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Come to Church

REFORMED CHURCH
Rev. E. P. Welker, Pastor.
Sunday School—9:15 a. m.
The Service—10:30 a. m.

EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rev. Philip Bower, Pastor

The children of the Sunday School will present a Christmas program in the parish house at 9:15 a. m. Sunday morning. At 10:30 a festival of Christmas music will be presented by both the Youth and Chapel Choirs directed by Mrs. Reginald Zepp.

Christmas Eve at 11 o'clock to midnight, the traditional Candle-lighting Service with special music by the choirs.

TOM'S CREEK METHODIST
Rev. Byron H. Keesecker, Pastor
9 a. m.—Sunday School.
10 a. m.—Morning Worship.

ST. ANTHONY'S SHRINE
Rev. Stanley Scarff, Pastor.
Masses at 7:30 and 9:30 a. m.
Confessions Saturdays at 8:30 and 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Children's Christmas service and program at 7:15 p. m. Rev. John Franklin Weaver, acting pastor.

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Byron H. Keesecker, Pastor

9 a. m.—Morning Worship.
10 a. m.—Sunday School.

ST. JOSEPH'S R. C. CHURCH
Rev. John D. Sullivan, Pastor.

Masses at 7:00, 8:30 and a High Mass at 10:00 a. m. Baptisms at 1:00 p. m. Confessions at 4 and 7:30 p. m. on Saturday.

The solemn Christmas Novena began Tuesday evening and continues through Christmas Eve. Solemn High Mass at Midnight, Christmas Eve. Low Masses at 7, 8:30 and 10 o'clock. Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament follows the late Mass.

BADLANDS
The 5,200 square miles of eroding silt, clay and dust known as the Badlands of South Dakota, received their name from the Indians, who called them Mako Sica. This was translated into Mauvais Terres by early French trappers, the literal translation of which is Bad Lands, the name retained by the first American settlers.

FEMALES FORBIDDEN
Mount Athos is a monastic republic in Greece. It is 40 miles long and five miles wide, and no woman or animal of female sex has been permitted to enter its boundaries in more than 900 years.

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Rocky Ridge News Items

The Rocky Ridge 4-H Club elected officers recently for the coming year. Elected were: Donald Albaugh, president; Robert Mumma, vice president; Roger Clem, secretary; Rodney Valentine, as treasurer; Franklin Free, reporter.

Projects for 1953 were discussed. Mr. D. S. Weybright of the Thurmont Cooperative, presented each member with a 4-H calendar. Rocky Ridge 4-H basketball team is desirous of scheduling games with 14-17 year old boys' quints which have home floors. Games may be booked through Donald Albaugh, Key-mar, phone Walkersville 3579.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Boller spent last Friday in Philadelphia.

Miss Cotta Valentine spent the weekend with her brother, Robert Valentine, Keysville.

Approximately 100 persons attended the annual Christmas party held by the Mothers' Class of Mt. Tabor Church held in the Fire Hall Friday night. A program was presented consisting of readings, duets, group singing and short plays. Names of secret sisters were revealed, gifts exchanged and names drawn for the coming year. Refreshments were served.

Mr. John D. Kaas attended the concert presented by St. Joseph's High School Glee Club Sunday evening.

Guild Meeting Held
A meeting of the Women's Guild of Mt. Tabor Reformed Church was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dube last Thursday evening.

The following program was presented: Hymn, "Oh Little Town of Bethlehem" was used for opening the service; Scripture reading, the Christmas Story, by the leader, Mrs. Novella Dinterman; duet, "O Holy Night," by Mrs. Olive Dube and

Pauline Dube; Christmas readings were given by Mrs. Kay Stambaugh and Mrs. Olive Dube; hymn, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing." The meeting adjourned with prayer from the prayer calendar. Ten members were present and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

A Christmas program will be presented by Mt. Tabor Sunday School on Christmas Eve at 8:00 p. m. A candlelight service will be held in Mt. Tabor Church on Sunday, Dec. 21, at 7:45 p. m.

Mr. George W. Fox will observe his 91st birthday on next Thursday. Mr. Fox was an employe of the Western Maryland Railway until about 16 years ago. He is enjoying good health and takes a daily walk for his mail. Mr. Fox is the father of Deputy Sheriff Leslie W. Fox.

LUCKY SEVEN

The ancients regarded the number seven as lucky because they counted seven sacred planets, seven days in Creation, seven days in the week, seven divisions in the Lord's Prayer and seven ages of man.

Charles Town Closes Tomorrow

Sport fans who enjoy watching long distance races are to have their inning during the closing days at the popular Charles Town course. Tomorrow, closing day at Charles Town, a two-mile event is scheduled by Racing Secretary G. Jil Haus.

In the past it was the custom to present occasional long distance numbers. Back in 1936 the horse, Post Brigade, owned by Al Getz of Baltimore, took down honors in a mile and seven furlongs event, negotiating the distance in 3:52 2/5 to set a track record that still stands.

Whether the mark of 3:28 2/5 for two miles, set by Tee Off in 1939, will be shattered remains to be seen.

The wagering handle of \$234,633 on Saturday, Dec. 6, was the highest of the meeting to date.

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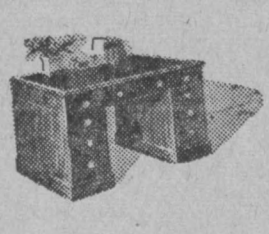
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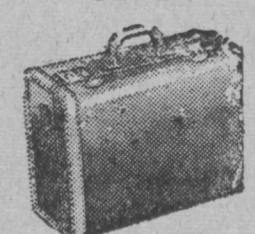
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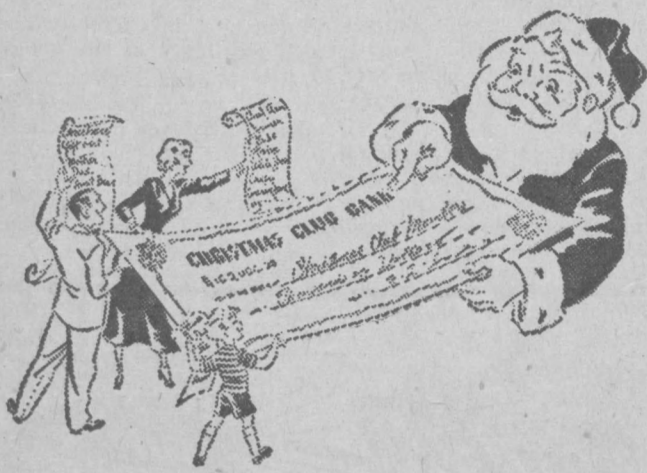
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Until the discovery in 1895 of diphtheria antitoxin, too many parents had to sit helplessly by while diphtheria strangled their children to death or paralyzed them with its poisons. There was little or nothing they could do. Medical progress since that time, however, has reduced deaths from diphtheria in this country from 35 per cent to five per cent of those stricken. Diphtheria toxoids now in use afford almost complete immunity against the disease.

Parents today can do something about diphtheria. They can protect their children from birth by having them immunized.

In fact, they can't afford not to. For diphtheria today has lost none of its deadliness. It is a killer, strangling or poisoning its victims. Those who recover aren't infrequently left with heart trouble or lingering paralysis. Every year diphtheria attacks more than 15,000 Americans and kills more than 1200, most of them children less than five years of age.

Wise parents will consult the doctor about immunizing the baby as early in life as possible, and not wait until diphtheria strikes. Diphtheria is a communicable disease, whose distinguishing mark is a grayish membrane which forms in the throat or nose. Its early symptoms include fever and sore throat and often resemble those of an ordinary cold.

Diphtheria is caused by a germ spread from person to person by those who are ill or those who have picked up the germ. Healthy adults or children sometimes pass on diphtheria germs even when there is no case of the disease in their community. It is almost im-

possible to protect your child against such unsuspected or unsuspecting carriers except by immunization.

Your doctor can tell you when your baby should have his first injections. The usual recommendation today is for two successive doses of diphtheria toxoid when the child is two to six months old, reinforced by booster shots three to 12 months later. To control diphtheria effectively, booster doses should be continued in preschool days and on through the early school period.

It is now possible to combine the immunizing agents for diphtheria, whooping cough, and tetanus into a single series, with less inconvenience and greater protection for the child.

Don't take a chance on your baby's life.

Gunpowder is an explosive mixture of saltpeter, charcoal, and sulphur.

Dogs' sight is inferior to that of man in that they are color blind.

Homemakers' Corner

CONSIDER CABBAGE

These days, along with holiday goodies, is the ever useful and inexpensive cabbage available at your grocer or your storage bin. It is a good source of vitamin C so essential to you for health of teeth and gums, for aid in resistance to colds and infections, and for growth. So, we feel more attention should be given this very common and familiar vegetable on these cold damp days. Just one-half cup of raw cabbage will provide one-third the daily requirement of vitamin C. Our bodies do not store this vitamin and so we need it every day.

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To preserve that vitamin C, as well as vitamin B1, wash and store cabbage promptly in plastic bag or wrap in waxed paper and store in the hydrator of your refrigerator since it has a distinct odor. Use cabbage promptly.

Here's one way to make a tasty cabbage dish for your family.

Shredded Cabbage—Chinese Style

(Serves four.) Use five cups shredded cabbage, one teaspoon salt, four tablespoons butter, one-half teaspoon sugar, one tablespoon lemon juice, one tablespoon horseradish.

Shred cabbage into very thin strips, melt butter in heavy frying pan, place salted cabbage in hot pan, toss the cabbage lightly with a fork for two minutes; add sugar, lemon juice and horseradish, toss, and serve immediately.



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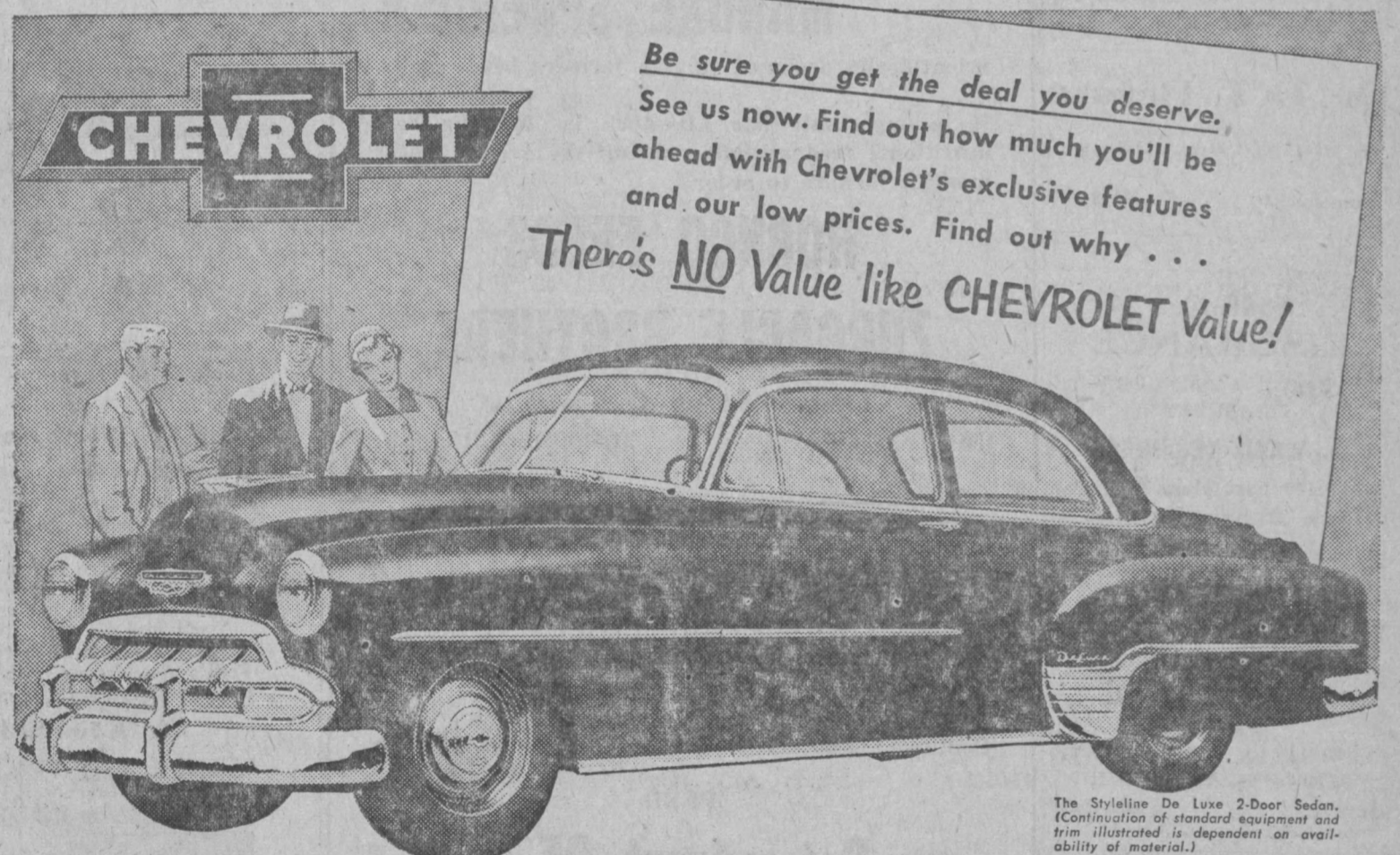
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LOOKING AHEAD BY GEORGE S. BENSON President—Harding College Searcy, Arkansas

Letter To An Employer

Note: The following letter was received on Dec. 1. It is such an unusual letter I requested the writer's permission to use it in this column. I accept it as a tribute not to me personally but to the employers of people everywhere. Mr. Green has been on the staff at Harding College for three years—G.S.B.

Dear Dr. Benson: Your memorandum announcing that the staff of Harding College would have Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday of Christmas week off, with pay, to spend at home with our families, started a train of thought in my mind and led to the impulse compelling me to write this letter.

I've never before written such a letter. However, I should have written something like it to every employer for whom I've worked.

What I want to say is this: I'm grateful to you for creating the job I hold. I'm realizing for the first time how im-

portant the people who create jobs are to the people who need them. And almost everybody needs a job.

For the first time, I'm realizing that I'm like millions of other people who work for wages and salaries. We're not job makers. We have abilities, not capabilities, or talents. But the actual creation of a job which pays a daily, or weekly, or monthly pay check is something none of us has been able to accomplish.

My own natural inclination, when I got out of school, was toward self-employment. So I tried running a business of my own. I didn't make the grade. Apparently I lacked the something-or-other that makes the successful businessman tick.

Perhaps I could have survived had I gone to the land and farmed. But I knew even less about farming than how to create a permanent paying job. I was obliged to become an employe on a job someone else had created. Had not a job been available, frankly I do not know what I would have done. Grim necessity might have made a difference. As it was, I needed only to adjust myself to the requirements of a job that almost any able-bodied man could have held. It provided the necessities of life and some of the pleasures. Later I again tried operating

my own business, this time with three employes and a pretty good opportunity for success. I simply didn't have what it took. The business failed. I became an employe again, on a job somebody else had created. Eventually the job didn't satisfy me, so I began studying for a profession. When I attained it, I found myself, alas, dependent upon someone to create the position and provide the salary.

That's where you come in. The job I hold, and most of the nearly 100 other jobs at Harding, did not exist when you became the chief executive officer. You've made a success of Harding College, built it up, expanded its educational work into many fields. You've created lots of jobs — good, permanent, satisfying positions for persons like me.

In writing you this letter of gratitude, I am also recognizing in a sense the social value of job makers throughout the nation: men like Sloan and Wilson at General Motors, where 300,000 jobs have been created since I was a sophomore in high school; men like Holmes of Swift and Co.; Levitt, the mass-production home builder; Le Tourneau, the earth mover; the pharmaceutical Lillys of Indianapolis; the corner drug store owner, the department store head, and so on. They are the job makers. There are one or two to be found wherever people work. With their unusual enterprise and industry, their perseverance and their courage, they make jobs for the rest of us. Where would we be without them? Well, one thing is certain: We wouldn't be as well off as we are.

This isn't a bowing and scraping letter, Dr. Benson. I'm on your staff because I'm making a contribution to the success of Harding College. Yet I know I'm not indispensable to you or the success of the college. And today, for the first time, I have realized how truly indispensable are the people who build and produce and organize—and make jobs for millions of others.

Thank you for our Merry Christmas.

Sincerely, Glenn A. Green

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Issues Appeal For Purchase Of Seals

Over \$200,000 worth of Christmas Seals have been purchased by Marylanders during the first four weeks of the 1952 Christmas Seal Sale of the Maryland Tuberculosis Assn.

In making this announcement, Dr. Russell A. Nelson, president of the Assn., expressed appreciation for the response given the annual tuberculosis fund-raising campaign by the citizens of the state, but urged all those who have not yet answered their Christmas Seal letters to make a special effort to send in the money for their seals before Christmas Day, the official closing date of this year's campaign.

To date, a total of \$203,012.96 has been raised throughout Maryland. Returns as of Dec. 6, show that \$119,144.36 has been raised by the county tuberculosis as-

sociations, with 22 of the 23 counties reporting. This constitutes an increase of four per cent over returns from the same period last year.

Urging all Marylanders to answer their Christmas Seal letters before Christmas, Dr. Nelson stated, "By purchasing our Christmas Seals now and using them on all our holiday mail, we show our friends and relatives that we are helping to combat this disease by supporting the work of our tuberculosis association.

Funds raised during the annual Christmas Seal Sale support year-round tuberculosis work of the Maryland Tuberculosis Assn. and its affiliated county associations,

whose programs are directed toward the prevention, detection, and treatment of tuberculosis in Maryland.

Mm1/c Earl M. Glass, Newport, R. I., son of Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Glass, near town, has just returned from a four months' cruise to the Mediterranean Sea. He is aboard the U.S.S. Waccomow and is currently spending a 14-day leave at his home here. Miss Martha Pollard, nutritional director for the state of Arizona, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. J. W. Houser.

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2:00 P. M.—Children's Parade led by Emmitsburg Municipal Band, followed by distribution of Gifts by Santa on the Square.

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Christmas Services In The Churches

Throughout the Day Christmas Music will be amplified on the Square.

7:30 P. M.—Reformed Church Services.

9 A. M.—Trinity Methodist Church.

11 P. M.—Lutheran Church: Candlelight Services.

12:00 Midnight—Midnight Mass at St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church.

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Qn.1 Herbert A. Glass has returned to the Bainbridge Naval Station to enter his duties as an instructor for three years. His wife, the former Doris Trimmer of Gettysburg, accompanied him.

They will reside in Havre de Grace, Md.

Harry S. Truman was the 15th President to be a member of the President to be a member of the

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By ROGER BABSON

BABSON PARK, Mass., Dec. 18--Once in awhile it is well to consider the past. There is an old-time saying -- even if unconfirmed -- "His tory is always repeating itself about every twenty years." Let us look back at the stock market "lows" and "birth rates of 20 years ago. The only logical reason for the above old saying is that people "mature" at about 20 years of age. Even this reasoning should not be taken seriously if the same number of people become 20 years of age every year! For this old theory to work, there must be a differential in the maturity rate. We then can apply this theory as one factor determining stock market movements.



Let's Look At The Record
Although a certain percentage of babies and young people die before 20 years of age, it is fair to assume that the same ratios apply to all who reach the age of 20 during these years. The following table gives an approximate idea of what has happened.

| Births 1932-1951 | |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| 1932....2,074,042 | 1942....2,808,996 |
| 1933....2,081,232 | 1943....2,934,860 |
| 1934....2,167,636 | 1944....2,794,800 |
| 1935....2,155,105 | 1945....2,735,456 |
| 1936....2,144,790 | 1946....3,288,672 |
| 1937....2,203,337 | 1947....3,699,940 |
| 1938....2,286,962 | 1948....3,535,068 |
| 1939....2,265,588 | 1949....3,581,000 |
| 1940....2,260,399 | 1950....3,451,608 |
| 1941....2,513,427 | 1951....3,648,954 |

As there were fewer born in the early thirties, there will now be fewer marriages, hence, fewer births.

The above figures suggest that an abnormally small number are now reaching 20 years of age. Hence, according to this theory, there should be a decline in business, wages, prices, real estate, etc. around 1953. Of course, births are only one factor; but they should have a bearing on stock and bond prices, notwithstanding the recent Republican victories.

Opportunities For Merchants
The above figures also indicate possible optimistic relationship of the birth rates to certain businesses. For instance, sometimes they are bound to cause an increased demand for everything from diapers to toys; while at other times they help real estate and furniture sales. It is important that manufacturers and merchants, as well as parents, should keep this in mind. This increase in business will first appear as

the birth wave develops needs for new babies; then in needs for the young children; then the demands of the teenagers; then in needs for the older youths; and finally the needs of adults.

Statistics show that there has been a great increase in older people, due to various causes. Social security is reducing worry amongst the aged and certainly they all should thank Francis Townsend of California for this. The new drugs, vitamins, etc. have done much to eliminate disease and lengthen life. What penicillin has done to save the lives of pneumonia patients is a story in itself. Finally, the shorter day and the five-day week has protected the older members of our families. Every manufacturer and shopkeeper is getting more business from older people today than ever before.

Outlook For Colleges
Just now, most colleges are operating at a deficit from temporary lack of students, due to the great drop in the birth rate which came 18 to 20 years ago. These colleges, however, should take heart because the crest of another wave of high birth rates will begin to benefit them a few years hence. Not only will more men and women demand an education, but better economic conditions will give more families the money to provide such.

In connection with birth rates, we must not forget the returning GI's from Korea. These will be given the same rights to a free college education as were provided to the veterans of World War II. In view of the election of General Eisenhower as our new President, veterans will receive other advantages and compensations, from which many manufacturers and merchants should benefit. Hence, we should watch the birth rate figures for both pessimistic and optimistic signals.

MARYLAND FARM FRONT

Maryland tobacco growers who have filed appeals to increase their 1953 acreage above the allotment now on file with the county production and marketing administration committee will be able to present their case before newly created marketing quota review committees.

According to James A. Cottman acting chairman of the Maryland FMA state committee, two review committees have been established.

Farmers who have filed appeals will be notified when the appeals are to be heard by the review committees. The grower is to appear on his own behalf or to send a representative to present his case. If the grower does not appear or send a representative, his case will be dismissed, Mr. Cottman says.

Enrollment in 1953 CP Increases
Enrollment in the 1953 Agricultural Conservation Program in Maryland will be considerably higher than in 1952, according to Mr. Cottman.

Counties which have nearly completed their farm-to-farm contracts report substantial gains over previous years. For instance, Allegany County, which had 309 farmers enrolled in ACP in 1952, already has 641 for 1953. Baltimore County, with 743 in 1952, already has 1351 for next year.

Last week the State PMA Committee extended the closing date for enrollment from Dec. 15 to 27. Approvals of ACP practices will be mailed by county PMA committees on Jan. 2. "This will allow every Maryland farmer taking part in the 1953 ACP to know before he starts his program just what practices are approved and what assistance he can expect from PMA," Mr. Cottman added.

"Any Maryland farmer who has not been contacted by a community-committeeman for filing requests for assistance should contact his local county PMA office immediately," states Mr. Cottman. This is important if the farmers are to be eligible for obtaining assistance under the 1953 ACP.



Be ye not as the horse or as the mule, which have no understanding: whose mouth must be held in with bit and bridle, lest they come near unto thee.—(Psalms XXXII-9.)

Let us not, through fear or other compulsion, be driven into the ways of goodness. Rather, should not a man, through his own free will and human inclinations, want to live and walk daily in the way of the Lord? Understanding shall be ours if we shall earnestly and humbly seek it through God's mercy, His guidance and help; we have the promise that it shall not be denied us.

Soil Conservation Practice Gains Widely During Year

Soil conservation work took a great surge forward in 1952 in Maryland with 72 per cent more farmers cooperating with soil conservation districts than in 1951, E. M. Davis, state conservationist of the U. S. conservation service reported this week. New cooperators in the 23 Maryland soil conservation districts were 2335 farmers, owning 345,000 acres. Complete conservation plans for their land were developed by 773 farmers on 102,700 acres.

In addition, 1562 farmers began conservation work on 242,000 acres. Total participation by farmers in the program now includes 12,742 cooperators owning 1.8 million acres. The work of the soil conservation service is provided to cooperating farmers through dis-

tricts organized to carry on the business of conservation on a cooperative basis. Technical aid in making conservation plans with individual farmers is provided by the SCS through agronomists, engineers, or other technicians.

Percentage increases were recorded in the establishment of the following conservation practices: cover cropping, 9 per cent; stubble mulching, 21 per cent; farm ponds, 9 per cent; tree planting, 32 per cent. Farm drainage, 31 per cent; covered drains, 27 per cent; open drains, 27 per cent; windbreak planting, 57 per cent; clearing

and obstruction removal, three per cent; crop rotations, nine per cent; hedges, 24 per cent; wildlife area improvement, 30 per cent, and irrigation land preparation, 400 per cent.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Glass near here, were Mm1/c Earl M. Glass, Newport, R. I.; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Glass and family; Mrs. Kenneth Wolfe; Mr. Lloyd Glass, Jr., all of Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Glass and daughter of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. William Sheeley and family, Emmitsburg.

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How To Check Flock Colds

The annual threat of flock colds is here again. And to the average poultry raiser, this means another season of coughing, rattling, and perhaps lowered disease resistance in his flock.

Yes, colds and respiratory conditions are prevalent in poultry this time of year. But such conditions can be controlled — and greatly reduced — if Mr. Average Poultry Raiser follows a few rules of management and takes certain preventive measures.

A Comfortable House

The condition of the laying house is all-important. Therefore, as part of the overall precautions against colds, it should

be kept as free from draft as possible. In doing this, the area around nests and roosts should be given special attention, since any sudden changes in temperatures is likely to upset layers and production. But raisers must provide protection against cold air throughout the house. In fact, every effort should be made to duplicate spring-time conditions in the laying house. A good ventilation system will go a long way in achieving these ends.

In guarding against colds, it also is necessary to keep the flock eating well. To do this, poultrymen must keep up the vitality of layers and see to it that birds' diets are well supplied with vitamins and trace mineral elements. Stomachic appetizers can usually be fed with

good results. **Treat Colds Promptly** If poultry should develop colds during the cold-weather months, there are several means of easing the conditions. When birds have trouble breathing, it is advisable to treat them with an inhalant. There are good vaporizing spray treatments available at most hatcheries, feed stores, and farm supply stores. Prompt use of a spray or nasal wash usually brings quick relief to birds' clogged nasal passages.

Sulfa drug aids are also useful in bringing colds under control. Used in either drinking water or mash, sulfa aids are excellent treatments for such cold troubles as coryza and croup. Many poultrymen also use certain vaccines and bacterins for colds.

Thurmont Legion Will Treat District Children

Edwin C. Creeger Jr. Post, No. 168, American Legion, Thurmont, will have its annual Christmas treat for the children of that district at the post home in Thurmont Dec. 23 from 2 to 4 p. m., Cmdr. Merh Ecker said this week. Santa Claus will be present and

will distribute between 700 and 800 boxes of candy, plus oranges. Toys which the members of the Legion has repaired during the year will be given to needy children.

The child welfare committee of the post, Lawrence G. Harne, chairman, has been working for several months on discarded toys and several hundred will be distributed.

The Christmas treat was largely financed by a dance which raised \$114.35 plus \$125 received from the ladies' auxiliary. The post also distributes baskets to families known to be deserving.

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Woodsboro Livestock Market Quotations

The following quotations are those paid at the weekly Tuesday auction of the Woodsboro Livestock Market, Inc.: Butcher cows, medium to good, \$15.00-17.00; butcher cows, canners and cutters, \$7.00-13.60; butcher bulls up to \$19.75; stock steers, \$15.35-16.75; stock heifers, \$36.00-82.50; stock bulls, per cwt. up to \$13.85; stock bulls, per head, \$37.00-118.50; dairy cows, per head, \$101.00-288.00; good choice calves, 190 to 250 pounds, \$16.50-33.00; 160 to 190 lbs., \$33.00-35.00; 140 to 160 lbs., \$18.00-35.00; 125 to 140 lbs., \$23.00-30.00; light and green calves, \$4.00-16.00; good choice butcher hogs, 140 to 160 lbs., up to \$15.25; 160 to 190 lbs., up to \$17.70; 180 to 210 lbs., up to \$17.75; 210 to 250 lbs., up to \$17.00; 250 to 275 lbs., up to \$17.00; 275 to 300 lbs., up to \$18.00; good butchering sows, up to \$15.75; heavy hogs, up to \$9.50; feeding shoats, per cwt., up to \$15.50; pigs, per head, \$2.50-7.50; old fowl per lb., up to 20c; young fowl per lb., up to 25c; ducks, 19c-20c lb.; rabbits, up to \$1.80 head; bacon, per lb., 26c; lard per lb., up to 8½c; turkeys up to 48c per lb.; shoulder, 28c per lb.

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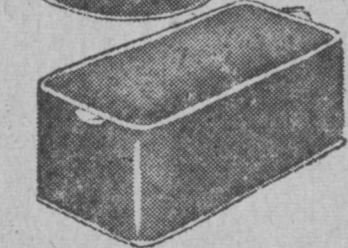
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Good breeding in the cow, right feeding, good management and control of disease are all equally important, he said. The bull can provide only half of the hereditary factors. The use of the best bull in the country will not automatically lead to higher production.

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In ten minutes, the few life members who were present in the Courthouse heard the treasurer and Secretary Guy K. Mottt present their reports, reelected the full board of managers and adjourned.

LEAVES HOSPITAL Paul R. Freshman, 37, Thurmont, the third occupant of a car which crashed two weeks ago at Marsh Creek Heights, and took the lives of two other Thurmont men, was discharged from the Warner Hospital, Gettysburg this week and is slowly recovering from injuries suffered in the wreck.

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ABIGAIL

(Continued from Page One)

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