# UP AND DOWN THE

Scores Profiteers Salisbury-Mayor Alfred T. Truitt went to bat against assessment profi-

teers who boosted rents in their properties as their answer to the recent city assessments of real estate valuations. The Mayor said rent rises were not justified, especially in the case of one landlord who gave a tenant notice of a \$5 monthly rent increase at a house where the assessment had actually been

Strts 100th Volume Cambridge—The Cambridge Democrat

and News commenced the century year of its history with the first issue of the Democrat and News for seventyone at the Queen Theatre shortly. years. It is said the paper never missed an issue in its 100 years.

Early Cigarettes

Berlin-Three-year-old John Merlin Brown has revised downward the age for smoking at least in his home village of Ironshire. The little lad is said to Clifton, and Mrs. Temple Callahan and indulge in his daily pipe, cigar and children, Philip and Phyllis, were guests cigarettes, and has the proper husky Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Belbin Thomas. cigarette accent in his voice. His mother Mr. Roy Dolby who recently accepted land. says he has been hitting smokes since a position in Detroit, Mich., is here for he was eighteen months old, does not a visit with his family. inhale but gets contentment from his puffing. And she bought him a cigar the home of her son, Mr. Allen Dewith her night's shopping.

Animal Pals Ocean City-Altering slightly the vision of the lion and lamb lying down a lamb are pals on Miss Elizabeth Pow- end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. residents here for many years. ell's Sinepuxent farm. The two animals Charles E. Snyder. were orphaned. Now they are insepar- Mr. and Mrs. John Cook of Baltimore, returned from a visit with their son-in-

fers cigarettes to sweets. Arrested As Fire Bug

Crisfield—Newmann Sterling, 35, was last Monday evening. One hundred who has been the guest of Mrs. Emma arson following a fire at the farm home the occasion. of Elizabeth V. Matthews at Parsonville. Five members of the Matthews family dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. Church were home when fire broke out in the William Kersey. kitchen shortly after midnight but all Mrs. Lillian Cockey is spending sev- noon of next week at the home of Mrs. escaped unharmed. The blaze was ex-tinguished after part of the kitchen had Tolson.

eral days in Baltimoore with Mrs. John Frank Morris. been destroyed.

Wins Fire Verdict

Elkton-A jury here found a verdict Mrs. S. Earle Long. They were accomof \$3,500 in favor of William B. Noblette panied home by Mrs. Smith's mother, Miss Margaret Lane, of Pioneer Point of Kent county who sued for the burn- Mrs. W. C. Davis, who has been the Farms was the guest over the week-end ing of his mill property. Noblette claim- house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Long for of Miss Thelma Callahan, of Ingleside ed the fire started from lightning enter- the past two weeks. ing his plant by way of a telephone Mr. and Mrs. T. Roland Carvel enwire which was not properly grounded. tertained four tables of 500 Saturday

Oust Caveman into a cave to dodge high rents ran into Baltimore, wree guests Sunday of Mr. a vagrancy charge here when Henry and Mrs. Robert Cook.

from collecting and selling junk. Wall Tumbles Down

for the collapse of the entire front wall day in Baltimore with relatives. a seafood firm in the Jersey section of end here, with his family. with no undue stress upon it leaving the after spending the past week in Nash- in the vicinity of Salisbury. sidewalls standing and the roof sagging. ville, Tenn., visiting his brother, Mr. Baker Cockey. No one was hurt.

Uses Porch Dodges Fire Denton-Almost trapped by smoke when he returned to his bedroom to save valuables during an early morning fire Robert Lane was forced to make his exit Rev. and Mrs. G. Homer Murphy re- by Mrs. H. C. Reynolds on Tuesday via a second story window and a porch. turned home from a two weeks' trip to evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. J. T. Previously Lane had led his wife and Chatanooga, Tenn.

Hits Moving House

house and an automobile resulted in the Mrs. John Guthrie. wrecking of the structure, damage to the car and arrest of Emory Richard-Pa., Mr. John Boyles and Fritz Schraf-dent, but now in Towson, accompanied he did not see the house which was with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roe. coming down the road in a truck from Berlin to Herring Creek. In spite of the damage to the house and car Richard-son escaped with a cut, his companion

Mrs. William E. Roe spent several lost only his false teeth.

Where Speed Is Risky Balisbury—The straight level stretch

is labeled the most dangerous section ning, Jan. 18. The committee in charge of road in the lower counties by State consists of Mrs. John Dudley, Mr. D. B. Police. Nearly half of the traffic deaths Wolcott, Mrs. William Schnaitman. in the lower counties in 1937 occurred Come and enjoy the evening. here. Thirteen deaths were said to be The P. T. A. held their regular monthdue to excessive speed and several ly program on Monday evening. The others were thought due to fast driving selections given by the Centreville although proof was lacking.

Big Lot Of Small Items Crisfield—Showing confidence that the day of the ice refrigerator is not ville, visited their mother on Monday past the Charles W. Briddell company, evening. makers of novelties and small articles, Mrs. Cora Dudley spent Sunday with have just recevied a carload of ice pick Mrs. Hardesty, of Centreville. handles which will be fitted with picks and distributed throughout the country. A carload of ice picks is enough to warrant employment for icemen for another summer at least.

Twelfth Night Pictured

Mrs. William A. Jackson of the Fairlee BAZAAR. neighborhood to record the doings at a Sale at Dover every Friday and at Twelfth Night party which followed Middletown every Wednesday. ancient rituals. Part of the program included clearing out Christmas decor- knows the value of stock. ations and burning them on the lawn. Odd costumes from those of knights and rag dolls to Satan, old dances, songs and games cutting of a Twelfth Night cake featured the affair.

Trouble Yonder



Joel McCrea is drawing a bead on hundredth volume last week. Establish- Indians or something from the hurried in 1838 by John E. Tyler as the Dor- cane deck of a stage coach in the chester Democrat the newspaper chang- scene shown above. It is taken from ed its name several times in its forma- "Wells Fargo." the epic story of a great tive days but has clung to the name period of American history to be shown

### STEVENSVILLE

Mrs. Jack Kinnamon and son Thomas Mrs. Florence Deshields is visiting at

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cook had as doctor's care this week. their dinner guests New Year's Day,

able. As a further quirk the pony pre- and Mr. and Mrs. Cardy White and family, of near Centreville. Mr. and Mrs. John Holden celebrated mas Minner, at Harrington, Del. their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kolata were tives in Ridgely.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Smith, of Woodlawn, spent Sunday with Mr. and

Salisbury—A rent dodger who moved Miss Lillian Cook and Miss Adkins, of

Sherid, 50-year-old negro, was arrested Mr. Jack Gibson and Mrs. John Will rMs. Margaret Cross was a visitor in at his dugout which he shared with two were the week-end guests of their par- Baltimore on Tuesday and returned acdogs. The negro bought food, he said, ents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Gibson, of near companied by Mr. Boyce Kepper who

Mrs. Russum Legg and daughters, Queenstown. Crisfield-No cause was determined Nancy Jean and Geraldine, spent Sun-

# WYE MILLS

daughter to safety. The blaze starting Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Callahan and Alziro Whitehead. Guest players were from an overheated oil stove was con- Miss Mary Everngam, visited relatives Mrs.. J. Fred Holden and Miss Whitefined to the living room and extinguish- in our village on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. .R. Wolcott and Mr. Berlin—A crash between a traveling phia on Sunday and visited Mr. and Baltimore from Wednesday to Friday of

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roe of Chester, son for drnken driving. Richardson said fer, of Baltimore, spent the week-end Mr. Marion Roe returned home on

Mrs. William E. Roe spent several days last week with Mr and Mrs. Her-

A Covered Dish Social will be held of highway from here to Princess Anne in the church house on Tuesday eve-

Quartet, and by Rev. Murphy were very

much enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Roe, of Centre-

If you want to realize highest top Chestertown—The magazine Life sent calves, lambs, sheep and pigs, bring them to RUDNICK'S LIVE STOCK

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One-Teachers School Ahead Ludlow referendum. All Year

Christmas party. With an average of 97.3 per cent, the little one room school at Ingleside led Baltimore visitors on Wednesday. all schools of the county in attendance for the month of December. Ingleside school has consistently held with a cold and also tooth trouble but this standing since the opening of the been another cold victim. schools in September.

For December, Barclay led the two teacher schools with an average of 96.1; while in the graded schools Church Hill held high place with an average of 95.7.

average was 94 per cent.

and Pondtown tied for first place with the institution in the very near future the attendance of 96.2 per cent, and the from Queen Anne, through the Welfare an average attendance for the month tributions to Mrs. Flower's home. of 95.1.

### Sudlersville Men Take

Company, including J. N. Hardesty, for rehearsal on Tuesday evening. William C. Phillips, Thomas Gillespie Mr. and Mrs. Bernard sparks and and Ralph Clough are enrolled in the sons, Bernard, Jr., and Rawley, were class for fire-fighting instruction con- guests of relatives in Ridgely on Sunducted at Chestertown each Thursday day afternoon. evening by C. C. Larrimore, regional instructor of the fire service extension of the University of Maryland.

Indoor classes provide study of apparatus, ladders, water supply and other subjects. Outdoor classes to come with Flora Cronshaw, motored to Wilmingwarmer weather will feature drill with ton, Saturday. all apparatus and equipment. Material is provided by the University of Mary- tended a birthday dinner at the home of

## BARCLAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wallace were in Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Tolson, of New Washington, D. C., last Friday to attend Downes and Mrs. C. P. Merrick attend-York, spent the week-end at their the funeral of Mrs. Susan Wallace, ed a bridge party given by Misses Ella widow of the late David Wallace of this Miss Mary Snyder spent the week- town. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wallace were

Mr. Lemuel McGinnis is under the Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mogle have

law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tho-Miss Annie Taylor, of Church Hill,

held under \$20,000 bond on a charge of and fifty guests hleped them celebrate B. Beatty, and of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Welch, left on Monday to visit rela-

will be entertained on Thursday after-

# QUEENSTOWN

Mr. Ralph Hevalow, of Greensboro,

spent Friday with Mr., and Mrs. Will Mrs. S. E. W. Friel entertained at

cards informally on Monday afternoon. will spend a few days in and around

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Lane and daughter Ann, while motoring in Southof a concrete block building occupied by Capt Norman Bryan spent the week- ern Maryland on Sunday afternoon stopped in to see the walkathon which town. The wall fell out in calm weather Mr. James Cockey has returned home been going on for quite some time

Miss Mary Ruth Cross, of Washington, D. C., was home for the week-end and Miss Betty Cross, spent the weekend in Baltimore with her aunts, the Misses Mary and Maude Sherwood.

The Contract Club was entertained Bishop, Mrs.. J. Clyde Embert and Miss

head and Mrs. E. S. Rowens. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bishop were guests Milton Wolcott, motored to Philadel- of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kilbourne in

Mrs. Idelette Shelberg, a former resi-

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Mrs. J. Ray Jarrell CENTREVILLE

motored over to Washington on Wed-rick. ators and Representatives anant the Mrs. Harvey Cannon.

Mrs. J. Fred Holden entertained the week in Baltimore. Saturday night club with a regular

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carter were Mrs. Elwood Walls. Mrs. H. R. Roberts has been housed John Cannon and son and nephew, of teresting talk of the Hawaiian Islands with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Merrick. is improving. Mrs. Harry C. Onley has

# QUEEN ANNE

The county average for white elemen- An appeal for men's ties, also for tary schools was especially fine at 91.8 magazines, odds and ends of wool, crocheting cotton, scraps for quilts, silks In the High Schools Tri-County took for embroidering, and similar articles, first place with 96.3 and the high school was read at the last club meeting from the State Hospital at Cambridge. In the colored schools Batt's Neck quantity of these things will be sent to county average was 89.5. The Kennard Chairman of the Community Club, Mrs. Colored High School in Centreville had Howard P. Flowers. Please take all con-

Mrs. F. M. Stayton was a recent dinner guest of Mrs. Henry Detwiler, of

Fire Training Course The Boy Scout troop of Hillsboro-Queen Anne met on Wednesday eve-Four members of the Sudlersville Fire ning. The high school orchestra met

## INGLESIDE

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Luff and Mrs.

Mrs. William Thompson, of Goldsboro, in honor of Mrs. Charles Engrem. Mrs. Emily V. Straughn, of near Sud-

lersville, is spending some time with

Mrs. C. P. Merrick. Mrs. J. P. Bittle, Miss Hortense

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Ingleside School by Mrs. B. E. Cockey who was visiting and Hilda Roberts in honor of Mrs. Baltimore, spent Tuesday with Mr. and at the Woman's Kent County, Delaware Mrs. Harvey Cannon.

Leads Attendance motored over to Washington on Wednesday last and joined the Maryland Mrs. Stephen Bostic and Mrs. Jenny Chester, Pa., spent Sunday with Mr. visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emile Moore.

Mrs. William R. Wilson is on the delegation who called upon our Sen- Cannon, of Price, spent Thursday with and Mrs. William Thawley.

Mr. C. B. .Ha.rbidge is spending this ard Walls, spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Elwood Walls. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Riddleberger, of Mrs. Ervin Chaney and Mr. and Mrs. aware. Grensboro, spent Sunday with Mr. and Percival Merrick spent Sunday with Mr.

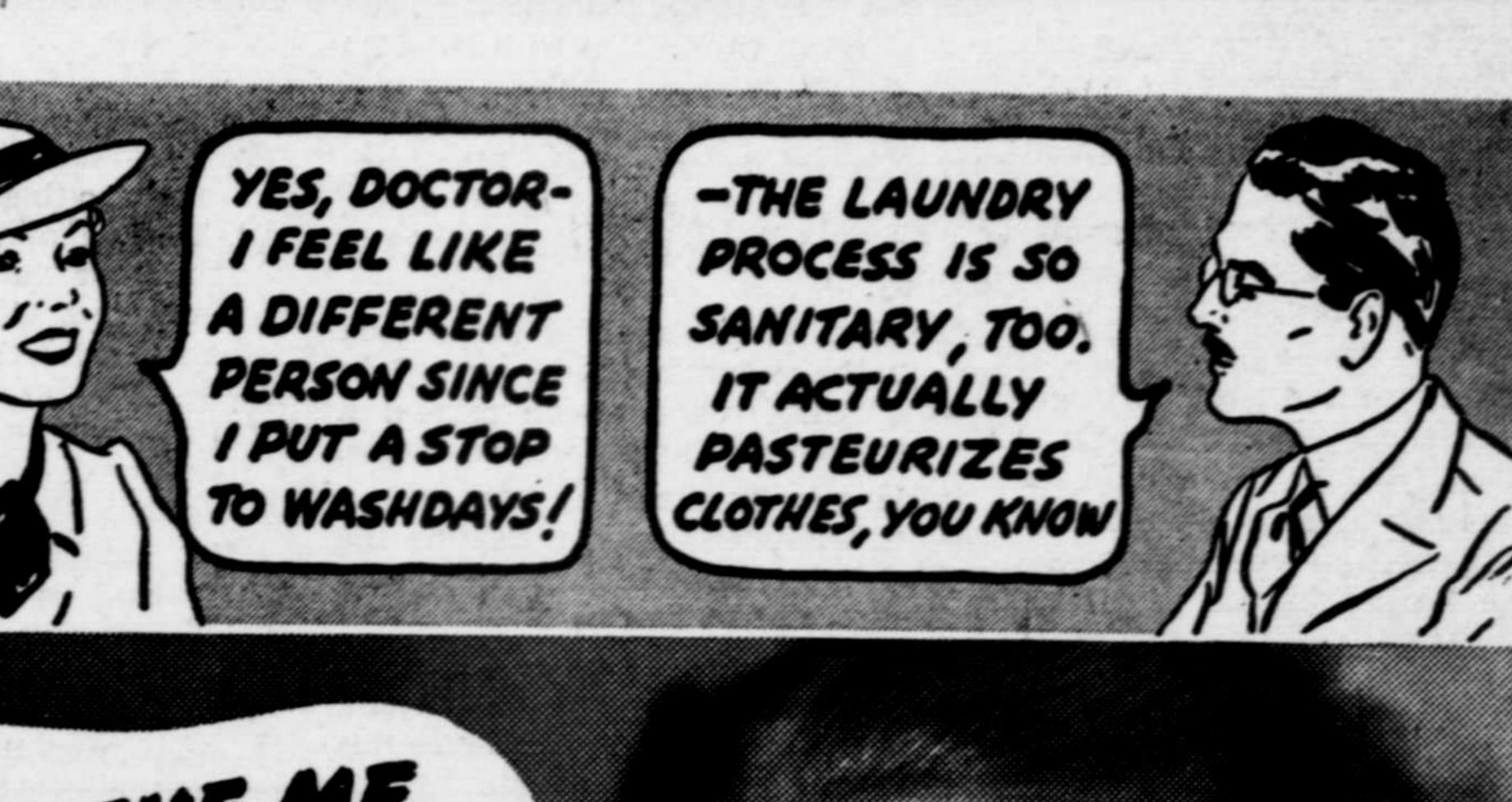
and Mrs. C. P. Merrick. Mr. Walter Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. Miss Margaret Merrick gave an in- Miss Anne Clements, spent Thursday

Mrs. Alva Thompson and Mrs. Leon- list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thawley, of Mrs. Alvin Moore, of Harrington, is Mrs. William R. Wilson is on the sick

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cannon, spent Sunday afternoon with relatives in Del-

Mrs. Spencer Merick, Mrs. Carrie Merrick and Mr. Bernard Merrick, and





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