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Most Anything At A Glance

BY ABIGAIL

Here's just another little item which was contributed to the column this week by a Marion, Iowa housewife, a former resident of Emmitsburg. I'm passing it along to you readers just to let you know what outsiders think of Emmitsburg and its picturesque surroundings. Also in the hope that recognition of the party concerned will stir pleasant memories and fond acquaintances to many of you who probably knew the lady. This information is via a newspaper clipping which appeared in the Cedar Rapids Gazette. Here goes for some interesting reading:

When Mrs. Earl Booze, 904 Tenth St., Marion, gave her husband a letter to mail to Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower last month, she made the mistake of betting him \$5 that she would not receive an answer.

Mrs. Booze wrote the President's wife advising her that she was born at Emmitsburg, Md., nine miles from the farm which the President and his wife recently purchased near Gettysburg, Pa.; that she was familiar with the countryside and could recall the farm that the Eisenhowers now own.

Mrs. Booze mentioned the fact that her mother, the late Anna Crouse, was a second cousin of Francis Scott Key, the man who composed the lyrics for "The Star-Spangled Banner." She also wrote that among keepsakes brought with her family from the East was a mahogany shelf made by Mrs. Booze's grandfather, Robert Landers, from wood taken from a piano which belonged to Key.

Mrs. Booze also told the First Lady that although she was an old-line Democrat and had voted for Woodrow Wilson and some other Democratic presidential candidates, she was not in favor of the New Deal and that she sincerely believed the President was doing a splendid job.

Mrs. Booze's letter brought the following reply:

"Dear Mrs. Booze: "It was so kind of you to write to me as you did recently and I was much interested to learn that you were born so close to Gettysburg. Whenever we go up there we drive thru Emmitsburg and it certainly is a lovely little town. I quite agree with you that the countryside is perfectly beautiful and we are looking forward to many happy days in our farm home. I was interested too, to learn that your mother was related to Francis Scott Key. What fascinating tales you must be able to tell of the stories she told you. "My best wishes to you, Mrs. Booze, and many thanks for your letter."

Mamie Doud Eisenhower In a personal note to the Editor, Mrs. Booze gives the following interesting data concerning her life and family while residing in Emmitsburg. Her father was Granville Crouse and he ran a hotel here for some years. At one time he was the secretary of the Emmitsburg Railroad, a connecting spur to the B & O parent organization. The late Missouri Ryder was an aunt to Mrs. Booze and her grandfather, whose farm joined with the Francis Scott Key farm, and they were first cousins.

I sort of thought the item would make for interesting reading to many of you and I gladly devoted my space this week to bring it to you.

LAST SATURDAY

Mrs. Emma Eckenrode—\$52.40

THIS SATURDAY NIGHT

\$236.00

Senator Butler To Address Meeting

Colonel Thomas J. Frailey, chairman of the Republican Central Committee of Emmitsburg, has announced that the speaker for the annual Washington Birthday dinner of the GOP Club of Frederick County to be held at Hotel Frederick, on Tuesday evening, Feb. 22, at 6:30 o'clock, will be U. S. Senator John Marshall Butler of Maryland. Tickets for this event may be obtained from Col. Frailey.

J. Wm. Rowe Is Baseball Club President

Venerable J. William Rowe, a veteran baseball fan was elected to head the Emmitsburg Baseball Club at an organizational meeting held Sunday afternoon in the VFW. C. A. Elder acted as temporary chairman of the meeting which proceeded to elect a complete slate of officers and directors for the coming year.

The meeting was well-attended and it was not difficult to effect the election. Elected as president was J. William Rowe and these subordinate officers: Edward G. Lingg, vice president; Patricia Lingg, secretary - treasurer; J. Norman Flax, business agent, Edward Lingg, grounds chairman, and C. A. Elder, advertising and publicity director. These directors were named: C. F. Newcomer, James Arnold, Frank S. Topper and William L. Topper.

Bernard H. Boyle, last year's treasurer, reported a season-end balance of \$187.45. The newly-elected officers and directors immediately appointed J. Norman Flax to manage the baseball team this year and authorized him to pick an assistant. The purchase of new uniforms and equipment was discussed and it was agreed to hire the Three Solys orchestra from Baltimore for a benefit dance to be held in the VFW annex on Friday, March 4. Tickets are now on sale to the affair.

Preceding the business meeting and election, two films were shown. The films were loaned by the Baltimore Orioles public relations department and were entitled "Building Big Leaguers" and "The 1954 World Series."

Party Seeks More Money In Condemnation Suit

The State Roads Commission has failed to recognize the damage done to their property, defendants in a condemnation suit said in an answer filed in Circuit Court. The commission recently entered condemnation proceedings for a small section of land owned by Mr. and Mrs. Franklin B. Brawner, Rt. 3, Emmitsburg, for improvements to Maryland Rt. 32 from Emmitsburg to the Pennsylvania State line. It deposited \$100 in court registry as its estimate of the fair value of the land sought to be condemned.

The Brawners, through their attorney, Edward D. Storm, said that last June certain Pennsylvania workmen and contractors came on their land without permission, cut down five large trees near the front of a building lot, removed wire, fence posts and honeysuckle and when the defendants objected to such "high handed procedure," the superintendent of the job said he had permission of Maryland authorities to take the land and make certain road improvements.

The answer went on to say that the superintendent couldn't tell the Brawners how much land would be taken or when the work would be finished and wouldn't give them sufficient information for them to feel safe in completing their home, which needed a porch and a front lawn. They were only told, they say, that someone would call upon them and make arrangements with them, which they say never occurred until after the roads work was apparently completed several weeks ago. Not until they consulted with their attorney, Mr. and Mrs. Brawner said, was any attempt made to negotiate with them and no bona fide offer of settlement was made.

CAR DAMAGED IN CRASH

An automobile crashed into 2 boulders on opposite sides of the Emmitsburg Rt., four miles north of here, at 2:30 a. m. last Thursday morning, injuring the two occupants. Admitted to the Annie Warner Hospital were Thomas Kuykendall, 24, Fairfield Rt. 2, the driver, and Anna Springer, 23, Emmitsburg. Kuykendall suffered from severe lacerations of the head and face and Miss Springer suffered possible internal injuries.

CHAMBER TO MEET

The regular monthly meeting of the Emmitsburg Chamber of Commerce will be held Monday evening at 8:30 p. m. in the Fire Hall. The current labor survey will be discussed.

On Oct. 3, 1941, Hitler announced that Russia was defeated, never to rise again.

Lions Club To Host Local Basketball Teams

It was unanimously agreed on Monday night at the regular meeting of the Emmitsburg Lions Club, to invite the state champion Mt. St. Mary's College basketball team and staff to be the guests of the club at the Monday, March 14 meeting. President J. Ralph McDonnell presided over the 20 Lions in attendance.

The basketball team was the guest of the club at a similar observance last year when it won the Maryland state championship. Also invited to attend the dinner are St. Joseph's and Emmitsburg High School basketball teams. It is planned to have a notable sports figure as the principal speaker at the affair.

Secretary Robert E. Daugherty read thank you notes from Cloyd W. Seiss and Mrs. Wills. The club voted to reserve two rooms at an Atlantic City hotel for the use of two local delegates who will attend the convention there in June. George R. Sanders and J. Ward Kerrigan were appointed as delegate and alternate respectively, to the Community Fund board of directors.

Paul Claypool reported on the progress of the organizing of a Little League baseball team here and said that three organizations to date had agreed to sponsor teams locally and that it was possible that perhaps a fourth team could be sponsored.

BILL SIMPSON FEATURED SOLOIST

William S. Simpson, baritone, will be featured as soloist by the Lancaster Theological Seminary Choir when it presents a concert of sacred music in Evangelical Reformed Church at the 11 o'clock service Sunday, Feb. 20.

Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Simpson, Emmitsburg, and a senior at the Theological Seminary of the Ev. and Reformed Church, has had extensive training and experience. While a student at the Emmitsburg High School he participated in the All-State Orchestra and Chorus. At Western Maryland College, where he earned his B. A. degree in public school music, he sang solo roles in "Elijah," by Mendelssohn, "The Creation," by Haydn and the "Prodigal Son," by Sullivan.

After teaching music in the Westminster High School and directing several church and community choruses, the young soloist accepted a Rotary Foundation Fellowship for a year of study at New College of the University of Edinburgh, Scotland.

In Scotland he directed the New College Music Society and sang under the direction of Hans Oppenheim, director of the Saltire Singers and one of Britain's most widely known choral interpreters.

Simpson is now preparing for the ministry in the Evangelical and Reformed Church. He says that music can be great only "when it is inspired by God and dedicated to His glory."

The 38-voice Lancaster Seminary choir is under the direction of Frank A. McConnell, organist and instructor in sacred music. McConnell, Fellow of the American Guild of Organists, is also organist and choirmaster at St. James Episcopal Church, Lancaster.

The choir presents approximately 20 concerts each year in churches and colleges throughout the eastern part of the U. S. Its appearance in this area is a community service project of Evangelical Reformed Church.

Fractures Arm In Truck Mishap

A 10-year-old Rocky Ridge boy sustained a fractured left arm when the pickup truck in which he was a passenger, went out of control and was wrecked against a bank near his home about 7 o'clock Wednesday night.

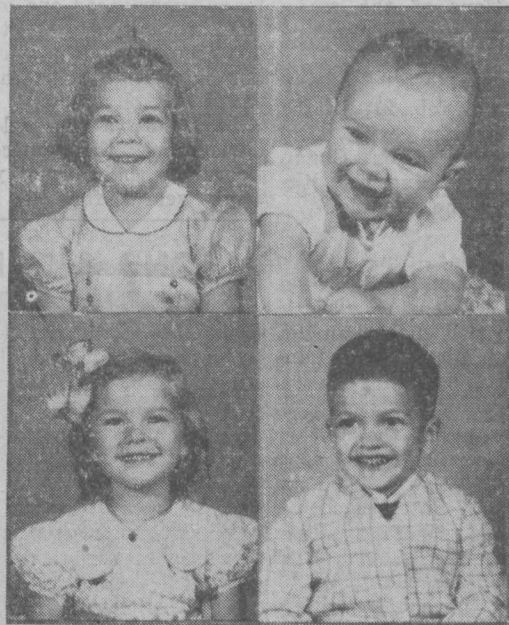
Treated at the Frederick Memorial Hospital for fracture of the left humerus, Robert E. Free was discharged and returned to his home. State Trooper 1/c Donald A. Tucker investigated the accident which reportedly was caused when the light truck driven by the boy's mother, went out of control because of a defective steering apparatus and plowed into a roadside embankment.

LEAGUE MEETING

The Pen-Mar Baseball League will hold a meeting of all member clubs Sunday afternoon at 1:30 p. m. in the VFW annex. Guy R. McLaughlin, Emmitsburg, is president of the group.

Sugar rationing in the U. S. ended June 11, 1947.

"CITIZENS OF TOMORROW" ENTRIES



Pictured above are the new entries of the recently announced "Citizens of Tomorrow" contest which is being sponsored by the Emmitsburg Chronicle and the Allen Studios of Detroit, Michigan. The contest is limited to the area east of the Mississippi and the winners will receive monetary awards.

Pictured above, top right and bottom right, are the two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Wastler, Emmitsburg. They are Roger Allen, 5 mos., and Franklin, Jr., 2½ years, respectively. Top left is Susan Joan Keepers, 4, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Keepers, Emmitsburg. Pictured at bottom left is Wanda Zurgable, 2½, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zurgable of Route 1.

Engagement Is Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Kermit G. Glass, of near Emmitsburg, announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty Ann, to Mr. Robert E. Mumma, son of Mrs. Ethel Mumma and the late Mr. Mumma, of Rocky Ridge.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Three Injured In Car Wrecks

Three persons were injured and damage totaled \$2600 in two accidents about five miles north of Emmitsburg on Rt. 15 last Friday afternoon.

Both cars were demolished in a crash at 3:35 o'clock in which the three were hurt.

Mr. Ivan A. Johnson, 58, Chambersburg, Pa., operator of one of the cars, suffered a broken nose, lacerations of the left eyebrow, a dislocated right hip, and contusions of the chest. She was admitted as a patient at the Warner Hospital after removal there by ambulance.

James Walter Eyler, 19, Emmitsburg, driver of the other vehicle, suffered laceration of the left forehead, bruises of the left hand and right knee.

Thomas Edgar Eyler, 52, also of Emmitsburg, a passenger in the Eyler car, suffered lacerations of the scalp and forehead. They were also treated at the hospital.

Pennsylvania State Police said Mrs. Johnson was driving south and Eyler north when the Johnson car skidded and the vehicles collided. Damage to the Johnson car was estimated at \$1800 and damages to the Eyler vehicle were listed as \$600.

No one was injured in the second crash at the about the same spot. In that accident at 4:15 o'clock, Verna Salloga, 51, Nanticoke, had stopped in back of a car that had halted while a school bus discharged passengers. William A. Lewis, 33, Columbia, Va., driving a truck south, was unable to stop and his vehicle rammed the rear of the Salloga car causing \$200 damage to that auto. The truck was undamaged.

Three Inducted

Three Emmitsburg youths were among 10 Frederick County men who were inducted into the Armed Services on Monday. They were taken from Frederick to Baltimore for the induction.

The local youths were Lewis Edward Hahn, Rt. 3; Ray Toms, Rt. 1, and Walter Lee Stonesifer, Rt. 3. Inducted from the Thurmont area were Ralph Allen Ritzenour, Rt. 1, and John Bernard Little, Rt. 2.

Receives Air Force Commission



W. R. Cadle, Jr., familiarly known as "Bo," has received a second lieutenant's commission in the Air Force and expects to be called to active service sometime this summer.

He is a son of Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Cadle of Emmitsburg, and was graduated from Frederick High School in 1950 and took his higher education at the University of Maryland, graduating last January with a degree in science. He is currently teaching chemistry and physics at Thurmont High School.

Mr. Cadle received his Air Force commission Feb. 10. During his college training, "Bo" was president of his fraternity chapter, Phi Kappa Tau and represented it at two national conventions.

Special Lenten

Services Scheduled

Lenten Services at the Elias Ev. Lutheran Church will start with Holy Communion on Ash Wednesday, Feb. 23, at 7:30 p. m.

There will be five union services with the Presbyterian, Reformed and Methodist Churches participating with the Lutheran Church, it was stated. They are as follows:

Wednesday, Mar. 2, Lutheran Church, Rev. Gideon Galambos; Mar. 9, Reformed Church, Rev. Paul McCauley; Mar. 16, Methodist Church, Rev. Philip Bower; Mar. 23, Presbyterian Church, Rev. Edmund Welker; Mar. 30, Lutheran Church, guest preacher. All services will begin at 7:30 p. m. and each minister will be in charge of the service held in his church.

This type of Lenten Service is something new, it was said. The pastors of the four churches met and planned these services. They believe it will be heartily approved by all and are hoping that the members of each church will cooperate and that the attendance will be high for each service.

MEETING DATE CHANGED

The Parent-Teachers' Association of the Public School will hold its February meeting Tuesday, Feb. 22 instead of the 23, it was announced this week, due to the Lenten services being held in the various local churches. Colonel Thomas J. Frailey, will be the guest speaker and will deliver a dissertation on George Washington.

FAIRFIELD BANK REMODELS; GRAND OPENING TODAY

The First National Bank of Fairfield has been completely remodeled and the grand reopening will be held today (Friday) from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

All customers and friends of the bank who visit during those hours will receive a "token of appreciation," and refreshments will be served, according to Wesley Schaible, cashier.

The First National Bank of Fairfield was established in 1908, and this is the first general renovation since then.

OBITUARIES

MRS. LAURA HALEY

Mrs. Laura Rebecca (Snyder) Haley, 78, Emmitsburg, widow of Joseph Merle Haley, died at 9:10 o'clock Tuesday morning at the Waynesboro Hospital. She had been ill for the last month and was taken critically ill Monday at 1:30 after a heart attack. She was admitted to the hospital at 4 o'clock Tuesday morning.

She was born at Fairfield, Pa., the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Synder. The family moved to Waynesboro 49 years ago. After the death of her husband three years ago in March, she had resided in Emmitsburg.

She was a member of St. Andrew's Catholic Church and the Sodality.

Surviving are four sons: Robert A. Haley, Scranton, Pa.; M. Donald Haley, Japan; James L. Haley, Pikesville, and Joseph M. Haley Jr., Emmitsburg; 12 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; one brother and three sisters, John P. Snyder, Cape Vinson, N. Y.; Mrs. Mamie Hoffnagle, Baltimore; Mrs. Elizabeth Crouse, Gettysburg, and Mrs. Fannie Breinieser, Fairfield.

Funeral services will be held this morning (Friday) at 9 o'clock from St. Andrew's Church with Rev. Fr. Joseph Kealy celebrating requiem high mass. Burial in Burns Hill Cemetery.

Zentz Services Held

Largely attended funeral services for Morris A. Zentz of near Emmitsburg, were conducted last Saturday at 2 p. m. at Elias Lutheran Church with Masonic ceremonies and graveside ritual.

Rev. Philip Bower, assisted by Rev. Charles H. Corbett, officiated. The church choir sang "Abide With Me" and "Peace, Perfect Peace." There was a profusion of floral tributes.

Members of Tyrian Lodge, A. F. and A. Masons were pallbearers: Aaron W. Adams, David Martin, Dr. J. W. Houser, Herbert Rogers, Dr. George Green and Robert G. Fitez. Jacques de Molay Commandery representatives composed the honorary guard. They were Albert M. Coblenz, Austin P. Renn, John Engel, Earl Remsburg, Gerald Hoff and Walter Feaga.

Lodge officers conducting the ritualistic burial services were: J. Donald Harner, Worshipful Master; Allen Springer, Senior Warden; James T. Hays Jr., Junior Warden, and Charles L. Sharrer, Chaplain. Interment was in Blue Ridge Cemetery, Thurmont. M. L. Creager and Son, funeral directors.

REV. WM. C. DAY, SR.

Rev. William C. Day, Sr., widely-known York County Lutheran pastor, died at 3:30 a. m. Tuesday at the York Hospital at the age of 62 after an illness of two months.

Rev. Day, pastor of the Grace Ev. Lutheran Church, Red Lion, for 24 years, was a native of Baltimore and before serving at Red Lion was pastor at Middle-town and Emmitsburg, Md.

The deceased attended Baltimore City College, Polytechnic Institute, Gettysburg Academy, Gettysburg College and Seminary and the Princeton Theological School. Survivors include four children. Funeral services will be held today at 2 p. m. from the 309 funeral home, Red Lion. Interment will be in Red Lion Cemetery.

MRS. EMMA MAXWELL

Mrs. Emma (Favorite) Maxwell, widow of Charles E. Maxwell, died Wednesday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Eleanor Kenney, 234 Jefferson St., Hagerstown. She was aged 90 years.

She was born in Emmitsburg, daughter of the late Edward and Agnes (Weaver) Adams and had been a resident of Hagerstown for 60 years. Surviving are three sons and a daughter.

Oberlin College in Ohio was the first college to confer degrees on women.

Mount Tangles With Loyola Saturday Night

Saturday night's Mason-Dixon title clash between the Loyola Greyhounds and Coach Jim Phelan's Mountaineers will present the battle of bands as well as of ball teams. As an answer to the 20-piece Mt. St. Mary's band which always offers an impromptu show at the Loyola game, the Greyhounds are bringing their own music-makers from Baltimore. As usual the Mountaineers have lined up a series of comic skits to poke fun at their traditional rivals. The side show should be one of the most unusual in the series' history which dates back to 1911 and shows Loyola with 39 wins and 34 for the Blue and White.

Currently Loyola leads the pack in the race for the regular season Mason-Dixon crown and top seeding in the post-season tournament with a 9-0 record. The Mountaineers are a breath behind with a 13-1 record, their only loss being a six-point affair to the Greyhounds at Loyola. Saturday night's victor is assured of first place in the Conference. Two individual duels also are on tap. Loyola's giant center Charley McCullough, and the Mountaineers' Jack Sullivan, will battle for the Conference scoring lead where both are shooting at approximately 25 points per game.

In conference play the Phelan men scored 1,401 points in 14 contests for a 100-point average. If they can match this figure against Loyola the all-time team record of 2,122 points set in the 1950-51 season over a 32-game stretch, will go by the boards. Other records are certain to be smashed. Every time Jack Sullivan scores a point the individual one-year record and two-year record are broken. To date Sully has scored 524 points, that push his two-year total to 955 and almost insure he will crack the 1,000-point mark before he finishes his sophomore year.

Sal Angelo with a three-year total of 1,154 points, also is within striking distance of Pete Clarke's career record of 1,230 over a four-year stretch.

Kerschner Will Is Probated

The will of Miss Constance Kerschner of Emmitsburg, was probated in the Orphans' Court Monday and bequeaths the estate to the immediate family. The testatrix says she held certain securities in common with her brother, Robert L. Kerschner, which will now automatically pass to his sole ownership.

Twin beds and bedding were bequeathed to a niece, Louise Kerschner a piano to a niece, Harriet Kerschner Muller; a rocking chair and a chiffonier to a nephew, Alan Kerschner, and an oil landscape and chifferonier to a nephew, Edward Kerschner. The testatrix directed that survivors be given what they may desire from the other household goods and the remainder be sold and become a part of the estate, which is to be divided into three equal parts. Two parts are bequeathed to the brother, Robert, and the other part is to be equally divided between the two nieces and two nephews. The brother is named executor. The will is dated Sept. 4, 1952. It was witnessed by D. Eleanor Humerick and John G. Humerick.

GEORGE—TRIMMER

Miss Barbara Ann Trimmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Trimmer, Fairfield Rt. 1, became the bride of Robert George, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barnett George, Fairfield Rt. 1, last Saturday evening. The double-ring ceremony was performed in the Evangelical and Reformed Church, Sabillasville, by Rev. Claude H. Corl.

The matron of honor and only attendant was Mrs. Robert Harbaugh. Serving as best man was Robert Harbaugh.

A reception for the couple will be held Sunday, Feb. 27, at the Wesley Chapel Hall, Fountaindale, Pa. The couple will reside at Blue Ridge Summit.

Mrs. George attended the Fairfield High School. Her husband is a graduate of the Washington "wp. High School, class of '52, and is a shipping clerk for Funkhouser Co., Greenstone. He also served two years in the armed forces.

LICENSE REFUSED

Motor License Reviewer Ray Horn, Frederick, this week refused for two years, the driver's license of Joseph Lester Tressler, Route 1. Tressler was convicted in Pennsylvania of operating a vehicle without a license.

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NO COMMENT

By WALTER CHAMBLIN, JR.

WASHINGTON—A clear explanation of the real issues of the Dixon-Yates contract has just been set forth by the Republican members of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy. Here it is:

"The real issue is whether the American people want to adopt a national policy that a government agency—TVA—created for the purpose of reclamation, flood control and improvement on navigation of the Tennessee River, with hydro-electric development as an incidental product, should now expand to provide its service area in perpetuity 'with all the power it can accept, generated by any means whatsoever,' and subsidized by Federal funds."

"To adopt such a policy would result in a deliberate taking of tax money from people in every section of our country and giving it away to industrial, commercial and other private interests in just one single section of our nation. Let us be frank. To adopt that policy would be rank, unrestrained, unadulterated Socialism."

Congressional opponents of the Dixon-Yates contract have sought to muddy the issue. Taking cognizance of this situation, the report then had this to say:

"The basic issue in this controversy is not the authority of the President to direct the Atomic

Energy Commission to pursue the course of action which it did. The basic issue is not the authority of the Commission to contract for its power requirements from either private or public TVA sources. The basic issue is not public power versus private utilities. The basic issue is not invasion of the Tennessee Valley Authority, nor curtailment of hydro power development in the Tennessee Valley."

The report also could have stressed this point: Every time the government goes into business or expands a business it curtails the field of operation left to private business . . . and, if government continues to expand its business activities, where will the tax money come from to support government?

For instance, if the Dixon-Yates contract is killed, the public power group will try to force Congress to vote \$110 million to build a new steam plant for the TVA. This \$110 million is money collected in taxes. If the Dixon-Yates contract is not killed private investors will put up the money and the government will collect taxes on their investment.

Natural Gas: Another big struggle is foreseen in Congress over whether the Federal government or the states shall exercise authority over the prices charged by producers of natural gas. It was the opinion of a majority of Congress in passing the Natural Gas Act of 1938 that such authority would be exercised by the states. A recent Supreme Court decision, however, upset this interpretation and directed the Federal Power Commission to ex-

SJHS NEWS

Proceeds from the Mission Bazaar surmounted that of last year as total proceeds were announced this week as \$425.53. Prizes were given for the best decorated booths in this manner: most original, First Year; most seasonal, Second Year; most expansive, Third Year; and most colorful, Fourth Year. The success of the bazaar was due to the cooperation and donations of the many kind friends of the students.

The Junior-Senior Prom will be held Monday, Feb. 21, in the school auditorium with Phil Young's Orchestra from Chambersburg, Pa., providing the lifting rhythms for the evening.

The tentative date for the Glee Club Spring Concert has been set for April 24, featuring "Music From the British Isles," under the direction of Miss Louella Lanning.

A short meeting of the Mother Seton Club was held Tuesday afternoon. Particularly stressed was the rising interest being shown by grade school students in response to the contest now being sponsored by the Club. It was decided to have quite different contests among SJHS students. A prize will be awarded to the first person each week who answers a question pertain-

ing to the life of Mother Seton.

The question will be posted in each homeroom thus giving each student a fair chance to see and answer them.

Ever since passage of the act

the champions of Federal control over business (the group favoring expansion of TVA) began to campaign to bring natural gas production under the price-fixing authority of the FPC. The Commission itself issued a ruling that this production was exempt from the act, but the Supreme Court has held otherwise.

Gas industry spokesmen hold

that Federal price fixing will discourage production and sale of natural gas—impair competition—and ultimately either reduce the supply of natural gas or increase prices. But here again industry is confronted with a group that believes in Big Government—and this group claims that Federal regulation is necessary to protect the consumer.

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Anne Breth and Floyd Miller were crowned King and Queen by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Topper at the Valentine Dance.

Sports News

St. Joseph's varsity basketball team experienced one of the most thrilling games of the season last Thursday as it overcame Emmitsburg High with the triumphant score of 49-36.

St. Joseph's five held the lead throughout the entire game. Score at half time was 17-13. High scorer for St. Joe's was

Mike Miller with 13, points, followed by Gelwicks with 12.

In the early part of the evening the St. Joe's girls were defeated by the Emmitsburg High girls, 37-13.

Thurmont lost a thriller Monday night in Emmitsburg. It was leading St. Joe's quintet 13-12 and 31-30 at the quarter and half time when they were surprised by a revitalized St. Joe's team. St. Joe's scored 25 points in the third period while hold the opponents to 16, to lead 55-47 entering the home stretch. At the final gun, the tally stood 75-63 in favor of St. Joe's. Hoffman

was high scorer for Thurmont with 30 points, while Mike Miller scored 22 for St. Joe's.

Thurmont JV earlier in the

evening defeated St. Joe's JV 18-15 in a close contest.

St. Joe's lost its fourth game in 15 attempts Tuesday night to St. John's of Frederick. After leading 12-11 at the quarter and 32-26 at the half, St. Joe's lost their lead in the third quarter. St. John's hoopsters prevented St. Joe's from scoring a single field goal while sinking four themselves. With the score tied 37-37 at the end of the third period, St. John's launched a vicious attack and at the final buzzer led St. Joe's courtmen 60-47. High scorer for St. John's was Quinn with 19. Greco scored 15 points

for St. Joe's.

In the preliminary game, St. Joe's girls lost to the St. John's girls by a 34-19 score.

PTA Holds Bingo

A penny bingo, sponsored by the public school P-T-A, will be held Saturday, Feb. 19, at 8 p. m. in the Fire Hall. Plenty of nice prizes will be awarded and refreshments will be on sale.

In 1605, Guy Fawkes tried to blow up the English House of Lords.

LONG HAIR IS "TOPS" FOR HE AND SHE



There's a new look today in both men's and women's styles. What's more, it's the same look.

Impossible? Not when it's hair styles that are in question. A year ago, the men were wearing crew-cuts—short, clipped, and snappy. The women? They called it the "Italian Cut," more feminine in appearance, but still short, clipped, and snappy.

Now, both sexes are going in for slightly longer hair-dos. For men, it's the "Continental Look." For women, the "Romantic Look." Hair stylists recommend the same grooming treatments for conditioning both.

One method advised is a hot

oil shampoo, developed by the makers of Vaseline hair tonic. Simply massage scalp with a few drops of the tonic, then steam head with hot, wrung-out towels. Finally, shampoo in the usual way. This treatment, using a pure petrolatum tonic, livens and reconditions hair, makes it easier to manage.



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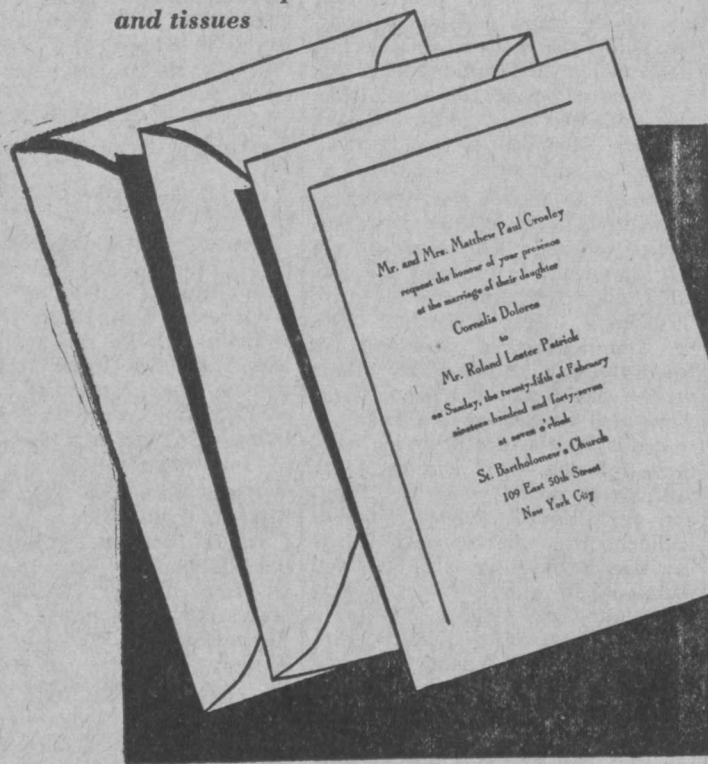
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which is now seriously impaired by the unprecedented shortage of classrooms.

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"Because of the magnitude of the job, but more fundamentally because of the undeniable importance of free education to a free way of life," the President said, "the means we take to provide our children with proper classrooms must be weighed most carefully. The phrase 'free education' is a deliberate choice. For unless education continues to be free—free in its response to local community needs, free from any suggestion of political domination, and free from impediments to the pursuit of knowledge by teachers and students—it will cease to serve the purposes of free men."

Following the reading of the message, I joined with Sen. H. Alexander Smith (R-N. J.), in introducing a bill (S. 968) supporting the administration recommendations. I concur in Sen. Smith's statement upon introducing the bill when he said, "... I am convinced that the approach recommended today by President Eisenhower is much to be preferred to the straight grants-in-aid proposal now before the Senate Committee on Labor and Public Welfare ..."

The President's recommendations will receive the thorough study and consideration of Committee members, all other members of Congress and the public to the end that the best possible solution to the emergency need may be found.

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LOOKING AHEAD

By Dr. George S. Benson
EMMITSBURG - MARYLAND
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Birth of American Enterprise

One day at Plymouth Colony, in 1623, something happened that ought to be enshrined in the memory of every American citizen, generation after generation. It was the beginning of the American economic system based on private ownership of property and individual responsibility. It would have begun sooner or later in America because the pilgrims and those who came before and after them coveted individual freedom. And the private ownership system is the only system that brings personal freedom.

When the 101 passengers and crew of 48 came ashore at Plymouth Rock from the Mayflower, their first action was to set up a colony of buildings to live in. In the center of the colony they built the "Common Storehouse." Then, following the provisions of the Mayflower Compact, they elected community officials for the purpose of maintaining order and a defense against the Indians. Parcels of land were assigned each colonist in the name of King James of England. All the produce from all these parcels went into the central storehouse. And from this storehouse equal shares of everything were doled out to the colonists.

A Stagnating System

This was communal living very much like the tribal communism of man's earliest days on earth—but with two structures of government, the self-imposed colony government, and the rigid code of action imposed by King James whose subjects the colonists were. For about a year the rugged communal life provided the bare needs. But some of the less industrious colonists began to shirk when they found that no matter how little they worked and produced on their land they still got an equal share from the storehouse.

In time, the hard working colonists rebelled at supporting these lazy ones; they, too, began to lean on their plows and sit in the tree shade at the edge of the field. Stores of foodstuffs dwindled. When Plymouth Colony was two years old, starvation threatened. No man could benefit by his own produce or feed his own family. It all had to go to the central warehouse; and when divided up equally, it would not sustain the Colony's life because there were too many shirkers.

The Change

The Colony leaders called a meeting. Their desperate plight was discussed. It was suggested that the parcels of land be given to each family and that each family have full ownership rights to all it produced. The lazy ones opposed this arrangement, but common sense and the strong impulse for individual freedom prevailed. Private ownership of property became the fundamental base of the new world's economic system. And with it came freedom.

The fields of Plymouth Colony blossomed. Women and children worked at planting and cultivating beside the man of the house. Men cut their timber, hewed the logs and built backyard workshops where they could make crude tools and manufacture furniture—for themselves, and for sale! In time a system of currency was developed to expedite exchange and commerce. Even some of the lazy colonists caught the spirit of enterprise and contributed to progress. At the autumn harvest of 1623, Governor William Bradford of Plymouth Colony proclaimed "Thanksgiving unto God." Freedom's Anchorage

The solid anchorage of private ownership is the bulwark of freedom in America against which all brands of Welfare State advocates and all varieties of Socialists and Communists direct their most concentrated work. If they could dislodge this keystone they would thus strip our American people of their independence, their freedom—and a central authority dispensing some form of Socialism would take over. Think a moment about your freedom. If your rights of ownership were taken away, the ownership would go to some form of government. Your home would not be yours. You would live in it subject to the will of the government. If the stores were owned by the government, you would buy what the government offered at the price fixed by the government. Americans will not vote themselves into such a situation with their eyes open. But with their eyes half open they can be fooled and bit by bit the right of private ownership can be pulled gently away from them. We must examine carefully every move toward "public ownership" of anything. In most cases

ALONG THE POTOMAC

By Cong. DeWitt S. Hyde

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16—Action of the House of Representatives in extending the Draft Act is meeting with widespread approval.

I voted for the bill. Two amendments which were proposed are worthy of comment. The proposal to limit the extension of the Act to two years was defeated. My reasons for voting against the amendment were essentially the same as those which prompted my favorable vote on the 4-yr. extension. I felt as I voted, and I do now, the absolute necessity of letting the Communist world know, particularly those in the Soviet and in Red China, that we intend to stay prepared to meet any eventuality, or any threat by force. I, also, believe it necessary to keep the youth of our land informed of just what the future holds for them.

I also supported an amendment, which I am happy to say was adopted by the House, which provides that no man would be denied deferment because of a shortage or surplus of any agricultural commodity. Many of our small farmers have been forced to sell out because they could not keep their farms going when their sons were taken by the draft. The amendment will help prevent such situations.

In reporting to you of my vote on the extension of the Selective Service Act, I must include, among the reasons for voting for the Act's extension, my concern for our young people and their own planning for their futures. Whether it be a job or the continuation of their education, they need to know just what lies ahead.

One of our concerns is their education. The Congress this past week received the President's special message on Federal aid for school construction. Its details are well known to my constituents by now. But I would like to point out that the President has said that it is an emergency program, and his own comment

it carries civilization back toward the stagnation of primitive communism.

Couple Celebrates 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Cool, Route 3, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at a dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Shultz, Biglerville, Route 2. The couple was married at St. Joseph's Catholic Church here by Rev. James O. Hayden on Feb. 14, 1905 and the witnesses were the late Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bentz. Five children

on it was that it is a middle-of-the-road program.

The President's proposals will be thoroughly aired and considered in Committee and on the floors of both Houses of Congress. I shall report to you from time to time on its progress. But I want to take this opportunity to express my own views on Federal aid to education.

Basically, I am opposed to Federal aid in those areas where I believe the states can and should do the job. For that reason I have for years taken a position against Federal aid to education. I still believe the states can provide necessary school buildings. However, experience seems to prove the states simply will not do what they should about the problem. I intend, therefore, to support Federal aid for school construction, providing there are sufficient safeguards against control over the operation of schools by the Federal government.

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May 20-21, 1927, marked the first solo flight across the Atlantic by Charles A. Lindbergh.

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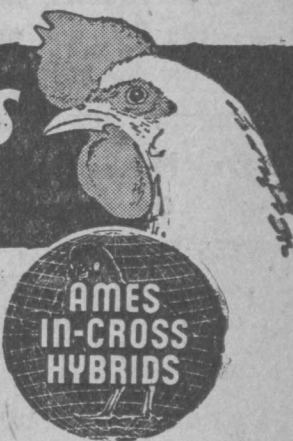
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cept of making a big fuss over nothing. This ticket came from some kid's policeman play outfit!"

From where I sit, jumping to conclusions can make anyone appear silly. Another way to look foolish is to make a quick decision on a question of personal preference. For instance, I like a glass of beer occasionally. You may be a buttermilk man. But neither of us ought to "lay down the law" about the other's choice.

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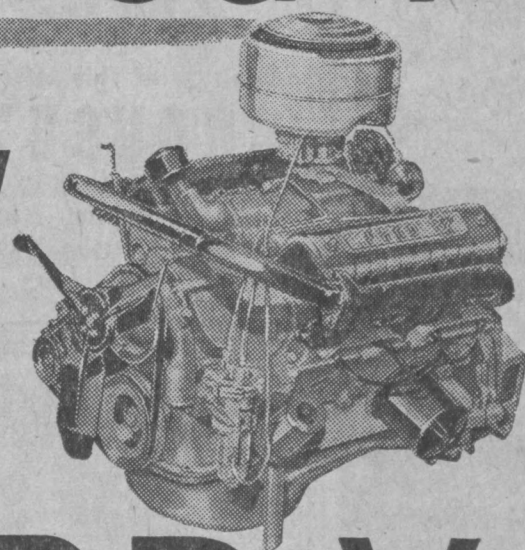
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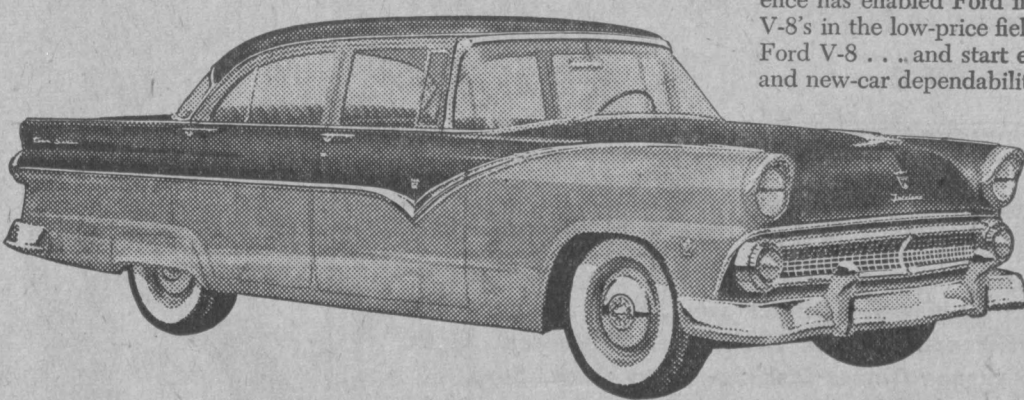
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By ROGER W. BABSON
BABSON PARK, Fla., Feb. 17—I am back here again for the winter and wish to tell of a tragedy occurring during my absence, although you may have read of it.
This story involved: (1) a well-known and able lawyer living for many years in our community; (2) two very respectable and intelligent well-to-do friends of mine; (3) two wills prepared by the said lawyer, and (4) a "trigger man" allegedly employed to murder one of my above two friends.
Now for the tragedy. The lawyer had apparently drawn up wills for these two friends. When he submitted them to the makers, they suggested certain corrections, asking the lawyer to have the wills retyped, and they would come in again shortly thereafter for signing. Fatal mistakes were apparently made by these intelligent people for not again reading the wills before the final signing and witnessing, and for not initialing each page. Nor did they take the signed wills with them to a place of deposit, so that they might be reread once each year. This would have entailed some bother, but this would have been nothing compared to the trouble which followed.
Importance of Executors
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before the parties finally signed; or, being typewritten wills, a page could have been rewritten and slipped in after the signing. If, however, each will had been read again, finally signed, and taken home, the tragedy would not have taken place.
The lawyer also made himself the executor of the two wills. This would give him advantage in collecting the money allegedly willed him and for controlling the balance of the money. Yet, to make an attorney executor is a common practice where banks with trust departments are not easily available.
A Murderer Is Now Needed
As the wills had allegedly been "fixed" to leave the attorney large sums of money and he was to be executor, he needed only to wait until one of my two friends should die to get his money. Both were apparently in good health. Hence, if the lawyer were in a hurry for his money, a murder would seem necessary. To complete the story, I now depend upon witnesses at the trial just ended.
The county prosecutor claimed the attorney employed a "supposedly respectable contractor to secure the "trigger man" to murder one or both of my friends. This contractor who has been found guilty (although he has appealed, claiming his innocence) is alleged to have employed a Negro to do the killing. This Negro suddenly turned State's evidence.
Attorney Found Dead
Owing to the above or other reasons, the attorney was found shot, near the door of his home here in Babson Park, on the morning of June 9, 1954. Whether he committed suicide, or was shot by someone who feared exposure, I do not know.
At any rate this death eliminated the attorney from the picture. Thereupon the able county prosecutor concentrated upon finding the "trigger man" and any other connected with the deal. This was the status when I arrived here recently before the convictions.
Lessons To Be Learned
Apparently my two friends had a very close call. If one had first been killed, without in any way connecting the attorney therewith, the attorney would have probated the will, collected the money, and legally closed the case. He was supposed to be a brilliant lawyer in our community and, of course, may have been innocent. I leave to God the final verdict.
I tell this story in order that my readers may ask themselves these five very important questions:
(1) Should I ever sign a paper without reading it before signing?
(2) Should I sign typewritten documents without signing or initialing each sheet so that no one sheet can be taken out

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The world of the future: cars with atomic engines, houses atomically heated. We think of things like this when people talk of the peaceful uses of the atom. But atomic energy is already at work for us in the laboratories of medical researchers seeking ever better ways to cure and prevent disease.
Scientists have found that by "labeling" a substance they are studying with radioactive isotopes they can follow its behavior more accurately than ever before. These isotopes are byproducts of the manufacture of atomic energy and are allocated for research by the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission.
A group of investigators at the University of Chicago has been studying the action of isoniazid, a drug used in the treatment of tuberculosis. They first discovered that tuberculosis germs susceptible to the drug became radioactive when the drug was labeled with an isotope named Carbon 14, whereas resistant germs did not become radioactive. Now they are able to study just how isoniazid attacks the susceptible TB germs. With this information, doctors treating TB will know better how and when to use the drug to help TB patients.
This is only one of many medical research projects in which radioactive isotopes help the scientist to "see" things beyond the power of any microscope yet invented. These test tube experiments may seem far removed from the problem of the tuberculosis patient lying in his hospital bed. But because of them, the doctor knows more about his disease, the germ that causes it, and the means of curing it.
and changed?
(3) Should I leave my will in possession of any single individual, however honest?
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County Population Shows Steady Increase During Year
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The number of births amounted to 1827 during the year, an average of five each day. This was a considerable increase over the 1589 births in the county during 1953.
Deaths for the year in the county amounted to 785, an increase of 43 over the figures for the preceding year. The net gain in population of births over deaths for 1953 amounted to 847.
Actually the figures represent the number of births and deaths which occurred in the county and is not a corrected figure, Dr. Forbes H. Burgess pointed out. A number of the births and deaths are recorded for non-residents of the county who receive hospitalization.
During the past year, the biggest month for births was September with 239 recorded for that 30-day period, an average of about eight daily. Low month was April, with 99 births or only 3.3 births on an average for each day.
A time series study of vital statistics for Frederick County made by the health department using corrected figures shows that the high birth rate of the pre-war years is continuing.
Using a total number of live births in the county for 1953 as 1430, compared with an actual figure recorded as 1589, live births per 1000 population for that year were 22.3.
The average births per thousand in the war years, from 1941 through 1945, was 19.1. This figure jumped to 22.6 for the years 1946 through 1950.
In 1951, the figure rose even higher to 22.3 per thousand, with 22.3 per thousand recorded for 1952.
Rocky Ridge GI Is Promoted
Mr. and Mrs. George E. Motter, formerly of near Littlestown, Pa., have received word that their son, James, has been promoted to corporal. Cpl. Motter is stationed with the army in Greenland as an information and education specialist. In 1949 he graduated from the Littlestown High School and in 1953 from the Shippensburg State Teachers College. He entered the army Dec. 7, 1953 and took his basic training at Camp Pickett, Va. and at Aberdeen Proving Ground. He is married to the former Miss Jeanne Wenger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wenger, Chambersburg, Pa.
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Burrier and daughter recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Burrier, of near Detour.
Mrs. Carrie M. Pittenger and grandchildren spent the past week-end with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Cavell, Frederick.

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Local Soldier Visits Japan

Corp. Guy A. Baker Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Baker, Gettysburg Rd., recently spent a week's leave in Tokyo from his

unit in Korea.

Corp. Baker, a clerk-typist in the signal section of Headquarters, Eighth Army Forward, entered the Army in September 1953 and arrived overseas last May. He is a graduate of Mt. St. Mary's College.

PLAYING AT THE MAJESTIC THEATRE



Paul Newman and Pier Angeli declare their love in the shadow of "The Silver Chalice," filmization of Thomas B. Costain's best-selling novel presented by Warner Bros. in CinemaScope and WarnerColor. The much-heralded motion picture offering, which also stars Virginia Mayo and Jack Palance, is now playing through Saturday at the Majestic Theatre, Gettysburg, Pa.

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SPORTS AFIELD

By Ted Kesting

You probably remember all the furor last year about rewriting the Federal income tax law. But did you know that that overhaul job resulted in painless gimmicks which gave farmers and sportsmen one of the most promising breaks in Federal taxing history? These revised income tax regulations allow farmers to deduct—not as capital but as expense—the money they spend for soil and water conservation and for preventing erosion.

Michael Hudoba, Washington correspondent for Sports Afield magazine, reports that if these expenses run over 25 per cent of gross farm income in one year, the landowner may carry over such conservation expense for deduction in following years.

This conservation approach is so new that the Internal Revenue and Soil Conservation Services are still working on details. But since the idea is to put conservation practice on the land, it seems that the rules would cover any landowner who gets reportable cash return for agricultural use of his land.

Until this soil, land and water conservation program under the tax law is well underway, it would be wise to check the acceptability of projects with your nearest U. S. Soil Conservation Service representative.

Up to now there has been almost no real incentive for a farmer to take the time or pay the money to develop wildlife and habitat projects on his land. But he now has new tax advantages plus a newly enacted Federal loan guarantee to help for conservation practices. He is encouraged to begin projects that will better his farm. Many of the conservation projects now left undone are the ones that have high potential for wildlife habitat, and therefore the improvement of sport.

When you consider that about 85 per cent of the nation's wildlife is produced on privately-owned land, you get some idea of what will be affected by stepping up conservation practices in this country.

Free Booklet Explains Social Security

Social security information, as it applies to many more household employers since Jan. 1, is given in the new booklet "Do You Have A Maid?" just issued under the joint sponsorship of the Internal Revenue Service and the Social Security Administration. It describes the first step to be taken by every employer of domestic help who pays an employee \$500 more cash wages in a calendar quarter of the year for work in a private household.

Copies of the booklet may be obtained by simply writing, phoning, or visiting the nearest social security office or Internal Revenue office, it was announced this week by W. S. King, district manager of the Social Security Administration, and Ezra Grantham of the Internal Revenue Service. Because of the broadened coverage of domestic workers, many more household employers are now required to report the cash wages paid their employees. It is no longer necessary that a domestic employee work on 24 or more days in a calendar quarter for a single household employer in order to get social security credit for the cash wages paid.

It is estimated that about 200,000 more household workers were brought under the old-age and survivors insurance provisions of the social security law on the first of January. In addition, from 50,000 to 100,000 domestic workers who were covered on some of their domestic jobs are now earning additional social security insurance credits from their other employers.

Firemen Called

Emmitsburg firemen were called to two chimney fires, one Friday and one Saturday, with no damage reported for either blaze. Last Friday morning 21 firemen responded to the Irvin Miller property on the Hemler Rd., four miles south of Emmitsburg. Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock 26 members of the fire company responded to a call to the property of Edward Wetzel, about four miles west of Emmitsburg on the Reservoir Rd.

Variety Show Is Largely Attended

A cast of more than 50 was in high gear for the presentation of the talent variety show last evening. It was presented in the Lutheran Parish House by the young adults and young people of the parish. No admission was charged, but a free-will offering was received for the benefit of the parish. Mrs. Weldon B. Shank, general chairman, said in an interview, "on behalf of the entire cast she wanted to thank everyone for coming and hoped they all enjoyed the show."

Personals

Colonel Evan C. Reese, Medical Corps, USA, and Mrs. Reese, of East Stroudsburg, Pa., Dr. and Mrs. Ralph D. Smith, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Courter, of Gothenburg, Neb., were recent guests at the home of Col. and Mrs. Thomas J. Frailey.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Cadle will leave Saturday for a week's visit to Atlanta, Ga. While there Dr. Cadle will attend a convention of the Graduate Medical Society.

Mrs. Thomas J. Frailey entertained members of the Over The Teacups Sewing Club on Monday evening.

Mrs. Edith Long was discharged from the Warner Hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Lowe are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Mrs. Nora Sigafosse, St. Anthony's, is reported quite ill in the Provident Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Miss Janet Hatter was admitted as a patient to the Warner Hospital Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rosensteel attended the Gettysburg Firemen's annual banquet at the Moose Home, Gettysburg, last Thursday evening.

The LOYAL Group of Elias Ev. Lutheran Church will conduct a lunch stand at the Miles H. Davidson sale, near Zora, Pa., Wednesday, Feb. 23, starting at 11 a. m.

Mr. Otto Hahn of St. Anthony's, suffered a heart attack on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Hollinger quietly observed their third wedding anniversary Wednesday at their home on S. Seton Ave.

Mrs. M. F. Shuff, Jr., is reported convalescing satisfactorily at a District of Columbia hospital.

Homemakers' Corner

Nuts and Ways to Use Them

What can you do with that extra supply of nuts left over from feasting?

Don't toss them out says Nutritionist Janet Coblenz, University of Maryland Extension Service. Instead, store your left-over nuts for future use.

By experience, you've probably found out that nuts kept at room temperature develops a stale taste. That's the result of the natural oil in nuts turning rancid.

Miss Coblenz gives some tips on storing nuts so they will keep sweet and fresh-tasting. She says that in-the-shell nuts should be stored in a cool, dry and dark place, while shelled nuts are best stored in an air tight container in the refrigerator.

However, if you have an extremely large supply of nuts that you want to keep for a long period, you may want to can or freeze them.

To can nuts, place fresh shelled nuts in a shallow pan. Set the pan in a warm oven (not hot) until the nuts are dry. Do not brown. Meanwhile boil pint jars five minutes; then invert jars on a clean cloth and drain dry. Pack the nuts into the jars and process 10 minutes at five pounds pressure, or 20 minutes in a boiling water bath. For the latter method, the boiling water level in the canner should be two inches up the side of the jar.

To freeze nuts, place plain shelled nuts in any moisture-vapor resistant container. Or seal small quantities in plastic freezer bags. Miss Coblenz points out that while salted nuts may be frozen, they do not keep as well as unsalted nuts.

Observe Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hollinger observed their 25th wedding anniversary Saturday at a quiet dinner celebration at Earle's Restaurant, Gettysburg.

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MARYLAND FARM FRONT

Previously proposed limitations on the production of commercial vegetables, potatoes, and sweet potatoes on acres diverted from allotment crops will not be in effect for 1955.

This means that farmers may use as large an acreage as they wish in 1955 for producing vegetables for sale off the farm, or producing sweet or white potatoes.

George B. Reeves, chairman of the Maryland Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, says the proposals limiting acreage "originally grew out of the prospect that 1954 crops might add substantially to some serious surplus problems. But when Secretary of Agriculture Benson announced the change, he explained that the prospect of more flexible price supports in 1955, established by the Agricultural Act of 1954, plus the effects of widespread drought last year have erased these fears."

Preliminary checks have also shown that vegetable and potato acreages were not increased in 1954, even though there was no limitation on the use of around 25 million acres diverted from allotment crops.

Mr. Reeves points out that with relaxation of the regulations requiring cross - compliance and total acreage allotments on basic crops for price support purposes, there is now greater opportunity to grow various other crops and less pressure to plant vegetables and potatoes in diverted acres.

Rocky Ridge

Items Of Interest

The Women's Guild of the Reformed Church held a social in the Fire House Thursday night.

Paul Stambaugh observed his 10th birthday on Sunday.

Mrs. Donald Dinterman returned home from the Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, Pa., Tuesday where she underwent a minor operation.

Mrs. Charles H. Eyler and infant son, Rodney Eugene, were discharged last Thursday from the Warner Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scuyler, Keymer, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Hahn and Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Eyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stouter and children, Maureen, Ronnie and David, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie W. Fox. Mr. and Mrs. David Stonifer, Taneytown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Troxell.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Wantz of Littlestown, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wantz.

SON BAPTIZED

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henke was baptized by Rt. Rev. Joseph P. O'Donnell at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Emmitsburg, on Sunday and was named Robert Henke Jr.

Following the ceremony a party was held at the home of the parents in honor of the occasion. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Greco, Mr. and Mrs. John Roddy Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Orosz, Mr. and Mrs. James Phelan, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaughnessy, Dr. and Mrs. John Dillon, Mr. and Mrs. William Martin, Mr. and Mrs. John Joy, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Joy, Dr. and Mrs. John Richards, Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert Oddo, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Leonard, William Osborne, Richard McCullough, Paul Conway, Dr. John Morrison, and Bernard Kalis. Refreshments were served and many lovely gifts were received.

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Kraft's Mayonnaise	or Hellmann's pt jar	39c
Hom-de-Lite Mayonnaise	pt jar	29c
Gold Medal Flour	or Pillsbury 5 -lb bag	53c
Gold Seal Flour	10 lb bag	81c
Libby's Tomato Juice	46-oz bag	29c
Ideal Sauer Kraut	2 29-oz cans	23c
Ground Black Pepper	Ideal 4-oz can	23c
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JUMBO SHRIMP	2 1/2-lb. box	\$1.98
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NOTICES

PENNY BINGO — Thursday evening, March 17 in St. Euphemia's Hall. Benefit of the Sodality, sponsored by Loretta Florence and Helen Sanders. 1t

BINGO PARTY—Benefit of St. Anthony's Church, Tues., Feb. 22 at 7:30 p. m., at school hall. Door prizes and refreshments. Please reserve this date. -t

NOTICE — For your complete Building Supplies see the Flohr Lumber Co., Blue Ridge Summit, Pa., phone 23, or A. W. McClellan, Emmitsburg, Md. Telephone Hillcrest 7-4284. tf

NOTICE—Clothes Washing Service. Bring clothes to my home please. MRS. ARTHUR STARNER Route 2 Gettysburg Rd. 2/18/2tp

NOTICE—Be ready for the first weather "break." Get your 1955 Fishing License and Tackle early. Phone 7-5294. 1t HOKE'S HARDWARE

DONUT SALE—Tues., Feb. 22, beginning at 10:30 a. m., in the VFW annex, sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary. Orders will be taken and delivered by calling Mrs. Joan Keepers, HI. 7-5032 or Mrs. Loretta Adelsberger, HI. 7-5583.

NOTICE.—Winter Clearance at Tobey's ends Monday night at 9 p. m. Group of Dresses, \$5. Half-price on Winter Skirts, Sweaters, Blouses, Dresses. See our exciting collection of Spring and Summer Fashions. Open Fridays and Mondays until 9 p. m. Use our convenient Lay-away Plan! TOBEY'S, 13 Baltimore St., Gettysburg, Pa.

A Three-Act Comedy Entitled "Mama's Baby Boy" will be presented by Creagerstown Youth Fellowship in the Rocky Ridge Fire Hall on Saturday, Feb. 26 at 8 P. M. Adults, 65c Children, 30c Sponsored by the Willing Workers Lutheran Church 2/4/4ts

NOTICE—Use our internal Poultry Culling Service for larger Egg and Poultry Profits! Thurmont Cooperative, Inc., phone 3111 or Rocky Ridge Warehouse, HI. 7-3824. 1t

NOTICE — Covered Dish Social for the benefit of the Sodality of St. Joseph's Catholic Church will be held Monday, Feb. 21 at 8:00 P. M.

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Fr. Cogan Trophy To Be Awarded Saturday Night

Saturday night's game between Loyola College and Mt. St. Mary's at Emmitsburg figures to have decisive results on Mason-Dixon standings. Barring mishaps, the winner will be regular season conference champion. In addition, the league's scoring crown may go to the winner of the McCullough-Sullivan scoring duel. The Monogram Club of Mt. St. Mary's is also offering for the first time the Rev. John F. Cogan Memorial

Fairfield Youth In Berlin

Army Pvt. James L. Hobbs, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hobbs, Fairfield Rt. 2, is a member of the 6th Infantry Regiment in Berlin. The 6th Regiment guards American installations and undergoes intensive training in the former German capital. British, French, Russian and U. S. troops have occupied Berlin since the end of World War II. Pvt. Hobbs, a cook in 3rd Battalion Headquarters Co. of the regiment, entered the Army in June 1954 and was stationed at Fort Meade before arriving overseas in December.

COVERED DISH SOCIAL

The Women's Missionary Society of Elias Lutheran Church, held a covered dish social in the Lutheran parish hall Tuesday evening. The president, Mrs. George S. Eyster, had charge of the business meeting and Rev. Philip Bower showed a movie entitled "54 Tioga St."

Legals

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Frederick County, in Maryland, letters Testamentary on the estate of WILLIAM C. GWYNN 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 19th day of September, 1955 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 9th day of February, 1955.
ALBERT F. WHELTLE, Executor
HARLEY, WHELTLE & VICTOR, Attorneys
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Given under my hand this 17th day of January, 1955.
BETTY ELLEN WIEMAN, Administratrix
Sherman P. Bowers, Attorney
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trophy which will be awarded to the game's most valuable player. To date the Greyhounds are undefeated in league play while the Mountaineers have lost only one game, that to Loyola at Evergreen. Coach Jim Phelan's cagers expect to reverse the earlier decision Saturday night. The Mountaineers should be at top strength for the first time this season. All-tourney guard, Bill Stanley, has seen limited action in the past two games after a lay-off due to illness since early December. Stanley's return figures to give the Mountaineers added scoring strength and better floor play. If he rounds into shape by game time, he could very well be the difference between the two teams. Sal Angelo, one of the great centers in Mt. St. Mary's history, and Frank Swaine, reserve forward, will be playing their last regular season Mason-Dixon game in the Loyola fray. Angelo has always been a great performer against the Greyhounds and Coach Phelan is hopeful that

an over-all season record of 17-3. The second-place state champs now have a 12-1 log in the conference. Jack Sullivan and Sal Angelo coupled to provide the spark for the offense with 33 and 32 points respectively. Angelo turned in a brilliant performance from the free-throw line by recording all of his 17 tries while his teammates hooped 32 out of 39 attempts. Coach Jim Phelan used his en-

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College Club Will Present Trophy The Monogram Club of Mt. St. Mary's College will present a trophy to the most valuable player at the Loyola-Mt. St. Mary's game Saturday evening. The trophy, to be an annual award, will be called the Rev. John F. Cogan Memorial Trophy in honor of Fr. Cogan who died Dec. 21, 1954. Fr. Cogan was a varsity athlete in baseball and football during his college days at Mt. St. Mary's. Following his graduation he coached the prep teams in football, baseball, and basketball. During the 1940-41 season he coached the varsity College cagers. At the time of his death, he was chairman of the athletic council of the College.

CORRECTION

In a recent issue of the Chronicle it was reported that the late Mr. Corman of Corman and Wasserman, Inc., the firm which operates the Emmitsburg Mfg. Co., locally, left \$300 as a bequest to the Community Fund. This item was erroneous and should have read that the gift was given by the firm as a memorial to the late Mr. Corman.

YOU are cordially invited to SEE OUR Newly Remodeled Bank

OPEN 9 A.M. FRIDAY 9 P.M.

All Customers and Friends of the Bank Who Visit With Us During Those Hours Friday Will Receive: A TOKEN OF OUR APPRECIATION

Refreshments Will Be Served!

The First National Bank of Fairfield

Established 1908 Fairfield, Pa.

Fresh Seafoods

FROZEN WHITINGS lb 15c

Hake Steak lb. 40c Herring lb. 15c

Porgies lb 25c

Perch lb 28c

FROZEN HADDOCK FILETS lb 29c

Frozen Cod lb. 26c Trout lb. 28c

SHRIMP

Jumbo lb. 85c

Small lb. 65c

FRESH HADDOCK FILETS lb 44c

Fresh Fruit Specials

TANGERINE doz. 15c

RIPE BANANAS 2 lb 29c

JUICY ORANGES 2 doz. 45c

Seedless GRAPEFRUIT doz. 65c

TEMPLE ORANGES doz. 35c

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