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Would Make Road Ritchie Memorial

Annapolis Boulevard Suggests--Memorial Funds Difficult To Raise

The suggestion that the new Annapolis-Baltimore Boulevard be named the Ritchie Memorial Highway has been made by George E. Gannon, Jr., a clerk in the office of William S. Gordy, Jr., State Comptroller.

"It is no secret that the Albert C. Ritchie Memorial Commission has met with little success in its efforts to raise funds for the erection or establishment of a memorial or memorials to the late Hon. Albert C. Ritchie," Gannon said. "It would be a disgrace to the people of the State to let the efforts of this truly great man to be in no way commemorated."

"Within the next four months, the new Annapolis Boulevard will be completed, and I think it singularly appropriate that this boulevard be named the Ritchie Memorial Highway. It was over this route that the four-times Governor and one-time Attorney General passed most often while serving the people of Maryland so faithfully.

"It is with pleasure that I submit this suggestion to the Albert C. Ritchie Memorial Commission and to the General Assembly of 1937."

RISING SUN SCHOOL NOTES

The Parent Teachers Association held their October meeting in the high school auditorium on Thursday, October 29th. The program consisted of a brief business session, group singing and a splendid address on the topic of the real purpose of a Parent Teachers Association by County Superintendent H. E. McBride.

Our girls field ball team goes merrily on its way to victory. On Friday afternoon our girls defeated the Kenmore girls by a score of 10-4. The Kenmore girls were leading at the end of the first half by a score of 4-2 but our girls went to town the second half, scoring 4 goals and winning the game. To date our girls have only lost one game and are now leading the girls field ball teams of the northern schools, with four victories and one defeat. Kenmore, our nearest opponent, has three victories, one defeat and one tie game.

Our boys soccer team won their first game of the season by defeating the Kenmore boys by a score of 3-2.

The last regularly scheduled game of the season will be played on Friday, November 6th, on our field, when the Perryville boys and girls will be our opponents. If our girls field ball team defeats the Perryville girls they will be the winner in our league and will meet the winner of the southern league on Friday, November 13th.

About 65 members of both classes enjoyed a well planned program of appropriate games and contests.

The refreshment committee served delightful refreshments consisting of ice cream and cookies. All present voted it one of the best school parties ever held.

As a project in social science, the Senior Problems of Democracy Class conducted a realistic presidential election in our high school. The class opened the project with an assembly program in which the views of the major parties were very ably presented by Catherine Keilholtz, Lila Todd, Alice Carr, Bruce Graybeal and Harvey Townsend. On Thursday and Friday, before school and during the noon hour, both students and teachers were given an opportunity to register. The students were instructed as to the purpose of registration and the proper method of marking the ballot. Ballots as nearly correct in form as possible were prepared. On Monday the election took place before school and during the noon hour. The polls were located on the auditorium stage and seniors served as election officials.

About 98 per cent of the student body took part in the election. Ballots marked incorrectly were not counted. The results gave Roosevelt a 21 vote majority over Landon.

MILK PRODUCERS MEETING

A meeting of Rising Sun Milk Producers will be held in the Rising Sun high school building on Friday evening, Nov. 6, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of setting up a Local Unit of the New Interstate Milk Producers Cooperative. Officers, delegates and committees will be elected at this meeting, to serve the ensuing year.

Short Paragraphs

Revival services are in progress at Rowlandville M. P. Church, under direction of Rev. H. N. Nicklas.

The Ninth District Farmers' Club met with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene England, Calvert, Wednesday, Nov. 4.

Armistice Day, Wednesday, Nov. 11th, being a legal holiday the banks in Rising Sun will not be open for business on that day.

Miss Marie Barry, of Port Deposit, has accepted a position as a teacher in the Mt. Raven Select School for Girls, near Germantown, Pa.

At a meeting of the Trustees of the Tome School Port Deposit, at Memorial Hall, Peter E. Tome of Baltimore was made president of the Board.

The Epworth League of Principio Furnace M. E. Church will hold a Bazaar in Principio school on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, November 12, 13 and 14.

Charles Schrader has been appointed superintendent of Bethel cemetery, near Chesapeake City, succeeding Clarence Thorton, who resigned because of ill health.

Mrs. Nellie M. McComas has been named acting postmaster at Edgewood, Harford county, the appointment having been announced by the Postoffice Department on Tuesday.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company is making preparations for the electrification of the main line west, as far as Harrisburg, Pa. Employment will be given to 20,500, it is estimated, if the plans are carried out.

H. H. Snavely, trustee to sell the coal estate of Amas H. Snavely, sold the Snavely farm in Strasburg Township, Lancaster county, Pa., to J. J. Messner, of Strasburg, for \$134,500 per acre. The farm contains 134 acres and 68 perches.

Charles R. Daneker, former manager of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company in Cecil and Harford counties, has been transferred to the Bel Air office as manager, succeeding J. F. Creelman, transferred to Baltimore.

The Halloween dance held on Wednesday evening last, in the public hall, by the Community Fire Co. of this town, was largely attended and proved a financial success. Mr. Preston, of Havre de Grace, held the lucky ticket and was awarded the \$45.00 Radio.

Thomas B. Edward, veterans' service officer will be in the Court House at Elkton, Wednesday, November 18. Veterans with claims incidental to hospitalization, compensation, relief of bonus, will be given assistance with same. There are no charges of any nature for these services.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet at the home of Mrs. Curtis Irwin, Thursday, Nov. 12, at 2 p. m. Mrs. Irwin, Mrs. Garrison, Miss Emma Hunt, Miss May Johnson and Miss Nettie McVey, hostesses. Devotional leader, Mrs. Elwood Brown; Program leader, Miss Bertha M. Tyson.

Will Creswell, town officer, suffered a slight stroke on Saturday night, while on duty. Mr. Creswell fell in front of the M. E. Church, striking his head on the concrete steps, and inflicting a painful gash. He was able to call for help and was taken to Dr. Knauft's office for medical attention, later being taken to his home, where he is slowly recovering.

IN CRITICAL CONDITION FROM SELF INFLICTED WOUND

Shot in the head, J. Harvey Rowland, 43-year old retired broker, was found slumped over the wheel of his automobile parked in a secluded spot in Baltimore county Monday night. There was a pistol on the seat beside him.

He was taken to the Union Memorial Hospital, where physicians said the one bullet fired from the .32 calibre weapon had entered above the temple. They pronounced his condition critical.

Mr. Rowland, who is prominent socially, lives at 237 Lambeth road, Guilford, Baltimore. He had been ill for some time, police were told.

NEWSPAPERS COMBINED

A group of Queen Anne's county residents have purchased the two Centerville, Md., newspapers, the Centerville Observer and the Queen Anne's Record, and combined the two, publishing them as one paper under the name of The Queen Anne's Record and Observer.

State Appropriation For Union Hospital

Only two hospitals in Maryland afforded free services to an extent less than their appropriations for the fiscal year which ended September 30, according to an itemized list made public by Samuel S. Shannahan, director of the Board of State Aid and Charities.

Annapolis Emergency Hospital and St. Mary's Hospital, Leonardtown, were the only institutions whose "free-patient days" were insufficient to earn the amount allotted to them for this purpose by the Legislature. Thirty-one other hospitals earned more than their appropriations, but the balance is an expense which must be borne by the respective institutions.

Hospitals in Baltimore city listed 514,509 free-patient days, for a total earning of \$448,734, although their aggregate appropriation was only \$205,000. In the counties, sixteen hospitals were credited with 140,400 free-patient days, this free work being valued at \$244,654. The appropriation for the county hospitals was only \$148,500.

Union Hospital, at Elkton, received an appropriation of \$8,000.

BURIED MONEY FOUND AFTER LONG SEARCH

York county hills gave up more than \$5000 last Friday on the farm of William Felty, at Bald Hill, about eight miles from New Cumberland. The gold certificates were kept in a tin can and when the owner was absent from his farm ten years ago, he buried the can somewhere about the premises.

In 1932 he left the farm and moved to Hershey, but frequently he returned to Bald Hill armed with a shovel.

On Friday, his brother and nephew who reside in the vicinity of Hershey, came to help him and the can was found.

Many of the bills were just bits of dust, while another sum, which might possibly total more than \$1,000, was only a handful of mouldy mud. Saving certificates were picked out and carefully pasted together, as were five \$100 Government bonds. The entire sum, bank officials thought, totaled between \$5000 and \$6000. The entire sum has been sent to Washington where the pieces will be processed in an effort to determine the denominations of the bills.—Quarryville Sun.

SENTENCED FOR LARCENY OF GASOLINE

Charged with the larceny of 30 gallons of gasoline from the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., two brothers, Earl Anderson, 29, and Victor, 21, were arrested by Newark police. They were turned over to railroad police Sunday night who took them to Elkton. They were sentenced by a magistrate to 60 days in the county jail. The gasoline was stolen from near Iron Hill.

INN KEEPER CHARGED WITH SALE TO MINORS

Roy P. Price, who has been conducting the Angler's Inn, at Port Deposit, has been arrested by Cecil county officers, charged with selling liquor to minors. Price had a license to sell beer and wine, and in his place, it is alleged, a quantity of illegal liquor was found. He was held under \$1000 bond for a hearing.

UNION HOSPITAL DONATIONS

The Sixth District Auxiliary of Union Hospital is making appeal for the annual donation of provisions, canned goods, etc. Any donations made should be left at the home of Miss Mary Brumfield, in this town by November 15, where they will be packed and sent to the Hospital at Elkton.

SHALLCROSS PROPERTIES SOLD

Properties in Elkton belonging to the estate of the late Hiram W. Shallcross were sold at public sale last week as follows: Parcel No. 1, lot at Mill Lane and Race street, to Mrs. Florence Potts, for \$40; Parcel No. 2, to same purchaser, for \$90; Parcel No. 3, to same purchaser for \$30; Parcel No. 4, to Anthony and Gosetta Lamonica, for \$60; Parcel No. 5, lot on Race street, Rudolph Meekins and Belle Meekins, his wife, for \$85; Parcel No. 7, lot on Race street, Mrs. Florence Potts, for \$40; Parcel No. 8, house and lot in Charlestown, to William C. Henry, for \$465.

National Population Shows Increase

A national population increase of nearly one million during the last year was attributed by the Commerce Department to an excess of births over deaths.

The net immigration gain for the year, the department said, accounted for only 8,000 of the 908,000 estimated increase for the year.

The total population on July 1, this year, was estimated at 128,429,000, a gain of 5,338,000 since the last census was taken in 1930.

The greatest individual percentage increase in population for the year ended last July 1 was listed for the District of Columbia at 4.2 per cent. Florida was second, at 1.73 per cent.

By regions, the South Atlantic States led the increase, with an upturn of 1.14 per cent, followed by the East South Central States, with a gain of 1.01 per cent.

No decreases were listed, but estimates remained unchanged for Rhode Island, Wisconsin, South Dakota, Nebraska, Mississippi, Montana, New Mexico and Arizona.

WEDDINGS

SMITH—LEE

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Lee, of Providence, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Eva Lee to Mr. Mancel Smith, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Mancel Smith, of Pleasant Hill. The marriage took place in Chester, Pa.

EVANS—TAYLOR

Miss Mollie Taylor and Mr. Bronson Evans, young people of Elkton, were quietly married Thursday morning, at the Presbyterian Manse, in Elkton, by Rev. Albert E. Thomas. Both the parties are graduates of Elkton High School. The groom holds a position as bookkeeper in Wilmington, Del., and the bride has for several years past, been private secretary to E. Kirk Brown.

ALLEN—SMITH

Miss Dorothy M. Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Smith, Wilmington, Del., and Mr. Walter T. Allen, Jr., of near Earleville, son of Mr. W. T. Allen, were married Saturday, in the rectory of St. Elizabeth's R. C. Church by the Rev. William Temple, the bride was attended by Miss Cecilia R. Gold; Mr. William F. Smith, Jr., brother of the bride, was best man. A reception for members of the immediate families followed at the home of the bride's parents at 150 Maryland avenue. On their return from a motor trip South, Mr. Allen and his bride will reside near Earleville.

BURLING—BROWN

Miss Erma Brown, daughter of Susie W. Brown, Oxford, Pa., and Walter D. Burling, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Burling, Charles town, were married Wednesday, October 21, at the home of the Rev. Paul E. Reynolds, Chestertown, who performed the ceremony. The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. W. Franklin Starkey.

The bride wore a traveling suit of grey with black accessories and corsage of roses and snapdragons.

Following a honeymoon to Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Burling will make their home in Harrisburg, Pa., where the groom is employed as a Frigidaire engineer. The bride is a graduate of West Chester State Teachers College and had been employed as cashier of the Market street American store in Oxford.

ROAD EMPLOYEE BEATEN

Charged with assault upon Henry Appleford, George Popr, 19, of North East, is in the county jail at Elkton to await a hearing. Appleford, who has been employed by the State Roads Commission to direct traffic on route 40, between Elkton and North East, refused to allow Popr to drive over the torn up road, and Popr is alleged to have jumped out of his machine and beat the watchman with a cane, inflicting serious injuries and a probable slight fracture of the skull. Appleford is confined to Union Hospital.

WOMAN ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

Mrs. Margaret Smith, of Craigtown, Cecil county, was accidentally shot in the left knee Saturday by her husband, Mr. Walter Smith, who had picked up a gun to go hunting. The weapon struck a chair and was discharged, the charge hitting her in the knee shattering the bone. She was taken to the Harford Memorial Hospital, Havre de Grace, where she is being treated.

Personal And Social

Miss Mary Ashby, Oxford, was the guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ashby.

Mrs. Norman Pyle, of Pittsburg, is spending some time with her brother, Job W. Kirk.

Mrs. Elizabeth Baxter, Chestertown, Md., has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Harry L. Shepherd.

Miss Kathryn Thorton, Odessa, Del., was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry during the week.

Mrs. J. B. Slicer, Miss McVey and P. R. Kyle were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Schenck, Philadelphia.

A marriage license was issued at Bel Air, last week, to Clyde Vandyke, 21, of Conowingo, and Ella Reed, 21 of Rising Sun.

E. R. Sebald, of Philadelphia, and brother George Sebald, of Wilmington, called on relatives and friends in the neighborhood on Monday.

Miss Mollie Taylor and Mr. Bronson Evans were married at the Presbyterian Manse, Elkton, by the Rev. T. E. Thomas, on Thursday morning.

Mrs. Job W. Kirk, who sustained an operation at the Maryland General Hospital, Baltimore, on Saturday morning, is reported as progressing satisfactorily.

Mrs. Mary Garvin enjoyed an auto trip to Virginia and North Carolina with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jackson, of Aiken, Cecil county.

Mrs. George Reynolds has been spending some time with her brother and sister Emmor and Louella Spencer near West Grove, Pa.

Roby Graybeal, of Liberty Grove, announces the engagement of his daughter, Virginia, to Bliss Osborne the son of Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Osborne of Fairfield, Pa.

Mrs. Hilda Garey Rose, of North East, announced the engagement of her daughter, Catherine, to Mr. Wilson Hering Murray, of Ventura, California. Mr. Murray is the son of Mrs. Florence Murray and the late Thomas A. Murray of Baltimore. The wedding will take place in the autumn.

SUMMER HOME DAMAGED BY FIRE

The summer home of John C. Martin, a Philadelphia newspaper publisher, located near Sassafra river, was badly damaged by fire of unknown origin Sunday night, Oct. 25. The fire was discovered by Mr. Martin about five o'clock in the afternoon, and firemen from Middletown, Del., Odessa, Millington and Chesapeake City were summoned. The firemen succeeded in confining the blaze to one wing of the structure, which was damaged to the extent of about \$10,000.

SHORTAGE IN WEST CHESTER TEACHERS COLLEGE FUNDS

Two special deputies attorney general have been appointed to investigate a \$7,582 shortage reported by auditors in the funds of the West Chester State Teachers' College. They are: Everett Kent, of Bangor, and J. Paul MacElree, of West Chester. They are instructed to bring criminal action.

COUNTERFEITER SENTENCED

Louis Corrado, 21, of Hershey, Pa., began Friday a sentence of a year and a day in Lewisburg prison for passing counterfeit money.

Corrado and his cousin, Louis C. Corrado, 20, Atlantic City, pleaded guilty to the charges. The Atlantic City youth was given a suspended sentence and placed on probation for three years.

FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society, Wilmington District, will meet in annual convention at the M. E. Church in Elkton on Tuesday, November 10, with morning and afternoon sessions.

At two o'clock in the afternoon Miss Frances Van Dyne, a missionary from Algiers, North Africa, will address the convention.

HALLOWE'EN OBSERVED

Hallowe'en was quietly observed in our town Saturday evening. A host of young folks in costumes of every conceivable description held high carnival, parading the streets and paying silent calls at homes. There was an entire absence of rowdiness that some times is prevalent.

Roosevelt Relected In Political Landslide

Sweeps Country With 519 Electoral Votes--Maryland Goes Along

Franklin D. Roosevelt was reelected Tuesday in a landslide that swept the country from coast to coast and promises him the greatest electoral majority ever given a candidate for the Presidency.

Only three out of the forty-eight States seemed safely Republican at an early hour. They were the three New England States of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont.

In the other forty-five the President had growing majorities, ranging from a meager 1,300 in Kansas, the home State of his opponent, to 400,000 or better, in Illinois, with that of New York swelling hourly toward a new record.

Incomplete returns on Wednesday morning indicated that Roosevelt would have 519 electoral votes, with only twelve for Landon.

The returns also indicated that the Republicans had probably increased their membership in the House by winning 125 of the 435 members in that legislative body.

Incomplete returns showed Republicans on the way to capture three Senate seats formerly occupied by Democrats, while Democrats were about to lay hold of an equal number formerly held by Republicans.

The indicated Republican gains were in Massachusetts, Iowa and South Dakota. The possible Democratic inroads were in New Jersey, Delaware and Michigan.

With a lead of more than 112,000 in all but two of the Baltimore city precincts, and the tide running strongly in his direction in the first substantial county returns, it appeared that the President's final margin of victory in the State would eclipse by many thousands the 130,130-vote landslide that gave him Maryland in 1932.

The vote in the First Congressional District indicated the election of T. Alan Goldsborough, Democrat, over his Republican opponent, O. Strawn Lloyd.

VOTE IN THE SIXTH DISTRICT

Election day here was warm and spring-like. Party workers did a lot of hustling and got out a good vote, a total of 1026 being cast in this, the Sixth district. Landon, Republican, carried the District by ten, the vote being Landon 490, Roosevelt 480. For Congressman, Goldsborough, Democrat, carried the District over his Republican opponent, Lloyd, by 69, the vote being Goldsborough 474, Lloyd 405.

VOTE IN COUNTY

	PRESIDENT	CONGRESS
	Gov't Landon	Goldsbrgh Lloyd
	(Dem.)	(Rep.)
1st Dist.	504	464
2nd Dist.	336	509
3rd Dist.	408	474
4th Dist.	323	294
5th Dist.	503	475
6th Dist.	480	490
7th Dist.	397	348
8th Dist.	119	102
9th Dist.	195	179
Total	4264	2726
*Precinct out.	3335	2350

COLORED MAN SERIOUSLY BURNED

Hosea Hopkins, colored, 36 years old, of 610 South Charles street, Baltimore, is in a serious condition in the Harford Memorial Hospital, Havre de Grace, suffering with burns about the body and a fractured leg, caused when he lost control of the Tri-City truck he was driving, at the foot of the hill in the south end of Port Deposit. The truck was completely destroyed by fire.

BURGLARS CARRY AWAY MERCHANDISE

Burglars entered the store of Henry Tarring & Sons, Aberdeen, one night last week, and carried away merchandise valued at between \$700 and \$800.

Among the goods stolen were a number of shot guns, 22-caliber rifles, baseballs, baseball gloves, electric irons and toasters and electric waffle irons.

OXFORD MAN PLUNGES TO HIS DEATH

John C. Moxon, forty-eight, employed at the Center restaurant, Oxford, was injured fatally Sunday morning when he fell down a flight of steps, breaking his neck at his rooming house. He formerly lived in Philadelphia. He died in the Coatesville Hospital.