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## COMMUNITY LOCALS

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This column is not for use in advertising any money-making program, fair, swap party, or sale. It is intended for news, personals, and such matters as may be of community interest.

Mrs. Walter Hape, Berwyn, Md., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Roy Garner and family.

James C. Elliot, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Elliot.

Mrs. Emma Rodgers is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Milton Baum and Mr. Baum, at Baltimore.

Mrs. John C. Elliot, and son, Jackie, of Baltimore, are spending a few days with Dr. and Mrs. F. T. Elliot.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth B. Koutz, spent several days last week in Mansfield, Pa. as the guests of Rev. and Mrs. John R. Hays.

George Baker, of Fostoria, Ohio, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Murray Fuss and other relatives in the Harney community.

G. Wilbur Naylor, Sr., W. Baltimore St., was admitted to the Frederick Memorial Hospital, Tuesday morning for observation and treatment.

Dr. and Mrs. T. F. Vestal returned to the home in Winston-Salem, N. C., on Tuesday, after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Chenoweth and family.

L. H. Elliot II, of Syracuse, N. Y., enroute to Wheeling, W. Va., and Pittsburgh, Pa., on a business trip, visited his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Francis T. Elliot, over the past week end.

Little Jimmie, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hemler, of Frederick St., had his tonsils removed on Saturday at the Annie Warner Hospital. He returned home Sunday and is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman K. Diller, of Portland, Maine, are spending a ten-day vacation at the home of Mrs. Diller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Vaughn. They are also visiting with their other relatives and friends around town.

The annual picnic for the Primary children of the Grace Reformed Church will be held at Big Pipe Creek Park, on Monday, July 11. Meet at the church at 1 P. M. Each person is asked to contribute 25c.

Mrs. Walter Weybright, Newville, Pa., spent the week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hockensmith. Her husband the Rev. Mr. Weybright spent this week as an instructor at Camp Nawakwa, the Lutheran Leadership Training Camp.

The Keysville Lutheran Missionary Society will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening in the church, at 8:00 o'clock. The topic, Lutheran Women Around the World, will be discussed by the leaders Mrs. Robert Stone and Mrs. Charles Trout.

Among the one thousand guests at Tuesday Boys' State on Visitors' Day, July 4, at Bainbridge were: Mrs. A. D. Alexander, Mrs. Evelyn Peterson, Mrs. Miller and Elton and Stewart Peterson, relatives of the two boys representing Taneytown at Boys' State.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers, daughter, Oneida, spent from Saturday until Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harmon and children, of Spray, N. C., and also motored over the Skyline Drive from Floyd, Va. to Front Royal, Va., and attended the Harmon reunion at the Skyline Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Merwyn C. Fuss, daughter Miss Alice Fuss entertained at their home last Sunday: Mrs. Angoldia Wetzel, Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Legore, son Conrad and Thomas, of Union Mills; David Martin, of Harrisburg, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Skiles and children, John Merwyn, Diana Fuss and Karen Viola Skiles.

A miscellaneous bridal shower was accorded Miss Alice Crapner by the ladies of the Taneytown Presbyterian Church, on Friday night, July 1st, at the residence of Mrs. Thos. Tracey. There were 21 present with abundant and useful gifts. Those who were unable to attend also remembered Alice with something very nice and useful for her home.

Mrs. Paul S. Griffith and children, Mary Jean and James Gregory, of Hagerstown, are visiting Mrs. Griffith's parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. T. Elliot. Peggy is one of the junior campers from St. Paul's Methodist Church, of Hagerstown, who will spend the week at Western Maryland College. The young people will occupy the dormitories on the campus.

Miss Carolyn Vaughn, accompanied by Miss Patricia Zentz, both of town, spent July 4, at Santa Catalina Island. They took the "Avalon" boat over on Friday and returned via "Santa Catalina" boat Monday evening. Catalina Island is located just 20 miles south of the Los Angeles Coast. Miss Vaughn left town on Feb. 18 and arrived in Hollywood, Feb. 22, where she and Miss Zentz are now living. Miss Zentz has been in California since 1947. Both girls are graduates of Taneytown High School—Class of 44.

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## KIWANIS MEET

### Delegates of Boys' State were Guests of Club

The Taneytown Kiwanis Club met at Toney Inn, Wednesday evening with President John Skiles, presiding. The singing was led by Kiwanian Raymond Wright with Mrs. Wallace Yingling at the piano. Mr. Carl White, of Washington, D. C., was the guest of M. Edward Reid.

A report of the convention of Kiwanis International held at Atlantic City, N. J., last month was given by President Skiles and Kiwanian Wallace Reindollar.

Francis Lookingbill of Hesson-Snyder Post No. 120, American Legion presented Andrew Alexander and Robert Peterson who had just returned from the meeting of Boys' State that was held at Bainbridge, Md. These young men gave a very interesting report of their activities in governmental studies. The trip was sponsored by the Taneytown Post No. 120, American Legion.

The meeting next week will be a Ladies Night and the Club with its guests will meet at Trevanion at the home of Kiwanian T. H. Legg, on Wednesday evening.

## THE AUXILIARY MEETS

The regular monthly meeting of The Auxiliary of The Legion Post (Hesson-Snyder) No. 120 was held on Tuesday evening at the Legion Home with Mrs. Katherine Shank presiding. Election of officers took place and installation will be at the next meeting.

Plans are being completed to have the drawing room of the Auxiliary open to the public on the day of July 17 when the Colors will be dedicated at 2:30 P. M. on Sunday. The public is cordially invited. After the old and new business was solved, the meeting adjourned.

The election was as follows: Anna Mae Otto, President; Catherine Shank, First Vice-President; Second Vice-President, Alice Hartsock; Secretary, Rhea Shepler; Treasurer, Dorothy Myerly; Chaplain, Ruth Fowler; Musician, Maye Baker; Sgt. of Arms, Mary Little; Color Bearers, Katherine Hull and Irene deLeon Love; Historian, Betty Morrison.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ENTERTAINED

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Luther Luckenbaugh entertained her Sunday School class and their mothers and friends to a lawn party at her home. After a social hour refreshments were served to all, which were very much enjoyed by everyone.

The following persons were present: Mrs. Wilson Riffe and children, Terry and Linda; Mrs. Benjamin Cut-sail, daughter, Vickie; Mrs. Roy Haifley son Wayne; Mrs. Delmar Baumgardner, son Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Jester, daughters, Anita and Jacquelyn; Mrs. John Skiles, daughters, Diana and Karen; Mrs. Thomas Mason, son Thomas; Mrs. James Fair and children, Diana and Dennis; Mrs. Lester Kidd, daughter, Leesa; Mrs. Glenn L. Stahl, daughter, Cheryl Lane; Mrs. Daniel Nail, son David; Mrs. Claude Nusbaum, daughter, Cynthia; Barry Dayhoff, Mrs. Harry Dougherty, Miss Clara Devill-biss, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Fair, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Luckenbaugh and daughter, Jean.

## BROTHERHOOD TO MEET

The Brotherhood of Trinity Lutheran Church will hold its regular meeting in the form of an outing at Big Pipe Creek Park, July 14th. A well rounded program including refreshments is in progress. The Brotherhood of St. John's Church, Littlestown, will be present to compete in a softball game.

Installation of the newly elected officers will be conducted by the past President of Trinity Brotherhood, Mr. Merle Ohler. The newly elected officers are: President, Franklin Fair; Vice-President, Robert Thomas; Recording Secretary, Kenneth Shorb; Financial Secretary, Kenneth Smith; Treasurer, Herbert Bowers.

Committee on games are: John Garner, George Naylor, Elwood Stonesifer, James Fair, Fred Garner, David Wilhide, Lester Kidd and Carroll Hann.

Committee on refreshments are: Marcus Baker, John Skiles, George Kiser, Kenneth Gilds and Edward Morelock.

## TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS

Neal P. Musmann, McKees Rocks, Pa., exceeding 30 miles per hour, \$6.45.

Andrew R. Brown, Gettysburg, Pa., sounding a horn when not necessary. Fined \$6.45.

H. Alfred Shull, Steelton, Pa., exceeding 30 miles per hour. Fined \$6.45.

Herbert A. Grant, Maplewood, N. J., failing to drive right side of road. (Result of accident). Fined \$11.45.

William C. Nevins, R. D. 1, Westminster, Md., operating motor bike on expired instruction license. Fined \$5.75.

William C. Nevins, R. D. 1, Westminster, Md., willful violation of written promise to appear in court. Fined \$11.45.

Robert D. Kagle, Reisterstown, Md., exceeding 30 miles per hour. Fined \$6.45.

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## ATTENDED 4-H CLUB MEETING

### Plans were Made for a Fair on July 27th

Eleven local leaders of the Girls 4-H Clubs throughout Carroll County attended a meeting in the Home Demonstration Office on June 28. The Assistant Home Agent, Miss Dorothy E. Haines, reviewed the 1949 4-H Fair exhibit list with the leaders for their comments, criticism, and recommendations.

Miss Haines explained to the leaders the need for a 4-H fair book which the County 4-H Senior Council is sponsoring and plans were discussed for the distribution of the fair book to individual club members as soon as it comes from the printers. Each local leader agreed to be responsible for seeing that each girl in her respective club received a catalogue. The leaders very willingly responded to a request for assistance in registering and setting up exhibits for the fair on July 26th.

The following assignments were made: Registration of exhibits, Mrs. Francis E. Byers, office secretary, chairman; Mrs. Leonard Smith, Snydersburg Club; Mrs. Milton Lloyd, Snydersburg Club; and Miss Betty Jean Smith, Freedom Club. Arrangement of clothing exhibits, Miss Caroline Shriner, Taneytown Club, chairman; Mrs. Lester Wimert, Meadow Branch Club; Mrs. Danton Ensor, Sams Creek Club, and Miss Margaret Rodkey, Baust Club.

Arrangement of food exhibits, Mrs. Joseph Horn, Smallwood Club, chairman; Miss Ruby Young, New Windsor Club, and Mrs. George Leister, Jr., Hillsdale Club.

Arrangement of home furnishing exhibits, Mrs. Roy Graham, Warfieldburg Club. Arrangement of home management and handicraft exhibits, Mrs. Ernest Fleming, Woodbine Club. Arrangement of garden exhibits, Mrs. Lyle C. Stoddard, Meadow Branch Club. Recorders of placings, Miss Ruthanna Hoff, Sams Creek Club; Mrs. Lester Wimert, Meadow Branch Club, and Mrs. Francis E. Byers.

All girls exhibits must be entered by noon on July 26, and will be judged the same afternoon. A full program of activities, beginning at 9 A. M., including a judging contest, demonstrations, and a style show will be open to the public on July 27th.

The local leaders were reminded of the scheduled days for demonstration helps which are July 11 and 12, and the judging practice day July 14th. These days have been set aside to assist girls with demonstrations and judging practices preparatory to contest to be held at the fair. The leaders enjoyed lemonade and cookies, prepared and served by the office secretary, Mrs. Francis E. Byers.

## SEEING THE WORLD

When Marco Polo was Patricia Ann's age he couldn't match her record for extensive travels. This young daughter of Captain and Mrs. Horace D. Worley will have traveled 3500 miles by the time she is four months old.

At the age of six weeks Patricia Ann took an airplane trip to Taney-



town, Md., to visit her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. John H. Harner, and in a few weeks she will be in a stateroom on a boat enroute to Germany.

Army life agrees with this young miss who, according to her parents, loves to travel. For the past three years Captain Worley, a Medical Service Corps officer, has been adjunct at the Station Hospital. He left recently for an overseas assignment in the ETO. It will be his second tour of overseas duty as he saw 27 months of combat in the Pacific during World War II.

—Copied from The Texarkana News.

## YOUNG MAN DROWNED

George LeRoy Welk, aged 34, Westminster, drowned in the Potomac River, near Aqueduct, last Sunday. Mr. Welk, who was fishing with John H. Werner, also of Westminster, drowned while trying to swim to shore from their sinking boat. Rescuers found his body Tuesday morning.

Mr. Welk was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Welk, of Mayberry and is also survived by his widow Madeline Little Welk; a daughter by a previous marriage, Sylvia G. Welk, three step-sons, William, Leonard and Carl Little; a sister, Mrs. George Sanner, of Mayberry; three brothers, David, Hanover; Edward, Finksburg, and Norman, Westminster.

Private funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon in charge of Rev. Andrew Theisz, pastor of Uniontown Lutheran Church. Interment was in the Westminster cemetery.

## AUTO THRILL SHOW

### To be Held on Fair Ground Saturday Evening, July 9

Headed by three-time AAA auto racing champion Joe Chitwood, in person, a coterie of lead-footed speed way and dirt tracks pilots, augmented by a congress of Hollywood motion picture stuntmen, will strike up a flirtation with the grim reaper over the fast half mile speedway at the Carroll County Fair Grounds in Taneytown this Saturday night.

The first of 27 smashing speed and thrill events will get the starting bomb at 8:30 P. M. The Chitwood speed and thrill spectacle, which rated a three-page spread in Life Magazine recently, and is currently featured in a Paramount Pictures film release has a running time of two full hours of thrill-packed entertainment hardly designed for spectators with weak hearts.

Carrying and using an entire fleet of 1949 Ford automobiles in the presentation of Roman racing and hell-driving events, slide for life features, deliberate crash snap rolls with racing automobiles, aerial cross features in which a new car is hurled through space in a ramp-to-ramp leap while a second new car, racing at its side, is broadsided between the ramps and immediately underneath; blazing barrier crashes and other equally hazardous feats round out the speed and thrill spectacle.

A repertoire of stunts astride roaring motorcycles combined with the auto stunts offers a variety of action for the devotees to the two-wheeler as well as to the average auto stunt racing fan. Heading the list of motorcycle daredevils is none other than Ellis "Buttercup" Pierce, Jacksonville, Fla., stuntster who has held numerous national motorcycle racing championships and rates on the same high plane in the motorcycle speed (Continued on fourth page)

## NATIONAL FEDERATION OF SMALL BUSINESS, INC.

Mr. Clyde L. Hesson, Cashier, First National Bank, has accepted for a two year period the position of local District Chairman for a group of Taneytown's independent businessmen who are members of the National Federation of Independent Business, Inc., a non-profit organization, which, during the past six years, has built the largest individual membership of any business organization in the Nation.

Mr. Hesson's interest in independent business in his community and in the Nation prompts his service as District Chairman without remuneration in the tabulating of the ballots of the Federation Members in the Taneytown area, and forwarding them each month to Congressman William P. Bolton, Second District, in order that the latter may be comprised of the opinions of the members on national bills and issues pending in the committees of the Congress before Bolton casts his vote.

The Taneytown group of members is similar to other groups formed in the principal towns and cities in Representative Bolton's District which are, likewise, forwarding their opinions to him monthly. Such procedure is nationwide in its presentation of the beliefs of independent business and professional people to their respective Congressmen; and forms a necessary and valuable working counsel for our lawmakers in every congressional district in the United States.

## KEYSVILLE-DETOUR HOMEMAKERS MEET

The Keysville-DeTour Homemakers held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Miss Mae Clabaugh. Our President, Mrs. Miles Neidig called the meeting to order. We had a most enjoyable time singing several very well known songs including rounds and two-part songs. Because so many of our members are farm women whose husbands and hands are making hay, we had an unusually small attendance there being only 8 members and one visitor present. However we received our recipe booklets telling us how to prepare jams, jellies, etc. and discussed them.

We then continued our discussion for a fall entertainment project. Mrs. Gilbert Stine is in charge of gathering material to be submitted to a vote at a later meeting.

The meeting adjourned to meet at the home of Mrs. Ralph Dinterman, near Westminster in September. Miss Clabaugh served delightful refreshments.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Walter Earl Hill to Mary Lucille Barnes, Westminster, Md.

Charles E. Gladfelter to Grace A. Trich, Hanover, Pa.

William A. Crawford to Frances Arlene Brown, Hanover, Pa.

Robert G. O'Neil to Janet Marie Sturn, Harrisburg, Pa.

Edward Grant Sell to Betty Jean Stambaugh, Taneytown, Md.

George C. Bender to Martha Suresch, Baltimore, Md.

Jacob Richard Adams to Nadine Elizabeth Kine, Littlestown, Pa.

Calvin Corneilus Roy to Arlene Elizabeth Grider, Union Bridge, Md.

William Spencer King to Nannette Helen Vernon, Washington, D. C.

Paul H. Brillhart to Gladys M. Stover, Hanover, Pa.

Roy Robert Reedy, Jr. to Betty Jane Witmer, Gettysburg, Pa.

Ellsworth W. Klank to Marjorie C. Hart, Westminster, Md.

## BOY SENATORS RETURN FROM BOYS' STATE

### Local Boys Instructed in Art of Civil Government

Andy Alexander and Bob Peterson, recently chosen to represent Taneytown at Boys' State held at Bainbridge, have returned from their 10 days stay as citizens of the project sponsored by the Md. Department of the American Legion. Boys' State is a program instituted to instruct junior and senior boys in high school the important principles of city and state government. Actual setting up of model city and state governments was a feature of the sessions. Leaders to fill the positions of mayor, city councilmen, governor, and state senators were chosen from the 222 boys who attended from all over the state of Maryland.

Boys' State originated under the auspices of the American Legion in 1935. Since that time 45 Boys' States have been held over the country. This program has been broad enough to reach 175,000 boys over that period of time. The first Boys' State in Md. was held in 1947 at Fort Meade under the direction of Earl R. Poorbaugh with 35 boys in attendance. Last year 105 boy citizens were sent to Boys' State by various organizations from the state of Maryland.

Upon their arrival, the boys were divided into mythical cities and political parties. Legion City and Key City then set up their own governments electing their mayors and city councilmen in regular manner. The mayors, after election, then appointed heads for the various commissions that are essential to city government. The two political parties, the Federalists and the Constitutionalists, held their own closed meetings for the coming state election. After each party had nominated their candidates and vigorous campaigning had been completed, a general election was held when a governor, attorney general, comptroller, and an 11 man state legislature were put into office by popular vote. The Taneytown delegation did itself proud by garnering two important seats in the state legislature. Alexander and Peterson, as boy senators took office immediately and proceeded with their legislative duties. Alexander received 185 votes out of the 222 cast to be elected by the greatest majority of votes of any candidate running for office. He was then elected president of the Senate by that governing body. Senator Peterson was appointed Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, a very important fact finding board of the legislative body.

The boys followed a strict Navy schedule during their stay at Bainbridge. Lectures by outstanding public officials concerning the relation between citizenship and their various fields were highlights of the daily assemblies. Excellent facilities in the way of basketball courts, tennis courts and swimming pools plus other planned recreation were enjoyed by the boys. Graduation exercises held during the program on Visitors' Day and the election of two U. S. Senators officially closed the program of the 1949 Boys State.

Alexander and Peterson, sponsored by the American Legion Post and the Kiwanis Club, respectively, learned the principles of good citizenship and government through their participating in actual lawmaking situations. They both have appreciated very much the great opportunity of attending this worthwhile and enjoyable camp made possible by the two local organizations. Feeling that the direct results of attending Boys' State are educational as well as helpful in building character, the boys are very enthusiastic in the furthering of this program in this section of the state.

## GUILD CONFERENCE AT HOOD COLLEGE

The Women's Guild of the Evangelical and Reformed Church will hold a summer conference at Hood College, July 12-15.

The following classes will be held: My Christian Belief, Dr. Chas. D. Spotts; The Christian Home, Mrs. Guy A. Benchoff; The Bible and Human Rights, Mrs. Ruth A. Steva; Christian Leadership, Mrs. Fred F. Berry; Japan Begins Again, Mrs. Carl Nugent; Cooperation for a Christian Nation, Mrs. F. R. Casselman.

There will also be workshops for the various departments. On Thursday evening, at 8:00 P. M. Miss Pattie Lee Coghill, Missionary Education Sec. of the Congregational Christian Churches will be the speaker.

The Guild is assembling layettes for relief. Anyone wishing to contribute any of the following articles: Diapers, flannel sacque, binder bands, long sleeved undershirts, warm boots, woolen caps, jacket or sweater, receiving blanket, crib blanket, night gown, or rubberized crib sheet, please give them to Miss Margaret Shreeve before July 11, or take them with you when you attend the conference.

## FIREMEN AND DRUM CORPS WIN \$100 PRIZE

The Firemen and the Drum and Bugle Corps of Taneytown participated in the Gettysburg parade July 4 and won a prize of \$100.00 for most men in line. The men deserve much credit in taking part due to the high temperature.

Several weeks ago, I spent the week-end in the mountains. First driving to Cumberland driving over the following mountains the elevation at the highest peak was 1695. First was the highest Fairview then Polish Mountain and then Martins Mountain (small ones in between) At the highest peak which is Martins Mountain, cars are parked from all states gazing upon the full beauty at this point which is indeed a wonderful sight to behold. I arrived at my destination where I have visited about a half dozen times or more in the little home right in between the mountains. Living right in between the mountains would never appeal to me as it always causes me to have the sensation of being "Hemmed in" The street of which I am writing and the home in which I remained is called, "Foundry Row" which is named after the Foundry, that was previously operated for many years at the foot of this little hill. The street is about twelve feet wide and the houses are the same distance apart. The houses are small some larger than others and although many are old, they are modernized to every detail. One house is a duplicate of the William Penn Period of 1682. Evening came on as we sat on the front porch of the home of "Alice" my hostess. The mountains in the rear and front of us. I sat there in silence being thankful for the wide open spaces that surrounds "Loves' Retreat". One night is about all that I desire to remain up in those mountains.

Many called upon us and after the visitors left, I was wishing that my hostess would suggest a walk and no sooner had the thought came to me it that quickly was transferred to Alice who suggested a walk and immediately and gladly I accepted it.

We walked up the hill first to the very top, my hostess who had resided in the same little house for thirty years knew all the neighbors as though they were relations and all very kind to one another.

Alice told me the story of each little house just as though it was part of her life. Other troubles were her troubles and the entire community holds my hostess in the greatest of esteem.

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"Now, this house is unoccupied at the present time and has been for the past six weeks as the lady who lives there alone is in the hospital. There is her dog lying there waiting on the low porch and he never moves away from that place unless the neighbors throw food to him. He guards the house night and day and no one would attempt to go near that wall surrounding as Spot is most vicious!"

I moved away from Alice and walked toward Spot and talked to him as I stood beside the low stone wall on the outside. Presently, he ran toward me and jumping the wall stood there wagging his feather like tail and talking "Dog Talk" to me telling me of his lonely hours. He knew that I understood and my love for dogs and as I continued to tell him that I understood, I glanced over my shoulder and there was Alice standing like a statue with her hands pressed to her cheeks muttering, "Oh! I gave Spot another pat 'Goodbye' and offered a little prayer that his mistress would soon return again in health to this faithful animal and then walked toward Alice. "You are the only one who has ever attempted to touch that dog! I'll never forget it as my heart actually stood still!" I am confident that Alice is telling all the neighbors about my secret visit with Spot!

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## AROUND THE TOWN

With all my heart, I wish you every morning  
A smile that shall last until the next day's dawning.  
I wish you health—life's greatest wealth!

I wish you always near so that I may help to cheer  
Each future day and in some way—help to bring you happiness!

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