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## Most Anything At A Glance

BY ABIGAIL

Quite a revelation was disclosed this week by those census figures. Before they were published, estimates on the town population ran from 1500 to 2,000. . . . How we were all fooled when final tabulation showed a few over 1,200. These figures clearly indicate that something has to be done to keep Emmitsburg from becoming decadent . . . to some, it is already that . . . However, where there's life there's hope. A glance at the census tabulation shows that we are retreating instead of charging! Let's take a look at the record . . . In 1940 (ten years ago) we had a population of 1,412 . . . In 1950 this was reduced (not increased) to 1,255. A decrease of 157 persons is noted. Now, let's do a little research and comparison with our neighboring community of Thurmont . . . In 1940 Emmitsburg had 105 more citizens than Thurmont, which had a tabulation of 1,307 . . . now for the blow . . . In 1950, Thurmont has a population of 1,673, or 418 more people than we have here. The answer? Progressive leadership and industry.

It is very apparent that something must be done to stimulate the industrial life of Emmitsburg. Our only visible method at this time appears to be the recently-formed Chamber of Commerce! In the past decade Thurmont has acquired three different industries, which just about takes care of the 400 more population it has. What has Emmitsburg gained in that same period of time? One concern that employs about 35 of our citizenry . . . Don't get the idea that we don't appreciate Hanover Shoe here . . . we most sincerely do . . . But this is not enough to express a healthy business situation here . . . We need more . . . several more.

Instead of beginning the Chamber with 25 or 30 members, let's start it off with a hundred or even more. It is the obligation of all who want to improve conditions here, to make this Chamber a going member of our community. Without it, we shall continue to recede until that time which shall see Emmitsburg a "ghost town." We hope that time never comes, but the record speaks for itself. In the past two decades we have accomplished nothing . . . in fact, we have lost some of what we had.

While we are on the subject of the Chamber of Commerce, many inquiries have been received here as to the eligibility of women to join . . . No less than three of the fairer sex have expressed their desire to join said organization. After talking to officials of the Chamber, they said there is nothing in the charter denying membership to females, and will give a definite ruling on the subject at the next meeting, if not before. And while we are at it, what's the matter with having women run for offices of the town? In many other communities and even municipalities, women take an active part in the government and progress of their cities and towns. Several women governors, mayors, senators, and congresswomen are in active service throughout the country. Why not Emmitsburg?

Before we call it a day, let's observe the outlook of those graduating from our local schools. Those who are going to seek higher education are "safe" . . . By that, we mean they are spared the necessity of seeking employment for a livelihood. Now take those who are going "out into the world." The outlook, locally, is very dismal, you'll agree. Just what is there for them to do to eke out a livelihood here? Oh yes, several of them will obtain menial jobs, but the remainder of them, and perhaps the larger portion, will migrate to distant parts to seek their fortunes. Then we wonder why we are waning in population. There is only one answer to keep them

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## COACH LAW ADDS STRENGTH TO BALL TEAM

### New Players To Be Injected Into Sunday's Lineup

Smarting under their 13-4 defeat last Sunday at the hands of Blue Ridge Summit of the Pen-Mar Baseball League, Coach John Law and officials of the Emmitsburg club are making plans to strengthen their aggregation for the remainder of the season.

The locals have taken the last three games "on the chin" and aim to do something about it. Business Agent J. Norman Flax this week announced the acquisition of four new players. They are J. Houck, K. Deardorff, J. Deardorff, Tony Civano, and Bill Buchler.

K. Deardorff is not unfamiliar to local fans, having played here some last season. He proved quite an addition in the hitting department, which the team is notably weak in.

Buchler, a southpaw pitcher, and Civano, an outfielder, played several seasons for Gettysburg College. Houck, an outfielder, is expected to earn a regular berth on the squad.

Ray Novak, rangy shortstop, did not appear in Sunday's lineup, but is expected to see action shortly. He is temporarily laid up with a sore shoulder.

Fans will undoubtedly see many new faces in the lineup Sunday, when Emmitsburg meets Westminster here at Community Field at 2:30 p. m.

The E. H. Boyle \$5 cash award will again be awarded to some lucky fan during the contest, Sunday's loss dropped the local team to sixth place.

John McMahon and Herby Deardorff led the hitting attack Sunday, collecting 4 and 3 hits, respectively. Coach Law used four hurlers, but all were ineffective against the Summit.

## Pen-Mar League

Standing of the Teams

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
McSherrystown	6	1	.857
Littlestown	3	1	.750
Blue Ridge Sum.	5	2	.714
Taneytown	4	2	.667
Hanover	3	2	.600
Emmitsburg	3	4	.429
Thurmont	0	5	.000
Westminster	0	7	.000

Sunday's Schedule  
Westminster at EMMITSBURG  
Littlestown at Hanover  
McSherrystown at Blue Ridge Summit  
Thurmont at Taneytown

## Water Company Occupies New Building

The Emmitsburg Water Co. announces the opening of its new office on E. Main St., on the opposite side of the street from the location it has had for more than 20 years.

The new building, 20x40, consists of three rooms, to be used as offices, and a basement, to be used to house machinery, tools and repairs.

With the addition of these new facilities, the Water Co. feels that it is in a position to render additional services to its customers, such as faucet repairs, correction of leaky fixtures, etc.

There will be carried a full line of faucets, faucet washers, toilet tank fittings, and small pipe fittings.

Water purification service will be available for those people who live beyond the water mains.

## Tuesday and Wednesday Cleanup Days

The Corporation of Emmitsburg has announced that next Tuesday and Wednesday will be Clean-Up Days in Emmitsburg. Collection expense will be borne by the Corporation. All trash and debris must be placed in containers and put in the rear of properties. Trash just dumped in heaps will remain uncollected. All must be placed in boxes or other containers. Please cooperate.

## Recently Ordained



REV. JOSEPH RIDER

Rev. Joseph Rider, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Rider, formerly of Emmitsburg, was ordained Saturday, May 27, in Philadelphia, Pa. The ceremonies, attended by many relatives and friends from Emmitsburg and Thurmont, were held in the Cathedral of St. Peter and Paul.

Rev. Rider graduated from St. Charles Seminary in Overbrook, Pa., and is a nephew of Mrs. Clarence Sanders of N. Seton Ave.

## Announces Engagement

Mrs. Walter B. Peppler, of Emmitsburg and Detroit, Mich., announces the engagement of her daughter, Doris Virginia, to Mr. George F. Combs, Wash., D. C., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Combs, DeSoto, Ga.

Miss Peppler is a graduate of Whitefish Bay High School, Milwaukee, Wis., and attended Michigan State College.

Mr. Combs was graduated from Mt. St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg, cum laude, and received his Bachelor of Science Degree here. He earned his law degree from Dickinson Law School, Carlisle, Pa., and is a member of the Maryland Bar Association.

The wedding will take place in July at the Emmitsburg Methodist Church.

## Hanover Shoe Team Leading Pennant Race

Slim Deatherage's baseball charges of the Penn-Maryland Baseball League Sunday took over undisputed first place in the circuit by measuring Blue Ridge Summit, 7 to 3.

Gene Newcomer, hurling for the locals, allowed nine hits but kept them well scattered. The Summit team took over the lead in the second inning, but gave it up in the fourth. Blue Ridge used two pitchers and the Emmitsburgians clubbed their offerings for 14 hits. Sunday's win put the locals in first place by one full game.

One of the toughest tests will come this Sunday when the Hanover Shoe team engages Harney away. Harney appears to be the only stumbling block before the locals, who have high hopes of taking the pennant in that league. At present Harney is runner-up to Emmitsburg.

D. Joy and J. Myers lead the Emmitsburg team in hitting with three swats apiece Sunday.

Sunday's Scores  
EMMITSBURG 7, Blue Ridge Summit 4  
Harney 15, Pen-Mar 3  
Sabillasville 5, Fairfield 1  
Middleburg 5, Wakefield 2

Standing of the League

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Wakefield	4	2	.667
Middleburg	4	2	.667
Pen Mar	3	3	.500
Blue Ridge Sum.	1	5	.167
Sabillasville	1	5	.167
Fairfield	0	5	.000

Sunday's Schedule  
EMMITSBURG at Harney  
Wakefield at Fairfield  
Blue Ridge Summit at Pen-Mar  
Mar Sabillasville at Middleburg

Ties Littlestown, 4-4

Emmitsburg came up with one run in the 7th frame last night to tie Littlestown, 4-4 in a postponed Penn-Maryland League game. "Bud" Warthen was on the mound for Emmitsburg.

## Mt. St. Mary's Has Record Graduating Class

One hundred and seventy-nine students, the largest number in the school's 142 years of history, were graduated Wednesday morning before an audience of more than 1,200 at Mount Saint Mary's college, Emmitsburg.

The graduates, about 75 per cent of them World War II veterans, included two Emmitsburg men, Edward Arnold Waysack, who received a bachelor of science degree cum laude, and Albert John Rosenwald, Emmitsburg, who received a bachelor of science in education degree.

Dr. John P. Burke, Washington dentist, and Alfred J. Diebold, Pittsburgh industrialist, were presented with honorary LL.D. degrees.

William C. Walsh, Cumberland, Md. attorney and former attorney general for Maryland, was the principal speaker. He noted that "Mount Saint Mary's college is in the front of colleges which train their students not only in the humanities and sciences, but more important, train them in the fundamental ideas of religion and patriotism."

The Rev. Dr. Lawrence J. Shehan, auxiliary bishop of Baltimore, presided at the service.

## Thirteen Will Graduate From St. Anthony's

Exercises for the graduating class of 1950 of St. Anthony's School will be held Sunday afternoon in St. Anthony's Shrine at three o'clock.

The eighth-grade graduates, attired in the conventional cap and gown, will be presented their diplomas by the pastor, Rev. Stanley Scarff.

After the class has been addressed by the pastor, benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be celebrated.

Sister Agnes, principal, announced that 13 will be graduated. They are Thomas Fitzgerald, William Kaas, Elmer Knott, Thomas Wivell, Mary Ruth Althoff, Joan Berstler, Nancy Bowers, Mary Catherine Lingg, Maureen O'Toole, Margaret Fortner, Dolores Sicilia, Mary Frances Sutton, Louise Wetzel.

## St. Euphemia's Exercises Will Be Held Sunday

St. Euphemia's Parochial School will hold its graduating exercises tonight at 7:50 p. m. in St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

The graduates are Dorothy Topper, Dolores Topper, Agnes Wormley, Marie Keepers, Geraldine White, Donald Shriner, Francis Cool, Patrick Boland, James Hobbs, Joseph Scott, Christine Timmerman, Rosemary Welty, George Hobbs, Agnes Haley, and Donald Chrismer.

## Census Figures Reveal Local Population Diminishing

Frederick County's population has only increased by 4,840 within the past 10 years. This is indicated in the preliminary announcement this week by Langdon Backus, District Supervisor of the Census Bureau for Garrett, Washington, Frederick, Allegany, and Montgomery Counties.

From his headquarters at Hagerstown, Mr. Backus listed the following population count as compiled by the 1950 census-takers:

Frederick County	62,152.
Frederick City	18,086.
Brunswick	3,744.
Thurmont	1,673.
Emmitsburg	1,255.

Compared with the official 1940 census, Frederick City made the largest proportionate gain. Thurmont had a substantial increase, and the populations of both Brunswick and Emmitsburg slightly declined.

Comparative Figures  
Population changes in the 1940-50 period were:

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## EHS Graduates Twenty-four Seniors Tonight

Twenty-four seniors of Emmitsburg High School will receive their diplomas tonight in exercises to be held at eight o'clock.

The graduates will be addressed by Rev. Dr. Andrew G. Truxall, president of Hood College, Frederick.

Presentation of the diplomas will be made by Superintendent of Frederick County Schools Eugene W. Pruitt. Principal Arvin P. Jones has announced the following order of exercises for tonight's program:

Processional, by High School Orchestra; "Lovely Appear," Gounod, "Stout-Hearted Men," Romberg, by Glee Club; Invocation, Rev. E. P. Welker; Overture, High School Orchestra; address Dr. Truxall; medley, School Orchestra; presentation of diplomas by Mr. Pruitt; "Chorale," by Bach, and "Long for the Silver Lining," by Senior Class; benediction, Rev. Edmund P. Welker; recessional, High School Orchestra.

Those to receive diplomas are Rhudy Lee Cregger, Edward Wilton Ferguson, David M. Glass, Clyde Johnson Keilholtz, Gene Ellsworth Toms, Gary Eugene Troxell, Heinz Wagner, Thomas Edgar Wantz, Robert Louis Wivell, Lois Jean Bentz, Doris Cornelia Fisher, Wilma June Gillespie, Betty Ann Hollinger, Shirley Mae Jones, Hazel Marie Keilholtz, Anna Mae Linn, Caroline Jane McDonnell, Peninah Morrison McNair, Beverly Joan Miller, Ruth Evelyn Neighbours, Doris Louise Olinger, Helen Elizabeth Phillippe, Barbara Sue Stinson, and Catherine Bernadette Wivell.

## St. Joseph's High Commencement To Be Sunday

St. Joseph's High School will hold commencement exercises on Sunday evening in the school auditorium.

Those receiving diplomas are Janet Adams, Barbara Barron, Loretta Boyle, Isabelle Bouey, Gertrude Cool, James Eckert, Romaine Feeser, Marie Fitz, Patricia Fitzgerald, George Grecco, Sandra Hall, Lois Hewitt, Mary Louise Jordan, Kenneth Joy, James Kelly, Leona Lingg, John Mick, Dolores Miller, William Myers, Eugene Rosensteel, Marie Sanders, Fred Sprankle, Jerry Sprankle, Helen Steinberger, Ann Timmerman, and Margaret Wachter.

Class officers are James Eckert, president; Sandra Hall, vice president; Gertrude Cool, secretary, and William Myers, treasurer.

## Young Pitcher Looks Promising



LINWOOD MICK

A young pitcher to be seen in action with the American Legion Junior baseball squad, sponsored by the Francis X. Elder Post of Emmitsburg, is Linwood "Pinhead" Mick. He won his initial mound assignment against Hampstead recently.

Linwood was born in Baltimore, coming to Emmitsburg about three years ago. The 15-year-old youth attends St. Joseph's High School and is in his 10th year. He is enrolled in the commercial course. "Pinhead" says he prefers baseball to any other sport, likes football, and plays center and forward on the high school basketball team. He was a former member of the Boy Scouts.

After graduating from St. Joe's he plans to attend Mt. St. Mary's college or play baseball professionally.

"Pinhead" has one brother, John, and lives at St. Anthony's with the James E. Seltzer family.

## Dr. Riggs Renounces Will Of Late Wife

Dr. George H. Riggs of Emmitsburg and formerly of Ijamsville, last week filed with Register of Wills Harry D. Radcliff a renunciation of the will of his late wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Downey Riggs.

By renouncing and quitting all claims to any bequest made in the will, the surviving spouse elects to take his share by law in both the real estate and personal property.

By the terms of the will, Dr. Riggs was to receive approximately one-third of the personal estate. The real estate was left to a son of Mrs. Riggs, William Owings Stone.

Assets in the estate are valued at approximately \$25,000 and by renouncing the will, Dr. Riggs will be entitled to one-third of the net estate.

Dr. Riggs and two sons of Mrs. Riggs, Jesse Edwin Stone and William Owings Stone, have qualified as executors in her estate.

Mrs. Riggs died last Jan. 23 and left the will by which she bequeathed \$1,000 to Margaret Elizabeth Stone, daughter of William Owings and Margaret Stone. Stocks and bonds and other personal property was to be divided between Dr. Riggs and the two sons of his wife.

The real estate at 104, 106, and 108 W. Main St., Emmitsburg, since appraised at approximately \$10,000, was bequeathed to the son, William Owings Stone, with the direction that it pass to him at the appraised value of \$4,250. The real estate had to be appraised at current values for the purpose of levying the State inheritance tax.

Dr. Riggs is represented by Holden S. Felton.

## RUMMAGE SALE

A rummage sale for the benefit of the local public library, will be held tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

Week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baumgardner were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Martin and son, Penny, of Baltimore. Other dinner guests on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Frailey, Miss Ann Coradori and Miss Ruth Gillelan of Emmitsburg. Callers over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Shoemaker of Harney, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bentz and daughter, of Graceham.

Mrs. J. Ward Kerrigan entertained at a buffet supper for Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Noris of Indianapolis, Ind., on Wednesday of last week.

## COMMISSIONER HOLLINGER RESIGNS OFFICE

Cleanup Days For Town Set For Tuesday and Wednesday

In a surprise and unexpected move Tuesday evening, Commissioner John J. Hollinger tendered his resignation from the Town Council. Elected only a little over a year ago to the office, Mr. Hollinger gave as his reason for resigning from the governing board as "pressing business." President of the Board of Commissioners Lloyd G. Ohler regretfully accepted the resignation. Immediately and unanimously, the Town Officials presented the name of James T. Hays to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Hollinger. The unexpired portion of the term is about two years' duration. It is not known at this writing whether Mr. Hays will accept the appointment, as he declined nomination for re-election in the town election last month. Under the town charter the remaining officials are empowered to appoint in any vacancy any qualified individual to serve the unfinished term, either by resignation or death.

The meeting Tuesday night was a regular session and lasted for some three hours.

Mayor Thornton W. Rodgers, in an effort to get the garbage system into operation, put the proposition of the town buying its own truck, before the board. So far, several bids have been received for collecting garbage, but in the eyes of the Town Fathers, they have been termed too high. It is their contention that the job can be done in a less expensive way. It is proposed to purchase a dump truck and employ a full-time man to take care of the town's needs.

Also under consideration was a plan to co-operate with Thurmont town officials in the building of a common incinerator. Under the proposed plan, each would share in the expenses and profits of the enterprise.

It was announced that two more bonds will be retired immediately, thus reducing the town's indebtedness to three remaining \$500 bonds. Two deeds to parcels of town land were signed and delivered to officials of the Lutheran Church, giving it the permission to relocate the alley adjacent the old Tokar property.

It is planned to paint parking squares in front of all the meters on Main St. and traffic lanes on those located on the Square.

In an effort to relieve the sewage condition on N. Seton Ave., Mayor Rodgers put before Council a long-range plan which calls for the installation of sewer pipes which eventually would ring the whole northern section of town, from the disposal plant to the Beegle property. This process might take years, but it is believed to be the only solution to the problem which has been confronting requests of that section of town for years. The solons have been stymied by the Health Dept. in their plans to erect a septic tank at the end of N. Seton Ave. and believe that the latest plan is the only feasible one.

The annual town Clean-Up Days were designated by the Board of Commissioners as next Tuesday and Wednesday. Under the usual plan, collection of trash and debris will be free. All residents in the Corporation are asked to place all trash in containers and put them in the alleys in the rear of their properties. Rubbish not placed in containers will not be removed.

The Board also voted to have a telephone installed in the home of Chief of Police Woodring and to assume the expense of same. Donald Rodgers was appointed to assist Chief Woodring in emptying the meters weekly.

## NOTE

In a recent story concerning the Cancer Drive, taken up this year by the Homemakers Club, the name of Mrs. Harry S. Boyle, a solicitor, was unintentionally omitted. We regret the omission.

Mrs. Martha Randolph, Richard Randolph and Mrs. Nell Hollinger and son, John, spent Friday in Staunton, Va.

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## Come to Church

**REFORMED CHURCH**  
Rev. E. P. Welker, Pastor  
Until further notice, our services will be held in the Methodist Church.

**ST. ANTHONY'S SHRINE**  
Rev. Stanley Scarff, pastor  
Masses—7:30 and 9:30 a. m.  
Confessions—Saturdays at 3:30 and 7:00 p. m.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. Charles S. Owen, Pastor  
8 p. m.—Union Evening Service installing the staff and teachers of the Vacation Bible School, beginning in the public school tomorrow. Rev. Adam E. Grim will give the sermon.

**METHODIST**  
Rev. A. E. Grim, Pastor

9:00—The Service.  
**LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Rev. Philip Bower, Pastor  
Sunday School—9:30 a. m.  
The Service—10:30 a. m. Observing Children's Day with the Children's Choir singing several special children's hymns and the Junior Choir singing for the Service.

Luther League—7 p. m.  
There will be no Children's Choir rehearsal this Monday.  
Junior Choir—Tuesday, 7 p. m.  
LOYAL Tuesday at 8 p. m.  
**ST. JOSEPH'S R. C. CHURCH**  
Rev. Father Francis Stauble, Pastor.  
Masses on Sunday at 7, 8:30 and 10 o'clock.

**ATTENDS ALUMNI BANQUET**  
Mrs. William A. Frailey of W. Main St., attended the alumni reunion luncheon and banquet at the American University in Washington, D. C., last Saturday. Mrs. Frailey, a member of the class of 1930, graduated cum laude. The speaker for the alumni banquet was Miss Pauline Frederick, also a member of the class of 1930. Miss Frederick is a radio and telecast commentator for

the American Broadcasting System. The class of 1930 celebrated its 20th reunion this year.

**AWARDED CONTRACT**  
H. L. Joy and Sons, Emmitsburg and Baltimore painting contractors, have been awarded the contract to paint the Gettysburg Courthouse. Work was begun on the project yesterday.

Join the Chamber of Commerce!

### Legion Elects New Board Of Directors

At the regular monthly meeting of the Francis X. Elder Post, American Legion, held in the Post Home on N. Seton Ave., Tuesday night, the members elected a board of directors and nominated officers for the coming year.

Elected to the board of directors were Everett Chrimer, Lumen F. Norris, Leslie W. Fox, George Wagaman, Edgar Ashbaugh, Eugene Rodgers, and Curtis Topper.

Nominated for commander were Philip B. Sharpe, Everett Chrimer, and William Topper. Remodeling of the Legion Home is progressing rapidly, it was stated by the building committee, headed by Curtis Topper. The annex to the rear of the Home is nearing completion and remodeling of the interior will start Monday, with no interruption in business. Temporary arrangements are being made to accommodate Post members, who desire to use the Home while the interior undergoes renovation.

Many comments were made the fine showing and neat appearance the drill team made in the Thurmont Legion parade recently. Captain of the team, Eugene Rodgers, pointed out that he wanted more members to join the team when it participates in future ceremonies. New uniforms were purchased some time ago. He said the drill team will practice every Monday evening at the Post Home, starting at seven o'clock.

Since the next regular meeting night falls on July 4, the following Tuesday, July 11, was set for the regular session.

### HOSPITAL DISCHARGE

Mrs. Robert Stonesifer, who has been a patient at the Annie Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, for the past several months, returned to her home here this week.

### New Gas Company Extending Service To Emmitsburg District

It was learned this week that the Atlantic States Gas Co. of Pennsylvania has taken steps to augment its service in this area. A new and completely equipped sales office, combined with display room and servicing plant, will be formally opened at Chambersburg, Pa., on June 30.

These facilities, located on extensive properties on Philadelphia Ave. at Siloam Rd., have been under construction for three months. The company has permanent installations there capable of storing the equivalent (in liquid form) of over 5 million cubic feet of gas. A display of gas ranges, automatic water heaters, gas refrigerators and other appliances will face directly on Philadelphia Ave.

Mr. H. L. Smeltzer, sales manager, pointed out that while the Company has been serving local people with gas for cooking, water heating and other uses for some time, the recently completed facilities will permit more intensified local development. The Atlantic States Gas Co., Mr. Smeltzer observed, can now offer the identical services and gas appliances here that for the past 15 years it has made available to 20,000 customers in its older territories.

### Weldon O. Shank Heads Sportsmen Club

Elected to head the Indian Lookout Conservation Club of Emmitsburg, for the ensuing year was Weldon O. Shank, at the regular monthly meeting of the association last Thursday evening in the Fire Hall.

Also elected to offices for the coming year were Albert W. Mc-

Clear, vice president; Everett Chrimer, secretary, and Roland Frock, treasurer. On the board of directors for 1950 are Charles D. Gillelan, Jack Dillon, Samuel C. Hays, Harold M. Hoke, and "Pete" Aldrich.

Following the business session, refreshments were served.

### PUBLIC SALE

SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 1950  
AT 12:30 P. M.

Having been transferred to another factory out of the state, I have decided to sell at public auction in the rear of the Chronicle Bldg., Emmitsburg, Md. the following personal property:

Simmons Daveno bed, maple-top dinette set and 5 leather-covered chairs, 10 1/2-cu. ft. Frigidaire, used less than one year; New Perfection 5-burner stove with oven; kitchen drop-leaf table; steel kitchen table; 2 antique arm chairs, recently refinished and upholstered.

Beautiful 6-piece manogany 18th Century design bedroom suite, consisting of panel bed with spring and mattress, 7-drawer vanity with mirror, vanity bench, 5-drawer chest on chest, dresser and mirror and night stand.

Brown metal bed with spring and mattress; 2 end tables; 1 round table, two-tier; combination floor lamp and stand, 1 bridge lamp; table lamp and electric clock combination; what-not shelf; 1 round mirror; 1 club chair; 1 wardrobe.

Two linoleum rugs, one 9x12, the other 10x10 1/2; 4 large and 2 small window shades; glass paper weight with blown flowers inside; 1 quilt top, ready to be finished; Anyone starting housekeeping can not afford to miss this sale as all of the above furniture is in

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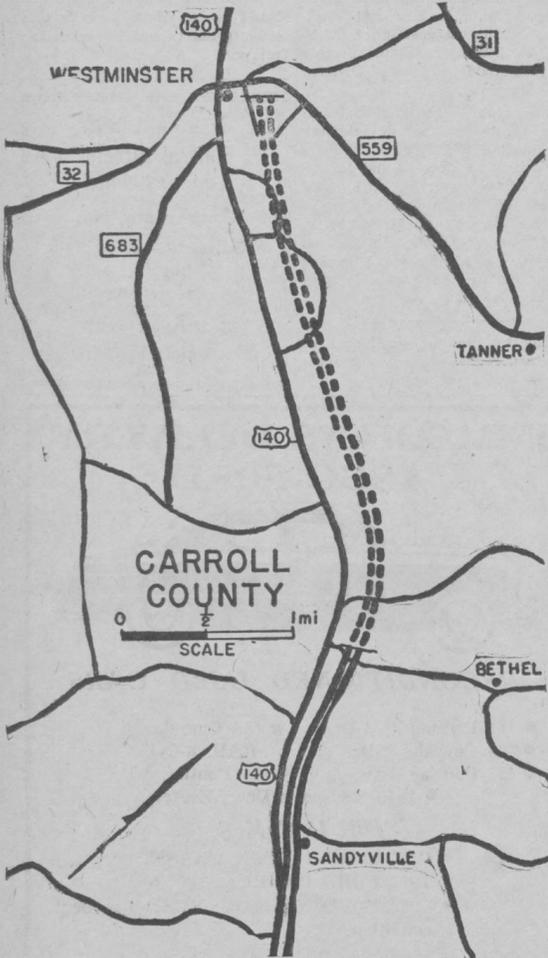
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The accompanying map from the Maryland State Roads Commission shows in dotted lines the approximate route to be followed in the 3.4-mile extension of dual highway along U. S. Route 140 between Reisterstown and Westminster. Bids for this project were opened by the Commission recently and award of the contract will be made in the near future. The work includes grading, drainage and surfacing of two 24-ft. traffic lanes separated by a 50-ft. center parkway. The heavy double lines extending south from the new project in the sketch show a portion of a 3.5-mile project now under construction along Route 140. The latter job was started last January 26. When the two projects are completed, motorists using this route will have a dual highway available for virtually the entire distance between Reisterstown and Westminster.

## HEALTH COLUMN

"With the arrival of summer, Marylanders who plan to enjoy swimming and camping during the months ahead should certainly give a thought to the status of their immunity to typhoid fever," according to a reminder issued by Dr. R. H. Riley, director of the State Dept. of Health. "Since inoculation provides immunity for only three years, those who have not received this protection since 1947 should be immunized this year, as well as any persons who may never have been availed themselves of this safeguard in the past.

"In order to allow time for their immunity to develop fully before outdoor summer activities swing into high gear, all those due for typhoid fever inoculation in 1950 should go to their physicians for immediate treatment if they have not already done so. Immunization is simple and safe, usually being carried out by means of three 'shots' injected at intervals of one week.

"Although the progress of recent decades has almost eliminated typhoid fever as a threat to health in communities with approved public water supplies and good sanitation, it remains a real danger to those who swim, camp, or picnic in remote spots. Personal immunity is still a highly desirable protection for people whose outdoor activities take them to areas not supplied with safe water, food and milk.

"As is rather generally known, typhoid fever is transmitted from person to person by water, food or milk that has become contaminated by discharges from a patient suffering from the disease or from an apparently well carrier. Even beautifully clear water swallowed while swimming, may not be safe to drink or to dangerous situations may arise even in camps and picnic grounds where proprietors try to provide adequate supervision of sanitary conditions. Because typhoid fever continues to cause some illness and deaths in Maryland each year, the public should not be lulled into a false sense of security by the great reductions in the disease produced by community efforts to improve sanitation, isolation of patients and supervision of known carriers. Individuals should still protect themselves if they are likely to be exposed to unfavorable conditions."

If you have cement stored, be sure it is in a dry place.

### LEGALS

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**  
This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Frederick County, in Maryland letters of Administration on the estate of

**BERTHA FLAX**  
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 3rd day of January, 1951 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 my hand this 29th day of May, 1950.

**J. NORMAN FLAX,**  
Administrator  
**EDWARD D. STORM,**  
Attorney

True Copy Test:  
**HARRY D. RADCLIFF,**  
Register of Wills for  
Frederick County, Md.  
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**GERTRUDE LUDWIG**  
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 13th day of December, 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 my hand this 8th day of May, 1950.

**LEWIS S. KUGLER,**  
Administrator  
True Copy Test:  
**HARRY D. RADCLIFF,**  
Register of Wills for Frederick County, Md.  
5-12-50

### SRC Awards Road Contracts

The State Roads Commission during May awarded 17 contracts, with cost authorizations totaling approximately three million dollars, for construction and rehabilitation of highways and bridges throughout the State.

Projects included in the May awards call for construction of 9.3 miles of highway on new locations and for the modernization, by widening, resurfacing or both, of 16 miles of existing roads.

The largest single job awarded during the month was for the construction of 3.15 miles of divided highway on a relocation of Maryland Route 5 from the District of Columbia line southeast to Woods Corner in Prince Georges County. This project, which carries a cost authorization of \$1,504,028 was awarded to the Rea Construction Company the lowest of nine bidders. Other road projects placed under contract during the month are located in Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Caroline, Carroll, Frederick, Harford, St. Mary's and Talbot Counties. Some of the contracts, with the cost authorizations for each, are:

Baltimore County - resurfacing Kenwood Avenue from Trump Mill Road to Old Philadelphia Road and Joppa Road from York Road and Providence Road, \$105,970.

Caroline County - stabilizing surface of Greensboro-Burrsville Road, between Chapel Branch and Burrsville, \$31,087; similar treatment for another section of this road from Russell's Crossroads to Chapel Branch, \$21,933; construction of 2.8 miles of highway on new location between Andersonstown and Federalburg, \$185,059.

Carroll County - rehabilitation of the Six Bridge Road for approximately one-half mile south

### HOMEMAKERS' CORNER

Even though warm weather dulls our appetites, breakfast is not a meal that should be neglected, say nutritionists of the University of Maryland Extension Service. Not only is the morning meal a good way of filling your family quota of vitamins and minerals, but a good breakfast can keep down your food bill. How? By supplying one-third of your daily food requirements, with foods that are budget wise. To hold your family's interest during the summer, keep servings

from the Frederick County line, \$13,247.

Frederick County - construction of a bridge to provide grade crossing separation for the Washington National Pike and a county road 2 1/2 miles east of the Monocacy River, \$108,370.

Harford County - construction of concrete shoulders along 2.9 miles of U. S. Route 1 between Belair and Conowingo, \$92,554.

St. Mary's County - rehabilitation of 3.4 miles of Maryland Route 237 from Clements southeast toward Leonardtown, \$396,990.

Talbot County - widening and resurfacing of Maryland Route 328 for 4.3 miles from Easton toward Matthews, \$148,037; widening bridge over Peachblossom Creek on Maryland Route 333, between Easton and Oxford, from 16 feet to 28 feet, \$165,173; construction of State Roads Commission office and garage building on U. S. Route 50 near Easton, \$114,979.

Also included in the May awards were four contracts for cleaning and repainting 28 bridges in various sections of the State.

chilled until the moment they go on the table. Keep your cereals crisp, either by storing them in a dry place or by heating them in the oven to drive out moisture. Be especially careful of the quality of eggs you serve—if frying or poaching them, be sure have firm, fresh yolks and whites that stand up well and look their best.

### Color Means Light

Consider your lighting when choosing color schemes for the various rooms of your house, specialists say. For comfortable, thrifty light—either sun or elec-

tric—there's an advantage in light-colored walls, woodwork, and furnishings. This is because white or light colors reflect light, while dark colors absorb it.

If you intend to redecorate your home this season in vogue with the currently popular deep shades for wall paper, interior paint, curtains, and other furnishings, you should install more lamps or higher-wattage bulbs to provide adequate light.

North America has about eight per cent of the world's population but more than 21 per cent of the cultivated land.



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### MARYLAND FEED & GRAIN MARKETS

Baltimore grain markets, with the exception of soybeans, held about unchanged last week. No. 2 yellow soybeans advanced sharply about 28 cents per bushel and No. 2 black soybeans made a sharp advance of 36 cents per bushel. Although there is little export demand for soybeans at the present time, domestic demand is good.

#### National Grain Market

Wheat markets turned slightly weaker during the last week in May and new wheat began to arrive at southwestern terminals, reports to the Dept. of Agriculture indicate. Wheat on the other hand held generally steady and about the same as the previous week. The delay in corn planting was the result of rains and cool weather in the northern and eastern section of the belt. Soybeans reached a new high of \$3.30 purchased for the Indiana and Chicago markets. Prices on June 1 were \$3.12 f.o.b. country points and \$3.11 Indiana points. Chicago prices were \$3.22 to \$3.23 per bushel.

#### Maryland Feed Market

The Baltimore feed market weakened during the first week in June. Weakness was most pronounced in wheat millfeeds which made further sharp declines of seven to eight per cent. Standard bran dropped about \$5.29 per ton while standard middlings dropped about \$6.48 per ton. Meat scrap declined over two per cent on the Baltimore market with 50% meat scrap averaging about \$3.09 per ton lower than the previous week. Feeds showing an increase of over 2% during the past week were distillers' dried grains (\$2.11 per ton higher), and 32% dairy

feed (\$2.12 per ton higher). Oilseed meals were steady to stronger on the Baltimore market during last week-end.

#### National Feed Market

Feedstuff prices dropped another five points during the last week in May, according to reports to the Dept. of Agriculture. The index at the close of the period was 229, or only 15 points above the feed-grain index, which advanced two points to 214.1. A year ago the feedstuff index was 213.6 and feed-grains 179.7. Wheat millfeeds and dehydrated alfalfa meal, influenced by increased production and a slow demand, declined sharply. The market was steady for linseed and cottonseed meals but advanced \$3 or more per ton on soybean meal. Gluten feed and meal remained firm but hominy feed and brewers' and distillers' dried grains dropped \$1 to \$2 per ton. Animal protein feeds were steady. Commercial dairy feeds held about unchanged but poultry mashes in which soybean meal was an important ingredient, advanced somewhat.

Production of grain byproduct feeds and oilseed meals October through April this season amounted to 9,242,000 tons, or about 100,000 tons more than the same months last season. A decrease of nearly 240,000 tons in grain byproduct feeds was more than offset by an increase of nearly 30,000,004 tons in oilseed meals. Production of grain byproduct feeds and alfalfa meal in April totaled a little over 537,000 tons compared with 573,000 in March and 518,000 in April, 1949. The output of oilseed meals in April totaled around 626,000 tons against 710,000 in March and 580,000 in April, 1949.

### "Speed Kills" Is Theme Used To Reduce Accidents In June

"WHEN YOU USE THE HIGHWAYS, BE CAREFUL, BE ALERT, AND REMEMBER — SPEED KILLS."

That warning was issued this week by the Maryland State Police in connection with a statement relative to the hazards of summer driving.

It was pointed out that week-end and summer traffic on highways will take the usual toll of life, limb, and property. The police see this toll day after day. They have first-hand knowledge of the risks involved and the chances taken by the heedless and careless driver. Up to May 15 of this year, the police have seen 40 deaths on the highways of Maryland directly attributable to speed.

Throughout the month of June, the theme of the National Highway Safety campaign will be Speed Control. Motorists will be urged to control their speed in accordance with prevailing road and weather conditions.

The State Police in cooperation with the Governor's Citizens Highway Safety Committee will make an all-out effort in urging the motorist to control his speed. On the rear bumpers of all patrol cars will appear a safety slogan reading "Speed Kills." Same theme will be used on all posters, large and small. Also 200,000 small leaflets, pointing out the hazards of speed on the highways, will be distributed at toll bridges, at ferries, and by the troopers themselves.

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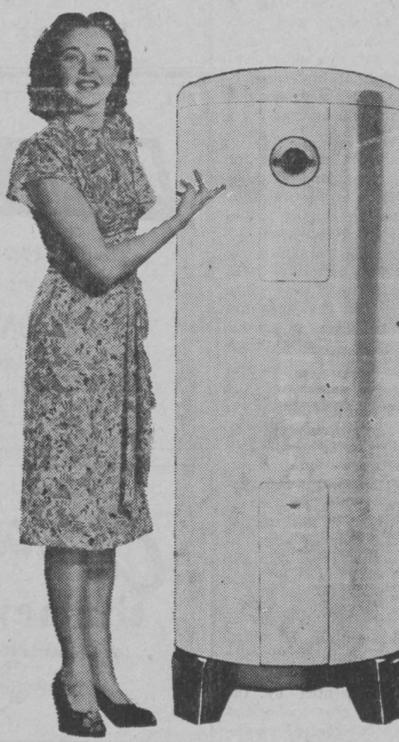
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### SHORT STORY

#### No Sale

By Richard Hill Wilkinson

"We could sell Dusty," Sylvia said. Joe stared at her. "You don't mean that!" Dusty thumped his tail on the floor and pricked his ears. There was, he hoped, a possibility of being taken for a walk up the slope behind the house where rabbits frequently ran and offered no end of excitement.

Sylvia laughed nervously. "Of course I don't. I was only joking. We wouldn't sell Dusty for a million dollars." She reached down and twisted one of Dusty's flopping ears around her forefinger.

Dusty lolled his tongue and sighed in contentment. Next to chasing rabbits, there was nothing he liked better than having his ears twisted, unless it was hunting a glove or an old shoe or pocketbook that either Joe or Sylvia had hidden.

Joe lay awake that night and thought about what Sylvia had said. He felt guilty and ashamed, but when you haven't enough to eat and you own some property that would bring an easy thousand dollars on the open market, you can't help thinking about it.

Sylvia's eyes had been open. Dusty had been there before they left for the night. He was seven weeks old, a pure bred Springer Spaniel. Black as coal and intelligent as two ordinary human beings.

The next morning Joe decided to go down onto the boulevard. Sometimes on the boulevard he met someone he knew and would get talking and perhaps get a line on something. He put Dusty on his leash and started out.

Joe turned down Vine street. Just below Selma, some children were playing on a lawn. One of them was crying. Joe stopped to see what the trouble was. A little girl had lost her rag doll. It was somewhere about, but he couldn't find it. Dusty licked the little girl's hand. She cooed happily and patted his head. The other children crowded about. Joe unsnapped Dusty's leash, held the little girl's skirt to his nose and said: "Go find!"

Dusty let out a yip and went bounding away. Two minutes later he came back, holding in his mouth the rag doll. The little girl clapped her hands.

"Smart dog," said a voice. Joe turned. A car had stopped at the curb. A small round man with a friendly face had emerged onto the sidewalk. Joe nodded. "Pure bred Springer. They're all smart." "Are they?" said the little man. His eyes twinkled. "Like to sell him?" Joe said nothing. He felt a queer prickling at the base of his skull. "Like to sell him?" said the man again.

"How much?" said Joe, not looking at him. "Nine hundred."

Joe thought of Sylvia. She was probably hungry. She'd be hungrier tonight. The only alternative was city relief. A man has his

"How much?" said Joe, not looking at him.

pride. He remembered the hug Sylvia had given Dusty before they left. He thought of the way Dusty would nip at their toes when they were getting dressed in the morning.

He shook his head. "No!" he said. "Not for twice that amount."

The round man laughed. "Then how about buying him? You, too, of course. We're making a picture that requires a cute dog who will go find things that have been hidden."

Joe threw up his head. "What?" "Think it over," said the round man. "Pay would be \$25 a day. Here's my card." He smiled. "Hope I didn't insult you with that nine hundred offer. Your dog's worth two thousand, if a cent. Never saw a pure black Springer with those eyes. Be sure to look me up. If \$25 doesn't suit you, we can probably talk terms."

Joe stood on the curb and watched the black limousine recede. He glanced at the card, then down at Dusty. Dusty was watching him expectantly. He wanted to walk some more. Joe slipped the card into his pocket and started up Vine street at a pace that rather surprised Dusty.

Los Angeles has the highest automobile traffic concentration in the United States.

### MARYLAND HOME FRONT

Urging Maryland farmers to avail themselves of the opportunity afforded through the 1950 Agricultural Conservation Programs to receive assistance in establishing and maintaining their pastures, Joseph H. Blandford, chairman of the Maryland PMA State Committee this week pointed to an important factor in favor of such procedure which apparently has heretofore been largely over-looked.

This factor, he says, is the steadily decreasing percentage of western livestock and livestock products moving from western ranches to eastern markets. From 1925 to 1948 western slaughterhouses in 12 states increased their output from three billion to six billion pounds live weight, while those in the other 36 states increased only one-fifth. Added significance is given this shift in markets, when it is considered that while western plants were doubling their operations, production of meat animals in the area increased only one-third. This means that less and less western meat is reaching eastern markets; it also means greater opportunities for eastern growers to sell their meat animals to slaughter houses at more profitable prices than formerly, due to the slackening of western competition.

One of the factors responsible for this big increase in consumption of meat in western states is the fact that since 1925 their population has increased by 65 per cent, as compared to 20 per cent in the rest of the country. It is also true that the income per person in the area has been higher than in most of the country for a number of years during this time. The best available estimates indicate that population in the western states will continue to increase at a faster rate than for the nation as a whole. "Taken together," says Mr. Blandford, "these signs point toward the practical certainty that eastern livestock producers may safely invest in an expansion of their facilities for producing high grade livestock. Both the pasture improvement provisions of County PMA programs, and the 1950 Greener Pastures Contest are intended to encourage the movement in this direction; the first by offering financial assistance, and the second through affording present and future livestock producers the opportunity to study the practices which have proved most successful in the establishment and maintenance of high producing grazing lands, and systems of rotation and management."

#### Contest Extended

An extension of the time for entering the Maryland Greener Pastures Contest to the date for the actual pasture judging to begin was announced this week by Mr. Blandford. The date formerly established for entering was June 1. Due to unexpected late interest which has developed the State Committee is extending the date for entering.

"Last year about 100 pastures from nearly all areas of the state were entered in this contest. Entries to date have already passed this mark," Mr. Blandford stated.

Purpose of the contest is largely educational giving, as it does, farmers interested in pasture improvement an opportunity to meet with others and compare methods used to produce outstanding results.

Awards will be in the form of certificates and will be presented in Annapolis at an appropriate ceremony. Present plans call for these to be presented by the Governor. One of the speakers at this ceremony is expected to discuss the methods of production used on the pastures of some of the contest winners.

Judging is expected to begin before July 1.

#### Missstep Costs \$20,000

Mrs. Edith Maske, 42, who lost her left foot in a 1945 gas explosion, won \$20,000 damages recently from a Washington bus line because her right foot was stepped on. A bus stopped suddenly, causing another passenger to step on her right foot with a spiked heel, a jury ruled.

#### Divorcing Knife Thrower

Mrs. Dorothy Allen of Tampa, Fla., is seeking a divorce from her husband because she says he insists on using her as a target in a knife-throwing act. She explains that the man, Frank Allen, is a private detective but also doubles as a knife thrower in vaudeville acts.

### SOUND EFFECTS SAM -BY- HEINZ KING



#### DEED RECORDED

A deed was recorded in the clerk's office for the sale of an Emmitsburg property. Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Harner have sold to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richard Harner a property at 30 E. Main St., consideration showing as around \$10,000.

#### Boom Times

America is turning out goods and services on a scale right up to the top of the boom in late 1947, Commerce Dept. economists say. The national output in the first quarter of this year hit a \$2.9 billion-a-year clip after the second consecutive quarterly rise from the 1949 low, the Department reported.

#### Words Of An Optimist

Secretary of the Treasury Snyder predicts that 1950 "will be one of the most profitable business years in our history."

#### RECEIVES DEGREE

Richard Arvin Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arvin P. Jones of Emmitsburg, received the degree of bachelor of arts June 5 from Bridgewater College when the institution held its 70 commencement exercises.

A science major, young Jones will enter the medical school at the University of Maryland in September.

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### State Bond Quota Nearly 8 Million

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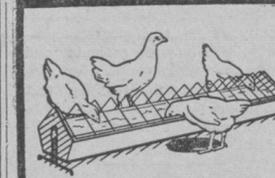


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at each of the ceremonies given in its honor in city and counties, at the suggestion of Richard H. Dixon Jr., State Director of the Savings Bonds Division for Maryland.

The state is still holding its own in its progress of realizing the goal of \$7,730,000 in E Bond sales between May 15 and July 4. Mr. Dixon reported, with total sales for the two-weeks' period ending May 27 of \$1,733,008 or 22.4% of the quota. At the end of this period, Maryland ranked third among the States in percentage of quota achieved.

The top five or six inches of the asparagus stalk is the most tender for freezing.

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Post Office..... Election District.....  
Male ..... Female..... Age..... Spayed.....  
Breed..... Name.....  
If dog is not six months of age by July 1, 1950, license must be bought when dog becomes six months old.  
Failure to buy your dog license will mean not only your arrest, but your dog may be picked up and impounded.  
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GUY ANDERS,  
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### LOOKING AHEAD

By GEORGE S. BENSON  
President—Harding College  
Searcy, Arkansas

#### The Communist Smear

A natural inclination of the American people towards the peaceful and quiet life has been one of the chief reasons why Communists have been able to gain such a strategically important foothold in various quarters in our country. Who wants to start a fight? Who wants to get involved in a noisy, unpleasant controversy? Very few Americans do. You cannot fight Communism anywhere, and especially not here in America where the stakes are so high, without becoming the smear target of the Communists' entire propaganda apparatus.

And almost invariably when an aggressive anti-Communist sticks his neck out, the noisy Communist barrage against him is powerfully assisted by carefully cultivated dupes—often well-meaning and unquestionably loyal Americans. Many intellectuals in highly influential positions, who could not possibly be sold the full Marxian line, have fallen for and are constantly using some of the Communists' best tools. Labels such as "Red-baiter" and "Witch-hunter," "anti-labor," "anti-Jew," are Communist tools. Communists in America have devised to take the heat off themselves.

#### Insidious Tactics

The label "Red-baiter" has about worn out its effectiveness. But "Witch-hunter," "anti-labor," "anti-Jew," all have an ugly connotation. Few Americans want to be lambasted thus and with the other accompanying vituperation. So must people keep their mouths shut, publicly, which is precisely the Communists' design. A friend has sent me a little book on Communist tactics in labor unions which has the ring of authenticity. It was written by Karl Baarslag, an AF of L member since 1920. Unlike many current authors in this particular field, Baarslag was never a Communist.

He was one of the founders, in 1931, of a sea-going radio operators union. Within a few years it had 1,500 members and was rigidly controlled by a handful of Communists. "There were less than 60 identifiable Communists and possibly 150 to 200 fellow travelers and dupes," Baarslag writes. "Among the loyal members, the puzzling question arose, 'How can so few dominate and outwit so many?'"

There are many answers. This union labor man who is warning America against Communists and their dupes fills his book with answers. Here's one: "Communists have a very low opinion of the courage of union members in the mass because they know through long experience that the average American worker dislikes controversy and 'trouble' and will stay away from union meetings that are constantly rent by bitter dissension.

"Lacking a machine, a gang, or clique to back him up and defend him, the average peace-loving and quiet union member decides that silence and discretion are the better part of valor. That means that about 90 per cent of the membership of most unions either stay away from meetings or take no active part in those they do attend." Thus do the conspirators, whose constant goal is the destruction of our nation, gain control of highly strategic unions in which they have only a small number of members.

#### Their Threat Silences

The AF of L veteran says further: "All outstanding anti-Communists are made the victims of a well organized but cleverly disguised campaign of vilification and slander. . . . The average American, believing in 'live and let live' and eager to be known as a 'good fellow' without an enemy in the world' is particularly vulnerable to (the threat of the smear). The list of labor and liberal figures who have been dissuaded from making anti-Communists statements or engaging in activities inimical to the Communist Party by the simple threat of a good smearing is lamentably long."

In recent months I've met and talked to two of America's foremost authorities on Communism in America. One is a former high-placed FBI agent. They told me that when Communists get control of a union

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By Harry Miller, Director, GAINES DOG RESEARCH CENTER



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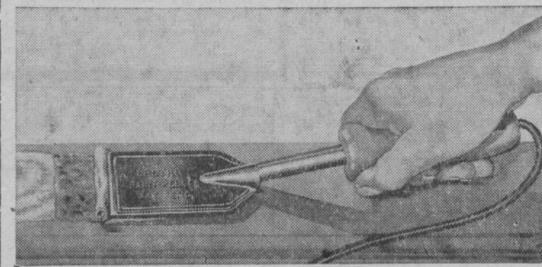
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#### Carries Wallop

The U. S. has reportedly produced atomic bombs little enough to be carried by jet bombers and fighter-bombers smaller and faster than the B-29 which dropped early model A-bombs on Japan. And the fact that the bombs are not so large as the full-size ones does not necessarily mean that they pack less of a wallop, officials say.

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they try—sometimes successfully—to close the door of employment to aggressive anti-Communists. They told me of specific cases. It all adds up to the fact that you can't fight Communism today and have peace and quiet. But even so, the American forces arrayed against the conspiracy are growing in voice and strength and are determined to win even if it requires some martyrs.



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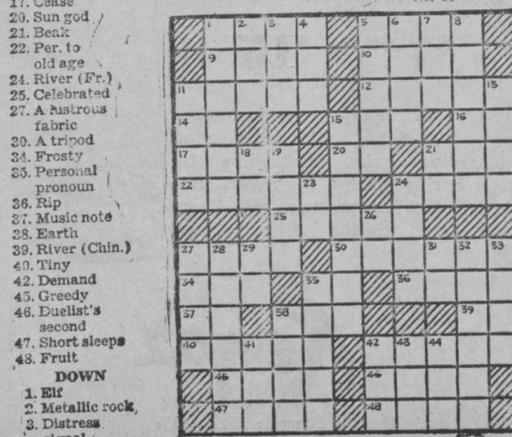
### CROSSWORD PUZZLE

LAST WEEK'S ANSWER

- ACROSS
- 1. Tolerable (hyphen)
- 5. Soaks up
- 9. Malayan boat
- 10. Independent state, SE Arabia
- 11. Seaport city, NW France
- 12. Last
- 14. Sloth
- 15. Suitable
- 16. International language
- 17. Cease
- 20. Sun god
- 21. Beak
- 22. Per. to old age
- 24. River (Fr.)
- 25. Celebrated
- 27. A rustrous fabric
- 29. A tripod
- 34. Frosty
- 35. Personal pronoun
- 36. Rip
- 37. Music note
- 38. Earth
- 39. River (Chin.)
- 40. Tiny
- 42. Demand
- 45. Greedy
- 46. Duelist's second
- 47. Short sleeps
- 48. Fruit

- 4. Cereal grain
- 5. Capital of Bulgaria
- 6. Leave out
- 7. God of stocks
- 8. Trapped
- 11. Male singing voice
- 13. Rounded projection of an organ (anat.)
- 15. Worried
- 18. Ahead
- 19. A shade of red

- 21. Greek letter
- 23. Behold!
- 24. Mine entrance
- 26. Erbium (sym.)
- 27. Title of respect (pl.)
- 28. One who deals in ice
- 29. Suffix forming adjectives
- 31. Norse god
- 32. Less hard
- 33. Neat
- 35. Forms
- 38. Slide



- DOWN
- 1. Elf
- 2. Metallic rock
- 3. Distress signal

## Boy Scout NEWS

By HENRY H. CHARLTON  
Scoutmaster, Troop No. 284

In spite of bad weather and stiff competition, three patrols of Troop No. 284 received honor camper awards at the Francis Scott Key District Camporee held in Lewistown on June 2, 3, and 4.

The boys were judged on ability to camp in the approved Scout fashion. There were certain tests of Scoutcraft, such as fire building, first aid, and nature.

Sixteen patrols participated in the Camporee including three from the Emmitsburg troop. The local patrols were The Beaver, led by Charles Baker; assistant

patrol leader, Weldon Shank Jr.; cook, Thomas "Woody" Stoner; first aider, John Springer; nature advisor, Lewis Hahn; compass and map-making were handled by Ken Shoemaker, and Mike Miller was in charge of the camping area. The Flying Eagle patrol was under Senior Patrol Leader Allen Stoner; assistant patrol leader, Joseph Scott; cook, Robert Gelwicks; fire-builder, Joseph VanBrakle; first-aid man, Wayne Baumgardner. The Flaming Arrow patrol was under the leadership of Ronald Kelly; assistant patrol leader, Dave Sanders; cook, Wayne Ohler; first aider, George Gartrell; fire building, William VanBrakle, and nature advisor, Robert Fuss.

Individual awards were made to all the boys at the camporee and because of the excellence of their performance, each of the patrols will receive National Capital Area Council Camporee awards.

Dr. and Mrs. D. L. Beegle and family, left Tuesday for a five week's trip to the West Coast.

#### Tough Way

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# ROCKY RIDGE NEWS

By MRS. JOHN KAAS

(Rocky Ridge Correspondent. Phone 3-F-21)

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Martz and children Dolly and Mary Caterine of Utica were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Troxell on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller, Waldon, Howard Jr. and Barbara spent Sunday sight seeing in Washington and Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Welty, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Welty and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Resh of Hagerstown were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Boller.

Rev. and Mrs. Dyoil Belote of Linwood spent last Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Minnie Renner and Mr. and Mrs. John D. Kaas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kale and daughter Pasty and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Valentine of Hagerstown

were entertained on Sunday by Miss Cotta Valentine.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Powell of Frederick visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stambaugh on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Boller visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Boller and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boone were dinner guests of Mrs. Gertrude Warner of Detour on Decoration Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Baker of Taneytown and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reese of New Windsor visited Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Wantz on Sunday.

The Mt. Tabor Lutheran Church will hold a festival in the park on Saturday evening June 10.

## Directory Reports Increase In Catholic Population

According to the official Catholic Directory for 1950 there is an increase of about 3.8 per cent in the number of Catholics in the United States, Alaska, and Hawaii during the past year.

The Official Directory reports there are 27,766,141 Catholics in the area, an increase of 1,047,798 over last year.

The directory disclosed the following: Archdioceses with Catholic populations over a million are Chicago, 1,697,681; Boston, 1,302,985; New York, 1,260,328; Philadelphia, 1,058,058, and Newark, 1,028,951.

Brooklyn, with 1,249,197, continues as the largest diocese, while Pittsburgh, with 805,699, is the second largest.

The largest number of the hierarchy in the history of the Catholic Church in this country are listed: Four Cardinals, 21 archbishops, and 157 bishops.

For the fourth year in succession the number of converts exceeded 100,000. Adult baptisms numbered 119,173, which is 2,043

more than during the preceding year.

Catholic marriages totaled 338,512, a decrease of 9.3 per cent. Infant baptisms—943,43—showed an increase of 6.235.

There are now a total of 11,497 separate educational institutions—an increase of 165 within the year.

## Letters Awarded

Guests from Emmitsburg at a Dugaree party given by Magie Rocks in Waynesboro on Friday evening were: Janet Wachter, Dorothy Fitzgerald, Gene Rosensteel, Pat Boyle, Mike Boyle and Dick Sprankle.

Although the basketball season has long since terminated, the awarding of letters to the members of both the girls' and boys' teams took place on Friday afternoon. The following girls received the letters: Janet Adams, Loretta Boyle, Dorothy Fitzgerald, Sandra Hall, Lois Hewitt, Susan Law, Dorothy Lingg, Leona Lingg, Teresa Pecher, and Barbara Rosensteel. The boys who received them were: Mike Boyle, Eddy Collins, Lynwood Mick and Dick Sprankle.

## Youth Injured In Motorcycle Collision

Ralph A. Ritenour, 17-year-old resident of Route 1, Thurmont, was reported in fair condition at Frederick Memorial Hospital the early part of this week as the result of injuries he sustained in a collision between his motorcycle and two automobiles on W. Seventh St., near Camp Detrick, at about 11:15 Friday night.

The county youth sustained a broken right leg, right shoulder, jaw, several teeth knocked out, and lacerations of the head and face, police said.

According to the officer's report, Ritenour was traveling west on the road when he approached the two automobiles. The Ford vehicle operated by Mrs. Pauline L. Reed, 27, Frederick, had stalled on the highway, Trooper Mutchner said. Another machine, driven by Joseph Holcombe, was attempting to get the Reed car started by pushing with his Buick it was said. Both cars were headed toward Frederick.

Ritenour sidwiped the right rear fender of the stalled vehicle with his motorcycle and crashed head on into the grill of the Holcombe car. Camp Detrick then summoned State Police to the scene. The injured were taken to the hospital in the State Police ambulance.

The motorcycle was demolished while the two cars were damaged to the extent of about \$125.

Soil needs humus.

## JOHN W. FREAM

John W. Fream, well-known merchant of Harney, died suddenly Monday morning at 11:45 a. m. at his home, aged 78 years. A native of Carroll County, the son of the late George and Sarah Hess Fream, he conducted a general merchandise store, painting and paper-hanging business at Harney for more than 50 years before retiring several years ago.

Monday he arose in his usual good health and went out into a garden to work. Returning to the house, he complained of feeling ill and died before medical assistance could arrive.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Effie Fleagle Fream; a son, J. Ernest Fream near Taneytown; two daughters, Mrs. Howard Kump, Harney and Mrs. Walter Koontz, near Taneytown; 18 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

He was a long-time member of the Lutheran Church and active in St. Paul's Church at Harney, where he also belonged to the Sunday School class and Brotherhood. Fraternally, he was a member of the Taneytown Lodge IOOF and the Mystic Chain at Harney.

Funeral services were held yesterday at 1 p. m. with final rites at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. The pastor, Rev. Charles D. Held, officiated. Interment in church cemetery.

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This will be the fifth in a series of six meetings which are being held in every section of the state between May 31 and June 15. Sponsored by the Maryland Bankers Assn., the University of Maryland, and the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond, these

meetings are designed to acquaint bank officers and directors with changing farm conditions, to illustrate the interdependence of agriculture and banking, and to emphasize the harmonious relationships which exist in Maryland among farmers, bankers, and the agricultural college of their state university.

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A meeting of all religious groups was held Tuesday in the Lutheran Parish House, and practically every local denomination was present.

It was announced that all children of school age are eligible to enroll in the class.

Officers elected to guide the class this year are: Dean, Rev. Philip Bower; treasurer, Mrs. John White; secretary, Mrs. Lewis Bell; music director, Mrs. Adam Grim; pianist, Miss Carolyn McDonnell. Installation of these officers will take place Sunday evening at 8 p. m. in the Presbyterian Church. Rev. Adam Grim will deliver a sermon, and the entire public is invited to attend.

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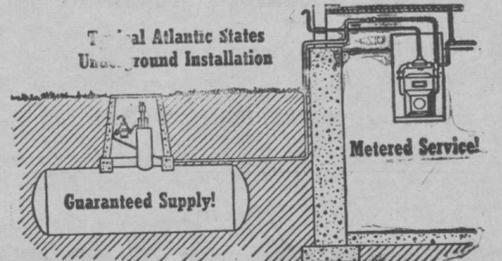
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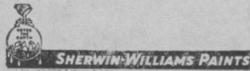


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Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Fuss, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fuss, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuss spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clingan of Baltimore.

Sunday visitors at the home of

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gilliam, Elder Apts., were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gilliam and son, Gary, of Gettysburg, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gilliam and son, Wayne, of Carlisle, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gilliam of Hagerstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. McCleaf, W. Main St., and Mr. and Mrs. Lance McCleaf, Fairfield, visited last week in Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Shuff, Merion, Pa., visited over the

week-end with his father, M. F. Shuff, Sr., and Miss Ruth Shuff and Mrs. William Rowe, W. Main St. M. F. Shuff, Sr., and Miss Ruth Shuff returned with the couple to Merion, where they will spend several weeks.

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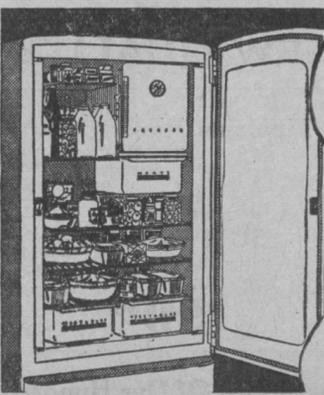
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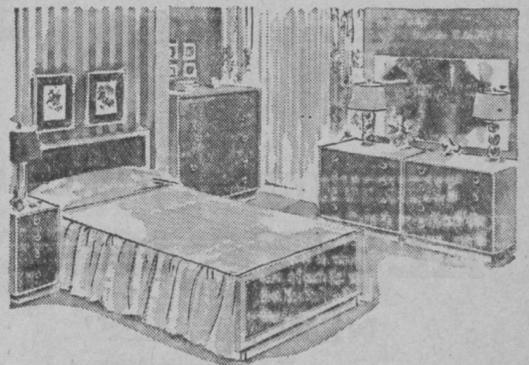
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Mrs. Ida M. Goulden of E. Main St., has returned home after visiting for a week with her son-in-law and daughter, Trooper and Mrs. John Koontz of Waldorf.

**Bridal Shower Given Miss Doris Hemler**

A surprise miscellaneous bridal shower was tendered Miss Mary Doris Hemler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Hemler, Sunday evening, sponsored by Mrs. Charles and Mrs. Sterling Hemler. The affair took place at the home of Mrs. Charles Hemler, which was appropriately decorated for the occasion. A myriad of colored balloons placed in the center of the room was one of the special decorations.

Among the guests attending were Mrs. Agnes Selig, Mrs. M. J. Kaas Jr., Christine Jordan, Mary Hemler, Mrs. Robert Fietz, Mrs. F. H. Orndorf, Mrs. Francis Hemler, Mrs. Joseph May, Agnes and Alma Lingg, Mrs. Steling Orndorf, Catherine Orndorf, Carey Groft, Mrs. Ruth Martin, Mrs. Helen Sanders, Annie Sanders, Helen Seidel, Pauline and Dorothy Orndorf, Mrs. Augustus Orndorf, Mrs. William Orndorf, Mrs. Robert Fietz Jr., Harriet Fietz, Mrs. John Orndorf, Regina and Wanda Hemler, Agatha and Marianna Wetzel, Agnes Walter, Mrs. V. L. Hartdagan, Mrs. Alice Ohler, Mrs. Dorothy McLaughlin, Mrs. Charles Hemler, Miss Catherine Seiss, Davis Adams and Mrs. Sterling Hemler.

Miss Hemler was the recipient of many useful and valuable gifts. She will be married Saturday morning in St. Anthony's Church.

**Legion Auxiliary Holds Meeting**

The regular meeting of the Francis X. Elder Post, American Legion Auxiliary, was held Tuesday evening in the Post Home. Mrs. Laura Rosensteel, president, presiding.

The president read a communication from the district president. The district meeting held recently in Williamsport, was attended by the following local members: Mrs. Laura Rosensteel, Mrs. Harry McNair, and Miss Ruth Gillelan.

Nomination of officers was held

and they will be elected at the next regular meeting to be held the second Tuesday of July, which is July 11.

The membership is participating in a drive to have all members insured in the Blue Cross Hospitalization Plan. Anyone wanting to subscribe to this service is to contact Mrs. Madeline Harner, phone 134-F-2.

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**TWO GRADUATE**

Two local residents, Miss Nancy Beegle and Mr. Paul Harner, were among the 1950 graduating class of Gettysburg High School this

**Juniors Drop Game**

The American Legion Junior baseball team dropped its first victory of the season Wednesday evening to Westminster, 10-3.

Keeney, Westminster hurler, allowed only four hits, while Collins and Mick were giving up eight to their opponents.

On Saturday, the junior team travels to Taneytown for a game there, and Wednesday evening finds Hampstead here in a game on the Community Field starting at 6 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Adams and Dora Louise, David, Billy, and Harry Adams spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cromer of Hanover, Rt. 1.

Mrs. Harry Smith and children of Blue Ridge Summit, Pa., recently spent an evening with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ohler.

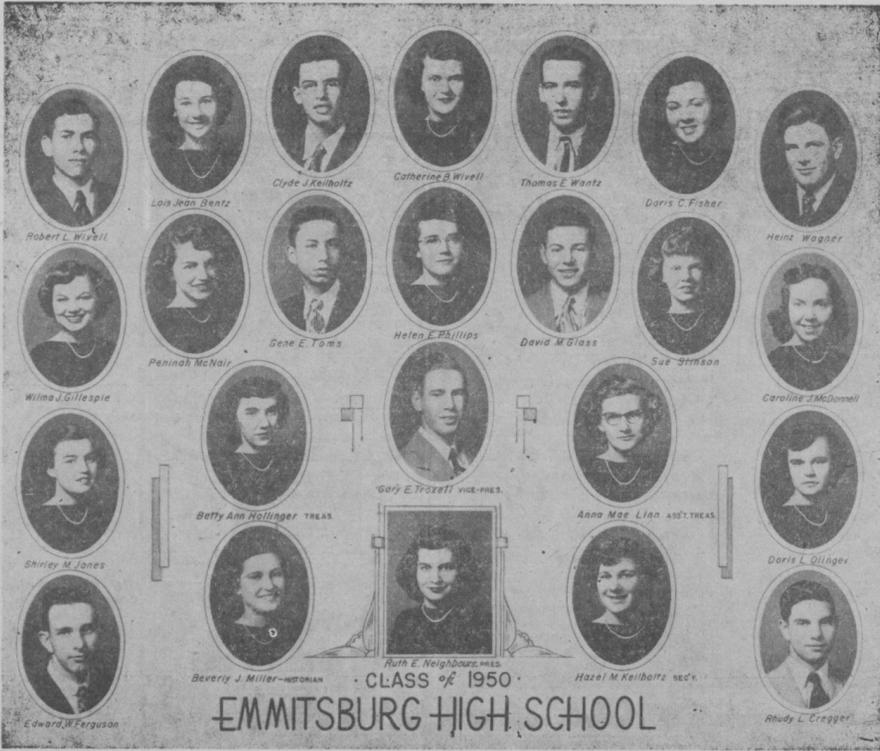
Joseph W. Kerrigan Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ward Kerrigan of E. Main St., will return home this week from Point Barrow, Alaska, where he has been employed by Arctic Contractors as radio technician for a year.

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**GRADUATES CUM LAUDE**

Miss Josephine Fitzgerald, Emmitsburg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitzgerald, was graduated from St. Joseph's College last Thursday morning.

Miss Fitzgerald received the Bachelor of Science Degree cum laude.



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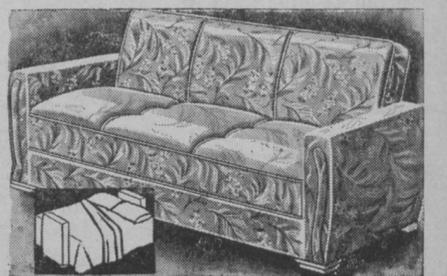
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