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Weekly Thought
The thing that is important is not how many days we live but how we live them.

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Most Anything At A Glance - By Abigail -

The VFW certainly made a lot of us old folks happy last week with their wonderful party. It's nice to be thought of now and then and know that the local youngsters and not so youngsters will take time out every once in a while to do something for us older ones. It's also nice to see so many local people that we don't see every day.

Too bad the town Lions Club couldn't have been thinking more of others when they decided to stop having their children's Christmas party. However, the town kids are not going to go without a party. From what I hear two other clubs are going to step in and fill the void. Just shows that there is a Santa Claus most everywhere and he usually makes himself known.

In years to come, I bet the Lions will be sorry they gave up this chance to do something for the kids.

Ha

With the holiday crisis holding down holiday lighting, it hardly looks like Christmas yet but things may pick up before the date rolls around. You'll never know it from the boys in Washington though, because they don't seem to be able to make up their mind. The new czar appointed by the President makes the third shakeup this year. Love said a mouthful when he said he hadn't accomplished much in six months. Makes me wonder that anything useful comes out of that quagmire south of us.

With the limited heating oil supply we are lucky the weather has been as mild as it has. Somebody must be looking out for us, and I hope He keeps up the good work.

This week's mild weather has produced another big jump in the school construction. With a little more luck it may be under roof by tomorrow night. Then the snow can come and it won't delay the workmen too much inside the building.

Riding out Annapondale Road at night is still an experience for those interested in pyrotechnics. The burning dumps are still with us and there seems to be no relief in sight. I wonder how many residents have called up Commissioner Lewis in the past few months? If the whole town got on his back and started to jump up and down, he might take another pass at that snakebed in Washington. And while you are at it, let him know we want some action on the closed Annapondale Road bridge. Seems like the only way to get action is to keep after people.

Teenage Record Hop Saturday

A Record Hop will be held at St. Joseph's Parish Hall, DePaul Street, on Saturday evening, December 8, for local teenagers. The dance is being sponsored by the Ladies of Brute and will begin at 8:30 p.m. and lasting until 11:00 p.m. Light refreshments will be provided by the auxiliary while soft drinks may be purchased there. Dress will be casual.

The Ladies of Brute will meet on Monday evening, December 10, at 8:15, in the Knights of Columbus Home. The annual Christmas party will be held with a gift valued at \$2 to be exchanged by members. Alice Boyle and Nancy Danner will serve refreshments at the social.

Dynamics To Hold Christmas Party

A Christmas Party for the Dynamics and their families will be held on December 10 at St. Joseph's Parish Hall, beginning at 7 o'clock. Each family is to bring a covered dish for the party.

Letter To Editor

Editor, Emmitsburg Chronicle: Being two concerned mothers of small children, we wish to express our feelings about certain happenings in the town. About two months ago Fr. King gave a talk hoping to encourage people to turn their thoughts on the young people of the community. Instead of encouraging the town officers of organizations, it took an adverse effect on them it seems. After reading in last week's paper that the Lions Club was doing away with the Christmas party for children, it stirred many thoughts that we wish to share with others.

First of all, going back to Halloween. It seems the town fathers know something more about the town people than the rest of the community does not know. There must be some terribly wicked people in town that the children could not have at least one hour of trick or treating with adult supervision. Even the larger towns around, where there is a higher risk of things happening, allowed trick and treating. What kind of evil people live in Emmitsburg that our children are deprived of the things we did when we were children? We never had an incident of mistreating our little ones on Halloween and we have confidence in our neighbors and friends that nothing ever would.

Now comes Christmas to Emmitsburg or does it? It's bad enough that due to the electric shortage, we are unable to decorate our homes with Christmas lights and the town cannot be lit with the new decorations for the holidays, but now Santa Claus and the party for the children of the town are cancelled. For some children this is a great treat because it is their only chance to see a real live Santa and get a treat right from his own hand into theirs. Christmas is for children but in Emmitsburg it's turning out to be just parties for the adults. Are the adults so alcoholic conscious that all they can think of is their own party and not the children? It seems every organization has a party at Christmas time for the adults and forget about the children with the exception of one or two.

It seems the Christmas spirit of giving has got up and gone for the children of Emmitsburg. Do the children mean so little that even Santa Claus and a candy cane is too much trouble? When we start taking away Halloween and Santa Claus from the children, we also take a lot of childhood memories from them. What do you remember when you were a child? Surely these two occasions stand out in your memory. It's bad enough that the teenagers of the community have very little to do that now we have to resort to taking away some of the joys of the young. The only thing left for the little ones to look forward to is Easter, with the egg hunt, and Fire Prevention Week and a ride on a fire truck. Only time will tell how long these two events will take place.

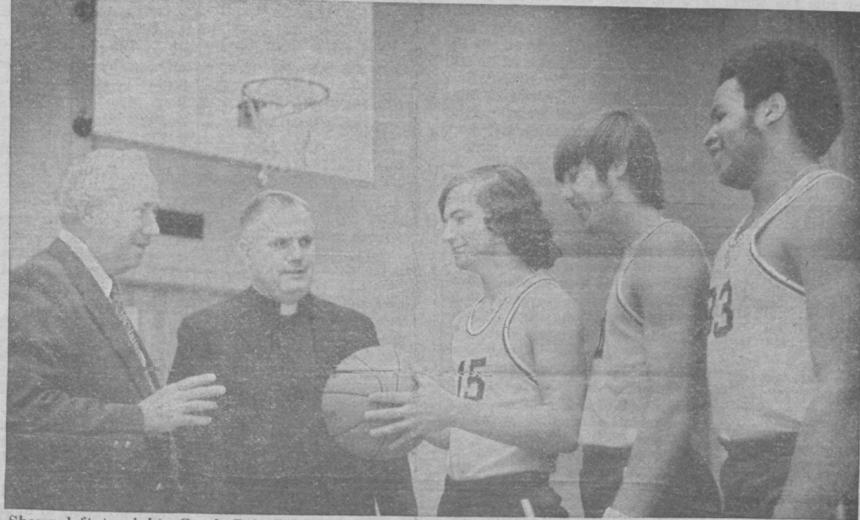
There isn't anything prettier than the smiling faces of little children, filled with happiness. Take the smiles away and you'll have a sad and ugly town. Every parent wants their children to grow up happy and contend with their surroundings. However, how do you answer a question one child asked when she heard Santa Claus wasn't coming to Emmitsburg? "Mother, where are we going to move so Santa Claus will be able to come to our house?"

Marty Austin & Dee Little

THURSDAY NIGHT LADIES' LEAGUE (Rainbow Lanes)

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Texaco Stars	39	9
Pin Busters	32	16
Gay's Girls	25	23
The Daisies	24	24
Old Timers	22	26
Village Liquors	19	29
Untouchables	18	30
The Drinkers	13	35
High game, Dee Little, 132; high set, Mary Ann Hahn, 330; high team set, Texaco Stars, 1504.		

St. Joseph's High School Opens Basketball Season Tonight In Baltimore



Shown left to right: Coach Bob Custer, Fr. Delaney, Joel Neighbours, Steve Myers and Richie Williams.

The Trojans of St. Joseph's will travel to South Baltimore tonight to open their 27th basketball season. Our Lady of Pompeii will be the opponent.

Gone are stars Roy Adelsberger and George Hemler, but Coach Bob Custer is optimistic about his team's chances this year. "We will look to All-State prospect Richie Williams, for both rebounding and scoring." Last year Williams averaged 12.4 points a game, and second to Roy Adelsberger, who tallied 21.7. "I will be surprised if Richie does not average in the middle twenties." "Richie is a blue-chip player

and can play for any college in the country."

The playmaking will be taken care of by veteran Joel Neighbours. Neighbours is only the second letterman returning. Starting every game last year, he averaged 3.5 turnovers a game, making him one of the top backcourtmen in the county.

Gone also is George Hemler, top rebounder, now at FCC. Replacing him will be 6' Richie Hobbs, a senior, and possibly Mike Rosensteel, a 6'2" junior. Big things are expected of both players.

Extra offensive help must come from co-captain Steve

Myers. Coach Custer feels Steve will supply both points and defense. Myers is a vastly improved ball player.

Contenders for the other guard position is junior Harold Engelstatter and a transfer student from Prospect Hall, Walter Sewell. Both are 5'7". Engelstatter is expected to start the season as the number two guard as he has looked excellent in pre-season workouts.

A sleeper at forward could be tough, strong, Ed Miller, a junior. Ed could help with the rebounding.

Filling out the squad will be young "Mr. Hustle" himself, Jeff Wivell, a 5'8" junior

forward, and a freshman, Greg Adelsberger, the fifth Adelsberger to play and star for St. Joseph's. Coach Custer believes Greg could be the best of them all. Roy and Ken are now performing well for FCC.

Custer implies that, "if we can solve a few of our problems, all of them internal, we can match last year's record of 14-8."

Helping Custer this year will be Father Delaney of Mt. St. Mary's. Father coached everything at St. Joe's between the years of 1964 and 1968. Father will handle the JV and assist Custer with the Varsity. Custer terms Father "an answer to our prayers."

Senior Citizens Enjoy Christmas Party

Monday evening at 6:30, about 80 members and friends of the Emmitsburg Senior Citizens Club gathered at the VFW Annex for the annual Christmas dinner which was served by the Savoy Caterers of Waynesboro.

Tables were set and decorated with the customary candles and sprays of Christmas greenery. A delightful and typical Christmas dinner was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Lerue Harman asked all to join in singing one stanza of "Jingle Bells," then called upon Father Stouter for the blessing. Then all set-to on the feast like good trenchermen.

After dinner, the president suggested a rising vote of thanks to the Savoy's and the VFW. She then introduced the guests of honor, Mrs. Pat Throne, County Chairman of the Committee on the Aging, her husband, officers of the Club, and members of the local ministerium.

Mrs. Throne gave a brief talk complimenting the Eucumenical spirit evident in the club; asked support for the nursing home in Frederick, and indicated there was money available to establish a "Meal on Wheels" project but that more help was needed for leadership in the project. She indicated that there are still 800 people in the county who are entitled to receive more

federal aid from Social Security and urged them to make themselves known. The various officers of the club were introduced followed by the program by the "Sweet Adelines" from Waynesboro.

This group consists of eleven ladies singing a collection of delightful numbers in true barber shop harmony. They made a decided hit with the Senior Citizens who joined in lustily from time to time. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the "Adelines."

Before concluding the evening, Mrs. Harman announced the next meeting of the club would be Jan. 15. At that time all the birthdays for December will be included.

Mrs. Andrew Keilholtz also announced that Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roop and she and Mr. Keilholtz were celebrating their 57th wedding anniversaries this month—on the same date.

Everyone departed feeling that it had been a wonderful celebration of the Christmas season.

Religious tolerance doesn't mean that you can't speak out for your own religion.

There're too many do-gooders and organizers and not enough quiet humanitarians among us.

Frank confession: "I don't know!"

The casual borrower is a casual payer.

Mount To Hold Gregorian Mass

A Gregorian Chant Mass of the Blessed Lady will be celebrated in the Mount Saint Mary's College Chapel on Saturday, Dec. 8 at 5 p.m.

The Mass will be celebrated according to the revised rites of the Second Vatican Council and will fulfill the obligation for the Holy Day, The Feast of the Immaculate Conception. Rev. Harry J. Flynn, Rector of the Seminary, will be Homilist and Celebrant.

Music will be provided by the Mount Saint Mary's Glee-men and the Belles of Saint Mary's, under the direction of Rev. Dr. David W. Shaum. Professor Oliver Spangler will be the organist.

Police Probe Liquor Store Robbery

Burglars broke in the Roger Liquor Store early Sunday morning and made off with quantities of cigarettes, candy, beer and liquor, according to Emmitsburg police who investigated the incident.

Entry was gained by smashing a window in the rear of the store, according to Mrs. Roger who discovered the robbery when she arrived to check records. The loss is estimated to be in the neighborhood of \$1,000.

Arbitration Favors Kuhn As Coach

Results of an arbitration proceeding between the Frederick County Board of Education and the Frederick County Teachers Association indicate George Kuhn should be reinstated as Catoctin High School basketball coach. Arbitrator James M. Harkless said he could not find cause for Kuhn's removal.

Harkless indicated the only reason given by the Board for dismissal of Kuhn was the basketball team's record over the past two years and claimed this to be insufficient cause.

The arbitration decision is not binding on the Board of Education. Final decision in the matter will be made by the Board at a meeting on Dec. 19.

Work On Projects Continues Tuesday

Ladies of Emmitsburg Churches will meet again on Tuesday afternoon, December 11, at the Incarnation Church of Christ Fellowship Hall from 1 to 3 to continue the Christmas projects for shut-ins of Emmitsburg. Thirteen ladies joined together in making holiday gifts for those unable to be out.

The two hours sped by quickly as glitter, artificial flowers and greenery, foil, ribbons and cards were put on items to be distributed before Christmas. Anyone wishing to help with the project is welcome to attend next Tuesday afternoon.

Greenmount Fire Co. Holds Election

Harold Green was elected President of the Greenmount Fire Company at its December 3 meeting. Lloyd Reaver was named vice president, Richard Ketterman, secretary, and Kenneth Montville, treasurer. Other officers include James Green, Chief; Samuel Green, assistant chief; Carl Diehl, constable; Robert Green Jr., trustee; John Herr, custodian; and Robert Green and Jerry Keckler, relief fund.

Sam Green of the ways and means committee, reported a successful shooting match, turkey party, and donkey basketball game. The Christmas party for the company children will be held at 1 p.m. on Dec. 23.

Treasurer Montville was instructed to place \$1,000 in the truck fund. Auditors will report their findings at the January 7, 1974 meeting.

Chief Green reported two calls and that new turn-out gear had been ordered.

MRS. A. T. DEATHERAGE Mrs. Rose L. (Dalton) Deatherage, 58, formerly of Emmitsburg, died Sunday at her home in Blaauvelt, N.Y.

Born in Kingsport, Tenn., she was the daughter of the late George and Renice Dalton. Her husband, A. T. (Slim) Deatherage, preceded her in death.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. John McMahon, of Blaauvelt, N. Y. Five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive, along with nine brothers and sisters: Mrs. Kate Perry, Mrs. Amanda Kretton, Mrs. Bertha Gilreath, Mrs. Rachael Stapleton, and Charles, Garland, Daniel and Guy Dalton, all of Kingsport, Tenn., and George Dalton, Sacramento, Calif.

She was a member of the Methodist Church in Blaauvelt. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon from the Wilson Funeral Home, Emmitsburg, with Rev. Walter Bowers officiating. Interment was in Fairfield Union Cemetery, Fairfield, Pa.

MISS E. GRACE WILLIAR

Miss E. Grace Williar, 83, of Smithsburg, died Nov. 29 at the Washington County Hospital in Hagerstown. Born in Deerfield, Frederick County, she was the daughter of Edward C. and Mary C. Anders Williar. She was employed with Brandt Cabinet Works, Inc., for 35 years. She was a lifelong member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Greensburg, serving as a Sunday School teacher for 16 years and was a member of the choir and the church LCW.

She is survived by three sisters, Miss Nannie M. Williar, Mrs. N. Blanche Garver and Mrs. Nora M. Fishack, all of Smithsburg.

Funeral services were held Saturday at St. Paul's Lutheran Church with the Rev. Gregory R. Pile and the Rev. R. Henry Neikirk officiating. Interment was in the Smithsburg Cemetery.

Bellringers To Be Guests At Concert

The Emmitsburg Community Chorus will present "Sounds of Christmas," on Sunday afternoon, December 16, at 3 o'clock in DePaul Auditorium on the campus of former St. Joseph College. A varied program of music will include Bach's Cantata, based on the 27th Sunday after Trinity, entitled "Sleepers awake, loud sounds the warning." Other selections will be "The Friendly Beasts," "Joy to the World," "Christmas Medley," "Sleeps Judea Fair," Mendelssohn's "Behold a Star from Jacob Shining," "I Believe" (Quondbet with the Bach-Gounod "Ave Maria"). The audience will also be included in the program with a Christmas sing-a-long.

This year, the chorus is happy to be able to include on the program, the Handbell Choir from Graceham. The Handbell Ringers are junior and senior high youth from the Moravian Church at Graceham, under the direction of Dr. James L. Fisher. They have given numerous concerts in the Middle Atlantic region touring in Maryland, Pennsylvania, Ohio and North Carolina. They will perform "As Lately We Watched," "All Creatures of Our God," Mendelssohn's "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," and the traditional carol, "Away In A manger."

The Handbell Ringers are: Tana Beall, Bill Bentz, Carol Bentz, Tom Bent, Terry Bolter, Don Creeger, Jody Creeger, Doug Fisher, David Fisher, Jack Fisher, Joy Fisher, Linda Fisher, Tom Fugate, Bill Layman, Cindy Long, Debbie Long, Gwen Long, Kevin Long, Ron Long, Steve Long, Dennis Miller, Cindy Smith and Becky Trout.

The chorus members have worked hard and long to bring traditional Christmas music to the community. Start the Holiday Season by joining with the group in song as they do their best to proclaim as the Angels did so long ago, "Christ is Born, Oh Come Adore Him." Directors of the chorus are Sister Jane Marie Perrot, and Mr. Lewis McAllister. The pianist is Alfred Gilbert.

The Chorus will sell Christmas trees and wreaths this year. For time and place, read the Want Ad section of this paper.

Legion, VFW To Hold Kiddies' Party

At its regular monthly meeting Tuesday night, the Francis X. Elder Post 121 of the American Legion decided to assist in the sponsorship of the annual Christmas party for Emmitsburg children. Financial plans have not been set, however, it is anticipated that the Legion will share sponsorship with the VFW and the party will be scheduled for Saturday, December 22.

Party sponsorship was declined by the Emmitsburg Lions Club at its November meeting. The annual event has been held in town for 43 years.

Due to the energy shortage and the anticipation of a light turnout of house decorations, the Legion will not sponsor its annual house decorating contest this year.

Town Council Refuses Variation

The Emmitsburg Town Council Monday night indicated there will be no variation from the new sewer and water tap fees which have been set at \$1,000 in combination. However, Council will check with its attorney before giving a final answer to V. M. Singh who requested the old rate of \$25 because work has been delayed on his three lots which have planning commission approval.

Council decided at the November meeting, houses under construction would be allowed connections at the old rate if application is made before the new ordinance is in force on Dec. 20.

Council heard a presentation of Frederick Cablevision's plans for a county-wide microwave community television system. George Delaplaine, Jr., stressed the "local origination" aspects of the new network. He offered the commission a model ordinance for the franchise so it could be studied by the town attorney.

Tom Wallace of Buchart & Horn, consulting engineers, reported that the preliminary study of the infiltration of wild water into the town's sewer system was about 75 per cent complete and that the report of the study would be ready for the January 7th meeting of the Council.

Town parking meters will be free on Dec. 24, Christmas Eve, only this year. Christmas lights will be on for the two weekends before Christmas from 6 to 9 p.m. and on Christmas Eve and Christmas night from 6 to 12 p.m. The electricity used this year will amount to only 15 per cent of that used last year.

A local businessman asked that the two-hour parking limit law be enforced to break up the abuse by a limited few of the town's parking spaces. Police Chief Fisher requested a local radar system which can, up until the first of the year, receive money for it from the federal government.

Fifty-dollar Christmas checks will be given town employees.

ZIP COLUMN

Customers are reminded of the revised suggested Christmas mailing dates, due to the present energy crisis. The United States Postal Service asks that parcels be mailed immediately (suggested date was December 3), and that greeting cards be posted on December 8, 1973.

As previously mentioned, difficulty is anticipated with airline transportation, and possibly with truck transport, with the cutback in fuel allotments.

New retail stamp collecting items have been placed on sale at our office. Please come in and look over the new lobby display. Many items may make a perfect Christmas gift. There are starter kits of Sports, Animals, etc., and the new edition of Stamps and Stories.

George E. Rosensteel, P.M.

Open House At St. Joseph's High School Sunday Afternoon



Saint Joseph's High School freshmen prepare papier mache figures for the Christmas creche planned by the Art Department. Shown around table are: 1-r: Tim Cole, Paul Carter and Alex Plowman. Shown in the other group are: Walter Sewell (back), Kevin Bowne, Fred Myers and Bobby Ott.

On Sunday, December 9, from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m., St. Joseph's High School in Emmitsburg, will hold an Open House.

Faculty and student groups will be on hand to greet the visitors, to entertain them, and to give them an insight into the new academic programs offered at Saint Joseph's High.

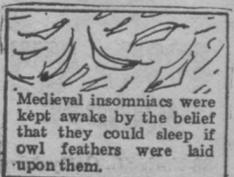
The invitation to attend the Open House is extended not only to eighth graders and

their parents, but to the adult community-at-large.

During Open House, there will be continuous demonstrations in the Art Department, The Music Center, Science Lab, Home Economics Department, Library, and Resource Centers will be open throughout the afternoon. Short demonstrations at specific times will be programmed after registration and a brief welcome in the auditorium. Visitors may select those areas of interest

to them.

Faculty and students at St. Joseph's High hope to welcome a large number from the adult community in Emmitsburg. Mayor Richard Sprankle and the Town Commissioners, the ministers of the various Christian Congregations, public school principals and teachers are all invited to come and share the informal program on Sunday.



Medieval insomniacs were kept awake by the belief that they could sleep if owl feathers were laid upon them.

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LOOKING AHEAD

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

Georgetown University history Professor Carroll Quigley, in his suppressed book, *Tragedy and Hope*, says that a secret group of international bankers and social reformers whose power is centered largely in London and New York has ruled the politics and economics of the world throughout most of the 20th Century. This has been hearsay, largely rejected accusation without definitive source for at least two decades in America. I was reluctant to believe it until I read and studied Professor Quigley's book. I couldn't get the book from its publisher or any bookstore. I got it finally through a clandestine source. It explains a lot of happenings that I could never quite understand.

If what Professor Quigley reports in his book is true—and he studied the "Establishment" activities for 20 years and had access to the records of the secret group for two years—then the people of America must move to break up a scheme to further rob them of their freedom and economic opportunities provided under the present much-criticized but still surviving American system. For the ultimate world goal of the secret group, with its members in most of the major countries, is, says Quigley, a "pluralist economy" and a world social system strictly governed by an elite of "experts." "There will be," says Quigley, "a very considerable modification of the areas and objectives of freedom in all societies of the world, with gradual reduction of numerous personal freedoms . . ."

Imagination
If what Professor Quigley has written concerning the powers that rule the world is false, then the people explicitly identified as the elite rulers in the secret society must come forward with proof of the falseness. Otherwise the freedom-loving people of the world—and especially in the United States—must be forewarned to the fate being planned for their future—without their consent. Not one word of denial of the documented report presented by Professor Quigley has come to my attention. Are the secret world rulers so powerful they need not even react to the Quigley book? Can they suppress not only the book but all mention of it?

In citing statistics on the power exercised at one time by "The Establishment" over the American Government and economy, Quigley writes: "The economic power represented by these figures is almost beyond imagination to grasp, and was increased by the active role which these financial titans took in politics."

Control Over Major Media
Equal to the economic and financial power being exercised by "The Establishment," is the control they have, according to Quigley, over the major news media and other communications arteries—the Ivy League Universities—Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Columbia, etc. "The American branch of this 'English Establishment' (exerts) much of its influence," he writes in his 1966 book, "through five American newspapers, The New York Times, New York Herald Tribune, Christian Science Monitor, The Washington

Post, and the lamented Boston Evening Transcript." He notes that "Walter Lippmann, has been, from 1914 to the present, the authentic spokesman in American journalism for the Establishment on both sides of the Atlantic in international affairs," and that Edwin D. Canham, editor of the Christian Science Monitor, has been a secret columnist for the "Establishment's" magazine, *The Round Table*. In London, the "Establishment" has controlled the Times (owned by the Astor family) since 1912, he says.

But even of greater significance to many readers, is the further observation of Professor Quigley: "Dean Rusk, Secretary of State after 1961, formerly president of the Rockefeller Foundation and Rhodes Scholar at Oxford (1931-1933) is as much a member of this nexus as Alger Hiss, the Dulles brothers, Jerome Greene, James T. Shotwell, John W. Davis, Elihu Root, or Philip Jessup." All these men have had great influence on the foreign and domestic policy of our nation. John F. Kennedy, long before attaining the Presidency, was, Quigley says, an "Establishment" man.

Of English Origin
The international secret society, as we reported last week, was founded by Cecil Rhodes, an Oxford graduate, who became wealthy through the use of the society's political and economic powers and who created in his will the "Rhodes Scholarships" to train young men for leadership in obtaining the world-wide aims of the society. The three most powerful of the inner "Circle of Initiates" during the first

half of the 20th Century were the international banking families of the Rothschilds, the J. P. Morgan financial firm with its home base in New York, and the Rockefeller family's financial enterprises, according to Professor Quigley's records. These three continue to be the dominant powers today, his book makes clear, although much of the money power now lies in Foundations created by them rather than in the international banking institution themselves. The Morgan firm has changed its identity by merging with other financial institutions it controls.

On this subject, Professor Quigley says: "This history of the last century (1850-1950) shows, as we shall see later, that the advice given to governments by bankers like the advice they gave to industrialists, was consistently good for bankers, but was often disastrous for governments, businessmen, and the people generally." They frequently followed up their advice by forcing it on governments. Yet Professor Quigley and his friends of the inner "Circle," the "Eastern U. S. Establishment," and the "English Establishment" believe that a world ruled by "the hope of the future." That is the reason for the name of the book—*Hope* if they achieve their aim, and *Tragedy* if they fail.

Mathias For Access To Energy Plans And Wage Programs

Senator Charles McC. Mathias, Jr. (R-Md.) has called for adoption of new procedures to open the wage-price and energy programs to public scrutiny to prevent further "failure of adequate national planning" that led to establishment of both programs in the first place.

"A government of a free people works best when its activities are open to scrutiny. I suggest that the time for scrutiny of economic regulation is at hand," said Mathias, who is chairing Senate hearings on the administration of the wage-price program. "Emergency government to head-off a crisis has become all too familiar to Americans. We stagger from one crisis to another without direction," Mathias said in a speech prepared for delivery to a B'nai B'rith Anti-Defamation League dinner at the Pittsburgh Hilton Hotel.

"We have failed to build a capacity for long-range planning into our governmental systems and we lack the will to respond to problems early and before they reach crisis proportions. The wage-price program and the energy program are examples," Mathias declared.

Mathias said he will introduce legislation to apply rules guaranteeing open access, public disclosure, accountability for action taken and due process to the operations of the Cost of Living Council, which

administers the wage-price program. Mathias said the legislation will be similar to an amendment he introduced and the Senate adopted last week to put a check on the authority of the Executive Branch in dealing with the energy crisis.

The Mathias amendment to the energy bill requires adequate notice and opportunity for comment before rules are adopted; the widest possible dissemination of information; publication of findings in support of decisions; more public hearings; and public access to all material used by the Energy Council, which will administer the pending energy legislation, in reaching decisions.

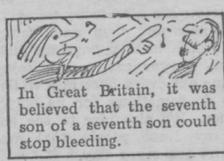
Mathias said the energy program and the wage-price program "pose a threat to openness and accessibility to those they regulate."

Mathias said accountability and due process are important for both programs because "they involve enormous grants

of largely unfettered discretion to the President and through him to the Washington bureaucracy."

Both programs, Mathias said, "are justified by their proponents as emergency measures to meet emergency problems of the economy. Both are characterized as programs of short duration. Both give government a power to make decisions which can bring benefit to some citizens and harm to others."

"No program will long retain or deserve popular support if its decisions are not arrived at by a process which appears open, fair, consistent, thorough, rational, enforceable and necessary," Mathias said.



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"The National Aeronautics & Space Administration (NASA) would be given the responsibility for developing and evaluating a range of alternative ground propulsion systems in cooperation with private industry," Byron said.

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AT 10:00 O'CLOCK A.M.

All that real estate located approximately three (3) miles west of Emmitsburg, on Hornets Nest Road in Frederick County, Maryland, containing in the aggregate 94 acres more or less and more particularly described as follows:

PARCEL I: All that lot of ground with all the improvements thereon situated and lying in the South Mountain in Frederick County, Maryland, adjoining the lands of David Gamble, deceased, John Click, John H. Septer and others, beginning for the outline thereof at a stone pile erected at a road, it being also a corner of lands of David Gamble, deceased, and running thence S. 50 3/4 degrees W. 41 perches to a stone pile, thence S. 55 3/4 degrees E. 21-9/10 perches to an Elm Sapling thence N. 56 3/4 degrees E. 26-9/10 perches to a stone pile, thence N. 18 1/2 degrees E. 16-4/10 perches to the place of beginning, containing 6 acres and twenty perches of land more or less in fee simple also being the same tract of land that was conveyed to the said William S. Guthrie as President of the Union Building Association of Emmitsburg, Frederick County, Maryland, by James O. Peddicord and Mary E., his wife, by deed bearing date of the Sixth day of November in the year 1866.

PARCEL II: Part of a tract of Mountain Land situated in the South Mountain and commencing for the same at a stone pile in the Northwest corner of a lot of John Septer and running thence North 49 degrees W 78 perches to a stone pile, thence South 35 degrees W 48-8/10 perches to a stone pile, thence South 65 degrees East 66-6/10 perches to a stone pile, thence N. 50 3/4 degrees E. 41 perches to the place of beginning, containing twenty acres and two perches of land more or less in fee simple, reserving the right of way to Dr. Andrew Annan to pass through said lot in hauling to and from his mountain land lying back of or above this lot.

PARCEL III: All that tract of Mountain land or part of a tract situate in the South Mountain, Frederick County, in the State of Maryland called Caroline and beginning for the same at a stone planted at the West end of a stone fence, it being a corner of the lands of Joseph Tressler and the said John M. Stouter running thence N. 84 1/2 degrees W. 86 perches thence S. 4 1/2 degrees E. 87 perches thence S. 86 degrees E. 21-5/10 perches thence S. 4 1/2 degrees E. 10 perches thence S. 73 degrees E. 25-8/10 perches thence S. 79 degrees E. 77 perches thence N. 23 3/4 degrees E. 38 perches thence N. 55 degrees W. 66-6/10 perches to the place of beginning containing 68 acres and 7 perches of land more or less in fee simple.

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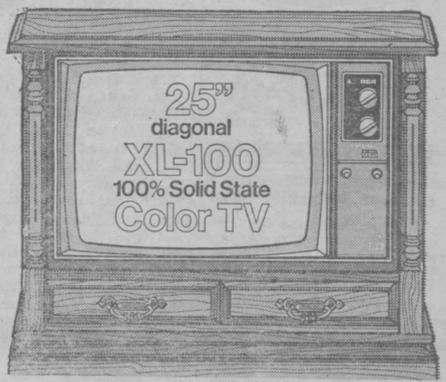
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The data pertaining to the Sheets family, of Pennsylvania and Maryland, is continued at this time.

Last week notes regarding the clan as taken from the records of the Taneytown Lutheran church, of which Elias congregation was a part until 1851.

8. Baptized - Lydia Ann Sheets—daughter to Daniel and Barbara Ann Sheets—born February 4, 1848 - baptized May 29, 1848.

Note: This daughter of Daniel and Barbara Ann Sheets married John T. Hospelhorn, a soldier in the American Civil War. Both are interred in Elias Lutheran and Reformed churchyard. The inscriptions follow:

4. In memory of John T. Hospelhorn, born October 10, 1841, died October 5, 1922.

- Lydia A. Hospelhorn, wife of John T. Hospelhorn, born February 4, 1847, died January 3, 1933.

9. Baptized—David Sentman Sheets—son of David and Mar-

garet Sheets—born July 20, 1848—baptized September 20, 1848.

Note: A brother of Ruly, Mary Jane, Mitilda Ann, and Alfred Sheets—all of whom were baptized by the Lutheran pastor at Taneytown.

10. Baptized—Florence Virginia Sheets—daughter to Daniel and Barbara Ann Sheets—born June 12, 1851—baptized September 13, 1851.

11. Baptized—Harriet Ida Isadora Sheets—daughter of Frances Sheets—born July 1, 1861—baptized September 10, 1861.

Marriages—
12. Married—November 26, 1861—George G. Maring to Miss Sarah C. Sheets—both of Adams County, Pennsylvania.

Deaths—
13. Buried—Miranda Sheets—March 26, 1846—aged 7 years, 7 months, and 8 days.

Note: This child is interred in Emmitsburg's Mountain View Cemetery—and—since she died before that burial ground was opened—her body was moved there from another graveyard. The church record does not list the place of burial—therefore the question of the original grave site cannot be answered at this time. The inscription from the small marker at Miranda Sheets' grave is as follows:

5. Sacred to the memory of Miranda Sheets, died March 25, 1846, aged 7 years, 7 months, and 8 days.

14. Buried—Alfred Sheets son of David and Margaret Sheets—September 20, 1847—aged 11 months and 16 days.

Note: The baptism of this little boy was listed in the Taneytown Lutheran records. However, no trace of a grave marker for him can be found. It could be that his grave was never marked or the stone has long since disappeared.

15. Buried—George Sheets—June 8, 1842—aged 82 years, 5 months, and 8 days.

Note: George Sheets and his wife, the parents of Daniel Sheets, are buried in the Elias Lutheran and Reformed churchyard. The inscriptions follow:

6. In memory of George Sheets, died June 7, 1852, aged 82 years, 5 months, and 8 days.

Ann Elizabeth Sheets, wife of George Sheets, died October 5, 1853, aged 80 years, 5 months, and 22 days.

Note: It will be noticed that a difference of one day exists in the date of George Sheets' death—the church record states that he died June 8th—whereas—the inscription

interred with other members of her family in Elias Lutheran and Reformed churchyard.

7. Sacred to the memory of Isadore Margaret Sheets—daughter of Daniel and Barbara A. Sheets, died April 15, 1855, aged 1 year, 7 months, and 11 days.

The records of Elias Lutheran congregation—
Baptisms—
16. Baptized—Henry Daniel Reiley Sheets—son of Daniel

and Barbara Ann Sheets—born February 4, 1857 - baptized September 23, 1857.

17. Baptized—Harry Pitzer Sheets—son to David M. and Mattie R. Sheets—born July 20, 1870 - baptized January

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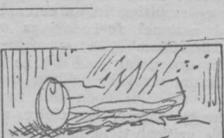
The AAA—Automobile Club of Maryland this week warned motorists against storing an extra can of gasoline in their car trunks as an unsafe practice that is "like carrying a bomb ready to be touched off by an unexpected rear-end collision."

This anti - hoarding notice was issued by Richard A. Hartman, president of the 118,000-member organization following numerous reports that drivers were trying to beat the sales ban of gas on Saturday nights and Sundays.

Mr. Hartman said one five-gallon can of gasoline has the explosive power of 14 pounds of dynamite. Fire officials already have issued warnings about similar dangers in storing the product in homes and garages, he added.

In case of an accident, what might ordinarily be a minor mishap could become disastrous under these conditions, Mr. Hartman explained, and if a chain reaction highway accident occurred, the result could be a holocaust.

Also, he said gasoline stored in cans inside a hot car trunk can expand and overflow, increasing the risk of ignition by sparks from a crash or from a lighted cigarette.



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Fire Safety Tips

(By the Frederick County Fire Prevention Committee) Handle The Aerosol Dispenser With Care

The increasing use of flammable gases as propellants warrants a review of pressure propelled spray dispensers commonly referred to as aerosol dispensers.

Fire authorities are concerned with the potential hazards associated with their use, storage and disposal. Many of these products are composed of combustible formulation, some contain flammable solvents as their principle ingredient. An analysis of several fires indicates that aerosols contributed to the fires spread and added difficulty in fighting it.

A spectacular fire a while back at a West German department store heightened interest in this problem. Reports indicate that this fire produced frightening pyrotechnic effects and panic took 22 lives. It was stated that the fire spread rapidly after some 1,000 pressure packaged containers with flammable contents, exploded and were "jet-propelled" as flaming torches.

Liquefied compressed gases are most widely used as propellants for aerosol products. The most widely used non-flammable propellants are low boiling fluorinated and/or chlorinated solvents. These materials can break down to form toxic and corrosive gases when exposed to an open flame or when in contact with extremely hot surfaces.

Recently, certain highly flammable propellants, such as propane and isobutane, have come into use. To obtain proper pressure properties and reduce flash fire hazards, blends of various flammable and non-flammable propellants are also used. Other gases used as propellants are nitrous oxide, carbon dioxide, nitrogen, and argon.

Use, store or dispose any aerosol dispenser with caution. Be especially aware of the following practices:

- 1. Do not spray toward ignition sources such as open flames, hot surfaces, or electrical sparks.
2. Never heat to increase flow. A recent accident reports placing a container of Christmas Snow Spray in a pan of hot water with disastrous results. As the individual reached for the container after a few minutes heating, it ruptured from over pressure and was propelled against his leg breaking the knee cap and then going through the ceiling of the room.

Special devices to puncture aerosol dispensers should only be used by knowledgeable persons and then only if a ventilation system is present for evacuating the flammable gases in a harmless manner. Otherwise, release of gas into work area could reach a source of ignition and cause a serious fire.

Store in cool place—never near hot pipes, hot water, closets, back of stoves, etc.

BUSINESS AND THE STOCK MARKET

Retirement A Decade Away? Start Planning Now By Babson's Reports Inc., Wellesley Hills, Mass., December 6, 1973 — Although you may not be planning to retire for another ten years, it is not too early from an investment standpoint to start preparing for it now. Most investors tend to postpone making such plans until it is too late to do an efficient and effective job. One who waits until the last moment is usually under the pressure of time, and consequently more apt to take imprudent risks in seeking to build up investment capital. This can lead to the loss of hard-earned

Perspectives In Learning

By Hazel Brown, President Harry Lundberg School A Vote For The College-Level Examination Program A program founded in 1965 by the College Entrance Examination Board known as the College - Level Examination Program (CLEP) is proving very successful in giving adults educational advantages.

The CLEP philosophy is that people should be given recognition for what they know, regardless of how or where they learned it. Through this testing program, many school dropouts, housewives and professional, technical, and career-minded adults are helped to receive college credits for acceptable CLEP scores.

Educators have indicated their concern about the College-Level Examination Program because they fear that "giving away credits" might result in the students' failure when confronted with advanced college courses and the lowering of college admission standards.

Comparative studies done by Stetson, Fagin, and Losak and Tien-Tek Lin have given support to CLEP by indicating that the students who earned their basic course credits by the College-Level Examination Program, did as well as students who followed the traditional programs and attended the required basic courses.

The implications of CLEP and the supportive studies suggest that many high-achieving students already possess the basic skills and knowledge taught in the basic college courses. If this is true, then the students are wasting money on many of the traditional four-year college programs. Alternatives should be made available for those students who have the skills and knowledge so that they might benefit from their educational experiences.

There are about 1,000 institutions of higher education which accept CLEP scores and grant academic credit in lieu of the satisfactory scores. This is a promising support for such a justifiable program. Hopefully, the program will receive further support & will become available to all students who can qualify.

money and defeat the investor's objective precisely when he can least afford it. Estimate Expenses

When planning a future retirement program, several basic income sources may or may not be included, depending on individual circumstances. These are such factors as social security, company pensions, annuities, retirement insurance, etc. This portion of the program probably began with initial employment and has been adjusted upward occasionally as earning power increased.

The quicker one can honestly and fairly appraise anticipated living costs following retirement the sooner he can determine the amount of invested capital that will be necessary to fill the gap between the aforementioned assured income and income from investments. Then it will be possible to consider whether the retirement goal is attainable without major adjustments.

Naturally, the challenge facing the decade-away retiree is the building up of sufficient capital of ten years hence. To needs o ten years hence. To accomplish this, the investor should have capital gains as his primary aim with a long-term goal of increased income. Thus, the advantageous placing of funds during the various market phases over the next ten years will be extremely important.

Exploiting Market Cycles In years past when high-grade common stocks yielded 6% or more, an excellent investment account could usually be built up through the plow-back of dividends each year. Today, in view of low common stock yields and current high personal-income tax rates, it is difficult to secure much growth via interest or dividend accumulation.

Consequently, capital gains are especially necessary for the investor who is already in a high tax bracket and who finds that it is almost impossible to increase his estate substantially by saving or investing current income. Building up a fund for retirement, therefore, requires considerable dependence on growth in the market value of the common stocks (or convertible issues) held. This means careful timing of sales and purchases at different stages of the total market cycle as well as the individual-stock cycles.

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Homemakers Hear Chafing Dish Uses

The regular monthly meeting of the Emmitsburg Homemakers Club was held November 15 at the Senior Citizens Center, with 12 members present. The meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. James Harris.

After the reading of the minutes and the treasurer's report, Mrs. Charles Grimes gave a very interesting report on the Treasure Trails Tour, which was held in October. Mrs. Fuss told of several trips members might be interested in taking in coming months and asked for any suggestions anyone might have on interesting places to go.

Members were asked to bring handmade Christmas decorations to the Bavarian Pretzel Shop at Fredericktown Square Mall, to be used in decorating the Extension Christmas Capers Tree. President Harris also read a list of suggestions for demonstrations to be held at the Christmas Capers by members who wish to participate.

The Emmitsburg Club's annual Christmas Party will be held on Dec. 13, at 12:30 p.m., at the Emmitt House. Mrs. Luther Cregger and Mrs. Arvin Jones will contact members with details and to accept reservations. There will be a \$1.50 gift exchange.

Mrs. Wilson Franklin gave a demonstration of chafing dish cookery, explaining what a chafing dish is and how it works. She also gave several sample menus along with recipes and suggestions for preparing a chafing dish meal. The members sampled a Welsh Rabbit prepared by Mrs. Franklin, and served with a variety of foods to use as dips. Refreshments were served at the start of the meeting by Mrs. James Nester and Miss Vera Dorn.

WEATHER REPORT

Temperatures and precipitation for the Emmitsburg District for the week ending Friday, Nov. 30, as reported by the U. S. Weather Service, Mrs. Lucille K. Beale, local observer, were as follows:

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Sat., Nov. 24	58	43	.06
Sun., Nov. 25	72	46	...
Mon., Nov. 26	68	49	.10
Tues., Nov. 27	65	47	.06
Wed., Nov. 28	66	53	.38
Thurs., Nov. 29	59	38	...
Fri., Nov. 30	61	31	...

Someone should invent a dry-cleaning process for some jokes and some joke-tellers.

County Library Board Meets Here

The Board of Trustees of the Emmitsburg Public Library held its regular meeting on November 27, in the library. Those present were: Mr. Holmes, Mr. Kaliss, Mr. White, Mrs. Carr and Mrs. Warthen, the Librarian.

The Librarian gave her report: Circulation for September totaled 900, including records and films. For October, the total circulation was 1064, including films and records. The projector was borrowed three times. The Story Hour was given by Mrs. Mary Seess each Thursday morning and 85 children attended during the two month period.

Mr. Holmes reported that the County Board meeting had been held in the Emmitsburg Library. He reported that the board members were favorably impressed with the library. The board voiced approval of the new drapes recently installed in the library.

The Penny Theater will visit Emmitsburg on December 13. The theater will be using Petunias Christmas as a base for their presentation. Day Care children will be present and other children are welcome to visit also.

The library would like to make known to the general public and to any shut-ins, the availability of a Talking Book Service. It is provided for individuals who cannot read or use ordinary printed books and magazines because of physical limitations. Examples of such limitations are impaired eyesight or other malfunction of the eyes, the inability to hold a book or to turn the pages, the inability to hold printed material steadily enough to read it, etc. Any of the above conditions must be certified by the librarian or someone close to the individual. An application is available at your local library and a listing of books available. If you know a shut-in that would appreciate this service, please call your local library to apply and receive these materials absolutely free. Book titles are loaned for a four week period and are returned postage prepaid to the Library of Congress.

Catoctin Furnace Group Meets

The Catoctin Furnace Historical Society met at Harriet Chapel in Catoctin Furnace, Friday evening, November 30. George B. Gernand, Chairman of Tourism Committee, Frederick County Chamber of Commerce, spoke on tourism development in Frederick County, and suggested that the historical societies of the county should work together and establish a program for the county.

Mrs. Mary Rae Cantwell, member of the Society, showed slides of iron furnaces and saw mills that have been restored in England, Scotland, and Sweden, that she had learned of on her recent trip to Europe. She attended the 1st International Congress on the Preservation of Industrial Monuments in Iron Bridge, Shropshire, England, where they are restoring an early industrial park.

Anyone interested in joining the Society, please drop a card to the Catoctin Furnace Historical Society, Thurmont, Md. 21788. Dues are \$3 single, \$5 family per year and \$100 life membership.

4-H Club Sponsors Disney Movie

The 4-H Club of Emmitsburg is having a movie and bake sale, December 15, in the Seton Center auditorium from 3 to 4:30 p.m. This Walt Disney Movie is titled, "The Absent-Minded Professor." The admission is free and all are welcome.

There will be a variety of baked goods sold during the movie. The 4-H members would appreciate and welcome your patronage.



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Col. Manning New Ft. Ritchie CO

Col. James A. Manning assumed command of Ft. Ritchie in formal change of command ceremonies held at the Post Theater November 29.

Col. Herman Ertlschweiger, post commander for the past 16 months, has been reassigned to a key position on the headquarters staff of Brig. Gen. Albert Redman, Jr., commander of the U. S. Army Communications Command - Continental United States (USACC-CONUS), headquartered at Ft. Ritchie.

Col. Ertlschweiger will serve as the deputy chief of staff, Forces Development, a position recently expanded in importance due to the assignment of greatly increased responsibilities to USACC-CONUS last July.

Forces Development is the office responsible for determining the numbers and distribution of personnel and equipment required to accomplish the command's nation-wide mission.

Having served previously as the director of Telecommunications, Col. Ertlschweiger and his wife, Jeanette, have been assigned to Ft. Ritchie for three and a half years. Earlier assignments took the colonel to Europe, Korea, and Japan, in addition to numerous locations in the United States.

Col. Manning has served as deputy post commander for the past two months, following his return to the states from a two-year tour with 8th Army headquarters in Korea. A veteran of 25 years commissioned Regular Army service, Col. Manning holds a masters degree from George Washington University, in addition to extensive military education.

The colonel and his wife, Marguerite, live in Blue Ridge Summit with their four sons—James, 25, John 22, Joseph and Larry, 16. The Mannings also have three daughters—Catherine, 21, Margaret, 20, and Martha, 18, all currently attending the University of Massachusetts.

One of the pleasant episodes of life is making plans to spend money that you never get.



OPEN LINE

By Congressman Goodloe Byron Maryland—Sixth District

The following questions were typical of the kind asked of me in recent weeks. Letters should be sent to me c/o U. S. House of Representatives, Washington, D.C. 20515.

What is Congress doing about finding new sources of energy?

Legislation has been introduced in the House that would establish a federally-sponsored demonstration project to test the feasibility of utilizing solar energy to heat and cool homes and businesses. I have co-sponsored the bill because I feel that with an adequate demonstration program and carefully designed economic incentives, the market for solar heating and cooling will prove popular with the American homeowner and become a viable private enterprise. Estimates from the Federal Council for Science & Technology indicate that ten per cent of all new buildings constructed in 1985 could utilize solar energy resulting in an estimated national fuel savings of \$3.5 billion. The opportunities are great, and we as a Nation must be willing and able to seize upon this new energy source, especially at this critical time in history.

Can you suggest any guidelines to conserve heating fuel and home energy in general?

During the last several weeks, many of you have asked me for a list of home energy conservation tips and also comprehensive published material on the subject. The Citizens' Advisory Committee on Environmental Quality has just sent me an informative booklet—Citizen Action Guide To Energy Conservation—which you may want to order through the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. Among other things, the Advisory Committee recommends you lower the thermostat a few degrees and wear heavier clothing, close the draperies at night, keep the fireplace damper closed when not in use, close doors and

don't heat empty rooms, keep your furnace in good condition, fix leaky faucets, and prevent drafts from open windows and attic doors. The Advisory Committee notes that lowering the thermostat at night from 75° to 67°, and during the day from 75° to 70°, will mean a winter fuel savings of approximately \$38 in gas, \$55 in oil or \$110 in electric costs. Next to heating and all appliances combined, lighting consumes the

largest portion of the average family's electrical bill. The Committee suggests turning off lights in unused rooms and the use of lower watt bulbs and the more efficient fluorescent lights. Finally, the Committee recommends using the dishwasher and clothes dryer only when filled to capacity. They list the annual cost of energy consumed by all home appliances as a guidelines for use. For instance, a range costs approximately \$37 a year in fuel, a clothes dryer—\$29, a 16 cubic foot freer—\$29, a 12 cubic foot refrigerator—\$18 and a color TV—\$13. More detailed information on conserving home energy, as well as transportation and industrial energy, is available from the Citizen Action Guide and other pamphlets published by the U. S. Government Printing Office.

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