

Contentment is something that depends a little on position but a lot on disposition.

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COMMUNITY LOCALS

Mrs. Cora Riffle of town, entered the Annie M. Warner Hospital at Gettysburg, on Friday for observation.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Ross Fair, Keysville Road, Taneytown, quietly celebrated their 64th Wedding Anniversary on Friday, February 21. Both are enjoying fairly good health.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Musser of Northumberland, Penna., spent the week-end with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ned C. Musser and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Speak, Jay, Mark and Kathy, near Walkersville, and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Stottelmyer, near Rocky Ridge, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Speak and family.

The Daughters of America will hold their George Washington Social and Party this Friday evening at 7:30 P. M. Mrs. Ernest Simms will be visitor along with Deputy Margie Crouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Baker of Annapolis spent last week-end with the Rev. and Mrs. Wm. F. Wiley and Deborah. They also attended the service at Grace United Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stonesifer, Keymar Road, attended the wedding Friday of Mrs. Stonesifer's nephew, Benjamin Ogle, to Miss Jennie Late, in St. John's Lutheran Church, Thurmont.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Miller, Cadet Leonard Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Little attended the annual Military Ball at Massanutten Military Academy, Woodstock, Va., on Saturday, Feb. 22, 1964.

The regular meeting of the Federation of Republican Women of Taneytown will be held in Taney Inn, Tuesday evening, March 3, at 7:30 P. M. Mr. Homer Myers, member of Capital Improvement Commission of Carroll County will speak.

"The Gift," a unique, beautiful and imaginative film on, "Christian Stewardship," will be shown on Sunday, March 1st at 9:15 in the Parish House of Grace United Church of Christ. All members of the congregation are cordially invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Stonesifer, Keymar Road, and Miss Marian Dunham of town, attended the Band Concerts and the Military Ball Saturday at Massanutten Military Academy, Woodstock, Va., where the Stonesifer's son, James, is a sophomore.

Dotty Lea Bailey has been named 1964 Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow for Taneytown High School, Taneytown, Md. She achieved the highest score here in a written home-making examination taken by senior girls throughout the country on Dec. 3, and now becomes eligible for one of 102 scholarships totaling \$110,000.

Miss Cherie Lee Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Phillips of Taneytown, a sophomore majoring in history at Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio, was among the students named to the Dean's List for the first semester, 1963-64. She was recently chosen Social Chairman of Alpha Gamma Delta Fraternity.

Mr. Walter Hiltner, who has been ill for the past four weeks, is improving. Callers the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Weishaar, New Windsor; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Weishaar, Tyrone; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Claiborn, Taneytown; Mr. and Mrs. David Miller, Union Bridge; Mrs. Maye Koons and Junior, Mr. Carroll Hahn, Mr. Ralph Hess, Rev. Howard Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughn, Freda Lambert, Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baker, Carrie Weishaar, Guss Shank, John Dupie, Wilbert Hess and Oliver Miller.

Lt. and Mrs. George F. Monahan, Suitland, announce the birth of a son, Christopher Joseph, on Feb. 19, 1964, at Andrews AFB, Md. Mrs. Monahan is the former Patricia Smith, daughter of Walter Scott and Katie Belle Smith of Harney Road. Lt. Monahan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Monahan of Long Island City, N. Y. Young Christopher will have a growing quickly. He, his sister, Stephanie Ann, and his parents will shortly be going to Hawaii where his father, an Air Force Communications Officer, has been reassigned.

CARROLL GOP PICKS BUSHEY FOR CARR JOB

In a surprise move yesterday, the Carroll County Republican State Central Committee recommended James L. Bushey, a dairy farmer, to fill a vacancy on the Board of County Commissioners.

Leading candidate for the post until he removed himself from consideration was Charles E. Saylor, a former Commissioner who missed a seat on the board in the 1962 election by only 30 votes.

Saylor said he would accept the post only in the event of a deadlock, leaving Taneytown Mayor Raymond J. Perry as the front-runner. Perry also ran in the 1962 election, missing a seat on the board by less than 300 votes.

The Central Committee met Monday in an attempt to choose a successor for Mr. Carr, but after a three and one-half hour session failed to name a man.

The recommendation must be approved by Gov. Tawes.

HIGH SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

Juniors and Seniors Attend Career Day Assembly

The Junior and Senior classes of Taneytown Jr.-Sr. High School attended a two-hour session of lectures and discussions concerning their military obligations and college prospects on Thursday morning, Feb. 13.

Representing four of the five armed services, Donald O'Hara of the Army, Leo C. Mitchell of the Air Force, Harry W. Schuble of the Navy, and Kenneth Day of the Marine Corps spoke to a majority of the students in the school auditorium.

Speaking to the rest of the students in the school cafeteria, the representatives of the two colleges present, Mr. Stewart of Strayer and Mr. Waltermire of Thompson, addressed those students interested in commercial activities.

The program began with an introduction by Mr. Bernard Thrush, the school's guidance counselor. The business minded students then met with the college representatives in the cafeteria. After a brief presentation by Air Force Sergeant Mitchell, the remaining students divided themselves into groups to listen to the advantages of each branch of the armed services. Given the chance to change servicemen during the program, many students listened to more than one aspect of their military opportunities.

When the program ended in time for the two classes to make their third period, several students expressed their appreciation of the program and a desire for more assemblies along this same line.

The Taneytown chapter of the Future Business Leaders of America is busily preparing for the production of a play, "Calling All Girls," a farce in three acts by Vivian Mayo, has been selected as the play to be presented by the FBLA on March 6 and 7th at 8 P. M. in the high school auditorium.

The cast for the play is: David Richer, Eddie Koons; George Richer, Robert Miller; Starr Mayfield, Tina Fleagle; Dolly Richer, Janet Kint; Molly Richer, Frances Flohr; Polly Richer, Becky Gartrell; Norma, Genevieve Kiss; Rita, Diana Smith; Bethie, Carole Koons; Maisier, Linda Hahn; Lawyer John Hilton, John Dickinson; Julius, Richard Glass.

Members of the Fine Arts Club met on Feb. 17. They talked about fresco or painting in plaster and saw some of these paintings. In addition to this they listened to the "Lure of the Grand Canyon," by Andre Kostelanetz. This recording featured actual sounds recorded in the Grand Canyon.

Honor Roll — End of 3rd 6 Weeks

7th grade — Gary Etzler, Kevin Speak, Robert Eyer, Teresa Zent, Barbara Stambaugh, Lois Smith, Barbara Morrison, Sharon Kelly, Barbara Hitchcock, Linda Glacken.
8th grade — Joyce Zent, Linda Weant, Margaret Laird, Anne King, Shirley Keilholtz, Sharon Feeser, John Lawrence, Arthur Ridinger.
9th grade — Trudy Barnes, Susan Laird, Janet Montgomery, Diana Wandisch, Donald Bollinger, Robert Reindollar, Gardette Holder, Bonnie Harmon, Beverly Hahn, Becky Hahn, Barbara Neiderer.

10th grade — Patricia Feeser, Eleanor Haines, Miriam Reindollar, Richard Logue, Gary Neiderer, Karen Skiles, Susan Jennings, Beverly Hawk, Carolyn Formwalt.

11th grade — James Montgomery, Margaret Knouse, Oscar Fogle, Alan Laird, Daniel Minor, Linda Ohler, Nancy Myers, Donna Hively, Ellen Ridinger, Irene Hayeraft.

12th grade — Bonnie Wood, Rosa Liller, Frances Flohr, Nancy Baumgardner, Travis Duerer, Nancy Wargny, John Shorb, Carol Piezonki, Genevieve Kiss, Mariam Dunham, Keith McCurley.

FBLA to Present Annual Play

"Calling All Girls," a farce in three acts by Vivian Mayo, has been selected as the play to be presented by the FBLA on March 6 and 7 in the high school auditorium. The cast for the play is as follows: Molly Ricker, Frances Flohr; Dolly Ricker, Janet Kint; Polly Ricker, Becky Gartrell; Jim Hilton, John Dickinson; Julius, Richard Glass; Starr Mayfield, Tina Fleagle; David Ricker, Edward Koons; George Ricker, Robert Miller; Norma, Genevieve Kiss; Rita, Diana Smith; Bethie, Carole Koons; Maisie, Linda Hahn.

The action of the play centers around Molly, Polly, and Dolly, three maiden aunts, who have devoted their entire lives to pampering their nephew, David. David is young and handsome, but is more interested in the stars of the heavens than in young women of marriageable age. His wealthy uncle, George Ricker, decides that the only way to save David from himself is to get him married. Furthermore, if David does not marry, he must forfeit a sizeable inheritance.

The three aunts are not in full agreement with George's plans for David, and they conspire to get David married in their own peculiar way. After much confusion and seven girls later, it seems that David has married three girls. How could he make such a blunder? Everything ends on a happy chord, and Uncle George sees the error of his ways.

P.T.A. NEWS

The regular monthly meeting of the Taneytown Jr.-Sr. High School P.T.A. will be held Monday, March 9, in the school auditorium. An exchange student from Germany will be the guest speaker.

PROPOSED TAX BILL REDUCES COUNTY INCOME

A spokesman for the petroleum industry said that passage by the General Assembly of legislation increasing the State gasoline tax from 6¢ to 7¢ per gallon would actually reduce funds available to counties and municipalities for local roads and streets.

S. H. Tevis, Jr., Chairman of the Carroll County Petroleum Committee predicted "an annual loss to Carroll County of \$48,500, beginning in the fiscal year 1965." He added:

"Municipalities within the county would stand to lose a total of \$3,300 annually, about a third of which, approximately \$1,100, would be lost to the City of Westminster."

Despite the fact that the county and city treasurers would be penalized the new legislation would cost Carroll County an additional \$220,000 annually in gasoline taxes.

Mr. Tevis said a "joker" in the legislation (Senate Bill 39) reserves all of the revenue raised by the proposed one-cent tax increase to the State Roads Commission. Heretofore gasoline tax revenues have been shared on a 50-50 basis with political subdivisions for local road needs. He explained:

"My predictions are based on the sales loss experienced in other States which have increased their tax rates from 6 to 7 cents per gallon.

"For every gallon of sales lost, Maryland loses not only the additional penny, but the full six cents of the original tax as well.

"It is this six cents which is shared by the local governments, and they will bear the brunt of the loss."

"LET THERE BE LIGHT"

All morning the sky has looked gray and threatening on this late February day. Now, as I gaze from my kitchen window, the heavy clouds let down their white burden. The world looks raw and cold, as the snow piles up deeper and deeper. At the moment, spring seems quite far away.

However, despite the frigid weather, nature has already sounded her alarm clock. A magic touch is summoning the plants from the earth, the birds from the south, and the animals from their snug beds of hibernation. What is this magic touch? For years, people believed that it was heat, or the return of warm weather, which awakened the earth from its long, mysterious slumber. Scientists and biologists have since proven that the main timing device is light.

Temperature is fickle. It varies sharply from day to day and from year to year. Light, on the other hand, is completely reliable; every year on a given day, the duration of light is the same and has been for millions of years.

When I checked my calendar, I found that the first day of February was 10 hours and 8 minutes long. Today—the 25th—the hours of daylight have increased to 11 hours and 5 minutes. These additional hours of light are slowly, but surely, breaking winter's grip. Already, deep under the snow, the blood-root and skunk cabbage plants are pushing upwards. Before long, the roots of all growing things will feel a swift surge of power, and the sap will rise in the trees. The familiar robin will soon be with us, and from creeks and swamps, the peepers will once again sound their elfin horns.

Only when God commanded, "Let there be light," did the universe come into being. In Genesis 1:4, we read, "And God saw the light, that it was good; and God divided the light from the darkness." Without the magic touch of light, we would never know the joy of spring after the long, cold winter. Indeed, without it, we would know nothing of life at all, for there would be none.

—Zola Cantwell.

KI-WIVES MEETING

The Ki-Wives of Taneytown met Monday evening at Taney Inn at 6:30. President Kitty Royer opened the meeting by asking everyone to join in giving one verse of "America" and give the Pledge to our Flag. The invocation was given by Kaye Mohney.

After the dinner, group singing was led by Daisy Pearl Reifsnider with Esther Harner as pianist.

Jerre Musser introduced the program which included monologues by three students from Western Maryland College and several piano selections by Mrs. Robert Flickinger of Taneytown.

There were reports from several committee chairmen. The clubs "official auctioneer," Kaye Mohney, was called to conduct an auction sponsored by the Ways and Means Committee. There were fourteen members and eight guests present to enjoy the evening.

On March 30 at 6:30, the next meeting, the member's husbands will be guests of Ki-Wives.

WITH THE ARMED FORCES

USS ENTERPRISE (FHTNC) — Mitchel B. Livesay, fireman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Livesay of Taneytown, Md., is serving aboard the nuclear powered attack aircraft carrier USS Enterprise, operating out of Norfolk, Va.

Enterprise departed February 8th for her third tour of duty with the Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean area. Since her commissioning in November 1961, Enterprise has logged more than 140,000 miles in Atlantic, Caribbean and Mediterranean waters. During this period she has not been refueled.

The ship will visit several ports on the shores of the Mediterranean during her tour of duty with the Sixth Fleet.

TAX CUT BILL BECOMES A LAW

20% Reduction Becomes Effective March 5th

President Johnson Wednesday evening signed into law the 1½ billion dollars tax reduction bill which all Americans have been awaiting for more than a year.

The action at 6:30 P. M. came only six hours after the Senate, by a vote of 74 to 19, approved the compromise measure and sped it to the White House for Presidential approval.

The President's quick action will make possible substantial increases in take-home pay for millions of taxpayers, beginning Thursday, March 5, 1964. The new act will cut personal income taxes by nearly 20 per cent.

Local Salesmen Receive Award

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Over 300 Ford dealership car and truck salesmen in the Washington Ford district will be honored at a banquet at the Sheraton-Park Hotel in Washington, D. C., Saturday, February 29, for outstanding retail sales performance during 1963.

C. W. Ramsay, Washington district sales manager, said 300-500 Club membership awards are presented for excellent retail sales performance. The Sales Award is a special recognition within the Ford 300-500 Club which was founded in 1950 to recognize the performance of outstanding Ford salesmen throughout the country.

Mr. Ramsay added that the average 300-500 Club member sold nearly \$400,000 worth of automotive merchandise in qualifying for the national honors.

Local Ford retail salesmen qualifying for awards include: SALES AWARD — Kenneth N usbaum, Crouse Motor Sales, Taneytown. 300-500 CLUB — Kenneth Crouse, Crouse Motor Sales, Taneytown.

BALTIMORE ORIOLES TO WEAR STAR-SPANGLED BANNER SLEEVE EMBLEM IN 1964

President Lee MacPhail of the Baltimore Orioles announced that the Baltimore representatives in the American Baseball League would be wearing a Star-Spangled Banner emblem throughout the 1964 season in commemoration of the 150th Anniversary of the writing of our National Anthem by Francis Scott Key. It was also announced at the same time that the Orioles will offer a special attraction on Saturday night, Sept. 12, in celebration of the Sesquicentennial of the bombardment of Fort M'Henry. The plans for the celebration will be coordinated through the Star-Spangled Banner Festival Headquarters in conjunction with summer long festivities planned by that committee.

Warning to Dog Owners

The County Commissioners of Carroll County in meeting with Game and Inland Fish Commission personnel of the State of Maryland have been informed of the following State-wide game laws in effect in Carroll County between March 1 and September 9th as follows:

"Any person allowing any dog or dogs belonging to him to run at large on any property other than that owned or tenanted by him, between March 1 and September 9 and pursue game or destroy the eggs or nest thereof shall pay a penalty of Five Dollars (\$5.00) and costs for each and every offense. Any person harboring a dog or dogs shall be termed the lawful owner of same. Any salaried game warden may kill any dog, which does not bear a license, found destroying game, the nest, or eggs thereof" from Section 132, Chapter 120, Acts of 1957 of the State Wide Laws of Maryland.

Plans are now being made with State Game Warden Guy R. Garheart, Charles E. Eyer and William C. Staley to rigidly enforce all provisions of the above section of the Dog Law.

Youths Are Arrested and Sentenced for Damaging Mail Boxes

Two young men, age 17 and 18 years, from the Taneytown community were arrested for damaging U. S. Mail boxes and newspaper boxes on the night of January 27, from 10:30 to 11:00 P. M. The arresting officer was Trooper Charles Fowler, of the Maryland State Police.

Trooper Fowler reported that the youths reported their willful conduct as "they accidentally broke down a mail box, resulting in a scratched car — the car belonging to one of their fathers, making the youth mad and proceeded on several of the roads surrounding Taneytown, backing up and contacted boxes and deliberately pushed down and damaging the boxes."

At a hearing before Magistrate Norman Hunter the youths were sentenced to 18 days in the County Jail, Westminster.

The Judge ruled that the youths could continue their studies in school providing some responsible person would convey them to and from the jail to the school—the youths spending the nights in jail.

Senator Weant's Report

Withholding State Funds — A bill to authorize the State Comptroller to withhold all payment of monies to any political sub-division which does not comply with the terms of any order issued by the State Board of Health and Mental Hygiene has been introduced into the House of Delegates. The funds would be withheld until the political sub-division complies with the order issued. Although there is a constitutional question raised by this bill, it would give a large club to the State Board of Health and Mental Hygiene if passed.

Joint Legislative Budget Committee

— This bill would provide for the appointment of a Joint Legislative Budget Committee consisting of 12 members. It would be the duty of this Committee to carry on a continuous review of the State Budget in order to keep the members of the General Assembly informed of the budget operation for better understanding. The bill contains an appropriation of \$75,000 for the year 1964 for the use of the Committee. This piece of legislation was apparently prompted by the voluminous matter of the budget and the difficulty that many have in understanding its provisions.

Motor Vehicle Inspection

— Another motor vehicle inspection bill was introduced in the House of Delegates. This would provide for an annual inspection program of all motor vehicles registered in the State of Maryland. It would be administered by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles and would be carried on in buildings which are to be leased by the Commissioner. The Commissioner would be authorized to establish rules and regulations to implement the inspection procedure. An annual inspection fee of \$2 is established and a penalty not to exceed \$50 is provided for failure to abide by inspection procedures.

Unemployment Insurance

— A hearing was had this past week on a bill that would increase unemployment insurance benefits and at the same time reduce the insurance rate paid by the employer. This unique situation apparently occurred through an increase in the insurance fund by the passage several years ago of Senate Bill 10 which was designed to cut out some of the "chiseling" that had been going on against the fund.

Uninsured Motorists Fee

— This bill would be effective when an insurance policy is cancelled subsequent to the issuance of motor vehicle license. It would provide that the amount of the uninsured motorists fee levied under the Unsatisfied Claim and Judgment Fund for that year shall automatically become a lien against the automobile. This lien would be superior to any other lien placed against the vehicle.

Congressional Restricting

— Because of a recent decision of the Supreme Court of the United States it is felt that it is imperative to re-align the Congressional Districts in the State of Maryland prior to the coming election. For this purpose a Special Committee of 16 members of the Legislature has been appointed to work out a suitable plan. It is believed that this Committee will suggest legislation to postpone the May Primary. This would provide time to formulate and pass a Redistricting Bill prior to the next election so that the members of the House of Representatives in the State of Maryland would not be forced to run "at large."

Work Release for Prisoners

— Last year your correspondent introduced and supported a Bill which was passed by the Legislature to provide a program under which prisoners sentenced to terms of not more than 5 years could be granted the privilege of leaving actual confinement during necessary and reasonable hours for the purpose of gainful and private employment. This program has been such a success that we have now introduced a bill to remove the 5 year sentence limitation. It is felt that there are many long-term prisoners who would be suitable for this program. Since those inmates participating in this plan are required to pay for their keep at the institution and also to provide for support for their dependents out of the money they make, it is financially beneficial to the State and to the prisoners as well as being a good morale factor.

Excusing Pupils for Religious Instruction

— This bill would permit the local Boards of Education to excuse pupils from school with written consent from parents or guardian for religious exercises or instruction away from school property. Pupils so excused would not be deemed absent in computing daily attendance, except that no pupil could be excused for more than 4 days per month.

E. O. Weant, Jr., State Senator for Carroll County.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Amos, Columbus, Ohio, announce the engagement of their daughter, Catherine Lind, to Mr. Ernest A. Rubadue III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Rubadue Jr., 159 De Santis Drive, Miss Amos is a senior in the School of Dental Hygiene at Ohio State University. She is a member of Alpha Xi Delta Sorority and Alpha Kappa Gamma professional sorority. Mr. Rubadue is a graduate of the Ohio State University College of Commerce and Administration. He is presently employed as a personnel representative for the Corrugated Container Company.

If you want to alienate your friends, try telling the truth a while.

"SPICE 'N' EVERYTHING NICE"

(Your Chatty Column)

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!

Thought I missed something or other as to those awful "BEATLES" Sunday a week ago, so tuned in again this past Sunday and my impression has not changed in the least as to any talent which they surely lack! I think Mr. Sullivan realized they had made a hit in London and desired to be the first to have them here in these United States. They do not even have the personalities nor the voice; so what about them anyway!

Now Coca-Cola has come out with a drink with one calorie, too. It is called, "Tab" and very much like "Diet-rite."

Round-the-world robin from "The Office of The Temple of Understanding" which is making much headway! All countries are donating and private individuals as well!

"Now, ladies at last there is a real "Conditioner" for "DRY" hair by "CLAIROL." It tones down the stiffness and dryness of your permanent and there is a softness to your hair after one application after you shampoo your hair. And thinking about hair—did you notice the hair-do of Dennis James? His wife must have given him that permanent but most men on TV are having it done—not Charles Daly though, on "What's My Line!" It is most becoming to Dennis James.

There is a new wonderful Massager out now which you place in your bath, called "WHIRLPOOL." It is supposed to be good "for what ails you" and I understand making quite a hit. If you and you are interested the phone number is 5219-B, York Road, Baltimore, Md., or the phone 435-5733.

Such a cute card arrived from Johnny Carson of "The Late Show!"

A salesman for many years at the Leon-Levi store is going to open his own business and that of a "DELLI-CATESSEN" at 6400 Eastern Ave. He has an excellent personality and am confident he will be most successful. They will serve sandwiches, salads, subs, coffee, sodas and pizzas and yet they will specialize in catering affairs for 10 or a 1,000! The hours are from 7:30 A. M. to 9:00 P. M. The name is "Kellum's."

The Sunday papers stated the sales for George Washington's birthday will begin on Monday and the only store that lived up to that for the entire week was Brager-Gutman on Lexington St., and that store was the originator for that big treat. Be'd spreads were selling for just \$1.00! There was a mob in that store!

Now, here's a real cute one but I did not know the answer to it! I was having another key made which is a large brass Yale key and I awaited my turn. The price for keys was 35c, so when the man looked at the key in my hand, he said that it would be 50c (due to the size of it). I told him that was O. K. and as he finished, I was handing him the two quarters and he took one from my hand and brought back 15 CENTS to me. I then said, "I thought you said it would be 50c!" He quickly said in a most pleasant voice, "For you it is ten cents!" and then smiled!

How about that?

Now, right from Frederick in the Lexington Market is sold the most wonderful "Cottage Cheese" I have ever tasted. They make it in four different ways, "Plain, Course, Fine, and Medium." No other can compare! Ummmmmmmmmm good! It is called, "CASTLE FARMS!"

How nice it is that our President of these United States loves to dance! Each President if you recall had talent of something or other. Eh? As for "Lady Bird" she will be great as the Lady behind the President for all great men have much success just that way and I think you know just what I mean.

That nice lady, Victor Smith would make a grand Vice-President and I wrote just that to her, instead of running for President!

Have a grand week-end, Folks. Will be seeing you next week. Until then, D. V.

I Am, Faithfully, YOUR OBSERVER.

WITH THE ARMED FORCES

U. S. FORCES, GERMANY (AHTNC) — Army Specialist Four (RALPH E. Parrish, 24, son of Mrs. Norma E. Parrish, 613 Baltimore Blvd., Westminster, Md., qualified as expert in firing the M-14 rifle in Germany late in January.

Specialist Parrish, an automotive mechanic in the 903d Ordnance Co. near Nellingen, Germany, entered the Army in November 1961 and arrived overseas in April 1962.

Parrish attended Mount Airy H. S. and was employed by Westminster Shoe Company before entering the Army.

USS EVERGLADES (FHTNC) — Gerald R. Tracey, fireman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Myron R. Tracey of 140 E. Baltimore Street, Taneytown, Md., is serving aboard the destroyer tender USS Everglades, operating out of Charleston, S. C.

Everglades departed February 8th for a tour of duty with the Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean area. The Sixth Fleet is a versatile, well-balanced force consisting of an attack carrier striking force, an amphibious task group and a variety of auxiliary ships which enable the fleet to operate for extended periods of time without the support of land basis.