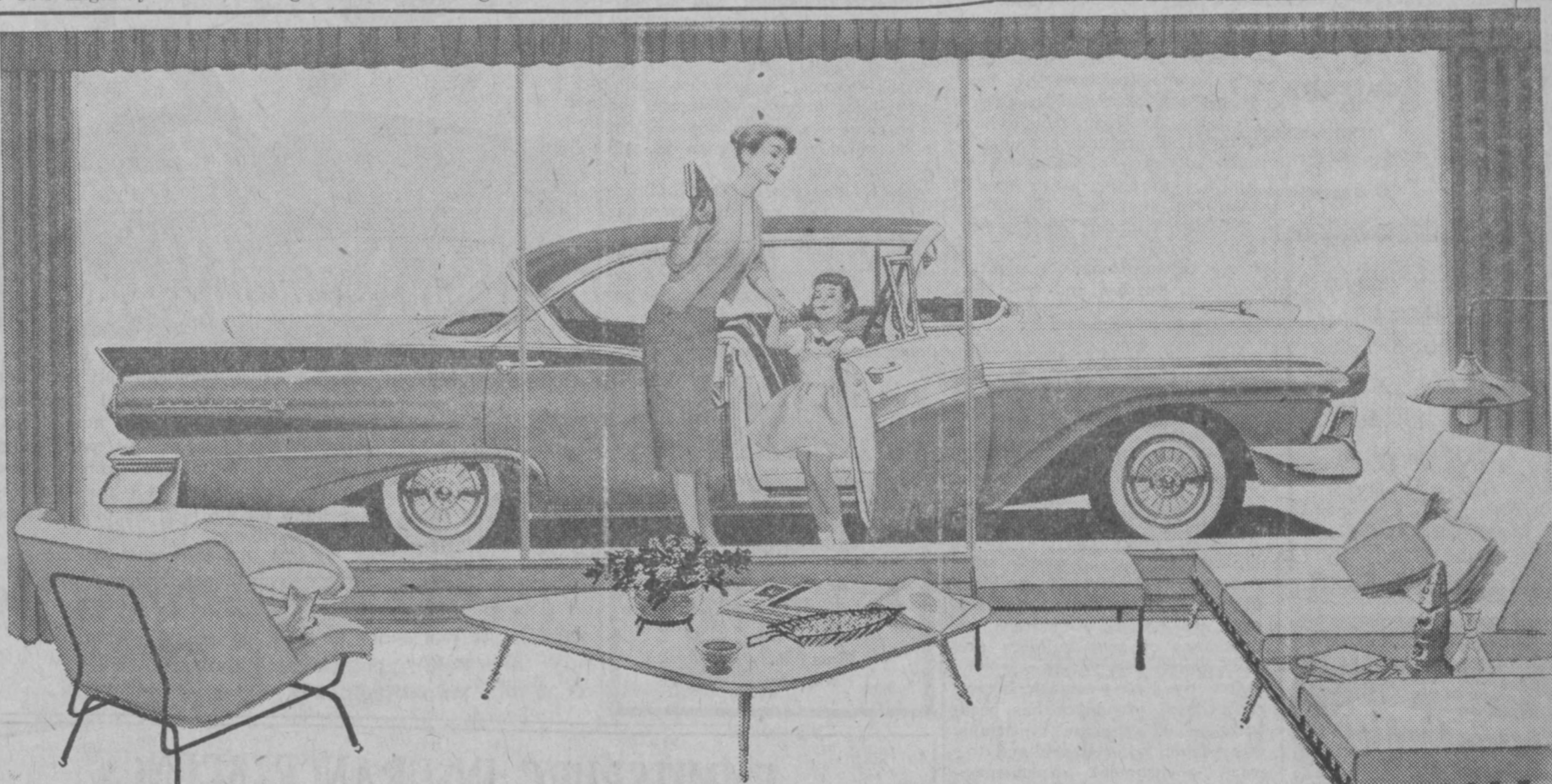
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ed this new world, and the founding fathers who years later built its unique political and economic system, knew that government could be a help or a hindrance to progress. The wrong kind of system at the Jamestown and Plymouth colonies carried the people to the verge of starvation before it was changed. And the Declaration of Independence testifies eloquently to the hindrance and injury which came to the American people through the harsh, autocratic government administered from England in the mid-1700's.

At Jamestown and Plymouth Colony the communal, or collectivist system was first used, with the government held responsible for the citizens' economic welfare. Within a few years this was changed to a system of citizen responsibility and private enterprise. A century later the 13 colonies, now progressing toward the status of a nation, were virtually paralyzed by heavy taxes enforced without recourse by the government of Great Britain.

Record Of Hindrance
The record of government's hindrance or help to a people's prosperity and progress can be found throughout history. Throughout Asia and Europe I have seen firsthand the great burden imposed on a people's struggle to advance, in nation after nation. In some parts of China I saw autocratic government imposed on sometimes a million people by a single man who happened to be the leader of the most powerful bandit gang in the region.

In Western Europe I saw various forms of socialism regarding a people's progress; and in Eastern Europe the tentacles of Marxist Communism reaching out from Russia, confiscating privately owned property, and establishing communal farms like the one that brought Jamestown and Plymouth colonies to the brink of starvation. Wherever government has played the BIG part, and the citizen has been insignificant, human progress has sooner or later stagnated.

Two Great Needs
The American pilgrims and the early statesmen of an infant nation had found through experience that two great ingredients of human happiness and progress were individual freedom and individual responsibility. So they wanted to create a government that would protect freedom and require citizen responsibility and self-reliance. Thomas Jefferson wrote in the Declaration of Independence that all men have certain inalienable rights such as life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. Governments, the Declaration said, are instituted to safeguard those rights.

The U. S. Constitution, created out of the open forms of the Constitutional Convention, has been recognized for 170 years as primarily an instrument for safeguarding human freedom. It stands as a great challenge to free man to make the most of his God-given talents, to develop his highest capabilities, to dream, and to make his dreams come true.

Instrument Of Progress
Under the U. S. Constitution and the enabling laws that have grown out of its basic principles, the American people have changed all previous concepts of material well-being. Today America produces more wealth than the next best 10 nations combined, and the average citizen's living standard is three times better than his counterpart's in Europe, and from five to 20 times better than living standards in Asia.

The key to our enormous production of goods and services, and thus to the prosperity of every citizen, is freedom of the individual and the fullest development of self-reliance. In order to be self-reliant a person must develop his talent capabilities; and in doing this many Americans find that their capabilities go beyond mere self-reliance. These are the builders of our productive system and our prosperity. And tens of thousands of new builders are developing each year.

One word of warning: In recent times a tendency has been encouraged by some politicians away from self-reliance and toward government dependency. This is the road away from freedom and prosperity. We must be wary of such demagogic "medicine men."

**President's Message
Cites Benefits Of
Potomac River**

Washington, Jan. 22—The Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin was given a great deal of encouragement to expand its compact to include regulatory authority and control in the President's State of the Union Message. The President said that "each of our great valleys should be considered as a whole," and that "the whole matter... demands the closest kind of cooperation and partnership between municipalities, States and the Federal Government." He further

said that "until such partnership is established on a proper and logical basis of sharing authority, responsibility and costs, our country will never have both the fully productive use of water that it so obviously needs and protection against disastrous flood."

For my Congressional district the President included in the Budget funds for: (1) an Army Engineer Corps Potomac River Comprehensive study — \$105,000; (2) the federal share of the expenses of the Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin; (3) the various watershed and flood control projects underway and planned for our area, including \$2,500,000 for the Cumberland-Ridgeley project; and (4) water pollution control.

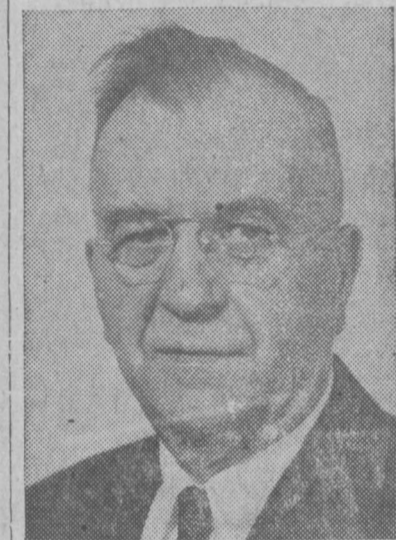
The President also requested funds for: (1) the acquisition of stream valley park lands in nearby Maryland; (2) "Mission 66"—the National Parks' program for road and park facility improvements; (3) completion of the Washington Regional Mass Transportation Survey in 1958.

Funds were also requested for completion of the Atomic Energy Commission buildings at Germantown and for the new Bureau of Standards to be built near Gaithersburg. Also included in the Budget are funds for school construction in federally impacted areas.

I shall again be serving as a member of the House Judiciary and the District committees. I have been assigned to a special Judiciary subcommittee on Administrative Procedure.

**Heads State
Farm Group**

Agriculture Secretary Ezra Taft Benson announced the appointment of Leonard C. Burns as Chairman of the Maryland State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.



Burns is a beef feeder from Montgomery County and has wide experience in ASC work. He served on the State Committee for ten years and was Chairman of his county committee for four years. He also is active in the Farm Bureau and the Sandy Springs Farmers' Club which is the oldest farmers' club in the U. S.

Julius P. Parran, a Calvert County tobacco farmer was also reappointed for another one-year term on the State Committee. He has served on his county ASC committee, has been active on the County Fair Board and at different times served as Vice-President and Secretary of the County Farm Bureau. In addition to his tobacco, Parran also raises some beef and other livestock on a smaller scale. The appointment of a third committeeman is still pending.

Burns succeeds Chester S. Bradley, Cecil County dairy farmer, as Chairman.

Dr. Paul E. Nystrom, director of the Maryland Extension Service, is an ex-officio member of the committee.

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**Prof. Wm. Osborne
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Educational Work**

William Osborne, Ph.D., chairman of the department of social studies at St. Joseph College, was recently granted a subsidy by one

of the Ford educational foundations for research in the field of social studies. The amount of the subsidy is \$9,050.

Dr. Osborne's collaborator will be Robert Reynolds, managing editor of "Jubilee" magazine. The research will center on relations between religion and social science.

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SPORTS AFIELD

By Ted Keating

What is the lure of the sea, as far as the fisherman is concerned? Well, perhaps you could say it's the lure of the unknown. Anything can happen when that bait is dropped over the side.

One of the foremost authorities on the giant fish that roam the ocean's depths is Harlan Major, and his reports of battles between these giants and the men who did (or didn't) tame them, are sometimes fantastic.

What are some of these fish? The shark, for one. Most shark fishing enthusiasm is centered around New Zealand, Australia and South Africa, and these waters hold all important records for rod and reel. The most spectacular catch was that made by A. Dean in Denial Bay, Australia. It was a white or man-eater shark, weighing 2536 pounds!

Marlin, swordfish and tuna are other giants that invariably put up a battle and provide the sportsman with some thrills as well as an occasional record catch. The tarpon, while not considered a vicious fish, is an unpredictable one.

When we shift our attention to fresh water fish, we find that large size often is accompanied by a docile nature. The largest, the white (or Oregon) sturgeon, is not strictly a fresh-water fish as it spends much of its life and attains a large part of its growth in salt water. To spawn, these fish got up the rivers of the Pacific Northwest. Of the large fish of North America there is probably none that has earned the dislike of fishermen more than the alligator gar.

Among strictly fresh-water fish the arapaima undoubtedly leads in size. Unluckily its home waters—the Upper Amazon, Rio Branco, Rio Negro and the Rupununi of Brazil and British Guiana—have been beyond a quick call to a scientist who could make accurate measurements.

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TV OR NOT TV?

The question of television for children is still being debated by the experts. And where does that leave parents? Right where we were before either TV or radio were invented.

In the long run, parents have to decide for themselves what activities are best for each individual child. Our parents had to decide whether the Saturday afternoon movie would harm us physically or emotionally. There was no evidence on which the experts could base a firm yes or no answer, until a whole generation had grown up with it. In the same way we can only guess at the effects of television on the generation which has watched it from the play pen.

So what do we do? We listen to the best advice we can get, adjust it to the circumstances in our own homes and to the personalities of our own children, and then decide.

On the physical side, we can get some pretty firm advice from the medical profession. When you have a child's eyes checked, be sure to ask how much viewing and what conditions of viewing are safe for your children's eyes. The family doctor, too, should be asked about TV. He knows your child's physical and nervous condition. His advice on the amount, type of program, and time of day for viewing should be heeded. (Not to mention the fact that "the doctor said" is a good way to end a TV argument.)

There's one thing all the experts agree on—that TV should not take the place of active play. Children of pre-school and early school

years shouldn't have much time for just sitting and watching action on a screen. They should be climbing, throwing, rolling, banging, splashing, running.

Television sometimes seems the easiest way to keep children occupied. But even when bad weather forces them indoors, much of their play should involve active, first-hand experience. TV must not crowd out the natural activities which are necessary to normal growth and development.

If Africa were to lose every species of its fresh-water game fish except the tigerfish, it would still have a complete variety of the hardest fighting fish that swims. This is possible because there are five types of this fish. They are found in most rivers and lakes of tropical Africa.

The piraya, or piranha, is pint-size, but with its powerful jaw full of razorlike teeth, it fears nothing in the water. Stories about this fish are blood-curdling and to a great extent are true. The piraya are found in the waters of British Guiana and Brazil.

Agency Seeking Student Engineers

To meet a serious shortage of highway engineers the State Roads Commission this year is asking budget authorization to expand its present program of hiring "student engineers," in co-operation with a group of engineering colleges.

The Commission's quota of engineering positions to carry out its huge highway building program is currently 1046. However, because of the State's salary scale is not as high as private industry, this number has not been maintained for several years.

At present the Commission's roster of engineering positions is 240 short. To make up for this deficiency, the Commission has been using a number of engineering students from the co-operative educational program sponsored by Drexel Institute of Technology in Philadelphia.

The current budget calls for 12 such positions, although at the present time only three students are employed by the Roads Commission, all of whom are scheduled to return to college shortly. However, an intensive recruitment program is planned by the Commission in the coming year under the direction of William Bender, director of personnel.

Instead of 12 positions as student engineer, the Commission is requesting 30 in the new budget. Authorization has been received to employ student engineers who are not residents of Maryland, provided the supply of Maryland applicants is exhausted first. Also, the program will be expanded to include other cooperative educational colleges in addition to Drexel Institute.

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The busiest man in the world is the fellow who attempts to die away his time.

Your Social Security

W. S. King, manager of the Hagerstown social security district office, pointed out that beginning Jan. 1, 1957, social security tax rates for employees and employers were increased to 2 1/4 per cent for each. The additional tax will be used for the new disability insurance program, which provides monthly social security payments to qualified disabled workers between the ages of 50 and 65.

The self-employment tax rate is increased to 3 3/8 per cent for taxable years beginning after 1956. Self-employment tax returns for 1956, due by Apr. 15, are not affected by the new law and will still be figured at the old rate of three per cent.

The social security taxes apply only to the first \$4200 of earnings in a year.

Mr. King emphasized that no payments under the new disability insurance provisions may be made for any month before July 1957, but applications for disability benefits are now being accepted from disabled people, and some workers now disabled may lose their benefit rights entirely if they do not make an application before June 30, 1957.

Farm operators who have paid any farmhand as much as \$100 in cash wages during the year 1956 must file an employer's tax return for agricultural employees, according to an announcement made this week by W. S. King, district manager of the Hagerstown office of the Social Security Administration.

This return should be filed with the district director of Internal Revenue by Jan. 31, along with the social security taxes on the wages reported. The return must show the name, social security number, and wages paid to each employe whose cash wages in 1956 amounted to \$100 or more.

Beginning with 1957 a farm operator is required to report the wages of every farm employe to whom he pays \$150 or more cash wages during 1957 or who works for him on 20 or more days during 1957 on a time basis, regardless of the total cash wages paid.

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Altar Committees For 1957 Named

The altar committees for 1957 of Elias Lutheran Church have been announced as follows: executive committee, Mary Jo Zimmerman, Mrs. E. R. Shriver, Mrs. Roy Maxell, and Mrs. Edna Tressler.

February—Mrs. Roy Maxell, Mrs. Joseph Reaver, Mrs. Clarence Hahn, and Mrs. Clarence Valentine.

March—Mrs. C. A. Harner, Mrs. George Naylor, Mrs. Carroll Olinger, and Mrs. Harry Hahn.

April—Mrs. Charles Linn, Mrs. C. E. Frock, Mary Jo Zimmerman, Mrs. Merle Keilholtz, Mrs. William Bensen.

May—Mrs. A. W. McCleaf, Mrs. Donald Eyer, Mrs. Chester Masser, and Mrs. George Gartrell.

June—Mrs. Edna Tressler, Mrs. Robbie Sanders, Mrs. Gladys Lingg, and Mrs. Charles O'Melveny.

July—Mrs. Philip Bower, Mrs. Robert Gillelan, Mrs. John Krom, Mrs. Allen Bollinger, Mrs. Earle Sheeley.

August—Mrs. Clara Harner, Mrs. Robert Saylor, Mrs. Irwin Brown, and Mrs. D. L. Beegle.

September—Mrs. J. D. Adams, Mrs. James Hays, Jr., Mrs. Richard Harner, and Mrs. Earle Wilhide.

October—Mrs. Charles Sharrer, Mrs. E. R. Shriver, Mrs. Morris Zentz, and Mrs. Harry McNair.

November—Mrs. Robert Daugherty, Mrs. Edward Meadows, Mrs. Esta Miller, and Mrs. Herbert Rohrbach.

December—Mrs. George Eyster, Mrs. John Zacharias, Mrs. Roy Sanders, Betty Smith, and Mrs. Robert Rohrbach.

Garden Club Will Hold Feb. Meeting

Due to inclement weather it was necessary to cancel the January meeting of the Silver Fancy Garden Club scheduled to be held at the home of Mrs. William Marshall of Littlestown on Thursday, Jan. 17.

The February meeting will be held as originally scheduled at the home of Mrs. Thomas Frailey on Feb. 21.

TODAY'S Meditation



The Upper Room

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Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you: not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid. (John 14:27.)

The noted Christian leader of Ceylon, D. T. Niles, once said: "We may pray for safety, but not for shelter."

Human instincts of self-preservation make us long for shelter and security. We long for defense measures to give security against the A-bomb, and for a quiet corner of the earth where we can live in peace.

But the safety of the soul does not depend on shelter and security. Indeed, it is only as we in God's strength meet our trials that we find the "peace of God, which passeth all understanding."

In a broadcast to the British

Commonwealth, the late King George VI quoted a passage from M. L. Haskins: "I said to the man who stood at the gate of the year, 'Give me light, that I may tread safely into the unknown!' And he replied: 'Go out into the darkness and put your hand into the hand of God. That shall be to you better than light and safer than a known way.'"

PRAYER

Like children frightened in the dark, we grope for Thy hand, our Father. Give us faith to trust Thee this day. With Thy peace in our hearts, we are confident the unknown future cannot make us afraid. In the Master's name. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

I will put my hand into the hand of God.

Mrs. Harold T. Cook

Emmitsburg Services

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

TOM'S CREEK METHODIST
Rev. Paul McCauley, Pastor
Church School, 9 a. m.
Worship, 10 a. m.
The Official Board and WSCS will meet on Monday, Jan. 28, at 7:30 p. m.

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Paul McCauley, Pastor
Worship at 9:00 a. m.
Church School, 10:00 a. m.
On Friday the Senior Choir will practice at 7:30 p. m.

The Mite Society will meet at the home of Miss Edyth Nunemaker Thursday evening, Jan. 31, at 8 o'clock.

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. Confessions Saturdays at 4:30 and 7:30 p. m.

ELIAS LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rev. Philip Bower, pastor
Sunday School, 9:15 a. m.
Worship Service, 10:30 a. m.
Epiphany 1957 Appeal.
Sermon, "A New Commandment."

Youth League, devotional and social meeting, 7 p. m. Sunday.

The Church Council will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The three choirs are scheduled to rehearse on Wednesday night.

On Thursday, Feb. 7, the Emmitsburg Boy Scout troop-parent night will be held in the Parish House.

Fairfield Services

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.

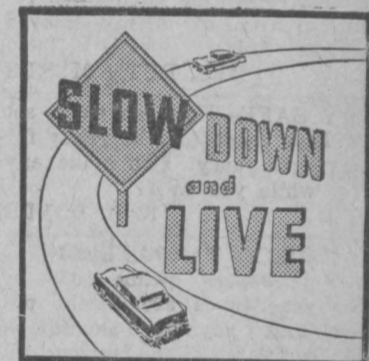
ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC
Rev. John J. McAnulty, pastor
Masses at 7 and 9 a. m.

GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH
Lower Tract Road
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Worship Service, 6:30 p. m.
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Prayer Service.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Worship Service, 7:30 p. m.

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Rev. Edmund Welker, pastor
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Worship Service, 10:30 a. m.

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NOTICES

CARD PARTY — Rocky Ridge Fire Hall on January 30 at 7:30 P. M., sponsored by the Rocky Ridge Fire Co. 1/18/57tp

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Please give this matter your immediate attention.
Respectfully,
JAMES H. FALK,
County Treasurer

NOTICE — Every Thursday is Singer Day in Emmitsburg. If you need repairs to sewing machines or vacuum cleaners or are interested in new machines, call HI. 7-5511 or MO. 3-6655, Frederick, collect. 1/18/57tp

FOOD SALE—Saturday, Feb. 2, 10 a. m. in the Fire Hall for the benefit of the choir of the Lutheran Church. Public cordially invited. 1/25/57tp

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We wish to thank those kind friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness extended us during the recent bereavement of J. Harry Kelly. Especially the Knights of Columbus who served as pallbearers.

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COUNTY COLLEGE WILL BE ESTABLISHED

The Board of Education announced this week an innovation in public education for Frederick County will soon be under way with the establishment of a junior college available to residents of the county who have completed the high school program. To be known as the Frederick Community College, the new institution will open for the first time for the fall semester, beginning September 1957.

At a preliminary planning session held by a special committee to consider a public-supported college program, a number of problems concerning the establishment of the new institution were explained. Among those of a pressing nature discussed by the committee were admissions to the college, groups to be served, program of studies, the faculty, facilities, tuition, scheduling, class size, standards and accreditation.

Attending the committee session held last Friday at the School Board Office on E. Church St. were Dr. Harold D. Reese, supervisor of higher education, State Dept. of Education; Dean Atlee C. Kepler of the Hagerstown Junior College; Mrs. Mary Frear Keeler, dean of the faculty, Hood College; Herbert N. Heston, assistant to the president, Hood College, and staff consultant to President Eisenhower's committee on education beyond the high school; Dr. Robert Weintraub, chief, physiology branch, crops division, Fort Detrick, and education advisor for the Research Society of America; Harry V. Frushour, principal of Frederick High School; Charles E.

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ROY SANDERS FAMILY

Legals

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, Maryland
Herbert W. Eyer
vs.
Gladys E. Eyer
No. 18,542 Equity
The object of this Bill is to secure custody of Richard W. Eyer, minor son of the Petitioner, Herbert W. Eyer.

The Bill states in substance that the Petitioner, Herbert W. Eyer, and the Defendant, Gladys E. Eyer, were married on the 26th day of November, 1947, in Colby, Kansas, by Reverend C. H. Coppedge, a regularly ordained Minister of the Gospel; that subsequent to the said marriage the parties lived together as man and wife until sometime during the month of June, 1956, at which time the Defendant, without just cause, deserted the Petitioner and moved to 2521 West Third Street, North Platte, Nebraska; that one child was born as a result of said marriage, namely, Richard W. Eyer, aged eight years, who is residing with the Petitioner in Thurmont, Maryland; that the Petitioner is a resident of Thurmont, Frederick County, Maryland; that the Defendant is a non-resident of the State of Maryland, whose last known address was 2521 West Third Street, North Platte, Nebraska. The Bill prays that the care and custody of Richard W. Eyer, aged eight years, be awarded to the Petitioner, Herbert W. Eyer, subject to reasonable visitation rights on the part of the Defendant, Gladys E. Eyer and for general relief and process.

It is thereupon this 23rd day of January, 1957, by the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity, ORDERED that the Petitioner give notice to the non-resident of the object and substance of this Bill by causing a copy of the same to be published in some newspaper published in Frederick County once a week for four successive weeks prior to the 2nd day of March, 1957, commanding her to be and appear in this Court, in person or by solicitor, on or before the 18th day of March, 1957, and show cause, if any she has, why a decree should not be passed as prayed.

WEINBERG and GLASS,
Solicitors for Petitioner
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ELLIS C. WACHTER,
Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County
Filed January 23, 1957. 1/25/57tp

Henson, principal of Lincoln School, Frederick; Duval W. Sweadner, supervisor of high schools for Frederick County, and Dr. James A. Sensenbaugh, superintendent of schools.

Tentative plans call for the college to use the facilities of Frederick High School after regular school hours and on Saturdays. Financial support for the college will be a three-way proposition, jointly shared by the state, the county, and the student, each contributing approximately \$150 annually. In addition, the student will be required to purchase his own books and supplies.

The first phase of the college program will be designed to serve those students who wish to transfer to another college at a later date for completion of a baccalaureate degree. The curriculum is being planned especially to meet the needs of students wishing to continue in teacher education, general arts and science, and science specialization.

Those who are interested in securing information on the college program as its planning progresses should write to the Frederick Community College, Board of Education, 115 E. Church St., Frederick.

College Retreat Jan. 30-Feb. 2

The Rev. Cyril F. Meyer, C.M., presently stationed at Mary Immaculate Seminary, Northampton, Pa., will conduct the annual students' retreat at St. Joseph College from Jan. 30 to Feb. 2.

Opening on Wednesday evening, Jan. 30, the three-day retreat will include conferences conducted by Fr. Meyer and spiritual exercises. Saturday evening will see the close of the students' retreat with the celebration of Benediction and the bestowing of the Pontifical Blessing.

Fr. Meyer has formerly served as vice president of St. John's University, Brooklyn, N. Y., and president of the College and University Department of the National Catholic Educational Assn. He is listed in "Who's Who in American Education," has been on the "Church of the Air" and on the radio series, "You and the World."

In addition to his experience as a retreat master for college students, Fr. Meyer has conducted many retreats for lay people. He led a former retreat at St. Joseph College in 1952 and delivered the commencement address to the graduates in June, 1954.

Claypool Addresses Farm Group

The Emmitsburg Farm Bureau Planning Group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baumgardner on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Six families and a guest were present.

The meeting opened with a Bible reading by Edward Meadows, followed by the Lord's Prayer by all. A reading, "What Do You Want in 1957," was given by Mrs. Ethel Baumgardner, and a poem, "Petition For A Year," was read by Mrs. Edgar Emrich.

Glenn Springer, discussion leader, introduced the guest speaker, Paul Claypool, who explained the compulsory auto insurance bill before the General Assembly at Annapolis at this time.

Margaret Springer and Ethel Baumgardner, respective district and alternate delegates, gave the highlights of the Farm Bureau convention held at the Lord Baltimore Hotel recently. Edgar Emrich gave the high points of the resolutions discussed on Jan. 12.

For the recreation period, group singing and a guessing game were played with Edward Meadows winning.

Refreshments were served and the meeting adjourned to meet in February at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Keilholz.

BABY SHOWER

A baby shower was held at the home of Mrs. Sonny McNair on Tuesday for Mrs. Larry Webster of Thurmont. Those present were Mrs. Don Hevelone, Mrs. Gene Bradford, Mrs. Larry Webster, all of Thurmont; Patricia Wivell, Mary Jo Joy, Lois Hartdagen, Mrs. Robert Henke, Nora Nott, Lillian Orndorff, Mrs. Sonny McNair, and Barbara Clingan of Taneytown. Mrs. Webster received many lovely gifts and refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. George Arnold, Jr., College Park, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Marie C. Rosensteel and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Kelly.

Weather Data

Cold last week? Well you had a perfect right to be and it wasn't your imagination, either. Some interesting data has been compiled and forwarded to the Chronicle by Mrs. Paul Beale, local official weather statistician.

According to the figures during the period of January 12-18, we had 7.8 inches of snow. On January 17 the mercury dipped to five degrees below zero. Not content with this "high" low, the Weatherman cooked up a frigid 11 below on January 18. For four days during January 14-18 the weather was below 26 degrees at all times. Everyone's complaining about the weather but the fuel boys . . . and how they must love it!

Boys' 4-H Club Hears County Agent

Mr. Shifflet, assistant county agent was a guest of the Emmitsburg 4-H Club at its meeting held Wednesday evening in the American Legion basement, President Thomas Wilhide presiding. Mr. Shifflet made brief remarks for the betterment of the club. The first part of the meeting was devoted to plans for the coming year. Robert Beale gave a report on an officers' training meeting which he attended on Dec. 5. John Krom gave a report on the first two basketball games played in the recent tournament. The locals won over Lewistown but dropped a 43-33 decision to Libertytown.

Hospital Report

ADMITTED
J. William Rowe, Emmitsburg.
Albert Flenner, Fairfield Rt. 2.
DISCHARGED
Mrs. D. L. Beegle, Emmitsburg.
Mrs. Ronald Rosenwald and infant son, Emmitsburg.
Lucy Brawner, Emmitsburg.

Girl Scouts Meet

Miss Beatrice Fehr, county home demonstration agent, visited the Emmitsburg 4-H Club at its meeting held Wednesday evening in the Public School. The evening was spent filling out program books and project cards. Mrs. Leo Seiss has accepted the assistant leadership of the group. Refreshments were served by the leader.

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Polio Benefit

The local March of Dimes drive is rapidly nearing its termination, General Chairman Lumen F. Norris, reminded this week, and expressed the urgent need to patronize local affairs which are held for the benefit of the drive.

Perhaps the most entertaining of activities for the benefit affair and one which will give residents a chance to enjoy an evening out is the big gala annual dance to be held Friday night, Feb. 1, in the VFW Annex. This event usually draws an excellent turnout, and it is hoped that its success enjoyed in previous years will be continued once again. Dancing will start at 9 and the admission is \$1 per person. Music will be furnished by the Metro-nomes Orchestra.

Another event expected to swell the drive's total is the Mothers' arch, scheduled for Tuesday evening, Jan. 29. This project is sponsored by the VFW Auxiliary of which Mrs. Vernon Keilholz is president. Residents willing to donate are asked to put their porch lights on between the hours of 7 and 9 p. m. The fight against paralytic polio is not yet over for a restudy and reevaluation of every polio patient in terms of the latest and best medical knowledge which research has made possible.

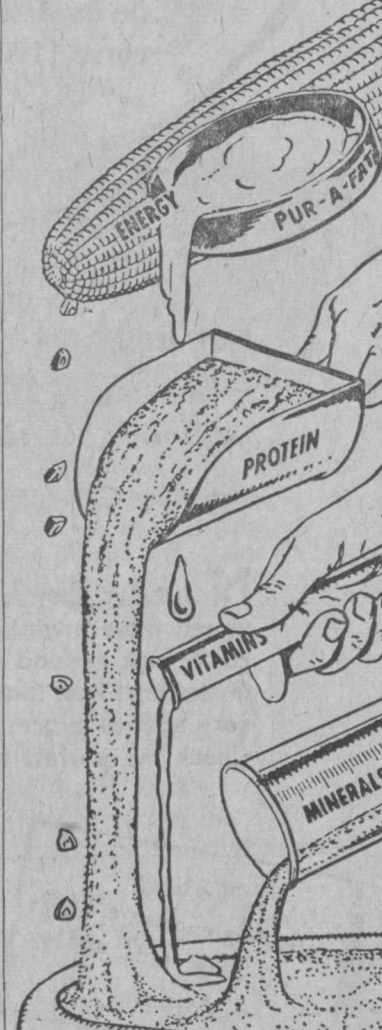
Miss Mary Louise Jordan and William Vinck, Baltimore, visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jordan.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bosley and sons, Lee, Tom, and Bill, of Glenarm, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baumgardner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Combs left this week to spend the winter months in Clarcona, Fla.

Thornton W. Rodgers, former Mayor, quietly observed his 60th birthday at his home here on Wednesday.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wivell were: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Topper and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wivell and son, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wivell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wivell and family, Miss Mary Jo Joy and Seaman Thomas Wivell of Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Harold Ditzler and children, Biglerville, visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sanders.

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