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The Weekend Weather Forecast
Temperatures will average near or slightly below normal with little if any day to day temperature change.

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Most Anything At A Glance

BY ABIGAIL

The latest plan afoot to extract more money out of the taxpayers' pockets is the one planned by the Motor Vehicle Dept. which plans to ask for legislation to make mandatory the re-registration of every Md. driver every two years for a fee of \$2. The car owner and property-owner already are carrying the major portion of the tax burden and face even a greater share of it as just about everyone and every bureau in the state clamors for more money. The re-registration of state drivers is almost concluded and when it started the Dept. announced it was being done to rid the books of a lot of deadwood, but it's not hard to see through the plan now. Actually I believe it was just the forerunner of the plan to milk the motorist which will come before the Legislature sometime in the near future.

The present wave of anti-Semitism is I believe, the work of pranksters. The fact that it has spread almost over the world and has affected just about every religious denomination proves it has no definite plan or meaning. Swastikas have been painted on almost every type of building in many countries and to me this proves that the move is completely devoid of any religious prejudice. Several examples of this already have occurred in our own county. There are just some people who delight in this sort of moronic action and when they go into action they always manage to have a following, regardless of what part of the world in which they operate. I don't feel that any one of their religion is in any jeopardy and the wave will go its way, just as Halloween vandalism does every year.

Have you noticed the improved music situation on the radio these days? Since the crack-down on the payola boys went into effect it is now possible to sit and enjoy some of the finest music there is. No longer are you forced to endure the maniacal raving and ranting of some beatnik unknown. Many times one was told that such and such a record was number one on the hit parade yet one never even heard the tune before. It was just the payola boys plugging the heretofore totally unknown record—for a small sum. I must say the music situation has been vastly improved lately.

Just when we thought that something was going to be done this year about the high cost of living and when the steel strike was settled recently one or more companies promised to hold the line on any additional price hikes. As was predicted it was just a lot of hogwash. Already those who spoke so adamantly on holding down prices are now double-talking and claim no commitments were made and that they are not obligated to honor such statements. We really suspected this intent when it first was announced. It was a neat political trick but it exploded prematurely and there's still ample time for one to change his mind about the coming election. Another gimmick being set in motion is the proposed budget by the Federal Government. It now appears that the fiscal year will end with a four billion dollar surplus, according to reports. Don't be disillusioned by this statement because I'll bet my best bonnet that when the year ends there'll be no surplus and also, there'll be no tax reduction. Those of you who have been through elections before can fathom the antics now being deployed and therefore don't pay too much attention to them.

Grant To Colleae

St. Joseph College, Emmitsburg, was given a financial donation by the Corn Products Company, it was learned this week. College sources said the unrestricted cash grant amounted to \$100.

The company gives grants annually to colleges and universities throughout the country. Deep snow doesn't change a pheasant's habits much. Early morning and late afternoon they'll be feeding. Midday they'll hole up in a likely fencerow or swamp. —Sports Afeld

Mountaineers Surprised By Western Md.

Mount St. Mary's aggressive cagers had little difficulty in extending their win streak to 11 straight by taking two contests from top-notch opponents.

Victory No. 9 came Thursday night at Memorial Gym when Coach Jim Phelan's Blue and White machine polished off Baltimore U, 69 to 56.

On the short end of a 37-26 score at half time, the Mounties came roaring back in the second half.

It was the ninth straight win for the Mountaineers and kept them unbeaten in Mason-Dixon Conference play with a 4-0 mark.

Baltimore fell victim to the shooting of Dick Talley and Ed Pfeiffer who sparked the Mount in its rally, a goal by Jack Gunn sending the Mountaineers to the front 54-52 with four minutes of play remaining.

The Bees faded completely after losing the lead and were outscored 17-4 in the last four minutes.

Talley pumped through 20 and Pfeiffer 17 points for the winners. Jack Bychick swished 24 for the Bees.

Saturday night's encounter with the Mountaineer's arch rival, Loyola, was a repeat performance of the usually hard-fought game between the two schools.

A 33-point output by Jerry Savage, 6-2 junior, sparked the fast moving Mounties to their 10th straight victory as they laced Loyola, 90-70 in a Mason-Dixon Conference game before a standing room only crowd here.

Savage rammed through 12 field goals and made good on nine of nine free tosses. He has now connected on 55 of 61 fouls this season for an enviable .902 percentage.

As a result of his performance, Savage was awarded the Father John F. Cogan Award by the Monogram Club. The award is presented annually by the club for the outstanding performer in the Mount-Loyola game in honor of the late dean of students at Mt. St. Mary's.

Loyola gave the Mount a tussle for the first 10 minutes of play and led 14-13 at that time, but then Savage and Ed Pfeiffer began to connect and at half time the Mountaineers had taken a 43-30 lead. Pfeiffer netted 13 of his 16 points in the first half. During the second half he played but about five minutes.

Midway in the last half Coach Phelan's outfit had built up a 73-46 advantage and from then on it was a breeze.

Both teams performed well from the foul line, the Mount converting 30 of 36 tries while the Greyhounds looped 26 of 36.

Joe O'Hara, 6-5 senior, led the losers with 20 tallies. The Mounties were completely surprised Wednesday night when the Green Terrors of Western Maryland upset them in a hard-fought contest played in Westminster. Coach Phelan said he would protest a ruling by Referee White and Cribbins that a goal by Samuels of the Mounties went in after the final buzzer. After conferring with the timekeeper, a Western Maryland student who was seated at the scoring table with scorekeepers from both squads, the referees disallowed the shot and ruled the Terrors the victors.

With Western Maryland trailing 82-77 and with one minute remaining before staging the rally. (Continued On Page Eight)

College Organizes Fifth Guild

Mrs. Robert A. Neary, Washington, D. C., was elected president of the newly established Washington Chapter of the Mount St. Mary's College Guild at a meeting held at Immaculate Conception Academy this week.

Other officers elected were: vice president, Mrs. John Farrell, Alexandria, Va.; Mrs. Gerald K. Hughes, Silver Spring, Md., corresponding secretary; receiving secretary, Mrs. John J. Sweeney, of Washington; and treasurer, Mrs. Louis Armetin, Chevy Chase, Md.

The meeting was attended by Rt. Rev. John L. Sheridan, President of Mount St. Mary's, and Rev. Joseph B. Tremonti, director of the Guilds. The college now has five guild units.

Plans were made at the Washington meeting for a Fashion Show and Card Party on April 29 at Immaculate Conception Academy. Mrs. J. Deane Gannon, Washington, will serve as general chairman of the affair.

Former Local Nun Killed In Plane Crash

A 54-year-old Catholic nun, Sister Josephine Cavanaugh, was instantly killed in a plane crash Monday as she was returning to Norfolk, Va., after attending a nursing conference in St. Louis, Mo. The Capital Airlines Viscount plane crashed near Holdcraft, Va., close to Norfolk.

She had joined Depaul Hospital at Norfolk only last year after serving eight years at St. Joseph College, Emmitsburg, first as head of the division of nursing, then as supervisor and consultant of the school of nursing.

A native of Boston, she had attended Boston and Catholic Universities. She became a nun in 1931 and 10 years later entered the order of the Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent DePaul.

Before coming here she taught at St. Martin's High School in Baltimore.

Three brothers who survive include Lt. Com. John P. Cavanaugh of Silver Spring.

Junior C. of C. Being Organized

The week of January 24-30, 1960 has been proclaimed as the First Frederick County Jaycee Week by action of the Frederick County Commissioners. The announcement was made jointly this week by G. Bernard Callan Jr., president of the Frederick Junior Chamber of Commerce and Wayne E. Hill, president of the Brunswick Junior Chamber of Commerce. This week also marks the 21st birthday of the Frederick Jaycees. Last year the Brunswick chapter was established by Frederick and this year Frederick is attempting to organize a chapter in the Emmitsburg-Thurmont area.

Throughout the year various county-wide projects are run by these two groups. Among them are the "My True Security" essay contest, Outstanding Young Farmer Award, County Track and Field Meet, Junior Tennis program. One of the most successful projects has been the Teen Age Safe Driving Road-e-o which always draws a large county participation.

At an organizational meeting held in Thurmont Wednesday evening a representative group of the Jaycees from both Emmitsburg and Thurmont discussed plans for establishing a northern Frederick County Chapter. Another meeting is planned for next Wednesday night at Royer's Restaurant, Thurmont and all interested young men are invited and urged to attend.

Farmers Obligated To Pay Security Tax

Young farmers in Frederick County know how to take advantage of good weather in making their crops. But according to W. S. King, District Manager of the Hagerstown Social Security Office, many young farmers don't know they must pay social security taxes if no income tax is due.

If a farmer has net earnings of \$400 or more in the year, he must file a tax return and pay the social security tax. This return must be filed even though he does not owe any income tax because of the number of his personal exemptions. Some have the idea that it is an optional law, but that is not true. This is a compulsory provision and it applies to all farmers regardless of age.

The farmer who has net earnings of at least \$400 in a year must file a tax return with the Internal Revenue Service at Baltimore, at the end of each year.

Mr. King said that farmers who would like more information about reporting their farm income should get in touch with the Social Security Office at 59 North Cannon Avenue, Hagerstown or the Internal Revenue Service at W. Church Street, Frederick.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Topper, DePaul St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Frances Yvonne, to Francis Joseph Lingg, Emmitsburg.

Miss Topper graduated from St. Joseph's High School in 1957 and is now a senior student nurse at St. Agnes Hospital, Baltimore.

Mr. Lingg graduated from St. Joseph's High School in 1957 and is a graduate of the Harrisburg School of Barbering. He is now employed in Gettysburg.

No date has been set for the wedding.

The world's largest nickel refinery is that of International Nickel located at Port Colborne, Ontario.

Couple Observes Wedding Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. John C. Dubel of Taneytown, observed their 50th wedding anniversary on Dec. 27 with a celebration given by their children and held in the social hall of the United Brethren Church, Taneytown. Attending were approximately 175 relatives and friends from the Taneytown, Emmitsburg, Rocky Ridge and Waynesboro areas.

The social hall was decorated in keeping with the occasion. Mrs. Chester Cartzendafer and Mrs. Charles Fleckinger served the wedding cake, and Maxine and Roberta Garvin poured the punch. Also assisting with the serving were members of the United Brethren Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. Dubel were married in Thurmont on Dec. 23, 1909 by the Rev. J. W. Rimecke. Mrs. Dubel is the former Annie Bell Holland, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Heron Holland. Both Mr. and Mrs. Dubel are in fair health. Mr. Dubel is 71 years old and Mrs. Dubel, 70.

The couple has two children, Marshall Dubel, Taneytown, and Mrs. Blanche Saylor, Rocky Ridge. They also have two granddaughters and one grandson.

Friends offered them their congratulations and best wishes and presented them with many gifts.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED



Mr. and Mrs. Carroll C. Keilholtz, Emmitsburg, announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley Ann, to Lawrence W. Tressler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Tressler, Thurmont.

Miss Keilholtz is a graduate of Thurmont High School, class of '57 and a graduate of Hagerstown Business College, class of '58. She is presently employed by Moore Business Forms, Inc., Thurmont.

Mr. Tressler is a graduate of Thurmont High School, class of '56 and is attending the University of Maryland.

An August wedding is being planned.

ENGAGED

The engagement of Miss Donna Lou Stonesifer, Westminster, Md., to Jasper Lee Wantz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Wantz, Emmitsburg, has been announced by her mother, Mrs. Pauline V. Stonesifer.

Miss Stonesifer is a 1958 graduate of Westminster High School and is a second-year student nurse at Johns Hopkins Hospital. Wantz studied at Peabody Conservatory of Music and is employed in Frederick and serves as organist and choir director of All Saints Episcopal Church, Frederick.

ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. Loy E. Hess, Taneytown, announce the engagement of their daughter, Myra Ann, to Lamar Hiltbricker, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Hiltbricker, Taneytown.

Miss Hess graduated from Emmitsburg High School in 1957. She attended Western Maryland College, where she was a member of Sigma Sigma Tau sorority, and is now in her junior year at the University of Maryland.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Taneytown High School, class of 1957. He attended DeVry Technical Institute in Chicago, and is now a student at the University of Maryland, majoring in engineering.

Some miss out on opportunity because they are broadcasting when they should be tuning in.

PUBLIC SCHOOL PTA TO MEET WEDNESDAY

The public is invited to attend the meeting of the Emmitsburg High School PTA on Wednesday, January 27 at 8 p. m. in the school cafeteria.

The program should prove helpful to the parents interested in their children's health, especially during these months when so many people have colds.

Mrs. Freida Doll of the Frederick County Tuberculosis and Public Health Association will show a film entitled "How to Catch a Cold."

There will be a short discussion period following the film and Dr. George Morningstar will be present to answer some questions from the parents concerning their children's health.

The parents are invited to visit in the classrooms from 7:30 to 8 p. m.

Seton School PTA Meeting Held

The January meeting of the Mother Seton School PTA was held last Thursday evening at 7:30 in the school cafeteria. Vice president, Mrs. Ruth Etheridge presided in the absence of the president. The meeting opened with a prayer by Sister Ann Marie, principal.

A movie on parliamentary procedure was shown after which the secretary read the minutes of the last meeting, and also gave the financial report in the absence of the treasurer.

A letter from the secretary of the eighth grade was read thanking the PTA for the Science Kit donated to the class, from the proceeds of the Fall Fair. A letter was also read from the Blue Ridge Summit Free Library inviting the Sisters, Staff and pupils to partake of the library facilities during library hours.

Sister Benigna explained the Archconfraternity of the Holy Agony and announced that her 7th grade will sponsor a membership drive to same.

June awards were discussed. The group voted to do away with awards for all except the outgoing class. The lower grades will be given an outing at the end of the year. Parents are asked to give their names now for chaperone duty at these outings, so there will be sufficient chaperones for each class outing.

The group also decided to have the Sisters prepare a list of needed athletic equipment for each room and present these lists to the PTA.

The meeting closed with a prayer by Sister Ann Marie after which refreshments were served.

County Traffic Accidents Increase

Automobile accidents of all natures are on the increase, State Police report, after compiling figures for Frederick County last year.

Sgt. H. L. Basore said that in the county alone, there were 775 accidents of which 21 of these wrecks resulted in fatalities.

Accident figures for 1958 are unavailable.

Although there were 21 fatal accidents, 27 persons lost their lives in these wrecks with the worst accident of the year locally occurring on U. S. 40 a few miles west of Frederick in which five persons died.

A breakdown of the accident total shows that 194 accidents resulted in personal injuries. In these wrecks, 314 persons were injured.

The remaining 560 accidents resulted in property damage only. While each month had its fair share of accidents, September was the most accident prone month of the year, Sgt. Basore said.

Included in the accidents recorded that month was the accident in which a Baltimore couple were killed on U. S. Route 340 following by a few days the accident on Route 40 west in which five persons died.

Police said that the accidents were more unusual last year than in previous years since they were scattered throughout the county instead of being confined mostly to the major highways as the pattern showed in other years.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wivell and family were: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wivell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wivell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wivell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoff and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reaver.

Small guides on a fly rod greatly reduce casting distance.—Sports Afeld.

Mothers' March To Aid Local Dimes Drive

Final plans are being completed by Maryland March of Dimes Chapters in all counties for the annual Mothers' March to be held Thursday night, January 28, from 7 to 9 p. m. Combined with this annual Mothers' March to be held be a door count census on polio, arthritis and birth defect cases—the three areas in which the National Foundation is now conducting research and patient care programs. The announcement was made by Paul J. Hughes Jr., State Representative for the Foundation.

In addition to collecting New March of Dimes contributions on January 28, the mothers will present each household with a copy or "Door Count," a concise, fact-finding folder in which a family may indicate if any of its members has a birth defect, arthritis or polio and how many have had three or more Salk vaccine shots. Each family record will be confidential.

In explaining the door count, former U. S. Senator George L. Radcliffe, State March of Dimes chairman, said that "we hope the Mothers' March door count will focus family and community attention on the majority of Americans still without Salk shot protection against polio. We have found that neighbor calling on neighbor is one of the best ways to remind the unvaccinated to start their polio shots."

Mr. Radcliffe continued: "Although the house-to-house poll is in no way planned as a statistically valid survey, the sum of information taken in the door count will help provide a working estimate of the number of persons suffering from arthritis, polio or birth defects. This will prove an invaluable guide to our National Foundation Chapters in planning local programs to aid the disabled."

In each county the Mothers' March will be headed by local women leaders. The entire Maryland Mothers' March will enlist thousands of women calling upon their neighbors for contributions to the 1960 New March of Dimes, the fund-raising campaign being conducted this month.

KNIGHTS PLAN COMMUNION BREAKFAST

Ballotting for the Knight of the Year was completed at the regular meeting of Brute Council 1860, Knights of Columbus held Monday night in the council's home, Grand Knight Curtis D. Topper presiding. There were six candidates nominated for the honor. The winner will be disclosed at the annual banquet to be held in the VFW Annex on February 11.

Final plans for the communion breakfast to be held January 31 after the 8:30 Mass at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, were discussed. Frank Topper reported that K of C decals had been placed on a number of the windows of the home and also gave a report on last Saturday's shrimp feed. Approximately \$74 was netted from the affair.

Guy A. Baker Jr., district deputy, announced that a fourth degree exemplification will be held in the Alcazar Hotel, Baltimore, on Sunday, February 21 and that a number of the local members will take the degree. A meeting of all fourth degree members has been called for Friday (tonight) in the council home. Francis E. Sanders was appointed chairman of the Catholic calendar committee for 1961.

Fire Damages Local Print Shop

Damage to type cases and stock equipment resulted from a fire originating in an oil stove at the Rightour Press, North Seton Ave.

The Vigilant Hose Company was called to the scene of the fire after it was discovered at 1 p. m. Saturday afternoon. The stove had been stoked earlier in the day by one of the employees.

Damage estimates were set at several hundred dollars. The fire was not discovered earlier because the building was tightly closed, preventing smoke from escaping.

Building Permit Issued

A building permit was issued in Frederick this week to Mary R. and Anna L. Troxell for the construction of a utility building on an 84-acre property located near Emmitsburg. Estimated cost of the construction was placed at \$200.