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Most Anything At A Glance

BY ABIGAIL

TRY THIS MILLSTONE

Quite recently I read an article about U. S. schools needing seven billion dollars to put them in good shape. . . . Wow, that's where we taxpayers come in. . . . According to Rep. Tom Steed (D., Okla.), there "are very few schools in the U. S. that because of increased enrollment aren't hurt." Some are desperate he says. And so he urges Congress at its next session which will incidentally, be its 81st, to get busy on the matter. Rep. Steed says that 300 million dollars a year would go a long way to meet the problem, caused by increased enrollment from year to year.

Now, here's my trend of thought: If seven billions of dollars are going to be needed to take care of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS ALONE, I shudder to think what it would cost if all the parochial and non-sectarian PRIVATE schools were to turn their pupils over to be educated in the public schools. Frankly, my poor feeble brain can't think in numbers as large as the expense entailed for such a project. . . . How much easier on us miserable taxpayers if Congress would just project enough financial aid to the private schools to get them over the hurdle of furnishing free transportation for the students, and a couple other minor features.

There's going to be a lot of fur flyin' when Congress takes up the matter of Federal aid to parochial and private schools. Just wait and see. One thing, and one thing only, can I guarantee—that you and all the other little taxpayers will foot the bill, no matter how big it'll be.

A NEW CLUB IS BORN

The formation of the new Community Fund in Emmitsburg is to me one of the most worthy projects ever started here. The officers, board of directors, etc., are receiving no remuneration whatsoever for the time and effort they're expending in building this fund into something substantial. . . . My gratitude and appreciation is also extended to the merchants and other patrons and patronesses whose contributions are the life's blood of the fund.

Purpose of the fund is as you already know, to help those fellow residents who have a sudden catastrophe hit them, and to lend assistance, morally, financially, and otherwise. The Community Fund is really sincere in its efforts to help those who need it. Already it has shown the kind of good deeds it performs. I don't believe I need go into that again.

So, whattya say, you nice people—when and if you're contacted to help, please cooperate, won't you? Because, though it's an awful thing to say, YOU might be the very one to need help some day. We never know. If we did, we'd do all we could to avert it—but somehow, it just doesn't work out that way. There's a swell bunch of fellas at the head of this Fund, so let's not let them down.

IN WHICH A GOOD WOMAN GOES TO RACK AND RUIN

I think I shall go slightly insane. There are those who call me that NOW. . . . Well, maybe they're right. In any event, I shall definitely go COMPLETELY insane if they don't soon stop playing that goofy unmusical number which is known as—"Brother, you said it—"MULE TRAIN"—It's the poorest excuse for a song, dance, or what have you that I have ever encountered in all of my maidenly perusals of song sheets and musical repertoires.

When they (the demons who used to call themselves MUSICIANS) play the number, I get the urge to run wildly. (Continued on Page 8)

MRS. RIGGS' ESTATE BELIEVED TO BE \$25,000

Money, Property Go To Sons And Husband

An estate, estimated in excess of \$25,000, of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Downey Riggs of Emmitsburg, is to be distributed to her husband, Dr. George H. Riggs, two sons and a granddaughter, according to the terms of her will admitted to probate this week by the Orphans' Court.

Apparently conflicting paragraphs in the will caused Registrar of Wills Harry D. Radcliff to caution persons contemplating the execution of a will to consult counsel. During the past week, he reported, his office has received three wills which have proven defective in part. One of the wills filed had no signatures of attesting witnesses.

May Go To Court

Court attaches said it may be necessary to have the Circuit Court construe the intent of the testatrix in disposing of real estate. It was dated August 2, 1947, and witnessed by Alice S. Shorb and Frank W. Weant, Emmitsburg.

In one paragraph, Mrs. Riggs' will, reported written by herself, gives absolutely to her son, William Owings Stone, the "home" property at 104, 106 and 108 W. Main St., Emmitsburg.

In the next paragraph she said: "I desire the home property to be taken as the property of William Owings Stone's share at the appraisal price of Frederick County, \$4,520.00."

Specifically, Mrs. Riggs bequeathed \$1,000 to Margaret Elizabeth Stone, daughter of William Owings and Margaret Stone, to be used for her education. Also provided were jewelry for Elizabeth Stone, and gifts for each son in separate envelopes. Any stocks and bonds are to be divided in equal shares by the husband and two sons.

Executors Qualify

The deed to the home property, the will explains, is contained in the will of Daniel E. Stone, Jr., who died in 1920.

Dr. Riggs and the two sons, Jesse Edwin and William Owings Stone qualified as executors, as appointed, and named Thomas J. Frailey, Emmitsburg, as their agent.

Phone Strike Looms Here

Telephone service for Emmitsburg will not be affected by the union order for a nation-wide strike of employees unless striking workers from other areas jockey the local exchange. The strike of 100,000 members of the CIO Communications Workers is scheduled to begin on Feb. 8.

Bargaining for a new contract by the CWA-CIO with the Chesapeake and Potomac Tele. Co. of Baltimore, which includes all exchanges in Maryland, began yesterday in Baltimore. According to a telephone company spokesman, this bargaining must run for at least 30 days.

Employees of the Western Electric Co., a manufacturing subsidiary of the Bell Co., who are now on strike, may come to the local exchange and picket the building. If the local employees decide to honor the picket line, operations here will cease. Since there are no Western Electric employees permanently located in Emmitsburg, these pickets would have to be imported, according to a telephone company official.

Plans for settling the nationwide strike were set by the union president, Joseph A. Beirne, and announced by him Monday. According to the union announcement, if the strike occurs, emergency calls will be handled by skeleton crews.

DIRECTORS' MEETING

A special meeting of the Emmitsburg Baseball Assn. will be called at 1 p. m. Sunday afternoon in the Firemen's Hall, President Bernard H. Boyle announced this week. Important business necessitates a full attendance.

COUNTY ASSESSORS TO WORK YEAR ROUND

Will Continue On Same Basis As In Past Years

The revolving assessment of real estate and personal property will continue in Frederick County this year on approximately the same basis as last year, it was indicated this week.

Assessment officials are understood to feel that it would be possible to follow no other course and keep the five-year plan in equitable operation. Under this set-up, the whole county is reviewed once each five years. Last year was the first under the latest five-year program.

With Supervisor of Assessments A. Lamar Barrick, the assessors attended the general meeting of assessors from all sections of the State which was held in Baltimore last week. At that time, according to dispatches the assessment officials were told to abandon the plan of following a previous year's values—in this case 1944—as a yardstick in making 1950 assessments and to use their own judgment.

The assessors understood that they were to assess at what they consider "normal" values for this period of time and this is expected to result in little change in general over 1949 as far as the reassessment practices are concerned.

There was some talk before the meeting started that the assessors might be asked to assess at 100 per cent cash values but no such statement was made to them by the Tax Commission.

First "Tall Tale" Indicates Contest To Be Tough One

There are a lot of people who will not believe this story; but, there are a lot of people who are skeptical of the fact of the world being round.

On the spring of 1915 while fishing for trout in Potter County, Pa., I accidentally hooked and landed a large German carp. As Bob Ripley said, "Believe It or Not."

This carp could talk. He said (and I quote him): "You look like a good guy, turn me free, and I will locate trout for you." I did.

Fritz Carp would meet me every morning at the same place and by means of a red flag I had attached to his tail, would signal me to drop my hook where a trout was lurking.

I caught many fine trout under this arrangement, until one fatal day which I had loaned the carp's services to a friend.

The friend while carrying the carp from our favorite creek to another, accidentally dropped the carp in a small pool, and my carp was drowned.

HOMER C. BOLAND

Sportsmen's Hold Meeting

More than 75 members, largest number ever to attend a meeting in Emmitsburg, were present at the regular monthly meeting of the Indian Lookout Conservation Club held Tuesday evening in the Firemen's Hall. "Pete" Aldrich, president, presided.

Sixteen rabbits, received from the game commission, were released in the hunting areas, according to reports by Weldon Shank, head of the game committee.

Plans for the building of a club cabin were again discussed. Two committees were appointed, one for drawing up the plans, and the other to raise funds.

Several new members were accepted into the organization, making the total membership of the club 145.

Following the business meeting, Rev. Philip Bower projected a sound movie, "Whistling Wings." Refreshments were served.

Elmer Cregger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cregger, near here, spent several days this week visiting in Alexandria, Va.

Interesting Travelogue Describes Majestic Fontana TVA Project

By REV. CHARLES S. OWEN

FONTANA

Almost everywhere we went in the Southern Mountains, people advised that we go and see Fontana, that this was one place we could not afford to miss. So we took off a day for this purpose. Fontana is one of the T.V.A. dams. Around it has been fashioned America's newest scenic vacation paradise. It is located on the southern border of the Great Smoky Mountain Park.

One of the surprising facts was to learn that, on the average, ten thousand tourists were visiting the place daily. On holidays or other special days, it was not unusual for as many as twenty thousand tourists to come. Fontana is both the largest and the highest dam of the T.V.A. System, and one among the largest in the world.

Of course, there are many other noted dams in the general vicinity. There is the Hiwassee Dam on the western edge of the park. This is the highest overflow dam in the world. Also there is the Calderwood Dam, Cheoah Dam, Alcoa Dams, and others.

Many of these are passed on the way to Fontana. These picturesque dams, and the blue lakes they impound in the rugged mountains, are attracting tourists by the millions. They come from every state of the Union and from all over the world. Observation busses, filled with tourists, are frequently seen on the highway going to or from Fontana. These busses are equipped with removable tops so that the passengers can look up and see the towering mountains rising about them.

Of all the dams in the Great Smoky Mountain Park and vicinity, Fontana is by far the most popular and picturesque. The government has landscaped it with a beautiful design. This dam backs up the Little Tennessee River for a distance of 39 miles. If you prefer you can park your car at Bryson City, a few miles west of the Cherokee Indian village, and go to Fontana by water route. From there by boat the distance is 35 miles. Or, if you drive, the distance will be 70 miles through some of the most rugged mountain formations to be found in eastern America.

A few words about this highway to Fontana might be interesting. It first ascends the semi-circular bowl of the famed Nantahala Gorge. Far ahead one can see the highway in the distance like a tiny groove etched in the side of the bowl as it follows the pleated contours of the steep sides. Above, sketched against the skyline on the rim of the bowl, can be seen one sector of the Blue Ridge Parkway being constructed. The hair-pin curves of the bobby-pin type, remind one of the roller coaster as he drives upon it. Also there is presented many dizzy views of natural grandeur. This same highway passes through the Joyce Kilmer Memorial Forests, the largest tract of virgin timber in the East. This is dedicated to the memory of the well-known poet, author of 'Trees,' killed in World War I. The highway continues up and down, back and forth, through narrow valleys until it ends at Fontana.

LAST OF T.V.A. DAMS
Fontana is the 28th and last of the T.V.A. Dams to be constructed, according to official reports. The name is derived from an Italian naturalist by the name of Felicia Montain who explored the region about 60 years ago. At that time the whole area was an unknown wilderness. The dam itself is one of the wonders of modern engineering. It is 480 feet high, not far under the height of the Washington Monument. At the base it is 375 feet thick. Across the top runs a double-land highway with side walks. Connecting with link is a new highway, to be built, the entire length of the water edge back to Bryson City. This will greatly shorten the distance to the dam for the American tourists, as well as open up to the public scenic grandeur hitherto unknown.

Believe it or not, the distance now from the foot of the dam to

the top, is five miles over a winding highway passing through the village of Fontana. This highway approaches the top of the dam from the mountain above. The first sight of the spectacle, therefore, is in the form of a balcony view looking down on the mirrored blue lake below.

The Federal Government has done everything to beautify and landscape this magnificent approach to give the appearance of coming into some mysterious paradise. Parking spaces adorned with shrubbery and flowers, invite the tourist to stop and look. Looking down upon the glories of what God and man, working together, have made, presents a wonderful spectacle. As one approaches the headquarters, he is greeted with the sign: "Built for the people of the United States." The officials greet you with utmost courtesy. They ask you to register, offer to answer any questions, and assure that it all belongs to you.

The five miles from the floor to the top of the dam, mentioned above, is to be shortened to 480 feet. This will be done by means of an incline railway now being constructed. The car, drawn by a cable, will be run on a track deviating slightly from the perpendicular. By this the tourist will be able to save the five miles by going directly from the top down the abutment to the five-story power house below, or vice versa.

At the floor of the dam are two generators. A third is to be installed. Each one has an output of 100,000 horsepower. These are said to be the largest in the world. In Niagara Falls, called the Power City of America, where we used to live, I frequently had occasion to take friends or visitors through the big power plant. The largest generators there had an output of 70,000 horsepower, smaller than those at Fontana.

The primary purpose of these dams is flood control, we were told. The flood control device at Fontana was another interesting piece of engineering. Two tubes, each 34 feet in diameter, tunnel through the mountainside to let out surplus water through the flood gates. Such a huge volume of water rushing at such a high speed would devour the bed of the river below. This is overcome by the construction of a spoon-like bowl at the bottom of each tube. This causes the water to shoot 150 feet in the air and to spray itself out on the river bed below. I asked the guide if he would give us a demonstration. He said that he would gladly oblige provided we would get permission from Knoxville.

The secondary purpose of these dams is electricity. Big power lines go out in many directions carrying 154,000 volts each. Often these huge power lines jump from the top of one mountain to another. What a wonderful place for a tight-rope performer to exhibit his daring?

One of the surprising observations in the Southern Mountains was the almost universal use of electricity. Much of this is due to the T.V.A. Almost every home we visited, and we got back into some very remote places, we found electricity and frequently electric fixtures in the homes or cabins.

VILLAGE OF FONTANA

Equally interesting was the little village of Fontana located on the steep mountain side about two and a half miles from the dam. The doll-like houses reminded one of toy boxes pinned on the wall with thumb tacks. These little structures have three rooms each with modern furnishings including running water. They can be rented for \$15 per day. A trailer can be rented for \$5 per day. Otherwise, you can spread your camping tent for nothing on the public camping grounds. The little town was crowded with tourists. The business area was almost as congested as the downtown section of a city.

The village was first built to house the workers who constructed the dam. When the project was completed, the permanent village was built. (Continued on Page Eight)

MANY VOTERS TO BE WIPED OFF REGISTER

Thousands Will Lose Privilege In County

The Board of Election Supervisors will this week begin removing the names of several thousand registered voters from the registration books in compliance with the law providing removal after failure to exercise right of franchise for the past five years.

The officials said it is difficult to estimate the number of names to be eliminated during the process, but best guesses are that more than 3,000 less names will be on the books after the pruning work is completed.

Several extra employees from both parties will carry on the work, which means a thorough check of the voting record of all persons now registered.

Those who are eliminated and wish to vote in the primary and general election next September and November, respectively, will have to re-register, it was pointed out. Some of the names to be removed, it was further explained, will be those of persons who have moved from the County and will not be eligible to re-register.

The Supervisors conferred with representatives of firms interested in submitting bids for materials and equipment to be used in transferring names of registrants from present registration books to cards. Specifications were drawn and bidders were notified to submit their prices on or before Feb. 15. The Supervisors will open the sealed bids on that date and award a contract for the paper, printing and filing equipment needed.

Work of transferring the registrations to cards will be started as soon after the materials and equipment are available as possible, it was announced. A group of workers is being recruited to do this work and the Supervisors estimate that it will require a month or more to complete the task.

Two representatives of each party will carry out the process of removing names from the books because of failure to cast a ballot in five years. The old books will be stamped to show removal for that cause and the names of those in default will not be entered on the new cards.

It was explained that the names of those not voting for five years should probably have been removed sooner but a previous opinion of the attorney to the board at the time had held that the law was not retroactive and the Supervisors were required to wait five years before putting the provision into effect. The five-year period has now expired, it was explained this week.

Sports Jamboree To Appear Here Sunday

On Sunday, Feb. 5, the Union Bridge Tumbling Club, under the direction of Jack Bubrick, plans to present an Athletic Jamboree at 2:30 p. m. in St. Joseph's auditorium.

The entertainment will consist of tumbling, stunts on the springboard, wrestling, singing and dancing, as well as acts of drama and comedy.

Boys and girls from the first to the eleventh grades take part in the show.

On Tuesday, the students of St. Joseph's began their annual retreat. The Rev. Eustace MacDonald, C.P., is the Retreat Master. Devotions will be brought to a close Friday morning with Mass, followed by a communion breakfast at which Fr. MacDonald and Fr. Michael O'Brien will be guests.

The Junior Class expects to receive their class rings February 14th.

There will be two basketball games for the boys' team during the week of Feb. 6. Waynesboro C.Y.O. will meet St. Joe's at the local gym on Monday at eight o'clock. On Thursday night, Rouzerville will travel to Emmitsburg to play against St. Joe's. This game also is scheduled for eight o'clock.

PEN-MAR LEAGUE COMPLETES ORGANIZATION

Addition Of Westminster Rounds Out Circuit

Organization of the new Penn-Mar Baseball League was completed Tuesday night in Littlestown, Pa., Dr. D. L. Beegle, president, announced that Westminster had been admitted to the league and that completed the circuit. The clubs all posted the \$50 forfeit money at Tuesday's session.

President Beegle announced that the curtain-raiser for the 1950 season will take place on April 23, and the finale of the season on Sunday, Sept. 10. The Shaughnessy playoffs will begin on Sept. 17.

Many of the bylaws of the old Penn-Maryland League were incorporated into the new circuit and new ones inserted. All disputes will be settled by a three-man board of arbitration, consisting of Guy McGlaughlin, Emmitsburg; Rev. Frank Reynolds, Littlestown, and Capt. Grenier, Hanover. Officers of the new league are: Dr. D. L. Beegle, Emmitsburg, president; Bernard Weaver, Littlestown, Pa., vice president, and C. A. Elder, Emmitsburg, secretary-treasurer.

Only Sunday baseball will be played by the loop. As yet, the 1950 schedule has not been drawn up, but it is expected to be ready for presentation at the next meeting of the organization at Littlestown on March 7, at 8:00 p. m.

Teams entered in the new league are: Hanover, Westminster, Littlestown, McSherrystown, Taneytown, Blue Ridge Summit, Thurmont, and Emmitsburg.

P-TA Hears Report On School

The Emmitsburg Public School P-TA met last week in the high school auditorium. Reports were given by Messrs. Sam Hays and George Wilhide on the county program for rebuilding or enlarging schools in Frederick County. The Community Fund Committee also reported on the organization and plans for the management and disbursement of the funds. One member of the P-TA was to be appointed by the president, Andrew Eyster, for a permanent member of the board of directors.

Norman Shriver, member of the school improvement committee, reported a project to clear the stream running near the school grounds of sewerage and connecting the school sewer with the city system. Also, recommended that the back street be used by school children rather than the public highway for the safety of the children.

The meeting was then turned over to Officer Bond who spoke and showed pictures in the interest of safety on the highways. Maryland is one of the worst states as far as automobile accidents are concerned, standing 46th on the list. Forty-five more people were killed in highway accidents in 1949 than in 1948.

It was announced that a food sale would be held by the P-TA in the Firemen's hall in February, with announcement of the date later. Miss Edna Stull was appointed general chairman.

Water Company Is Erecting New Building

Work on the construction of a new building which will house the offices of the Emmitsburg Water Co., reached the half-way mark this week. The building is to be of concrete block construction and will be a one-story affair. President Samuel C. Hays, of the company, announced that, weather permitting, the work should be completed in about two months. The company's new construction is located on E. Main St., between C. A. Harner and Josephine Steinberger properties.

Mr. George E. Martin of Thurmont purchased the property of the late Bessie McMahon, near St. Anthony's.

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Come to Church

ST. JOSEPH'S R. C. CHURCH
Rev. Father Francis Stauble, Pastor.
Masses on Sunday at 7, 8:30 and 10 o'clock. Weekdays, 6:30 a. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Charles S. Owen, Pastor
7:30 p. m.—Evening Service of Worship and Sermon.

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

LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rev. Philip Bower, Pastor
Sunday School — 9:30 a. m.
The Brotherhood Class will be taught by Dr. D. L. Beegle.
The Service—10:30 a. m. Sermon, "Pay Day n Heaven."
Catechise Class—6 p. m.
Luther League—6:30 p. m.
Children's Choir meets Monday at 3:45. Junior Choir meets Tuesday at 7 p. m.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rodgers are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter last Saturday at the Annie Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, Pa. This is the couple's second child.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Topper moved last week to near Annapolis, where Mr. Topper will work as an auto mechanic.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Topper and son of Baltimore, visited over the week-end with Mrs. Ray Topper of DePaul St., and with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Redding, near Gettysburg, Pa.

Mrs. Edward Graham and son, of Long Island, N. Y., visited during the past week with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hunter Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baumgardner left last week to spend the winter months at Bradenton Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Naylor of Washington, D. C., spent last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. George C. Naylor.

Poultry Pointers

By FREDERICK BLOCK

YELLOW BEAKS,

RADIANT HEAT

If your pullet flock (birds hatched in 1949) started laying at the normal age characteristic for its age, there should not be any bird left without a completely bleached out beak. More details on culling will appear at a better time, however, it will save you feed when you cull out all pullets now with yellow beaks, because it does not take longer than 6 to 8 weeks for the beak to bleach out when a bird is laying.

The so-called radiant heat means radiant floor heating of a brooder house. It is furnished by hot water pipes over the whole area of the brooder space. The pipes are arranged in parallel rows imbedded in an insulating material, and covered by a thin layer of concrete as finishing surface. The hot water in the pipes is furnished by one heating plant providing a uniform degree of heat over the whole area. It keeps the litter dry and warm, and the chicks comfortable from below rather than from above as with "mother hen improved" methods such as electric hovers do. One could place hovers over parts of such an arrangement.

Another type of radiant floor heating can be constructed with electric insulated wires imbedded in a concrete floor. This type is cheaper to install than hot water heating plants. However, the kilowatt hours for this system are many, and it needs more experiments before one can judge the practicability of this type of brooding. Radiant heating brings advantages such as not crowding, so that chicks distribute themselves over all available space. Dry litter will reduce coccidiosis and other moist favoring sicknesses. The main advantage for a larger operator is the saving of time, and if water and feed facilities are arranged smartly, no human foot has to step often into the chick's world. Combining the heat plant with one's own home heating outfit ought to increase not only the chick's, but also the man's comfort.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lamber-son and nephew of Pittsburgh, Pa., visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Seiss.

Mrs. Warren Gelwicks spent the week-end with her husband and children in Baltimore. Dinner guests on Thursday of

last week at the home of Miss Alice Kelly were Misses Mary, Annie, and Bertha Eckenrode of St. Anthony's.

The number of buttons on the Navy enlisted men's blue trousers, 13, has never been explained.

40th Anniversary BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

BOY SCOUT WEEK—FEB. 6 TO 12, 1950

ABE HARRIS SAYS:

CONGRATULATIONS!

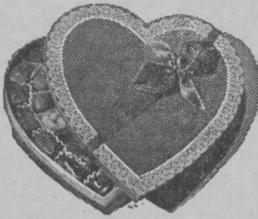
We have observed the origin and growth of the Boy Scout program in this area since the day it was begun, and we wholeheartedly urge every boy to become a member of the Cub Pack or a Scout Troop. More than that, we recommend Scout leadership to every man who wants an effective part in juvenile delinquency and the development of true American citizenship.

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BIRTHDAY PARTY

A party was held last Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Valentine in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Valentine.

Guests attending the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. Valentine and family; Mrs. Addie Valentine, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Valentine of Thurmont, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Valentine of Graceham, Mr. and Mrs. Berkeley Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Toms of Jefferson.

Approximately 150 attended the roller skating party held last

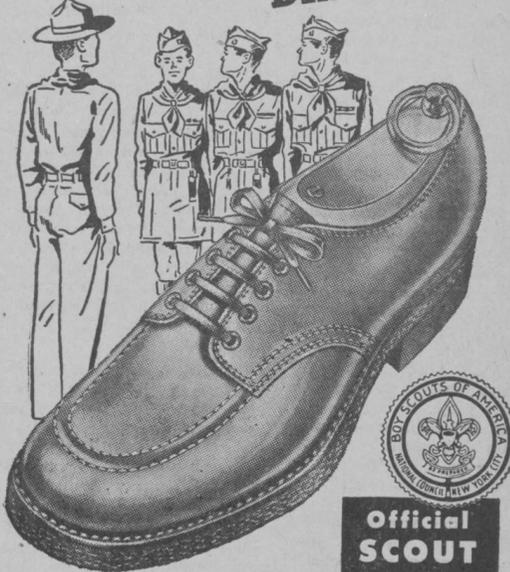
Thursday evening at the Rainbow Rink, Taneytown. The party was sponsored by the Emmitsburg High School.

Miss Ruth Gillelan, Miss Ann Codori, Miss Grace Rowe, Mrs. James T. Hays, Mrs. Morris Zentz, Mrs. Harry Boyle and Mrs. Andrew Keilholtz attended recently the annual tea at the Warner Hospital given by the auxiliary's executive committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Palmer and family of Silver Spring, were visitors recently of Mr. and Mrs. B. David Martin and Miss Ima Martin.

In Observance of Boy Scout Week

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CHRONICLE

SHORT STORY
Mister Gill

By Richard Hill Wilkinson

AT FIRST Mr. Otis Gill had seemed to take a liking to young Arthur Forbes. But he changed his opinion when the Champion began to buck the choppy seas of the open Atlantic. She was not a large liner, and the waves were running high. Arthur Forbes turned away suddenly and, clutching the deck rail for support shaped an unsteady course for the companionway.

Mr. Gill burst into guffaws of laughter.

"Seasick!" he said, addressing a young couple nearby and nodding toward the companionway.

3-Minute Fiction

The young couple smiled politely but with a lack of enthusiasm. Neither of them felt equal to the task of getting up and following on young Arthur Forbes' heels.

The dining salon was located beneath the forward deck; Mr. Gill's table was at the extreme end, near that section where the vessel's bow began to narrow. He had hardly seated himself when he saw that young Arthur Forbes was placed two tables away and slightly behind. There was a plate of food on the table before the youth, but it was untouched. Like one in a trance Mr. Forbes was sitting with eyes widened greatly beyond their normal size, cheeks as pale as death.

After a time Mr. Gill saw that the youth at the other table was staring toward a port-hole, and his grin broadened. The port-hole was located far forward, and with each dip of the vessel one could see the entire slope of a wave, from trough to crest. Then for a space there would be nothing but open sky. It provided a sensation similar to riding on a roller coaster.

Mr. Gill knew that as long as young Forbes continued to stare through the port-hole his seasickness would steadily grow worse. And he chuckled at the thought.

After a while Mr. Gill found it was easier to stare straight ahead than to sit half-turned in his chair in order to watch young Forbes, who, after all, wasn't the most pleasing sight in the world. And in staring straight ahead Mr. Gill found that he was looking directly through the porthole at the swishing seas.



Mr. Gill was sober now; his face pale, his eyes glassy.

HE WATCHED idly for a few moments and then looked away, conscious of a feeling in his stomach not wholly normal. The sensation passed and he looked again at the port-hole, feeling more comfortable in this position. Instantly the same strange sensation attacked him again.

Mr. Gill was sober now; his face pale; his eyes glassy. Realization of what was happening to him came like a shock. He was seasick! Helplessly, miserably ill. Never in his life could Mr. Gill remember feeling so utterly at the mercy of anything.

Miraculously Mr. Gill reached the doorway and disappeared up the stairs. Instantly the dining salon was a bedlam of laughter. Up toward the bow young Arthur Forbes was wiping some white substance from his cheeks and grinning broadly. Several men came over and spoke.

"I'll change your order, sir. Bring you some hot food."

Mr. Forbes smiled. "Thanks. And say, steward, that was a smart idea of yours—asking me to play the role of the helplessly seasick passenger and placing Gill at that table directly opposite the port-hole."

The steward nodded, eyes a-twinkle. "We have a man like Mr. Gill on board every voyage, sir. And we have that table placed there for just his type. No one else is asked to sit so far forward."

Mr. Forbes chuckled. "Think of everything for the comfort of your passengers, eh? Well, if you didn't I'm afraid this voyage would have proved almost intolerable—with Gill talking the way he was."

Released by WNU Features

Every farmer's wife should understand how important it is to her and her children that her husband make a will.

HOMEMAKERS' CORNER

Do you like fresh coconut, yet hate the struggle involved in opening one to extract the "meat"? Then you'll appreciate these suggestions from home economists of the University of Maryland Extension Service.

In choosing a coconut, shake the nut to make sure that it contains plenty of milk. Before opening it, pierce the soft round spots or "eyes" found at one end with a nail or ice pick, and drain the milk into a bowl. As for the shell, it will crack off easily if you heat the coconut 10 to 15 minutes in a moderate 350 degree oven. After the inner skin is removed with a paring knife, the flesh is ready to grate.

Fresh shredded coconut will keep for a week or more if covered and refrigerated. Coconut milk keeps less well and should be used promptly to flavor puddings, cakes and other foods where it may substitute as part of the liquid in the recipe.

The Carpet Institute tells us that professional repair and cleaning of rugs would be greatly helped if carpet owners would take daily care of their floor coverings.

When dirt gets in, the Institute reports, it eventually flattens down the pile and all the wear is at the base of the tuft, the weakest point. The dirt also has a grinding action which does considerable damage.

A light daily cleaning consisting of three strokes over each area of carpeting with a vacuum of carpet sweeper is recommended. A more thorough cleaning—up to seven strokes—should be given each week.

Most spots on carpeting can be removed at home if proper methods are followed, but quick action is necessary. All cleaners don't remove all types of soil. When a rug is shampooed at home, it should be dried thoroughly and as quickly as possible to prevent shrinkage and mildewing.

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CROP Feeds Hungry and Needy

Rural Frederick countians are investing in a new kind of crop insurance—an insurance that destroys the seeds of war which spring up in the fertile soil of hunger. They are giving to the current CROP (Christian Rural Overseas Program) campaign to send Christian carloads of food to people in Europe and Asia who are without funds to buy the little food that is available to them.

CROP foods are not given to the people who are just poor. They are given, through established church channels, to people who are destitute, and four years after the end of World War II there are still hundreds of millions of people destitute.

The Christian people of Frederick County who are giving through CROP are doing it because they believe that their sharing now may mean their sparing later from an ever-impending World War III.

Throughout Maryland and Delaware, rural church folk are working to collect enough contributions to make up 40 carloads. CROP was organized in 1947 as a result of grass-roots pressure toward commodity rather than cash giving and still continues largely on that basis. However, it has now become possible, through recent government release of surplus foods, to give just as effectively with cash, which can be used to purchase from this surplus at reduced prices, thus stabilizing the local market and feeding the hungry at the same time.

CROP is the only organization of its kind in America and is the cooperative venture of Church World Service, Catholic Rural Life Assn. and Lutheran World Relief.

Radar came from the beginning of the phrase "Radio Detection and Ranging." Germany lost 150 submarine in the first six months of 1943.



KITCHEN MEMO BY JEAN CLARKE

Complete oven meals are efficient time-savers and can include every course from soup to dessert. When cooking your oven meals, use an Oven-Made Vegetable Soup. Most other recipes in the complete oven meal won't take as long as three hours' cooking as does this soup but slide it into the oven ahead of the other dishes. Put 2 lbs. beef knuckles into dutch oven or tight-lidded pan. Cover with 2 qts. water, set on oven rack, turn thermostat to 350°. Cook for 2 hrs. Then mix in 1 cup carrots, 1/2 cup cabbage, 1 cup potatoes, diced, 1 medium-sized onion, 1 stalk celery, diced, 1 tsp. salt. Cook an additional hour. Note: Tomatoes, turnips or rutabagas may be added to the soup. It may also be cooked over a low flame on the top burner if you're not baking.

Old powder puffs are flexible and soft enough to make excellent silver polishers and for applying cleaner to mirrors.

Added comfort for cold bathrooms is a gas space heater now made in white to match bathroom fixtures.

When a hot dish sticks to oil-cloth, pour hot water around it and in a few minutes you can pick up the dish without marring the oil-cloth.

An owner's guide is always included with your gas range. It's a good reference for time-saving hints on meal preparation and cooking and simple everyday care.

Equal parts of finely crushed cornflakes and flour will make a crisp crust for fish. Keep the flame turned low because you don't need as high heat to brown the crust.

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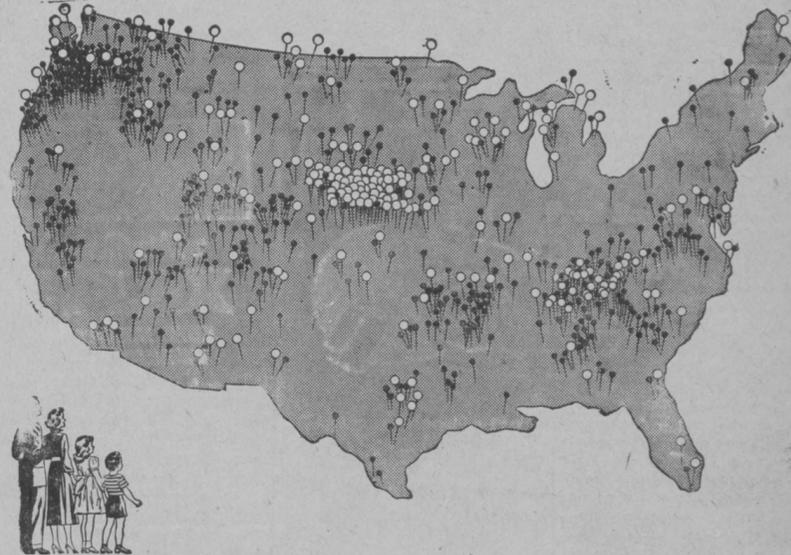
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One of the main roads to socialism is government ownership and control of important businesses. The electric light and power business is one—and this map shows how far the government is in it already.

Every white dot—209 of them—on the map marks an electric power plant now operated or financed by our federal government. Every black dot shows where another government power plant is being built, expanded or proposed. In all—over

700 places in 44 states! And a long step toward a socialistic U.S.A.

Most of the people who speak for more government control over American life don't want a socialistic nation. They have other reasons for government control.

But when government, moving step by step, controls enough things, we'll have a socialist government, whether we want it or not. And, instead of our freedoms, we'll have government control, not only over business, but over churches, schools, homes—our whole lives.

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MARYLAND FEED & GRAIN MARKETS

Baltimore grain markets, in accordance with the national trend, were steady to higher during the week ended Jan. 27. Supplies are plentiful; demand, fair. Wheat markets were firm in Baltimore and Western Maryland and advanced about two cents per bushel in Central Maryland. Corn, barley and oats were steady on the Baltimore market. The Baltimore soybean market strengthened during the past week with demand fairly brisk. Both yellow and black soybeans advanced about three cents per bushel. The hay market is dull.

National Grain Market

Prices of the principal grains advanced slightly during the week, reports to the Dept. of Agriculture show. Lighter market offerings with some export trade in wheat and corn were the principal strengthening factors. Domestic inquiry was slow for feed grains because of unseasonably warm weather in southern portions of the country. Marketings of wheat included a considerable portion of high-protein wheat which brought prices equal to or somewhat above loan value. Disappearance of wheat to the first of January this season fell about 100 million bushels short of that of last season, while disappearances of feed grains were well above last year. Stocks of wheat, corn, and grain sorghums at the first of January were considerably above a year ago, but stocks of oats and barley were smaller.

Maryland Feed Market

The Baltimore feed market, following the national trend, weakened during the week. Supplies are ample; demand, moderate. Weakness was most pronounced in 50% meat scrap which dropped sharply more than 4% — \$5.42 per ton less than last week. Brewers' dried grains declined 3% on the Baltimore market—\$2.13 per ton less, soybean meal down over 2% — \$2.14 per ton less and cotton seed meal, \$1.27 per ton less than a week ago. Wheat millfeeds showed weakness on the Baltimore market with standard bran down almost 2% — \$1.20 per ton less and standard middlings down over 2% — \$1.31 per ton less. Gluten feed was the only feed showing an advance on the Baltimore market — \$1.45 per ton higher than last week's average.

The broiler-feed ratio was more favorable for Maryland producers for the week. Broiler prices averaged 22.8 cents per pound (18.4 cents last week) while 20% broiler mash on Lower Eastern Shore averaged \$92.10 per ton (\$91.79 per ton last week). On this basis one pound live weight of broiler would buy five pounds of feed (4 pounds last week).

National Feed Market

Feedstuff markets made further declines during the week, influenced principally by plentiful supplies, slow demand, and continued mild weather in important feeding areas, according to reports to the Dept. of Agriculture. Wheat millfeeds were in plentiful supply and prices of bran declined \$2-2.50, and standard middlings and shorts \$1-1.50 a ton at the principal milling centers. Oilseed meals were sharply lower, with the most decline in linseed meal. Gluten feed prices held steady, while hominy feed declined on an average of about \$1 per ton. Distillers' dried grains were 01-2 per ton lower. Alfalfa meal prices were unchanged to slightly lower, while digester tankage prices were as much as \$5 per ton down at some markets. The index number of wholesale feedstuff prices dropped over four points, to 203.4 compared with 226.8 a year ago. The feed grain index dropped nearly two points, to 182.3 as against 197.7 a year ago.

HEALTH COLUMN

MEASLES CAN BE SERIOUS

Measles is a common disease of childhood, but it is not to be taken lightly. The complications that can result from measles can injure a child's health permanently and perhaps endanger his life. An attack of measles, moreover, can leave a child vulnerable to serious infections of the eyes, the nose, the throat, and the digestive tract.

It is true that there is no specific way of preventing measles, and isolation of the patient is not very effective. But measles can be a very serious illness for babies and young children in delicate health and parents make a mistake when they allow children to be exposed in a desire to "get it over with."

When a mother knows or suspects that her baby has been exposed to measles, she should tell the doctor at once. While there is no immunizing agent against measles, the doctor can give the exposed child treatment that serves as temporary protection against a severe form of the disease. If the doctor can use a protective serum soon enough after exposure, measles might even be prevented. If, however, the child who is treated does get the measles, he is more likely to get the disease in a milder form.

Measles is a highly contagious disease most commonly spread by direct contact. The "measles germ" itself is a virus—an agent so small it cannot be seen with an ordinary microscope—passed on in droplets of moisture by the coughing, sneezing, and talking of a person who has the measles.

Measles is usually spread by a person "getting" the disease—for some days before the characteristic red rash appears.

The early symptoms of measles are similar to those of a cold and include sneezing, running nose, and watery eyes. At times the patient vomits and has a slight fever. The red spots appear on the skin a few days after infection has set in, and usually fade in three or four days.

At the slightest suspicion that a child is getting measles, he should be put to bed at once and the doctor called immediately. If the child does have the measles, the doctor will advise the parents on how to care for him.

Other children in the household should be kept away from the sick child to protect him from any infections they might have. Special measures should be taken to protect infants and children, because the younger a child is, the more dangerous measles can be for him.

Although measles is primarily a disease of children, it can attack at any age. And, if neglected, it can lead to serious complications as easily in adult life as in childhood.



KITCHEN MEMO BY JEAN CLARKE

Persuading the children to eat their daily quota of vegetables is sometimes rather difficult unless you camouflage them with a dish like **Spy Vegetable Casserole**. Arrange 1 1/2 cups canned green beans, cut in half, and 1 pkg. frozen asparagus (or 2 cups canned) in a sauced casserole dish. In a saucepan melt 2 tbsps. fat. Add 2 tbsps. flour, stir in 2 cups milk and 2 bouillon cubes. Cook until sauce thickens, then add 3/4 tsp. salt, 1/2 tsp. celery seed, 2 tbsps. prepared mustard. Pour sauce over vegetables, cover and bake in moderate gas oven (350°F.) for 25 mins. Garnish with 2 hard cooked eggs, finely chopped. Serves 6.

For every hour needed to dry a blanket on an outdoor line in average weather, it takes only 3 to 4 minutes in an automatic gas dryer. Time saved: at least three hours.

Equal parts of potato chips and corn flakes make a good topping for casserole dishes and a delicious coating for croquettes.

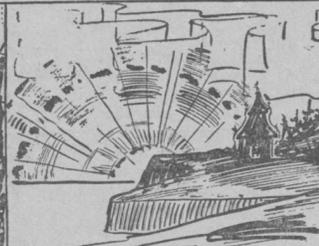
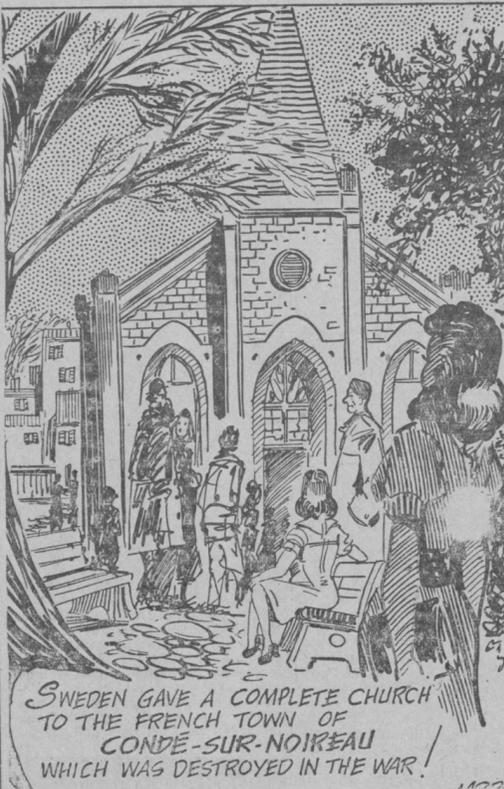
The average homemaker washes six tons of dishes a year—a tremendous chore unless you have plenty of hot water. The thermostat of an automatic gas water heater is usually set at 140°F. Around 180°F. is the hottest the hands can stand. For dishwashing, mix in a little cold water unless you want to re-set the thermostat each time.

Rest your stirring spoon on absorbent paper towel on the work surface of your gas range. Saves cleaning up food stains.

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LOOKING AT RELIGION

By DON MOORE



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February 27, Mrs. Roy Maxell, Mrs. Lewis Stones and Miss Charlotte Miller.

March 13, Mrs. George Eyster, Mrs. John White, Mrs. Irvin Brown and Mrs. Carroll Martin.

March 27, Mrs. Harry McNair, Mrs. Roscoe Shindlecker, Mrs. Harry McDonnell.

April 10, Mrs. Treva Beegle, Mrs. Philip Bower, Miss Ruth Shuff and Mrs. James Sayler.

April 24, Mrs. A. W. McCreaf, Mrs. Morris A. Zentz and Mrs. Edward Smith.

Miss Mary Dee Stoudt returned to Baltimore after spending the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stoudt, of St. Anthony's.

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Given under my hand this 23rd day of January, 1950.

GEORGE B. REYNOLDS, Administrator

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Given under my hand this 23rd day of January, 1950.

EDWARD D. STORM, Ancillary Administrator

EDWARD D. STORM, Attorney

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

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THEODORE J. BOLLINGER, Administrator

EDWARD D. STORM, Attorney

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ADMINISTRATRIX'S C. T. A. NOTICE

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Given under my hand this 23rd day of January, 1950.

MARY THERESA HOUCK, Administratrix, c. t. a.

J. WARD KERRIGAN, Agent

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EXECUTORS' NOTICE

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indebted to the deceased are desired to make immediate payment.

Given under our hands this 30th day of January, 1950.

WILLIAM OWINGS STONE GEORGE H. RIGGS JESSE EDWIN STONE Executors

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Given under my hand this 3rd day of January, 1950.

GEORGE L. WILHIDE, Executor

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EXECUTORS' NOTICE

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Given under our hands this 16th day of January, 1950.

ROBERT W. STONESIFER and EDGAR M. STONESIFER Executors

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Frederick County, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the estate of MARY NINA BAUMGARDNER late of Frederick County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 4th day of September, 1950 next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Those indebted to the deceased are desired to make immediate payment.

Given under our hands this 16th day of January, 1950.

ROBERT W. STONESIFER and EDGAR M. STONESIFER Executors

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cluded from all benefit of said estate. Those indebted to the deceased are desired to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 30th day of January, 1950.

CARL WM. BAUMGARDNER Executor

SHERMAN P. BOWERS, Attorney

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PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

By virtue of the Order of the Orphans' Court for Frederick County, Maryland, passed on the 30th day of January, 1950, the undersigned Executor, and as Agent for the Deceased Owners, will sell at Public Sale, at the premises and late home of Thomas Baumgardner and Mary Nina Baumgardner, (Both deceased), along the Public Road leading from Emmitsburg to Waynesboro, in Emmitsburg Election District, Frederick County, Maryland, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1950 the following personal property:

2 shares, The Detour Bank, Certificate No. 554; 7 shares, The Farmers State Bank, Emmitsburg, Md., Certificate No. 25; 2 shares, The Farmers State Bank, Emmitsburg, Md., Certificate No. 511; 4 shares, The Farmers State Bank, Emmitsburg, Md., Certificate No. 132; one table, 3-pc. oak bedroom suite, 2 extension tables, iron bed, large bookcase, oak writing desk, walnut 3-pc. bedroom suite, oak rocker, Morris chair, metal porch glider, table lamp, oak dining table, arm chair, 6 oak dining room chairs, Reed rocker, 3-burner oil stove, dishes, cooking utensils and other articles not mentioned and all of the real estate of which the said Mary Nina Baumgardner died, seized and possessed, viz:—

(1) All that farm and parcel of land containing 4 acres, more or less, all good tillable land, improved by a two-story, 7-room brick and frame dwelling house with basement, modern conveniences, electricity, city water, etc., and out-buildings, barn, large chicken house, implement shed, garage, etc.

For Title Reference, see deed from Samuel C. Hays and wife, to Mary Nina Baumgardner, and Thomas Baumgardner, her husband, dated December 13, 1943, Lib. 441, fol. 140, less certain parcels conveyed therefrom by said grantees. This property is well-located along U. S. Route 16, about one-half mile west of Emmitsburg and commands a beautiful view.

(2) House and lot, about 40'x150' on Gettysburg Street, S. E. 19 one block north of the Square, in Emmitsburg, aforesaid; said house being 2 1/2-story, frame, new asphalt roof, 9 rooms, all modern conveniences, and basement. A very nice home in town.

For title references, see deed from Estate of Charles P. Mort, unmarried, to Thomas Baumgardner and Mary Nina Baumgardner, his wife, dated September 23, 1943, Lib. 441, fol. 138.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash on day of sale, or delivery of deed on or before March 15, 1950. A deposit of one-fifth of the selling price of each property will be required on the day of sale. Possession of premises No. 1 immediately upon settlement. Possession of Premises No. 2, upon full settlement on or before April 1, 1950, or as soon thereafter, as the law will permit. Federal and State Revenue Stamps at the expense of the purchaser.

CARL W. BAUMGARDNER, Executor, and Agent for Owners, Sherman P. Bowers, Attorney, Earl R. Bowers, Auctioneer. 2-3-4t

British Adm. Sir Arthur Wilson in 1914 recommended that submarines be outlawed and their crews hanged for piracy.

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DOG ODDITIES By Harry Miller, Director, GAINES DOG RESEARCH CENTER

POOCHIE, HOSPITABLE TOY FOX TERRIER OF FORT WORTH, TEXAS, IN FIVE YEARS HAS BROUGHT HOME 32 STRAY DOGS TO HER OWNER, T. L. PEARSON



ANCIENT CHINESE LAWS PERMITTED A MAN TO DIVORCE HIS WIFE "IF SHE FRIGHTENS THE DOG WITH HER NOISE" SMOKEY, 4-POUND YORKSHIRE TERRIER OWNED BY WM. WYVNE, CLEVELAND, OHIO, WENT WITH HIM THROUGH THE SOUTH PACIFIC CAMPAIGN, USING HIS SOLDIER'S PACK AS A BED AND HIS HELMET AS A BATHTUB

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Jack McClerf, U. S. Navy, returned to Norfolk, Va., after spending the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. McCleef, West Main St. Carroll Wivell, Baltimore, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wivell of near town. Out-of-town friends and relatives attending the funeral of Mrs. George H. Riggs last week included: Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Stone, Fort Worth, Tex.; Rev. and Mrs. Owen Stone, Barrington, R. I.; Dr. John B. Boyle and mother, Mrs. Lenora Boyle, of Baltimore and Lt.-Col. and Mrs. George Paxson, Arlington, Va.

Woodsboro Livestock Sales, Inc. Located on Route 71, 8 miles east of Thurmont, 5 miles west of Libertytown, 11 miles north of Frederick, Md., will hold its regular weekly sale on Tuesday, February 7, 1950 BEGINNING PROMPTLY AT 1 O'CLOCK P. M. (EST) We will sell all kinds of livestock on a small commission, consisting of dairy cows, fat cows, bulls, steers, heifers, calves, pigs, hogs, sheep, lambs, horses, mules, ponies, etc. This sale is being established to bring the buyer and seller together, and is strictly a commission concern. FARMERS—Make this your market for your livestock of all kinds and type. The Woodsboro Livestock Sales, Inc., will do its utmost to get you the best prices possible, and give every one a square deal. NOTICE—Sales will be held every Tues., promptly at 1 P. M. (EST). All under cover. The Woodsboro Livestock Sales, Inc. PHONE Walkersville 4100 WOODSBORO, MD. JOHN W. NULL & DELBERT S. NULL, Auctioneers Frederick, Md. WILLIAM W. SHOVER, Cashier R. L. KELLY, Clerk

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MUTT AND JEFF By Bud Fisher YOU GOT A NEW GIRL? TONIGHT I HELD HER CLOSE IN MY ARMS AND I WHISPERED, "I LOVE YOU—LOVE YOU—LOVE YOU!" DOES SHE LOVE YOU? NAW! SHE TOLD ME SHE DON'T GIVE A HANG ABOUT ME! SHE DON'T AND YOU WANNA MARRY HER? YEH, I FIGURE IT'S BETTER THAT WAY— IF 'WE BOTH LOVED EACH OTHER—WHILE I WAS MAKING LOVE TO HER, SHE'D PROBABLY BE MAKING LOVE TO ME— -AND THEN ONE OF US MIGHT GET JEALOUS AND THEN THERE'D BE TROUBLE!

VIRGIL By Len Kleis -WHENEVER A NEW BUSINESS OPENS UP, THERE IS USUALLY AN OPPORTUNITY FOR AN ASSISTING BUSINESS NEXT DOOR. ADVANCE TO YOUR BUSINESS MEN

MARYLAND HOME FRONT

Because a farmer's acreage is small is no reason his land should not be protected against erosion and deterioration, says Joseph H. Blandford, chairman of the Maryland PMA State Committee. He points out that financial assistance for carrying out approved practices under the Agricultural Conservation Program is available to all farmers if Maryland.

In fact, says the chairman, the ACP provides additional encouragement to small farmers by means of an increase in payments.

While the small farmer has an added incentive to carry out conservation practices, the chairman explains, the same principle of cooperation and the same standards of performance apply to all. The assistance provided under ACP is on a share-the-cost basis on the small as well as the large farm.

Mr. Blandford advises that the County PMA Committee and community committeemen in each county are ready to assist all farmers in working out conservation plans for 1950.

He urges small farmers particularly to find out about the provisions of the ACP and not to dismiss "the opportunities afforded small farmers because they have only a few acres of land. All productive land is needed and its conservation is essential to the welfare of all the people."

USDA Offers To Purchase Smoked Pork

The U. S. Dept. of Agriculture has announced that it will purchase certain pork products in an effort to maintain hog prices at 90 per cent of parity, through March, 1950.

Purchase and storage of pork, for distribution to selected outlets, is the only method of hog price support open to the Department, according to Mr. Blandford.

In asking for offers, the Department points out that orderly marketing of hogs by farmers can be the most important single factor in maintaining hog prices. Price support purchases will not be effective in holding prices if market gluts occur. The present price situation results from recent extremely heavy marketings and not from any decline in consumer demand for pork.

Surplus Potatoes Available Under New Distribution Method

Potatoes from the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture's price-support stocks are now available free at storage points to eligible schools, institutions, and public and private welfare agencies in Maryland, Mr. Blandford reports.

The new procedure outlined by Mr. Blandford was recently established by PMA in accordance with the Agricultural Act of 1949, and will replace former methods of distributing Federally-donated potatoes. Section 416 of the new Act sets up rules for the disposition of commodities acquired under price support, when such commodities cannot be sold in normal domestic channels without impairing the price support program, during their normal storable life.

While the law establishes priority categories for eligible recipients of such surplus stocks, potatoes are being made available, to all groups simultaneously since the quantity to be acquired in the next few months is expected to be more than enough to supply all requests, Mr. Blandford said. In addition to school lunch programs, institutions, and public and private domestic welfare organizations, others eligible to obtain potatoes under the new procedure are the Bureau of Indian Affairs and American organizations for the relief of needy persons outside the United States.

For a number of years, potatoes have been among the commodities for which the Department has been paying freight costs to destination points in Maryland. This was financed with Section 32 funds—the 30 per cent of annual customs receipts made available for developing new uses and outlets for surplus commodities. However, the Agricultural Act of 1949 requires that these funds henceforth be devoted to perishable commodities for which price support is not mandatory.

Since support is now mandatory on potatoes, Mr. Blandford explained, the agency receiving them will be required to pay transportation costs from shipping points, to agree to distribute the potatoes only to those whom the agency determines to be eligible under approved program outlets, and to agree not to reduce their expenditures for food because of the receipt of donated commodities. Eligible organizations or agencies interested in receiving potatoes to assist needy persons outside the country should apply to the PMA Price Support and Foreign Supply Branch, USDA, Washington 25, D. C.

Sinking the escort carrier Liscomb Bay in 1943, the Japanese failed to score another major sinking until July 1945 when the Indianapolis went to the bottom.

BROADWAY AND MAIN STREET

Another Kind of Courage Has It All Over Standard Heroics

By BILLY ROSE

Recently, a doctor in Maine sent me a story about a courageous kid and, unless I'm getting soft in the heart, it's the most touching tale of heroism I've come across in a long time

Some time ago, the medico got a hurry-up telephone call to come out to a small summer camp 20 miles west of Bangor. There, half an hour later, he examined a six-year-old girl and found that one of her legs was broken and that she had lost a lot of blood from a gash in her thigh.

The story, as he got it from the mother, was that the girl and her brother, aged 7, had gotten into the loft of an abandoned barn and, when a rotted plank gave way, she had fallen, broken her leg and ripped her thigh on a piece of rusty farm machinery.



Billy Rose

As the doctor was cauterizing the cut and setting the leg, the boy—his name was Pete—kept watching from the doorway with worried interest.

"Is Molly going to be all right?" he asked when the splints were in place.

"She's lost a lot of blood," said the doctor, "but if she gets past the crisis tonight, everything will be okay."

"What's a crisis?"

"It's—well, I guess it's the time when a person is sickest."

"When people lose a lot of blood, do they die?"

"Sometimes. You see, the heart needs a certain amount to keep going. In a way, it's like the motor of a car—it stops running if it doesn't get gasoline."

"I see," said Pete.

LATER THAT NIGHT, the little girl's pulse began to slow up.

"I'm afraid your daughter needs an immediate transfusion," the doctor told the father, "but there's a complication. She has an unusual type of blood, and I doubt whether the blood bank in Bangor has it in stock."

"Her brother has the same type,"

said the father. "I know, because the pediatrician who examined the kids last year told me so"

Pete looked startled a minute later when his dad asked him if he would give up a cup of blood to help his sister get well.

"How can I?" the boy asked.

"The doctor does it with a little rubber tube."

"Can I think about it?"

"Sure," said the father, "but don't take too long."

Pete went to his room, and his parents heard him close the door. Five minutes later, he was back, looking very earnest. "All right," he said.

WHEN IT WAS over, the doctor bandaged the boy's arm and told him to lie down and take it easy. But instead, the kid went out on the porch and, when his father found him there at midnight, his face was white and his fingers were clenched.

"What's the matter, Pete?"

"Oh, nothing," said the boy.

"Look here," said his father.

"There's something going on in that head of yours. What is it?"

"I was wondering how long it will take."

"How long will what take?"

"How long it will take me to die."

"To do what?"

"To die," repeated the boy. "If's like the doctor said—when there isn't enough blood, the motor stops running."

"I see," said the father. "When you gave your sister a cup of blood, you figured you were going to die yourself."

"Sure," said Pete. "That's why I wanted to think it over."

Social Security Program Explained

The second installment of the Social Security program explains why every person should know about this program and when the field office should be visited.

Every person in this country should know about Old-Age and Survivors Insurance. You may ask "Why should I know about this insurance if I don't have a Social Security Account Number and have only worked for myself?" The reason is that you may be able to assist a friend or relative to receive benefits they might lose by not filing for them. Too, you may become entitled to benefits based on a relative's or friend's Social Security Account because you pay or help pay funeral expenses.

You may also wonder why I continue to stress the importance of knowing when to get in touch with my office. I do this because many people have and, no doubt, are losing benefits because they do not know they can get them. It is also true that many people who do not know they can get them. It is also true that many people who do not know and understand the program will misinform others. Hence, my opening statement—that every person in the United States, whether they have a Social Security Account Number or not, should know about Old-Age and Survivors Insurance.

One woman, who recently filed application for benefits for her four small children, lost benefits for about 11 months because she had not filed sooner. She told me that she was advised by a friend that she could not get benefits so she did not come or write to me.

Another case illustrating the lack of knowledge and money lost is that of a man who had worked

Newcomer's Bakery Opens New Shop

Been In Successful Baking Business For 20 Years In Community

When Newcomer's Bakery on W. Main St., Emmitsburg, moved into its newly refinished establishment last week, it marked 20 years of continuous service to the residents of town.

Mr. Charles F. Newcomer is called by his host of customers and friends, "Mae." Just where this "nickname" originated, there are many stories. In the baking business for nearly a quarter of a century, he is ably assisted by his attractive wife, Dorothy. They have one son, Gene. Mrs. Newcomer, the former Miss Shorb, is from Rocky Ridge.

Mr. Newcomer was born in Taneytown in 1907, coming to Emmitsburg in 1930, to serve the

in a barber shop until about 1944 when he opened his own shop and began working for himself. When he became 65, he could have begun getting monthly checks if he had filed his application. He did not file until this year because he had been told he was not entitled to benefits as long as he worked. To have disqualified himself, he would have had to have continued working for someone else. He should not have accepted the advice of another, even though his friend, but should have made inquiry himself. Since this man did not come in, he lost benefits for nearly five years. I am glad to report that cases like these do not happen often but even one case is one too many. We can tell you if you can or cannot get benefits. Don't put off asking.

I will be in Emmitsburg again on Feb. 27 at postoffice at 11:30 a. m.

people for want of fine baked goods. When settling here, his ovens were first built at the "old Harry Hopp" place, with which many native Emmitsburgians are familiar. Here he baked pies,

cakes, buns and bread.

Emmitsburg is proud to have The great outdoors often lure "Mae." He loves to hunt and fish, as evidenced by his "tall tales" of both.

In his new establishment he has added another feature. In addition to serving fine delicacies,

such a fine establishment he now is efficiently equipped to serve ice cream, milk shakes, sandwiches and coffee. Four new booths have been installed. Although he no longer bakes bread, it is fully and freshly supplied by the well-known Baumgardner Bakery at Taneytown.

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14c and 16c loaf

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(All Kinds)

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TANEYTOWN, MARYLAND

\$ Gettysburg Merchants Have Dollar Days \$

Two Big Sale Days Offered

Today and tomorrow, Feb. 3 and 4, the merchants of Gettysburg will offer their semi-annual Dollar Day Sale.

The businessmen said this week that the unusual weather this winter has left large stocks of goods on the shelves and will make possible one of the most extensive offerings of bargains ever offered to shoppers.

ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL

Roger Zurgable, local businessman, was admitted to the Annie Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, Pa., this week. He is being held for observation.

Discharged from the Gettysburg Hospital this week were Mrs. John Wiley, and infant son, and Andrew Annan.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Hardman of Emmitsburg, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter Sunday at the Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, Pa.

Mrs. Carroll Olinger of Emmitsburg, was admitted as a patient in Annie Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, Pa., this week.

Boy Scouts To Celebrate 40th Anniversary

The Boy Scouts of America begin the official celebration of its 40th anniversary on Monday and will conclude the event on Saturday. Scoutmaster Henry H. Charlton of the Emmitsburg Chapter has announced various activities in connection with the affair. An exhibition of Scoutcraft will be displayed in the window of Crouse's, on the Square for several weeks. It is the intention of the Scouts to hold a first aid demonstration on the Square sometime during the week.

Open house will be held Friday night in the Emmitsburg High School auditorium at 7:30. The public is extended an invitation. New members of the troop will be formally installed at investiture services at this meeting.

It is planned to have all the Scouts attend their respective churches on Lincoln's birthday.

Before you can properly fertilize your soil, you have to know what plant foods your crop will need for best growth.

Woodsboro Livestock Quotations

Dairy cows brought \$99 to \$235 a head Tuesday at the weekly auction of the Woodsboro Livestock Market, Inc.

Other prices: Butcher heifers, medium good, \$17.50 cwt.; butcher cows, \$12.80-16.10 cwt.; canners and cutters to \$11.90 cwt.; butcher bulls, \$18.65-\$20.90 cwt.; stock heifers, \$67-121 a head; stock bulls, \$66-126 a head; good choice calves, 160-190 lbs., \$35.10

cwt.; 140-160 lbs., \$29-32.10 cwt.; 25-140 lbs., \$28.25-31.75 cwt.; light and green calves, \$14.25-22.75 cwt.; good choice butcher hogs, 210-250 lbs., 17.45 cwt.; good mutcher cows, \$13 lwt.; feeding shoats, to \$17.50 cwt.; pigs, \$3.50-12.50 head; lard \$7.70 cwt.

Miss Mary Fiery has resumed her studies at Towson State Teachers College after spending the mid-semester vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Fiery.

PLAN FOOD SALE

Announcement has been made by the P-TA of Emmitsburg High School that a food sale will be held Feb. 11, at 10:30 a. m. in the Firemen's Hall, Emmitsburg.

Beauty Shop At New Location

Nellie's Beauty Shop, operated by Amy Gillelan, has moved from its present location to 137 Baltimore St., Gettysburg, Pa.

Hogs will eat better in the winter, and with less waste, if feeding troughs or self-feeders are located on a dry floor.

\$ DAYS

- Girdles, broken sizes 1.00
- Lingerie, broken sizes 1.00
- One Group of Dresses 3.95
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5.98 2.00 and 3.00

REG. \$5.98
Group of Skirts 3.00
REG. \$1.98
Nighties 1.39
REG. \$1.98
Girls' Blouses 1.49

REG. \$1.85 and \$2
Sweetheart Bras 1.00
REG. 39c
Le Roi Hose 3 prs. 1.00
REG. 69c
Infants' Shirts 2 for 1.00
REG. 59c—SIZES 1 TO 4
Knit Panties 2 for 1.00

REG. \$2.98
Hand-embroidered Creepers 1.59
SIZES 1 TO 6—REG. \$2.98
Boys' Wash Suits 1.59
REG. \$2.98
Boys' Flannel Shirts 1.69
REG. \$4.98—SIZES 4 TO 10
Corduroy Pants 3.98

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\$5.98
or 2 for \$6.98

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\$2
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GROUP OF BLOUSES
\$1

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\$ DAYS

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Polo Shirts 1.00
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Flannel Shirts 1.00
REG. \$2.95
- Flannel Shirts 2.00**
REG. \$1.98
- Corduroy Boxer Shorts 1.00**
REG. 49c and 59c
- Knee-length Hose 4 prs. 1.00**
REG. \$1.79
- Flannel 1-pc. Pajamas 1.00**
REG. \$2.25 and \$2.50
- Flannel 2-pc. Pajamas 2 for 3.00**
REG. \$1.95
- E-Cut Sleepers, sizes 1 and 2 1.00**
VALUES TO \$3.95
- Wool Sweaters 2.00**
REG. \$2.29
- Mateys 2-pc. Knit Dress 1.00**
REG. 67c and 79c
- Cotton Panties, sizes 4 to 42. 2 for 1.00**
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- Flannel Gowns, Kimonos.. 2 for 1.00**
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- Corduroy 'Kwiki' Overalls 3.00**
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Mite Society Meets

The regular monthly meeting of the Mite Society of Trinity Methodist Church was held on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Emma Nunemaker.

Following a business session, there was a program of entertainment. Delicious refreshments were served.

The members decided at this meeting to have a silver tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Fralley on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 11, from three to six o'clock.

Fancy work, grab-bag packages and homemade candy will be on sale. Members of the church and their friends are invited to be present.

Rev. and Mrs. Philip Bower and son, Frederick, were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fair, of Hanover, who celebrated their wedding anniversary on that day.

CLASSIFIED ADS

MEETING—A special meeting of the board of directors of the Community Fund of Emmitsburg will be held Friday, Feb. 10, at 8 p. m. in the Firemen's Hall.

FOUR FRONT ROOMS on first floor, private bath; good location. Immediate possession; \$38. Call 7-F-3.

CHICKENS—Fryers and roasters, New Hampshire. Phone 57-F-2 for delivery. Morris A. Zentz. 2 3 2tp

PUBLIC SALE—Friday, Feb. 24, of machinery and livestock, on Route 316, Waynesboro-Chambersburg Road, at 11 o'clock. C. W. Woodring, Route 2, Waynesboro, Pa. 127 2tp

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DURING THE SESSION of the Legislature, my Emmitsburg office will be open on SATURDAYS ONLY, from 1:00 p. m. until finished. After February will return to Wednesday schedule. E. D. STORM, Attorney. 127 5t

WALLPAPER SALE during month of February. Gilbert's, Chambersburg St., Gettysburg, Pa. 2 3 4ts

FOR APARTMENTS to rent, see or call Mrs. G. R. Elder, S. Seton Ave. Telephone Emmitsburg 7-3.

101 RANCH BOYS of WFBA, York, Pa., will appear in person at Emmitsburg High School, Thurs., Feb. 9, at 8 p. m. Two shows. Admission, children 25c, and adults 50c, tax inc. Refreshments at door and during intermission. Sponsored by Emmitsburg Grange. Everyone welcome! 127 2t

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ROCKY RIDGE NEWS

By MRS. JOHN KAAS (Rocky Ridge Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Troxell and son, Melvin, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Martz of Utica.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Boller were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cluts on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Owen have moved from Gaithersburg to their newly constructed home along the Rocky Ridge and New Midway Rd.

Miss Margaret Riffle, staff nurse at the Maryland University Hospital, Baltimore, spent the week-end with Mrs. Grace Saylor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stambaugh and son, Luther, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Stambaugh of Reisterstown.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Albaugh of Sykesville, and Mr. Charles Farley of Aberdeen, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gruber Sunday.

Miss Mary Louise and Donald Wantz attended a basketball game Thursday between Taneytown and Emmitsburg High School alumni at Taneytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Wantz

and family made a business trip to Waynesboro, Pa., Saturday.

Mrs. Marvin Stambaugh is a patient in the Frederick Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wood and daughter, Bonnie Lee, of Taneytown, and Donald Mackley of Union Bridge, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rodkey, Paul Jr. and Patrick; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Rodkey; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rodkey and son, Ferne; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baker; Mr. and Mrs. Denton Wantz, Jean and Jimmie Wantz of Taneytown, were entertained on Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Wantz.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hankey of Frederick, Mrs. Bertha Dorsey of Detour, and Mrs. Lillian Clem were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Kaas and Mrs. Minnie Renner.

Mr. John D. Kaas made a business trip to Detroit, Mich., last week.

TRAVELOGUE

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nent operators stayed on to maintain the plant. The other buildings were turned into dwellings for tourists and recreational centers. The Federal Government was called on to operate these facilities as a public service. By this time there has been developed at Fontana one of the most unusual resorts in America. The village has about everything plus: Cafeteria, diningrooms, barber shops, beauty parlors, drug store, postoffice, hospital, fire department, police, public school, free picnic grounds, handicraft shops, a flood lighted tennis court and baseball diamond, golf course, facilities for all kinds of games and parties, supervised play for children, and dancing. The water sports of every kind are in evidence, together with almost everything else that anyone can think of.

In particular it is supposed to be the fisherman's paradise. It is reported that big mouth bass under seven pounds are too small to keep, and therefore should be thrown back. The popular moonlight trips on the lake are said to be an unforgettable journey through superlative scenery where forest-covered mountains rise, like a wall, straight up out of the water. And this is the glories of one portion of America as seen at Fontana.

Taneytown Chamber Forms Committees

Several special committees to increase the effectiveness of the Taneytown Chamber of Commerce have been set up.

They include: industrial, Sam E. Breth, chairman, William B. Hopkins and Arch Carpenter; merchants, R. M. Polly, chairman, C. G. Bowers and Edward Reid; public relations, Rev. C. S. Owens, chairman, B. J. Arnold and Raymond Perry; program, Merwin C. Fuss, chairman, Elwood Baumgardner and George N. Shower; finance, Charles Arnold, chairman, Murray Baumgardner; membership, David Smith, chairman, Merle Ohler and Harry Dougherty.

The new officers installed this week are Merwin C. Fuss, president; David Smith, first vice president; Rev. Charles S. Owen, second vice president; Bernard J. Arnold, secretary, and Charles Arnold, treasurer.

P-TA To Hold Card Party

A card party will be held Thursday evening, Feb. 16, in St. Joseph's High School auditorium. The affair, sponsored by the P-TA of the school, will feature "500," bridge, and pinochle. In addition to many lovely prizes to be offered, a door prize will be given away.

BANK BEING PAINTED

H. L. Joy and Sons, local painting contractors, this week began repainting the Farmers State Bank interior and exterior. The color scheme consists of white cream, and pastel green.

Miss Mary Dee Stoud returned to Baltimore Sunday after spending the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stoud of St. Anthony's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carroll of Baltimore, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Carroll's parents, Prof. and Mrs. Thomas Norris, St. Anthony's.

ABIGAIL

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maddy, tear my thinning tresses from my hair; chew my stubby fingers to the bone, laugh and titter hysterically till I cry, then cry and sob hysterically till I laugh, and run again as though a thousand hounds were pursuing me, then go into pole vaulting from one sphere to the next, and by the time I've run the gamut of all these emotions the dad-blamed song is and I fall to the floor limp like the well known rag, a bone, and a hank 'o hair, a shadow of me former self . . .

Please be kind to an old lady and stop spinning those Mule Train discs, or I shall have to become a martyr and hang myself by the neck until I am daid in the interest of real, honest-to-goodness MUSIC . . . The dad-blamed number has clippety-clopped itself to first place, not once, but SEVERAL times. You people with holes in your head did it . . . and with that I rest my case—or should I drink it? I'm exhausted. Mule Train, bah!! CLIPPETY-CLOP, Clippety-Clop, clippety-clop . . . (Editor's Note: Shh, she's fainted . . . Let's leave her in her coma till next week.)

Mrs. Katherine Bursk, W. Main St., has returned to her home after spending a week visiting in Lancaster with her daughters.

STATE THEATRE

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in "Fighting Fools"

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Hoke Elected

Thomas E. Hoke of Emmitsburg was elected president of the veterans' agriculture class of Gettysburg at an organization meeting held Monday. His instructor, Frederick Block said Thomas is not only one of the most popular, but also one of the most capable students.

Sgt. George Brown of Fort Eustis, Va., spent the week-end at his home on Federal Hill.

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