THOUSANDS TO DANCE ON PRESIDENT'S BIRTHDAY

Event Will Be Celebrated Practically In Every Community

Thousands in Maryland will dance country, to form a fund to combat inon Saturday, January 29, when the fantile paralysis wherever and when-President's Birthday Parties will be ever an epidemic breaks out, to maincelebrated in practically every com- tain research activities in the disease, munity of the state. The President's and to give funds to institutions work organized and developed by the where infantile paralysis is treated. This plan has been indersed by lead-known as the Cecil County Coopera-Known as the Cecil County Coo munity of the state. The President's and to give funds to institutions ing physicians and doctors throughwill be held the night before. All of the money derived from these out the United States. In letters to parties will be used to fight infantile Senator Radcliffe, Dr. G. E. Bennett, Episcopal Church on the Eastern paralysis. Senator George L. Rad- for the Maryland League for Crippled Shore

cliffe, chairman of the parties com- Children, and the Children's Hospital nittee in Maryland, stressed the point School, and Dr. Allen F. Voshell, for ber of the staff, as Horace B. Lilley, hat the celebrations are in no manner the James L. Kernan Hospital for be considered political, or partisan, Crippled Children, voiced their combut are purely a means of raising plete indorsement of the new method of distributing the funds. funds to combat the dread disease.

brations in the state will be new in Dr. Alan H. Chesney, Dean of the Baltimore at the Fifth Regiment Johns Hopkins Medical School, in at St. John the Baptist Church at Armory. Two orchestras will afford which he tells of work which has been Milton and St. George's Church, Indian continuous dancing and even while done at his institution with funds re- River, Del. acts of entertainment and presenta- ceived from the birthday parties and tions of dignitaries are under way, expresses his approval of the new Officers Elected By tinue their dancing in another section | The committee in charge of arrangements for the parties throughout of the armory floor.

In former years, the receipts from the state includes, besides Chairman the Presidential Birthday Balls have Radcliffe, Governor Harry W. Nice, Anniversary Banquet To Be been divided on a 70-30 per cent basis, Honorary Chairman, Mayor Howard 30 per cent being allocated to the na- W. Jackson, Attorney General Herbert tional fund for research and 70 per R. O'Connor, Dr. G. E. Bennett, Dr. cent being turned over to children's Alan M. Chesney, Dr. Allen F. Vo-munity Volunteer Fire Company of hospitals and similar institutions in shell, Dr. G. Canby Robinson, Dr. H. Perryville has elected the following the communities in which the funds C. Byrd, Howard Bruce, B. Howell officers for the ensuing year: Presiwere raised. This year the proceeds Griswold, Jr., Charles M. Cohen, dent, Mrs. T. W. Reynolds; senior from all of the parties throughout the Manuel Wendler, Charles M. Cumings, vice-president, Mrs. Lannie Thomp-United States will be turned over to Philips Lee Goldsborough, John K. son; junior vice-president, Miss Edith the non-political, non-partisan board Shaw, Joseph P. Healy, Allan McLane DeWeese; secretary, Mrs. Ella E. of men, well known throughout the and John E. Semmes.

of the campaign.

the Belvedere.

by an overwhelming majority.

tion of capital, Louisiana mapped its mauling."

STATE LIFTS TAX BURDEN; NEW

Reports

Louisiana's drive to stimulate in-program to stimulate investment

pendent on circulation of capital, is can follow this program and relieve

proving successful, Governor Richard the problem of unemployment," he

W. Leche reports in a formal review added. "The State does not wonder

tax lifting constitutional amendment attitude on the part of the State gov-

dustrial investment, based on the Governor Leche pointed out.

Easing the tax burden on industries creating jobs."

Accepts Appointment As Curate of Cecil Parish

The Rev. Edward H. Ehart, of the P. E. Diocese of Delaware has accepted the appointment as curate to the Rev. Dr. J. Warren Albinson, rector of the P. E. parishes of Trinity, Elkton, St. Mark's, Akin, and St. James', Port

The combination, which is a new plan in the rural field of religious tive Parish, and is the largest and

Mr. Ehart comes as the third memof Elkton, who for the past two years has been working with Dr. Albinson as lay assistant, will continue in that capacity. As curate of the parish, Mr. Probably the largest of these cele- A letter has also been received from Ehart will live in Port Deposit.

Mr. Ehart has been priest in charge

Held Feb. 4th

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Com-Hackler; financial secretary, Mrs. Pearl Biddle; treasurer, Miss Myrna January 17 to initiate immediately McMullen; chaplain, Mrs. Hampton Ruth; historian, Mrs. Elizabeth Lawrence; chairman of social activities. bers will draw up immediate plans INDUSTRIES AND JOBS IS REWARD Mrs. Sadie Morrison; captain of pafor a series of adult educational rades, Mrs. Elizabeth Minker. The broadcasts to be presented over the auxiliary, which now has a member- Columbia network as part of their Louisiana's Experiment Bears Fruit In First Year, Governor ship of 159 paid up members has extensive project. turned over to the company during the past two years, the sum of \$450. The annual anniversary banquet of Fire Damages Pippin Home the fire company will be held Friday, theory that prosperity is directly de- "Louisiana believes that any State Feb. 4.

Dr. Toy Honored where the jobs are coming from, it is | Charles M. Toy, near Chesapeake City, a graduate of Clark University was the principle of the theory, and The State's plan, as explained by at Worcester, Mass., who holds a Governor Leche reports that it has the Governor, is embodied in two master's degree from Columbia Unicreated new industrial investments factors: (1) a ten year property tax- versity, and is now an assistant in The second story of the building was tetalling \$47,000,000; has created 10,- exemption amendment to the State's psychiatry in the medical school of 000 jobs in the construction field alone Constitution, lifting the burden from the University of Buffalo, has been and about 15,000 new permanent jobs. new industrial units arising in the honored by election to the James A. The drive for new industries began State and from established plants that Gibson Anatomical Society of the Mr. Harry Balling Becomes late in 1936 when voters ratified a desire to expand and (2) a reassuring University of Buffalo Medical School.

Red Men Elect Officers

"Operating on the theory that pros- business will not suffer from burdenperity is directy dependent on circua- some taxes or political and legislative The following officers have been Little of Rising Sun, and several other A card party will be held on Januelected by Little Elk Tribe, Red Men, young ladies were the victim of the ary 21st, 1938, at 8 p. m., at Calvert Treasury for systematic saving. The 33.42 per cent of the sales. of Cherry Hill: Sachem, George H. slippery road, and Miss Little's car High School, for benefit of the Sen-Campbell; senior sachem, Wesley in which they were riding overturned. iors. Prizes will be given and refresh-Founds; junior sachem, Edward Mr. Harry Balling, of Rising Sun, on ments served. Truitt; chief of records, Joseph Steele; his way home from Newark, saw At Calvert keeper of wampum, Samuel Moffett; the accident happen and played the collector of wampum, H. H. Davis; part of the Good Samaritan. He helped prophet, Julius Crouch; trustees, Fred the young ladies from the overturned A fairly representative group of C. Brittenbach, W. C. Miller, and W. car, found that none of them were palmer McFadden.

While enroute from Florida, to his organization, who brought with her 20-foot embankment near Beacon Hill

to our form of government. Parading into another war. Giving the Panay Grace: Councilor, Mrs. Lillian Counder all sorts of humanatarian incident as a typical incident which bourn; associate councilor, Mrs. Lola propaganda "peace" societies and came very near getting us into war. Stephens; vice-councilor, Miss Lillian other worthy objectives alien forces Dr. Bussey spoke of some of the Davis; secretary, Miss Sylvia C. Rimare seeking to overthrow our govern- things the Women's International mey; associate secretary, Mrs. Ora ment by changing the thought-ways League has done, such as supporting Chance; financial secretary, Mrs. Reof our people. Women of today must and encouraging the Nye investiga- becca Charshee; treasurer, Miss Dora not be deceived and should investigate tion of the munitions industries, and Bond; guide, Mrs. Margaretta Fredthoroughly any organization which promoting in every way possible the erick; inside guard, Mrs. Elizabeth spirit of good will among all the ine Berricker; junior past councilor, The Maryland State Society, Mrs. women of the world. This organiza- Mrs. Maud Kimball; junior associate Wilbur B. Blakeslee, State Regent, is tion stands on the principle that last- past councilor, Mrs. Nettie Walters.

Savings Accounts

Latest banking figures show that banks throughout the United States, account is \$691.62.

Civil Service Examina-

Main Street, starting at 1.30. The patronage of the public is solicited.



Government Debt

Announce Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Vandiver

New Estimates Reveal Every American Family's Share Higher

The United States Civil Service

Commission has announced open com-

and Veterans' Administration.

ing positions:

than two-fold during the past nine 000-mark.

each Federal fiscal year, July 1:

since July, 1933.

Year 1929	Number of Families 29,500,000	Gross Debt In Millions 16,931	Per Family Debt 574
1930	30,000,000	16,185	540
1931	30,300,000	16,801	554
1932	30,500,000	19,487	639
1933	30,700,000	22,539	734
1934	30,900,000	27,053	876
1935	31,100,000	28,701	923
1936	31,300,000	33,545	1,072
1937	31,500,000	36,425	1,156
1938	31,600,000	37,278	1,180

financial statements of the Treasury 572,277.

Card Party

Benefit Movie

On Wednesday, January 26th, 1938,

Rev. Lewis of Japan To

forthcoming today, as the Rev. Dr. J. guests. Mrs. Harry T. Alexander is Warren Albinson announced that the chairman. preacher on February 25 will be the Rev. H. M. Lewis, of Koriyama, Japan. Father Lewis is canonically connected with the Japanese Church in the Diocese of Tohoku, where he is in charge of the Church of Saints Peter regular session on Tuesday, January read. and Paul.

Sponsored by the Cecil County Co- Applications were received from ter officers, Mrs. Kepler gave her reoperative Parish, a union of four of Mr. Guy Ward and Mr. John B. Kirk port of the State Board meeting on the Episcopal Churches in the county, for positions on the janitorial staff of Jan. 4 at the Belvedere, Baltimore. the missionary mass meetings are de- the new Elkton High School. The At this time plans were discussed for signed to arouse interest in the work Board considered these applications the annual State Conference to be of the Church in other fields. The con- but took no action. gregations of St. Mark's Church, The name of the local high school 17. Mrs. Frances Parkinson Keyes, Aikin, St. James' Church, Port De- was officially changed by the Board nationally known writer and editor of posit, and St. Stephen's, Cecilton, will from the Cecil County High School to the D. A. R. magazine will be the join with the local Parish for the the Elkton High School.

The missionary program will open were approved by the Board—for the the State Board will hold a reception with the first service at 7.30 p. m., elementary schools January 24th and for all members and guests, in honor January 28, when the Rev. G. War- 25th-for the high schools, January of the speaker, preceding the evening field Hobbs, D. D., of New York City, 25th and 26th. will be the preacher. Dr. Hobbs, a The remainder of the time was spent former newspaper man, is a speaker in inspecting the new Elkton High nates to represent the chapter at the of national reputation and is now edi- School and planning for the purchase State Conference resulted in the foltor of the Spirit of Missions and and installation of equipment. chairman of the Department of Pub- The Board then adjourned. licity, National Council of the Episcopal Church.

Mrs. Ella E. Rust Dies

died on Tuesday evening.

DR. FRANCE DENIES POLITICS SENT WIFE OUT OF COUNTRY

petitive examinations for the follow-Former G. O. P. Presidential Aspirant Testifies At Elkton In Junior graduate nurse, \$1,620 a His Suit For Divorce year, U. S. Public Health Service,

trial classification analyst, \$2,600 to nection with his wife's departure for plea for her return. \$4,600 a year, Social Security Board. Paris in 1931.

Full information may be obtained Daniel Joseph, attorney representfrom H. E. W. Bouchelle, Secretary ing Mrs. Tatiana V. D. France, asked Joseph also asked Dr. France, Senof the U. S. Civil Service Board of Dr. France whether he had announced ator from 1917 to 1923, whether he of Daughter wife was a Russian.

Alleges Desertion

their daughter, Anna Sue Reynolds to vorce action on grounds of desertion, France's secretary, testified Mrs. Mr. Phillip S. Goodwin, on January denied political considerations had any France left the estate at Port De-7th, 1938, at Newark, Delaware. They bearing on the suit. He added he posit in April, 1931, did not return left immediately after the ceremony asked his wife to go on a campaign until June, then left again in Septemto spend the honeymoon in New York tour with him.

Mrs. France, a heavy fur coat Dr. France married the daughter

Dr. Joseph I. France, one-term | France put into the records letters Associate wool technologist, \$3,200 United States Senator from Mary- and cables which passed between the a year, Bureau of Agricultural Eco- land, in a divorce hearing yesterday couple after 1931. Most of his, he in the Circuit Court denied his as- said, asked her to return. There also Industrial classification analyst, and pirations to the 1932 Republican was one record of a transatlantic Adult Education Board senior, associate, and assistant indus- Presidential nomination had any con- telephone call which, he said, was a

Denies Visa Message

Examiners, at the post office in this his candidacy before his wife left. Jo- had cabled the American Ambassador seph told the court he would try to at Paris not to issue a visa to Mrs. show Dr. France's "political agent" France for her return here. Dr. had advised him "no American wom- France denied this, and said his wife, an would vote for him" because his an American citizen, would not need

Court recessed until today after Reynolds announce the marriages of Dr. France, who brought the di- Mrs. Helen Craig Thompson, Dr.

> thrown over the back of her chair, of a Russian Czarist judge in 1927. put her hands over her face as Dr. The wedding took place at Paris.

BUYING OF U.S. SAVINGS BONDS EXCEEDS \$1,000,500,000 MARK

upon this week to pay its share of United States savings bonds, making cording to the statement. the Federal Government's debt, would these bonds the most widely held Illinois residents have been the owe \$1,180, new estimates disclose. | single security in the United States, heaviest buyers of the savings bonds, The new debt figure, as compared to according to an announcement by Sec- taking \$132,267,925 in maturity value, a broad new program of activity in the per family debt share of 1929, retary Morgenthau. Investment in the with New York State's citizens second,

> mature at the end of 10 years for 331/3 \$7,202,425. per cent more than their purchase price, the sale, expressed in maturity Studies of the sales showed that value, amounted to \$1,334,088,243. the bond of \$100 maturity value was This represents a daily average ma- most popular, accounting for 30.34 turity value sale of \$1,571,364 for per cent of the sales , with the \$25 each of the 850 business days, which bond second, accounting for 23.48 per

have elapsed since March 1, 1935, cent, and the \$1000 bond third, acwhen the bonds were first offered. | counting for 18.48 per cent. January 1 and based on population responding period, they totaled \$473,- \$50 and \$100 units.

Sales to Regular Buyers

have adopted the plan offered by the form of registration accounting for each month.

any one year, in terms of maturity total—The Christian Science Monitor.

Washington-Approximately 1,200,- value, many investors round out their Every family in America, if called 000 persons own \$1,000,566,182 of holdings to this figure each year, ac-

shows the burden has increased more savings bonds passed the \$1,000,000,- having bought \$96,221,625. Pennsylvania was third with \$76,495,000. New years, the greatest increase coming While 4,500,000 of th so-called baby Jersey sales amounted to \$26,301,775, bonds have been sold for a cash price staning sixteenth on the list, and Con-The increase is shown in the follow- of \$1,000,566,182, inasmuch as the necticut stood thirty-seventh on the ing table, calculated at the end of bonds are sold on a discount basis and list of states, with sales amounting to

\$100 Bond the Favorite

Annual sales of the bonds have More than 50 per cent of the sales steadily increased, Mr. Morgenthau in terms of dollars were bought in reported. For the 10-month period in denominations of more than \$100, but 1935, sales amounted to \$259,000,825, more than 85 per cent of the pur-The 1938 figure is calculated as of maturity value; in 1936 for the cor- chasers are in the groups buying \$25,

estimates of the Census Bureau and 515,141, and to date in 1937, \$601,- About 85 per cent of the sales were made to individuals, 9.71 per cent to banks and remainder to corporations About 120,000 individual investors and other groups. The most popular buy savings bonds every month, many registration was by the names of two of them being regular purchasers who persons, as husband and wife, this

> population centers, sales in cities of Since, under the law, a single buyer more than 100,000 population acmay take up to 10,000 of the bonds in counting for 44.54 per cent of the

Elkton To Meet

The Women's Club of Elkton will meet in the M. E. Church House next Tuesday afternoon, January 18th, erine M. Goodson were hostesses to Speak At Missionary Service 1938, at 2.30 p. m. Mrs. Irvine L. er Miller, State Chairman of Patriotic the Head of Elk Chapter D. A. R. at Further details concerning the pro- Education of Maryland D. A. R., will the home of Mrs. Young on Tuesday gram of missionary services to be be the guest speaker. The Head of Elk afternoon, Jan. 11. Mrs. Irvin T. Kepheld at Trinity Church here were Chapter of D. A. R. will be invited ler, regent, opened the meeting with

Bertha D. Phillips, cor. Sec'y.

Board of Education Meets

A. F. Van Lill Acquires

Mrs. Ella E. Rust, proprietor of George Woodall and Louis M. Jones bers were invited to the dining room, Elkton Beauty Shoppe, was removed as distributor for the Watkins Prod- where a beautiful large birthday cake to the Homeopathic Hospital, Wil- ucts. He will carry a complete line and other attractive refreshments mington, Del., on Monday, where she of these products for farm and home were served in honor of the chapter's

Members Of D. A. R. Entertained Tuesday

use of ritual, Mrs. J. Wirt Lynch acting as chaplain. After salute to the flag, Mrs. Kepler read a Scripture selection, and this being the birth month of Benjamin Franklin, a number of interesting articles from his The Board of Education met in Almanac, written in 1756, were also

After the usual reports from chapheld in Baltimore on March 16 and speaker on the evening of March 16. The mid-year examination dates The State Regent and members of

An election of delegates and alterlowing: Delegates, Mrs. Irvin Kepler, Miss Mollie Howard Ash, Mrs. J. Wirt Lynch. Alternates: Mrs. H. Arthur Cantwell, regent's alternate; Watkins Route Mrs. Harry J. Alexander, Mrs. Charles M. Day.

Mr. A. F. Van Lill succeeds Messrs. Business adjourned, and the memseventh birthday.

State Conference to be held in March ing justice cannot be won by force. on the 16th and 17th at the Hotel = Belvedere. Mrs. Adolay G. Haus- zine and a noted author and lecturer ments.

they are asked to join."

itor of the National Historical Maga- Revolution are invited.

Defense Committee | Peace Meeting To Hold Field Day

Big Day Planned For February The Maryland State National De- lems effecting the peace of the world. fense Committee of the DAR through The meeting was called to order by George F. White Hurt When the Patriotic Education will have a Bertha Balderston, temporary chairfield day on Feb. 3 when Mrs. Vinton man of the Cecil County Branch of Earle Sisson, National Defense Chair- the Women's International League for man of the Committee will meet the Peace and Freedom. Mrs. J. B. Fas- home in Euclid, Mass., in a car Monentire state-wide personnel at an af- sitt led in singing appropriate songs. day night, George F. White, 65 years ternoon meeting in the Red Room of Dr. Gertrude Bussey, of Goucher old, a hotel executive, was seriously

mann, Gilman Country School, Balti-more, and Mrs. Frank Edmondson, will be the guest speaker on the night there are now approximately 42,500,are chairmen in charge of arrange- of March 16 following a reception in 000 savings accounts in all types of her honor to which the entire State

ernment that "industry, capital and

College, vice president of the national injured when the car went over a "The specific aims and objectives two other state officers introduced bridge, three times. The driver of of the National Defense Committee Mr. Mauritz Hallgren, author of "The the machine was picked up by a passvary with the trend of times," says Tragic Fallacy" who gave a very stir- ing automobilist and brought to Elk-Mrs. Irvine I. Miller, Maryland State ring address. Being himself a willing ton Hospital. An examination by Chairman of National Defense, "Time victim in the last war which was physicians disclosed that the injured was when the DAR fought almost victim in the last war which was fought man had suffered a slight fracture of alone for adequate military and naval because it was to be the last war a vertebra, so he was hurried to Jefdefenses. Now, strong national de- ocracy, and who has since found out ferson Hospital, Philadelphia. fense is a policy of the national gov- the truth of the situation which he ernment, and at present needs no urg- has given to the public through his Officers Elected By Council ing from patriotic societies. It is the book, told why he felt that the Ludenemy within our gates which now low Amendment should be supported The following officers have been needs our watchful attention. Never as it would give the people a chance elected and installed for the ensuing was there a time when subversive ac- to have some say as to whether sel- six months by Chesapeake Council, tivities constituted a greater menace fish business interests could lead us Daughters of Liberty, Havre de

Mrs. Frances Parkinson Keyes, Ed. Society, Daughters of the American 000,000. The average sum in each

The Ladies of the Presbyterian Church, Elkton, will hold a bake on Friday, January 14th, in the Elkton Gas Company office, East



Prof. Lyman Bryson Lyman Bryson, Professor of Education at Teachers' College, Columbia University, is chairman of Columbia's new Adult Education Board, a group of distinguished publicists, educators and civic leaders throughout the country who are meeting in New York on

The residential property of Leslie Pippin, in Elkton Heights, was damaged to the extent of about \$500 Tuesday by fire and smoke. Fire was discovered in the basement, evidently having started from the furnace. Before the firemen arrived the lower part of the house was badly burned. occupied as an apartment by the family of Holt McAllister.

Good Samaritan Department.

While on the way home from Wilmington Tuesday evening, Miss Ruth injured beyond a few bruises, and benefit movie at the New Theatre, that the only damage to the car was Elkton, featuring Myrna Loy and Wila bent tie-rod. Then Mr. Balling liam Powell in "Double Wedding." Car Goes Over Bank took the young ladies into his own car and delivered each one of them safely to her own home.

The Low Down From Hickory Grove

It seems like we just natural ly crave to be bamboozled. You go any place, like at a circus or a fair where some nimble stranger has three shells and one pea, and there is a crowd around him. And we bet the gentleman, we know which shell the pea is under—and we go home without our shirt.

But if a feller you know, and have seen before, if he has a bank, and he asks folks to put their money there for safe keeping and interest, it is not exciting enough.

And a person with some common sense idea about business, he don't get to first base with his ideas. He don't even get up to bat. He is an old fogey, and we don't want him around. But if some duck comes along

with something cracked, but new, and he says, boys, I have here what the country needs, we give him three cheers. And the gent pulls out a vial—a new elixir-that will cure everything. Sounds great.

So he shakes up his bottle and anoints us, and lo and beholdjust the same old medicine—and we mosey home again, half

Yours, with the low down, JO SERRA