

Most Anything At A Glance

—BY ABIGAIL—

I know most of you are highly elated over the prospective downward trend of the cost of living. Farm products, which long have been my pet peeve, appear to be the first to get the skids put under them. But, my primary hate, is the first to be lowered, that is in the near future, as price supports by the Government have been cut. It is expected that this product will sell for about eight cents lower than it has been. Also on the downgrade are milk, cheese and a few other minor dairy products. I never could understand governmental subsidies, that is to a certain extent. Certainly they are permissible in times of crises or distress caused by drought or blight, but never, in my estimation, should they be tolerated during normal or times of abundance such as we have been enjoying the past two decades. At any rate, I'm tickled to see them lowered and put within our reach. Eventually I hope to see them discontinued entirely. I hope this is an indication of other cuts in the cost of living which appear on the horizon.

I predict that within another month we will be in a desperate situation concerning the use of that precious and scarce commodity, water. Never did I expect that we here, with our great natural abundance of the fluid, would face such a crisis. However, after nine months of almost complete drought, our large reserve has diminished to a pitiful small gallonage, as is readily seen by a trip to Rainbow Lake. Once spacious in its grandeur and its voluminous contents, it is now a mere pool and unless Mother Nature takes care of us in the very near future, drastic consequences will follow. I wonder if we shouldn't give some thought of making plans to import water if and when complete exhaustion of reserves comes about? Certainly some plan to haul water to town should be in the planning stage! A good sign of the times is the abundance of dirty cars about the town. Where heretofore it was considered a disgrace and a sign of laziness on the part of the owner to operate a filthy automobile, it is now highly acceptable and is indicative that you are cooperating in the conservation of water. This old gal is deathly afraid to drive down street in a freshly-washed car for fear of being stoned.

Hope you take advantage of the opportunity to see the excellent minstrel which plays locally tonight for the last time. Reports from those who saw the show last evening indicate that it is a "dandy." And just where could you put your money to better use? While you are seeing a good local production, you at the same time, are helping swell the building fund of the Memorial Hall Assn. Will I see you here?

Once again I am called upon to warn certain individuals against the further destruction of property on Community Field. Apparently unheeding the official warning in last week's issue of the Chronicle, concerning vandalism on Community Field and adjacent buildings, the youths broke into the nice clubhouse of the Boy Scouts there sometime this week, scattering articles helter - skelter about the place. Glass has been broken out of most of the baseball club's athletic equipment shed and other nuisance wreckage has occurred. There's only one way to stop it and I am told that this plan is under way right now. Those caught in their acts of depredation will be fined or imprisoned and made liable for the damage they do. It is a get-tough policy, so don't say you parents weren't amply warned, let the chips fall where they may.

CATFISH RELEASED

More than 500 catfish, ranging in size from two to 15 inches, were stocked Wednesday in Kump's Dam. The fish were transported here from Camp Meade in a State Fish Commission truck. Gene Hardman, local ardent fisherman, assisted the fish culturists in the stocking.

If your mouth is large, the dark lipstick shades are not for you. And be sure to shade the color at the corners of your mouth.

Flax Again Heads Local Baseball Group

After a somewhat hesitant start it appears that Emmitsburg will again enter a team in the Pen-Mar Baseball League.

Sunday's meeting, while not as largely attended as was hoped to be, was encouraging as a fair turn out was present at the annual election of officers of the Emmitsburg Baseball Assn.

Heading the group of officers is J. Norman Flax, president and general manager; Howard F. Carty, vice president; Bernard H. Boyle, secretary - treasurer; Edward Lingery, field manager, and these directors: Jack Rosensteel, Thomas Hoke, and C. F. Newcomer.

Prospects for a team look fairly good, officials report, as many of last year's squad are expected to sign contracts for the coming year.

Officials announced that a manager will be named in the near future. There are several likely prospects who appear interested in the managerial position.

President Flax announced that the annual sale of booster tickets will again take place. These tickets, costing \$10, entitle the owner to see all home games of the club during the season, and the revenue for the sale of these tickets usually helps the club get started financially each year.

DAVIS—BOLLINGER

Miss Lucy R. Bollinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bollinger, Emmitsburg, became the bride of Jack L. Davis, son of Mrs. Ida Davis, Emmitsburg, and the late Mr. Davis, last Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in the Elias Evangelical Lutheran Church, Emmitsburg. The ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. Philip Bower.

The bride wore a grey street-length dress, black accessories and a corsage of pink roses. Her attendant was Miss Inus Glass, Emmitsburg, who wore a light blue dress, black accessories and a corsage of white roses. Richard W. Lohr, Thurmont, was the best man.

The couple will make their home on N. Market St., Frederick, where Mr. Davis is employed at Camp Detrick.

Mrs. Davis, who was graduated from the Emmitsburg High School in 1946, was employed by the C. & P. Telephone Co. in Emmitsburg. Mr. Davis attended schools in Tennessee. He and his family have resided in Emmitsburg for several years.

Chief Kaas Gives Expert Advice On Winter Driving

If you think you have a hard time keeping your automobile from sliding and skidding on slippery streets, consider the truck driver, who has from five to 10 times as much weight to control!

Chief of Police Daniel J. Kaas has considered it plenty, because a "jack-knifing" trailer-truck can block traffic as effectively as a fallen tree, and cause accidents which result in loss of life. Fortunately, truck drivers are among the most skillful and careful on our highways, he added.

Chief Kaas noted that trucks conducted with all types of tests and trailers by the Committee on Winter Driving Hazards of the National Safety Council show that various types of "winterized" tires cannot compare with tire chains from a safety standpoint. "While some special tires help slightly for some conditions, the National Safety Council tests proved they are certainly not the 'answer' for severe snow and ice conditions," the chief said. "At some stages of wear they are actually inferior to conventional tires. Conservative speeds and tire chains are the best friends the truck driver has during snow or ice conditions."

Even more important, Chief Kaas said, the Committee found that reinforced tire chains made "jack-knifing" virtually impossible with a tractor semi-trailer combination on lake ice at speeds up to 20 miles an hour.

The chief problem confronting truck drivers, the tests showed, is to keep all tires rolling in order to maintain steering ability and at the same time to extract from them their maximum deceleration or acceleration when road friction is low. By brake pumping techniques such as "fanning" or "feathering" he can maintain better directional control but it won't help much to reduce stopping distance.

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Minstrel Gives Final Performance Tonight



As was expected, the annual minstrel played to a capacity house last evening in the first of two local performances, the second of which will be held this evening at 8 o'clock.

The cast of characters, embodying some 50 individuals, made a decided hit with the audience and kept it in a state of high hilarity with the numerous jokes and pleasant melodies.

The minstrel is being held in the Emmitsburg High School under the direction of Mrs. Robert E. Daugherty, who has promoted the show since its origination three years ago.

Benefit Bingo Being Sponsored By Vets

Emmitsburg's Veterans of Foreign Wars Post, No. 6658 has announced it will sponsor a big bingo game on Thursday evening, Feb. 25, for the benefit of the ambulance fund.

The affair will be held in the new annex to the home on the Square and play will begin at 7:30 p. m.

Most all know that maintaining a vehicle of this type is a costly proposition, especially when it is operated for the convenience of the public, free of charge. Hundreds of local residents already have found need of its service and appreciate just what a splendid service the veterans are rendering in this district.

Officials of the service organization estimate that it costs annually about \$1000 to operate this vehicle and service, and ask that the public lend whole-hearted support to its fund-raising venture.

As has been said before, there is no charge connected with the ambulance service, its free to one and all, and the veterans hold a block party or two a year to raise maintenance funds.

At this particular time additional revenue is needed to operate; so if you want to do your bit in appreciation of this noble community service project, patronize the bingo game next week. Lovely prizes will be offered and refreshments will be on sale.

FFA Speaking Contest Scheduled For Emmitsburg

Members of the Frederick County FFA Chapter will hold their annual public speaking contest in the Emmitsburg High School auditorium on Friday afternoon, Feb. 26, at 1 o'clock.

The local chapter will serve as host for the County chapters. Roy Harner, chapter secretary, will be chairman of the activities. Winner of the county competition will represent Frederick County FFA Chapter in a regional contest with Washington County to the regional winner to represent the region at the state contest at College Park in June.

Judges for the affair will be Mr. Richard Weybright, local farmer and former vice president of the National FFA; Mr. Roy Cassell, Frederick County Assistant Agriculture Agent, and Mr. Richard Florence, representative of the National Grange Insurance. The public is invited to attend this contest.

On Wednesday, Feb. 17, eliminations were held in the local public speaking contest. The five contestants and their speech titles are as follows: Carl Crist, "The Farmer"; George Springer, "Care of Farm Machinery"; Leslie Cregger, "Farm Safety"; Robert Mumma, "I Believe"; and John Springer, "The Need of Good Farm Machinery." George Springer and Carl Crist were chosen by the Junior and senior class to represent the local FFA Chapter in the contest.

It is generally believed that another full house will be played to this evening, the last, and from all indications the promotion will turn out a big financial success. All proceeds from the show will be turned over to the Memorial Hall Bldg. Fund as the show has been produced under the auspices of the Memorial Hall Assn.

Audience participation in the musical numbers proved to be a decided hit with those present, and it is felt that this feature will become a permanent fixture in shows of the future. The rollicking endmen kept the show rolling in great style last evening and the musical numbers couldn't have been better.

Present plans call for a free performance before veterans at Newton D. Baker Hospital, Martinsburg, W. Va., on Feb. 21. Transportation to Martinsburg has been arranged for the cast by five local organizations which will share the expense of the bus trip.

This group includes the American Legion, Lions Club, VFW, Grange and the Chamber of Commerce.

On Feb. 25 the minstrel will appear in Taneytown for a Kiwanis Club benefit show.

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Over Half of Town Attend 'Open House'



Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson and unidentified man at left, appear intensely interested as Roland Sidel, testman of Frederick, explains the mechanics of a plastic pay station telephone coin box. Mrs. Thompson and her sister, Mrs. Joseph Sullivan, operated the local exchange as an "agency" for 40 years. Scene is at the "open house" held by the phone company recently when over half the population of the town were guests of the company at the new exchange.

Parking Meter Time Changes Planned

Announcement was made this week by the Burgess and Commissioners of the Corporation of Emmitsburg that effective Mar. 1, all meters in the corporation limits will operate in conformity with a town ordinance which states that parking meters shall be in operation from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m., Saturdays only. Weekday operation of the meters is from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Heretofore, the meters on the Square operated on Saturdays till 9 p. m. Under the new setup, all parking meters will be in operation Saturday from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Chief Daniel J. Kaas announced this week that a blinker device has been installed in the stop-light on the Square for operation during icy road conditions. In the future traffic entering town from north and south will receive a caution amber light, while cars approaching from east and west will face a flashing red, signaling them to stop before proceeding through the intersection.

New plates, detailing information as to the parking time limits have been placed on most of the meters in preparation for the new change of operating time.

No U-turn signs have been ordered for attachment to the stop-light on the Square and will be erected upon arrival in the near future. The sign will cover all four directions.

'Pentagon' Near Here Now Completed

The Army's "under-ground Pentagon," located six miles northwest of Emmitsburg, is now ready for operation, it was announced this week.

A Defense Department spokesman said this week in reply to inquiries that the project, which was begun three years ago to provide an alternate command post and communications center in the event of an atomic attack should threaten or destroy the Pentagon in Washington, is "100 per cent completed."

The cost of blasting out the tunnel under Rock Raven Mountain, building houses for personnel above ground and installing communications equipment is said to have reached \$35,000,000.

Reports say a maintenance force of military personnel now is stationed at the tunnel.

Jurisdiction of the facility which includes the former National Guard training site of Ft. Ritchie as well as the man-made cavern five miles from the fort, is under the Defense Department.

Construction was under the direction of the Army Engineer Corps. Although it was learned that the project is 100% complete no details were given to show whether this also included completion of connected projects — such as the construction of a radio transmitter station at Greentown, Pa., and a receiver station at Sharpsburg, Md., and the laying of underground cables to provide telephone and telegraph connection with transcontinental cables which cross the Allegheny Mountain ridge some miles from the site.

GI Completes Training

Private Robert Brawner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Brawner, Route 3, has been graduated from the Leadership Training School of the Ordnance Replacement Training Center at Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md.

Designed to train new soldiers for top non-commissioned jobs in the Ordnance Corps, the leadership school stresses combat readiness throughout the course. Students are ordinarily selected on a competitive basis from soldiers who have taken their basic training in the Ordnance Replacement Training Center and are then paced through a strenuous eight-week period—four weeks of academic leadership theory and four weeks of "on-the-job" leadership training with a unit actually in the field.

New Car Insurance

Commissioner of Motor Vehicles Thomas B. R. Mudd announces a change in the Maryland Motor Vehicle Accident Report.

All persons involved in a reportable accident on and after March 1, 1954, must complete the new accident report in its entirety, including the full name and address of the insurance company, together with number of the insurance policy, to secure the benefit of liability insurance coverage.

The new form will do much to eliminate red tape and delay and should prove a great convenience to both the Department and the motoring public. We, therefore, urge your complete cooperation.

Coach Clarke Resigns Position At Mt. St. Mary's

Coach Bill Clarke, Mt. St. Mary's College mentor, has announced his resignation as varsity basketball and soccer coach effective in June. Clarke came to the Mount three years ago from Columbia University where he acted as freshman coach of basketball while working for his Ph.D. A graduate of Fordham U. where he played football prior to graduation in 1942, Clarke spent four years with the Army Air Force. During his military tour he played and coached at Hickam Field, Victorville Air Base, and March Field. In addition to his athletic work, he also served overseas for 19 months and won his combat star in anti-submarine duty.

Prior to coaching at Mt. St. Mary's, Clarke had also served in the Mason-Dixon Conference at Towson State Teachers College where he coached varsity soccer and basketball.

Next year Clarke will work as varsity basketball coach at East Meadows High School, East Meadows, Long Island, where he will also assist in football and act as tennis coach.

Mounties Will Try To Shake Loyola Jinx Saturday

Coach Bill Clarke's Mountaineers hope to break a 10-year jinx Saturday night by taking Lefty Reitz' Loyola Greyhounds for the second time in one season. Not since the '43-'44 season when Loyola 56-47 and 44-39 scores have the Mounties been able to turn the trick in both Conference games.

Ten years ago the Mountaineers were sparked by Freshman Pete Clarke, one of the greatest players ever to don a Blue and White uniform. Now another freshman, Jack Sullivan of Washington, D. C., bids fare to lead his cage mates to their second win over Loyola. Sullivan has racked up 284 points in 17 games to date for a gaudy 16.7 average. In league play the freshman forward has 205 points in 11 games for an 18.7 average, third best in the Mason-Dixon Conference.

Teaming with Clarke in the '43-'44 season was another freshman, Center Jim Jordan, who later went on to North Carolina to become an All-America choice. This year the Mountie's center Sal Angelo, currently boasting a 15.2 game average, to team with Sullivan in supplying the Blue and White with a potent one-two punch. Both Sullivan and Angelo, in addition to their scoring abilities, are among the conference leaders in rebounding also.

Clarke, twice All - Conference holds the four-year scoring record at Mt. St. Mary's College with 1220 points. However, Sullivan to date is far ahead of Clarke's first year total of 154 points. Sullivan with five games to play has scored 284 points.

Fairfield Gets Bids On Water System Installation

Thirteen sealed bids for the construction of a 500,000-gallon reservoir and a Fairfield water system were opened this week at the Fairfield High School.

L. R. Waesche and Sons, Inc., Thurmont, submitted a bid of \$111,316.74, covering the use of an asbestos-cement type water main. Its alternate bid, for a cast-iron main, was \$127,675.74.

Atty. Charles W. Wolfe, solicitor for the municipal authority and borough council, stated that public announcement of the awarding of a contract cannot be made until approximately 30 days from the opening of bids, due to necessary preparatory work.

Members of the Fairfield Municipal Authority, the Borough Council, School Board and a score of contractors and townspeople were present at the meeting.

Treasure Chest Winner

Last week's drawing of the Community Treasure Chest, sponsored by the Emmitsburg Chamber of Commerce was won by Edna Zimmerman—\$75.

The jackpot this Saturday evening to be awarded at 7:30 p. m. will be \$163.00.

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"BLOOD SPILLING AND JOB PERMANENCY"

It would be a terrible thing if this great nation ever reached the point at which it depended upon war—even a small one as in Korea—to provide full employment and prevent economic distress.

Such a thought must have been in the mind of Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson, as he prepared the Lincoln Day address which he delivered in New York.

"I have no patience," he said, "with the people who seem to think that blood spilling and jobs are synonymous. Nor do I go along with the thinking of those who believe that the only way we can keep everybody employed is by loosely spending a tremendous percentage of our resources in the production of war goods. Some act like they believe that we must have either war or unemployment. . . . None should be so foolish as to think that a sound road to higher living standards is one built on military spending. Certainly none should be so selfish as to think he has a vested interest in war."

These timely remarks followed by two days President Eisenhower's declaration that it would be a tragedy for the United States to get involved in the "hot war" in Indo-China. The President also told a press conference that every move he has authorized to aid the French Union forces is calculated to avoid that possibility.

Most Americans will, we believe, welcome these assurances that we are not inching blindly into another hot war in Asia. There has been some fear along that line recently as the result of a decision to send 200 C. S. Air Force technicians to help service American aircraft in Indo-China.

No one, including the President, can foresee the drift of world events over the next several months, events which might conceivably make a greater U. S. intervention in Indo-China unavoidable. We agree with the President, however, that there could be no greater tragedy than involvement now in an all-out war in Asia. As Charles Wilson has pointed out, we have learned that war and the preparation for war make no contribution to real prosperity. They only create misery and add to our economic difficulties. A happy and prosperous America must rely upon peaceful pursuits.

SJHS News

More than \$400—net proceeds from the annual bazaar—were realized last Friday, due mainly to the 100 per cent cooperation by the student body and parents. The presence of many adults, from St. Joseph College and Mt. St. Mary's Seminary and the Emmitsburg and Waynesboro area, added to the school children spurred the enthusiasm and efforts of the students to make the proceeds of the bazaar an increase of a great deal over the last two years.

Sister Madeleine, moderator of the mission unit said: "I am sure the students will reap in eternity the efforts they put forth for the Missions, especially the Bolivian missions where the Sisters of Charity have opened a mission in the past year and a half."

The climax of the bazaar was the crowning of the Queen and King of Hearts, Ellen Rocks and William Greco by Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Scott in the evening at the dance.

A group of Children of Mary from St. Joseph's High and St. Euphemia's Eighth grade will leave at 8:30 a. m. Monday, Feb. 22, to celebrate Mary Day at St. Catherine Labour School, Harrisburg, Pa. Included in the program for the day will be a paper, "Is Mary Queen of Your Home?" to be read by Geraldine White, a senior. The program is in preparation for the Marian Year celebration to be held at St. Joseph College in the early spring. Besides the Emmitsburg girls, a group of Seton High students from Baltimore and St. Catherine School, Reading, Pa., have been invited to give honor to Mary.

The Children of Mary meeting held on Thursday, Feb. 18, was a continuation of a panel discussion with Ellen and Angela Rocks as speakers. Plans for the March meeting which will center about vocations were also arranged.

During Catholic Press Month, members of the Junior and Senior classes are reading a Catholic book and writing criticisms in a report. The purpose of Catholic Press Month is to make students more interested and aware of Catholic literature.

"A Small Boy's Ambition," a humorous poem written by Ellen Rocks will be published in the spring edition of the National Anthology of High School Poetry. This will be the second year for one of Ellen's poems to be published in this magazine.

Mrs. Margaret Wasilisky, in conjunction with her Freshmen English class made a visit to Emmitsburg Public Library, Tuesday, Feb. 16, where she and the class were greeted by Miss Marie Keepers, circulation librarian. While there the students learned of the facilities of the library and each withdrew a book. These books will be used as topics for discussions in class and also as subjects for book reports.

Commercial classes and Social Studies classes viewed the movie, "The Studebaker Story," Monday, Feb. 15. It depicted the opening as of small blacksmith shop in the 1850's by the Studebaker Bros., which shop formed the nucleus for the present factories and plants where 1954 studebakers are produced. The moral of the movie was "Always give more than you promise."

Friday, Feb. 5, Chemistry and General Science classes saw "Decision for Chemistry," produced by Monsanto Chemical Co. This was an excellent film showing the work chemistry does in our every day lives and the particular work of the research chemist so badly needed in industry.

Frances Yvonne Topper, called Yvonne by teachers and Bonnie by family and classmates, had the good fortune, rarely enjoyed by a "green" freshman to make the team—first string—as a guard. Although she takes her school work seriously and works after

Yvonne Topper school at Saint Joseph College, she nevertheless finds time to sandwich her basketball practice in on the specified days. In four years she probably will hold the honored record of her fourth year sister, "Dot"—as star guard. Already in only the first semester of her freshman year, she has earned the reputation among classmates and faculty, of being universally generous.

Sportlighting SJHS Cagers

On Monday, Feb. 15, the teams won both games from St. John's High School, Westminster. The girls again defeated St. John's by a score of 25-16. Seeking revenge after being defeated 38-41 last Thursday, the boys' varsity swamped St. John's by a score of 63-47. Aiding both defensively and offensively, Bill Greco poured in 21 points, a high for this season, followed close behind by Mike Miller with 18. Eugene Rosensteel was given his chance and proved good by scoring six points. The boys' record stands at 3-2 for the season with five games left to play. "Both boys and girls teams attribute their splendid playing to part to the cheer leaders and the moral support of the rooters," affirmed Prof. Dominic G. Greco after the game. This moral sup-

port and cheering, of course, is not to be outweighed by the untiring coaching of Pete O'Hagan, senior at MSM College, and Barbara Rosensteel, sophomore at SJC.

Since the present basketball rules allow a team to have only five players on the floor at one time, Gene will see most of his action in the role of substitute.

Gene has been with the team since his freshman year. He is this year president of the Jr. Class; last year served as class secretary; is a commercial student. Recently he was elected as secretary of the Athletic Association and is a very promising bass in the Glee Club and an active CSMC member. Gene is one of the most popular boys in the school and is seldom absent from a dance or school activity. Having recently obtained his driver's license, he may be seen gallivanting around to parties or just cruising in a green Chevrolet. Gene is full of vim and vigor, and one may hear his voice far above the others, no matter if he is on the court or the bench. While in the game his constant chatter is like a spark which ignites the team to stage a comeback or rally. His best shot is his one-hand push from various positions. His favorite subjects

are in the commercial line and he is best known for his generosity and infrequent side remarks which cause the entire class to smile.

"A Waltz Dream," scheduled for late April is in full practice twice weekly under the direction of Rev. David W. Shaum. Playing the part of Kay Robinson is Joan Berstler of Thurmont. Kay is an American entertainer and artist who has performed in various European cities and is invited to the palace to sketch the picture of the Princess and her enforced groom-to-be, Lieut. Niki.

Army Officer Rupert, a ne'er do well, whom the Princess has been banished from the kingdom by Maimilian. He returns unexpectedly to complicate matters in a light opera fashion. Rupert is played by Robert Gelwicks.

EMMITSBURGIAN IS FINED

Walter L. Stonesifer, Emmitsburg Rt. 2, was arrested by Gettysburg Borough police last Sunday at 11:15 p. m., for failing to stop at a stop sign at the intersection of Buford Ave. and Chambersburg St. He paid a \$5 fine before Justice of the Peace John H. Basehore.

No matter how carefully you don your stockings, you cannot expect the seams to remain straight forever. It's best to roll the hose down to the ankles and start all over again two or three times during the day.

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Your Personal Health

MEASLES SEASON

As if February weather were not a grave enough affliction, this is also the time when we begin the measles season. No one seems to know exactly why epidemics of measles occur at the end of winter every second or third year. But doctors, school teachers, and parents all know that they do.

This is the time of year to be suspicious of every cold that a child has. During a measles epidemic, if a child develops symptoms of a head cold, he should be kept home from school and away from other children, especially away from babies. The disease is infectious from the time the first signs appear — fever, runny nose, slight cough, and red, watery eyes. The doctor should

be called at once. He may use gamma globulin which acts to prevent or modify measles for a limited time, especially if the child is ill at the time with another disease, particularly tuberculosis. If there are other young children in the family, gamma globulin may be given if the time of exposure is known.

The 'head cold' symptoms come about 10 days after the child has been exposed to a case of measles. The next signal is the appearance of spots on the inside of the mouth. Within a few days the typical skin rash begins on the face and neck and gradually spreads to the trunk, arms, and legs.

The child feels miserable. The rash lasts about a week, and he feels sicker while it is at its height. As the rash fades, he begins to feel better, and the problem is to keep him in bed until the doctor says it's safe for him to get up. With the average healthy school-age child, the illness lasts only about two weeks, but he must be carefully guarded against secondary infections while his resistance is low.

Secondary infections are always serious and may be fatal. Pneumonia is the most frequent complication; ear infections are another possibility, and occasionally encephalitis — inflammation of the brain — develops. For babies and children under five, measles

can be so serious that every effort should be made to protect them against the disease until they are older.

The care a child gets during measles has a great bearing on whether he will escape complications that may seriously affect his entire future. The doctor's advice should be followed in every detail.

ALONG THE POTOMAC

By Cong. DeWitt S. Hyde

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17—With the Republicans having fired the opening guns of the Congressional campaign in their Lincoln Day speeches, it is apparent that there will be quite a slugging match right down to November.

With less than a year of their own record to boast of, Republicans are still bearing down hard on criticism of past Democrat Administrations and Congresses. This has brought a complaint from some of former President Truman's supporters in the Democratic Party that Republicans should start talking more about their own record.

When the Democrats urged President Eisenhower to caution Republican spokesmen against intemperate statements, they told the President they could not support his legislative program if the attacks continued. It looked like he might become an innocent bystander who could be injured in the argument. That, I think, is what prompted him to suggest that everybody take it a little easy and tone down their partisanship.

Democrats are not willing to give in to a long period of Republican control in Washington. Republicans are not willing to give up what they won last year. Since the parties are so evenly matched in the House and Senate now, the 1954 campaign will be like a heavyweight prize fight, with the ex-champion trying to regain his title, and both fighters weighing and measuring the same. The outcome will depend on skill and strategy.

There are just two techniques of campaigning — boast about your own record and criticize the opposition's. Every member of the House and one-third of the Senators who are up for re-election are going to determine what proportions of these two techniques to use. Each candidate will talk in his district about things he thinks his constituents are interested in. Nobody will refuse to support President Eisenhower's program unless he thinks his constituents are not in favor of it.

It will be a noisy campaign, in Maryland and all over the coun-

Homemakers' Corner

Meals using ready-to-serve foods cost over a third more, but take only about a quarter as much of the homemaker's time, compared with meals prepared mainly in the home kitchen.

This is a finding from recent studies made by the Bureau of Human Nutrition and Home Economics, U. S. Dept. of Agriculture. They also found that meals using partially prepared foods cost a sixth more and take about about half as much time as home prepared foods.

In summing up the findings of the study, it was pointed out that pre-preparation adds to food cost, takes less of the homemaker's time and may result in less acceptance quality-wise. However, the results showed that the savings in time was large, compared to the extra

expense. Personally, I will define the issues as I see them. My opponent will do the same. That's been the American way for nearly 200 years. It seems to be a pretty good system.

The homemaker who has children and a home to care for will not have time to prepare every food she serves from the beginning. Nor will she have time to prepare all of these foods at the expense of neglecting her home. Therefore she will want to check a pre-kitchen prepared form — those foods which she can use in considering time, cost and family taste. The woman who works will also want to make more use of pre-kitchen prepared foods.

But quality is another factor to be considered. Some homemakers, with much time in their homes and families who prefer home-prepared foods, will want to do more of the preparation in their own kitchens. And the money saved can add to their desire to do this.

Skill and speed have to be considered, too. A homemaker who is less skilled in the arts of cooking, or a family that doesn't prize quality, would have less reason to accept the ready-to-serve foods.



Harry Patton, plant wire chief, Frederick, congratulates Roger P. Heck, Emmitsburg manager, on the official transition from manual to dial phone operation at the open house held by the phone utility on February 4 and 5.

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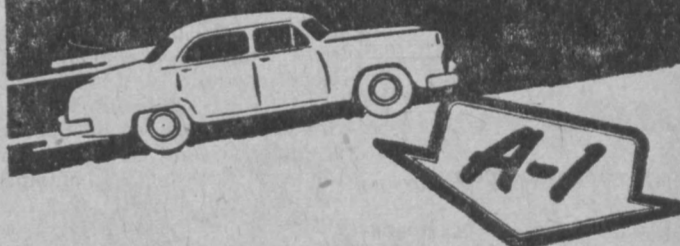
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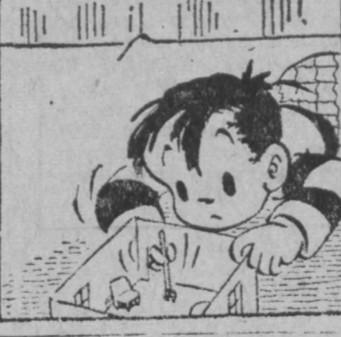
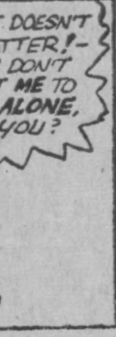
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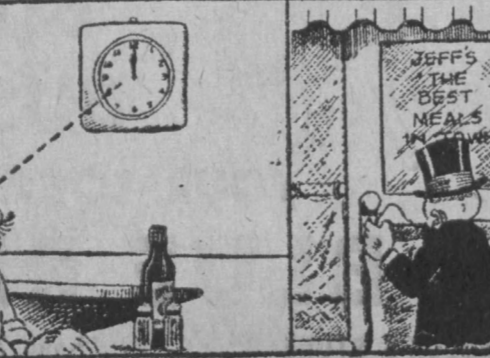
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VIRGIL



By Len Kleis

MUTT AND JEFF



By Bud Fisher

Thurmont Soldier In Prisoner Release

Sgt. Lester L. Pryor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel P. Pryor, Thurmont Rt. 1, assisted in the operation of releasing more than 20,000 anti-Communist Chinese and Korean prisoners when they were returned to UN custody last month.

Sgt. Pryor, a message center chief in the 25th Infantry Division's 14th Regiment, helped to guard the Freedom Rd. from Panmunjom to Inchon to insure the prisoners' safety.

The sergeant, whose wife, Ethel lives in Seven Stars, Pa., arrived overseas in February 1953 and holds the Combat Infantryman Badge. The 28-year-old Thurmont soldier entered the Army in September 1952.

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Mrs. James Kelly and Marie C. Rosensteel appear to be thoroughly enjoying their visit to the open house of the C. & P. Telephone Co. held Feb. 4-5 and which was attended by more than 500 local citizens. Mr. Leroy Koogle, central office test-man, Frederick, explains the intricate equipment as Burgess Thornton W. Rodgers, at right, listens intently. Orders for new phones are coming in at a rapid clip and at present Emmitsburg has over 700 subscribers to dial service.

SENATE CLOAKROOM

By U. S. Sen. J. Glenn Beall

The Congress has been in session just short of two months and despite partisan criticism the accomplishments are better than many past sessions.

President Eisenhower delivered his State of the Union Address on Jan. 7, and immediately followed that by sending a series of special messages to Congress. The President's recommendations have been reduced to legislative proposals and referred to proper committees.

This is a brief progress report on the status of 10 Presidential recommendations.

(1) Mutual security pact with the Republic of Korea. This has been ratified by the Senate.

(2) Legislation taking a way citizenship of persons convicted of conspiring to overthrow the government by force and violence. Bills prepared and now being studied by committees.

(3) The budget. Reduced expenditures by \$5 billion and now Congressional committees are making an intensive study of the entire budget, and will undoubtedly propose other reductions.

(4) Taxes. President Eisenhower made 25 specific tax recommendations and the House Ways and Means Committee is making a study of the entire internal revenue field.

(5) Agriculture. Probably has provoked more comment and discussion than most other recommendations so far, and is now being carefully studied in committee.

(6) Post Office. The President recommended passage of pending legislation establishing new rates on first, second, and third class mail and the House committee has voted to report the bills out of committee.

(7) Labor. Amendments to the Labor-Management Relations Act of 1947 have been drafted and the committees are hearing the views of labor and industry.

(8) Health. Congress and the Administration are definitely opposed to any form of socialized medicine, but recommendations for Federal re-insurance of group plans are being studied.

(9) Housing. Special message to Congress covered the housing field and legislation has been prepared which will shortly be studied in committee.

(10) Statehood for Hawaii. A bill granting Statehood for Hawaii has now been agreed to by the committee, and will undoubtedly come before the Senate in the very near future.

This partial summary of the legislative progress after only 7

My Neighbors

By BILL PAULSON



"... Now that, Cousin, is a 'secondary boycott!'"

Weeks have gone by of the second session of the 83rd Congress indicates that it should be a constructive period.

The Lincoln-Jackson Day dinner period will emphasize partisan disagreements and the sound and fury generated will make it appear that Congress is getting little, if anything, done. But all the time in the more quiet atmosphere of committee rooms constructive legislative work is being done.

HERE'S HEALTH!

By Lewis

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SPORTS AFIELD

By Ted Kesting

(Editor, Sports Afield Magazine)

It is strange, but memories and estimates of the size of big game almost always err in the same direction — exaggeration. Not that sportsmen are chronic liars. It's simply that we all have a bit of the artistic urge that makes us want to add a touch of color here and there to make interesting things even more so.

This kind of artistic decoration, going on generation after generation, has made the job of sorting fact from fiction in big-game records nearly as tough as straining frog spit out of a frog pond.

Bigness in big game is generally listed in either of two ways: by live or dressed weight. Live weight really means dead weight, with entrails and other parts in place. And dressed weight means that the critter was undressed of such parts.

Various formulas have been devised for estimating the approximate live weights of dressed specimens or of figuring the dressed weights of undressed game. For deer, it has commonly been calculated that one-fifth of the live weight is lost in dressing. And conversely, you add about one-fourth of the dressed weight to get a rough idea of the beast's heft when alive and kicking.

Such schemes, however, are far from exact, even when adapted to particular species. For one thing, as pointed out by Biologist Alexander D. Martin in an article in Sports Afield magazine, the amount of food in an animal's stomach varies a good deal from time to time, and this bars the way to any accurate method of translating one kind of weight expression into the other.

An interesting thing about deer is the way their size tapers off as you go south from Canada. There are some 20 different kinds of deer in this country and most of them differ in stature and average weight. While northern whitetails average about 150 pounds (big bucks sometimes going as high as 400 pounds or higher), their relatives in the south generally run considerably smaller. The nearly extinct Key deer of Florida weighs from about 40 to 75 pounds. The Coues, or Sonora, deer of the southwest averages about 75 lbs., and in Mexico there are varieties that weigh less than 40 pounds. Going still farther south, down to the Andes Mountains in Chile, there's a midget species only

Demos To Banquet

William T. Winand, Jr., announced the state-wide committee for the Third Annual Jackson Day Dinner sponsored by the Young Democratic Clubs of Maryland. The dinner is scheduled in Baltimore at the Hotel Emerson, Saturday, March 13 at 7:00 p. m. Tickets for the dinner may be secured by a request to the Young Democratic Clubs of Maryland, 18 West Street, Annapolis.

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Where Are We Going?

by Russell Maguire

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He has also given us the courage to push aside the fantastically sinister and stupid mistakes of the past. We must use it.

In some way, our leaders must be brought to realize, as well as the rest of us, that America must return to the spiritual and moral laws of our forefathers.

In a world of formal education, of international societies, committees and organizations dedicated to peace, we have found ourselves engaged in two world wars.

Since the recognition of Soviet Russia, we have carried out a series of compromises. We have vacillated and written high-sounding diplomatic notes. We have permitted the Russians to start a war of their own choosing and out of it we have received 130,000 maimed and dead young Americans.

What is behind all this slaughter, intrigue, lying and disaster?

For over twenty years the party of Roosevelt and Truman failed miserably to stop it.

Let us find out where we are being led.

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BABSON

Writes . . .

By ROGER W. BABSON

BABSON PARK, Mass., Feb. 18—While so many forecasts for 1954 are discouraging, I give four more reasons why I cannot be so fearful as are many economic writers. Take a look at them and have faith in your country and your future.

More Money and More People

In the first place, people have money to buy. I repeat what I have said before—"the top 50 per cent of our families have readily convertible savings amounting to a staggering \$97 billions." Ninety-five per cent of all families probably have more money in savings accounts than ever before. It is true that installment debts on cars, refrigerators, and television sets have increased during the past 12 months; but these are now being reduced. Moreover, money invested in these durables cannot be written off as gone. Homes are always a good investment. So long as one is employed, money invested in a home may be as good a reserve as cash in a bank. In short, potential buying power never was greater.

Second, our swiftly rising population—with a record four million births in 1953—is creating a vast number of new wants that must be satisfied. Ten years from now we may have 40 million more in our population than we did at the end of World War II. Take all the wants and needs of one individual and multiply by 40 million and you will get some idea of what a staggering impact the increase in population alone can have on our economy for some time to come, provided it is of good character. Population alone is not enough; people must have good habits, sound faith, and useful intelligence.

Liberalized Republican Thinking

Third, the liberalizing of the thinking of our present Administration should help hold our economy high. For example, it has reversed itself on its hard-money policy; credit has been eased. Tax relief for both the individual and business is already under way. This Administration is prepared to go further with higher minimum wages, reasonable aid to the farmer, useful public works projects, and broader social security benefits.

Fourth, the millions of warning words and the current skepticism of the future may furnish a considerable element of psychological strength. There is little question but what skepticism has kept many a businessman and consumer from overstepping with regard to future commitments. The pessimistic forecasts may themselves prevent real trouble.

Comparing 1954 With 1929

During the past few weeks I have been reading the newspapers and magazine articles published in 1928-29, preceding the last depression. I find very few warnings. Herbert Hoover had just been elected President and he had chosen an able "businessman's" Cabinet. In fact, directly after his election the stock market shot up 20 points. Nearly all the business and financial prophets were then bullish.

Hence, people were not then on their guard. Yet, they should have been warned before it was too late. If warnings had been given in 1929 as it has now been given, the great 1930-33 declines in building, textiles, clothing, leather, and automobiles would not have been so severe.

Recall Your History

After every war, our country has had a letdown. This was true after World War I. Earlier, the same pattern had followed the Spanish-American War. As even more severe reaction set in after the Civil War. Yet, most economists say that it is now nearly 10 years since World War II and we have had no readjustment to our continued prosperity.

But, is World War II at an end? Or, may we now be in World War III? What is the economic difference between a "hot war" and a "cold war?" I do not pretend to know all the answers, but I do ask these pertinent questions. After every period of inefficiency, waste, and unrighteousness, there must always be unemployment to punish us for our sins. But has this time come yet? Business and employment for the first half of 1954 could still be at a high level. So—take courage! The "boom" may not continue, but the future is still bright for families who will work hard and use any idle time to study and

Tree Planting Program Starts This Month

Frederick County's 1954 tree planting program will be launched on Feb. 26 with a meeting of farm and conservation groups in the Extension Conference Room of the Church St. School Bldg.

The opening of the year's reforestation project was decided at a meeting of the Frederick Forestry Conservancy District Board Tuesday night. The board will invite other organizations in the county to cooperate in the program.

Tree planting can begin as soon as frost is out of the ground and the danger of heavy frosts is past, the Board said. Planting projects will begin in March.

The tree planting goal this year is 250,000 trees. Last year over 328,000 trees were planted in the county in the Spring and Fall seasons. The Board encouraged all landowners with land not suitable for cropping or other use to adopt reforestation as the wisest course of land management.

Trees are provided without cost from the State Dept. of Forests and Parks. They are not available for ornamentation purposes, or when planting is strictly for Christmas tree production. White pines are the best growing trees for reforestation in this area.

The tree planting campaign announced by the Board will run through the Spring and again in the Fall. Spring planting is possible up to about May 1 and has the advantage of plentiful ground moisture. Fall planting usually begins about mid-September.

to build up physical and spiritual health.



Mrs. Agnes Garner experiments with the Voice Mirror at open house, Feb. 4-5 held by the C. & P. Telephone Co. after the official conversion to dial phone. as Miss Edith Blumenauer watches Roman Bailey, combination man for Emmitsburg District explains the "works" to Mrs. Garner. Woman in foreground is unidentified. Emmitsburg now has over 700 subscribers.

A son was born this week at the Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, to Mr. and Mrs. David Turner, Emmitsburg.

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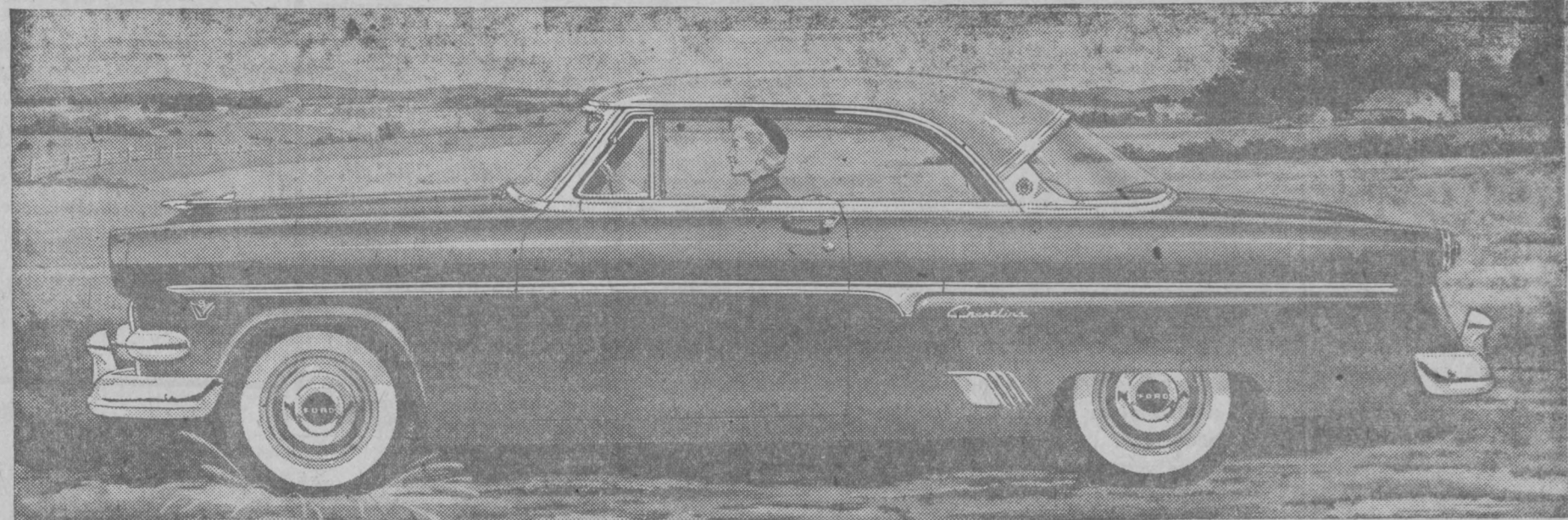
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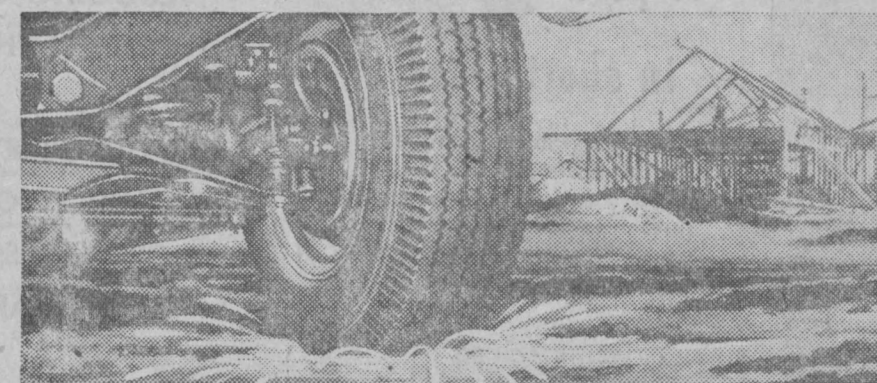
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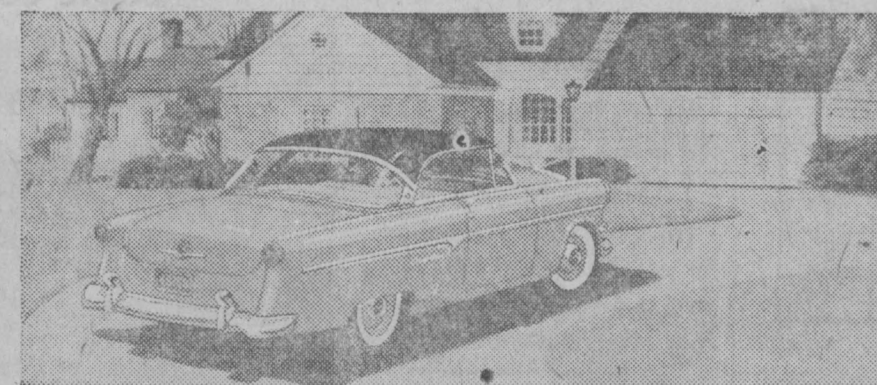
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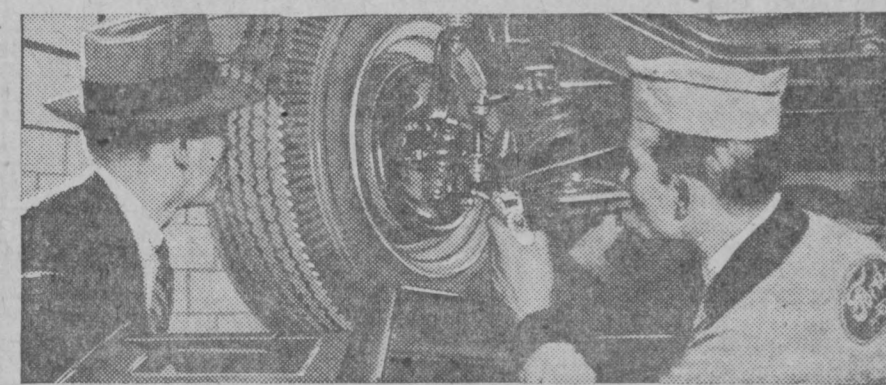
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by GEORGE S. BENSON
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

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

IDA M. GOULDEN

late of Frederick County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 30th day of August, 1954 next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Those indebted to the deceased are desired to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 26th day of January, 1954.

PAUL V. GOULDEN,
Administrator

True Copy—Test:
HARRY D. RADCLIFF
Register of Wills for Frederick County, Md. 1/29/54

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

This is to give notice that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Frederick County, in Maryland, letters Testamentary on the estate of

JOHN DAVID GRUSHON

late of Frederick County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscribers, on or before the 16th day of August, 1954 next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Those indebted to the deceased are desired to make immediate payment.

Given under our hands this 11th day of January, 1954.

DAVID RALPH GRUSHON
and
ONEDIA B. DEVILBISS,
Executors

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Register of Wills for Frederick County, Md. 1/15/54

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Frederick County, in Maryland, letters Testamentary on the estate of

BERTRAM M. KERSHNER

late of Frederick County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 16th day of August, 1954 next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Those indebted to the deceased are desired to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 11th day of January, 1954.

CONSTANCE KERSHNER,
Executrix

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approved at this session. It should be a straight salary raise and should not include any tax-free allowances or provisions.

In our present day American society Congress is the most vitally important agency of government, the heart of the Republic. Its members have a value to the nation that cannot actually be measured in dollars and cents. Only a few are independently wealthy, and this will likely be the situation in future Congresses. Therefore, for nearly all Congressmen and Congressional candidates the size of the pay check—and the "take home" pay—is a determining factor in their career.

Great Public Service

The American people should be in favor of any reasonable measure that would help attract the very highest order of citizens to serve in Congress. Once they are in Congress the members' pay is not calculated on comparative merit. Unlike employees in private enterprise and other governmental fields, Congressmen may not expect additional salary compensation or promotion for unusual ability, extra hard work, long hours, or extraordinary diligence.

For the type of intelligent, wise, honorable, self-sacrificing, public-spirited and courageous

citizens we need in Congress, the chief incentive is the opportunity Congressional membership affords for great public service. The big reward is the inner satisfaction that comes from performing this service creditably. Yet, Congressmen and prospective Congressmen are human. They desire for themselves and their families an improving living standard, the good things of life. It is to our advantage to place the salary scale for Congress in balance with the challenging requirements of the job. The philosophy of Americanism is for reward on the basis of worth.

Inflation and Inflation

But while suggesting a pay raise for Congressmen, we citizens ought to remind them that the \$10,000 salary they received 20 years ago was considered adequate at that time; and the \$15,000 salary they began receiving five years ago also was considered adequate. Inflation made the \$10,000 salary inadequate; and, finally, the \$15,000 salary too. And a large part of the inflation was caused by permitting the Federal budget to go unbalanced during 17 of the last 20 years. In many of those years, Congress should have balanced it!

Another factor in making the

\$10,000 and \$15,000 Congressional salaries shrink in purchasing power has been the constantly increasing tax bite taken by the Federal government. The United States NEWS calculates that a Congressman drawing \$15,000 today actually has 33 per cent less purchasing power than in 1939 when he drew only \$10,000! Inflation and higher taxes are the reasons why. If Congressional salaries now are raised to \$27,500, as the presidential commission suggests, the Congressmen actually would be only \$1322 better off than they were in 1939 while drawing only \$10,000, because of inflation and increased taxes.

A Fair Bargain

We citizens might well tell our Congressmen that the raise we are suggesting at this time, to bring their living standard in line with the value and importance of their service to our nation, is being approved with two stipulations: (1) that Congress balance the 1954-55 Federal budget and thereafter keep the budget balanced; and (2) that a program of tax reduction and reform be continued until taxes are drastically lowered and are levied equitably, without favoritism.

Above all, we should tell our Congressmen that they must not legislate to themselves a tax-free allowance or adopt any other provisions that would set them apart from other Americans. Favoritism to any group, whether in taxation or governmental service, is not in keeping with the philosophy of Americanism and would eventually destroy our freedom system. Congressmen need to get bitten by the teeth of taxes

Fabrics Require Laundering Care

Before laundering clothing made of crease-resistant fabrics, be sure to read the instructions that come with the garment. These fabrics, which have done so much to keep clothes looking fresh and to save pressing, deserve care in laundering.

It's best to wash clothes or fabrics with a crease-resistant finish in warm rather than hot water, says clothing specialist Helen

Shelby, University of Maryland Extension Service. That's because very hot water will remove some of the crease-resistant finishes after a number of washings.

Another thing you'll want to watch is using chlorine bleaches on crease-resistant fabrics. The bleaches may cause some yellowing of the finishes.

Miss Shelby points out that if water is too hot for your hands, chances are it is too hot for washing clothes. Boiling hot water isn't as good a cleansing agent as water at a lower temperature. It may cook dirt into clothes rather

than wash it out, and it's likely to set stains.

For general washing, the water shouldn't be over 125 to 130 degrees—hot to the hands but not burning. Wash woollens and many of the man-made fabrics at a lower temperature. For nylon, Orlon, Dacron, Acrilan, Dynel and Vicara, Miss Shelby suggests a temperature not over 110 degrees.

If you use an automatic washer, check the water temperature before putting the clothes in. Some water heaters hold a water temperature that is much too hot for most efficient washing.

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Mrs. Agnes Garner, left, Roman Bailey, combination man for Emmitsburg district and Miss Edith Buhmeyer in foreground, study dial phone demonstration unit at the open house held by the C. & P. Telephone Co. recently at its new exchange building.

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LAST WEEK'S ANSWER

ACROSS

1. Equipment
5. Vehicles
9. Tibetan priest
10. Norse war god
11. Roman garment
12. Flower organ
14. Hail!
15. Exclamation (Eng.)
16. Water god (Babyl.)
17. Deduces
19. Fortify
20. Fish
21. S-shaped molding
22. Gloss
25. Trudges
26. Terminal part of arm
27. Apple seed
28. Particle of addition
29. Wealthy
33. Italian river
34. A shirt (Archaic)
35. Pulp
36. Display
38. Spill over
39. City (Pa.)
40. Drench
41. Knock
42. One of the English queens

DOWN

1. Covering for the hand
2. Anxious
3. Wine receptacle
4. Sun god
6. Inclosures for doves
7. First man
8. Border
11. Little child
12. Lean-to
13. Entitles
15. River (Eng.)
18. Frosted
19. Past
21. Leather oil flask
22. Form
23. Town (New Hampshire)
24. Remnant
25. A shade of red
27. Minute skin opening
29. Heavy clubs
30. Chinese magnolia
31. Summon forth
32. Dip quickly into water
34. A slight cut
37. Man's name
38. Male child
40. Samarium (sym.)

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Why should we of today be so fearful, so faint of heart, when such a faith has survived down the centuries to save and sustain us? Faith in our cause, our nation, our victory over godless Communism, must begin with unswerving faith in God and His omnipotence.

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Personals

Eighteen members of the Sodality of St. Joseph's Church attended the recent meeting of the group. Mrs. Agnes Topper, president, announced the sodality realized \$25 on the sale of aprons. Mrs. Joseph Kreitz was awarded a prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Frazer and children, Gettysburg, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wetzel, near St. Anthony's.



Harry Patton, left, plant wire chief, Frederick, congratulates Roger P. Heck, Emmitsburg manager of the C. & P. Telephone Co. on the efficient changeover to dial service January 27. Photo was taken in front of new exchange building located at intersection of Chesapeake Ave. and Potomac Street. The project ran far higher than the amount painted on sign. Schools and colleges are still visiting the building.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Eyster entertained at a birthday party Saturday afternoon in honor of their daughter, Nancy, who observed her ninth birthday anniversary. Guests included Linda Liller, Margo and Carol Emrich, Lana Frock, Susan McClain, Kenneth Swomley, Dickie Cullison and Joanne Welty.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Auldridge and family, Clarkville, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Keilholtz.

Miss Kathleen Wantz, Baltimore, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wantz.

Miss Nancy Wachter, St. Joseph's Hospital School for Nursing, Baltimore, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wachter, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Graham of Frederick, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy F. Maxell, W. Main St.

William Myers was discharged as a patient from the Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, this week.

About \$425 was realized from the Mission Bazaar held Friday afternoon in St. Joseph's High School. The Valentine dance in the evening was climaxed when William Greco and Ellen Rocks were crowned "King and Queen of Hearts."

Sunday dinner guests of Mayor and Mrs. Thornton W. Rodgers were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rodgers and family, Emmitt Gardens and Mr. and Mrs. William Rodgers and family, W. Main St.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodger Topper, Mt. Airy, were Sunday visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Topper, N. Seton Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boyle and daughter, Carolyn, Mrs. Jackson Humerick and Miss Jeanette Taylor, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mahoney, Beltsville.

Sunday visitors of Mrs. Ray Topper were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Topper and family and Charles B. Topper, all of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dickey and son, Coatesville, Pa., were weekend visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hahn.

The Emmitsburg Lions Club will dine at Bucher's Restaurant Monday evening at 6:15 p. m.

Miss Anna Mae Welty, Baltimore, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welty, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly and Mrs. Marie C. Rosensteel, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Toss Shorb, Blue Ridge Summit, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Henn, Baltimore, were guests over the weekend of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Linn.

William Garner, Washington, D. C., visited with his mother,

Mrs. Agnes Garner, over the weekend.

Miss Jean Topper, Baltimore, spent the weekend with her sister, Miss Ann Marie Topper. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Quinn F. Topper, are vacationing in Florida.

Sgt. Charles A. Myers, U. S. Army, stationed in Nebraska, is currently spending a 30-day furlough here with his father.

Mr. William C. Smith, Pittsburgh, spent several days here this week visiting friends and relatives. He was accompanied on the return trip by Mrs. Genevieve R. Elder, who will spend several weeks in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert L. Joy, Mr. and Mrs. William Martin, Mr. Kenneth Joy and Miss Dorothy Orendorff, spent last weekend visiting Pvt. Jerry Joy at Camp Pickett, Va.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Craig Houser was discharged this week from the Warner Hospital.

Mr. William C. Smith of Pittsburgh, Pa., spent Tuesday in Emmitsburg visiting Mrs. Genevieve R. Elder and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Elder.

Mr. Robert Dubel of Rocky Ridge was removed to the Frederick Memorial Hospital Monday evening in the M. L. Creager and Son ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. David Trent are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at the Warner Hospital last week.

Mrs. Genevieve R. Elder left today to spend sometime with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Smith, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Auldridge and family, Clarkville, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Keilholtz, W. Main St.

Mrs. Lewis Stoner and son spent several days this past week visiting friends and relatives in Hagerstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Graham, Frederick, visited Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Maxell, W. Main St.

Miss Kathleen Wantz, Baltimore, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wantz, DePaul St.

New rust-removing chemicals speed some car repair jobs as much as 20% by loosening nuts on corroded bolts.

In 1953 infant mortality in the U. S. reached a new low of 28 per 1,000 live births.

It has been found that hogs gain weight faster when given water at 44 degrees Fahrenheit.

Church Notes

ST. JOSEPH'S R. C. CHURCH

Rev. John D. Sullivan, Pastor.

Sunday masses at 7:00, 8:30 and high mass at 10:00 a. m.

Weekday masses at 6:30 and 7:30 a. m.

Baptisms every Sunday at 1:00 p. m.

Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, benediction of Most Blessed Sacrament, Rosary and Litany. Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, miraculous medal novena devotions, with benediction and short sermon.

REFORMED CHURCH

Rev. E. P. Welker, Pastor.

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

Worship Service, 10:30 a. m.

TOM'S CREEK METHODIST

Rev. Byron H. Keesecker, Pastor.

9 a. m.—Sunday School.

10 a. m.—Morning Worship.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Gideon Galambos, Pastor.

Church School, 9:45 a. m.

Worship Service, 11:00 a. m.

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Byron H. Keesecker, Pastor.

9:00 a. m.—Worship Service.

10:00 a. m. Sunday School.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

47 York St., Taneytown, Md.

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., the Watchtower study, 3 p. m., the discourse "The Great Sign of the Times." Tuesday, 8 p. m., the regular Bible study, Thursday, 7:30 p. m., the Theocratic Ministry School and service meeting. All welcome. No collection taken.

ST. ANTHONY'S SHRINE

Rev. Stanley Scarff, Pastor.

Masses Sunday at 7:30 and 9:30 a. m. Confession Saturdays at 3:30 and 7:30 p. m.

EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Philip Bower, Pastor.

Sunday School, 9:15 a. m.

The Service, 10:30 a. m. Luther League, 7:00 p. m.

Robert Schultz and Fred Strohman of Gettysburg College, will be guest speakers.

The Junior, Youth and Chapel Choirs will meet for rehearsal on Tuesday evening at 6:30, 7 and 7:30 o'clock respectively.

Vicki Jane Bussey, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Bussey, was received into the membership of the church by the sacrament of Holy Baptism administered by the pastor on February 16.

Woodsboro

Livestock Market

Quotations

The following quotations are those that prevailed at the weekly Tuesday auction of the Woodsboro Livestock Market:

Butcher steers, \$22.35; butcher heifers, medium to good, \$14.25; butcher cows, medium to good, up to \$13.60; butcher bulls, canners and cutters, \$9.00-12.00; butcher bulls, \$15.50; stock steers, \$115.00 per head; stock heifers, \$2.00; stock bulls, per cwt., \$14.75-15.50; stock cows, per head, \$2.35-16.50; dairy cows, per head, \$98.00-178.00; good choice calves, 190-250 pounds, \$27.00; 160-190 lbs., \$24.75; 140-160 lbs., \$29.50; 125-140 lbs., \$28.00; light and green calves, \$5.00-17.00; good choice butchering hogs, 140-160 lbs., \$27.00; 160-190 lbs., \$27.35; 180-210 lbs., \$27.75; 215-250 lbs., \$27.25; 250-275 lbs., \$27.50; 275-300 lbs., \$26.75; good butcher sows, \$21.75; heavy boars, \$15.50; feeding shoats, per cwt., \$28.00; pigs, per head, 13.60; sows, with pigs, per lot, \$137.00; fowl, old, per lb., 25¢; fowl, young, per lb., 26¢; ducks, 23¢ lb.; geese, 27½¢ lb.; rabbits, \$1.35 head; bacon, 52¢ lb.; lard, 15¢ lb.; shoulders, 50¢ lb.; hams, 70¢ lb.

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SALAD, SLAW OR SOUP MIX cello pkg **15c**

GLENSIDE PARK GRASS SEED 5 lb bag **\$1.89**

Seabrook Extra Fancy Green Peas 2 10-oz pkgs **29c**

Seabrook Green Baby Lima Beans 2 10-oz pkgs **49c**

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NOTICES

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of St. Anthony's Church. 2/12/2t

FOOD SALE—Sponsored by the
Methodist Church, will be held
in the Fire Hall on Saturday,
Feb. 20, beginning at 11 a. m.

NOTICE—Penny Bingo game on
Friday, Feb. 19, Rocky Ridge
Fire Hall, sponsored by the
Rocky Ridge Fire Co., 7:30
p. m. 2/12/2t

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere
thanks and appreciation to Dr.
James K. Gray, Thurmont, and to
Dr. Franklin Sheely, Gettysburg;
also to the nurses at the Gettys-
burg Hospital, for their kindness
during the recent illness and death
of our husband and father, Jacob
D. Adams. Also friends for the
beautiful floral tributes and cards.
MRS. ADAMS & FAMILY

WALLPAPER BARGAINS—At
Gilbert's, 202 Chambersburg
Street, Gettysburg, Pa. tf

CARD PARTY—Tues., Feb. 23 at
8 p. m., Thurmont Legion Home
sponsored by the Thurmont
Democratic Women's Club. Re-
freshments and lovely prizes.
Admission 50c. It

NOTICE—Get your Fishing Li-
cense and tackle early! On sale
now at Hoke's Hardware, West
Main St. tf

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this opportunity
to express my sincere apprecia-
tion to all my kind friends for
their acts of kindness, flowers,
cards and visits while I was a
patient in the hospital.
LUTHER KUGLER

LOST—More than month ago,
young, male beagle hound; tan,
white, and black. Reward. Find-
er please call Hillcrest 7-5511.

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I wish to take this opportunity
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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS!

County and State Taxes for
1954 are due April 1, 1954. Inter-
est begins Oct. 1, 1954 and tax-
payers not having paid their 1954
taxes by Jan. 1, 1955, will be pro-
ceeded against as delinquent tax-
payers, as provided by law.

However, voluntary payment of
County and State taxes will be
accepted and a discount upon
County taxes is offered as follows:
On or before February 27, 2%;
during March, 1%.

Discount on County taxes only.
Bills have been mailed and if
you have not received your bill
please call at the office and se-
cure it.

Business personal property tax
bills will be mailed as soon as
the assessment is established by
the Supervisor of Assessments.
Discount of 2% on County taxes
will be allowed for payment of
these taxes within 30 days from
date of bill.

JAMES H. FALK,

1t

County Treasurer

NOTICE—Am now booking en-
gagements for Wallpapering.
For estimates phone 7-4268.
MRS. PAUL GLASS
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Hall, Sat., March 6, 4:30-8:00
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Rocky Ridge
Items Of Interest

Mrs. G. H. Clem returned home
Monday from Bon Secour Hospi-
tal, Baltimore, where she had
been a patient for five weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. David Stonesifer
and daughter, Doris, Taneytown,
visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar
Troxell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Wantz, Lit-
tlestown, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. How-
ard Wantz, York, Pa., and Mr.
and Mrs. Harry Wantz and fam-
ily were recent visitors of Mr.
and Mrs. Charles Wantz.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Pryor,
Cascade, were guests Sunday of
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stambaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. James Welty, Mr.
and Mrs. Edgar Welty and chil-
dren, Helen, Hilda, and Darlene,
Burkittsville; Rev. Paul Freeman,
Keymar; Doris Eyley, Mrs. John
Shorb and Howard Welty visited
recently with Mr. and Mrs. John
Hahn.

The directors and teachers of
the Rocky Ridge Community Bi-
ble School met last Friday eve-
ning at the Moravian Parsonage,
Graceham, to make plans for the
Vacation Bible School which will
be held June 14-25. All children
from the age of four to 16 are in-
vited.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mackley
visited on Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. Ray Wachter.

MARYLAND
FARM
FRONT

Price supports have already
been announced for most 1954
crop grains, George J. Martin,
chairman of the State Agricul-
tural Stabilization and Conserva-
tion Committee, said this week.

For wheat, the support level
directed by law is 90 per cent of
parity—the same as for 1953—
crop wheat; the announced mini-
mum is a national average of
\$2.20 per bushel. If parity is high-
er on July 1, the dollars-and-cents
support will be raised. Support
in 1953 was \$2.21 per bushel.

Supports on the other grains
for which 1954 rates have been
announced are set at 85 per cent
of parity, the same as for 1953.
In dollars-and-cents, the national
average support levels are: oats,
75c per bushel; barley, \$1.15; rye,
\$1.43; and grain sorghums, \$2.28
per hundredweight. Under the
transitional parity features of the
modernized parity formula pro-
vided by law, parity prices are
lower this year than last for all
those grains except rye, which
has already completed its transi-
tion. Therefore the dollars-and-
cents support rates for 1954 are
somewhat lower than in 1953 for
the three crops other than rye.

The 1953 rates were 80 cents for
oats, \$1.24 for barley, \$1.43 for
rye, and \$2.43 for grain sorgh-
ums.

Soybean prices for 1954 will be
supported at a national average
of \$2.22 per bushel equal to 80
per cent of parity. The 1953 sup-
port is \$2.56 a bushel, reflecting
90 per cent of parity.

For all these crops, the Dept.
of Agriculture has urged produc-
ers against over-expanding their
acres. Wheat this year will be
grown and marketed under acre-
age allotment, marketing quota
programs in Maryland. Corn in
the commercial counties will be
grown under acreage allotments.

Of the major crops for which
1954 price supports have not yet
been announced, legislation di-
rects supports at 90 per cent of
parity for corn, 60 to 90 per cent
of parity for tung nuts and honey,
and 75 to 90 per cent of parity
for milk and its products and but-
terfat and its products.

Prices for wool in the 1954
marketing season will be support-
ed at a national average of not
less than 52.1 cents per pound,
grease basis. This price reflects
60 per cent of the estimated par-
ity price, as for the 1953 season.

Self-Employed
Report Earnings

Since most people who work
for themselves are now covered
by social security and must file
a special report of self-employ-
ment income once every year, W.
S. King, manager of the Hagers-
town office, has some advice to
offer on how to make these re-
ports out properly.

It should be understood, Mr.
King said, that certain types of
income are not to be reported.
For example, income from the
practice of medicine, dentistry,
law and other professions does
not count. Income from operating
a farm is excluded. Also rents
from real estate or income from
stocks and bonds is out unless the
taxpayer operates a real estate
business or is a dealer in securi-
ties, and this income is received
in the course of his business.

Mr. King also said the correct
amount of self-employment in-
come must take into account busi-
ness expenses. Deductions for de-
preciation, repairs, taxes, wages
of employees, licenses, and other
operating costs must come out of
gross income before net earnings
from self-employment can be
shown. Some taxpayers are fail-
ing to show proper income and
proper deductions, and as a re-
sult their returns are coming back
for correction and adjustment.

The self-employed taxpayer
should also make sure he has
shown his personal social security
number on his report. Some self-
employed people, said Mr. King,
are omitting account numbers or
are showing incorrect account
numbers.

It is also important for each
self-employed person to go into
a little more detail when filling
out the space that calls for "Na-
ture of Business Activity." In
other words a self-employed per-
son should not show sales, but
he should indicate what it is he is
selling, whether he is selling at
retail or wholesale, etc.

Another point Mr. King stress-
ed: A self-employed person should
see to it that he shows his own
name as well as any trade or
business name he operates under
when he prepares this special
self-employment report.

A set of instructions for the
self-employed taxpayer is in-
cluded with each copy of the spe-
cial self-employment report. Sup-
plementary instructions are avail-
able upon request at Internal
Revenue Service and social secu-
rity offices. If each taxpayer would
read these instructions carefully,
he would have very little trouble
in making out a report properly.
There are a few situations such
as family partnerships, other
persons engaged in more than
one business activity, and changes
in ownership within a taxable

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Around the Studios

by Charlie Brooks



Quotations, sometimes witty,
sometimes wise, but always a
proprio to the story just told, are
one of the most appealing features
of "Letter To Loretta," NBC-TV's
popular dramatic series. Quotations
from the Bible, Shakespeare, Robert
Burns, Longfellow, Pope, Donne
and Matthew Prior are aptly re-
ferred by Loretta Young at the closing
of each program. Some of these
are her own personal favorites and
Loretta takes particular delight in
selecting them. And after a glance
at letters received by the NBC in-
formation bureau, they have be-
come viewers' favorites as well.

Win Elliot, emcee of NBC-TV's
afternoon quiz show, "On Your
Account," heard the amazing and
heartening story of a Canadian
nurse who refused to believe the
doctors.

Mrs. Phoebe Park, a nurse from
Woodstock, Ontario, was suffering
from a heart condition known as
coronary occlusion. The doctors
gave her only a few months to
live. But Mrs. Park didn't believe
them, because she had read a mag-
azine article describing a new sur-
gical technique that was being de-
veloped in New York.

Despite her doctor's warnings,
Mrs. Park risked her life to save it,
and driving her own car, made the
long trek from Ontario. The deli-
cate operation popularly known as
a "talcum powder operation," (in-
serting powdered silica into the
heart to stimulate blood flow), was
a success. Mrs. Park was released
from the hospital by an optimistic
medical staff, and following a short
convalescence, she will be able to
return to her nursing career.

Mrs. Park's courage not only
saved her own life, but her story
has given millions of afflicted every-
where the will to live.

JAIL WANTS COOK—
WITH REAL ABILITY

The food problem at the Anne
Arundel County jail is serious,
according to Sheriff Joseph W.
Alton, Jr.

There isn't a criminal in the
lockup who can go so far as to
fry an egg without splashing it
all over the kitchen.

In a letter to the Board of
County Commissioners, Alton sug-
gests that any culinary-minded
long-term criminal now in the
House of Correction be transfer-
red to the Anne Arundel jail to
prepare adequate meals and help
cut down food waste.

year where special information is
not contained in these instruc-
tions. When that happens, the
taxpayer should consult with the
Internal Revenue Service at his
earliest opportunity.

EHS Lassies On
Win Streak

Emmitsburg High School las-
sies scored two decisive victories
recently, downing Frederick by
a score of 24-15, and Thurmont
by a 40-38 margin.

In the Frederick tilt, Carolyn
McNair was high scored with 20
points. In the Thurmont game,
Agnes Damuth scored the extra
two points in the second-over time
period of play. Thurmont led in
the first half until the final min-
ute. The Frederick-EHS lineup:

Emmitsburg	Points	Fouls
C. McNair, f	20	2
J. Troxell, f	2	0
T. Bollinger, f	2	4
A. Damuth, f	0	1
R. Umbel, g	0	3
P. Troxell, g	0	1
D. Fisher, g	0	1
D. Bollinger, g	0	1
J. Bollinger	0	1
Frederick	Pts., Fouls	
Kinna, f	6	2
Hopkins, f	2	1
Keller, f	4	1
Mullican, f	0	4
Lenhart, f	3	0
Boone, f	0	3
Culler, g	0	0
Redmond, g	0	1
Smith, g	0	3
Folge, g	0	0

PASTOR RETIRES

Rev. A. M. Gluck, pastor of
Christ Ev. Reformed Church in
Martinsburg, W. Va., for the past
42 years, advised his consistory
this week he plans to retire after
Easter.

The 76-year-old preacher is
completing his 51st year in the
ministry.

Rev. Mr. Gluck is a former pas-
tor of the Emmitsburg Reformed
Church.

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St. Anthony's
News Items

Mrs. Rose Wivell spent Sunday
with her father, Mr. George
Keepers.

Mrs. Carl Hasse of Baltimore
spent Sunday with Miss Lucille
Sommerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess McCreigh of
Baltimore spent Sunday with
Messrs. George and Ray Keepers.

Mrs. William Yox and grandson,
"Micky," of Reisterstown, re-
turned home Sunday after spend-
ing a week with her sister, Mrs.
Charles Hemler.

Mrs. Charles Hemler, Mrs. Wil-
liam Yox and grandson, Mickey,
spent Tuesday with Mrs. Ger-
trude Joy and Mrs. William Mar-
tin of Emmitsburg.

Miss Elizabeth McCullough and
girl friend, of Baltimore, spent
the week-end with her father,
Prof. Richard McCullough.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shank of
Baltimore spent the week-end
with Mrs. Shank's sister and
brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John
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erate in conformity with Ordinance A, Section 2,
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8 a. m. to 9 p. m. After this date all cars illegally
parking on violation will be tagged and a fine levied.

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