New Hospital Wing To Start Soon

New encouragement for an early start in building the new Memorial Hospital wing was expressed by Georgre D. Olds, Chairman of the Building Committee, after theBoard meeting late last month. "A long list of obstacles beyond our control has pushed back our expected date for breaking ground by a couple of months," said Mr. Olds. "Principle among these have been the shortage of technical manpower in the offices of architects and engineers with prior commitments to other hospital communities, notably Annapolis. In all except the boiler room wing, plans and specifications are virtually compete, the boiler an dassociated equipment calling for specialized designing skil."

It was further pointed out by the Chairman that the one-third of overall cost assured from federal fund presents its timing problems. Not only did the U. S. Public Health Service insists on additional steel columns not considered necessary by our experienced architects, thus making ncessary redrawing of plans, but the Hill-Burton Act requires reference to the Departmnt of Labor or wage specifications for their imposition of mimnimum rates. While a recent survey in Easton by their representative seemed to assure no controversy, the many weeks waiting fo rthe Labor Department's schedule has seriously held up the finish of specifications.

Assuming prompt government approval of final specifications the project should be issued to a list of general contractors by the first of the new year. This should result in letting the contract by February, unless all bids are found unsatisfactory, as might, of course, happen. Breaking ground should follow soon thereafter.

Chestertown Boy Wins 4-H Conservation Honors

Bill Sutton, 19-year-old Chestertown farm youth, was recognized Monday by the Firestone Tire and Rubber Company as a 4-H sectional winner in soil and water conservation at Chicago, Monday.

Young Sutton, one of sixteen sectional and national winners was presented at the first National 4-H Club Congress breakfast Monday.

There were 27 Marylanders at the big breakfast for 1,800 4-H Club members, leaders and guests.

The son of Stanley Sutton, assistant Kent county agent, Billy has been active in 4-H soil-conservation work for four years. He and his father work uot their conservation plans together, and Billy does the work.

Young Sutton says crop yields on the Sutton farm have been greatly increased through soil-conservation work. H said that in 1940 the corn yield was 40 bushels per acre, but this year it more than doubled at 90 bushels per acre.

"Manure from our dairy herd is one of our best crops," Bill says. We put about fifteen to twenty tons of manure on the alfalfa-orchard grass sod before it is plowed for corn every three years.

"We can afford to use more manure and fertilizer, because we know it isn't going to wash away."

Bill, a member of the 4-H Clover Calf Club, was named national champion Holstein-Friesian 4-H Club boy earlier in the year.

Democratic Unit Spent $103,158 for Campaign

The Democratic Campaign Committee of Maryland spent a total of $103,158.18 and received in contributions $103,482.68, according to a report filled last week in Circuit Court by George L. Radcliffe, treasurer for the committee.

The committee reported a balance of $324.50 but estimated bills payable in the amount of $15,097.

Mr. Radcliffe reported that $30,000 of the receipts came from a Democratic dinner.

Among the larger contributors listed were E. Brooke Lee, $3,500; Morton Macht, $2,000; George P. Mahoney, Abigail Mahoney and Millard E. Tydings, $1,500 each; William Wheeler, $1,250; George H. Fallon, William H. Mahoney, Jacob Blaustein and Homer Gudelsky, $1,000 each.

The Republican State Central Committee, through Charles B. Jackson, its treasurer, reported contributions of $46,604.74 and expenditures of $45,138.26, Unpaid bills amounnt to $1,172.06, Mr. Jackson disclosed.

Most of the receipts came from Republican committees, either national or State, although two large contributors who donated $1,500 each were Mrs. Donaldson Brown and Mrs. G. B. Brown.

R. Emmet Bradley, treasurer for George H. Fallon, successful Democratic candidates for Congress from the Fourth Congressional District, reported receipts of $5,935 and expenditures totaling $5,924.46 Contributors of $250 each were William C. Rogers, Howard Bruce and Mr. bradley.

The general election campaign fund for George P. Mahoney, unsuccessful Democratic candidate for United States Senate, listed contributions totalling $36,850 and expendiures of $36,831.44. William P. Webb was treasurer of the fund.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Queen Anne's County letters Testamentary on the personal estate of MARY W. WRIGHT or MARY W. WRIGHT ANDERSON or MARY W. WRIGHT SUTTON, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 12th day of June 1953, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given undr my hand this twenty-fifth day of November, 1952.

F. WHITEFIELD COLEMAN
Executor.

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