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## Most Anything At A Glance

BY ABIGAIL

Eulogy to Our Beloved "Tommy"

Somehow, I can't convince myself that I shan't be seeing dear old "Tommy" around town any more. And yet, I know it's true. Last week God saw fit to call "Tommy" to be with him. All of us serve a term here on earth and "Tommy's" was up, I guess. My heart felt sympathy to his widow and his children. They'll miss him dreadfully for a while but I hope that as time goes by they'll realize that "Tommy" is happy where he is now. No problems, no worries, no illnesses. He was very ill, you know, for months before his death last Wednesday. But now his suffering is over and for "Tommy's" sake, I'm glad.

As I said before, I guess, we'll always remember "Tommy" in his dark blue Sheriff's uniform with the silver badge, and that well-known mustache, standing around the Square and seeing that the laws were enforced. "Tommy" wasn't a hard-boiled cop like some of them are. On the contrary, he was very human and kind hearted. Indeed, he possessed all the attributes of a popular town constable. He didn't shirk his duty or violate any of the rules and regulations of his office, but he was a firm believer in "tempering justice with mercy," which fact endeared him to everyone. He didn't LIKE to make arrests and have people prosecuted, but it was his job and he did his duty though often it hurt him to do so.

I guess everyone knew "Tommy" around here. Why I've known him since I was a kid and he used to threaten to put me in jail if I didn't stop roller skating after dark. I was really scared when I'd see him in his imposing uniform coming after me. 'Course, he never really would have put me in jail. I learned later that he was only bluffing me but it sure served the purpose and made me and all the other offenders behave ourselves.

Yes, "Tommy," left us—physically—but there isn't a man or woman, boy or girl, who ever knew him who'll forget him in a hurry. God rest his soul.

I Think That I Shall Never See

A poem lovely as a—Christmas tree (forgive me, Joyce Kilmer). I haven't heard a word about the community Christmas tree that the Lions have every year for the children. However, I'm not going to worry about it because I'm pretty certain they'll have one up on the Square like they always do. IT's been an annual custom for so long now that I think most everyone takes it for granted that there'll be one. Gosh, don't yuh just love Christmas? With its Christmas carols and snow (I hope) and mistletoe (Hm, now THAT I like) and the smell of pine and spruce, and bright vari-colored lights and most of all the good cheer that seems to embrace everyone?

Incidentally, while I'm on the subject, I'd like to ask "Bob" Wormley if they won't please be nice and broadcast Christmas music over his amplifying system like they have done at various times in the past. Or perhaps the Book Nook would be interested. Say, there's an idea. The Book Nook is right next door to Bob Wormley's electric shop. Right? The Book Nook sells records (including Christmas Carol records) and Wormley has the amplifying equipment, right? How about the two of them joining forces and treating Emmitsburg shoppers to Christmas music like they do in other towns? It's an excellent idea to fill people with the Christmas spirit. Makes their shopping much more enjoyable, don't you think? How about it Prof. Eckenrode and Bob? Let's do it—and right away. After all, Christmas is less than three weeks off you know.

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## SEWING CLUB MEETS

Over-the-Tea-Cups Sewing Club met recently at the home of Miss Ann Codori. The birthday anniversary of Mrs. J. W. Houser was celebrated.

## OBITUARIES

MRS. MYRTLE R. BRUNNER

Mrs. Myrtle Rebecca Brunner, widow of Charles E. Brunner, died last Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Swomley, near Walkersville.

She had been paralyzed 13 years ago and suffered additional strokes during the past month. She was 58 years old.

Mrs. Brunner was born in Frederick County, a daughter of the late Silas A. and Annie M. Wisner Kline, and had lived in this county all her life. She had been a member of the Monrovia Church of the Brethren and Sunday School many years and was a teacher in the primary department until illness forced her to retire.

Surviving are the following children: Paul F. Brunner, near Frederick; Mrs. Charles E. Swomley, near Walkersville; C. Herman and Harold D. Brunner, near Frederick; and Mrs. Charles Weddle, Frederick; a step-daughter, Mrs. Robert Dodson, Gaithersburg; a brother, Marvin H. Kline, Baltimore; the following half-sisters and half-brothers: Mrs. Melvin Beard, Woodboro; Roy D. Kline, Monkton; Mrs. Charles Menzies, Washington; Miss Flora Kline, Emmitsburg; Mrs. William Engle, Woodboro; Mrs. Russell Strevig, Baltimore; Mrs. George Caples, Westminster; Ray and Silas Kline, Mrs. John Biddinger, Ira and Richard Kline, all of Woodboro; Mrs. Nevin Staley, Walkersville; Mrs. Paul Baker and William Kline, of Ladiesburg. Nine grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews also survive.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon with a prayer at 1:30 following complete services at the Monrovia Church of the Brethren at 2:30. Interment was made in cemetery adjoining the church.

## ELMER P. WOLF

Elmer Pendleton Wolf, a retired gunsmith, died last Friday at 6:30 a. m. at his home in Eyer's Valley. He was aged 80 years, eight months, and two days. He was a son of the late Hiram A. and Mary Gordon Wolf and was a member of Bethel Church at Garfield.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Eliza Jane Stottmeyer Wolf, and the following children: Mrs. Alvey Smith, Mrs. Osha McAfee, Paul Wolf, Mrs. Clifton McGafee, Roger Wolf, Mrs. Helen Wagman, all of the Thurmont vicinity; Miss Maude Wolf, at home. A number of grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Bethel Church at 3:30. Rev. Ivan G. Naugle officiated. Interment in Bethel Cemetery. M. L. Creager and Son, funeral director.

## MRS. EFFIE M. TROXELL

The funeral of Mrs. Effie M. Troxell, of Arlington, Va., widow of Dr. H. L. Troxell, both formerly of Emmitsburg, who died Nov. 26 at the Staunton, Va., Hospital, was held the following Monday morning with requiem mass at St. Anthony's Church at nine o'clock, conducted by Rev. Stanley Scarff.

The deceased was 76 years of age. She is survived by a son and a daughter, John H. Troxell and Margaret M. Troxell, both of Arlington, Va.

Pallbearers were Roy, James, Carroll, John and Norbert Wivell and Roger Topper.

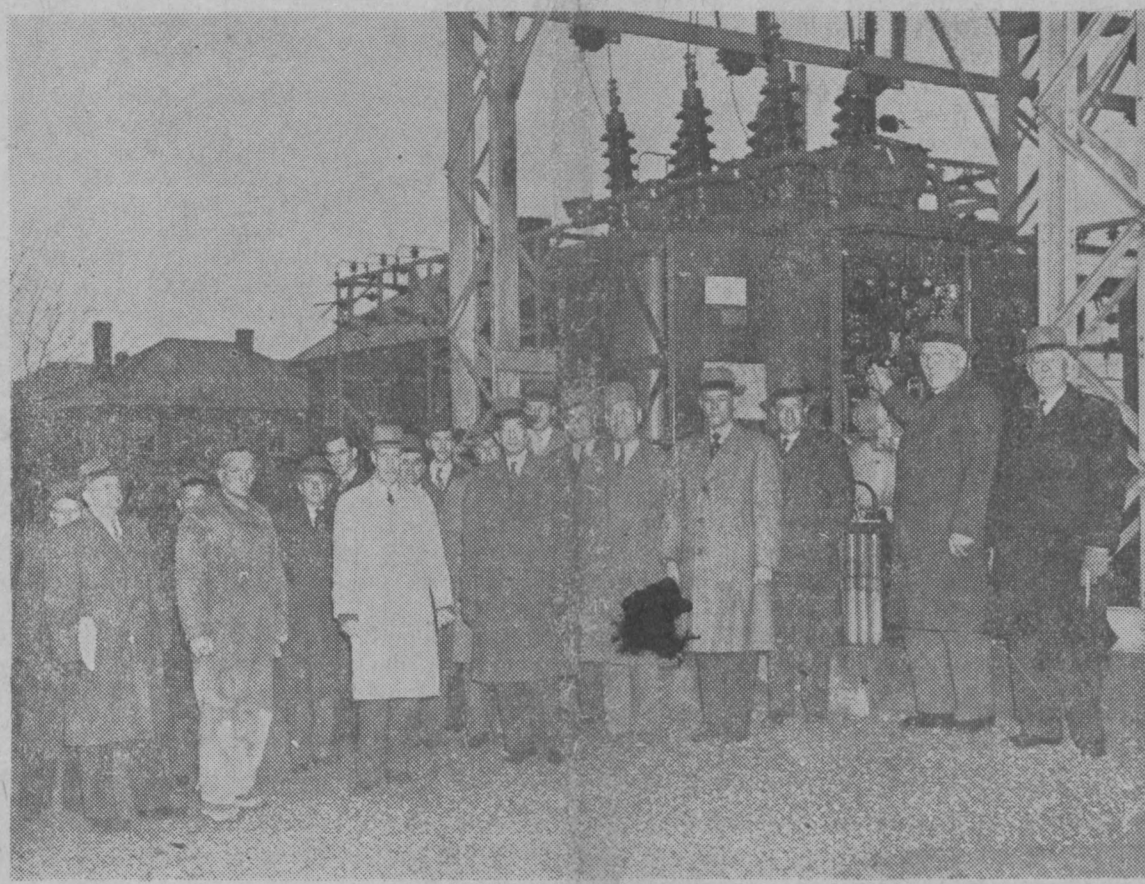
Interment was in St. Anthony's Cemetery. M. L. Creager & Son, funeral directors.

## MISS SWEARINGEN TO SING AT ANNAPOLIS

Miss Patricia Swearingen, daughter of Mrs. Frank V. Swearingen, Thurmont, and a member of the senior class at Hood College, is among the seventy members of the college who will join with the United States Naval Academy choir to sing the Christmas portions of "The Messiah" in the Naval Academy chapel at Annapolis this Saturday and Sunday.

## ELECTED PRESIDENT OF MEDICAL SOCIETY

Dr. M. Franklin Birely, Thurmont physician, was elected president of the Frederick County Medical Society at the recent meeting of the association held at the Hotel Frederick.



City officials and members of the Potomac Edison Co. as they gathered to watch R. Paul Smith, PE president, throw the switch energizing the new \$400,000 power line between Frederick and Williamsport.

From left to right: W. Richard Bowers, Potomac Edison; R. L. Smith, PE's Frederick District Manager; John Coblentz, PE Industrial Sales Department; William Seibert, Substation Maintenance Foreman; G. T. Swisher, PE Controller; James McSherry, City Engineer; Walters of Frederick; F. H. Robertson, Hagerstown PE District Manager; H. C. Robertson, Westinghouse Corporation; J. R. Shryock, Hagerstown Line Superintendent; W. Clifton McSherry, member of the Potomac Edison Board of Directors; Wilbur Feaster, PE Substation Engineer; S. H. Brown, General Line Superintendent; John Morgan, Frederick PE Operating Manager; G. S. Humphrey, PE Operating Vice President; PE President R. Paul Smith, and Frederick's Mayor, Lloyd C. Culler.

## POTOMAC EDISON OPENS SUBSTATION

New Plant Is Located At Frederick

As Potomac Edison's President R. Paul Smith threw the main switch at the new substation on East and Fifth Streets in Frederick last Friday, 66,000 volts hummed across 27.8 miles of recently constructed transmission lines from PE's largest generating plant in Williamsport to improve service to Frederick area electric customers.

PE's President and Operating Vice President G. S. Humphrey met with Frederick City officials at the brief ceremony marking the energizing of the Williamsport-Frederick line.

The new \$400,000 power line and substation installation will also provide for future growth of the Frederick-Mt. Airy-Brunswick-Taneytown districts, and was constructed to be readily changed to 132,000 volts—twice the present voltage—when the demand for electric power requires such a change.

Work on the new transmission line was started in September, 1947, but was delayed several times because of material shortages and floods in the far western areas where the huge cedar poles were obtained.

The \$100,000 substation will receive electricity at 66,000 volts directly from the R. Paul Smith plant in Williamsport and reduce the voltage to 33,000 for transmission and distribution throughout the Frederick area.

All engineering and construction work in connection with this project was done by PE construction crews from Frederick and Hagerstown.

The power line and substation installation is another step in Potomac Edison's program of continuous improvement of power supply, being carried out to insure adequate electric service for future years.



Mr. and Mrs. Francis Miller, of near town, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at Frederick Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin L. Joy, of Emmitsburg, announce the birth of a son at the Annie Warner Hospital on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Haskins, of Baltimore, announced the birth of a baby daughter Dec. 7 at Maryland General Hospital. Mrs. Haskins is the former Betty Baumgardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baumgardner, of near town.

## FREDERICK BASEBALL STILL IN RUNNING FOR MAJOR LINK

Connie Mack Still Supporting County Town For Berth

Frederick is not definitely out of prospect for 1949 organized baseball, an official of the Frederick Athletic Club stressed this week.

Connie Mack's Philadelphia Athletics have definitely transferred their Eastern Shore League support to Frederick, regardless of whether the loop directors vote not to franchise Western Shore clubs into the loop, the same authority stated on receipt of mailed information from Shibe Park.

McCurdy Field will be used for baseball and V.F.W., Mt. St. Mary's, Frederick High School football, next season under the option to the Philadelphia American baseball club, whether or not a baseball club from Frederick is backed in organized ball next year, the same source continued.

Information from qualified informers further stated that Chambersburg, along with Frederick in the disenfranchisement from E. S. L., when the Pennsylvanians could not come up with a major league backer by the deadline, Dec. 1, may crash the Eastern Shore League, by securing big-time support before the annual ESL meeting early in January.

The same Frederick sources, who requested they remain unidentified, said that in the event an Eastern Shore League franchise cannot be obtained for Frederick, the Athletics are willing to back them in a new league which would combine the Shenandoah Valley and former Blue Ridge Leagues' best teams.

In any event, the Frederick Hustlers will continue to play ball next season. Should organized diamond play come to Frederick, the semi-pro independents will arrange a schedule playing most of their contests away from home. If organized play does not jell for 1949, the Hustlers will continue as heretofore at McCurdy Field.

Football, for Frederick High School and the Veterans of Foreign Wars as well as Mt. St. Mary's for next season, is not affected by any arrangements for use of McCurdy Field by the Athletics or any one else, Austin F. Angelberger said this week.

## ATTEND EVENING OF GAMES

Twenty-six members and guests of the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin of St. Joseph's Catholic Church attended the evening of games held at the home of Miss Alice Kelly last Thursday evening. First prize in "500" was won by Mrs. Stella Topper.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Kreitz last Sunday. Mrs. Kreitz is the former Dolores Eyer, near St. Anthony's.

## COUNTY AUTHORITIES STILL HUNT THIEVES

Several Cases Of Theft Reported Near Here

State and County law enforcement officials said Monday night that no arrests have been made in two recent breaking and entering cases. Officers are still investigating the robbery at the F. Lorraine Simpson store in Libertytown early Thanksgiving morning. A similar investigation of recent thefts from the O'Toole Motor Sales, Thurmont, is being continued, they said.

Not satisfied with their haul on two previous occasions, thieves broke into O'Toole's last Wednesday night again, making the third time in one month. The first time they entered was on election night, Nov. 2. They repeated their raid the following week, Nov. 9, and then left a week elapse before breaking in on Nov. 24.

Goods taken previously was estimated to value around \$600. The items taken last week, chiefly anti-freeze and oil, were said to value around \$75. Entrance was gained again through a window in the back, and the door to the storage room was pried open with crowbars. The door had been barred and locked from the inside, and in order to get through, the thieves had to break the door, an official from the garage stated. A new door had to be put on the storage room.

A series of investigations have been conducted, but as yet no clues have been discovered.

## LOCAL GIRL TAKES SISTERHOOD VOWS

Miss Margaret Mary Saffer Now Sister

At a ceremony Saturday morning at 9 o'clock in the Chapel of the Monastery of the Visitation, Frederick, in the presence of a number of relatives and friends, Sister Mary Angela Saffer, formerly known as Margaret Mary Saffer, pronounced her perpetual vows which made her a permanent member of the Order of the Visitation, Sister Angela is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Saffer, of Emmitsburg.

Rev. James M. Hogan, pastor of St. John's Church, performed the ceremony as delegate for His Excellency, Most Rev. Lawrence J. Shehan D.D., Auxiliary Bishop of Baltimore. Present also for the occasion were Rev. Roger K. Wooden, of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, Thurmont, and Rev. Charles Stouter, C.M., Emmitsburg. Rev. Fr. Hogan preached the sermon preceding the ceremony.

The altar was beautifully adorned with calla lilies and white snapdragons. The students' choir rendered hymns for the ceremony and the Mass which followed. Sister Angela was formerly a pupil of the Visitation Academy and was graduated with the class of 1943.

## WEDDINGS

KENNEDY—FAIR

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Overholtzer, Harney, announced the marriage of their granddaughter, Maxine Patricia Fair, to Herbert Ray Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy, of Union Bridge. The ceremony was performed recently at four o'clock in Elias Lutheran Church, Emmitsburg. The double ring ceremony was performed by the bride's pastor, Rev. Philip Bower. Preceding the ceremony a recital was presented by Miss Ruth Shuff at which time she played "Lullaby" and later the traditional wedding march.

The bride was given in marriage by her grandfather, Melvin Overholtzer. She wore a white satin wedding gown with long train and veil, and a three-strand string of pearls, a gift of the groom, and carried a large bouquet of white carnations. The train bearer was Miss Wanda Lau Overholtzer, aunt of the bride. The maid of honor was Miss Francis Kennedy, sister of the groom, and the best man was Marvin Devilbiss, of Union Bridge, friend of the groom. The ushers were Robert Boone and George Gernant, of Union Bridge.

After the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Overholtzer, Harney. A three-tier wedding cake with a miniature bride and groom formed the table centerpiece. Fifty-four guests were present. The couple received many presents.

After the reception they left on a week's wedding trip and upon their return will reside in their apartment on Main St., Union Bridge.

## BROWN—HILBERT

Miss Irene E. Hilbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hilbert, Emmitsburg, became the bride of Harold Albert Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest M. Brown, Sr., Taneytown, Saturday afternoon at four o'clock in St. Mary's Reformed Church, Silver Run.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. John C. Brumbach, pastor of Christ Reformed Church, Littlestown, who is the pastor of the groom.

The bride was attired in a royal blue, street-length dress with black accessories and wore a corsage of red rosebuds. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strickhouser, Littlestown Rt. 1, a sister of the bride. Mrs. Strickhouser wore a grey suit with black accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

A reception for the bridal party was held at the home of the groom for the immediate families, relatives and friends. A buffet luncheon was served to approximately 75 guests.

The groom is engaged in farming with his father. The bride is employed by the Blue Ridge Rubber Co., Taneytown. For the present they will reside in Emmitsburg.

## SWEENEY—MARTIN

Miss Regina V. Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Martin, Thurmont, became the bride of Clifford F. Sweeney, son of Mr. and Mrs. William I. Sweeney, also of Thurmont recently at eight o'clock.

The ceremony was performed at the parsonage of the Ev. United Brethren Church by the pastor, Rev. Ivan G. Naugle. The single ring service was used.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney attended school in Thurmont, the bride graduating in the class of '48. The bridegroom served with the 84th Division during the war and is now employed by the Potomac Edison Co. in Frederick.



## RETURNING VETERAN

Word has been received that the body of Seaman James B. Bower, 2-c, who died in a jeep accident on Guam, July 21, 1946, will be returned soon.

## EMMITSBURG GETS SHARE OF MOTOR TAXES

Town Is Recipient Of Check For \$959.51 From Fund

Distribution of \$96,993.26 in motor vehicle tax money was received from the Department of Motor Vehicles in similar manner was begun this week by County Treasurer James H. Falk.

The money goes to the county and incorporated towns and is in lieu of the automobile taxes formerly imposed locally by the county and the towns.

Frederick county receives \$76,215.2 as its share of the allotment, while Frederick city gets a check in the amount of \$14,971.

The incorporated towns will receive checks in the following amounts:

Emmitsburg, \$759.51; Brunswick \$1,760.84; Thurmont, \$1,008; Walkersville, \$667.76; Middletown, \$629.36; Woodboro, \$336; Myersville, \$210.97; New Market, \$182.50; Mt. Airy, \$135.98 (also receives a sum from Carroll County); Burkittsville, \$116.06.

The total amount is larger by about \$13,000 than last year, when the distribution was \$83,700.75.

It is understood that the amount received by the county and also by at least most of the towns is considerably in excess of that collected under the old local system of automobile taxes during the war years immediately preceding the new state-wide tax system.

The county motor vehicle collection total amounted to around \$35,000 to \$40,000 annually in the years 1944 and 1945, Mr. Falk estimated this week.

The increase this year over last year in the total figure is due to an upturn of about \$9,000 in truck taxes with the remaining increase in pleasure car taxes, indicating there are no more cars on the highway. Pleasure cars are taxed \$5 up to 3,700 pounds in weight and \$8 over 3,700 pounds. There is no longer any differentiation as to age in tax figures. Trucks, however, are still assessed locally, although the tax is collected by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles for the year 1948 net to pleasure cars—when the owners obtain yearly license tags.

When the taxes are returned to the county treasurer, incorporated towns receive one-half of the total of the tax on each car whose owner resides in the towns. When the owner does not reside in an incorporated town, all of the tax goes to the county.

## ROCKY RIDGE PAIR OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Dubel, of Rocky Ridge, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary recently. Mrs. Dubel was the former Miss Edith Motter, of near Emmitsburg, and is 70 years old. Mr. Dubel celebrated his 73rd birthday in September. Both are in good health and are actively engaged in farming.

Mr. and Mrs. Dubel were married in Emmitsburg, and recall that on their wedding day, the snow was so deep and the roads so badly drifted that they had to drive through the fields.

They lived in Union Bridge for about three years after their marriage and then went to Dayton, O., returning to their present farm thirty years ago.

They have two sons, Robert L. Dubel, Rocky Ridge, and Harry L. Dubel, Trenton, N. J.; also two grandchildren, Mrs. Elwood O. Riffle, Rocky Ridge, and Myrtle H. Dubel, Trenton.

## FOOD POISONING ATTACKS TWO FAMILIES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rodgers and the family of Mr. Thornton Rodgers suffered an attack of food poisoning last week.

## BURNED BY COOKER

Mrs. Lumen Norris received second degree burns about the throat and chest last week when steam escaped from a pressure cooker she was using. At this writing Mrs. Norris is able to be



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### THE MAGNIFICENT AIRLIFT

By opening another airport in Berlin for the planes of "Operation Vittles," this country again serves notice to Russia that we are in the German capital to stay. The notice is the more convincing for the fact that the fabulous record of the airlift so far justifies General Clay's assertion that "Berlin can be supplied by air no matter what kind of weather we get this winter."

At present, American and British planes are carrying over 5,000 tons of supplies into the beleaguered Western sectors of the German capital on good days and at least 3,000 tons daily under "very bad" weather conditions. Normally, there are some 700 flights every 24 hours; the interval between flights is no more than four minutes. Thanks to radar control (GCA) the problem of taking off and landing in dirty weather has been overcome considerably.

The new airport, which becomes the third at the Berlin terminus of the airlift, will immediately accommodate 90 additional flights daily and even more when the work on all of the strips has been completed.

All this adds up to a supply operation unheard of in the wartime or peacetime history of man. The daily tonnage flown in is so far above the minimum 2,000 tons daily, which seemed virtually impossible to provide four months ago, that the ration of Western sector Germans was recently hiked from an average of 1,800 to 2,040 calories a day—a better diet than was enjoyed even before the blockade.

The airlift to date has served three great purposes. First and foremost, of course, it has counterchecked the Soviet blockade. It has foiled a Russian strategy which only a short time ago was thought foolproof—namely, to starve us out of Berlin and, with exclusive control of the traditional capital of Germany, to unite the whole nation to Soviet advantage and to Western exclusion. Now the Russians can win the city only at the price of a shooting war, a price they seem unwilling to pay.

Secondly, the airlift has boosted American prestige throughout the world. By it, we have given evidences to all peoples, and to the German people especially, that we will stand behind our commitments, and that our resourcefulness and ingenuity still mock the wiles of the craftiest aggressor.

Finally, the operation has been an invaluable experience to the men in our air force and to American military planners. As Major General William H. Tunner, the overall head of the operation, said recently: "We look upon the airlift not as an end in itself. It is an exercise in the technique of using big airplanes in a manner hitherto unknown." The success of this enterprise opens new chapters in the science of logistics and has important meaning for commercial air transport and safety.

Immediately, however, the West will think of the airlift in terms of its magnificent role in the cold war with Russia. It has secured our right to insist on honorable terms for settling the Berlin dispute as well as the larger problem of Germany.

The men who have made and are making this operation possible are fully deserving of the same heartiest gratitude which the free world held for Britain's airmen in the darkest hour of the late shooting war.

### Invest in a Vest



If you think your best beau would like you in one—catch up with him in this cotton-padded, quilted wool vest, worn with a tailored blouse and wool skirt. Appearing in the current issue of Good Housekeeping magazine—it's new and cozy.

### SHOOTING MATCH DEC. 18 NEAR EMMITSBURG

A shooting match will be held at Ohler's Inn, near Emmitsburg on Saturday, Dec. 18, at 10:30 a. m. If you haven't gotten your turkey yet, perhaps you might be lucky enough to get one by skill. There'll also be ducks, chickens, pital.

and geese, so try for them, too. Twelve-gauge shot will be allowed only. Come out and prove just how good a shot you are next Saturday.

Mrs. Rhoderick Shoemaker, of Emmitsburg, has been admitted as a patient at the Gettysburg Hospital.

### MOST ANYTHING AT A GLANCE

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#### Have You Met Mr. Sharpe?

Yuh know, I hate to admit but until I read last week's Chronicle I didn't even know we had a nationally known rifle expert in our midst . . . Well, on our doorstep, at any rate . . . In fact, while I'm baring my soul, I may as well tell you I didn't even know there was such a thing as a rifle farm. I've heard of dairy farms and vegetable farms, and such, but I'll be darned if I've ever seen a rifle farm . . .

Mr. Sharpe, the rifle expert in question is also a well known authority on ballistics as well as a writer on guns and rifles of world renown—And I didn't even know he lives here . . . Tell me the truth, now—how many others of my readers knew about it till the Chronicle printed the story? Egad, if the Ordnance Dept. and generals and high officials all over the world value Mr. Sharpe's opinions enough to come to little old Emmitsburg to see him, surely he must REALLY be SOMEONE. Wonder if I could get by all the booby traps and things he's got all over and around his place, to see him . . . But no—on second thought, I think not . . . It would be a perfect chance for someone to put a bullet in my back and rid both the Editors of the Chronicle and the readers of

a meddling ole fool like myself . . . There are too many people waiting for that chance as it is and I'm too young to die. Besides, there's a lot more 'dirt' I wanna dish' out before they fold my hands and say, "Abigail was a good girl until she deluded herself into thinking she was a newspaper woman. Poor girl, she couldn't help it that she was just a scandal monger at heart."

### LEGION AUXILIARY HOLDS REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

The regular meeting of the Auxiliary of the Francis X. Elder Post, American Legion, was held Tuesday evening at eight o'clock with 16 members attending.

The meeting was called to order by President Laura Rosensteel. Minutes of the Nov. meeting were read by Secretary Ethel Baumgardner as well as excerpts from Auxiliary bulletin. Rehabilitation committee, under Genevieve Kugler, decided to send \$15 to The Joy Shop at Abillsville, to be used to buy Christmas articles and gifts for the members and friends of the veterans' families. These gifts are presented by the veteran himself. Following last year's policy, the club voted to send \$27 to the veterans at Abillsville which amounts to a gift of \$1 each as there are 27 veterans at

the hospital. In addition to this, two cartons of cigarettes will be sent to Perry Point Hospital.

Members were invited to attend the district meeting to be held at Frederick Jan. 9 at 117 E. Church St., the American Legion Home. Everyone seems to enjoy these meetings tremendously, so perhaps others should attend and share this pleasure. The meetings are educational as well as enjoyable.

Plans for the Auxiliary's Christmas party were completed and it was decided that expenses would be borne by the club treasury. It was decided to hold the party at the White House Inn. Cards are to be mailed to members by Ruth Gillelan. Committee in charge is Genevieve R. Elder and Mary Cinegran. The party will be held Thursday, Dec. 30. At present figure, the club now has 36 paid-up members. Each member is to bring a Christmas gift, value not to exceed \$1, name capsules will be drawn to distribute the gifts.

After the meeting an oyster supper was served.

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## SHORT STORY

### One Dozen Roses

By CHARLOTTE MCCARTHY

MRS. MOYER walked slowly, feeling as dismal as the drizzly day. This was her wedding anniversary and she knew, with no possible doubt, that her husband had forgotten about it. Even the head of her fox fur had an almost human expression of weary disillusion as the cold rain dribbled over its nose.

All very well to remind herself that she should be thankful to have such a good husband. Never had he opened his own considerable pay envelope these last ten years. Nor had he stayed away a single evening, nor complained about the way she managed her household. But tomorrow the girls would call up to find out about her present, and what could she tell them?

Afterwards, Mrs. Moyer could never remember just how she got the idea, but she found herself in the florist's.

"One dozen of your best roses, please." Her own voice surprised her, but she gave her own address calmly, and told the girl that she did not wish to enclose a card.

Years ago, when money had been very scarce and flowers an almost unthought-of luxury, her husband had sent her, on their anniversary, a dozen perfect roses. There had been no card enclosed—no need of one.

OVER the dinner table that night, she chatted about the trivial happenings of the day.

"Oh, dear! That bill at Taylors, and I forgot all about it. This is the fourth, isn't it?"

"It's the fourth, all right." His voice was cheerful. "Old Murdock came around for the rent today, and he never misses the exact date."

"I thought you had forgotten the date, but now I can only believe it just doesn't mean anything to you." She tried to keep the tears out of her voice, saying the very thing she had made up her mind that wild horses couldn't drag out of her, but having started she had no intention of backing down now. I've heard other women saying that their husbands sometimes forgot, but I never dreamed that . . . The doorbell pealed an interruption.

"A box for you . . . looks like flowers." She didn't look at him as she fumbled with the ribbon.

She lifted the fragrant blooms to hide her face. "They're gorgeous!" Her fingers trembled, as she pretended to search among the rustling paper for a card. "But who could have sent them?"

"Don't you remember a certain fellow who sent you roses 30 years ago? You didn't need a card then."

She almost dropped the flowers. Of all the brazen . . . but surely he wouldn't dare pretend . . . ?

But he evidently would. "You thought I'd forgotten, didn't you? I haven't asked in years just how



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you feel about it, but to me it's still the most important date in my life."

FOR the first time in her life, Mrs. Moyer knew that she was going to make a scene. What she was going to use for an excuse, she couldn't for her life imagine, since she just could produce the florist's bill to prove that she knew he was trying to take credit for something he hadn't done . . . and dressing it up with sloppy sentiment to make matters worse.

Suddenly she became aware that the phone was ringing shrilly.

"Hello." Her voice was surprisingly calm.

"Mrs. Moyer? This is the florist calling. A lady placed an order for a dozen roses to be delivered to your address, and the girl who took the order did not know that all our roses had been sold. She didn't leave a name. As a matter of fact, we did deliver another order there . . . the ones Mr. Moyer ordered, so I hope you aren't too disappointed . . . We would have let you know sooner, but . . ."

"Oh, you let me know in time . . . just in time," she said dazedly and, leaving the receiver dangling from the hook, rushed into the dining room.

Approximately 15 per cent of all pigs born on Maryland farms are killed when the sow lies on them accidentally. This can be prevented easily.

## COMMISSIONERS RECEIVE NEW SCHOOL BUDGET

### As To Be Expected, Figures Reveal Increase This Year

A 1949 public school budget calling for total estimated expenditures of \$1,508,596.60 from state and county funds was submitted to the Board of County Commissioners this week by the Board of Education.

About 60 per cent of the funds would come from the state and 40 per cent from the county, the budget showed. The anticipated expenditures would be approximately \$901,167 from state sources and \$607,429.60 from the county.

The amount sought from the county is approximately \$100,000 more than was levied last year.

About \$40,000 of the increase, it is understood, would be in the item for furniture, equipment and maintenance of school buildings. School officials said this is a very necessary item since little money has been available over a period of years to keep the furniture and equipment in the buildings in repair, with the result there has been considerable deterioration. Around \$20,000 to \$25,000 a year has been available recently for the upkeep of about two million dollars worth of school property, it was pointed out.

There is about \$12,000 increase for janitor services and such items as water, light, power and fuel. Janitors' salaries are extremely low, officials stated. Transportation costs will amount to around \$12,000 more altogether, with about \$6,000 allocated in the budget to the county.

Largest single item in the budget is for teachers' salaries, which increase, in total from \$972,130 in the last budget to \$987,690. This is occasioned by a considerable extent by the necessity of having additional teachers for the 12-year school program, which goes into effect throughout the county next fall.

The commissioners took the estimated budget under consideration without making any commitments.

## EARLY CHRISTMAS MAILING IS ADVISED

Postmaster Lewis H. Stoner today appealed to Emmitsburgians to plan to mail all Christmas greeting cards and gift packages "just as early in December as is possible."

An even heavier avalanche of Yuletide mail is anticipated this Christmas than during the record-breaking 1947 holiday season when the Emmitsburg postal workers canceled nearly 100,000 pieces of first-class mail.

Cautioning against waiting until the last minute to mail cards and gifts Postmaster Stoner said that messages and gifts may be caught in the rush and perhaps not be delivered until after Christmas.

All packages should be mailed by December 10, to assure delivery before Christmas Day, the postmaster advises. Christmas cards for out-of-state delivery also should be mailed by December 10 and cards for local addresses should be mailed at least a week before Christmas.

Early Christmas mailing is extremely important, the postmaster said, because the handling of the Christmas mail load is divided into three phases. First, the mail for out-of-town must be dispatched. Then, delivery of Yuletide greetings being exchanged locally becomes a big job. Finally, there is the last-minute flood of cards and packages from out-of-town to be handled. When these three operations overlap an ultimate jam occurs in the postoffice and deliveries are delayed.

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## GUEST SPEAKER

Philip B. Sharpe, well-known gun expert, will be the guest speaker of the Lions Club meeting Monday, Dec. 13, at 6:15 p. m. The club will meet in the Lutheran Parish Hall. Visiting Lions and guests are welcome, but they should advise President Herbert Roger in advance to insure supper for all.

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Three persons were injured when two cars crashed head-on in Catoctin Furnace near the school house. State Troopers James Stone-

sifer and Kenneth Bond said a car belonging to Raymond Fogle, Thurmont, Rt. 1, crossed to the wrong side of the highway on a curve and crashed into the other car driven by Mrs. Welch. The driver of the Fogle car was being sought. Officers said the driver fled into nearby wooded area and had not been apprehended.

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## Former Emmitsburgians Luckily Escape Fatal Wreck

In a communication received from J. Earl Elder of Pittsburgh this week he tells of a very harrowing experience on his return trip after spending the Thanksgiving holidays here with his mother, Mrs. Genevieve R. Elder. Excerpts of Mr. Elder's letter follow:

"Of course you read about the awful wreck on the Turnpike and how two people were killed and 16 injured. Well, we are all right and were not touched, but it was only by the grace of God.

We were driving along cautiously at 30 miles an hour, the roads were one solid sheet of ice, and the car in which the two were piled passed us going only about 38 miles per hour. Not fast, anything, but he simply eased around us slowly. When he was about 20 feet ahead of us in the passing lane, he started to turn into the right lane to continue. I saw his car begin to skid and cried, "Oh oh, look out!" And we all watched them go to their deaths. We saw every detail from a distance of only 30 or 40 feet. It was horrible. He struggled hard to straighten up the car but in a second or two, it crashed into the iron guard rail at the right. Fire flew everywhere as well as parts of his car. Then all of a sudden the car bounded off the rail and started diagonally across the Turnpike. It crossed the ground separator in the center and got over on the other side where the oncoming traffic was heavy. We could see this huge trailer truck approaching the spot we knew he had to hit. And dozens of cars were following close behind the trailer. It was sickening to watch the whole thing, and just sit there waiting for the crash. Of course the whole proceedings took probably no more than 4 or 5 seconds, but it seemed like an eternity. Then finally the sickening crash as the car smashed into the trailer.

Then the second crash occurred, a big light gray car went careening crazily past our car, completely turning about three or four times, missing us by inches and crashing into the same guard rail the other had just hit on three seconds before. Fire flying everywhere and the crashing thud that had already made us sick on the stomach. And while this crash was going on, here came another big black car, spinning about like a top, right past us, and again a third crash against the same guard rail.

Now all this sounds like it must have taken minutes to occur, but, actually I believe the whole thing took place in less than 10 seconds. And there we sat along the side of the road. So happy for the first second or two that we had

been able to stop our car without following the same disaster route as the others, but then realizing in another split second that one of those crazily careening cars that kept spinning past us was going to mash us to bits. I knew I had to get out of there in an instant. But these second two cars were setting crosswise in the highway, blocking our path for 50 to 100 feet. So looking back, I didn't see anything else coming at us—close, that is—so I swung boldly across the road and drove on the dirt section of the separator, until I got past the two wrecked cars and out of the danger area.

As we pulled past the trailer-car wreck on the other runway, we could see the truck driver jump out of his cab, but there was no sign of activity in the car at all. We didn't learn until we read the paper the next morning that both the man and his wife were killed. We learned also that the cars kept piling into each other on the same spot after we left, and that finally a bus had plowed into the wrecked trailer setting there.

All the way then we worried about Lawrence and his family and Bill and Gen and Sam Ohler. (Editor's Note—Lawrence is Mr. Elder's brother and Gen is his sister and her husband, Bill Smith. All were returning to Pittsburgh after visiting Mrs. Elder here. The Smiths were riding in a car operated by Sam Ohler, who also spent Thanksgiving here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ohler and were following Earl Elder on the return trip.)

"We looked for them along the road. As soon as we arrived we phoned Lawrence and they had arrived safely, but they had arrived a little after a car had hurtled over a guard rail and rolled down an embankment. From that point on they proceeded with extreme caution. But when we called Bill and Gen three times and could get no answer at home, we were scared all over again. We later contacted them. They had come to the scene of our distress about 30 minutes later, and they said the cars were still piled up, and they were still waiting for ambulances. We passed an ambulance going toward the scene a full half hour's driving away from the spot.

God is so good to us in so many ways that I don't think our family will ever be very likely to forget him for long, especially after the way he took care of us that night. Remember, we never got a scratch... but the young couple in the next car lost their lives.

P. S.: We've made our last winter trip—ever!"

### BAD INTERPRETING IS OUR OPINION

During October, the Associated Press got hold of a story about a Potomac Edison substation in Hagerstown. The release appeared in papers from coast to coast, and gradually nothing more was heard of it. But recently, a Mr. Klassen, employed by the Alexander Hotel in Hagerstown, sent in the following—clipped from a newspaper in Nymegen, Netherlands:

DAT HIEP

HAGERSTOWN, (Maryland)—Onlangs werd het Potomac-Edisongebouw te Hagerstown in de Amerikaanse staat Maryland uitgerust met een speciale camera om dieven te fotograferen, als zij het gebouw zouden binnendringen. Thans hebben dieven er ingebroken en de camera meegenomen.

Translation: Not so long ago, the Potomac Edison plant in the American state of Maryland was equipped with a special camera to prevent stealing by taking a picture of the thief. But burglars broke in and stole the camera.

## Jane Pickens Picks A Useful Gift



ONE of the busiest young women in New York—what with her radio show, record making, and night club appearances—Jane Pickens hasn't time for browsing around shops to select Christmas Gifts. So she gives useful presents—things that are sure to be welcome, such as those mechanized appliances that are making modern homes hum more efficiently.

Miss Pickens fell for a new streamlined electric floor

that weighs so little even the children of her friends who will receive it can carry or operate the machine.

A cheerful person herself, Miss Pickens sees to it that her home is cheerful too. So having made life easier for her maid who keeps the floors beautified, thanks to the electric polisher, this Christmas Miss Pickens is spreading, if not the wax, at least the efficient means of making

### JOHN LAW APPOINTED DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS

John Law, captain of the great 1929 Notre Dame football team was named director of athletics at Mt. St. Mary's College last Friday.

Mr. Law has been football and baseball coach since last fall succeeding Arthur Malloy, who has been a coach and director at the Mount shortly after his graduation there in 1914. Mr. Malloy

will stay on at the school as a sociology instructor.

Coach Law came to Mt. St. Mary's after being a line coach at Holy Cross during the 1946 and 1947 seasons. Before that, he worked for the New York State Department of Prisons and was a coach for a time at Manhattan College in New York.

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Within the last decade, the use of sulfa drugs and penicillin have helped save the lives of thousands of pneumonia victims, but the disease remains a serious menace to life and a successful fight against it still depends on prompt and proper medical treatment of those whom it attacks.

Pneumonia, a communicable disease which strikes most frequently during the winter months, attacks the lungs. The germs causing the disease get into the air pockets of the lung and obstruct its normal breathing functions. The destructive pneumonia germs grow very fast and produce poisons that may invade the blood stream and other parts of the body.

The early symptoms of pneumonia usually include a sharp pain in the side or chest, chills and fever and a rasping cough that frequently brings up blood-tinged sputum. The patient's breathing is rapid and painful because of the damage to the lungs and to the normally slippery covering of the lungs.

Pneumonia is an insidious, fast-working disease, and even the sulfa drugs and penicillin cannot be considered "sure cures" in all cases. Prevention, of course, is safer and surer than cure and the best precaution against pneumonia is a strong, healthy body that consistently gets plenty of fresh air, balanced meals, rest and proper exercise, and builds up a natural resistance to the disease.

Such illnesses as influenza, grippe, whooping cough, scarlet fever, diphtheria and even the common cold are believed to lower a person's resistance to the point where he is an easy prey for the pneumonia germs. Extra care should be taken of a sick person during and after such illnesses as an important preventive measure against pneumonia germs.

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any of the symptoms appear, the sick person should be put to bed and the doctor called at once. Do not wait for further symptoms; every moment counts with pneumonia. Many cases of the disease started out with what seemed to be a slight cold and fever. It is important for anyone caring for a pneumonia patient to follow the doctor's instructions carefully.

The pneumonia patient's period of convalescence must be carefully supervised. He should not be allowed to become active too soon after the acute stage of the disease since the severe illness may have interfered with normal operations of such organs as the heart, liver and kidneys.

It has been revealed that women are more sensitive than men in distinguishing between the four basic tastes: Sweet, sour, salt and bitter. According to taste studies made at Drexel Institute, over 50 per cent of the men like slightly sour foods.

Several students from Hood College attended the annual fall meeting of the Maryland Chapter of the College Clubs of American Home Economics Assn. held at St. Joseph's College, Emmitsburg, Saturday afternoon. The business meeting began at two o'clock.

Delegates also attended from Western Maryland College, the University of Maryland, and Maryland College for Women.

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## WELL-PLANNED MENU IS AIM OF SCHOOL HEADS

Officials Believe Parents Should Be Advised As To Feeding

Last week the need for studying the child with regard to whether he is nourished or undernourished and the characteristics of healthy, well-nourished children were listed.

Simple malnutrition is usually food, or both. Because the poorly the result of not eating the right kinds of food, not eating enough nourished child may also be suffering from disease or from some functional disorder of the body, only physicians should attempt to diagnose actual cases of malnutrition. However, there are signs of malnutrition that will be readily apparent to a teacher or parent. If such things appear, they may mean only that some simple changes in the child's diet are needed. But, if one or more of them is unmistakably obvious, the child in question should be examined by a competent physician. Below is a list of some of the signs of faulty nutrition and health habits or indications of need of medical attention that teachers and parents may observe:

- 1—Lack of appetite.
- 2—Failure to eat an adequate breakfast.
- 3—Failure to gain steadily in weight.
- 4—Loss of weight.
- 5—Aversion to normal play.
- 6—Loss of strength.
- 7—Chronic diarrhea.
- 8—Poor sleeping habits.
- 9—Nervousness and irritability.
- 10—Lassitude and chronic fatigue.
- 11—Muscle and joint pains.
- 12—Backwardness in school.
- 13—Lack of mental application.
- 14—Repeated respiratory infection.
- 15—Burning or itching of eyes.
- 16—Burning or pricking of skin.
- 17—Abnormal intolerance of eyes to light.
- 18—Abnormal discharge of tears.
- 19—Spongy, bleeding gums.
- 20—Bad posture.
- 21—Sores at angles of mouth.

Does your child suffer from any of these?

### Menus for This Week

Monday: Spaghetti and meat balls; string beans, pepper slaw, fruit jello, cookies, whole wheat bread and butter, milk and juices.

Tuesday: Baked ham, creamed lima beans, Waldorf salad, peaches and cookies, cracked wheat bread and butter, milk and juices.

Wednesday: Macaroni and cheese, lettuce, tomato and egg salad, rye bread and butter, pumpkin pie, milk and juices.

Thursday: Beef stew with vegetables, cole slaw, apricots, cookies, raisin bread and butter, milk and juices.

Friday: Baked halibut, buttered peas, carrot and cabbage salad, apple cobbler, whole wheat bread and butter, milk and juices.

## RULES FOR MIXING BETTER CONCRETE ARE LISTED BY EXPERT

A lot of concrete mixed on the farm doesn't last a third or half as long as it should, according to Ray W. Carpenter, head of the Agricultural Engineering Department at the University of Maryland. He says failure to follow a few simple rules makes the difference between poor and good concrete.

The rules he labels as most important are: (1) Use good quality water, portland cement and sand and gravel, (2) Use proper proportions, (3) Mix thoroughly, (4) Use well-made, strong forms, and (5) Allow it to cure properly.

He states that the quality of the cement will be satisfactory as long as it doesn't have hard lumps in it. The water should be so clean that a person could drink it, and the sand or gravel should be washed unless relatively free of silt and organic matter. Mr. Carpenter also recommends that the mixture contain particles of sand and gravel of all sizes from fine to coarse in about equal amounts.

"Don't try to stretch a bag of cement too far," he warns, "for every bag of cement use 2½ cubic feet of sand and 3 cubic feet of gravel."

### Most Important Data

"The most important factor in getting good concrete is not to use too much water," he declares. "For average wet sand, 5 gallons of water for each bag of cement is about right. If the resulting concrete is too stiff or too soupy, correct it by using more or less sand. Don't change the amount of water."

Carpenter recommends putting the water in the mixer first and then adding part of the gravel, then the cement and the rest of the sand or gravel. Run the mixer rather slowly for 1 or 2 minutes to get all the particles coated. Newly poured concrete should be kept moist by covering and sprinkling for at least 7 days.

Farmers wanting more information can get a circular called "Making Quality Concrete for Farm Improvements." Many county agents have copies of this publication and copies may be obtained from Mr. Carpenter at the University of Maryland.

Like the turkey they go with so well, cranberries have ceased to be just a Thanksgiving and Christmas treat for many families in recent years. They are an economical, versatile fruit now, and this year we've had a bumper crop.

Cranberries are firmly lodged in American tradition as a "health" food. Before the white man's arrival they were valued by Indian medicine men. Later, New England sailors standing watch used to munch handfuls of raw cranberries which they grabbed from the barrel kept in the cook's galley. The tart red berries probably ward off scurvy, which, as you know, is caused by lack of Vitamin C. In addition to Vitamin C, minerals, including iodine and iron, to the diet.

Cooked whole cranberries make an interesting addition to a fruit salad or cup. The bright color and tart flavor add good contrast to a pineapple or banana salad. A suggested mixture for fruit cocktail is, whole cranberry sauce, grapefruit and orange sections, stewed prunes and diced apple. Mix and chill, adding a little chopped preserved ginger, if desired.

Chopped apple and chopped raw cranberries in equal amounts with a little diced celery and French dressing make a quick, colorful and healthful salad. Have you ever tried adding chopped raw cranberries to an equal part of mayonnaise or salad dressing? It makes a very pretty one, with added food value, and your family is sure to like it.

Raw cranberries may be added to muffins, too—just like blueberries. And last but not least, cranberry juice makes a fine beverage. Some of the juice may be poured off when whole cranberries are cooked. Sweetened to taste and chilled, this juice makes a tangy appetizer, either by itself or mixed with citrus juice, pineapple juice, or ginger ale.

A score of food items are expected to be plentiful on markets in December, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture. New on the abundant list are: Cheese, Grade B eggs, corn products—grits, meal and syrup, canned peas, and dried peas and

## Homemakers Corner

Vegetables which continue to be abundant include: Cabbage, carrots, Irish potatoes and onions. Fruits continuing in plenty are: Cranberries, oranges, grapefruit, table grapes, winter pears and the dried fruits. Among the spreads, honey, peanut butter and a variety of fruit jams, preserves and jellies will be plentiful. Good supplies of fresh and frozen fish are expected in December, and among the nuts, pecans will be in most bountiful supply.

Because plentiful foods this month are so varied as well as numerous, thrifty meal planners will be able to make up menus "from soup to nuts" almost entirely from this list.

And here's an interesting new-comer to the grocery shelf—a pudding. Remember what a task it was years ago to make the cornstarch variety? Eggs in the shell, cornstarch from the package, vanilla out of a bottle, and so on. Then just the right amount of cooking, and mother kept her

fingers crossed for fear the family could see or taste the cornstarch.

Then came prepared puddings requiring only the addition of water or milk and 5 minutes boiling. Homemakers expressed their appreciation by buying these mixes throughout the country.

But now comes the truly modern pudding. Chemists noted what cooking actually did to the starch, and once this was known, the pudding could be cooked in the factory and then dried. The housewife need only restore the water (or milk).

So look for the new instant pudding—chocolate, butterscotch and vanilla. All you do is empty the package into a bowl, stir in cold milk and the pudding is ready to serve. It may not be available immediately, but is coming soon.

Use a damp sponge to remove lint and dog hair from upholstered furniture.

### FROZEN FOOD LOCKERS PAY health insurance



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### CROSSWORD PUZZLE

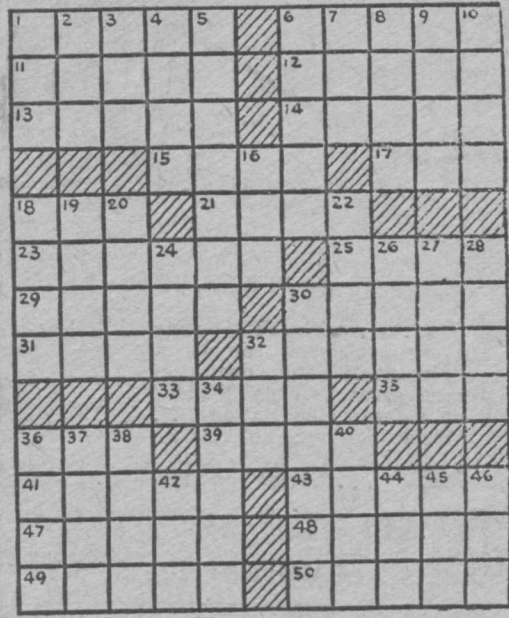
**ACROSS**

- 1 Entire range
- 6 Per. to a focus
- 11 Run away and marry
- 12 Think
- 13 Conductor of heat
- 14 To set again
- 15 Dross of metal
- 17 Number
- 18 Weaken
- 21 Paradise
- 23 On board
- 25 Armadillo
- 29 Tugs
- 30 Shun
- 31 Portico
- 32 Bring honor upon
- 33 Foot covering
- 35 Sainte (abbr.)
- 36 Large worm
- 39 Hole-piercing implements
- 41 Gain knowledge
- 43 Sea mammal
- 47 To befuddle
- 48 Artless
- 49 Fencing swords
- 50 Avarice

**DOWN**

- 1 Jewel
- 2 Malt beverage
- 3 Witty saying
- 4 Tree (Java)
- 5 Bank officers
- 6 Falsify, as a check
- 7 Open (poet.)
- 8 Chest for
- 9 Antiqu.
- 10 Mother of Apollo
- 11 Sum up
- 12 Weakens
- 13 Touch end to end
- 14 A game on horseback
- 15 Main part of a church
- 16 Expression of sorrow
- 17 Cushions
- 18 Mine entrance
- 19 Network
- 20 Soon
- 21 Bovine animal
- 22 Suspends
- 23 River (Ger.)
- 24 Percolate
- 25 Secure
- 26 Asterisk
- 27 Spawn of fish
- 28 Fasten
- 29 Evening (poet.)
- 30 Color

Solution in Next Issue.



No. 33

Answer to Puzzle Number 32

BEAD NEWS  
PINNA AXILE  
ENDIVE ANEW  
PES ID CEDE  
START  
EPEE MI AHA  
BERET PURE  
BAR OF GAMS  
COUCH RE  
LATINO SAIL  
PEDRO LOWELL  
SETS SONS

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# MARYLAND HOME FRONT

Joseph H. Blandford, chairman of the Maryland FMA State Committee, called attention to a recent statement which Secretary of Agriculture, Charles F. Brannan, made on the support price for potatoes. The Secretary said, "I have been extremely reluctant to approve the lowering of the support price for potatoes to 60 per cent of parity. I want it clearly understood that this figure applies to potatoes only, and that it cannot be regarded as a precedent or as the attitude of this Department in establishing the general level of price supports under our new legislation. Controlling excess production by dropping price supports sharply is not a desirable way to get adjustments, no matter how necessary those adjustments may be. However, Congress has given the Department of Agriculture no other effective mechanism, in spite of the fact that its attention has repeatedly been called to the abnormal situation in potato production."

Brannan also said that he intends to ask Congress to provide legislation by means of which production adjustment may be encouraged and accomplished rather than simply allow for dropping price support from under a specific crop.

He added, "Moreover, in my opinion, this is not the time to be talking about reducing the prices of farm products without relating that discussion to the many factors which go into the production of farm commodities. In fact, at this very time, the cost of things which farmers must buy to carry on their production are higher than they were a year ago, notwithstanding the fact that the prices they receive for their products are generally lower."

## Aims Of ACP Outlined

The aim of the Agricultural Program, which we offer Maryland farmers, is to help them do their part to make world food production meet the needs of an increasing world population. That is the way Mr. Blandford summarizes the goals of the program being operated in each of Maryland's 23 counties by farmer-elected committees.

"We cannot meet the world's food needs by leaving production to chance or happenstance," Mr. Blandford declares. We must work toward an improved soil—we must find ways of keeping every acre permanently productive; a means of using land that has never been deemed suitable for agriculture, and making sure that people's needs are translated into effective demand at the market places—for there is nothing more disheartening and destructive of both soil and ideals than hunger in the midst of market surpluses.

Mr. Blandford cites the contributions of science toward increasing food production in the past half-century. By replacing horses and mules, gasoline engines released for the production of food for human consumption 55 million acres which were formerly used to grow feed; by increasing yields, the development of hybrid seed corn in effect increased corn acreage by one-fifth; by improving breeding and care of livestock, large increases have been obtained in the amount of meat and milk produced by a given number of animals.

"Our practice program supplements these advances," he explains. "We assist farmers, with cash payments, in the use of more superphosphate or lime. We encourage them to follow good seedling practices, erosion control measures, and other practices such as pasture improvement, by incentive payments. These payments represent only a part of the total cost, but frequently are enough to get farmers to do something they might otherwise be unable to do."

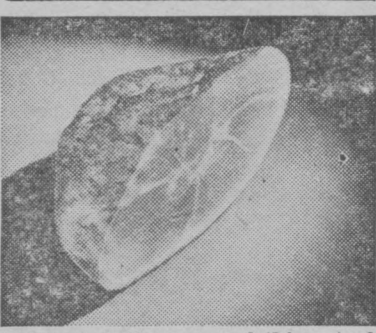
## BELLARDINELLI STILL IN HIGH SCORE RACE

Even with the football season closed, Walt Bellardinelli, Maryland colleges' high point-scorer, is still running strong on the pages of statisticians' charts.

The "Danbury (Conn.) Express" is one of six State major and minor colleges candidates for the Baltimore Touchdown Club award. The Mounty's flashy, 5-ft. 11-in. 190-pound halfback, has been recently named on the Shippensburg (Pa.) State Teacher's College All-Opponents' team. Named with him on this canvass, was his fellow-townsman, Marty Green, Mountaineer signal caller.

Bellardinelli and Jack Curran, Brooklyn, N. Y. end, are established on the newspaper polled Maryland Small Colleges mythical eleven. Jerry Cohee, Chester, Pa., back made the second team of this state poll.

# MEAT CUT Quiz



Q. What is the name of this cut of meat?

A. This is a butt half of smoked ham.

Q. Where does the cut come from and how is it identified?

A. The butt half of ham is the upper or round half of ham, as contrasted to the lower or pointed shank half of ham. The cut surface reveals two bones—a long bone (the aitch bone) and the other the round or leg bone. The butt half ham contains a good portion of the center cut of ham.

Q. How should this cut be prepared?

A. The butt half of ham should be roasted as should any other tender cut of meat. Place the roast, fat-side up, on a rack in an open shallow roasting pan and roast until tender in a 300° F. oven, allowing about 20 minutes per pound. The butt half of ham may also be cooked in liquid for variety. Cover with liquid (water or broth) and cook covered at a simmering temperature, allowing 30 minutes per pound.

## MARINE COMPLETES 41 YEARS IN SERVICE

Oldest Marine in regards to age and length of service in the Marine Corps, Master Sergeant H. D. Bartley recently completed 41 years of service and re-enlisted at Quantico for another four.

The sergeant, starting his 11th cruise, declared that he has never been on the sick list, never missed a day's duty and that his Marine Corps Good Conduct medal with six bars indicates the quality of marks in his service record.

Seventy-three years old, he enlisted in the Marine Corps in 1907 and has served in the Philippines, Hawaii, Cuba, Haiti, Santo Domingo, Nicaragua and aboard the vessels New Hampshire, Buffalo, Crook, Panther, Prairie and Lebanon.

## AVI-TAB FOR PEPPY POULTRY

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# CHURCH DIRECTORY

## ELIAS LUTHERAN

Rev. Philip H. Bower, Pastor.  
Sunday School—9:30 a. m.  
Church Service—10:30 a. m.  
Sermon: "The Mysteries of God."  
Luther League—6:30 p. m.  
Vespers—7:00 p. m. Quiet Divine Worship with short sermon: "Stars in Our Advent Sky."

Choir rehearsals: Youth choir at 9:15; church choir at 7:45 p. m.

A committee of the women of the church with Mrs. Robert Daugherty as chairman, will serve the Lions Club suppers Monday, Dec. 13 at 6:15 p. m.

Saturday, Dec. 18 — Catechism class at 1:30 p. m. Boys' and girls' choir at 2:30 p. m.

Christmas will begin in Elias Church Sunday, Dec. 19, with the Youth Choir singing two special Christmas Anthems and with the Service of Blessing and Dedication of the organ and chimes. We invite all our many good friends

to come and join with us on this joyous occasion. Other Christmas services will be: Candle Light Service Christmas Eve, Friday night, Dec. 24, 11 p. m.; (2) Christmas program by the Sunday School in the Parish Hall, Christmas night, Sat., Dec. 25, at 7 p. m.; (3) A Christmas concert by the boys' and girls' choir, Sunday night, Dec. 26 at 7 p. m.

## REFORMED CHURCH

Rev. E. P. Welker, Pastor.  
9:30—Sunday School.  
10:30—The Service.

## METHODIST

Rev. A. E. Grimm, Pastor.  
9:00—The Service.  
10:00—Sunday School.

## ST. JOSEPH'S R. C. CHURCH

Rev. Father Francis Stauble, Pastor.

Masses Sunday at 7:00, 8:30 and 10:00 a. m.

## LUTHERAN CHURCH IS PLANNING ORGAN AND CHIMES DEDICATION

In a circular letter distributed among the Lutheran Parish this week, Rev. Philip Bower, pastor, expressed his appreciation to all members who helped in the drive to pay for the new chimes and organ to be installed in the church in the near future. Excerpts from the parish letter follow:

Dear Parishioner: We wish to take this opportunity to thank you for your splendid co-operation and for any contribution you have made to our organ and chimes fund. We are about \$1,000 short of the goal. We need the balance of the fund to enable us to proceed with the dedication schedule planned for

Many of our members have already made large contributions, and as a result we have raised all but \$1,000 of the total cost which was \$8,000.

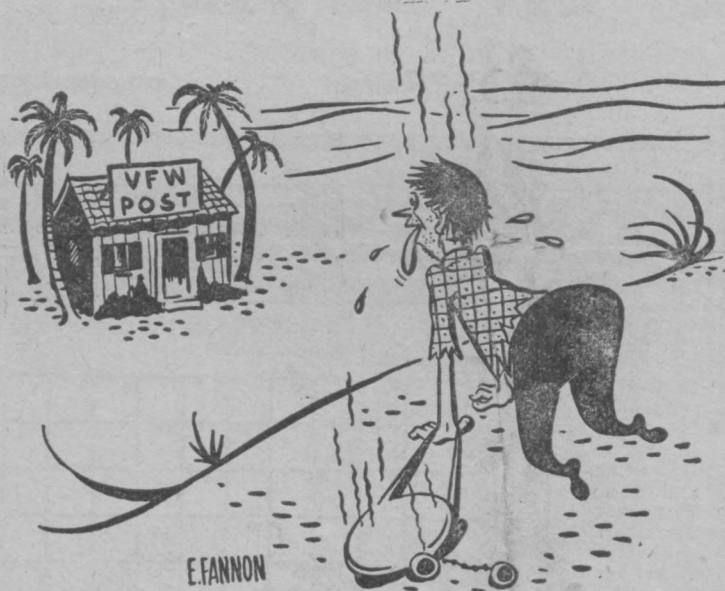
To those of you who haven't yet placed your donation we urge you to place this offering upon the plate at the Church Service this Sunday, December 12, or Dedication Sunday, December 19, or give it to the pastor or any member of the committee.

We sincerely wish for you to turn out in large numbers for the dedication.

The committee in charge of the drive consists of Charles Sharrer, Luther Kugler, Robert Daugherty.

Don't "stretch" a bag of cement too far. For average wet sand, five gallons of water for each bag of cement is about right.

Less than ten per cent of the market eggs handled by wholesale receivers in Baltimore and Washington originate in Maryland.



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## LOOKING AT RELIGION

By DON MOORE

**The HORSE WAS SYNONYMOUS WITH WAR IN BIBLE NARRATIVES**

**BUNDLES FROM HEAVEN**

**PADRE CESAREO DE ARMELLADA BELIEVES HE CAN TAME THE SAVAGE MOTILONE INDIANS OF VENEZUELA BY DROPPING GIFTS TO THEM FROM A HELICOPTER!**

**- IT DIDN'T TAKE A PLACE AS A PEACEFUL DRAFT ANIMAL UNTIL A MUCH LATER PERIOD.**

## THURMONT BABY SHOW PROVES INTERESTING AFFAIR

Twenty-four Contestants Are Entered; First Prize Wins \$5  
Twenty four children of pre-school age were entered in the Healthy Baby Show held in the Firemen's Room of the Town Hall at Thurmont last Wednesday at 1:30 o'clock. Ten babies ranging in age from two months to one year, and fourteen from one year six years, were in the group.

Under the direction of the County Health Nurse, Mrs. Susan Ward, and sponsored by the Thurmont Grange and the Guardian Hose Company, the show was held to promote more interest in the health clinic which the Grange is sponsoring.

In the first group, which included infants up to one year of age, Sandra Clabaugh, five-month-old daughter of Ms. and Mrs. Roy Clabaugh, Thurmont, took first prize and was given \$5.00. Second prize of \$2.50 went to Dwight Fox, two-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fox, Sabillasville.

In the pre-school age group, Sylvia Ann Fisher, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fisher, Thurmont, won first prize of \$5.00, and Paul W. Wireman, Thurmont, was second and received \$2.50.

Children were entered from Thurmont, Sabillasville, Lantz, and Emmitsburg. Prize money was furnished by the Grange and the Fire Company.

Mrs. Ward gave an interesting lecture to the mothers concerning the Health Clinic which is held the first and third Wednesdays of each month in the Firemen's Room at one o'clock. Dr. M. F. Birely was the physician in charge for the first six months. Beginning last Wednesday Dr. James K. Gray took charge. The following babies were also entered in the show:

Delores Jane Miller, Sharon Louise Lewis, Connie Marie Wireman, Martha Jane Stimmel, Thomas Edward Sweeney, Ted Eugene Hahn, Linda Lee Miller, Douglas Ecker, Paul Hahn, Jr., Cheryl Zentz, Linda Wireman, and the Fry twins, Charlene T. and Darlene Marie, all of Thurmont; Tony Martin and Denny Martin, both of Emmitsburg; Bonnie Black, Sharon Waterfield, Cinda Lou Fox and Mary Jane Fox, Sabillasville, and Charlotte Louise Davis, Lantz.

## \$5,000 DAMAGE SUIT IS SETTLED

A suit for \$5,000 damages in the highway death Oct. 22, 1947, near Catocin Furnace, of Frank Toms, was marked settled and off recently when filed in the Circuit Court.

Raymond H. Toms and Lucy B. Toms, parents of the deceased, asked for \$5,000 damages through Attorney Edward D. Storm, from Oliver J. Urse, Washington, owner

of a truck, and William Archie Alestock, Alexandria, Va., driver of the truck that struck Toms.

In addition to Alestock and Urse, the Paulsam Distributing Co. was named a defedant.

The plaintiff claimed that Toms was killed about a mile south of Thurmont when Alestock negligently struck and fatally injured him. William M. Storm represented the defendants.

The amount of the settlement was not revealed.

## Good Buys

**YOUNG MEN'S OR BOYS' BOMBER JACKETS . . . 9.75 to 13.95**

Boys' All-wool plaid jackets, sizes 6 to 18, \$5.50

Young men's sport jackets and all-wool sport shirts in plaids or plaings from \$5.98 to \$8.95.

Men's and Boy's Plaid Shir's in cotton from \$2 to \$2.95.

Men's All-wool Gabardine Topcoats are still the leader at \$35.00

Covert or Army Cloth-lined Work Jackets at \$4.50. A real good buy!

Children's Snowsuits (sizes 1, 2 and 3) at \$4.50  
Ladies' Dressy Dresses—an exceptional high grade at \$5.95

Bed Blankets in cotton, part-wool, all-wool from \$2.00 to \$12.95

## SHOES

A new supply this week in women's dressy pumps or beautiful oxfords at \$3.50 to \$4.98  
Men's Shoes—always a full line of work or dress.

## TOYS

- Express Wagons
- Tricycles
- Sleds at \$3.50 and \$3.75 (Body rest for small children)
- Dolls—a splendid assortment from \$3.50 to \$7.95
- Doll Carriages
- Footballs and Basketballs
- Mechanical Trains—engine with four cars and track at \$4.95
- Numerous small mechanical toys for infants

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## CHRISTMAS GIFT SELECTIONS

A gift from Maring's is one that will be appreciated and used for years to come. Below are just a few of the many Christmas gift suggestions that are sure to please. Check these over and compare! If what you want is not listed here, come in and browse around.



**Washing Machines**  
Wash days can be pleasant days with one of these new washers.



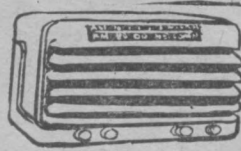
**ELECTRIC MIXERS**  
Here's an appliance that will save hours of work in the kitchen. It's a perfect gift.



**ELECTRIC IRONS**  
These new irons actually make ironing a pleasure. See these today.



Yes, a new radio-phonograph combination for Christmas is a gift that will thrill the whole family. We'd like to have you come in and see and hear the ones we are showing. Console and table models.



**Table Model Radios**  
They're handy and give excellent reception.



**POP-UP TOASTERS**  
Toasts bread to perfection. An ideal gift. See them today.



**Electric Roasters**  
Easy to use . . . cooks all kinds of foods. A practical gift.

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## PERSONALS

Bernard Eckenrode has returned to his home here after spending two weeks in New Orleans visiting his daughter, Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Miller and family have moved from Frederick to a home near Emmitt Gardens. The new residents of town are the owners of the Pastry Shop, which is one of Emmittsburg's business establishments.

Miss Emily Adelsberger has returned to Washington, D. C., after spending several days with her family on S. Seton Ave.

Richard Florence, a student at University of Maryland, recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Romanus Florence.

Miss Mary Kessler, Seton Institute, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Kessler, S. Seton Ave., last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rodgers have moved into the Annabel Hartman home on E. Main St.

Mr. David Neighbors has been ill at his home for the past week.

Mr. Edward Lingg, who was injured by a car several weeks ago, continues to be quite ill at his home on E. Main St.

Mrs. Robert Gillelan and Mrs. Roy Bollinger, of Emmittsburg, spent Thursday in Harrisburg, Pa.

Mrs. George Wilhide, Mrs. John White, and Mrs. Roy Bollinger spent a day in Baltimore this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowers and Mr. and Mrs. Odell Keilholz celebrated at Schottie's in Littlestown, Pa., Thursday evening, the occasion being Fred's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Law and daughter, Suzanne, spent several days in New York City last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kelly and daughter, of Baltimore, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gillelan.

Carroll Willis recently visited relatives in York, Pa., for several days.

Richard Spalding, of Baltimore, visited his aunt, Mrs. Rose Rowe, and friends in town last Thursday.

Mr. Earl Rice and son, of Mercersburg, Pa., are visitors at the home of Mrs. Rice's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. K. Matthews.

Mrs. Joseph Wivell and daughter, Mrs. Rita Felix, are staying several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles "Bud" Wivell, Cleveland, O.

Miss Catherine Rotering, of Philadelphia, Pa., spent Saturday and Sunday visiting her family and friends in town. On Sunday afternoon at one o'clock she attended the christening of her niece, Carol Ann Elliott, standing for the child as its godmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson G. Frailey, of Washington, D. C., recently moved into their lovely new home located in Kent, Washington.

Miss Genevieve Rawlings and Mr. Carroll Hardin, of Baltimore, were week end guests at the home of Mrs. Euphemia Rotering and Mrs. Mae Welty.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Eckenrode and daughter, Mrs. Charles C. Eckenrode, were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Eckenrode in Hanover, Pa.

Mrs. Thomas Bosley and sons, Tom and Willy, and Mrs. George Baumgardner, of Baltimore, spent several days last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baumgardner.

## THURMONT HOMEMAKERS HOLD ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

Social Room Is Scene Of Entertaining Yuletide Meeting

The Thurmont Homemakers Club held its annual Christmas party Wednesday evening in the social room of the (Reformed Church, Thurmont. The room was attractively costumed in the gay Christmas attire. More than 36 members and guests were served a delicious turkey and covered dish supper.

The club was entertained by a delightful solo rendered by Miss Blanche Eyer.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Ruth O. Eyer, followed by a reading by Mrs. E. Lawyer. Group singing

In charge of the recreation program was Mrs. Viola Whitmore and Mrs. Charles Reid. Mrs. Harry Zentz was program leader.

Various games were played and prizes were awarded the winners. Prizes were won by Mrs. C. William Eyer, Mrs. Glenn Gall, and Mrs. Ralph Stottlemeyer.

The club will hold its next meeting Jan. 12 at the home of Mrs. James Arbaugh.

Farmers and truckers hauled 730,000 pounds of milk daily from 2,400 Western Maryland farms to Baltimore in 1943.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

**WANTED**—Experienced farmer in spring, with or without machinery. Give references. State experience, age, family, etc. Write Chronicle Office Box C.

**FOR SALE**—Bucket-a-day stove with pipe. Good condition, \$9.00. Write Chronicle Press, Box B, or phone 127-F-3. tf

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**FOR SALE**—Turkeys, alive or dressed and drawn. William H. Wivell, Keysville Rd., Emmittsburg. Phone 191-F-5. 2tp

**FOR SALE**—Ladies' figure skates, white shoes, size 8. Never been worn, \$10.00. Call Emmittsburg 218-F-4. 1t

**FOR SALE**—Farm Light Plants with batteries. Buy or sell. Consult us. Perkins Battery Co., York, Pa. 1tp

**FOR SALE**—Fine Homes, in and near Emmittsburg, from \$4,000 to \$11,500. In Thurmont for \$9,000. Call E. D. Storm, Attorney in Frederick or Emmittsburg. 12 10 3ts

## LEGION POST PLANS PARTY

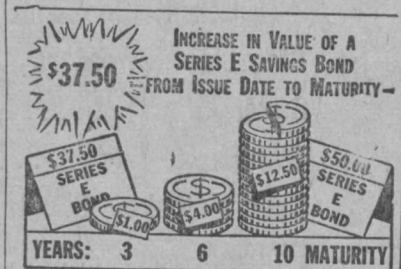
At their Home on N. Seton Ave. the Francis X. Elder Post, American Legion, held their regular meeting Tuesday evening. Commander Curt Topper presided.

Many items were brought up for consideration. They decided to donate \$10 to the rheumatic fever fund. Another feature of the meeting came when changing the time for closing of the Home over Christmas and New Year's Days. The committee announced that on Friday, Dec. 24, the Home closes at 10 in the evening. On Jan. 1, members cannot enter the Home until after six o'clock that evening.

Jack Rosensteel, captain of the Legion basketball team, displayed their new uniforms for playing members. The royal blue saten trunks and all-wool jerseys are trimmed in yellow. The jerseys carry a yellow Old English "E" on the front and a yellow player number on the back. The team plays independently and booking for games with opponents in surrounding ties may be had by contacting the Legion Home or Jack Rosensteel. The Legion basketballers will use the high school floor for their home games.

Com. Topper also announced plans for their Christmas party at the Swiss Chalet this year are progressing rapidly. Tentatively, the date has been set for Jan. 6.

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## TRI-COUNTY SECTION DRAWS SOCIAL SECURITY

A total of 2,202,290 persons were receiving monthly benefits under the Federal old age and survivors insurance program at the end of August, according to a recent announcement by the Social Security Administration. The monthly payments totaled \$43,570,400.

William J. Lanahan, manager of the Hagerstown field office at 74 West Washington Street, said that the number of beneficiaries was 17 per cent more than the number a year earlier. Monthly payments in the three counties serviced by the Hagerstown office, Carroll, Frederick and Washington amounted to \$43,013 and were being paid to 2,566 men, women and children in this area.

Mr. Lanahan explained that there are two kinds of benefits—retirement and survivors. Retirement benefits are payable to the wage earner and his family when the worker retires at the age of 65 or later. Survivors benefits are payable to the wage earner's family when the worker dies, no matter at what age death occurred. "It should be understood," he said, "that for a worker or his family to be eligible for these benefits, the worker must have had

a job in private industry or commerce long enough to build up an insured standing."

At present the Federal old age and survivors insurance system operates only for wage and salary workers in private industry and commerce, for their families and for the survivors of certain World War II veterans.

Fewer animals are expected to be slaughtered in the first half of 1949 than in the first half of 1948.

The wise turkey breeder is planning for next year's flock by selecting high quality birds for his breeding flock. This should be done before marketing gets underway.

## SODALITY PARTY TO BE HELD IN JANUARY

The Sodality of the Blessed Virgin of St. Joseph's Church held its regular meeting Monday. Fr. O'Brien opened the meeting with a prayer. President, Mrs. Herbert White, presided. The Sodality decided to hold its Christmas party in January. Mrs. Clarence Sanders was appointed chairman of the refreshment committee; Mrs. Henry Gerkin in charge of prizes. New officers of the club are to be appointed in the near future.

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# ROCKY RIDGE LADY LEAVES SUBSTANTIAL ESTATE

Eleven Sons and Daughters Are Benefactors Of Will

The will of Mrs. Elizabeth Schildt, late wife of James E. Schildt, of Rocky Ridge, was probated in Orphans' Court last Wednesday and bequeaths an estate described as substantial to relatives.

Eleven sons and daughters receive the residue of the estate. They are Samuel G. Tressler, Charles I. Tressler, Joseph W. Tressler, John W. Tressler, Beulah V. Harman, Mary Shaffer, Ethel Pittinger, Carrie E. Wastler, Ruth Stead, Edith Ecker and Pansy Tressler.

In a codicil, Mrs. Schildt revoked a provision in the will by which she had left to two daughters \$500 in trust, the net income to be paid to her husband, along with such amounts from the corpus as he should need, with the remainder at death to go to the residuary legatees.

An additional sum of \$25 each in recognition of their kindness to the testatrix and services rendered to her during her illness is bequeathed to three daughters, Beulah V. Harman, Mary Shaffer and Ethel Pittinger.

Margaret Miller, Charlotte Stitley and George Johnson, children of a deceased daughter, Minnie Johnson, are each bequeathed the sum of \$1. A similar amount is left to Charles W. Tressler and Kathleen Miller, children of a deceased son, Roy E. Tressler.

The will is dated August 16, 1948, and was witnessed by Newton O. Sharrer and Heisley B. Corum. The codicil, which contains only the revocation of the trust fund for the husband, is dated September 23, 1948. It was witnessed by John B. Pittinger and C. S. Lohr. Calvin S. Lohr is named executor.

## KNOTT-MILLER

A wedding was solemnized at St. Joseph's Church Thursday morning at 7:30 when Miss Dora Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Miller, of near town, became the bride of Joseph Knott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Knott of St. Anthony's.

Theresa Miller was her sister's maid of honor, and Donald Miller, brother of the bride, acted as groom's best man.

Rev. Francis Stauble, the bride's pastor, officiated at the ceremony.

The bridegroom, a member of the United States Army, is stationed at Camp Breckenridge, Ken. At present, he is on leave and on his return he expects to be sent overseas. Mrs. Knott expects to remain at the home of her parents while her husband is on duty with the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Miller will hold a dinner in honor of the newly married couple this Sunday.

Miss Ida Wolfe of Lancaster, is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Ray Topper, DePaul St. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Knott, near St. Anthony's, announce the birth of a daughter.

# SIX DOG LICENSE OFFENDERS REPROVED

Men Are Given Lecture By Sheriff Anders

At a general hearing held Monday evening at the office of Justice of the Peace Jacob Baker the following were arraigned and all were duly dismissed through the intercession of Frederick County Sheriff Guy Anders. Mr. Anders stressed the point of the cost of serving warrants on the "dog law" and the erroneous idea that some dog owners seem to think that because some of their neighbors have not obtained dog licenses that is a valid excuse for them also to become delinquent.

Sheriff Anders also stated that quite a number of complaints were being received for damages from the county when, after a full investigation it was determined that the damage was not by any chance inflicted by dogs. The damage it was stated, amounted to nearly \$4,000 and the dog license fees were approximately half this figure. Some of the cows and sheep reported were found to have never been near a dog and when the ducks and turkeys reported killed by wild dogs the sheriff remarked, "Who ever heard of a dog carrying a gun?"

Those tried before Magistrate Baker and Sheriff Anders were: Leonard Mitchell, John Wagaman, Joseph Cool, Ronald Hewitt, John R. Hilbert and John McGlaughlin.

All cases were dismissed and in the words of Sheriff Anders "We would like to educate instead of prosecute."

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# HUNTERS SLAY SIX MORE DEER WEDNESDAY; EMMITSBURGIANS GET SEVERAL NEAR HERE

Six more buck deer were slain in Frederick County Wednesday, the third day of the six-day open season, bringing the total for the week to 39. The total last year was 67 for the brief season.

Three additional kills were reported. A small doe was found dead just north of Salamander fire tower and a spike buck was discovered slain on Catocin Recreation Area land near a stone quarry above the watershed.

Another doe fell an illegal prey of a careless hunter, Region Game Warden Benjamin Phebus Sr., reported.

Thirty-one hunters were arrested for violations. All were cited to appear Tuesday before Magistrate William J. Stoner at Thurmont. The charges included improper license, hunting after sundown, and having loaded guns in automobiles.

Regional Warden Phebus directed a dual appeal to hunters to observe the regulation against hunting after sundown and not to shoot doe or spike buck. He said hunters should try to be in their cars by 4:30 p. m. Those caught walking through the woods with loaded guns after sundown are

charged with violations.

He said that unless hunters themselves curb the killing of doe and young bucks, they will invite closing of the deer season in Frederick County because the deer population will be wiped out.

## Emmitsburgians Kill Two

Claude W. DeBerry, checked in the largest buck killed Tuesday. He felled a 140-pound, 8-pointer near Lantz.

Wilbur T. Umbel, also of Emmitsburg, shot an 8-pointer weighing 91 pounds two miles west of Annandale School.

## Local Hunters Bag Deer In Pa.

A hunting party consisting of Charles D. Gillean, Henry G. Hoke and Harold Hoke, of town, and Duncan Moore, of Green Castle, Pa., spent a week in Coudersport, Potters County, Pa., hunting deer. "Chic" Gillean bagged an 8-point buck, while Mr. Hoke felled a 5-pointer.

Morris A. Eyler got a three-pointer near the reservoir.

Mrs. Richard Yeomans was admitted to the Gettysburg Hospital Thursday.

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