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Weekly Thought

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Most Anything At A Glance

- By Abigail -

The Community Show was a grand success again this year with many Emmitsburg residents bringing home prizes. The new FFA Sweetheart was duly crowned and Friday evening's program very enjoyable. For those of you who were around the gym on Friday night, would you believe that only four young men were in there providing all that sound? The younger generation seemed to be enjoying it greatly but I didn't notice any of us older folks going into the dance. Maybe some day they'll go back to the fox-trot and we can join in.

National Dog Week is just around the corner, starts Sunday in fact. So let us all be kind to "man's best friend" and hope that they remember the old axiom about not biting the hand that feeds you.

Folks around here do seem to have gotten a bit interested in the proposed annexation of that Viking Ventures land. I've heard it talked about just about every place in town during the last week. There do seem to be a lot of people who have definitely made their minds up already in either one direction or the other. I heard that this week's paper will be carrying a good bit of information on the subject and hope that folks will take the time and effort necessary to go over that information. And let us not forget about all those men on the Planning Commission and the Town Commission, seems to me that they should be a good source of information for those of us who need more information. Those of you folks who aren't registered to vote get yourselves on over to the Town Office and sign up. Which ever way this project goes, let's not let it be decided by only 10, 20, 100, or 200 people who decided to go to the effort to vote. Discussing is good, making up your mind is good, but neither of them are worth a darn if you don't bother to go vote and make your voice really heard.

Anybody out there know what has become of our good ole Doughboy? It's been some months now since he was topped from his perch at the end of town and it would seem to me that it's about time he was reinstated. Could it possibly be true that the rumor I heard was correct and that the Doughboy's whereabouts are unknown at this time?

With October fast approaching, folks are starting to plan and get in gear for the Colorfest Weekend. It would appear that it will be a busy time here in our own town with an even bigger and better Firemen's parade and block party scheduled. There promises to be something for everybody, so if you haven't made plans to participate, now is the time to start planning.

Saturday will mark the official beginning of the Autumn Season when the lazy days of summer must give way to football, the carving of jack-o-lanterns and for lawn-owners, the inevitable raking of leaves. Swarms of little ones will be splashing through mud puddles and chortling over newly-found treasures such as a bird's nest or a leaf that crackles like a potato chip when it is crushed. As we watch the innocence of childhood in action, we should try to regain some of the inquisitiveness and wonder which we felt when we were young. We must never be so busy that we cannot take the time to enjoy the simple things in life, such as a colorful sunset or the beauties of the hillsides and mountains dressed in the brilliant finery of autumn leaves. Let's keep a receptive and appreciative eye out for the beauties of God's handiwork all around us as we prepare for the faster tempo of the new season.

Mrs. Ryan Named Projects Director



Mrs. Valli S. Ryan has been named Director of Special Projects for the Southeast Province of the Daughters of Charity.

The appointment to the newly created post was announced in Emmitsburg last week by Sister Eleanor McNabb, D.C., Provincial Superior.

Mrs. Ryan moved to her new office following ten years association with St. Joseph College as director of development and college relations. Prior to that appointment in 1963, she managed the development program at Loyola College, Baltimore, for eight years.

As director of special projects, Mrs. Ryan will be responsible for the direction and coordination of auxiliary projects of the Provincial Headquarters. The full scope and function of the office has yet to be developed, but as her first assignment, Mrs. Ryan will plan and implement a program for the Province's celebration of the Mother Seton Bicentennial in 1974 in coordination with nationwide celebrations planned by the Federation of Mother Seton's Daughters. The Federation consists of the six communities of Sisters of Charity who trace their origin to the community of religious women founded in 1809 by Elizabeth Ann Seton at Emmitsburg. The bi-centennial is planned to commemorate the 200th anniversary of Mother Seton's birth.

Mrs. Ryan will also be responsible for the Province's participation in the nation's celebration of the United States Bi-Centennial in 1976. Active in numerous professional, civic, fraternal and community organizations, Mrs. Ryan is listed in Who's Who of American Women and in the Dictionary of International Biography. In 1972, she was named an honorary alumna of St. Joseph College by the National Alumnae Association. A native of Brooklyn, N.Y., and long-time resident of Baltimore, Mrs. Ryan is a graduate of Miss Dunbar's School and attended Loyola Evening College. She resides in Frederick County near Emmitsburg.

Senior Citizens Meet At Center

The regular meeting of the Emmitsburg Senior Citizens was held Tuesday evening with 50 members and guests present. The meeting was opened by the President, Mrs. Harman. The group sang one verse of "Carry Me Back To Old Virginia," followed by the Lord's Prayer.

Mrs. Elmer Fuss urged any who had not signed up for the trip to Cumberland and surrounding country on October 16 and wish to do so, to have names plus fare in by October 1. All were urged to remember the Bazaar to be held November 10 and to do as much as they can toward making this a success.

After the business meeting all enjoyed bingo—the prizes being mostly fresh garden vegetables. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Helen McNair and Mrs. Melva Hardman. The birthdays for June, July, August and September were acknowledged. All expressed having a nice meeting. The next meeting night will be November 20.

In 1972 there was a discouraging reversal of the downward trend in traffic fatalities of 1970 and 1971. Last year, more than 55,700 persons died in traffic mishaps, according to the Travelers Insurance Companies.

Town Receives Grant For Park

Acquisition of land south of West Main Street adjoining the corporate limits of Emmitsburg with a State grant of \$80,520, is one of 3 park projects in Frederick County that have received funding from the State Program Open Space, as a result of action by the Board of Public Works, Governor Marvin Mandel has announced. The grant represents 100 per cent of the eligible project costs.

The Governor said the board's action came after a recommendation by the Capital Programs Administration of the Department of Natural Resources which manages Program Open Space Funds.

Two other park projects in the county receiving funding were:

Development of the Rose Hill Manor Touch and Smell Garden at Rose Hill Manor, east of U. S. 15 near the city limits of Frederick. The state funds of \$4,815 represents 75 per cent of the eligible project costs of site preparation, walks, benches, a fountain and plant material.

Acquisition for a Frederick City project, the McCurdy Memorial Park Addition, received a state grant of \$34,750 or 100 per cent of eligible project costs.

Letter To The Editor

Editor, Emmitsburg Chronicle:

Did you know that our good electric company has pulled another caper on the property owner?

When they were putting electric in all homes they could back years ago, they would do most anything to get one to take it.

My Dad owned a farm then and he gave them the right-away to plant their poles on the property as did thousands of other property owners.

They ran the wire into your meter then and maintained the lines. Now, if you need new service entrance conductors to your meter, they will no longer do it, as of Aug. 1, 1973. You have to pay the expense of having that done. They charge more for the electric and sell more than ever, but do less for their customers.

If you want new, or have to have new wire installed, you have to get an electrician to do it.

I don't see how the company can get away with this. The meter belongs to them and they installed the lead-in wires to start with, and I think it is up to them to maintain those wires to the meter.

I asked them how the electrician was going to turn the current off to install new wire, and they stated they would send a man to turn it off. They will pay a man to come turn it off, and sit around while the electrician does the work. It would make more sense to have him put the wire up instead of sitting around. They have to pay him either way.

Between my property in Md. and Pa., they charge or make \$200.00 every two months, yet they don't want to install some wire which they put in 10 or 12 years ago.

I think it is time for property owners to be heard from about this unnecessary expense, and the high taxes on property.

A Property Owner

School Night For Scouting

Cub Scout Pack 1060 of Emmitsburg, will join in the School Night for Scouting tonight (Thursday), at 7:30 p.m. in the Emmitsburg Public School Auditorium. All Cub Scouts and their families are invited to attend. There will be an awards presentation for the many Cubs who participated in the summer-time Pack activities, and for those who advanced to Wolf or Bear rank during the summer. Important announcements will be made about the start of Den meetings in October.

All boys who are at least 8 years of age or in the third grade who wish to become Cubs should attend this evening with their parents to learn more about Cubbing. Refreshments will be served—of course!

Crossing between intersections is still the leading cause of pedestrian traffic deaths.

Immunization Clinic Scheduled

Another Immunization Clinic will be held in Emmitsburg on Tuesday, October 9. The clinic will be held between 10 a.m. and 12 noon at the Public Health Clinic in the basement of the American Legion.

All school children in the State of Maryland must have completed their immunizations or be actively in the process of doing so by October 15 if they are to be allowed to attend school. State Public Health Officials have threatened to bar unimmunized children from the schools after October 15.

Parents having children in need of immunizations are urged to take advantage of the clinic. No appointment is necessary.

Punt, Pass & Kick Competition Set

There is just one week remaining for youngsters in Emmitsburg to register for the local Punt, Pass & Kick Competition. The competition in Emmitsburg is being sponsored by Sperry's Ford Sales, Inc. and Knights of Columbus Council 1860.

John Hollinger, Ford Dealer sponsoring the popular youth activity in this area, said that registrations would be taken through Friday, September 28. The Emmitsburg competition is scheduled for Community Field, Sat., Sept. 29, at 2 p.m.

Youngsters who have registered for the local Punt, Pass & Kick Competition will have a chance to tune up their skills at a special practice session to be held Sunday, Sept. 23, 2 p.m., at Community Field. The clinic's purpose is to familiarize the youngsters with competition procedures and to provide them help on punting, passing and kicking while from the coaches who will be there.

"Although time is growing short, any youngster eight through 13 years of age can still compete," said Hollinger. "All a contestant need do is come into our showroom, accompanied by a parent or guardian, and fill out the P-P-K registration form. There is no entry fee or charge of any kind, and that goes for all six levels of competition, up to and including the National Finals."

The Ford Dealer pointed out that trophies will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in the local competition in each of the six age groups. Increasing the youngster's chances of winning one of the 18 trophies is the fact that each contestant competes only against others of the same age. And since there is no body contact, an entrant's size is not as important as his ability to punt, pass and place-kick for distance with accuracy.

"Winners can continue on up through the Zone, District, Area and Division contests to the National Finals," the Ford Dealer said. "It's possible that one or more of our local winners could wind up in the Finals, which will be held at the Super Bowl game in Houston on January 13."

"Registering for PP&K right now in our dealership could mean all that for some youngster or youngsters here in Emmitsburg, but they should register right now," the dealer concluded.

When contestants register, each entrant gets a free PP&K Tips Book. It contains helpful pointers from the pros on punting, passing and kicking. In the 1973 edition are suggestions from NFL stars Jerry Wilson, Norm Snead and Chester Marcol, plus head coaches Don Shula and Dan Devine. Complete PP&K rules and suggested conditioning exercises for contestants are also included.

This is the 13th anniversary year for PP&K. From its inception, the youth activity has been sponsored by the Ford Dealers of America and the National Football League. In that time more than 9,350,000 youngsters have taken part in PP&K, making it the largest and fastest growing activity of its kind in America.

Competition Director for the K of C will be Francis Joy.

Area Deaths

WILMER O. SHANK

Mr. Wilmer O. Shank, 86, well-known and highly respected miller, formerly of Emmitsburg, died very suddenly on Sunday, Sept. 16, at the Frederick Memorial Hospital. He was born in Virginia, the son of the late Amos H. and Fannie Knicely Shank. He was a member of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Thurmont.

He taught the adult class in the Sunday School for many years. He was a former member of the Blue Ridge Lions Club and former director of the Blue Ridge Summit branch of the First National Bank of Waynesboro. He operated Shank's Mill, near Emmitsburg for many years.

Surviving are: five sons, Weldon B. Shank, Emmitsburg; Odell J. Shank, Waynesboro; Roscoe W. Shank, Fairfield; C. W. Shank, Greencastle; and Leo L. Shank, Frederick. Sixteen grandchildren and sixteen great-grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews, also survive.

Funeral services were held Wednesday from St. John's Lutheran Church, Thurmont, at 10 a.m., with Rev. Frederick W. Simmel, his pastor, and former pastor, Rev. Charles Corbett, officiating. Interment was in Mountainview Cemetery, Emmitsburg.

Byron Opposes Dam Project

The following statement on the proposed Sixes Bridge Dam Project was released by Congressman Goodloe Byron late last Thursday afternoon: "The question of Sixes Bridge Dam has again been raised in the House of Representatives. It was unclear until yesterday (Wednesday, Sept. 12) whether the project would be considered by the Water Resources Sub-committee of the Public Works Committee. It was considered today, Thursday, Sept. 13. I want to make it clear that I oppose any expenditure by the federal government on Sixes Bridge Dam to include any funds for advanced design and engineering as proposed by the Water Resources Sub-committee. I will do all I can to see this authorization removed when the bill is before the full Public Works Committee. In this regard I am preparing an amendment to delete any authorization if it should reach the floor of the House. As you know, there are many local groups and elected officials who have also indicated their opposition."

Zip Column

A postal card was placed on sale this past week, commemorating its 100th anniversary. This card duplicates the first one that was issued May 12, 1873. It differs only in that its denomination is six cents and it was deliberately printed in magenta in color, rather than the original brown on buff. An inscription has also been added at lower left.

It will be issued in conjunction with the National Philatelic Exhibition during which the United Postal Society will conduct its meeting.

Double reply cards appeared in 1892. The first international postal cards were issued in 1879, with the double version following in 1893.

Although air mail dates back to 1918, it was not until 1949 that an air mail card was issued.

A new commemorative 8c stamp will be first issued today at Red Cloud, Nebraska. This stamp honors Willa Cather, American Novelist.

"I almost decided to settle down on a quarter section of land and let my writing go... My deepest feelings were rooted in this country."

—Willa Cather (1873-1947) was remembering the Red Cloud Nebraska region, which she put on the literary map.

Miss Cather left home as a young woman, edited a Pittsburgh, Pa., newspaper, and a New York magazine before deciding in 1912 to devote her time to writing novels.

She won the Pulitzer Prize in 1922 for "One of Ours." Many of her novels echo the same theme — the spirit and courage of pioneer life. She knew this well.

This stamp will go on sale at our office tomorrow. George E. Rosensteel, PM.

CITIZENS OF TOMORROW



This week's Citizen of Tomorrow is 2-year-old Wendy O'Toole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William O'Toole, Route 2, Emmitsburg.

Adult Education Classes To Start

Over 70 Adult Education classes will begin the week of September 24, according to spokesman at the Board of Education of Frederick County. New classes may be formed if at least ten persons are interested. Persons interested in starting new classes should call the Adult Education department (662-9200, Extension 267) and indicate the preferred class and location.

Most Adult Education classes meet once a week for two hours and last for twelve weeks. A fee of \$5 for a 12 week semester, or \$15 for two semesters is charged. Registration may be accomplished by appearing at the first class.

Named As New Manager

It was announced this week that Mrs. Margaret Cisar has been named as the Cozy Bud 'N Vase Shoppe's new Greenhouse Manager.

Mrs. Cisar received a B.S. in Agriculture from the University of Maryland with course work in Botany, Agronomy, Chemistry and Horticulture.

She was employed for two years by the U.S.D.A. at Beltsville, and began her course work for a masters from the U.S.D.A. Graduate School and the University of Maryland.

After several years of substitute teaching, she worked for four years for the Kings-dine Nursery in Howard County. During this time she also took a number of additional short courses in various areas of horticulture.

Mrs. Cisar entered into a partnership and operated a nursery business in Rockville for three years.

After moving to Frederick County in 1971, she taught Business Math and Physical Science during the '72-'73 school year at Catoctin High School. During this time she also took an adult education course in Gardening and Home Landscaping through the Seton Center in Emmitsburg.

The immediate changes being made are the remodeling, redesigning and upgrading of a greenhouse into a display house. This house, once completed, should lend a different concept to the merchandising of plants than what one usually sees, with a waterwheel, water, bridge, and a house, in a rustic setting that will give one the feeling of seeing plant life in its natural habitat.

PTA To See Presentation

An exciting year is in store for the Emmitsburg School PTA as we watch the new school being constructed. The first meeting for this school year will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 26, at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Guest for the meeting will be Mr. Meade Felton, an assistant to the superintendent of schools, who will have a slide and tape presentation on year-round school. The public is invited to attend and join in a question and answer period to follow the presentation.

Committee Prepares Map And Proposal Explanations For Town Voters

The special committee appointed by the Town Commissioners has prepared a map and explanation of the proposed annexation of Viking Ventures which appears elsewhere in this week's paper.

The voting on the issue is slated to take place from 12 noon to 8 p.m. at the Town Office on Tuesday, October 2, 1973. All of the town's 610 registered voters will be eligible to express their opinions.

The registration books are now open daily at the Town Office for those citizens who are not presently registered to vote.

A Public Hearing on the proposal has been scheduled for next Wednesday evening, Sept. 26, at the Fire Hall. This will give voters a chance to ask questions and clarify any points on which they are unclear.

Taxpayer Objects To Tax Moratorium For Viking Ventures Property

Editor, Emmitsburg Chronicle: After reading the Chronicle of Sept. 13, 1973, I became more concerned with the possibilities of annexation of Viking Ventures land.

The fact that disturbs me as a taxpayer, and it should all others, is that Viking Ventures wishes to be annexed tax free for the first three (3) years. Why does one group or individual want to be favored with no tax, when in the last two annexations there wasn't any such favoritism? Will this be setting a precedent for future annexations?

A look at the county and state tax records in the town office shows only four (4) parcels of land for Viking Ventures whose total is approximately 728 acres with assessed value of around \$195,000. The Chronicle stated that the annexation would involve 879 acres. Where are the other 151 acres coming from?

Soccer Team Loses First Game

St. Joseph's High School inaugurated its Varsity Soccer Program on a sour but promising note, bowing to St. Maria Goretti of Hagerstown, 5-2, on the winner's field.

Athletic Director, Bob Custer, said "Soccer enthusiasm was so great, we just had to add the sport. We have 12 freshmen on our 18-man team. We are building, of course, and we should be real tough in a year or so."

Goretti was tough enough and made St. Joe's their third victim.

St. Joe's showed surprising strength though, with Sean Tierney, goal tender, coming up with 14 goalie saves, high in the game. Mike Cool and Don Miller were superb on defense as fullbacks. Our offensive front line played well, anchored by Jeff Wivell, Eric Rosensteel, and Greg Adelsberger in the middle, and Paul Carter and Don Small on the wings. Small and Adelsberger scored the goals for St. Joe's, first in its history.

Freshmen newcomers Alex Plowman and Sean Tierney were outstanding in their debuts.

Coach Custer added, "I was very proud of them all. Go-retti drew some blood but our boys showed guts when it counted. Our first win isn't too far off."

Little League Bake Sale, Game Night

The Emmitsburg Little League will sponsor a Bake Sale and Evening of Games on Monday evening, October 22. The events will be held at the Fire Hall, and will be open to the public.

Proceeds from the games and bake sale will benefit the Little League with numerous repairs and improvements being planned by League officials prior to next year's baseball season. It is hoped to enclose the whole playing area which will necessitate the purchase of additional fence, plus making repairs to the present fence. Plans also include improvements to the playing field and dugouts.

Mothers of Little League players are asked to donate items for the bake sale and solicit friends and neighbors to attend the evening of games. The bake sale will begin at 7 p.m. with games starting at 7:30 p.m. Check the date on your calendar and help the youngsters of our community by supporting the evenings activities.

It's imperative that more be done in the field of bicycle safety, says the Travelers Insurance Companies. It reports bicycle deaths rose by one-third in 1972 over the preceding year.

I know some counties, yes, even towns, that give concessions to corporations for factories, etc., to locate there in order to further employment and the general economy of the area. But this is only a convention center. If this is to add that much population or growth then our local real estate agents are in for an increase. Right Mr. Chairman of the Planning and Zoning Commission?

Would this project fall like our Penna. neighbor, Mr. Rist? If so, we as taxpayers would have to share the cost and not Viking Ventures. Viking Ventures can agree to a lot but when it comes down to doing this—can it be done? Mr. Rist agreed to a lot of things and he has failed to carry them through. We can see this by the numerous court proceedings and sheriff's sales.

Then too, by the time the work would be started our engineers study will be wrong. Everything, without exception, is going up so this price could even double in one or two years... at taxpayers expense.

In answer to town attorney Bower's statement, "There was no justification for the fear that the town would get a 'money-wise' under the of the annexation which had been Charnita resident this, now they are for services they c—is there fear or justifi-

for fear, Mr. Bower? Well, else, Mr. Bower, might we get stuck if not "money-wise" according to the proposal presented?

We have 610 registered voters and should therefore have 610 votes cast on October 2. Taxpayers and citizens get out and vote! If you are not registered, please do so immediately. The book will be open at the Town Office until Sept. 28 for registration in order to vote on this referendum.

If you want another Charnita in this area vote for Viking Ventures, if not vote against.

Sincerely,

A concerned Taxpayer

Leo Michael Boyle

Week-Day Church School To Begin

The Parish Education Committee of the local Council of Churches has announced that Week-day Church School classes will resume Wednesday, October 3 at the Parish House of Elias Lutheran Church.

Parents are urged to note that the time has been changed from an evening session to an afternoon session with classes beginning promptly at 3:45 and closing at 4:45. Christian Education instruction will be available for pupils in Kindergarten through Grade Six.

The Parish Education Committee, at a meeting on Tuesday evening in Trinity Methodist Church, announced that the theme for this year's school will be "The Life of Jesus". Serving as co-directors will be Mrs. Mildred Breining and Mrs. Ronald Fearer.

Dynamics In Area Competition

Members of the Emmitsburg Dynamics Majorette Group will participate in the competition to be held in Waynesboro, Pa., on Sept. 23. They will also compete in Frederick on Sept. 30.

Registration will be held for the Dynamics on Monday, Sept. 24, beginning at 7 p.m. All dues and rentals must be paid by this date. Any information concerning registration may be obtained by contacting Dave Bushman at 447-2149.

FREDERICK COUNTY BACKGROUNDS

BY SAMUEL CARRICK
Miss M. Janette Byers

"I see from the house by the side of the road,
By the side of the highway of life,
The men who press with the ardor of hope,
And men who are faint with the strife.

But I turn not away from their smiles or their tears,
Both parts of an infinite plan—
Let me live in the house by the side of the road
And be a friend to man."

—Sam Walter Foss

The data regarding the Byers family, of Pennsylvania and Maryland, is continued at this time.

There are four marked graves in the family plot of Joseph Byers in Elias Lutheran and Reformed churchyard. The inscriptions from two of the stones were included in last week's column. The list in continued—as follows:

3. Sacred to the memory of Gilbert C. Byers, son of Joseph and Eleanor Byers, died October 8, 1869, aged 2 years, 10 months and 8 days.

Note: The rate of infant mortality was extremely high in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. In a family of ten or twelve children at least three or four, in the majority of cases, would die before his or her sixth birthday. Apparently Joseph and Eleanor were more fortunate than most for it would appear they lost only one child in infancy.

Gilbert Byers was given his mother's maiden name but did not live to pass it on to posterity.

4. In memory of Carrie J. Byers, daughter of Joseph and Eleanor Byers, born July 1, 1863, died November 16, 1951.

Note: Miss Carrie J. Byers was a sister of J. Krise Byers, Blanche (Byers) Rhodes, Miss M. Janette Byers, and Mrs. Geyer Black.

The name of another Byers daughter was added because of an item which appeared in the "Emmitsburg Chronicle" under date of Friday, May 26,

1893: "Miss Blanche Byers, of near this place, and her sister, Mrs. Geyer Black, of Mechanicstown (Thurmont), are visiting in Westminster, Maryland."

Under date of Saturday, February 23, 1888, an item that gives some additional details pertaining to this member of the Joseph Byers family—

"Married, February 14, 1888, in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, by (name of minister not given), Mr. Guy Black, of Mechanicstown, Maryland, to Miss Maggie E. Byers, the daughter of Mr. Joseph Byers, of near Emmitsburg, Maryland."

It was stated in last week's column that the widow of Joseph Byers, of "Pleasant Farm" moved to Emmitsburg after her husband's death. The files of the "Chronicle" pinpoint this under date of Friday, August 6, 1909—

"Mrs. Eleanor G. Byers (Eleanor Gilbert) Byers, the widow of Joseph Byers, moved to her new home, on Gettysburg Street, (Emmitsburg) last Tuesday, August 3, 1909."

In the records of Elias Lutheran church the following item is listed under "Deaths" during the pastorate of the Rev. Bower:

Buried — Miss M. Janette Byers, who died February 4, 1944, aged 72 years, 11 mos. and 25 days. Interment in Washington, D. C.

Note: It is indeed unfortunate that so little is known pertaining to Miss Byers. One tradition states that she is interred in Arlington National Cemetery and this may well be—

for she had earned that honor many times over. Some known facts would appear to lend substance to this theory.

In the first place there is room and to spare in the Joseph Byers family plot in Elias churchyard. In other words Miss Janette Byers could have been interred with her own people had she so desired. The church records state that "burial" was made in Wash-

ington, D. C." and this, too, would point to Arlington. However, it must be stressed that the exact location of Miss Byers' grave is not known with any degree of certainty.

The "Chronicle" Friday, May 20, 1910—

"Miss M. Janette Byers, a trained nurse, whose home is in this place, is now in Panama. She is the daughter of Mr. Joseph Byers, deceased, and Mrs. Eleanor Byers, of near Emmitsburg, Maryland."

Miss M. Janette Byers retained her membership in Elias Lutheran church until her death. She was deeply interested in the welfare of the local congregation and older members of the church tell of her generosity and desire to help in all the events sponsored by the congregation.

To a certain extent it is regrettable that Miss Byers desired to be interred in Washington for had she been buried with her family in Elias churchyard the church would have two outstanding women—who lived their lives in service to others—with graves in this old "God's Acre."

—Dr. Alice M. Seabrook and Miss M. Janette Byers. Both were courageous women and many years "ahead of their times."

Other members of the Byers family are interred in Mountain View Cemetery. The inscriptions from the markers at these graves will be included in next week's column.

Earlier graves of this clan are to be found in a family burial ground at Knoclyn, Adams County, Pennsylvania, and in the Old Donegal Presbyterian churchyard, at Donegal, Lancaster County, Pa.

These notes will be continued next week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Miller, Hatcher Valley, W. Va., announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, on Sept. 16.

Mrs. Miller is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Siske, Emmitsburg. Mr. Miller is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Brooke Miller, Emmitsburg.

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Library Club Big Success

The Summer Reading Club at the Emmitsburg Public Library was a big success. Many certificates were given out and approximately 30 children attended the magic show and watermelon party. Prizes were given to Judy McGraw, Christina Champlain and Kristin Neun, for the most original drawings of book reports.

Christina Champlain did outstanding work during the 8 weeks of the summer reading. She did original painting and pasting of 25 books and made a portfolio in which to keep them.

The Library Board of Trustees will meet on the fourth Tuesday evening of September in the library. The library has been a haven of solid comfort since the installation of two air conditioners. Now that the summer is almost over, those of you who have not taken advantage of the coolness will have to keep in mind that it is air conditioned next year.

The library registrations are given for a full three year period and are valid at all public libraries in Maryland. At the end of the fiscal year ending in June 1973, the Emmitsburg Library had registered borrowers numbering 873—684 adults and 189 children. Circulation for the year was 12,704.

The library has an index to Audio - Visual material that may be borrowed from the N. Market Street Co-Operative in Frederick. Representatives of teenage and adult clubs may borrow these programs free of charge. Programs may be reserved, picked up, and returned to any Carroll County or Frederick County Public Library. Filmstrip projectors, slide projectors, and cassette players are available for use with these programs. For a complete description of each program, refer to the subject heading in the card catalogue at your local library.

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Ladies Of Brute Monthly Meeting

The Ladies of Brute met on September 10 at the Knights of Columbus Home for their regular monthly meeting. Thirteen members were present with Nancy Danner, president, presiding.

Communications were read and included thank you notes from Mrs. Shirley Topper and Mrs. Helen L. Sanders.

Members were reminded about the District Mass at the Grotto on September 22. The ladies will serve a buffet afterwards.

The date for the pie sale had to be changed due to a conflict with the Senior Citizens Fall Bazaar. The ladies will hold their sale on November 17 at the Senior Citizens Center at 10 a.m. Helen Oster confirmed the date of October 14 for a visit to the Sisters at the Villa. Mrs. Oster has accepted chairmanship of the bingo. Members were asked to bring gifts for the afternoon of games. Anyone wishing may bring the prizes to the October meeting.

Treasurer Carmen Topper asked that the president and treasurer be bonded for safety reasons. After discussion, members voted to bond the two officers.

Some discussion followed about the forthcoming anniversary party for the Knights of Columbus. More discussion will be held at the October meeting.

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Knights Hold Admissions Degree

Brute Council 1860, Knights of Columbus met on Monday evening at the Council Home with Grand Knight Raymond Sanders presiding.

An admissions degree was held with Geoffrey Sanders, David Knox and Larry Sanders being admitted to the Order and Council. George L. Danner reported on the success of the recent crab feed.

Deputy Grand Knight Lawrence Kolb reminded members of the District Mass that is scheduled for this Saturday evening at Mt. St. Mary's College Grotto at 5:30 p.m. A buffet will follow at St. Anthony's Parish Hall.

called for the draw prize but was not in attendance. The refreshment committee for the October 8th meeting will be Helen and Anna Sanders.

A special meeting of all council members will be held on Monday evening, September 24 at 8 p.m., to vote on a new Home Association set up. All members are urged to attend this special meeting.

Grand Knight Sanders announced that a Formation Degree will be held on Sunday, Sept. 23 at 2 p.m. All candidates should be at the Council Home at 1:15 p.m. A light buffet will follow the degree.

Cross Country Seeks Challenge

With an improved and more difficult schedule, cross country coach Frank Zarnowski is looking forward to an interesting and challenging season for Mount Saint Mary's.

"In addition to adding Navy to our log, we will have Catholic and East Carolina in important meets early in the season," says Zarnowski. "We will have to be ready early."

"We have a young team, but one with plenty of potential," he adds. "Cross country always has been a sport where hard work is the most important ingredient for success. We intend to let that work for us this year."

Among those returning this year are junior Ben Amoss and sophomores Bill Knapp and Jim Draper. Knapp has placed fourth in the Mason-Dixon Conference, is solid, competitive and will improve. Another solid competitor is Amos, who placed seventh and eighth in the last two MDs, and is a 9:24 indoor two-miler. Draper placed fourteenth last year, is strong and is getting better.

Back also are MD 880 titlist Craig Menschner and steady senior Jack Buchner. "This could finally be the year when either or both move into the top seven," Zarnowski says.

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JOHN L. SHELTON
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Plaintiff

JOANNE SHELTON
Address Unknown
Defendant

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The object of this suit is to
procure a divorce a vinculo
matrimonii by the plaintiff,
John L. Shelton, from the de-
fendant, Joanne Shelton.

The Bill of Complaint re-
cites that the parties were
married on May 20, 1971, in
Bethesda, Maryland, that the
complainant has been a resi-
dent of the State of Maryland
for more than one year; that
no children were born of this
marriage; that the defendant
did unjustifiably abandon and
desert the plaintiff on or about
August 4, 1972; that the parties
have lived separate and
apart since the above date
without cohabitation; that
there is no expectation of re-
conciliation.

TO THE END, THERE-
FORE: your plaintiff prays
that he be divorced a vinculo

matrimonii from the defend-
ant Joanne Shelton, and for
such other and further relief
as the court may deem just
and proper.

IT IS THEREUPON, this
24th day of August, 1973, by
the Circuit Court of Frederick
County, Maryland, sitting as a
Court of Equity,

ORDERED, that the plain-
tiff shall by causing a copy of
this Order to be inserted in
some newspaper published in
Frederick County, Maryland,
once a week for Four (4) con-
secutive weeks before the 29th
day of September, 1973, give
notice to the said non-resident
defendant of the object and
substance of the said Bill and
warn her to file her initial
pleading therein on or before
the 30th day of October, 1973,
and to show cause if any why
a decree should not be passed
as prayed.

ELLIS C. WACHTER
Clerk, Circuit Court for
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Maryland

ROBBIN J. BONNIN
Attorney for Plaintiff
230 N. Washington Street
Rockville, Maryland 20850
Filed August 24, 1973
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Vacation in California
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eyer
and daughters, Annette and
Diane, recently spent two

weeks in Southern California
with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M.
Field and sons, John and Joe.
The Eyers flew from Balti-

more to Los Angeles by Unit-
ed Airlines. Places of interest
they saw included: California's
oldest winery, San Gabriel
Mission, Arboretum, Disney-
land, San Juan Capistrano
Mission, Sea World, Mt. Bal-
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BUSINESS AND THE STOCK MARKET

Speculating In Warrants

By Babson's Reports Inc., Wellesley Hills, Mass., Sept. 20, 1973—Risk-oriented investors frequently turn to stock warrants as a vehicle for a part of their speculative efforts. Interest in warrants, however, tends to increase when the stock market is at a high level, a time when the element of risk is as strong for the warrants as it is for the securities to which they are tied. But right now, when many securities are trading at levels that are quite well deflated, it is a favorable time to consider warrants.

What Warrants Are

Warrants are quite a different matter from common or preferred stocks, or bonds, although they are usually issued in conjunction with stocks or bonds in financing operations, recapitalizations, reorganizations, or mergers. A warrant is an option to buy a specified security at a stated price and generally within a set time period. Once the exercised period expires, the warrants become valueless—although there are a few "potential" warrants.

Per se, warrants provide no income for the investor. They are usually issued as a "sweetener" to attract investment money to the principal security, or to provide an added inducement to the stockholders of a company which may be the object of a takeover move. Why Are Warrants Attractive?

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In essence, an investor who purchases warrants is speculating that the target securities will increase in value to such a degree that the income which is lost during the time the warrants are held will be offset by the increment in the value of the warrants, and that there will also be an added measure of profit to make the risk worthwhile. There is an even greater advantage, of course, if a warrant is held for more than six months and then sold at a profit—since that profit is taxable as a long-term capital gain under

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current IRS regulations.

Warrants Currently Worth Considering

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As of now, the Research Staff of Babson's Reports feels the following fulfill these requirements: American Tel & Tel warrants which expire May 15, 1975; Tenneco, Inc. warrants which expire November 1, 1975 (both trade on the NYSE). Also worth considering are warrants of Lerner Stores and Mobil Oil, expiring August 1, 1982 and August 1, 1975 respectively (both traded on the ASE).

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	H	L	Pr.
Sat., Sept. 8	80	49
Sun., Sept. 9	78	56
Mon., Sept. 10	77	43
Tues., Sept. 11	81	47
Wed., Sept. 12	80	54
Thurs., Sept. 13	76	48
Fri., Sept. 14	74	63	3.90

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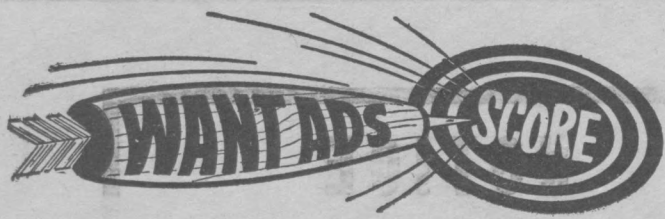
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January 10 YorkA 21 Catholic U.A 24 George MasonA 26 MonclairA 28 RoanokeH 31 TowsonH

February 2 LoyolaH 7 Western MarylandH 8 Hampden-SydneyH 12 Catholic U.H 14 U. M. B. C.H 16 Baltimore U.A 18 Randolph-MaconA 20 Lincoln U.A 23 LoyolaA 25 St. Mary'sA Feb. 28-Mar. 1, M-D Tourney at U.M.B.C. — Home Games 8 P.M.

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September 22 GettysburgH 29 (Cal. State-Pa.)A ShippensburgA

October 2 George MasonH 6 Navy (Quantico)A 13 U.M.B.C. - Catholic U.H East CarolinaH 17 YorkH 19 E. Carolina U.H 27 Cap. Area Champ.A 31 Western MarylandA

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September 13 GeorgetownA 17 BaltimoreH 20 AlumniH 24 U. M. B. C.H 27 CatholicA 31 Western Md.H

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Provincial House To Present Films

St. Joseph's Provincial House will present a season of Favorite Films as a community service to the Emmitsburg people. The Academy Award picture, "Good Morning, Miss Dove", with Jennifer Jones and Robert Stack, will open the series.

Premiere showing is at Seton Center, Friday, Sept. 28, at 7 p.m., with a presentation at the Provincial House on Saturday, Sept. 29 at 7 p.m. Admission is free. Guests are asked to use the main entrances at both Seton Center and the Provincial House.

CCD Classes Begin This Week

St. Joseph's Parish Christian Doctrine Classes for students in public schools, will begin on Thursday evening, September 20 in St. Joseph's High School classrooms at 7 p.m., for high school students. Grammar school students will likewise meet at the high school on Saturday morning, Sept. 22 at 10 a.m. Every Catholic boy or girl attending public school is expected to attend these classes. Registration will be held at the opening session of the classes for those who have not as yet registered.

Classes will last about one hour, so parents planning to pick up children after classes can be there at 8 p.m. on Thursdays and at 11 a.m. on Saturdays.

All parents are urged to see that their children attend the classes as much work has gone into setting up a faculty and a worthwhile curriculum for public school students.

Hospital Report

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Mrs. Joseph Hobbs, Emmitsburg.

Ernest Andrew, Thurmont, R2.

Mrs. Bruce Gearhart, Fairfield R2.

Thomas C. Harbaugh, Emmitsburg.



By George S. Benson, President, National Education Program Searcy, Arkansas

Communist Footprints

When the National Broadcasting Company (NBC-TV) recently presented the documentary "American Communism Today," Gus Hall, General Secretary of the Communist Party USA, was interviewed by Frank McGhee of NBC's TODAY program. Hall was asked whether the Communists would need to resort to violence to take over the United States. Hall said: "There is a strong possibility that violence will be necessary." Frank McGhee reminded his listeners that Hall's Communist Party USA is "committed" to the Soviet Union. In fact the NBC documentary was one of the most objective jobs the network has ever done on Communism within the U. S. It only skimmed the surface of the conspiracy to seize our nation but most of what it presented was truth (although not the whole truth). It is too bad that Mr. McGhee did not also interview Maurice L. Malkin, 73-year-old Russian-born Jew who came to America in 1914 and while still in his teens became a Communist organizer, one of the founders of

American Communism, and for 25 years one of Moscow's most dedicated and effective subversives in the United States. Maurice Malkin, who recanted Communism in 1939 and accepted God as his Creator, waited until now to tell the full story. It is the story of a monstrous evil force working within America, with an unrelenting determination to conquer the world. A Book To Read

There have been scores of books written by prominent former Communists warning of the true nature of world Communism. In my opinion, Maurice Malkin's book, Return to My Father's House, (Arlington House, New Rochelle), because of its timing and its extraordinarily revealing content, is the most valuable of all—if it could be read by several million Americans. It has received very little notice in the news media, book reviews and television shows such as TODAY because it is an authentic powerful anti-Communist documentary.

In this and subsequent columns I will present some of the substance of Mr. Malkin's book, including his identification of secret Communists exposed for the first time. "We Are At War"

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ceived military training in the United States Army during World War II and at the Lenn School for Revolution in Moscow. . . The Reds have a complete battle plan—military strategy, creating riots and anarchy, destroying the police and military by subversion and assassinations, etc. . . Two key instructions are: 'Make investigations and reports on the activities of the police and security services. Investigate and repress those security organizations which support the government.' Make no mistake about it, we are at war."

"Under the personal tutelage of Leon Trotsky, I was thoroughly convinced in 1917 that the Party was not revolutionary enough. . . As a Marxist, I knew enough to realize that the I.W.W., for all its hairy-chested shouts for world revolution, was politically naive. It believed in trade unions as the only power source, and called on workers to seize industry. As a Marxist, I knew that political power came first—it would be necessary to seize the government before we could take over industry. Political power, gained through force and violence, was the immediate objective."

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LOOKING AHEAD

By George S. Benson, President, National Education Program Searcy, Arkansas

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"On the South Side, much of it fast sinking into slums, was the University of Chicago, the intellectual Mecca of the Midwest. At the other end of town was Northwestern University, and Communist power in Chicago radiated between these two poles. A key man at Chicago University was Dr. Robert Moss Lovett. I worked closely with him, keeping his Party book and advising him on current policy. He lived at Hull House, where Jane Addams had created a reputation as a social worker and do-gooder. She was a secret Party member having joined under Arne Swaback. . . in 1928."

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WITH VIKING VENTURES

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 26

7:30 P.M.

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A STATEMENT OF FACT ON THE ANNEXATION PROPOSAL

AREA:

This referendum concerns the proposed annexation of the following parcels of real estate:

Viking Ventures' property420 acres
Emmitsburg Sportsmen's Tract 21 acres
Leo Trembley's property 66 acres
Mary Troxell's tract 20 acres
the former Frailey Farm116 acres
Total acreage643 acres

The total proposed acreage to be annexed will about double the town's land mass.

BACKGROUND:

In order to proceed with its plans for a Convention Center, Viking Ventures has petitioned the Town of Emmitsburg for sewers and water. Since the general consensus in Emmitsburg is against providing sewers and water facilities outside the town limits, the Town of Emmitsburg in this case is left with only one alternative: annexation.

FACTS:

1. The Town of Emmitsburg has engaged the firm of Buchart-Horn of York, Pa., to prepare a study of the town's water and sewer facilities. The Buchart-Horn report concluded that (a) the town's sewers must be improved and expanded with or without the Viking Ventures project, (b) the estimated total project cost will be about \$587,000, (c) the proposed expansion will about double the capacity of the town's present sewer system from 250,000 gallons per day to 500,000 gallons per day.

2. A Federal grant is expected to cover about 75% of the sewer expansion cost. This means that the town of Emmitsburg must cover the remainder, about \$150,000. Remember that Emmitsburg is presently carrying a bonded debt for water and sewers in the amount of \$600,000 which must be paid by 1998.

3. As a part of the town's proposed agreement with Viking Ventures, the following points must be considered:

a. Viking Ventures is expected to use 80,000 gallons of water per day.

b. Viking Ventures has agreed to pay all annexation costs and sewer and water hookup charges.

c. Viking Ventures will be granted a three-year moratorium from municipal property taxes starting from the date of annexation. Immediately following the conclusion of the moratorium, Viking Ventures will start to pay taxes.

d. The projected annual taxes which Emmitsburg will receive from Viking Ventures will be about \$40,000. However, it should be emphasized that Emmitsburg can expect to receive such an annual tax (\$40,000) ONLY if the complete project will be valued at \$9-11 million. The expected property tax return is based on this value.

e. The proposed Viking Ventures project is expected to double the town's tax base.

f. Viking Ventures has agreed to give Emmitsburg \$172,000 upon initiation of annexation proceedings. This money will be placed in escrow for the town's use without pre-conditions.

g. If annexed, the Viking Ventures property will cost Emmitsburg an estimated \$6,000 to \$10,000 per year in town services. However, the town is expected to collect from Viking Ventures an annual sum of about \$15,000 in water and sewer revenues. This sum does not include the revenue expected from property taxes, and it is not subject to the moratorium on property taxes.

4. The Planning and Zoning Commission based its recommendation for the annexation of the Viking Ventures property primarily on the assumption that the total value of the Convention Center project upon completion will amount to between \$9 million to \$11 million. All calculations which entered into this recommendation were based on this estimate of the total projected value.

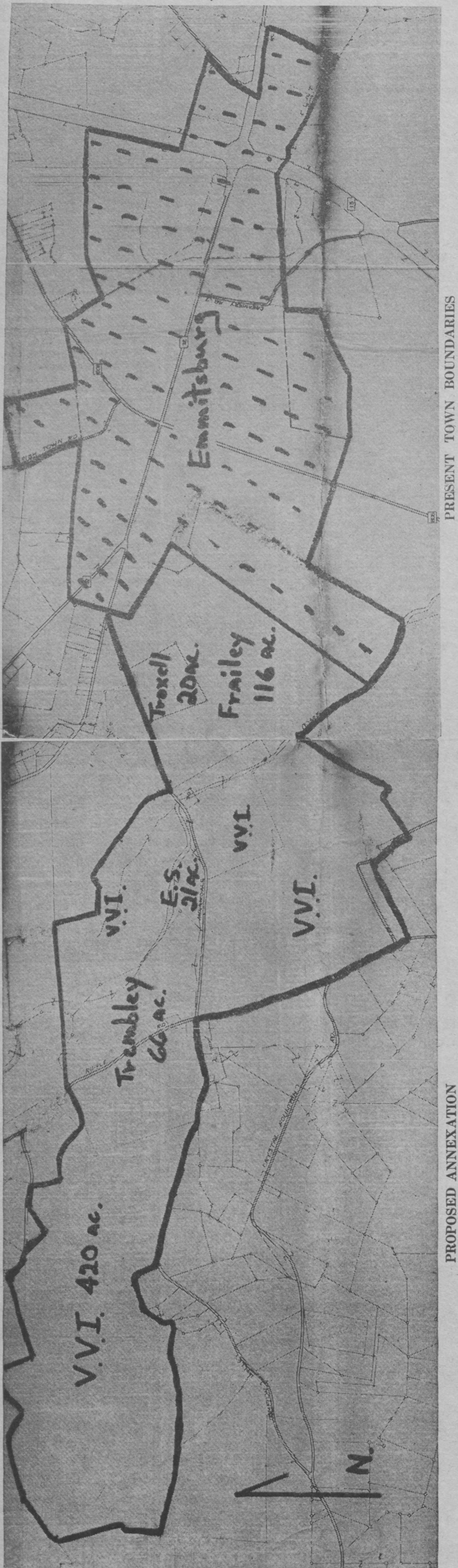
SAMPLE BALLOT

A Resolution Calling For Annexation Of Lands Of Approximately 643 Acres Into The Corporate Limits Of The Town Of Emmitsburg —With Restricted Uses And Limited Utility Services Provided To The Area By The Town Of Emmitsburg.

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Emmitsburg Chronicle

Weekly Thought

The best way to stand tall is to keep on your toes.

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Most Anything At A Glance

- By Abigail -

The Community Show was a grand success again this year with many Emmitsburg residents bringing home prizes. The new FFA Sweetheart was duly crowned and Friday evening's program very enjoyable. For those of you who were around the gym on Friday night, would you believe that only four young men were in there providing all that sound? The younger generation seemed to be enjoying it greatly but I didn't notice any of our older folks going into the dance. Maybe some day they'll go back to the fox-trot and we can join in.

National Dog Week is just around the corner, starts Sunday in fact. So let us all be kind to "man's best friend" and hope that they remember the old axiom about not biting the hand that feeds you.

Folks around here do seem to have gotten a bit interested in the proposed annexation of that Viking Ventures land. I've heard it talked about just about every place in town during the last week. There do seem to be a lot of people who have definitely made their minds up already in either one direction or the other. I heard that this week's paper will be carrying a good bit of information on the subject and hope that folks will take the time and effort necessary to go over that information. And let us not forget about all those men on the Planning Commission and the Town Commission, seems to me that they should be a good source of information for those of us who need more information. Those of you folks who aren't registered to vote get yourselves over to the Town Office and sign up. Which ever way this project goes, let's not let it be decided by only 10, 20, 100, or 200 people who decided to go to the effort to vote. Discussing is good, making up your mind is good, but neither of them are worth a darn if you don't bother to go vote and make your voice really heard.

Anybody out there know what has become of our good ole Doughboy? It's been some months now since he was toppled from his perch at the end of town and it would seem to me that it's about time he was reinstated. Could it possibly be true that the rumor I heard was correct and that the Doughboy's whereabouts are unknown at this time?

With October fast approaching, folks are starting to plan and get in gear for the Colorfest Weekend. It would appear that it will be a busy time here in our own town with an even bigger and better Firemen's parade and block party scheduled. There promises to be something for everybody, so if you haven't made plans to participate, now is the time to start planning.

Saturday will mark the official beginning of the Autumn Season when the lazy days of summer must give way to football, the carving of jack-o-lanterns and for lawn-owners, the inevitable raking of leaves. Swarms of little ones will be splashing through mud puddles and chortling over newly-found treasures such as a bird's nest or a leaf that crackles like a potato chip when it is crushed. As we watch the innocence of childhood in action, we should try to regain some of the inquisitiveness and wonder which we felt when we were young. We must never be so busy that we cannot take the time to enjoy the simple things in life, such as a colorful sunset or the beauties of the hillsides and mountains dressed in the brilliant finery of autumn leaves. Let's keep a receptive and appreciative eye out for the beauties of God's handiwork all around us as we prepare for the faster tempo of the new season.

Mrs. Ryan Named Projects Director



Mrs. Valli S. Ryan has been named Director of Special Projects for the Southeast Province of the Daughters of Charity.

The appointment to the newly created post was announced in Emmitsburg last week by Sister Eleanor McNabb, D.C., Provincial Superior.

Mrs. Ryan moved to her new office following ten years association with St. Joseph College as director of development and college relations. Prior to that appointment in 1963, she managed the development program at Loyola College, Baltimore, for eight years.

As director of special projects, Mrs. Ryan will be responsible for the direction and coordination of auxiliary projects of the Provincial Headquarters. The full scope and function of the office has yet to be developed, but as her first assignment, Mrs. Ryan will plan and implement a program for the Province's celebration of the Mother Seton Bicentennial in 1974 in coordination with nationwide celebrations planned by the Federation of Mother Seton's Daughters. The Federation consists of the six communities of Sisters of Charity who trace their origin to the community of religious women founded in 1809 by Elizabeth Ann Seton at Emmitsburg. The bi-centennial is planned to commemorate the 200th anniversary of Mother Seton's birth.

Mrs. Ryan will also be responsible for the Province's participation in the nation's celebration of the United States Bi-Centennial in 1976. Active in numerous professional, civic, fraternal and community organizations, Mrs. Ryan is listed in Who's Who of American Women and in the Dictionary of International Biography. In 1972, she was named an honorary alumna of St. Joseph College by the National Alumnae Association. A native of Brooklyn, N.Y., and long-time resident of Baltimore, Mrs. Ryan is a graduate of Miss Dunbar's School and attended Loyola Evening College. She resides in Frederick County near Emmitsburg.

Senior Citizens Meet At Center

The regular meeting of the Emmitsburg Senior Citizens was held Tuesday evening with 50 members and guests present. The meeting was opened by the President, Mrs. Harman. The group sang one verse of "Carry Me Back To Old Virginia," followed by the Lord's Prayer.

Mrs. Elmer Fuss urged any who had not signed up for the trip to Cumberland and surrounding country on October 16 and wish to do so, to have names plus fare in by October 1. All were urged to remember the Bazaar to be held November 10 and to do as much as they can toward making this a success. After the business meeting all enjoyed bingo—the prizes being mostly fresh garden vegetables. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Helen McNair and Mrs. Melva Harman. The birthdays for June, July, August and September were acknowledged. All expressed having a nice meeting. The next meeting night will be November 20.

In 1972 there was a discouraging reversal of the downward trend in traffic fatalities of 1970 and 1971. Last year, more than 55,700 persons died in traffic mishaps, according to the Travelers Insurance Companies.

Town Receives Grant For Park

Acquisition of land south of West Main Street adjoining the corporate limits of Emmitsburg with a State grant of \$80,520, is one of 3 park projects in Frederick County that have received funding from the State Program Open Space, as a result of action by the Board of Public Works, Governor Marvin Mandel has announced. The grant represents 100 per cent of the eligible project costs.

The Governor said the board's action came after a recommendation by the Capital Programs Administration of the Department of Natural Resources which manages Program Open Space Funds. Two other park projects in the county receiving funding were:

Development of the Rose Hill Manor Touch and Smell Garden at Rose Hill Manor, east of U. S. 15 near the city limits of Frederick. The state funds of \$4,815 represents 75 per cent of the eligible project costs of site preparation, walks, benches, a fountain and plant material.

Acquisition for a Frederick City project, the McCurdy Memorial Park Addition, received a state grant of \$34,750 or 100 per cent of eligible project costs.

Letter To The Editor

Editor, Emmitsburg Chronicle:

Did you know that our good electric company has pulled another caper on the property owner?

When they were putting electric in all homes they could back years ago, they would do most anything to get one to take it.

My Dad owned a farm then and he gave them the right-away to plant their poles on the property as did thousands of other property owners.

They ran the wire into your meter then and maintained the lines. Now, if you need new service entrance conductors to your meter, they will no longer do it, as of Aug. 1, 1973. You have to pay the expense of having that done. They charge more for the electric and sell more than ever, but do less for their customers.

If you want new, or have to have new wire installed, you have to get an electrician to do it.

I don't see how the company can get away with this. The meter belongs to them and they installed the lead-in wires to start with, and I think it is up to them to maintain those wires to the meter.

I asked them how the electrician was going to turn the current off to install new wire, and they stated they would send a man to turn it off. They will pay a man to come turn it off, and sit around while the electrician does the work. It would make more sense to have him put the wire up instead of sitting around. They have to pay him either way.

Between my property in Md. and Pa., they charge or make \$200.00 every two months, yet they don't want to install some wire which they put in 10 or 12 years ago.

I think it is time for property owners to be heard from about this unnecessary expense, and the high taxes on property.

A Property Owner

School Night For Scouting

Cub Scout Pack 1060 of Emmitsburg, will join in the School Night for Scouting tonight (Thursday), at 7:30 p.m. in the Emmitsburg Public School Auditorium. All Cub Scouts and their families are invited to attend. There will be an awards presentation for the many Cubs who participated in the summer-time Pack activities, and for those who advanced to Wolf or Bear rank during the summer. Important announcements will be made about the start of Den meetings in October.

All boys who are at least 8 years of age or in the third grade who wish to become Cubs should attend this evening with their parents to learn more about Cubbing. Refreshments will be served—of course!

Crossing between intersections is still the leading cause of pedestrian traffic deaths.

Immunization Clinic Scheduled

Another Immunization Clinic will be held in Emmitsburg on Tuesday, October 9. The clinic will be held between 10 a.m. and 12 noon at the Public Health Clinic in the basement of the American Legion.

All school children in the State of Maryland must have completed their immunizations or be actively in the process of doing so by October 15 if they are to be allowed to attend school. State Public Health Officials have threatened to bar unimmunized children from the schools after October 15.

Parents having children in need of immunizations are urged to take advantage of the clinic. No appointment is necessary.

Punt, Pass & Kick Competition Set

There is just one week remaining for youngsters in Emmitsburg to register for the local Punt, Pass & Kick Competition. The competition in Emmitsburg is being sponsored by Sperry's Ford Sales, Inc. and Knights of Columbus Council 1860.

John Hollinger, Ford Dealer sponsoring the popular youth activity in this area, said that registrations would be taken through Friday, September 28. The Emmitsburg competition is scheduled for Community Field, Sat., Sept. 29, at 2 p.m.

Youngsters who have registered for the local Punt, Pass & Kick Competition will have a chance to tune up their skills at a special practice session to be held Sunday, Sept. 23, 2 p.m., at Community Field. The clinic's purpose is to familiarize the youngsters with competition procedure and to provide them help on punting, passing and kicking from the football coaches who will be there.

"Although time is growing short, any youngster eight through 13 years of age can still compete," said Hollinger. "All a contestant need do is come into our showroom, accompanied by a parent or guardian, and fill out the P-P-K registration form. There is no entry fee or charge of any kind, and that goes for all six levels of competition, up to and including the National Finals."

The Ford Dealer pointed out that trophies will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in the local competition in each of the six age groups. Increasing the youngster's chances of winning one of the 18 trophies is the fact that each contestant competes only against others of the same age. And since there is no body contact, an entrant's size is not as important as his ability to punt, pass and place-kick for distance with accuracy.

"Winners can continue on up through the Zone, District, Area and Division contests to the National Finals," the Ford Dealer said. "It's possible that one or more of our local winners could wind up in the Finals, which will be held at the Super Bowl game in Houston on January 13."

"Registering for PP&K right now in our dealership could mean all that for some youngster or youngsters here in Emmitsburg, but they should register right now," the dealer concluded.

When contestants register, each entrant gets a free PP&K Tips Book. It contains helpful pointers from the pros on punting, passing and kicking. In the 1973 edition are suggestions from NFL stars Jerry Wilson, Norm Snead and Chester Marcol, plus head coaches Don Shula and Dan Devine. Complete PP&K rules and suggested conditioning exercises for contestants are also included.

This is the 13th anniversary year for PP&K. From its inception, the youth activity has been sponsored by the Ford Dealers of America and the National Football League. In that time more than 9,350,000 youngsters have taken part in PP&K, making it the largest and fastest growing activity of its kind in America.

Competition Director from the K of C will be Francis Joy.

Area Deaths

WILMER O. SHANK

Mr. Wilmer O. Shank, 86, well-known and highly respected miller, formerly of Emmitsburg, died very suddenly on Sunday, Sept. 16, at the Frederick Memorial Hospital. He was born in Virginia, the son of the late Amos H. and Fannie Knicy Shank. He was a member of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Thurmont.

He taught the adult class in the Sunday School for many years. He was a former member of the Blue Ridge Lions Club and former director of the Blue Ridge Summit branch of the First National Bank of Waynesboro. He operated Shank's Mill, near Emmitsburg for many years.

Surviving are: five sons, Weldon B. Shank, Emmitsburg; Odell J. Shank, Waynesboro; Roscoe W. Shank, Fairfield; C. W. Shank, Greencastle, and Leo L. Shank, Frederick. Sixteen grandchildren and sixteen great-grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews, also survive.

Funeral services were held Wednesday from St. John's Lutheran Church, Thurmont, at 10 a.m., with Rev. Frederick W. Simmel, his pastor, and former pastor, Rev. Charles Corbett, officiating. Interment was in Mountainview Cemetery, Emmitsburg.

Byron Opposes Dam Project

The following statement on the proposed Sixes Bridge Dam Project was released by Congressman Goodloe Byron late last Thursday afternoon: "The question of Sixes Bridge Dam has again been raised in the House of Representatives. It was unclear until yesterday (Wednesday, Sept. 12) whether the project would be considered by the Water Resources Sub-committee of the Public Works Committee. It was considered today, Thursday, Sept. 13. I want to make it clear that I oppose any expenditure by the federal government on Sixes Bridge Dam to include any funds for advanced design and engineering as proposed by the Water Resources Sub-committee. I will do all I can to see this authorization removed when the bill is before the full Public Works Committee. In this regard I am preparing an amendment to delete any authorization if it should reach the floor of the House. As you know, there are many local groups and elected officials who have also indicated their opposition."

Zip Column

A postal card was placed on sale this past week, commemorating its 100th anniversary. This card duplicates the first one that was issued May 12, 1873. It differs only in that its denomination is six cents and it was deliberately printed in magenta in color, rather than the original brown on buff. An inscription has also been added at lower left.

It will be issued in conjunction with the National Philatelic Exhibition during which the United Postal Society will conduct its meeting.

Double reply cards appeared in 1892. The first international postal cards were issued in 1879, with the double version following in 1893.

Although air mail dates back to 1918, it was not until 1949 that an air mail card was issued.

A new commemorative 8c stamp will be first issued today at Red Cloud, Nebraska. This stamp honors Willa Cather, American Novelist. "I almost decided to settle down on a quarter section of land and let my writing go. . . . My deepest feelings were rooted in this country."

—Willa Cather (1873-1947) was remembering the Red Cloud Nebraska region, which she put on the literary map.

Miss Cather left home as a young woman, edited a Pittsburgh, Pa., newspaper, and a New York magazine before deciding in 1912 to devote her time to writing novels.

She won the Pulitzer Prize in 1922 for "One of Ours." Many of her novels echo the same theme—the spirit and courage of pioneer life. She knew this well.

This stamp will go on sale at our office tomorrow.

George E. Rosensteel, PM.

CITIZENS OF TOMORROW



This week's Citizen of Tomorrow is 2-year-old Wendy O'Toole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William O'Toole, Route 2, Emmitsburg.

Adult Education Classes To Start

Over 70 Adult Education classes will begin the week of September 24, according to spokesman at the Board of Education of Frederick County. New classes may be formed if at least ten persons are interested. Persons interested in starting new classes should call the Adult Education department (662-9200, Extension 267) and indicate the preferred class and location.

Most Adult Education classes meet once a week for two hours and last for twelve weeks. A fee of \$8 for a 12 week semester, or \$15 for two semesters is charged. Registration may be accomplished by appearing at the first class.

Some of the community locations include: Brunswick High, Catoctin High, St. Joseph's College, St. Joseph's High School, The Seton Center, Frederick High, Gov. Thomas Johnson High, Linganore High, Middletown High, Catoctin View Apartments, Emmitsburg Senior Center, Thurmont Senior Center, Sunnyside Community Center, Thurmont Middle School, Myersville Elementary, Walkersville High and West Frederick Jr. High School.

Named As New Manager

It was announced this week that Mrs. Margaret Cisar has been named as the Cozy Bud 'N Vase Shoppe's new Greenhouse Manager.

Mrs. Cisar received a B.S. in Agriculture from the University of Maryland with course work in Botany, Agronomy, Chemistry and Horticulture.

She was employed for two years by the U.S.D.A. at Beltsville, and began her course work for a masters from the U.S.D.A. Graduate School and the University of Maryland.

After several years of substitute teaching, she worked for four years for the Kingsdine Nursery in Howard County. During this time she also took a number of additional short courses in various areas of horticulture.

Mrs. Cisar entered into a partnership and operated a nursery business in Rockville for three years.

After moving to Frederick County in 1971, she taught Business Math and Physical Science during the '72-'73 school year at Catoctin High School. During this time she also took an adult education course in Gardening and Home Landscaping through the Seton Center in Emmitsburg.

The immediate changes being made are the remodeling, redesigning and upgrading of a greenhouse into a display house. This house, once completed, should lend a different concept to the merchandising of plants than what one usually sees, with a waterwheel, water, bridge, and a house, in a rustic setting that will give one the feeling of seeing plant life in its natural habitat.

PTA To See Presentation

An exciting year is in store for the Emmitsburg School PTA as we watch the new school being constructed. The first meeting for this school year will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 26, at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Guest for the meeting will be Mr. Meade Felton, an assistant to the superintendent of schools, who will have a slide and tape presentation on year-round school. The public is invited to attend and join in a question and answer period to follow the presentation.

Committee Prepares Map And Proposal Explanations For Town Voters

The special committee appointed by the Town Commissioners has prepared a map and explanation of the proposed annexation of Viking Ventures which appears elsewhere in this week's paper.

The voting on the issue is slated to take place from 12 noon to 8 p.m. at the Town Office on Tuesday, October 2, 1973. All of the town's 610 registered voters will be eligible to express their opinion.

The registration books are now open daily at the Town Office for those citizens who are not presently registered to vote.

A Public Hearing on the proposal has been scheduled for next Wednesday evening, Sept. 26, at the Fire Hall. This will give voters a chance to ask questions and clarify any points on which they are unclear.

Taxpayer Objects To Tax Moratorium For Viking Ventures Property

Editor, Emmitsburg Chronicle: After reading the Chronicle of Sept. 13, 1973, I became more concerned with the possibilities of annexation of Viking Venture land.

The fact that disturbs me as a taxpayer, and it should all others, is that Viking Venture wishes to be annexed tax free for the first three (3) years. Why does one group or individual want to be favored with no tax, when in the last two annexations there wasn't any such favoritism? Will this be setting a precedent for future annexations?

A look at the county and state tax records in the town office shows only four (4) parcels of land for Viking Venture whose total is approximately 728 acres with assessed value of around \$195,000. The Chronicle stated that the annexation would involve 879 acres. Where are the other 151 acres coming from?

Soccer Team

Loses First Game

St. Joseph's High School inaugurated its Varsity Soccer Program on a sour but promising note, bowing to St. Maria Goretti of Hagerstown, 5-2, on the winner's field.

Athletic Director, Bob Custer, said "Soccer enthusiasm was so great, we just had to add the sport. We have 12 freshmen on our 18-man team. We are building, of course, and we should be real tough in a year or so."

Goretti was tough enough and made St. Joe's their third victim.

St. Joe's showed surprising strength though, with Sean Tierney, goal tender, coming up with 14 goalie saves, high in the game. Mike Cool and Don Miller were superb on defense as fullbacks. Our offensive front line played well, anchored by Jeff Wivell, Eric Rosensteel, and Greg Adelsberger in the middle, and Paul Carter and Don Small on the wings. Small and Adelsberger scored the goals for St. Joe's, first in its history.

Freshmen newcomers Alex Plowman and Sean Tierney were outstanding in their debuts.

Coach Custer added, "I was very proud of them all. Goretti drew some blood but our boys showed guts when it counted. Our first win isn't too far off."

Little League Bake Sale, Game Night

The Emmitsburg Little League will sponsor a Bake Sale and Evening of Games on Monday evening, October 22. The events will be held at the Fire Hall, and will be open to the public.

Proceeds from the games and bake sale will benefit the Little League with numerous repairs and improvements being planned by League officials prior to next year's baseball season. It is hoped to enclose the whole playing area which will necessitate the purchase of additional fence, plus making repairs to the present fence. Plans also include improvements to the playing field and dugouts.

Mothers of Little League players are asked to donate items for the bake sale and solicit friends and neighbors to attend the evening of games. The bake sale will begin at 7 p.m. with games starting at 7:30 p.m. Check the date on your calendar and help the youngsters of our community by supporting the evening activities.

It's imperative that more be done in the field of bicycle safety, says the Travelers Insurance Companies. It reports bicycle deaths rose by one-third in 1972 over the preceding year.

I know some counties, yes, even towns, that give concessions to corporations for factories, etc., to locate there in order to further employment and the general economy of the area. But this is only a convention center. If this is to add that much population or growth then our local real estate agents are in for an increase. Right Mr. Chairman of the Planning and Zoning Commission?

Would this project fall like our Penna. neighbor, Mr. Rist? If so, we as taxpayers would have to share the cost and not Viking Venture. Viking Venture can agree to a lot but when it comes down to doing this—can it be done? Mr. Rist agreed to a lot of things and he has failed to carry them through. We can see this by the numerous court proceedings and sheriff's sales.

Then too, by the time the work would be started our engineers study will be wrong. Everything, without exception, is going up so this price could even double in one or two years . . . at taxpayers expense.

In answer to town attorney Bower's statement, "There was no justification for the fear that the town would get stuck 'money-wise' under the terms of the annexation proposal which had been presented," Charnita residents thought this, now they are still paying for services they didn't have—is there fear or justification for fear, Mr. Bower? Where else, Mr. Bower, might we get stuck if not "money-wise" according to the proposal presented?

We have 610 registered voters and should therefore have 610 votes cast on October 2. Taxpayers and citizens get out and vote! If you are not registered, please do so immediately. The book will be open at the Town Office until Sept. 28 for registration in order to vote on this referendum.

If you want another Charnita in this area vote for Viking Venture, if not vote against.

Sincerely,
A concerned Taxpayer
Leo Michael Boyle

Week-Day Church School To Begin

The Parish Education Committee of the local Council of Churches has announced that Week-day Church School classes will resume Wednesday, October 3 at the Parish House of Elias Lutheran Church.

Parents are urged to note that the time has been changed from an evening session to an afternoon session with classes beginning promptly at 3:45 and closing at 4:45. Christian Education instruction will be available for pupils in Kindergarten through Grade Six.

The Parish Education Committee, at a meeting on Tuesday evening in Trinity Methodist Church, announced that the theme for this year's school will be "The Life of Jesus". Serving as co-directors will be Mrs. Mildred Breining and Mrs. Ronald Fearer.

Dynamics In

Area Competition

Members of the Emmitsburg Dynamics Majorette Group will participate in the competition to be held in Waynesboro, Pa., on Sept. 23. They will also compete in Frederick on Sept. 30.

Registration will be held for the Dynamics on Monday, Sept. 24, beginning at 7 p.m. All dues and rentals must be paid by this date. Any information concerning registration may be obtained by contacting Dave Bushman at 447-2149.

FREDERICK COUNTY BACKGROUNDS

BY SAMUEL CARRICK
Miss M. Janette Byers
"I see from the house by the side of the road,
By the side of the highway of life,
The men who press with the ardor of hope,
And men who are faint with the strife.
But I turn not away from their smiles or their tears,
Both parts of an infinite plan—
Let me live in the house by the side of the road
And be a friend to man."
—Sam Walter Foss

The data regarding the Byers family, of Pennsylvania and Maryland, is continued at this time.

There are four marked graves in the family plot of Joseph Byers in Elias Lutheran and Reformed Churchyard. The inscriptions from two of the stones were included in last week's column. The list in continued—as follows:
3. Sacred to the memory of Gilbert C. Byers, son of Joseph and Eleanor Byers, died October 8, 1869, aged 2 years, 10 months and 8 days.
Note: The rate of infant mortality was extremely high in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. In a family of ten or twelve children at least three or four, in the majority of cases, would die before his or her sixth birthday. Apparently Joseph and Eleanor were more fortunate than most for it would appear they lost only one child in infancy. Gilbert Byers was given his mother's maiden name but did not live to pass it on to posterity.

4. In memory of Carrie J. Byers, daughter of Joseph and Eleanor Byers, born July 1, 1863, died November 16, 1951.
Note: Miss Carrie J. Byers was a sister of J. Krise Byers, Blanche (Byers) Rhodes, Miss M. Janette Byers, and Mrs. Geyer Black.
The name of another Byers daughter was added because of an item which appeared in the "Emmitsburg Chronicle" under date of Friday, May 26,

1893:
"Miss Blanche Byers, of near this place, and her sister, Mrs. Geyer Black, of Mechanicstown (Thurmont), are visiting in Westminster, Maryland."
Under date of Saturday, February 23, 1888, an item that gives some additional details pertaining to this member of the Joseph Byers family—
"Married, February 14, 1888, in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, by (name of minister not given), Mr. Guy Black, of Mechanicstown, Maryland, to Miss Maggie E. Byers, the daughter of Mr. Joseph Byers, of near Emmitsburg, Maryland."

It was stated in last week's column that the widow of Joseph Byers, of "Pleasant Farm" moved to Emmitsburg after her husband's death. The files of the "Chronicle" pinpoint this under date of Friday, August 6, 1909—
"Mrs. Eleanor G. Byers (Eleanor Gilbert) Byers, the widow of Joseph Byers, moved to her new home, on Gettysburg Street, (Emmitsburg) last Tuesday, August 3, 1909."

In the records of Elias Lutheran church the following item is listed under "Deaths" during the pastorate of the Rev. Bower:
Buried — Miss M. Janette Byers, who died February 4, 1944, aged 72 years, 11 mos., and 25 days. Interment in Washington, D. C.
Note: It is indeed unfortunate that so little is known pertaining to Miss Byers. One tradition states that she is interred in Arlington National Cemetery and this may well be—for she had earned that honor many times over. Some known facts would appear to lend substance to this theory. In the first place there is room and to spare in the Joseph Byers family plot in Elias churchyard. In other words Miss Janette Byers could have been interred with her own people had she so desired. The church records state that "burial" was made in Wash-

ington, D. C." and this, too, would point to Arlington. However, it must be stressed that the exact location of Miss Byers' grave is not known with any degree of certainty. The "Chronicle" Friday, May 20, 1910—
"Miss M. Janette Byers, a trained nurse, whose home is in this place, is now in Panama. She is the daughter of Mr. Joseph Byers, deceased, and Mrs. Eleanor Byers, of near Emmitsburg, Maryland."

Miss M. Janette Byers retained her membership in Elias Lutheran church until her death. She was deeply interested in the welfare of the local congregation and older members of the church tell of her generosity and desire to help in all the events sponsored by the congregation.
To a certain extent it is regrettable that Miss Byers desired to be interred in Washington for had she been buried with her family in Elias churchyard the church would have two outstanding women—who lived their lives in service to others—with graves in this old "God's Acre."

—Dr. Alice M. Seabrook and Miss M. Janette Byers. Both were courageous women and many years "ahead of their times."
Other members of the Byers family are interred in Mountain View Cemetery. The inscriptions from the markers at these graves will be included in next week's column. Earlier graves of this clan are to be found in a family burial ground at Knochlyn, Adams County, Pennsylvania, and in the old Donegal Presbyterian churchyard, at Donegal, Lancaster County, Pa.

These notes will be continued next week.

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Library Club Big Success

The Summer Reading Club at the Emmitsburg Public Library was a big success. Many certificates were given out and approximately 30 children attended the magic show and watermelon party. Prizes were given to Judy McGraw, Christina Champlain and Kristin Neun, for the most original drawings of book reports. Christina Champlain did outstanding work during the 8 weeks of the summer reading. She did original painting and pasting of 25 books and made a portfolio in which to keep them.

The Library Board of Trustees will meet on the fourth Tuesday evening of September in the library. The library has been a haven of solid comfort since the installation of two air conditioners. Now that the summer is almost over, those of you who have not taken advantage of the coolness will have to keep in mind that it is air conditioned next year.

The library registrations are given for a full three year period and are valid at all public libraries in Maryland. At the end of the fiscal year ending in June 1973, the Emmitsburg Library had registered borrowers numbering 873—684 adults and 189 children. Circulation for the year was 12,704.

The library has an index to Audio-Visual material that may be borrowed from the N. Market Street Co-Operative in Frederick. Representatives of teenage and adult clubs may borrow these programs free of charge. Programs may be reserved, picked up, and returned to any Carroll County or Frederick County Public Library. Filmstrip projectors, slide projectors, and cassette players are available for use with these programs. For a complete description of each program, refer to the subject heading in the card catalogue at your local library.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Miller, Hatcher Valley, W. Va., announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, on Sept. 16. Mrs. Miller is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Siske, Emmitsburg. Mr. Miller is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Brooke Miller, Emmitsburg.

Ladies Of Brute Monthly Meeting

The Ladies of Brute met on September 10 at the Knights of Columbus Home for their regular monthly meeting. Thirteen members were present with Nancy Danner, president, presiding.

Communications were read and included thank you notes from Mrs. Shirley Topper and Mrs. Helen L. Sanders.

Members were reminded about the District Mass at the Grotto on September 22. The ladies will serve a buffet afterwards.

The date for the pie sale had to be changed due to a conflict with the Senior Citizens Fall Bazaar. The ladies will hold their sale on November 17 at the Senior Citizens Center at 10 a.m. Helen Oster confirmed the date of October 14 for a visit to the Sisters at the Villa. Mrs. Oster has accepted chairmanship of the bingo. Members were asked to bring gifts for the afternoon of games. Anyone wishing may bring the prizes to the October meeting.

Treasurer Carmen Topper asked that the president and treasurer be bonded for safety reasons. After discussion, members voted to bond the two officers.

Some discussion followed about the forthcoming anniversary party for the Knights of Columbus. More discussion will be held at the October meeting.

Dorcas Rodgers name was

Five Charged For Violations

Those charged with traffic offenses by Officer James L. Fuss were: David Lookingbill, Emmitsburg, and Vinicio E. Madrical, Middle Vie, N. Y., for exceeding the posted speed limit; Donald L. Speelman, Gettysburg, operating a motor vehicle while suspended; Richard D. Cool, Emmitsburg, failing to stop for stop sign, and Steven R. Purcell, Lantz, operating a motor vehicle in a negligent manner.

Knights Hold Admissions Degree

Brute Council 1860, Knights of Columbus met on Monday evening at the Council Home with Grand Knight Raymond Sanders presiding.

An admissions degree was held with Geoffrey Sanders, David Knox and Larry Sanders being admitted to the Order and Council. George L. Danner reported on the success of the recent crab feed.

Deputy Grand Knight Lawrence Kolb reminded members of the District Mass that is scheduled for this Saturday evening at Mt. St. Mary's College Grotto at 5:30 p.m. A buffet will follow at St. Anthony's Parish Hall.

called for the draw prize but was not in attendance. The refreshment committee for the October 8th meeting will be Helen and Anna Sanders.

A special meeting of all council members will be held on Monday evening, September 24 at 8 p.m., to vote on a new Home Association set up. All members are urged to attend this special meeting.

Grand Knight Sanders announced that a Formation Degree will be held on Sunday, Sept. 23 at 2 p.m. All candidates should be at the Council Home at 1:15 p.m. A light buffet will follow the degree.

Cross Country Seeks Challenge

With an improved and more difficult schedule, cross country coach Frank Zarnowski is looking forward to an interesting and challenging season for Mount Saint Mary's.

"In addition to adding Navy to our log, we will have Catholic and East Carolina in important meets early in the season," says Zarnowski. "We will have to be ready early." "We have a young team, but one with plenty of potential," he adds. "Cross country always has been a sport where hard work is the most important ingredient for suc-

cess. We intend to let that work for us this year."

Among those returning this year are junior Ben Amoss and sophomores Bill Knapp and Jim Draper. Knapp has placed fourth in the Mason-Dixon Conference, is solid, competitive and will improve. Another solid competitor is Amos, who placed seventh and eighth in the last two M.D.s, and is a 9:24 indoor two-miler. Draper placed fourteenth last year, is strong and is getting better.

Back also are MD 880 titlist Craig Menschner and steady senior Jack Buchner. "This could finally be the year when either or both move into the top seven," Zarnowski says.

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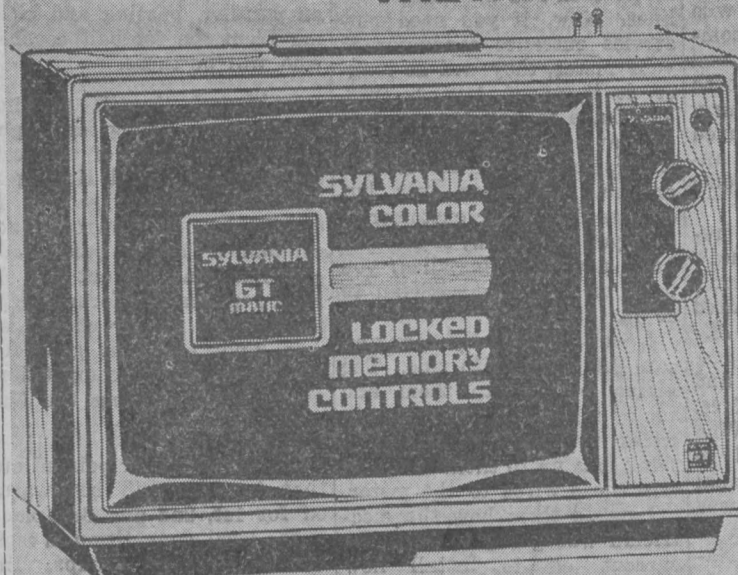
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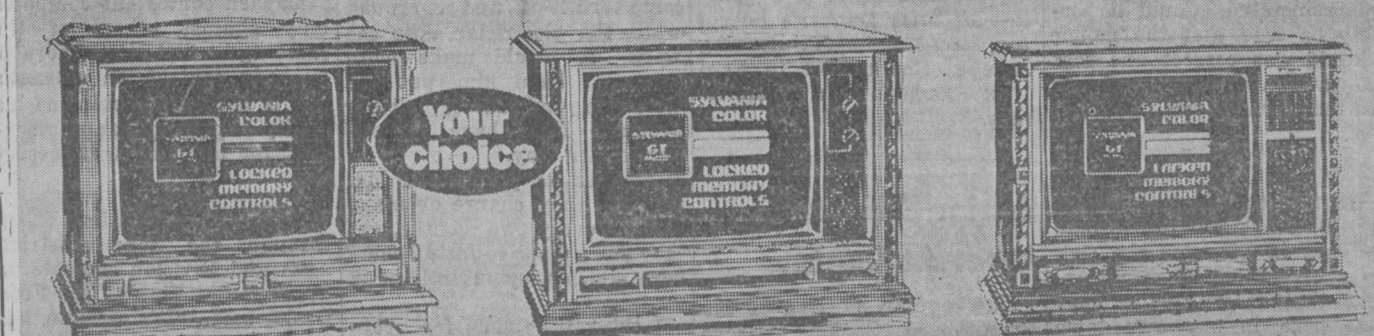
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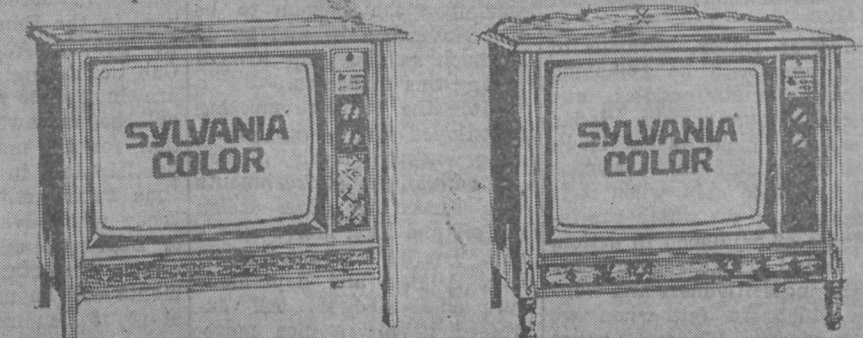
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JOHN L. SHELTON
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Plaintiff

v.
JOANNE SHELTON
Address Unknown
Defendant

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The object of this suit is to procure a divorce a vinculo matrimonii by the plaintiff, John L. Shelton, from the defendant, Joanne Shelton.

The Bill of Complaint recites that the parties were married on May 20, 1971, in Bethesda, Maryland, that the complainant has been a resident of the State of Maryland for more than one year; that no children were born of this marriage; that the defendant did unjustifiably abandon and desert the plaintiff on or about August 4, 1972; that the parties have lived separate and apart since the above date without cohabitation; that there is no expectation of reconciliation.

TO THE END, THEREFORE: your plaintiff prays that he be divorced a vinculo

matrimonii from the defendant Joanne Shelton, and for such other and further relief as the court may deem just and proper.

IT IS THEREUPON, this 24th day of August, 1973, by the Circuit Court of Frederick County, Maryland, sitting as a Court of Equity,

ORDERED, that the plaintiff shall by causing a copy of this Order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Frederick County, Maryland, once a week for Four (4) consecutive weeks before the 29th day of September, 1973, give notice to the said non-resident defendant of the object and substance of the said Bill and warn her to file her initial pleading therein on or before the 30th day of October, 1973, and to show cause if any why a decree should not be passed as prayed.

ELLIS C. WACHTER
Clerk, Circuit Court for
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ROBBIN J. BONNIN
Attorney for Plaintiff
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Filed August 24, 1973
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Vacation in California with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eyler and daughters, Annette and Diane, recently spent two weeks in Southern California with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Field and sons, John and Joe. The Eylers flew from Baltimore to Los Angeles by United Airlines. Places of interest they saw included: California's oldest winery, San Gabriel Mission, Arboretum, Disneyland, San Juan Capistrano Mission, Sea World, Mt. Baldy, Busch Gardens and Ontario Motor Speedway. They went deepsea fishing in the Mexican waters.

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BUSINESS AND THE STOCK MARKET

Speculating In Warrants

By Babson's Reports Inc., Wellesley Hills, Mass., Sept. 20, 1973—Risk-oriented investors frequently turn to stock warrants as a vehicle for a part of their speculative efforts. Interest in warrants, however, tends to increase when the stock market is at a high level, a time when the element of risk is as strong for the warrants as it is for the securities to which they are tied. But right now, when many securities are trading at levels that are quite well deflated, it is a favorable time to consider warrants.

What Warrants Are

Warrants are quite a different matter from common or preferred stocks, or bonds, although they are usually issued in conjunction with stocks or bonds in financing operations, recapitalizations, reorganizations, or mergers. A warrant is an option to buy a specified security at a stated price and generally within a set time period. Once the exercised period expires, the warrants become valueless—although there are a few "potential" warrants.

Per se, warrants provide no income for the investor. They are usually issued as a "sweetener" to attract investment money to the principal security, or to provide an added inducement to the stockholders of a company which may be the object of a takeover move. Why Are Warrants Attractive?

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We have already indicated that warrants do not pay any dividend or interest. So investors who require maximum investment income, or even a reasonable current yield, should not dabble in warrants. Indeed, except for the speculator, investors contemplating involvement with warrants should first explore the possibilities in some income-producing convertible bonds or convertible preferred stocks.

In essence, an investor who purchases warrants is speculating that the target securities will increase in value to such a degree that the income which is lost during the time the warrants are held will be offset by the increment in the value of the warrants, and that there will also be an added measure of profit to make the risk worthwhile. There is an even greater advantage, of course, if a warrant is held for more than six months and then sold at a profit—since that profit is taxable as a long-term capital gain under

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This is to give notice that the undersigned, Calvin S. Lohr whose address is 114 N. Court St., Frederick, Md. 21701 was, on September 6, 1973, appointed personal representative of the estate of Bertha R. Eckenrode who died on July 10, 1973, with a will. All persons having any objection to such appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file the same with the Register of Wills of Frederick County on or before March 6, 1974 (six months from date of such appointment).

All persons having claims against the decedent must present their claims to the undersigned, or file the same with the said Register of Wills on or before six months from the date of such appointment. Any claim not so filed on or before such date, or any extension thereof provided by law, shall be unenforceable thereafter.

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Sat., Sept. 8	80	49
Sun., Sept. 9	78	56
Mon., Sept. 10	77	43
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Wed., Sept. 12	80	54
Thurs., Sept. 13	76	48
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Tours South America

Mrs. Thomas J. Frailey recently returned from a 28-day tour of South America.

The tour started from Miami, Florida, and included the following countries: Panama City, Panama; Bogota, Colombia; Quito, Ecuador; Lima, Machu-Picchu, Cuzco and Juliaca, Peru; LaPaz, Bolivia; Buenos Aires, Argentina; Asuncion, Paraguay; Iguassu Falls, Sao Paulo, Rio de Janeiro, Petropolis, Terezopolis, and Brasilia, Brazil; and Caracas, Venezuela.

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Premiere showing is at Seton Center, Friday, Sept. 28, at 7 p.m., with a presentation at the Provincial House on Saturday, Sept. 29 at 7 p.m. Admission is free. Guests are asked to use the main entrances at both Seton Center and the Provincial House.

CCD Classes Begin This Week

St. Joseph's Parish Christian Doctrine Classes for students in public schools, will begin on Thursday evening, September 20 in St. Joseph's High School classrooms at 7 p.m., for high school students. Grammar school students will likewise meet at the high school on Saturday morning, Sept. 22 at 10 a.m. Every Catholic boy or girl attending public school is expected to attend these classes. Registration will be held at the opening session of the classes for those who have not as yet registered.

Classes will last about one hour, so parents planning to pick up children after classes can be there at 8 p.m. on Thursdays and at 11 a.m. on Saturdays.

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LOOKING AHEAD

Communist Footprints

When the National Broadcasting Company (NBC-TV) recently presented the documentary "American Communism Today," Gus Hall, General Secretary of the Communist Party USA, was interviewed by Frank McGhee of NBC's TODAY program. Hall was asked whether the Communists would need to resort to violence to take over the United States. Hall said: "There is a strong possibility that violence will be necessary." Frank McGhee reminded his listeners that Hall's Communist Party USA is "cemented" to the Soviet Union. In fact the NBC documentary was one of the most objective jobs the network has ever done on Communism within the U. S. It only skimmed the surface of the conspiracy to seize our nation but most of what it presented was truth (although not the whole truth).

It is too bad that Mr. McGhee did not also interview Maurice L. Malkin, 73-year-old Russian-born Jew who came to America in 1914 and while still in his teens became a Communist organizer, one of the founders of

American Communism, and for 25 years one of Moscow's most dedicated and effective subversives in the United States. Maurice Malkin, who recanted Communism in 1939 and accepted God as his Creator, waited until now to tell the full story. It is the story of a monstrous evil force working within America, with an unrelenting determination to conquer the world.

A Book To Read

There have been scores of books written by prominent former Communists warning of the true nature of world Communism. In my opinion, Maurice Malkin's book, *Return to My Father's House*, (Arlington House, New Rochelle), because of its timing and its extraordinarily revealing content, is the most valuable of all—if it could be read by several million Americans. It has received very little notice in the news media, book reviews and television shows such as TODAY because it is an authentic powerful anti-Communist documentary.

In this and subsequent columns I will present some of the substance of Mr. Malkin's book, including his identification of secret Communists exposed for the first time.

"We Are At War" "Today the Communist Party leadership in America includes experienced military men trained in Moscow, such as Harry Winston, who re-

ceived military training in the United States Army during World War II and at the Lenn School for Revolution in Moscow. . . The Reds have a complete battle plan—military strategy, creating riots and anarchy, destroying the police and military by subversion and assassinations, etc. . . Two key instructions are: 'Make investigations and reports on the activities of the police and security services. Investigate and repress those security organizations which support the government.' Make no mistake about it, we are at war."

"Under the personal tutelage of Leon Trotsky, I was thoroughly convinced in 1917 that the Party was not revolutionary enough. . . As a Marxist, I knew enough to realize that the I.W.W., for all its hairy-chested shouts for world revolution, was politically naive. It believed in trade unions as the only power source, and called on workers to seize industry. As a Marxist, I knew that political power came first—it would be necessary to seize the government before we could take over industry. Political power, gained through force and violence, was the immediate objective."

"We (were) shocked (in 1919) to learn that the poet, Carl Sandburg, had been detained by U. S. Customs officials in New York. He was one of our mainstays among American intellectuals, and had gone to the Scandinavian countries and Finland as a correspondent—and as a Soviet courier. We had eagerly awaited his return with an important message from Lenin and a large quantity of money and literature. . . A week later the poet appeared at our office accompanied by Charles Recht, legal representative of the Soviet government. . . Sandburg had been permitted to retain the messages from Lenin. . ."

"On the South Side, much of it fast sinking into slums, was the University of Chicago, the intellectual Mecca of the Midwest. At the other end of town was Northwestern University, and Communist power in Chicago radiated between these two poles. A key man at Chicago University was Dr. Robert Moss Lovett. I worked closely with him, keeping his Party book and advising him on current policy. He lived at Hull House where Jane Addams had created a reputation as a social worker and do-gooder. She was a secret Party member having joined under Aron Swaback. . . in 1928."

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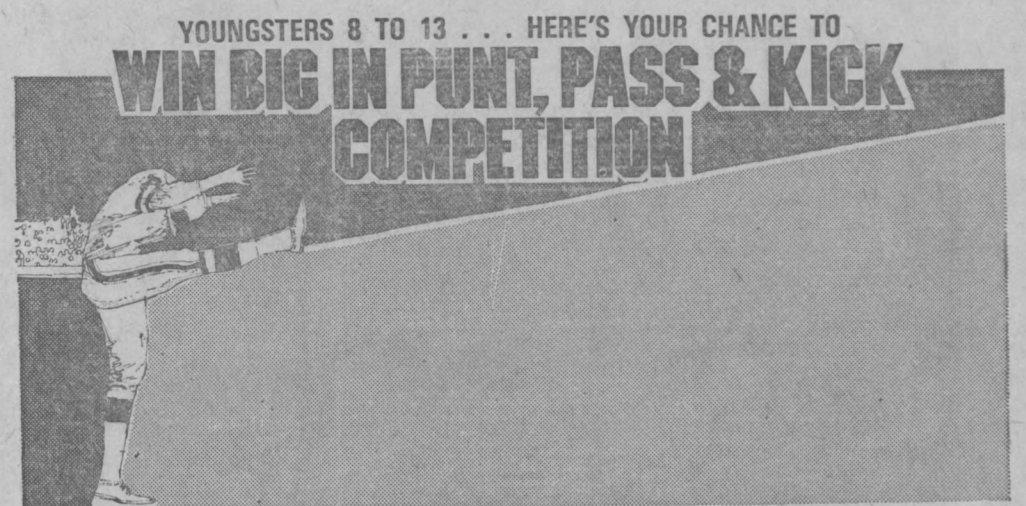
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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

TOWN OFFICE

(Office Open To 8 P.M. Sept. 28)

NOTICE

Public Hearing

QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION
WITH VIKING VENTURES

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 26

7:30 P.M.

EMMITSBURG FIRE HALL

A STATEMENT OF FACT ON THE ANNEXATION PROPOSAL

AREA:

This referendum concerns the proposed annexation of the following parcels of real estate:

Viking Ventures' property	420 acres
Emmitsburg Sportsmen's Tract	21 acres
Leo Trembley's property	66 acres
Mary Troxell's tract	20 acres
the former Frailey Farm	116 acres
Total acreage	643 acres

The total proposed acreage to be annexed will about double the town's land mass.

BACKGROUND:

In order to proceed with its plans for a Convention Center, Viking Ventures has petitioned the Town of Emmitsburg for sewers and water. Since the general consensus in Emmitsburg is against providing sewers and water facilities outside the town limits, the Town of Emmitsburg in this case is left with only one alternative: annexation.

FACTS:

1. The Town of Emmitsburg has engaged the firm of Buchart-Horn of York, Pa., to prepare a study of the town's water and sewer facilities. The Buchart-Horn report concluded that (a) the town's sewers must be improved and expanded with or without the Viking Ventures project, (b) the estimated total project cost will be about \$587,000, (c) the proposed expansion will about double the capacity of the town's present sewer system from 250,000 gallons per day to 500,000 gallons per day.

2. A Federal grant is expected to cover about 75% of the sewer expansion cost. This means that the town of Emmitsburg must cover the remainder, about \$150,000. Remember that Emmitsburg is presently carrying a bonded debt for water and sewers in the amount of \$600,000 which must be paid by 1998.

3. As a part of the town's proposed agreement with Viking Ventures, the following points must be considered:

a. Viking Ventures is expected to use 80,000 gallons of water per day.

b. Viking Ventures has agreed to pay all annexation costs and sewer and water hookup charges.

c. Viking Ventures will be granted a three-year moratorium from municipal property taxes starting from the date of annexation. Immediately following the conclusion of the moratorium, Viking Ventures will start to pay taxes.

d. The projected annual taxes which Emmitsburg will receive from Viking Ventures will be about \$40,000. However, it should be emphasized that Emmitsburg can expect to receive such an annual tax (\$40,000) ONLY if the complete project will be valued at \$9-11 million. The expected property tax return is based on this value.

e. The proposed Viking Ventures project is expected to double the town's tax base.

f. Viking Ventures has agreed to give Emmitsburg \$172,000 upon initiation of annexation proceedings. This money will be placed in escrow for the town's use without pre-conditions.

g. If annexed, the Viking Ventures property will cost Emmitsburg an estimated \$6,000 to \$10,000 per year in town services. However, the town is expected to collect from Viking Ventures an annual sum of about \$15,000 in water and sewer revenues. This sum does not include the revenue expected from property taxes, and it is not subject to the moratorium on property taxes.

4. The Planning and Zoning Commission based its recommendation for the annexation of the Viking Ventures property primarily on the assumption that the total value of the Convention Center project upon completion will amount to between \$9 million to \$11 million. All calculations which entered into this recommendation were based on this estimate of the total projected value:

SAMPLE BALLOT

A Resolution Calling For Annexation Of Lands Of Approximately 643 Acres Into The Corporate Limits Of The Town Of Emmitsburg —With Restricted Uses And Limited Utility Services Provided To The Area By The Town Of Emmitsburg.

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