

## Most Anything At A Glance

BY ABIGAIL

Jimmy Christmas! I Guess who we're gonna have for our new neighbors? None other than the one and only Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower and his charming wife. No, I'm not pulling your leg folks—sa fact . . . The Eisenhowers have purchased a farm about seven miles north of Emmitsburg, just off the Emmitsburg-Gettysburg Rd., and plan on moving in sometime in the near future. I'll even tell you how much he paid for the place if you're still in doubt as to whether or not I know what I'm talking about. As far as I can ascertain, it cost the old boy around \$40,000. I understand the place is in need of considerable repairs but I've no doubt in my mind that the General can very ably master the situation . . . He's had tougher ones than that to handle, n'est-ce-pas?

Seriously though, it makes me very proud to think that of all the places in these wonderful United States where General and Mrs. Eisenhower COULD have located, the fact that this section was his choice thrills me no end . . .

Gosh, wonder who'll be next to drive a stake in our fertile soil? There's Gen. Ike, just seven miles away from us, and often there's "Shangri-La," the President's resort near Thurmont. Wow, between the two of these well-known, highly important personages, the number of diplomats and dignitaries will be swarming in this vicinity . . . Say, that's an interesting thought; one that should interest the Chamber of Commerce . . . Who knows, maybe if we gave them a good enough sales talk about our interesting and historic little town, the fertility of the soil, etc., we could convince them that this is the place for them to settle down in.

Anyway, it's food for thought.

I say, what gives with all the weddings these days? Seems as though everybody and his brother are taking it into their craniums to get married? (Or should I say crania?) Regardless, I can't make a move anymore without hearing that somebody I know is getting ready to tie the nuptial knot.

Could it be the unsettled national situation that's making people marriage-minded as was the case in the last national crisis? Or is it that Dan Cupid feels it's gonna be a long, hard and cold winter and has decided to take matters in his own hands. Maybe there's something to that little melody "I've Got My Love To Keep Me Warm." Woe is me, I'm afraid I'm a poor one to know much about that sort of thing—Drat it all!

You know, I hope you people appreciate the fact that the recent Thursday was Thanksgiving and most of you lucky people had nothing to do but eat and eat till the turkey ran out your ears, the entire Chronicle force, of which yours truly is a member, please note, worked hard all day to see that your issue of the Chronicle made its appearance at the usual time in your homes . . . Sometimes I wonder why I ever chose the newspaper racket . . . It's an endless, thankless job that never seems to get you anywhere. Like the U. S. mails, the Chronicle must be put to bed come hell or high water, and believe me, I ain't jet jesting . . . In this business you have a deadline to make, and brother YOU MAKE IT OR ELSE . . .

Eddie Harris, a patient at the Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, Pa., where he underwent an operation removing his left leg above the knee, is doing very well. Mr. Harris resides in Benderville, Pa., but has many friends in Emmitsburg.

# Four Die In Blaze Here

## A. H. MALLOY SUCCUMBS TO ILLNESS

Arthur H. Malloy, 58, retired director of athletics at Mt. St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg, and one of the greatest athletes in the history of the Mount, died at his home near St. Anthony's at 5:30 o'clock last Friday morning of a heart attack.

Mr. Malloy was born in Wilmington, Del., a son of the late James F. and Mary Foley Malloy. While a student at the Mount, he won varsity letters in football, baseball and basketball. Following his graduation in 1913, he taught mathematics and coached major sports at Salesianum High School, Wilmington.

He resigned this position to volunteer for military service during World War I, and served with the American forces overseas for 19 months. After the war he returned to the Wilmington school, resigning in 1924 to go to the Mt. St. Mary's as director of athletics and coach of major sports.

During his coaching career at the Mount, his football and basketball teams won numerous state championships.

Shortly after the bombing of Pearl Harbor, he resigned his job at the Mount to direct the USO at Fort Dupont, Del. He returned to the Mount in 1946 as director of athletics and coach of major sports. He resigned in 1947 because of ill health.

Surviving are his widow, Mary Mondorff Malloy, and a sister, Miss Sarah Malloy.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at 10 o'clock with requiem high mass in St. Anthony's Shrine, the celebrant being Rt. Rev. Msgr. John L. Sheridan, president of Mt. St. Mary's College. The body was taken to Wilmington for interment in Cathedral Cemetery. S. L. Allison, funeral director.

Coach Malloy was known for his characteristic modesty and friendly and cheerful disposition among a host of associates and friends. He had been active in social and civic affairs until failing health forced him to give up most of his activities.

### MRS. ANNIE M. CLEM

Mrs. Annie M. Clem, widow of John A. Clem, died Thursday, November 31, at her home in Rocky Ridge at 2 p. m., aged 71 years.

The deceased was a daughter of the late John L. and Annie Musson Roser and was a member of Mt. Tabor Reformed Church. The following children survive: Cletus R. Clem, Balto.; Harvey Clem, Rocky Ridge; Mrs. R. W. Knucely and Mrs. Arthur Pentz, Hagerstown; Mrs. Frank G. Ralston, at home. The following brothers and sisters survive in addition to eight grandchildren and five great grandchildren: Mrs. M. G. Shank and Milton Roser, Hagerstown; Marion Roser, White Rock, S. D., and Pius Roser, Houston, Tex.

Funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Mt. Tabor Church. Interment in Mt. Tabor Cemetery.

### MRS. CHARLES SIX

Mrs. Rose Mae Six, 42, wife of Charles Six, died at her home near Motters Station last Thursday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock. She had been in declining health for some time and was critically ill the past three weeks.

The deceased was a daughter of the late William Hamilton and Mary Louise Fair Weant, and was a member of the Keysville Lutheran Church. In addition to her husband, surviving are three children, Mrs. Charles Glass, of Emmitsburg, and Mary Virginia and Cora Mae Six, at home; one grandchild, three brothers and one sister, Holland F. Weant, Taneytown; Raymond C., and Scott H. Weant, Emmitsburg, and Mrs. Herbert Little, Hanover.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday at 2 p. m. by her pastor, the Rev. R. S. Poffenberger. Interment was made in the Keysville Church Cemetery.

## Auxiliary Sets Date For Christmas Party

The Francis X. Elder Unit, the American Legion Auxiliary, held its regular meeting in the Post Home, Tuesday evening, with the president, Margaret Brown, presiding. Twenty-three attended.

A letter was read from the Jr. Red Cross, thanking the unit for the use of their room. Another communication was read from the Dept. Membership Chairman congratulating the unit for reaching their membership quota in a given time. The next district meeting will be held in Frederick on Dec. 10. It was announced that \$39.75 was cleared from the recent food and rummage sale. Fruit baskets were ordered sent sick members.

Contributions were given the following: Joy Shop, \$15.00; Dept. Gift Shop, \$2; Perry Point Gift Shop, \$1; Ft. Howard Nativity scene \$1 and four cartons of cigarettes to Perry Point. Blue Cross dues are to be paid Mrs. Bond by Dec. 26, the first quarter of 1951. Mrs. Effie Hoke won the door prize of \$1.00. The Christmas party will be held Dec. 28 at the Home and roast turkey will be served. Gifts will be exchanged.

## POSTS COLLATERAL

Francis Wilbur O'Brien, Rt. 3, Emmitsburg, was held for \$277.90 collateral recently when State Trooper James Potteet arrested him on Route 32 and charged him with drunken and reckless driving. A hearing was held Wednesday before Magistrate M. E. Burman at Taneytown.

## Town Decorating Begun By Lions

Emmitsburg began to take on that Christmas look Wednesday, when four pine trees were placed on all corners of the Square by the Lions Club. Chairman of the lighting committee, J. Ralph McDonnell, said it is planned to light all four trees as usual, but that in addition, strings of lights will be placed across the State road, all four ways, for about a block distant from the Square—something new in decorations for the town.

Several merchants are planning elaborate store window displays for the Yuletide, and the Chamber of Commerce is going to award six prizes for what judges will construe as the "best" display. The prizes will be awarded in both the commercial and domestic classes.

Mrs. Silverson, who has been spending several weeks with her aunt, Miss Alice Taney, returned last Friday to her home in Minneapolis, Minn.

Michael Boyle returned home last Friday afternoon after being narrowed in Pittsburgh, Pa., since last week-end where he was visiting relatives.

## Come to Church

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Charles S. Owen, Pastor  
7:30 p. m. Church Service.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.

On Tuesday evening at eight o'clock, the Mite Society will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hays for the Christmas Party.

### REFORMED CHURCH

Rev. E. P. Welker, Pastor  
Sunday School—10 a. m.; The Service, 10:45 a. m.

The consistory will meet Dec. 13 at the parsonage at eight o'clock. Women's Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Constance Kershner.

### TOM'S CREEK CHURCH

Rev. Adam Grim, Pastor  
9 a. m.—Sunday School.  
10 a. m.—Services with sermon.

### ST. ANTHONY'S SHRINE

Rev. Stanley Scarff, pastor  
Sunday Masses at 7, 8:30 and 10

### LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Philip Bower, Pastor

## New Columnist For Chronicle

In line with our policy of bringing you, our readers, the highest caliber type of educational reading, the Chronicle has obtained the services of Dr. James H. Allison, local physician, to write a column. Each week the Chronicle will carry a medical column, translated into the everyday language of the laymen. Dr. Allison has offered his time and professional knowledge as a pub-service to the community. For today's column, please turn to Page 3.

## FUNERAL SERVICE

Rev. Dr. R. R. Gresh, conducted private services last Thursday afternoon at the home of Dr. and Mrs. D. L. Beegle, W. Main St., simultaneous with the funeral service of Mrs. George W. Irwin in Seattle, Wash. Mrs. Minnie Bream, mother of Mrs. Irwin and Mrs. Fred Justin, a sister from Philadelphia, with a few other very close relatives, were present. Mrs. Irwin was fatally injured in an auto accident Saturday, Nov. 25.

## MRS. GRACE E. ANDERS

Mrs. Grace Emma Anders, widow of Grayson H. Anders, Rocky Ridge, died Sunday night at the home of her son, Wade H. Anders in Baltimore, after an extended illness. She was born Sept. 5, 1881, near Johnsville, a daughter of the late Elias and Catherine Phillips Brown and was aged 69 years. Her husband predeceased her by six years.

Surviving are five children: Wade Anders, at whose home she died; Mrs. Guy Angell, Rocky Ridge; Atlee B. Anders, Indianapolis; Kermit K. Anders, Thurmont; and Kenneth P. Anders of Reisterstown. A sister, Mrs. Amanda Haisleigh, Walkersville, also survives. The deceased was a member of Mt. Tabor Lutheran Church, Rocky Ridge.

Funeral services were held at one o'clock Wednesday in the Mt. Tabor Church. Rev. R. S. Poffenberger officiated. Interment was made in the adjoining cemetery.

## ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Liller of Graceham, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lola Mae, to Franklin Eugene Wastler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester R. Wastler, Emmitsburg.

The wedding will take place June 10.

Miss Liller is a senior at Emmitsburg High School and Mr. Wastler is a barber at Mac's Barber Shop, Emmitsburg.

## DEER SEASON CLOSES TOMORROW

Six more buck deer were killed Wednesday to bring the total kill of legal deer in Frederick County for the first three days of six-day open season to 61. That is six less than were shot the first three days of last year's season, when a new record of 79 was set.

Regional Game Warden Benjamin F. Phebus Sr., said Wednesday evening that five of the six slain Wednesday were taken in the northern part of the county, west and above Thurmont. Only one was shot on the Frederick City watershed, where the bulk of the deer are killed each year.

For the third day there were no casualties among the hunters. Two hunters were reported arrested for shooting after sundown.

Five more dead doe were reported found during the day, bringing the total illegal kills to 11 since the season opened.

Lucky hunters from Emmitsburg and vicinity were George Ashbaugh, Ellis Chase, Charles D. Gillelan, George Pecher, John Eyer, Al Pecher and John Mort. Some of the deer were killed in Pennsylvania by parties who went to the Keystone state. Another party, consisting of Clyde Eyer, James Adelsberger, and Louis Stoner Jr., shot a doe.

Eugene Rodgers bagged a 7-point buck while hunting in W. Virginia this week.

The season in Maryland closes tomorrow.

## Couple Celebrates Fifty-seven Years of Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Beecher L. Ohler of E. Main St., celebrated their fifty-seventh wedding anniversary Sunday evening with their family all present. The evening was spent playing games and refreshments were served the following (including four generations):

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ohler, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Shadel and children, Ann and Jimmy, of Kingsdale, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Selby and son, Danny, of Taneytown; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ohler and son, Donald, Mrs. Nina Givens, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Harbaugh and son, Tommy.

## Two More Cars Collide On Toll Gate Curve

Toll Gate Hill was again the scene of another automobile accident Monday as a Buick car, driven by Miss Hilda Thompson, State College, Pa., is alleged to have crashed into a Frazer machine, operated by Maurice Hollan, Detroit, Mich. Miss Thompson was traveling south and Mr. Hollan, north at the time of the accident. Damage to the Buick was placed at \$800 and to the Frazer \$600.

State police, investigating, filed a charge of failing to keep to the right of the center of the highway against Miss Thompson. A fine was levied. Miss Thompson, slightly injured was treated by a local physician and released. The machines were towed to Sperry's Garage for repairing.

## MITE SOCIETY MEETS

The Mite Society of Trinity Methodist Church met last Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Frailey. It was decided that the Society sponsor a food sale in February.

A quiz program was conducted by Thomas Frailey. Several piano selections were rendered by Carl Crist.

The following members and guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Frailey, Mrs. Lewis Bell, Mrs. H. P. Freeman, Miss Charlotte Freeman, Mrs. Estelle Watkins, Mrs. George Wilhide, Mrs. Eugene Hardman, Miss Marjorie Crist, and Carl Crist.

## Mountain Cabin Fire Traps Family of Four

One of the most tragic fires in the history of Emmitsburg occurred early last Sunday morning, as hundreds trekked to churches, completely unaware that the conflagration raging in a mountain log cabin, was snuffing out the lives of four persons—a mother and her three children.

Victims of the fiery holocaust were a 31-year-old mother, Mrs. Grace Wills, and her three children, Richard Bernard Wills, 6, a pupil at St. Euphemia's Parochial School; Roland Eugene Wills, 3, and Charles Edward Wills, 1.

The husband, George Bernard Wills, 27, reported the

origin of the blaze as an exploding kerosene stove. The story and a-half cabin was quickly ignited, trapping the mother and children in the upper portion of the building, which was completely ablaze as members of the Vigilant Hose Co. arrived on the scene at about eight o'clock Sunday morning. The property is located on Reservoir Road, about half mile from the former Annandale School.

Her husband and his two brothers, reported in the living room when a kerosene heater apparently exploded, escaped from the house where the mother and children were trapped.

Carroll Christopher Wills, a brother of George, was reported burned about the hands and face when he went to the second floor to arouse Mrs. Wills and the children. He was forced to jump from a second floor window when smoke and flames shot up the stairway.

The police report said George, Carroll and James Anthony Wills, three brothers, were in the living room when the oil heater exploded and threw burning oil about the room and the fire quickly spread. George and James fled the house, the police said, but Carroll tried to awake the four sleeping upstairs.

Sergt. W. W. Corbin, Trooper 1-c Kenneth Bond, Troopers H. J. Brown and William A. Mutchner of the State Police joined in the investigation. They said they understood that Mrs. Wills had two other children by a previous marriage, but they are residing with her parents.

The remains of the victims were taken to the Etchison and Son Funeral Home, Frederick, and the S. L. Allison Funeral Home, Emmitsburg.

In Baltimore Tuesday night, the State Medical Examiner made a preliminary finding that a mother and her three sons burned to death in their home.

The Medical Examiner's office reported that the findings of an autopsy ordered by State's Attorney Edwin F. Nikirk were completed and chemical tests on stomach organs have been finished.

Autopsies were performed at the City Morgue in Baltimore Tuesday and the bodies returned to Emmitsburg, where funeral services were held Wednesday morning.

Capt. Charles W. Makaha, of the State Police, said the husband of the dead woman, his two brothers and others in the neighborhood were questioned after the funeral services for the four victims and that the statements obtained show agreement on what happened.

Earlier State's Attorney Edwin F. Nikirk said the probe would continue at least until he had opportunity to talk with the officers and review the report of State Medical Examiner on the autopsies performed in Baltimore.

Capt. Magaha said the autopsies definitely determined that the woman and three small children were alive when they suffocated and burned. Deaths of all were attributed to carbon monoxide poisoning.

Mass was said in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Emmitsburg, Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Michael O'Brien officiated. Burial was in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery, Fairfield, Pa.

Capt. Magaha said investigators have worked continuously since the fire to gather all avail-

able information. After interviewing George B. Wills, the husband and father, and his brothers, James A. and Carroll Wills, he said, the circumstances surrounding the tragedy seem to be:

Mrs. Wills and the three children were asleep in the two upstairs bedrooms. George and James Wills were asleep in the livingroom. Carroll was asleep in the kitchen.

The first warning of fire came when James awoke to find his trouser leg afire and flames shooting up the walls of the livingroom around the stove.

James awoke George and they started toward the kitchen, where they ran into Carroll in the dense smoke. James and George fled through the front door and they said as they opened the door they heard the stove rear as apparently a blast of fresh oxygen fed the fire. There was no stove explosion, the officers said.

The investigation said the three men did make an effort to get to the sleeping woman and the children, according to information gathered.

Carroll, who was unfamiliar with the upstairs, went up the inside stairs, calling to the woman and children. He said he thought he heard one of the children say something but he wasn't sure of that. He kept calling and trying to get to the woman and children, he said, until smoke and flames forced him to plunge out of the second story window, which was at the head of the stairway.

In the meantime, James had tried to get to the roof from a porch but lost his hold on the edge of the roof and fell back to the porch.

George said he went to the front of the house and tried to get to a second story window, calling all of the time in an effort to arouse his wife and children. A neighbor, who lives about 75 feet from the burned residence, told the investigators that she looked out of a window of her home and saw George trying to get to the window while shouting a warning to his wife.

The neighbor told officers that flames were shooting 10 feet in the air from the doors and windows of the Wills residence.

Capt. Magaha said he could understand why the log house quickly became a raging inferno after the fire started. He said the interior walls of the livingroom had been covered with boards from wooden boxes in which dynamite had been shipped, and the improved insulation had been covered with wall paper.

The walls of the upstairs rooms had been insulated with corrugated cardboard from packing boxes and they too were covered with wallpaper.

Information obtained was to the effect that Mrs. Wills was sleeping in a front room with the youngest child and the other two children were in the rear room. It is supposed that the fire quickly burned the flooring under the front bedroom. The autopsy established that the victims suffocated before burning.

All of the bodies were badly burned.

The investigation revealed that the stove was a free burning pot-type stove and that an oil can was in the house. The main source of the oil supply was a 55-gallon drum on the outside.

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## ROCKY RIDGE NEWS

By MRS. JOHN D. KAAS

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Welty and Mr. and Mrs. Fiery of Hagers-town, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Boller.

### Daughter Born

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Boller are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter at the Frederick Memorial Hospital last Saturday. This is the couple's third child and will receive the name Christine Rhae.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wachter and children, Dollene and Gene, Walkersville, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Smith.

Mrs. Harvey Stambaugh, Mrs. Albert Stambaugh and son, Larry, spent last Wednesday in Westminster.

Mr. Robert Fitez has returned home from Minneapolis, Minn., where he attended the National Dairymen's convention and also the Grange convention.

Mr. Guy Boller received word of the death of his aunt, Mrs. Harry Miller of Stamford, Montana, which occurred Sunday.

Mrs. Miller was formerly Miss Daisy Boller of Thurmont.

The monthly meeting of the Willing Works' Society of Mt. Tabor Lutheran Church was held Tuesday evening in the church.

The sound film, "The Second Chance," was shown last Wednesday evening in the Reformed Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid of Waterville, Wash., who have been visiting relatives and friends in Maryland and Pennsylvania, are leaving this week to visit a son in Mississippi and will then return to their home. Mrs. Reid is a sister of Mrs. M. J. Kaas Sr. This is their first trip east in 25 years.

### County Defense

#### Registration Planned

A three-day county-wide registration of civilians qualified for emergency medical care assignment under the Civil Defense

deputy director for medical services in Frederick County.

Enrollment centers will be set up to cover all election districts, and actual registration will be done by volunteers recruited through a committee of key residents in each community.

Listing trained personnel available for the health and medical services program is one of the first steps made locally toward a well-knit Civil Defense organization. Ernest Helfenstein Jr., is Civil Defense director for the county.

Physicians, dentists, pharmacists, veterinarians, and morticians will not be included in this registration, Dr. Easterday said, since they are being enrolled through their professional societies.

Those who will be registered are nurses, dietitians, nutrition-

ists, sanitarians, laboratory technicians, secretaries, clerks, telephone operators, social service interviewers, people who can drive cars, those who could give care for displaced children, make bandages, or who have had other experience in a field useful in the Civil Defense medical service program.

The registration is a segment of the National Civil Defense program which, in the words of W. Stuart Symington, National Security Resources Board chairman, "will require the cooperation of every man, woman, and child in this nation."

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## Your Personal Health

By JAMES H. ALLISON, M.D.

### MEASLES

Measles is a highly contagious disease, more widely prevalent than any other disease characterized by fever and an eruption on the skin. Few persons reach adult life without contracting it.

One attack generally confers a life-long immunity. The mortality is low, except in infants in whom it may reach 30% or more, because of complicating pneumonia.

Measles is caused by a definite virus-type organism and can be produced in the laboratory in monkeys.

All humans are susceptible to measles, except those who are immunized by the use of serums, or those protected by a previous attack. Infants born of immune mothers are protected by some degree of immunity received from the mother, as a consequence of which it is rare to see the disease during the first six months of life. However, the protection received from the mother begins to wane in from three to six months after which susceptibility is high. Infants born of non-immune mothers are quite as susceptible as older subjects, and may develop typical attacks at any age.

The disease is everywhere more frequent in the winter and spring months. By and large, measles is a disease of childhood, with 97% of all cases being in subjects less than 15 years of age.

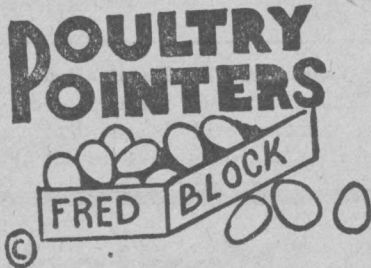
Droplet infection from coughing and sneezing appear to be the most important method of contagion. The intimate exposure needed indicates that the virus is transmitted through the air for relatively short distances; proximity to a patient is necessary but not actual contact.

Measles is highly contagious from the onset of the cold-like symptoms and remain so during the development of the rash. The average duration of this infective period is seven to eight days. With the fading of the rash, the infectivity rapidly decreases also.

The incubation period of measles is usually 10 or 11 days from exposure to the onset of fever with the rash being observed most frequently on the thirteenth or fourteenth day. The characteristic symptoms are those of a severe cold with watering and inflammation of the eyes, discharge from the nose, sneezing, complaint of light hurting the eyes, squinting, a hoarse, hard, brassy cough, and fever. There may be other complaints of some soreness of the throat, headache, aching joints, pains in the back, chilliness and general malaise. Drowsiness and vomiting or diarrhea may occasionally be seen. Two days after the onset of the fever bluish white specks, about as large as the head of a pin, appear on the inside of the mouth, opposite the molar teeth. These are known as Koplik spots. Two days after this, or three to four days after the onset of the fever, the characteristic rash begins to appear. As a rule, it is first seen behind the ears, on the neck or at the roots of the hair over the forehead, gradually spreading downward to the upper part of the chest and back, and then gradually appearing over the entire body. The rash lasts from one to six days and then gradually fades sometimes leaving a bran-like scale on the skin, which flakes off. Hemorrhage, which occasionally occurs into the red rash, is the origin of the so-called "black measles."

The most important complications of measles are sinusitis, inflammation of the ears, occasionally causing discharge from the ears, and pneumonia. Ninety per cent of all recorded measles deaths are due to pneumonia.

The only effective method of securing active, long-lasting immunity, is by an attack of the disease. Passive immunity of short duration can be secured by use of serums. These however, give an immunity only of several weeks' duration and if given where known exposure



### Vitamins for Poultry

Successful raising of poultry in winter time was impossible before the discovery of vitamins and their use. There now is a fortified artificial vitamin D called Sterol available which has more units of vitamins than fish oils, however, for cases as follows, the fish oil still is excellent and most recommendable.

No drug can replace good management, but fish oils, of which codliver oil is the most popular, for poultry, are not drugs.

The idea to get sick birds well with oils is wrong, but it will, in many cases, help sick birds as well as chickens and turkeys, to overcome minor disturbances. The oils fat content is most unimportant, because the very small amount of fat a bird needs can be obtained from grains, but it is the vitamin content which is what counts.

Vitamins A and D are the newly discovered D 12 or "unknown factor." If you use for about two thirds of your feeding a good commercial laying mash and only one third additional grain or pellets, then you do not have to add any fish oil. Every good commercial or co-operatively prepared feed mash contains the necessary amount of it. But if you use a high-concentrated mash and two thirds of your home-grown grains in winter time, there may be the danger that your birds lack either vitamins A or D. The mixing of half a pint of fish oil for every 100 lbs. of grain is advisable, unless you can afford to feed daily fresh carrots or greens. It has not been thoroughly understood how birds profit from the oil, but the facts have been established that they use it very profitably. Vitamins do not seem to be a nourishment, they rather act like the oxygen of fresh air in fire, which otherwise can not burn.

Birds make better use of grain with additional vitamins. The lack of hatchability quite often can be corrected by additional vitamins—in the form of fish oil. It also speeds up the growth of chicks and poults. If codliver oil is too expensive in small quantities, it can be bought by the gallon at the various Co-ops and other establishments at a reasonable price. It is difficult to mix fish oil with grain, mix the oil first with 25 lbs. of grain, and after good mixing, mix all your grain with the 25 lbs. mixed.

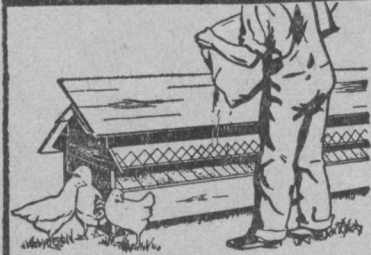
### More New Jobs

The Dept. of Employment Security says there were 11,000 more new jobs in Maryland in September. The department also says the state had 483,000 workers in non-farming jobs in the middle of the month. The figures are in comparison with July.

to the disease has occurred, may not prevent the development of the disease, but will modify it so as to be relatively mild.

Treatment of measles itself or its complications, should of course, be only under the direction of your family physician. (Next week—German measles)

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Now a three-striper in the U.S. Air Force is former Cpl. Irvin T. Miller, son of Mrs. Sara E. Miller, and husband of Mrs. Myrtle Betty Miller, of South Seton Avenue.

Sergeant Miller received the promotion at his overseas station on Clark Air Force Base in the Philippines, where he has been performing the duties of an auto mechanic for the 18th Motor Vehicle Squadron of Philippines Command (Air Force) and Thirteenth Air Force since arrival at the Philippines base in February of this year.

Sergeant Miller has been in the military service for the past seven years and served his first overseas assignment in the European theater.

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### Mounties Defeat Catholic U.

Mt. St. Mary's College piled up a big first half lead and held on to it Monday night, to defeat the Catholic U. basketball team 66-51, in a Mason-Dixon Conference game played on the home court.

It was the home team's second straight conference win of the young season. Scoring honors

were divided among two players from each team. George Hughes and Scott Cranston of Catholic U. and Les Cosgrove and Gene Janis of the Mountaineers each had 16 points.

#### Goodness, What An Error!

A British scientist says that he has confirmation from both U. S. and Swedish experts for his discovery that the accepted figure for the speed of light—186,271

miles per second—is in error by 11 miles. He gives the speed as 186,282 miles, per second.

U. S. Population 150,679,361

The final and official Census figures have placed the present population of the United States at 150,679,361. Seven States will gain and nine will lose seats in the House of Representatives after 1952 as a result of the new population figures.

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- Cord—Cable, Piping
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- Covers—Ironing Board, Pad and Cover
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- Knitting Needles
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- Marking Powder, Skirt
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- Mending Tape
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- Nacto Cleaner
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- Patterns—Transfer
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The U. S. Dept. of Agriculture has announced that no egg support program will be in effect during 1951. Purchase of dried eggs under the current program will be discontinued as of Dec. 31, 1950.

Joseph H. Blandford, chairman of the State Production and Marketing Administration, says that it was also announced that possibilities for limited price-stabilization help in local areas through the use of surplus-removal purchases of shell eggs would be explored if the need arises and if immediate disposal outlets are available for the eggs. Commenting on this decision, Sec. of Agriculture Charles F.

Brannan said, "I am taking this action reluctantly. Income from eggs is an important part of cash farm income—about six and one-half per cent of the total. Even more important, eggs represent a source of ready cash to more farm families throughout the nation than any other farm commodity."

"Beginning with the year 1950, the support of egg prices was made discretionary with the Sec. of Agriculture by the terms of the Agricultural Act of 1949, and because eggs are such an important agricultural commodity an earnest effort was made to provide a workable program for the year 1950. Since it was reasonably certain that production of eggs would increase during this year, we used the only device contemplated by this law to influence the production of such commodities and lowered

the level of support from the previous mandatory level of 90 per cent of parity to 75 per cent of parity. This resulted in a national average support price goal of 37 cents per dozen, as compared with 47 cents in 1949. It was hoped that this reduction of 10 cents per dozen in the support level would result in adjustments in production that would keep government purchases of dried eggs at a reasonable level.

"Experience of the past year has not justified this hope. Egg production during the first 10 months of this year is estimated at more than 270 million dozen greater than during the same period of last year, an increase of approximately six per cent. Laying flock numbers in October 1950 were up 10 million hens over the previous October. And despite the fact that the support level was set at only three-quarters of parity, the CCC has been required to buy so far during 1950 more than 82 million pounds of dried eggs, almost the equivalent in terms of shell eggs of the increase in egg production.

"Experience of the past year has also established our inability to dispose of stocks of dried eggs acquired under the support program. While we have been able during the course of the year, through authorized donations and reduced-price sales abroad, to dispose of approximately 60.2 million pounds of dried eggs acquired under earlier programs, acquisitions during the year have far exceeded disposals.

"Our current inventory of dried eggs represents an investment of more than 100 million dollars, and a probable eventual net loss to the Corporation of more than \$85 million. This is in addition to net losses of \$60 million already realized on earlier egg support programs. This illustrates the lack of an effective method for supporting the price of this commodity.

"In determining whether price support shall be undertaken for eggs, I am required under the law to consider among other factors the ability to dispose of stocks acquired under price sup-

port operations. This year's experience has demonstrated that an attempt to keep government acquisition of this commodity at a level where disposition is possible without substantial loss would require us, under the sliding-scale theory of the existing legislation, to reduce the support price to a meaningless level. This leaves no reasonable course of action other than to discontinue support."

### Tobacco Allotments

Farm acreage allotment notices for the 1951 crop of Maryland tobacco will be mailed within the next few days to the operators of all farms in Maryland on which tobacco was produced in one or more of the five years 1946 through 1950. If marketing quotas for Maryland tobacco are approved by growers in the referendum to be held Wednesday, Dec. 20, the amount of each farm's marketing quota will be the actual production of the farm acreage allotment.

This announcement came from Mr. Blandford. He explains that when marketing quotas are in effect for a kind of tobacco, the farm marketing quota represents the farm's share of the total amount of tobacco needed to be produced in the crop year to provide a total supply sufficient to meet contemplated requirements—both domestic and foreign—plus an adequate reserve.

This is the first time marketing quotas have been proclaimed for Maryland tobacco, Mr. Blandford points out, although quotas have been used by the farmers who grow some of the other kinds of tobacco during each of the past 10 years.

"The quota proclamation for Maryland became mandatory under the provisions of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, when it was found that the total supply for the marketing year beginning Oct. 1950, exceeds the "reserve supply level," says the chairman.

Mr. Blandford explains that, in general, each allotment is based on the acreage of tobacco harvested on the farm during the five years 1946 through 1950, with due allowances for drought, flood, hail, other abnormal

weather conditions, and plant-bed and other diseases; land, labor, and equipment available for the production of tobacco; crop-rotation practices, and the soil and other physical factors affecting the production of tobacco. The data needed to apply these factors was gathered from tobacco-farm operators in Maryland during the past few months. Operators of farms on which tobacco will be produced in 1951 for the first time since 1945 will have an opportunity to apply for allotments at a later date.

"If marketing quotas are approved by growers in the coming referendum, a grower who harvests tobacco in 1951 from an acreage no greater than his farm acreage allotment may market all of his tobacco without penalty as in the past," says Mr. Blandford. "He will also be eligible for Federal price support on all or any part of his 1951 crop if his tobacco otherwise meets loan requirements."

The chairman explains that a grower harvests tobacco from an acreage in excess of his farm acreage allotment, will be subject to a marketing penalty and will not be entitled to price support on any of his 1951 crop tobacco.

"If marketing quotas are not approved in the referendum, each grower will, of course, be able to produce as much tobacco as he wishes in 1951 and market it for whatever price it will bring, but the Act specifies that no Federal price support shall be made available for a crop of a kind of tobacco for which marketing quotas have been disapproved by growers."

"As this is the first experience we have had with a marketing quota referendum for Maryland tobacco, our county PMA committees are mailing some informational material to each grower along with the notice of farm acreage allotment," says the chairman. "We certainly hope that every tobacco farmer will take the time to study this material thoroughly so he will know exactly what he is voting on when he goes to the polls on Dec. 20."

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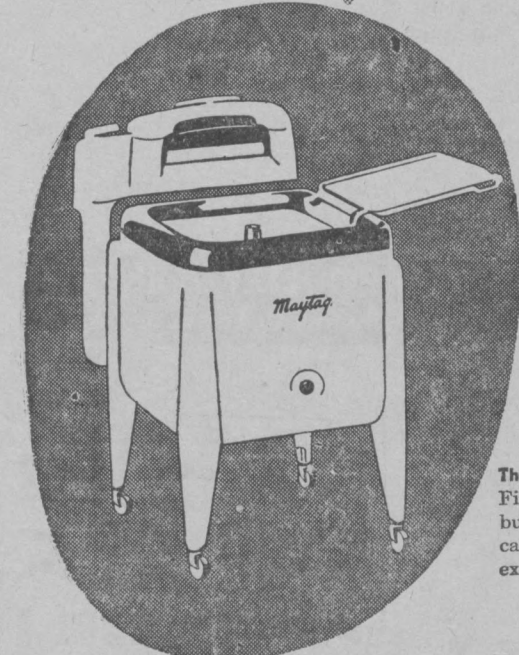
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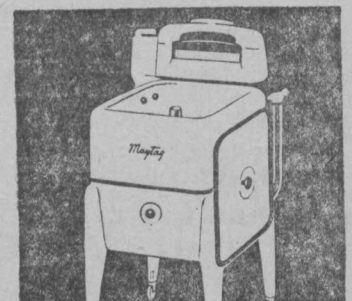


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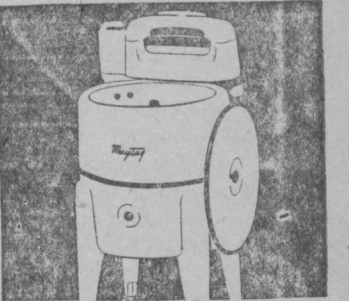
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### Peace On Earth

People of good will have hoped and prayed since the dawn of civilization for "peace and plenty" on the earth. Philosophers have propounded ten thousand learned theories on how it could be achieved. But only one recipe for lasting peace has appeared. The Man of Galilee gave it to the world. Man has failed to make it work. Peace on earth thus remains a spiritual goal. It perhaps is THE goal, the why and Wherefore of life; for it cannot be attained until Christianity is lived in all nations, becomes a flame in all men's hearts.

On the other hand, "plenty" is a relative term in popular understanding. The word makes me recall the picture in my old school reader showing "The First Thanksgiving" as it was observed by the American pilgrims. The "plenty" in that picture was food—turkey, and pumpkin pie, and potatoes baked under the coals. The pilgrims were thankful for their prospects in the new world, for their freedom, and for their "plenty" or sufficiency of food.

### The Watchword

Unquestionably the Pilgrims would have been only a little less thankful had their harvest of foodstuff been considerably less bountiful. Yet "bread" meaning, in its broadest sense, a sufficiency of food, or "plenty"—has become the great political and social watchword in our strife-torn world. Some people have made "bread" a god. The Communist leaders are marshaling great masses of humanity to make war over it—a war they describe as the "Have Not" against the "Haves."

In sections of Europe, in Asia, and especially in the Orient, I have seen countless millions of poverty-stricken people whose every waking moment had to be concerned with seeking food for survival. Their agricultural land progressed little in the last thousand years. It is upon these people, uninformed and constantly at grips with hunger, that the Kremlin masters are waging their propaganda wars. Had these masses achieved any substantial degree of "plenty" it is doubtful that the Reds would have succeeded so well in this effort.

### Our "Plenty"

Thus "plenty" is a practical stepstone toward peace on earth as well as a humane ideal. We in America have found a recipe for "plenty"—our freedom philosophy in government and our free enterprise economic system. It hasn't made everybody rich but the poorest American citizen is twice as well fed as 98 per cent of Asia's millions—and we are a nation of peace-lovers. The degree and the wide distribution of America's "plenty" caused the Communist plotters long ago to give up the idea of violent revolution here. So "plenty" is a factor in war or peace.

Until world-girdling, war-making Communism is overcome, we need as a nation to concentrate our thinking, and planning, and action on that objective. But if we are victorious there is a great challenging task awaiting—the expansion of "plenty" to the underdeveloped and unwisely used regions of the earth. We cannot do it by sending Federal government funds and a handful of technicians to Borneo and Mandalay; or a steel plant or electric generator to Yugoslavia, or a combine to China. The Great Hopes

The two great hopes for future peace and plenty on earth (and the expansion of Christianity) are education and research. Once the world menace of international Communism is overcome, we could take a fraction of the amount of money spent in Europe on the Marshall Plan and bring a million college-age youth to America to learn, first hand, what makes America tick. Those with aptitudes could be kept here for extended training in the ways American people get things done—in agriculture, in industry, in forestry and mineral development.

Think of what 100,000 Chi-

## MARYLAND FEED & GRAIN MARKETS

Baltimore grain markets were steady to slightly lower for last week. Yellow shelled corn and western white oats were firm on the Baltimore market. Wheat and barley declined about one cent per bushel during the past week. Yellow ear corn and yellow soybeans lost about two cents per bushel. No. 2 black soybeans gained about eight cents per bushel.

### National Summary

Grain markets were unsettled during the week ended November 30th influenced by the war situation in Korea, but price changes were somewhat gradual except for oilseed, reports to the Department of Agriculture indicate. Wheat prices weakened somewhat, under plentiful offerings, and these prices declined slightly at Minneapolis and Kansas City. Corn and rye strengthened slightly, but oats and barley were about unchanged. The soybean market turned weaker, as crushers became less active buyers, and prices declined 6 to 8 cents per bushel. (U.S. Department of Agriculture, Grain Branch.)

### Summary for Maryland

The Baltimore feed market was steady to stronger during last week. Losses in distillers' dried grains (down 4 per cent) and cottonseed oil meal (up over 2 per cent) were offset by gains in gluten feed (up over 5 per cent) and cottonseed oil meal (up over 4 per cent). The total price of one ton of each of the sixteen feeds listed below advanced \$7.10 over last week's total.

### Broiler Feed Ratio

During the past week, one pound live weight of broilers would buy 4.7 pounds of feed. This ratio is based on the average price of 23.0 cents per pound

nese with American agricultural and industrial knowledge, and with a first hand knowledge of our distribution system, could do in a generation in a free enterprise China! In 25 or 30 years such a force could bring that wallowing backward country upon the road of progress and plenty. The same thing could transpire in every other nation. And during that 30 years, American science, through research would be further exploring and developing the limitless possibilities for God's material blessings to the people of the earth—the natural resources.

for broilers and \$98.43 per ton for 20 per cent broiler mash on Lower Eastern Shore.

### Frederick To Get New Industry

Negotiations which have been under way for the last several months, handled by a committee from the Frederick Chamber of Commerce, culminated today in the disclosure that the Lansdale Tube Company, an affiliate of Philco Corporation, is establishing a Frederick division.

The Lansdale Company has signed a contract to purchase a tract of approximately 65 acres, owned by Thomas and Emma Clark, immediately to the northeast of the intersection of East Eighth street and East street. The property faces on the proposed extension of East street north from Eighth street and would border on a future extension of East Eighth street eastward.

The location is what is known as the old Price property, but does not include the residence at the northeast corner of Eighth and East streets now owned by Jesse N. Smith. Although the

consideration was not disclosed, it was understood to be in the neighborhood of \$60,000.

It is understood that a one-story plant occupying in the neighborhood of 200,000 square feet is contemplated for the manufacture of electronic receiver tubes for television and radio equipment.

Full possession of the land will be given April 1, 1951, it was said.

The Chamber of Commerce has been striving for some time to locate a new industry in Fred-

erick and a member of the committee engaged in the negotiations expressed himself as highly pleased that it has been possible to secure such an outstanding manufacturing firm for the city.

### Leukemia Treatment Tried

Deadly war gases may prove a boon to sufferers from leukemia and certain forms of cancer. A chemical Corps director says trial use of nitrogen mustard gases

already is under way in 126 clinics.

### Crunchless Popcorn

Here's good news for folks in the row ahead at the movies—crunchless popcorn will soon be

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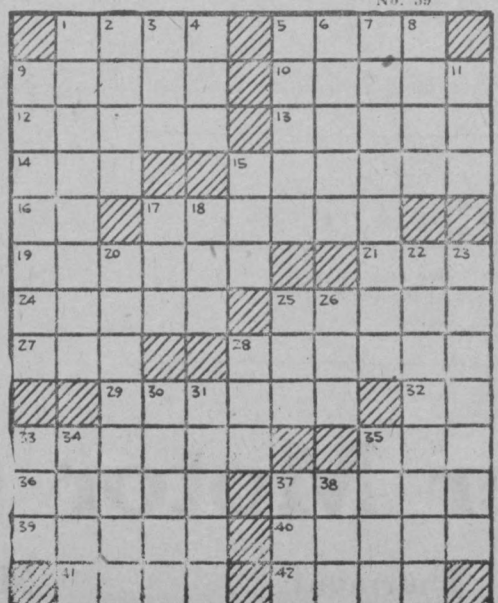
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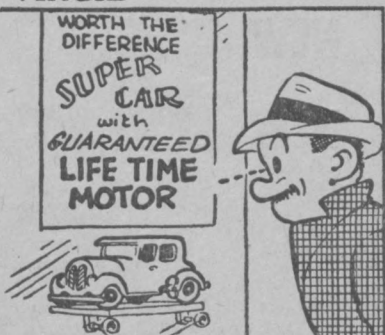
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13. Soviet leader (d. 1924)
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17. Slip away, as time
19. Anise-flavored cordial
21. Male sheep
24. Appearing as if eaten
25. Man's nickname
27. Color of the spectrum
28. Worked with a spade
29. Action of a spy
32. Small state of U.S. (abbr.)
33. Cavities in teeth
35. Frontiersman's shoe
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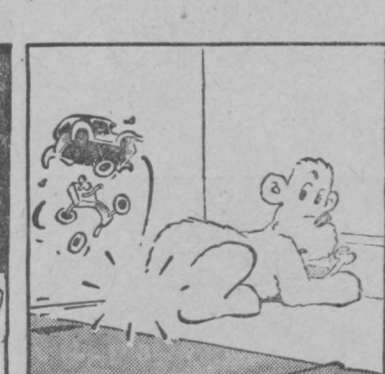
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4. Fuss
5. Lively dance
6. Of a British protectorate (SW Arab.)
7. Meditated
8. One of the Great Lakes
9. Presiding officer of House
11. Conclude
15. Balance (Abbr.)
17. Type measures
18. Sheltered side
20. Temperate
22. Divides proportionally
23. Per to medicine
25. Resort
26. Dancer's cymbals
28. Little girl
30. Localities
31. Equals
33. Bovine animal
34. Ancestral
35. Swine
37. Man's nickname
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By ROGER BABSON

**BABSON PARK, Mass., Dec. 8** — The prospect of higher taxes and credit restrictions is casting a shadow over the business outlook for the coming winter. These apply to automobiles, refrigerators and television sets; but not as to most consumer items.

#### Hasty Forecasting Now Dangerous

During recent months we know that the output of industry has exceeded consumption. Automobiles and trucks have been produced at the unprecedented rate of 10 million per year; over 20 per cent of all units now on the road. The recent rate of home construction has exceeded any previously recorded annual output by over 50 per cent. Scarc buying lifted the sale of household appliances to unprecedented heights during the summer.

However, we find already that reaction has set in, with lumber prices breaking during the last few weeks. The sales of many consumer items are back to pre-June levels. New construction is currently off sharply. We know that the easy credit policies of the Federal government agencies have artificially stimulated home building. With the tightening up of credit controls further cut-backs will continue. Recent increases in bank loans outstanding have been largely siphoned off into consumer credit expansion. This caused a tremendous boom in the purchase of consumer goods during recent months. Much stricter credit regulations will certainly have a depressing effect on the inflationary spiral. Now is no time to buy everything in sight.

#### Outlook For Defense Spending

Defense orders in 1951 will undoubtedly maintain high employment, at least during the coming winter. Due to the allocation of certain materials in short supply being funneled into defense activities, business profits will not be uniformly good. Dislocations will take place. This will create shortages of materials throughout the nation which can have an adverse effect on the normal flow of business and profits. Government bureaucrats do queer things.

Investors who search for an inflation hedge in common stocks should watch their step. The Dow-Jones Industrial Stock average is higher than it has been for the last 20 years. More burdensome taxes during 1951 will have an adverse effect on earnings. Many companies fully converted from civilian to military production will have their manufacturing margins cut. War stocks are certainly at their peak. Don't forget what happened during the renegotiation period of 1946-47.

#### Diversify Your Investments

Government policy makers are now pouring water over the inflationary fire on which they were dumping gasoline only a short time ago. This vacillating policy requires careful diversification of investment funds during the coming winter. Have less than half of the total funds in common stocks. For this half buy only securities of companies that make some money both during good times and bad times; and where the management is of high character. Buy no bonds except convertible bonds. Have the other half of your investment funds in cash, savings accounts, government bonds, etc., awaiting more favorable buying opportunities later.

#### Political Outlook

No one in this world has gotten something for nothing for any great length of time. I should, therefore, like to point out that we are heading for some very serious trouble in this country unless employees improve their output to compensate for increases in wage rates; otherwise, future increases in wages will prove to be an illusion. Subsidies

## District Gets 12,000-Volt P-E Circuit

The entire Taneytown District and the northern part of the Frederick District of the Potomac Edison Company are now interconnected with a 12,000 volt distribution line loop.

Potomac Edison crews recently completed this big project which tripled the capacity to their customers in these areas. Costing approximately \$65,000, the new 12,000 volt loop will make it possible to re-route power to customers in case of an interruption, thus keeping outages to a minimum.

The new Taneytown-Frederick line circuit is approximately 650 miles in total length.

In connection with the change-over program, it was necessary for the Taneytown and Frederick crews to string additional wire, change a number of insulators for higher voltage, and reconnect more than 1,000 distribution transformers.

In effect, the Taneytown-northern section of Frederick 12,000-volt distribution system is now similar to the Potomac Edison System's four state 33,000 volt transmission system. Both are arranged so that electricity may be sent from different sources in case of emergencies.

While the line program was underway, the Frederick and Taneytown Potomac Edison crews also worked on a substation revamping project.

This included enlarging the Taneytown substation from 750 k.v.a. to 1,500 k.v.a., and the installation of a 750 k.v.a. transformer substation at Unionville.

Automatic reclosing oil switches were placed in service at several substations. These switches will sectionalize possible trouble, and further help to keep customer service interruptions at a minimum.

Substations affected are at Frederick, Unionville, Taneytown, Union Bridge and Legore.

Prior to the necessary interruptions while this work was underway, Potomac Edison customers were notified of the coming outage so as to cause them the least possible inconvenience.

#### Officials Assist Cupid

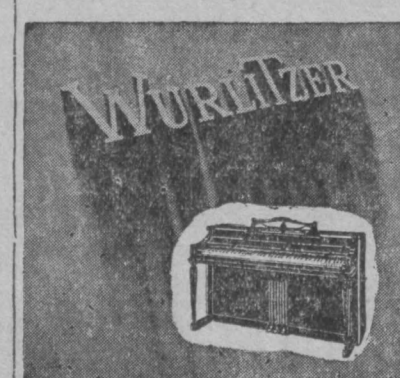
Love's young dream was given a boost recently by Philadelphia's City Council. The group voted to extend from 11 p. m. to midnight the legal hour for parking on the byways of the city's Fairmount Park—long a favored haunt of guys and their gals.

given one section mean taking wealth away from another section. In the long run employers are only cutting their own throats by charging too high prices.

Honest value for goods and services should be the aim of us all. Regimentation is not the answer to our troubles. The planners, whether they be in Washington, London or Moscow, never create wealth—all they do is to redistribute the fruits of other people's labor. This is not treating one's neighbors fairly. Basically what really counts most of all is how we people treat one another. Only through an economy based on the teachings of Jesus can we hope to maintain and improve our splendid standard of living.



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## New Chevrolet To Be Displayed

New 1951 Chevrolet trucks go on display at dealer showrooms tomorrow, according to announcement by the Creeger Motor Co., Thurmont.

Offering a wide variety of sizes and designed for jobs ranging from fast metropolitan delivery service to rugged cross-country hauls, the new models list many advances over the previous series.

Comfort benefits by better cab ventilation and new seat construction. Safety profits by newly-developed brakes. Increased durability has been engineered into the chassis through a number of improvements which extend throughout the line.

In its 1951 models Chevrolet will make available trucks in 10 wheelbases, including the 179-inch chassis added late this year. The gross vehicle weights range from 4,000 to 16,000 pounds. In this connection an important development is announced in higher ratings of the 4100 and 4400 series. Through changes in the front axle, springs and tire sizes, the maximum gross vehicle weight has been raised from 12,500 to 14,000 pounds. Minimum GVW of the Series 6100 to 6400 has likewise been upped to 14,000 lbs.

Braking improvement is noteworthy on light- and heavy-duty trucks. While the hydraulic principle has been retained, the design of light truck brakes is entirely new. In addition to more braking surface, the brakes are self-energizing. Less pedal pressure is required for stops. Linings are bonded to the shoes, eliminating the need for rivets.

As a year ago, Chevrolet will make available two engines of the economical valve-in-head design. They are the Loadmaster of 105 horsepower and the Thriftmaster, which develops 92 horsepower.

Mrs. Anna Daney who has spent three weeks visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gelwicks, has returned to her home in Baltimore.

## Fuss Again Heads Taneytown C. of C.

Merwyn C. Fuss was again selected to head the Taneytown Chamber of Commerce for the twenty-second consecutive year at the annual election of officers of that organization recently. He first was elected to that post in 1928. David Smith was made first vice president; Rev. Charles S. Owen, second vice president; Bernard Arnold, secretary; and C. R. Arnold, treasurer. The officers will be installed at the next meeting.

David Smith presided at the meeting and numerous reports were submitted. Samuel E. Breth announced the Christmas lights were ready to be turned on at the appointed hour on the evening of Dec. 8. Treasurer Arnold reported a membership of 170.

Colors of stars differ depending on sphere: Sirius and Vega, the upon their temperatures and at hottest, are blue-white.

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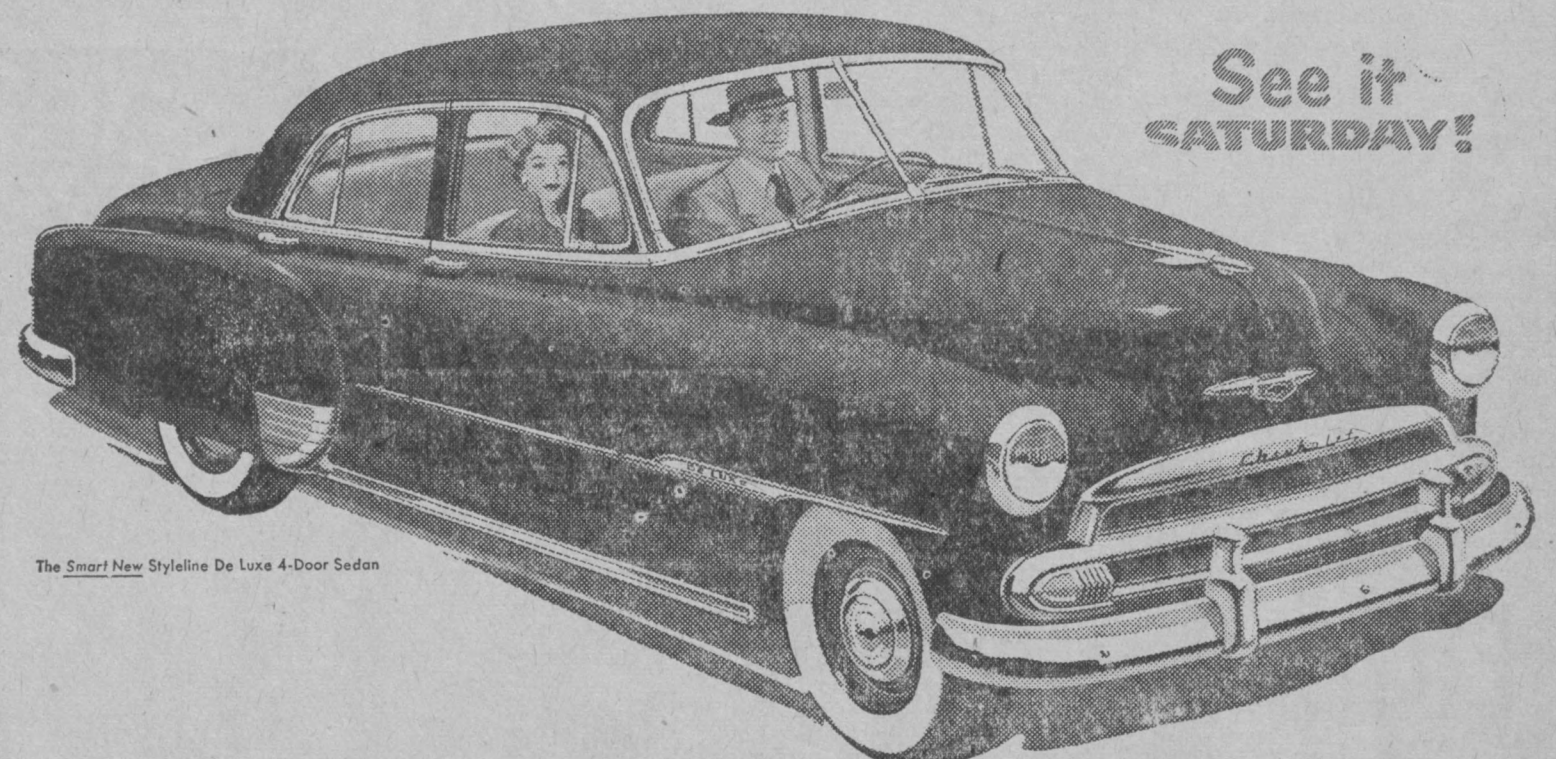
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## Legion Holds Regular Meeting

Approximately 60 members attended the regular meeting of the Francis X. Elder Post, No. 121, American Legion, held at the Post Home on N. Seton Ave. Tuesday evening. Cmdr. William Topper presided.

A report from the swing committee, made by Everett Chrismer, indicated that the swings were being made and will be ready for use before long. Lack of time and weather conditions have prevented work on them. The swings will be donated to schools in the community.

Harold Hoke, chairman of the American Legion basketball team, announced that the team is progressing rapidly and the first game is scheduled against the Fairfield Independents on Dec. 12 at the Emmitsburg High School gym. It was announced that flowers had been sent to Arthur M. Malloy, who died last Friday. Mr. Malloy was a charter member of the Post.

Five new members were voted into the Post. They were Phillip Kennedy, Mt. St. Mary's College; Henry Pecher and Joseph Bowling, Fairfield, Pa.; Robert McCarran, Hoboken, N. J., and Peter Caruso, of the Mount.

Philip Sharpe suggested having the Doughboy statue in front of the Beagle Apts cleaned and repaired with the hope that both service organizations will share the expense.

Francis Sanders asked for volunteers to go to the Newton D. Baker Hospital, Martinsburg, W. Va., on Dec. 18 to present gifts

to veterans unable to go home for Christmas. Transportation will be furnished by the 40 and 8 engine.

A suggestion by Thomas Ginnell that excess money in the Legion treasury be used to buy war bonds was acted upon and it was decided to use two-thirds of the treasury balance to purchase bonds.

Plans for a holiday party were set, but the date was not available at Tuesday's meeting. The committee for the Christmas party is composed of Francis Sanders, Curtis Topper, Charles Gillelan, and Richard Yoemans.

Allen Bouey was appointed chairman of the committee which will distribute candy and oranges this Christmas to all the children attending the local schools.

## VFW Plans Refurbishing Of Doughboy

As part of the community service of the local VFW Post, the members agreed to purchase sickroom and invalid equipment to be available as needed by residents of the community, at its regular monthly meeting Wednesday evening.

The Post voted to buy two hospital type beds, fully equipped and two wheel chairs in addition to crutches as needed. The approximate cost of the equipment is \$350 and the Post hopes to have them on hand by the early part of 1951. The equipment will be stored at the VFW home, and will be made available to anyone in the community who may be in need of such articles.

The Post voted \$25 as a donation to the VFW of Hawaii to help those posts in their work of aiding wounded and sick veterans of the Korean war. It was pointed out that Hawaii is a rest stop for the wounded being brought back by air transport to hospital in the U. S. The money is used to purchase cigarettes, candy and other useful items for the sick and wounded.

A sum of \$100 was allocated for the purpose of sponsoring a ward at the Warner Hospital in Gettysburg. The money will be spent on maintenance of the ward.

A joint VFW-Legion committee was authorized to make repairs to the "Doughboy" memorial located on W. Main St.

## Three To Go To Armed Forces

Three local young men were drafted this week for military training in the armed forces. John T. Garner, veteran of

World War II, will report for active duty next month. He has been assigned to troop transport with the Air Corps.

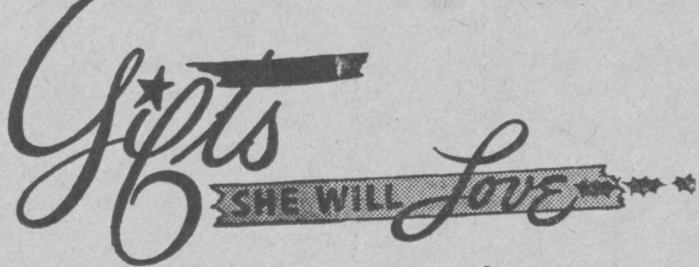
Clarence R. Orndorff, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice A. Orndorff, Rt. 2, Emmitsburg, was ordered to the Naval Training

Center at Great Lakes, Ill., for "boot" training.

Henry A. Wivell, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy J. Wivell of Rt. 2, Emmitsburg, enlisted for four years and was also transferred to Great Lakes.

Recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Mary Claudia Rosensteel, E. Main St., were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sprinkle and family, Baltimore and Mr. and Mrs. Glena Polley and family of Fairfield.

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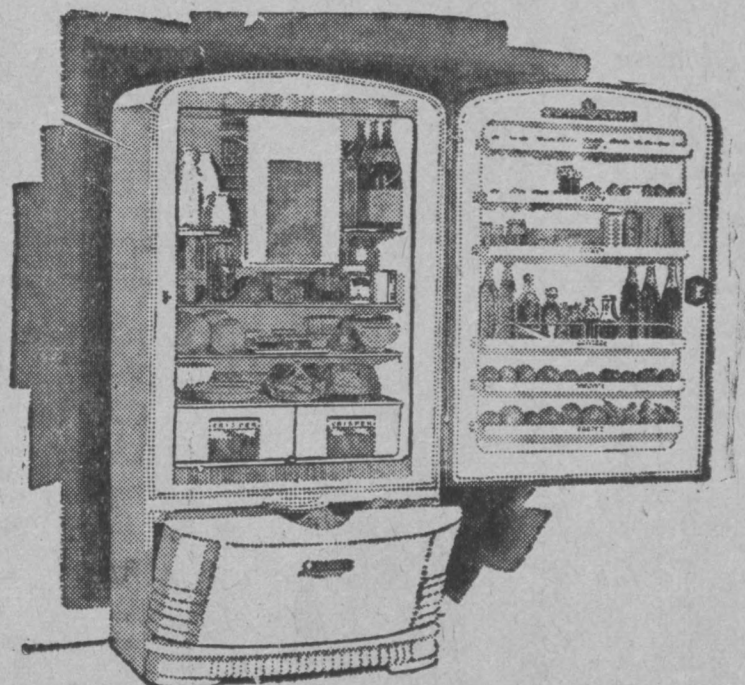
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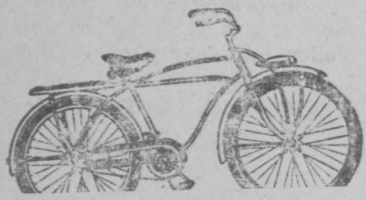
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Miss Beulah Glass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Glass, returned home last Thursday afternoon from the Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, Pa., where she was admitted Monday for the removal of her appendix.

## Phil Sharpe Kiwanis Speaker

Mr. Philip Sharpe, nationally-recognized firearms expert, was the principal speaker at the annual Taneytown Kiwanis banquet, sponsored for the young men of Taneytown High School, Tuesday afternoon in the high school auditorium. Mr. Sharpe spoke on "Sportsmanship Here and Abroad." In his address, Mr. Sharpe pointed out that in Europe the game belongs to the landlord, who restricts hunting to his friends, while here in America, the game is property of the public. No young men are permitted to hunt in Europe.

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1948 Plymouth 2-dr. Sedan	1,270	1,150
1948 Plymouth 4-dr. Sedan	1,270	1,175
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## Four Die in Fire

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Officers questioned whether there was any oil in the can which was in the house.

They indicated that the exact cause of the fire has not been determined. They seemed satisfied that there was no explosion and the first warning of the fire was when James Wills awoke to find his trousers afire and the flames walling one corner of the living room.

Mrs. George Waganan is reported slightly improved at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore.

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