msa_sc2901_scm8629-0720 ©Maryland State Archives

1,000 TO LOSE MD. ROAD JOBS

SUGGESTIONS MADE TO CLEAR UP FUND DEFICITS

After taking stock and finding that on September 30th, 1934, the State Roads Commission was $1,362,990.40 in the hole—with only $4.630.45 on hand to meet $641,539.64 in outstanding bills and $726,028.11 in county overdrafts—authorities turned to the admittedly difficult task of finding a way out.

Meanwhile, to effect the $187,000 monthly saving promised in Governor Ritchie's explanatory statement Thursday night, the State Roads Commission yesterday ordered a layoff of approximately one-third of its employes throughout the State and placed the rest on a part-time basis. It was estimated that about 1,000 men would be dismissed.

Three of the possibilities under discussion are as follows:

A $3,000,000 bond issue, to cancel the county overdrafts, pay off the outstanding bills, give the counties which have not overdrawn a fair share ($726,081.11) in the proceeds and allow the city its customary thirty per cent, or approximately $897,000.

A bond issue, or provision by some other means, of the money necessary to take care of the county overdrafts, to be repaid in annual installments deductible from the annual allotments to the overdrawn counties over a period of years.

Complete withdrawal of State participation in the road work of the overdrawn counties until the allotments they normally would receive were sufficient to take care of the overdrafts—thereby shifting back to those counties the burden of debt service, maintenance, etc.

Can Win An Operation

Anyone wishing an operation for relief from appendicitis may win one at the annual midwinter frolic of the medical-dental round table in Chicago, Saturday, Dec. 8.

The operation will be among the prizes given along with one tooth extraction job and three due bills for dental work.

Hospitals of the Eastern Shore have organized to sponsor a program designed to take those institutions out of the "red" resulting from the expense of treating the large number of free patients. William S. Gordy, Jr., was elected president; Filford Nathan, Cambridge, first vice president.

The eve of repeal's first anniversary—what is the story Delaware has to tell?

About 110,000 gallons of liquors passed through legal channels to the consuming public since Repeal Day last December and an additional 90,000 gallons roughly estimated, were sold to the public by bootleggers.

STILL POND

Mrs. John Jarvis spent last week in Baltimore with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Warren visited with his mother, Mrs. Annie Warren, over the week-end.

Miss Jane Bowers, of New York, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bowers, last week.

Julian Loller and parents, of South Hampton, spent last week-end with Mrs. Gertie Bradley.

The True Crusaders held their monthly business and social meeting at the home of Alan Joiner, of near town, on last Wednesday evening.

Many of the young people were entertained at a party by the Misses Helen and Ruth Harris last Friday evening at the home of their brother, John, of neor Betterton.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mann and family visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Crossley, of near Sudlersville, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Medders, and J. L. Price spent last Thursday and Friday in Westminster with Rev. and Mrs. O. K. Robinson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Eliason, of New Castle, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Anspont and family, of Washington, D. C., spent the holiday with Walter Davis.

John Johnston, of New York, and son, John, Jr., of New Jersey, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. William Clark and family.

Miss Louise Toulson, of Wilmington, spent the holiday with her sister, Mrs. William Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark visited with her mother in Wilmington last Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fairheller and daughter, of Philadelphia, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Toulson.

Lieut. and Mrs. Howard Harper and son, of New Jersey, and Mrs Lavania Harper, of Baltimore, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs F. B. Harper.

Miss Eleanor Ford and friend who are attending college in Virginia spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ford, of near town.

Edward Hepburn, who attends the McDonough School in Baltimore, visited with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Edward Hepburn, over the holidays.

Andred Leasage, Mr. and Mrs Oliver Nicholson and family spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. James Leasage, of Smyrna, Del. Mrs Andrew Leasage returned home after spending three weeks Smyrna and Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. Keller Crouse, of Denton, visited with Mr. and Mrs Oliver Nicholson last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Norris and Mrs. Elmer Atwell and son, Joe visited with Mrs. C. E. Cornelius, of near Galena, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Everett and son, of Sassafras, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Price and son visited with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Price or Thursday.

The Ladies' Aid held their annual coin card social on Friday evening at the church. An interesting program was presented to a large attendance.

The Woman's Club took part in the pageant held at Rock Hall on Monday evening.

Shore Hospitals Will Fight The Walker bill

FEAR LEGISLATION WOULD PUT SMALL HOSPITALS OUT OF BUSINESS. ORGANIZE CAMPAIGN

The announcement of Dr. Walker, a Baltimore physician, who is to present a bill to the Legislature, which, if passed, will put upon country hospitals a burden so staggering that some of them will have to close, has put all of the Eastern Shore Hospitals on the defensive. Walker wants to limit the nurses' training schools in all but seven hospitals in the State thus compelling those hospitals without such schools to employ graduate nurses at $35 or $40 a week and board. There is not a small hospital in the State that can afford to do this.

A crowded meeting representing the Cecil county, Chestertown, Easton, Cambridge, Salisbury and Crisfield hospitals, was held on Wednesday at Salisbury, and steps were taken to combat the Walker bill in the legislature. A number of Eastern Shore Senators and House Members were present,and all promised to fight valliantly against the bill.

There was much feeling endorsed in the discussion. One speaker said that he regretted that Walker had felt he must take over the affairs of nursing, and that he did not believe that Walker was in any sense informed sufficiently about nursing. He further said the nurses would never presume to interfere with any of the acts governing the practice of medicine, and the nurses cannot understand Walker thinking it his duty to undertand nursing.

The meeting resulted in a committee who will canvas the members of the House of Delegates and Senators of the Shore. There is no doubt but that there will be nine votes against it in the Senate and 31 in the House. Two Western Shore Senators are known to be against this Walker scheme, which will insure its defeat in the Senate. The hospitals all over the State are organizing to fight this bill, a meeting of them all being held on Tuesday.

It strikes at the very life blood of five-sixths of the hospitals of the State, and they do not propose to let Walker get away with his scheme.

P. T. A. To Hold Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the P. T. A. of Chestertown High School will be held Monday evening at 8.00 at the high school.

There will be a general discussion relative to changes in the high school. W. J. Stenger, Principal of the school, will lead the discussion.

Every one is cordially invited and a large number is expected.

Thursday Morning Musicale

The assembly of Thursday morning, December 13th, will be featured by a musical program to be presented by three guest artists from Peabody Conservatory. Heretofore the musical programs by Peabody groups have been presented by men. The program for Thursday morning will be presented by a female trio, including vocalist, violinist, and pianist.

The public is cordially invited to this program.

OPEN EVENINGS 'TIL 9 P. M.

See Our Displays

NATHAN'S
Furniture Store
Chestertown, Maryland.

An honored name FOR HALF A CENTURY!

And now as the liquor business settles to normalcy, the tried, true, trustworthy brands of Records & Goldsborough are more appreciated than ever

MELROSE
Old Judge · Linwood

Among our many other popular brands:

Sweetheart Gin — My Favorite
Mountain View — Sloe Gin
Celebrated Stomach Bitters

RECORDS & GOLDSBOROUGH, Inc.
Rectifiers & Importers
117-119 W. Lombard St., Baltimore, Md.
Calvert 2292-2807

FOR CHRISTMAS....
A hint to the shopper

Give a KODAK

AT our store you'll find countless suggestions for Christmas gifts. For example, there's the Kodak Six-20 (shown above) with f.6.3 lens. Costs only $17.50. It gets delightful 2¼ x 3¼ inch snapshots—even indoors at night with Kodak "SS" Film and Photoflood lamps.

For an inexpensive camera gift, we have the Jiffy Kodak. Model Six-20 for 2¼ x 3¼ inch pictures is a real "buy" at only $8.

Drop in and look around. See our complete assortment of Eastman albums and photo supplies. You'll surely find the gift you know they want.

Select Your Gift Now While Our Stock Is Complete.... Make A Small Deposit And Have It Reserved For Christmas

J. S. KREEGER
Phone 53J — Chestertown, Md.

Avoid Starting Troubles this winter

Oils which thicken like cold molasses cause so much "drag" that your starter cannot snap the motor over.

The right kind of motor oil enables cold motors to start easily these winter days.

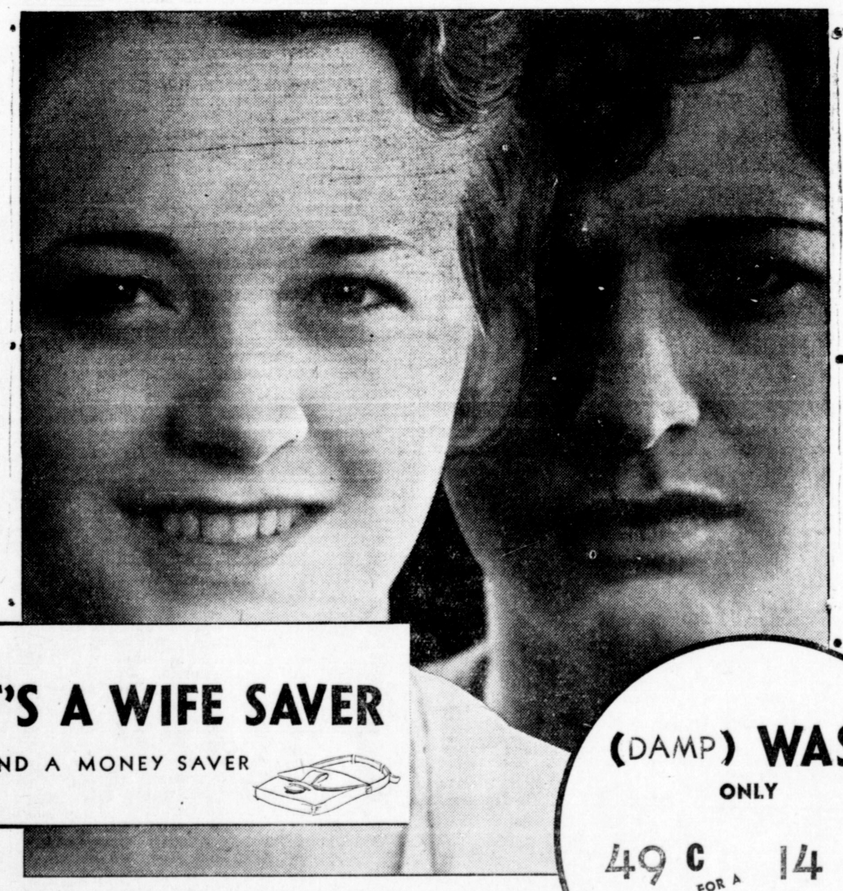
Sunoco 20-W *flows* freely even at zero. That's why it makes winter starting easier and gives instant, safe lubrication.

Car manufacturers recommend 20-W. (Pontiac 10-W)

20-W SUNOCO MERCURY MADE MOTOR OIL

Makes ZERO starting easy!

FOR TEMPER... AVERAGING BELOW ZERO ... 10-W



IT'S A WIFE SAVER
• AND A MONEY SAVER

(DAMP) WASH ONLY 49 c FOR A 14 POUND BUNDLE
3 c FOR EACH ADDITIONAL POUND

• this wonderful NEW HOME WASHING SERVICE ...offered at this special "bargain" price ...takes all the heavy, wearing work of washday off your hands...out of your life

YES, the world *is* growing better. Women are smarter, too. They've stopped wearing themselves out—getting old and haggard before their time. They realize they owe it to themselves—to their husbands and children — to let someone else do "the heavy work." Especially the washing—most tiring (and most menial) of all household tasks. Why should any woman wear herself out—break down her strength—endanger her health over the family wash? Especially now when we are offering ( ) Wash—the new home washing service at a price everyone can afford.

"Treat Yourself" to a day a week ...EVERY WEEK

Just the *thought* of that weekly wash is enough to make any woman tired. But imagine having a whole day every week for yourself—to do the things you really enjoy doing. Isn't that enough to make you decide right here and now that you're through being a washwoman? That you're going to start saving yourself—*and your money*—by letting the laundry do your washing? Of course. Then, phone us, tell us *what day* you want us to call for your bundle. We'll wash your clothes in rich, warm suds of purest soap. We'll rinse them in gallons and gallons of crystal-clear water. We'll send them back beautifully clean—*ready to iron.* And here's the best part. We'll only charge you 00 cents for a 00-pound bundle, and 0 cents for each additional pound. Which you'll agree is a real "bargain."

McCORD LAUNDRY
INCORPORATED
PHONE 399 — CHESTERTOWN, MD.