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Weekend
Weather Forecast
Normal weather expected Friday, moderating somewhat Sunday. Some precipitation expected.

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Most Anything At A Glance

BY ABIGAIL

Emmitsburg's water dilemma isn't the only one in this country. Signs indicate that many, many communities and cities along the Eastern Seaboard are enduring or are about to endure a water shortage. Some communities near Bel Air, Md., already in the midst of an acute shortage have bought 17 storage tanks, a 2200 gallon stainless steel tank car and drilled 17 wells. Water is hauled to the town two or three times a day from the Edgewood area about five miles away. Wanaque, N. J., which serves Newark, has only about a two months supply remaining. These are just a few of the severest hit areas. There are many more including some major cities. More and more communities are turning to rivers and creeks for their water source. It would be advisable for our local officials to take action at this time to have an intelligent water survey made here for long-range plans because if the town is to grow it must have far more quantities of water than it has now. In several months it is hoped the spring rains will end the present dilemma but it is also hoped that we don't forget to make plans for the future growth of this community.

Regarding door-to-door mail service here I see where Congressman Clarence Long has pledged his efforts to obtain this same type of service for our neighboring town of Taneytown. It is to be hoped that we here continue our interest in this matter because with the new Postoffice being located where it is, older residents of outlying sections of the town are going to find it rather inconvenient to walk daily for their mail or stamps. The time is ripe for this postal service here and we should continue our efforts to obtain it.

The annual Christmas Party for the Town's kiddies will take place Saturday. This is a fine community cooperative civic venture spearheaded by the local Lions Club and backed up financially by the local merchants and individuals who buy advertising space to pay for the candy and oranges. Without the financial aid there would be no party and our merchants are to be congratulated for their generous spirit; also the many other individuals who chip in with the work and who provide the music for the occasion. Since there is no Town Band anymore, a regrettable situation, a group of "pick-up" musicians has been filling in on several occasions to help keep these little civic ventures going.

French Student Named Delegate

Brenda Nalley, a senior at St. Joseph College, has been elected official delegate to the Triennial National Convention of Pi Delta Phi, National French Honor Society, by student members of Omega Chapter, the campus Pi Delta affiliate.

Sister Margaret Flinton, D.C., national vice president and moderator of the chapter, will accompany Miss Nalley to the convention to be held Dec. 28 in Chicago.

Sister Margaret is listed on the election ballot as a vice presidential nominee for the eastern section of the United States.

During the sessions Miss Nalley will appeal to representatives of Pi Delta's 115 other chapters to participate in "World Friendship," an international correspondence program initiated by Father Dominique Pire, 1958 Nobel Peace Prize winner and John Howard Griffin. Miss Nalley aims to enlist 100,000 correspondents for the program to which Saint Joseph's Omega chapter already has pledged 1,000.

Sister Margaret will report on recent chapter installations at Westminster College, Wilmington, Pa., and the University of Connecticut. Sister also will show slides of winning posters submitted during the last three years to the National Slogan-Poster Contest for High School Students of French. The contest is sponsored annually by Omega chapter. A flyer will also be on display, announcing the 1966 contest theme: *Loisirs des Français*.

Mountaineers Win Sixth Straight

Mount St. Mary's College basketballers continued their tremendous victory march during the past week by winning a tourney and mowing down three major opponents, running their win skein to six straight.

Last Friday night in Trenton, N. J., the Phelanmen topped Catholic U in a low-scoring contest, 59-48, in the Trenton Jaycee Tournament.

There was little to choose between the teams in the first half when Catholic gained a narrow 24-23 lead.

The Cardinals forged ahead early in the second half 41-38 and then Jim Livelsberger, Ed Sarmir and Mike Johnston, substitutes, rammed through eight straight points to send the Mountaineers ahead 46-41 and they led the rest of the way.

Fred Carter and Mike Lyons were the top point men for the Mount with 14 and 12 points, respectively. Mike Fessler dropped through 15 for Catholic.

The Mount's second opponent in the tourney, felt the wrath of Jim Phelan's crew Saturday night when Rider College was mowed down 84-75.

Carter, who was chosen as the most valuable player in the tournament, bombed the cords for 32 points while Dick Dohler hit for 18.

At half time Mt. St. Mary's was on top 31-26 but Rider pulled up to a 62-62 tie with nine minutes to go on a hook shot by Cisson. Carter and Livelsberger netted jump shots as the Mountaineers took the lead for keeps. A pair of goals by Carter and a hooker by Dohler made it 77-73 with 1:46 left and then the Mount added five more straight points to win going away.

Matching the 49-point performance of Carter was Dick Kuchen of Rider.

The all-tournament team, in addition to Carter, included Kuchen, center; Cryan, Rider, guard; Speicher, Catholic, guard, and Washychyn, Lehigh, forward.

Another Mountaineer joined the injured list when Pete Johnston reinjured his knee early in the second half and was unable to re-enter the game.

American U who quit the Mason-Dixon Conference to make a try at the "big time", was the sixth consecutive victim as the Mountaineers outdistanced them Tuesday night in Washington, 80-71.

Carter netted 26 points. He scored 16 of his total in the first half, leaving with three personal fouls with four minutes remaining and the Mounts ahead 41-22.

Only then were the Eagles able to make any kind of a comeback attempt, rallying to close the gap to 45-36 as the half ended.

American's surge was led by 71 sophomore Art Beatty, who totaled 17 points for the night. Beatty also nabbed 15 rebounds.

The Mounts pulled ahead 71-52 with 7:20 remaining in the game, forcing the Eagles into a full court press to close the final margin.

Bob Sutor, a 6'8 freshman from Philadelphia, scored 13 points for the Mount, his best effort of the season while playing against the taller Beatty. He fouled out late in the game.

Holiday Postoffice Hours Listed

The Emmitsburg Post Office will provide additional window service on Saturday, December 19, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

The normal hours of service will be provided on Christmas Eve, December 24, and no service will be provided on Christmas day.

PREDICTS DROUGHT

On June 29th, 1939, Halbert P. Gillete, a meteorologist, geologist and engineer (but no astrologist) predicted before the American Association for the Advancement of Science that the year 1966 would usher in the worst period of drought in 17 centuries. He based his prediction on varves — not stars — the layers of sediment deposited in seas and lakes by the annual runoff of streams. It appears he wasn't too far wrong.

Joe Foss, presently commissioner of the American Football League, became an "ace" during his tour on Guadalcanal. The Marine Corps Major shot down 23 enemy aircraft during a period of 40 days.

FIRE CO. HOLDS ANNUAL ELECTION; FITZGERALD PREXY

The annual election of officers of the Vigilant Hose Co. was held Tuesday evening at the regular meeting in the Fire Hall. President John S. Hollinger presided. Chief Sterling H. White reported four fires handled since the last regular meeting. The building committee reported that the final settlement figure for the new addition was being worked out with the architect.

Dr. George W. Green reported that Dr. W. R. Cadle had given booster tetanus shots to a large number of members before the business meeting and expressed gratitude that such a number of firemen obtained the inoculations.

President John Hollinger appointed the following auditing committee: Guy A. Baker, Sr., Richard Sprinkle and Charles F. Stouter. The president expressed appreciation to those firemen who helped with the pumping operation at the reservoir last Sunday. He expressed the opinion that a lot of valuable information on pumping was learned during the operation and that the venture was a success. The president announced that 1966 dues were now payable at the following places: Adams Barber Shop, Mac's Barber Shop, Boyle's Store, Sperry Ford Sales or to the assistant secretary.

The results of the annual election are as follows: President, Jeff Fitzgerald; vice president, John S. Hollinger; secretary, John Balmer; assistant secretary, Donald Byard, Jr.; treasurer, Ronald Stouter; Chief, Guy R. McLaughlin; first assistant chief, Charles F. Stouter; second assistant chief, John S. Hollinger; directors, Sterling H. White and George L. Danner.

METHEE-SHERWIN

Miss Martha Jane Sherwin, of 1420 Abingdon Dr., Alexandria, Va., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Sherwin, Emmitsburg, became the bride November 27 of George R. Methee, Arlington, Va., son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George C. Methee, New Bedford, Mass., in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Emmitsburg. Rev. Fr. Louis Storms performed the nuptial Mass. The altar was decorated with white mums. Mrs. Louis F. Rosensteel, church organist, played traditional wedding music.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a lovely white sheath gown of taffeta with appliques of aleon lace on the bodice and neckline and a long detachable chapel train. She carried white carnations.

Miss Alice Sherwin, Alexandria, Va., sister of the bride, was maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Mary Catherine Sherwin, Emmitsburg, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Carol B. Lemon, Washington, D. C., cousin of the bride. All wore long Empire sheaths with lace bodice and crepe skirt and flowing wateau back drape. Their matching headpieces held circular illusion veils. They carried bouquets of white daisies with matching ribbons.

Lawrence Riorden, Worcester, Mass., was best man. The ushers were Michael O'Shea, Worcester, Mass., friend of the bridegroom, and John Sherwin, Emmitsburg, brother of the bride.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Shamrock Restaurant, Thurmont. For a wedding trip to the New England States and Canada, the bride wore a three-piece suit of cranberry pink with black accessories. Upon their return they will reside in Arlington, Va. The bride is a graduate of St. Joseph's High School, Emmitsburg, and is employed by National Commission of Technology, Automation and Economic Progress, Washington, D. C.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Assumption College, Worcester, Mass., Boston College, Boston, Mass., George Washington University, Washington, D. C., and was with the U. S. Army from 1953 to 1955. He is presently employed as a statistician with the U. S. Dept. of Labor, Washington, D. C.

Celebrate Birthdays

Marlene and Darlene Glass, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. David Glass, Emmitsburg, celebrated their 13th birthday with a roller skating party. Those present were, Carolyn Keilholtz, Nita Lindsay, Debbie Joy, Shirley Sheeley, Becky Snyder and Shirley Weirman. Many nice gifts were received and refreshments were served to all.

If everybody would quit hurrying, life would move along intelligently.

Guest Preacher



The Rev. Bernie Zerkel, Jr., Associate Conference Minister of the Central of the United Church of Christ, will preach the sermon at the 10:45 a.m. Worship Service of Incarnation Church, Emmitsburg, on Sunday, December 19. The theme of Mr. Zerkel's sermon, in keeping with the Advent Season, will be "When Christ Comes."

Rev. Mr. Zerkel will also be the guest preacher for St. James United Church of Christ, R1, Littlestown, Pa., at the 9 a.m. Worship Service on Sunday. St. James is four miles southwest of Littlestown on the Harney Road. This congregation was just recently transferred into the Catholic Association of the Central Atlantic Conference from the Gettysburg Association of the Penn Central Conference, and is one of the two churches of the Incarnation-St. James Charge. As part of the service at St. James Church on Sunday, the redecorated sanctuary will be rededicated by the Associate Conference Minister. A set of four brass offering plates and receiving basin, an outdoor bulletin board recently erected in front of the church, and a new U. S. Flag and Christian Flag will also be dedicated at this service.

Mr. Zerkel was graduated from the University of Virginia before entering the Yale University Divinity School from which he was graduated in 1953. He served as the pastor of Grace Evangelical and Reformed Church in Baltimore for nine years, and also a pastor of the United Church of Christ of Annapolis, before becoming one of the three Associate Conference Ministers of the Central Atlantic Conference. He serves the Catholic and Shenandoah Associations of the conference of the United Church of Christ.

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Hospital Report

Admitted
Guy Warren, Emmitsburg.
Louis F. Rosensteel, Emmitsburg.

Discharged
Weldon B. Shank, Fairfield R2.
Mrs. Daniel L. Swisher and infant son, Emmitsburg.
Mrs. Charles Stitely, Rocky Ridge.

Births
Mr. and Mrs. James Cornett, Thurmont R2, son, Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Stitely, Thurmont, son, Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. James B. Troxell, Thurmont R2, daughter, Saturday.

Lions Club Holds Ladies' Night
The Emmitsburg Lions Club held a Ladies Night dinner at the Mt. Manor Restaurant on Monday evening. There were forty-two Lions and guests present. The committee for the annual Christmas Party reported everything ready for the big event Saturday.

Entertainment at the dinner consisted of the showing of travel slides by two of the Lions and the singing of Christmas carols by the entire group. The main event of the evening was a performance by the Presbyterian Handbell Choir under the direction of Samuel C. Hays.

On May 9, 1942, the Coast Guard Cutter Icarus sank the German U-352 off the coast of Charleston, S. C., and took 33 prisoners.

We know some ruffians whose veneer of civilization is wearing thin.

Creek Pumping Should Ease Water Crisis

Nothing has transpired to change the critical water situation this week in Emmitsburg. With the drought continuing and resources dwindling, town workers and officials readied this week to tap into nearby Tom's Creek.

Over 20 fire engines from several counties came here last Sunday to perform a pumping relay over two miles of mountainous terrain and the effort netted over 200,000 gallons of water pumped from Tom's Creek into Reservoir No. 2. This gallonage represented just about a day's supply. It is hoped to gain some reserve with the closing of the two local colleges this week for the Christmas vacation. Saint Joseph College closed two days early to help alleviate the critical situation here and Mt. St. Mary's College will close for the holidays today.

Mayor Ralph F. Irean said this week that Health Dept. representatives had taken samples of the Tom's Creek water and if that is used, he believed the set-up would carry the town through the winter months. Public Works Commissioner Norman Flax said two Civil Defense pumps were ready to commence operations sometime late this week and take water out of Tom's Creek on the Mehrl Keilholz farm west of Town. The water would be pumped two miles up the mountain to No. 2 Reservoir through the existing pipe line, chlorinated and returned to the Town via another 10-inch main.

In the meantime Town Officials asked the cooperation of water consumers to save wherever possible and the strict water ban continues in force until such time as it is thought supplies are adequate. Lake Pioneer pumping operations have ceased after three weeks and the pump has been brought down to Tom's Creek to be used as an auxiliary.

In last Sunday's operation by adjacent fire companies, 225 volunteer firemen from 24 companies cooperated in the operation.

The firemen's pumping project, under the direction of Joe McDonagh, University of Maryland senior fire service instructor, and C. Oscar Baker, fire chief at the Bureau of Standards and fire instructor at the University of Md., was divided into two relays with each running two separate 2 1/2-inch hose lines that totaled 24,000 feet.

The first relay pumped water from Tom's Creek to the No. 2 reservoir. The relay was operated by 138 firemen with 15 pumps and six service trucks pumping 137,940 gallons of water over a four-hour period through 16,000 feet of hose on their two separate lines. The water level at No. 2 reservoir was raised 16 inches.

The other relay pumped 100,000 gallons of water from the lake at Camp Pioneer, to the Rainbow Lake reservoir. The second relay was operated by 65 men, using seven pumps, three service trucks and 8,000 feet of hose on their two lines.

Some of the firemen left their homes at 5:30 a.m. and traveled over 50 miles. Most companies were on the scene by 8 a.m. and pumping began at 11:15 and continued until 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The five counties represented by the fire companies included three from Adams, one from Franklin, one from Carroll, 10 from Frederick and one from York.

Fire companies on the scene included: Emmitsburg, Gettysburg, Fairfield, Fountaineale, Independence of Frederick, Woodsboro, Walkersville, New Market, Reese, Carroll Manor, Thurmont, Blue Ridge Summit, New Midway, Rocky Ridge, Manchester, Sykesville, Westminster, Taneytown, Middletown, Union Bridge, Hampstead, Mt. Airy, Pleasant Valley, and the Eagle Fire Co. of Hanover which brought its refreshment truck. Canteen service provided coffee, doughnuts, sandwiches and soup which were contributed by Emmitsburg residents. The community also contributed 607 gallons of gasoline used in the pumping operation.

John S. Hollinger, president of the Vigilant Hose Co., who was mainly responsible for organizing the pumping project, said the community was grateful to all the firemen for giving up their Sunday to help relieve the water situation.

Sterling White, chief, and assistant chief Guy McLaughlin and Charles Stouter, helped to coordinate the operation. The Emmitsburg Fire Police directed traffic.

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LORI ROSE RIDENOUR

Lori Rose Ridenour, four-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ridenour, Emmitsburg R2, died at 5 a.m. Wednesday at the Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore. She is survived by her parents, two sisters, Brenda and Linda; her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester McLaughlin, R5, Gettysburg; her paternal grandmother, Mrs. Julia Ridenour, Frederick, and a great-grandmother, Mrs. Nellie Wills, Frederick.

There will be a Mass of the Angels this morning (Friday) at 10 o'clock in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Emmitsburg, with Rev. Fr. Louis Storms officiating. Interment will be made in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery, Fairfield. Wilson Funeral Home, Emmitsburg, is in charge of arrangements.

ROY M. BAKER

Roy M. Baker, 75, Emmitsburg, died Wednesday morning at 3 o'clock at the Warner Hospital, Gettysburg. He had been ill for 17 days.

He was born at Franklinville, a son of the late Samuel and Lottie Baker. He was employed as a carpenter at St. Joseph College for 35 years until he retired several years ago.

Surviving are four sons, Raymond, George and Leroy, all of Emmitsburg, and Donald, Gettysburg; two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Favorite, Sykesville, and Mrs. Helen Eyer, Gettysburg. There are 15 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. There are three brothers, Charles, Morris and Harry, all of Thurmont, and a sister, Mrs. Maude Shook, also of Thurmont.

His wife, Anna Koch Baker, died 20 years ago.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon (Friday) at the Creager Funeral Home, Thurmont, at 2:30 o'clock with the Rev. Elmer R. Andrews officiating. Interment will be in the United Brethren Cemetery, Thurmont.

MISS MARY C. JORDAN

Miss Mary Catherine Jordan, 71, died Sunday evening at 9 o'clock at her home on DePaul St. in Emmitsburg.

A native of McKeesport, she was a daughter of the late John and Margaret (Mentzer) Jordan, and was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Emmitsburg, and of its Sodality.

Surviving are these brothers and sisters: Mrs. Loretta M. Pitts and Mrs. Bernadette Wilson, both of Baltimore, and Miss Ellen Jordan and Andrew Jordan, both of Emmitsburg.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Emmitsburg, with the Rev. Fr. Louis Storms officiating. Interment was in St. Anthony's Cemetery. Wilson Funeral Home, Emmitsburg, was in charge of arrangements.

Lutheran Family Night Sunday

The annual Christmas Family Night will be held this Sunday evening at Elias Lutheran Church. This year, the women's group of the Church will lead those in attendance in a pageant entitled, "The Child We Adore." Since early in the fall, the women have been making Christmases, with which to decorate the Church Christmas trees. Christmases are symbols, made from white styrofoam, gold sequins, beads, festooning, etc., which depict events and doctrine surrounding the Lord Jesus Christ. Nearly eighty of these symbols will hang on the twelve-foot trees in front of the Sanctuary. The pageant, "The Child We Adore," will use a few of these symbols to tell the story and significance of Jesus' birth.

The Choir, in addition to a number of carols, will sing two special numbers, "Lo, How A Rose Ere Blooming", and "What Child Is This."

Following the hour of Worship, the Young Adult Class will provide refreshments in the Parish House. Fellowship and the singing of Christmas Carols will be enjoyed. All are welcome to attend Christmas Family Night beginning at 7:30 p.m.

VFW AMBULANCE

Mrs. John Dubel, Rocky Ridge, and Guy Warren, Emmitsburg, were transported to the Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, and Richard Keckler, R1, was taken to the Newton D. Baker Hospital, Martinsburg, W. Va., in the VFW ambulance this week. Drivers were Guy A. Baker, Jr., Paul E. Humerick and John S. Hollinger.

The first Navy aircraft carrier to be equipped with the capabilities of launching and landing aircraft simultaneously was the USS Antietam, in 1952.

Lions Club Xmas Parade Saturday

The 26th annual Kiddies' Christmas Party will take place in Emmitsburg Saturday, Dec. 18.

The event is sponsored by the Emmitsburg Lions Club, William H. Kelz, president, with assistance from the Town Council, Emmitsburg Homemakers, Fire Co. and the numerous merchants who purchase advertising to defray the expenses. The event annually draws more children to town than any other single outdoor event.

Activity will get under way promptly at 11 a. m. when the children will be treated to a free movie at the VFW Annex.

Following the show the children will gather at the Fire Hall for hot chocolate and sandwiches. The lunch will be served between noon and 1:00 p. m. Those attending the second show at the VFW also will be served lunch as soon as possible.

At 2:00 p. m. the mammoth Christmas Parade will march off in West End and proceed to the Fire Hall where Santa will distribute candy and oranges to all the children.

State and local police will manage the crowd of children during the parade and distribution of candy. Members of the former Emmitsburg Municipal Band will furnish the music for the parade and also give a short concert while Santa is passing out the candy. Also in the line of march will be the Legion Color Guard, police cars and fire apparatus.

Co-chairmen of the party are Ralph McDonald and Clarence G. Frailey. All Lions Club members are asked to be present to help with the work Saturday morning and afternoon.

Local Woman

In Car Crash

Three persons were injured at 11:10 a.m. Sunday in a crack-up at Tracey's Corner on the Sunshine Trail.

John Herring, 66, Orrtanna R1, and two passengers, Floyd Myers, 41, Baltimore, and Mrs. Martha Hann, 50, Emmitsburg, and owner of the car, escaped with minor injuries.

Herring and Myers sustained fractures of the right ribs while Mrs. Hann sprained her left knee and ribs.

All were treated at the Waynesboro Hospital and released, according to state police.

Police said Herring was southbound on a township road and drove into the Tracey's Corner intersection where the sedan was hit by a motorist traveling east on Route 16.

The second operator was Jimmy E. Tidmore, 27, Ft. Ritchie. Damage was \$900 to the car driven by Herring and \$350 to the Tidmore sedan.

Will Judge Local Decorations Dec. 25

Emmitsburg's Christmas Decorating Contest will be judged on Christmas Night, Dec. 25, from 7:30 to 9:00 o'clock, it was announced this week.

The event is being sponsored jointly this year by the Francis X. Elder Post, American Legion, and the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Prize money offered in previous years has just about been doubled, it is said.

Girl Scouts To Carol Tuesday

All Girl Scouts in the Emmitsburg area will turn out in force on Tuesday evening, Dec. 21, at 6:30 p.m. to carol in Emmitsburg. They will meet at the Lutheran Parish Hall and will be given instructions from there. Parents and leaders will accompany the girls. Anyone wishing to have carols sung in their home where there are shut-ins or illness, are asked to call any of the leaders, Mrs. John Chatlos, Mrs. Margie Myers, Mrs. Anita Merkel, Mrs. Ralph Lindsay or Miss Mary Marshall. After the caroling around the town, the group will meet at the Square for the final carols, and then to the Parish Hall for refreshments.

MASONS TO OBSERVE ST. JOHN'S DAY

Tyrian Lodge, AF&M, Emmitsburg, will observe St. John's Day services on Dec. 19 at 9 a.m. in the Trinity Methodist Church.

Members are asked to assemble at the lodge hall at 8:30 a.m. Gloves and aprons will be available to members at the church.

County Develops Ag Program

The Agricultural Conservation Program (ACP) for Frederick County was tentatively developed recently by the Frederick County ACP Development Group.

This group consists of representatives of Soil Conservation Services, Soil Conservation Districts, ASC County Committee, Farmer's Home Administration, Maryland Dept. of Forests and Parks, Frederick County Forestry Board, Maryland Game and Inland Fish Commission and the Cooperative Extension Service.

Through the 1966 ACP, the Federal Government will cost

share with Frederick County farmers the cost of carrying out approved soil building and soil and water conservation practices, including related wildlife and beautification conservation practices.

The ACP Development Group selected available practices from the Maryland Handbook of practices. These state practices were modified to best suit the needs of Frederick County. The County program will be submitted to the Maryland ASCS State Committee for approval. Practices tentatively included in the program are: Seeding of permanent legumes and grasses; application of liming material; establishment of strip-cropping system; planting of trees and improvement of established cover; developing springs or seeps

for livestock water; livestock watering ponds; timber stand improvement; constructing sod waterways; establishment of permanent vegetation for protection against erosion; establishing diversion terraces; drainage ditches; tile drainage; winter cover crop; establishment of wildlife food or cover planting; shallow water areas for wildlife; ponds for wildlife; tree, shrubs or ornamental plantings; establishment of recreation areas. It must be emphasized this is a tentative program sub-

ject to approval at the state level. Changes could be incurred. As in the past, sign up for this program will be early in 1966. The exact dates will be announced.

Health Dept. Discusses Water

A safe water supply for Maryland in the future depends upon action taken now, State Health Commissioner William J. Peeples, M.D., said this week. He added that long-range planning is im-

perative in order to achieve this goal and stated that one of the major deterrents in a water pollution prevention program is the high cost of adequate community sewerage facilities.

Dr. Peeples pointed out the problem of providing adequate water supplies and sewerage facilities throughout the state becomes more difficult each year. The cost of such facilities has continued to increase although, in many areas ability to finance construction and operation has not kept pace with rising costs.

Another factor in financing water pollution control measures, and one which is related not only to health but also to the economy of the state, is the need to eliminate pollution in waters which produce shellfish.

Although several agencies and communities have expressed willingness to proceed with their programs, many smaller communities or areas with special problems require greater financial assistance in order to provide suitable facilities, Dr. Peeples said.

The Health Department's plan for the use and distribution of funds provided by the Sanitary Facilities Sewerage Loan was approved by the State Board of Health and Mental Hygiene at its last meeting, as stipulated by this legislation, and now will be submitted to the Board of Public Works.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hoffman, Lakeland, Fla., attended the funeral of Mrs. Hoffman's sister-in-law, Mrs. Carroll Kreitz, Waynesboro, on Saturday morning, and spent several days with Mr. and Mrs.

Greta Keilholtz, Hagerstown. Mr. Dorsey Boyle, Baltimore, was a visitor in town Wednesday. Mr. Edgar L. Robinson is quietly observing his birthday today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moriarty, Manchester, Mass., have returned home after visiting with Mrs. Moriarty's brother, Frank W. Weant. Mr. Dean J. Sprague is spending the Christmas vacation visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Sprague, Cadillac, Mich.

Admiral George E. Dewey was the first and only Naval Officer to wear six stars.

HOUSE FOR SALE

5-rm. brick semi-bungalow, bath, cemented basement, hot & cold water, built-in cabinets in kitchen. 2-car garage. Less than mile out of Emmitsburg. Large Lot. Priced to go. R. L. ZENTZ, Broker, Taneytown, Md. 756-6960.

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- '63 Corvair Coupe
- '63 Chevy Station Wagon
- '63 Corvair Panel
- '62 Buick Station Wagon
- '62 Buick 4-Dr. Hard-Top
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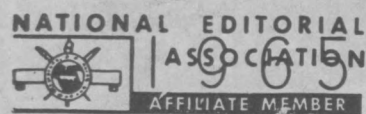
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Home Loans Available

Home ownership is now possible for many more rural people thru expansion of the Farmers Home Administration Rural Housing Loan Program. Bryce Hopkins, County Supervisor, says that, because of a broader program and new authorities, he expects loan

activity to increase rapidly, possibly double that of previous years, due to national appropriations in the amount of \$350,000,000.00.

Previously the housing program was available only to applicants owning lots or parcels of land in rural areas and towns or communities up to 2,500 population; it can now include applicants in town or communities up to 5,500 population.

These loans to rural people may be used for various purposes including funds to permit construction of a new house, modernize existing homes, add bathrooms, heating plants or other home improvements, as well as to enlarge or remodel farm service buildings and put in related facilities such as yard fences and driveways. Under the new authorities a rural resident may also use loan funds to buy a previously occupied house and lot, or to buy a minimum adequate site on which to build his home, as well as to build or repair a house on land he already owns.

To be eligible, an applicant must be without adequate, safe

and sanitary housing, be unable to finance his needs through conventional sources at terms he can reasonably meet, and have an income sufficient to indicate repayment ability. An applicant must be a citizen of the United States and possess the character and industry to fulfill his obligations.

Loans are scheduled for repayment within a period consistent with the applicant's ability to repay. The maximum term is 33 years.

Loans may also be made to applicants having an income above moderate who wish to build a more than adequate and modest house.

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A short wait is well worth the benefits that filing an application will bring. In addition to the Medicare coverage, individuals may be pleasantly surprised to find that they may also be entitled to receive cash benefits if their earnings permit.

W. S. King, Manager of the Hagerstown Social Security District office urges all individuals who are now age 65 or over not to delay filing. Once the application is on file, you cannot lose the right to benefits under either Medicare or Old-Age retirement insurance.

Visit the office at 59 North Cannon Avenue now or not later than March 31, 1966. The office is open daily, Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. through 5 p.m. Call the district office to find out about evening and Saturday hours.

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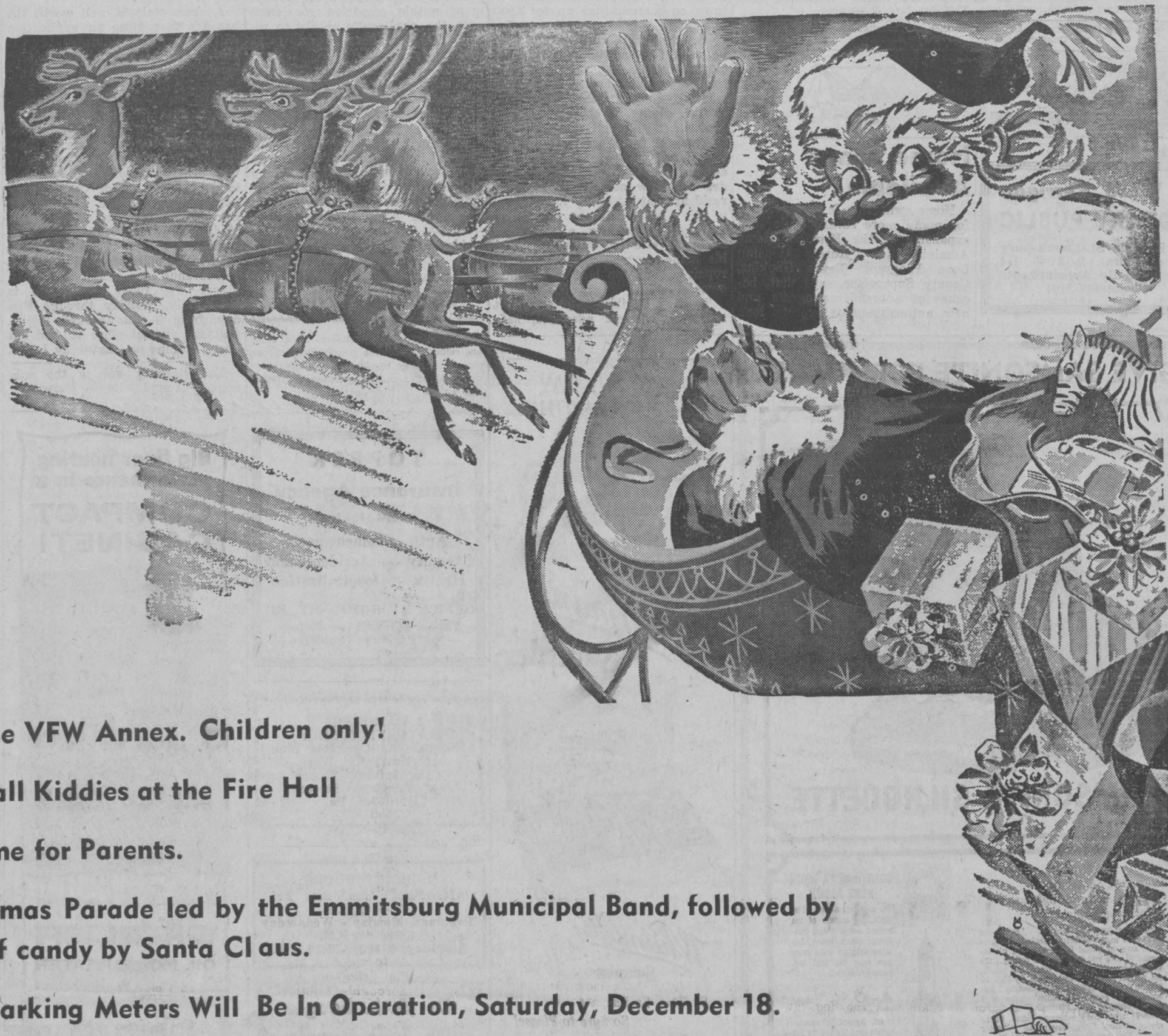
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Across the nation every piece of Christmas mail that can possibly be delivered will reach its destination on time. However, at this time of the year, the strain on transportation facilities and the unpredictability of the weather can mean unexpected delays.

The post office suggested that mailers consider the use of air mail and special delivery, especially for out of town mail.

They noted that holiday schedules will be in effect on Saturday and Sunday, December 25 and 26. Although Christmas falls on a Saturday and many business firms

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will be letting their employees off Friday, a sufficient number of postal workers will remain on duty Friday to see that all Christmas mail entering post offices in time for delivery will reach its destination. No window service will be provided on Christmas day. The post office thanked all their customers for their excellent cooperation so far. It was noted that the use of ZIP Code has increased significantly over last year and that most people mailed early.

Reader Cites New Bike Law

Editor, Emmitsburg Chronicle: Recently I was speaking to you on the telephone regarding children and the laws regarding riding their bicycles.

You recall I told you my eight-year-old son was riding his bicycle facing traffic and was struck by an automobile coming toward him. He hit the windshield of the vehicle, and as a result was painfully injured and left with fifteen inches of scar on his face. Unfortunately, my husband and I taught our son to ride his bicycle facing traffic, as we were taught. This used to be the law, but I understand the law was changed in 1961. This new law states that a bicycle is considered a vehicle, therefore, the bicyclist is to ride with the traffic, not facing it. We lost our case in court because of this new ruling. My husband and I did not know of this change in the law and neither did any parents with whom we all talked.

I believe that the children and parents should be better informed of this law by newspapers, radio, television, etc., or by any other medium possible. I also feel that the bicycle manufacturers should put a pamphlet of safety rules on every bicycle they make. You told me that you hoped you would see the day when everyone riding on a two-wheeled vehicle would be compelled by law to wear a helmet like the batters do in baseball.

It is our duty to protect our children in every way possible, and I was pleased to know that you have agreed to help me in every way you can to inform all children and their parents in Maryland on how and where children should ride their bicycles. Sincerely, Citizen

Legion Auxiliary Holds Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Francis X. Ider American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 124, was held last Tuesday evening at the Post Home. President Ann Shorb presided with eight members present. The membership chairman announced that to date there are 56 members paid up.

The chaplain reported that get-well and birthday cards had been sent, and a thank-you note was received. Anna Shorb, Anna Topper, Virginia Sanders, Melva Hardman and Anna Bushman, attended the District meeting held at the Hesson-Snyder Post Home in Taneytown on Nov. 28. The group voted the following pledges: \$15 to Child Welfare, \$15 to the Department Rehabilitation Program. It was also decided to give \$1 to each veteran at the Western Maryland State Hospital in Hagerstown, since Victor Cullen is no longer in existence. \$15 was also donated towards the school tuition of a local retarded youngster. Members reported 9 hours of baby sitting with veterans' children; 4 hours work with Brownie Troop; 8 hours for the use of the Auxiliary room by the Girl Scouts; \$150 worth of clothing given to veteran, non-veteran families and the Thanksgiving clothing drive; \$4 for TB seals; \$4.10

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The draw prize was won by Melva Hardman and Ella Hemler's name was called for the door prize, but she was not present. Refreshment committee for January is Ann Topper and Ann Shorb. After the business meeting, the ladies joined the men of the Post for refreshments.

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SPORTS AFIELD

By Ted Kesting

The most sought-after game fish of the northeastern surf angler is without question the magnificent striped bass. Although strippers inhabit the coastal waters from Florida to Nova Scotia (as well as those of California), they are predominantly a New England fish, found in greatest numbers along the inshore waters and around the "outer islands" of Massachusetts. There is good reason why these fish are often called "squid hounds" in some areas, as they are frequently found filled with squid.

The diet of the striped bass, however, is not restricted just to squid, as it favors a wide range of food. "This is a very voracious fish, preying indiscriminately on small fish of all kinds—herring, menhaden, shad, smelts, sand eels, crabs, shrimp, mullet and various other food found in the bays and coastal waters," states Robert D. Hall, Salt-Water Fishing Editor of Sports Afield Magazine. A small mackerel is one of the favorite baits used by Cape Cod anglers. At times bloodworms are the choice of the early-season fisherman. Because eels are generally nocturnal, moving out into the open at night to feed, eels, eel tails and even eelskins have proved to be extremely attractive as nighttime baits for strippers.

Striped bass are anadromous, coming in from the sea to brackish or fresh water to spawn, and the most successful fisherman is the one who is thoroughly familiar with their movements in a particular area. Those in the Atlantic will gradually move out of the rivers toward the bays in late April and May, and there is usually a large concentration of fish in the bays and inlets just prior to their movements along the coast.

An excellent method of learning just what striped bass feed on at various times of the season is to become acquainted with the food available in a certain area and examine the contents of the stomach of every fish you catch.

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OUTDOOR SPORTS TIPS

Protect Rifle Stock Don't let the swivel of your rifle sling near a beautiful stock. Fit a small rubber washer under swivel to take the wear and tear.

Bottle Opener Surf fishermen along the west coast know rocks are numerous. To save rigs they tie a flat bottle opener three feet above their hook and sinker. Opener lifts them slightly off the rocks.

Go Deeper Plugs Experts agree most everybody fishes too shallow. Make plugs run deeper by drilling a hole back of the head and filling with lead. Repair.

Decoyed Make your old wood duck decoys do longtime service. Retire them from the field to your mantle. Cut a hole in back for your wife to plant ivy. Attractive and different.

Squirrel Call Pick up two palm-sized rocks and strike them together as fast as you can. It will sound just like the chatter of a bushytail.

Masked Sock Wrap two-inch strips of masking tape around your wool socks when heading into rough country. Now they won't pick up burrs and seeds. A zip and strips pull off and clean your socks.

Windmill Ice fishermen tie a matchbook or piece of paper to lines hanging from tip-ups. The wind blows the paper which works the line and helps keep it from freezing in the hole.

Camper's Saw Go light campers don't take the whole bucksaw... just the blade. In camp they cut a green bough and bend it to make a saw frame.

As a man grows older it is harder and harder to frighten him.—Jean Paul Richter.

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Cub Scouts Given Merit Awards

Awards were presented recently at the VFW to members of Cub Scout Pack 1060.

Receiving awards were: Jimmy Phelan, bear and gold arrow under bear; John Waters, wolf and gold arrow under wolf; Jimmy Deegan, wolf and gold and silver arrow under wolf; Steve Sprankle, wolf badge; Kenny Shorb, wolf and gold and silver arrow under wolf; Eddie Hatter, bobcat; Roy Adelsberger, bear badge and gold and silver arrow, 2-year

pin, 2-year perfect attendance; Bill McGlaughlin, 2-year pin, bear badge; Steve Myers, 2-year pin, wolf; Ed Seidel, bear; Bob Seidel, gold arrow under bear; Joseph Myers, denner bar; David Ryder, assistant denner bar; Wayne Topper, 1-year pin; Steve Ryder, den chief cord; Jimmy Jackson, wolf; Jackie Sweeney, bobcat; Patrick O'Brien, bobcat; Billy Carr, 1-year pin; David Culbreath, 2-year pin.

The opening and closing exercises were conducted by Den 1. Den 2 had charge of refreshments and a skit was given by Den 3.

All Cubs and den mothers attended a basketball game at the

Mount, Dec. 7. The Cub Scouts will sing Christmas carols on December 28, starting at 7 p. m.

EHS Activities

By George Richardson

On Monday night at 7:30 o'clock, the high school will present its annual Christmas program for adults.

The program will include a play entitled "The Other Wiseman." Several selections will be played by the band under the direction of Mr. Gary Smith. The high school glee club will sing, "What Strangers are These," "Gloria In Excelsis," and "O Come, O Come Emmanuel," under the direction of Mrs. Anne Deathridge.

The girls' basketball varsity team played a practice game at St. Joseph's High School Monday at 3:30 p.m. The game resulted in a 14-14 tie. The girls' season will open officially in the county, on January 12, with a game at Thurmont.

Lutheran Women Hold Meeting

The Lutheran Church Women of Elias Church held their December meeting on Tuesday evening in the Church. Mrs. Lewis Smith and Miss Mary J. Zimmerman were the leaders for the Christmas topic, "Carols for Another Christmas." Many of the unfamiliar Christmas carols that appear in the Church's Service Book and Hymnal were introduced to the group. A study of five hymns was conducted by a group of LCW members, who provided some of the background information on the origin and interpretation of the hymns. Assisting with the program were Mrs. Edward Meadows, Mrs. Ronald Fearer, Mrs. Charles Linn, Mrs. A. W. McCleaf, and Miss Ruth Shuff, organist for the Service. The group learned many of the "unfamiliar" carols and were impressed with the variety of Christmas music that is available.

Mrs. Hazel Caldwell, president, conducted the business meeting in the Parish House following the Service in the Church. Plans were made for the trimming of the Church trees with Chrismos which have been made by the LCW members of Elias Church. A program describing and displaying the Chrismos will be presented to the community on Sunday, December 19, at 7:30 in the Church.

A gift table, with purple cloth and Advent Wreath and candles, provided the focal point for the Christmas gifts that were wrapped for the guests at the National Lutheran Home for the Aged in Washington, D. C. The LCW members also contributed a Christmas check for needy families in the Cherokee Indian Reservation in North Carolina. Mr. Stephen Wilhide, an Emmitsburg native and a member of VISTA, is currently working among the Cherokees and has provided local groups with information regarding the needs of these impoverished families.

Mrs. Charles Harner, was presented a potted poinsetta from the group, in recognition of her recent wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harner observed their 50th wedding anniversary on December 8. Refreshments were served to the LCW members and their guests by Mrs. Charles Linn and Mrs. Harry McNair. Christmas greens, poinsettias, and candles provided a holiday atmosphere for the fellowship hour.

Early to bed and early to rise enables the taxpayer to come nearer to meeting his tax bills.

Safety Tips Given On Xmas Trees

People across the nation were urged this week by J. Dewey Dorsett, president of the American Insurance Association, to use care with fire this holiday season.

The Association, successor to the National Board of Fire Underwriters, said that fire losses in the United States this year will exceed \$1 billion for the ninth year in a row, and fire fatalities, as during the past eight years, are expected to exceed 11,000.

"By using ordinary care, we can hold down our tragic toll," Mr. Dorsett said.

"Throughout the years, according to our statistics, three out of every four fires are the result of carelessness.

"Carelessness can take many forms. A fire can start from such a little thing as an unextinguished match or a lighted cigarette care-

lessly discarded. In fact, every fifth fire is caused by matches and smoking.

"Another fifth of all fires is caused by misuse of electricity and faulty electrical equipment. As a matter of just good common sense, you owe it to yourself to keep your appliances in good working order, and if they are not operating properly, have them repaired by a qualified service man."

Md. Dorsett added that fire prevention, while important at the holiday season, should be made a year-around affair.

"Fire is a perpetual threat, and at no time can we relent in our efforts to achieve fire safety," he added.

Over 1,300,000 fires occurred in U. S. cities having a population of 2,500 and over in 1964, Mr. Dorsett said. Approximately 400,000 homes were damaged or destroyed.

"These figures indicate that fire

prevention is of vital concern to all," Mr. Dorsett declared. "Our daily and weekly newspapers and radio and television stations can render a great public service by telling their readers, listeners and viewers how to protect themselves, their families and their property from fire."

Mr. Dorsett said that while care with fire is particularly important to keep Christmas and New Year's a joyous and happy time, fire prevention is a year-round job.

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