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TO START COURT HOUSE BUILDING FIRST NEXT WEEK

$30,000 Project To Be Built With W. P. A. Labor

According to a telegram from Congressman T. Alan Goldsborough on Thursday the W. P. A. Offices had received a "Go" order on the Court House in Chestertown. This telegram was followed by a statement on Thursday by Mr. Joseph Brice that work on the building will start next week according to present plans.

This project will be completed at an estimated cost of $30,000, approximately two thirds of which will be furnished by W. P. A. funds. The Works Project Administration furnishes the labor and a portion of the material.

The plans of construction call for extending the width of the rear of the building to conform with the present wings on the front which will greatly enlarge the present offices on the first floor and the Court Room on the second floor. A retiring room for the Judges will be built in the court room extension and a rear outside stairway will be constructed for use of the Judges and also by the sheriff in bringing prisoners from the jail into the Court room.

Enlargement of the vault in the Clerk's office is one of the outstanding improvements and was instrumental in bringing about the project. The present vault is crowded to a point where valuable documents and records can not receive proper care.

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All persons are hereby warned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise on Godlington Manor, the property of Hiram S. Brown.
Coon hunters are especially notified to heed this warning.
HIRAM S. BROWN, Owner

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COMMITTEE:
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6 FT. TRAILOR with Stake sides. Made of Ford Parts. Also 29 FT. CANOE with Star Engine. Cheap for quick sale. Apply to,
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EIGHT DAIRY CATTLE
ONE PURE BRED GUERNSEY BULL
A herd of eighteen to select from. Some pure bred and some grades. Blood tested three times, no reactors. Accredited tuberculin test for 8 years. Average butterfat test is five per cent.
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Present
Three one act plays
"CHRISTMAS TRIMMINGS"
"THE CARAVAN"
"THE BRIDE WORE RED PAJAMAS"
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1936
William Smith Hall
Admission $.15 or by Season Ticket
Curtain at 8:15 P. M.
d5-1t*

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FEEDING MOLASSES.
MEAT and FEEDING SALT.
DAIRY and POULTRY FEED,
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JUST RECEIVED A CAR FOR HOG KILLING TIME.
PRICE RIGHT.
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ATTENTION

FEEDING MOLASSES
We have just received a car load. With the short roughage crop it will be worth while to take home a barrel. Price right.
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NOTICE

The Treasurer of Kent County will be ready to receive taxes on automobiles after November 30th.
WALTER T. MORRIS,
Treasurer.

FOR QUICK SALE $4500
In Chesertown, in excellent condition ten-room house, very desirable location bath, two porches, pantry, cellar, two fire-places, large lot with grape arbor, shrubbery, flowers and shade. Prompt possession.
TREHERNE ASSOCIATES,
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DEAD ANIMALS

We will haul away for you any DEAD HORSES, COWS OR ANY OTHER ANIMALS, if you notify us as soon as they die.
During the day call Chestertown, Md., Phone 20.
After 5 p. m. and on Sunday call A. J. Leonard, Chestertown, Md., Phone 199-W.

Theodore Redman Attending 4-H Congress

Theodore Redman is attending the International 4-H Club Congress at Chicago this week as one of the four 4-H representing Maryland. The other boys are from Harford, Howard and Frederick counties. Theodore won the honor to represent the County and State at Chicago by winning first place in the Live Stock Judging Contest which was held in connection with the Baltimore Livestock Show in early October.

The International Club Congress is attended by State winners in various 4-H club projects of the United States and Canada. Nearly three thousand club members and leaders are attending. In addition to the many 4-H meetings and tours held this week those attending have the opportunity to see the International Live Stock Show and the International Grain and Hay show. No 4-H club member can hope to see so much in any one program as the 4-H Club Congress offers. Our hats are off to Theodore and the other Maryland delegates. The boys are being accompanied by Mylo S. Downey, State Assistant in Club Work.

PRISON PICTURES TO BE SHOWN HERE

Maryland Prison Life In Pictures At Court House Thursday

The citizens of Chestertown and throughout all of Kent County are invited to an open public meeting to be held in the Court House at 8 o'clock on Thursday evening, December 10, to see the motion picture entitled "IDLE HANDS," and to hear an address on the topic of prison idleness in Maryland.

This meeting is being sponsored by A. Sydney Turner, Jr., who is a member of the Advisory Committee of the Maryland Commission on Prison Labor which was created by Joint Resolution 11 Acts of 1935 of the General Assembly.

The Commission has been studying the problem of prison idleness for more than a year and its final report is being submitted to the Governor and the members of the Legislature the middle of December. It will recommend ways and means of putting more than 2,000 idle inmates of Maryland's penal institutions to work.

The address of the evening will be given by Robert E. Vining, Chairman of the Commission on Prison Labor. His subject will be "The Problem of Maryland's Convict Idle."

The picture, IDLE HANDS, should be of particular interest to people of Kent County, because it was directed and edited by W. Raymond Moody of Chestertown who is the Eastern Shore representative of the Commission on Prison Labor and also the coordinator. It has been widely acclaimed, because it depicts in graphic presentation actual condtiions within the prison walls of Maryland, and marks the first time this ever has been done in any state in the Union. Requests for the film have been received from as far West as California.

It runs thirty minutes and shows scenes at the Penal Farm at Roxbury in Western Maryland, the Penitentiary and the House of Correction. It has been shown throughout the State and to the undergraduate groups of several of the colleges and universities.

CLINIC HERE DECEMBER 21ST

A clinic has been scheduled for Chestertown at 10 a. m. December 21st, by the Maryland Tuberculosis Association.

The clinic will be held at the health center and will be under the direction of Dr. Hurdle.

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IN ALL ITS BRANCHES
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One 1935, 1½ TON FORD TRUCK. Stake Body. A new engine has been installed and the truck is in first class condition. Can be seen at the garage of C. D. HICKS, Goose Hill, near Chestertown. d5-tf

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All persons are hereby notified against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise on my farm near Locust Grove.
MRS. LEWIN W. WICKES, Owner.

TRESPASS NOTICE

All persons are hereby warned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise on Worton Manor Farm Worton Point.
MRS. NORA C. MAXWELL,
Owner.

ANNOUNCEMENT
DR. F. A. HOLDEN will be at the Health Center, Chestertown,
EVERY THURSDAY
FROM 2 TO 5 P. M.
Practice limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Glasses prescribed.

DR. H. C. HUGHES
DENTIST
Office in the Telephone Exchange Building, Chestertown, Md.
PHONES: Office 223
Home 254

MARYLAND GRANGE AND FARM BUREAU SUGGEST TAX PLAN

Income Tax and Non-Diversion of Gasoline Tax Included in Plan

Six definite recommendation on Maryland's tax affairs are contained in the report of the joint tax committee of the Maryland State Grange and Maryland State Farm Bureau, according to C. E. Wise, Jr., secretary of the committee. The report will be presented to the annual meeting of the Farm Bureau in January, Mr. Wise reports. The committee is composed of 13 leaders of the two organizations with D. G. Harry of Harford county as chairman.

As reported by Mr. Wise, the six recommendations include (1) Strict economy in government and the minimum issuance of bonds, (2) Reactment of present special relief taxes as basic revenue sources for relief purposes, (3) Dedication, without diversion, of all highway revenue to road purposes, (4) Re-enactment of the act allocating 70 per cent of the 1½ percent gasoline tax revenue back to counties, (5) Reassessment of property in 1937, and (6) enactment of a state income tax on individuals as a means of reducing state and county taxes on real estate.

"Recommendations of the committee this year are in line with previous actions of organized farmers," Mr. Wise says in commenting on the report. "Farmers have long been interested in correcting the inequality of the tax load borne by real estate, and have urged a state income tax for its correction. They also supported the taking of the survey of Maryland's roads and urge the use of the information gained from it to secure a better balance in road expenditures between primary, secondary and farm to market roads. The committee also takes a definite stand against gross receipts or general sales taxes of any kind, in the belief that taxes can better be levied on abilities to pay rather than necessity of spending."

Health Officer Addresses Chestertown Rotary Club

Dr. Rolfe DuPuy, recently appointed Health Officer for Kent County addressed the Chestertown Rotary Club Monday night, his subject being Crippled Children Work in Kent County.

Dr. Du Puy stated that the health department holds clinics and diagnosis the cases but cannot treat or furnish equipment such as braces, crutches, etc. Much of the treatment and equipment is provided by the Maryland League for Crippled Children which organization has been materially aided by Federal funds.

Dr. Du Puy also spoke of the annual President's birthday ball which is held in all parts of the Country. Seventy per cent of the receipts from these charitable affairs is kept in the town or county where they are held for the purpose of aiding crippled children and the remaining thirty per cent is sent to Warm Springs, Georgia, where an extensive research department is maintained. There was no such affair held in Kent County this year.

The work among crippled children in the State is outstanding in view of the fact that many children are cured of deformities who would otherwise be handicapped throughout life. One of the chief difficulties in carrying on this work in rural communities is locating the cases when the child is young enough to properly react to the treatment.

The Rotary program Monday night was in charge of the Crippled Committee which is composed of Robert Nicholson, David McCauley and Lawrence G. Brown.

Washington Players To Present Three Act Show

On Thursday evening, in William Smith Hall the Washington Players will present a bill of one act plays which promises to have variety enough to satisfy all types of playgoers. Lelia Anthony will direct an amusing Christmas comedy, "Christmas Trimmings," which not only reveals the Christmas spirit in all its power but also an amusing commenlary on the manners of ladies and gentlemen.

A comedy, oddly entitled "The Bride comedy, oddly entitled "The Bride Wore Red Pajamas," catches the tempo of modern life admirably and presents an entertaining picture of modern methods of winning a bride. The bride, incidentally, does not wear red pajamas. Margaret Saulsbury will direct this comedy which promises to be one of the most amusing ever produced by the Players. A serious note will be added by a tense drama, Caravan, to be directed by Charles Benham whose former interests in the football world are now transferred to the stage for the winter. For those who like plays of an exciting temper with a point to their plots this drama will have a strong appeal. The Players this year are spending more time and energy on their one act play programs than ever before, and there is every reason to believe that the results will be even more satisfactory than they have been in the past.

P. T. A. TO MEET

The regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teacher's Association of the Chestertown Elementary School will be held at that school on Wednesday, December 9th at 3.15 p. m. Dr. Du Puy, Health Officre for Kent County, will address the meeting.

Samuel J. White Dies At Locust Grove

Mr. Samuel J. White, passed away at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary J. Brister, at Locust Grave, November 25 in his 80th year.

Mr. White was formally of Brownall, Pa., where for many years he was care taker of Brownall Schools.

He is survived by two daughters and one son, of Philadelphia, also one sister.

Funeral services was held from the home of his sister, Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m.

Rev. Barlow, officiating. Interment Still Pond cemetery. B. R. Fellows, undertaker.

The bearers were Messrs. Harry Jarvis, Joseph Rhodes, Hill Beaston, George Webb, Roland Comley, Ralph Miller. B. R. Fellows, undertaker.

YOUTHS ARRESTED FOR AUTO THEFTS

Taken After Gun Battle With Police

Two youths, Emmett Brown and William Green, age 18 years were arrested near Massey on Wednesday of this week by combined forces of Police following a chase from Delaware into Kent County.

Suspicioned in Delaware of operating a stolen car they outdistanced one police car, crippled another by firing bullets into the radiator and finally captured by a third with the aid of Maryland State police and Deputy Sheriff John Bennett after a twelve mile chase.

They admitted State Police Captain H. C. Ray of the Delaware State Police asserted, they traveled between the National Capital and Boston in stolen cars, were captured Wednesday after a 12-mile running gun fight.

When captured they were riding in a new Oldsmobile with North Carolina license plates and it is reported that they are wanted in a number of States. In the car with them was found pistols and rifles which were used in disabling the police car.

Wednesday's chase began in Dover, where a gas station attendant told police the youths drove off in a car without paying for eighteen gallons of gasoline.

It ended after Captain Ray and Private R. R. Smith discovered the youth's automobile wrecked on an abandoned farm near Massey. Ray said they were captured in a vacant lot in the town after a short chase on foot.

The youths admitted, Ray said, the theft of an automobile in Pocomoke City (Md.) November 17. They drove it to Washington, finally abandoning it several days later in Baltimore, where, Ray said, they stole another automobile and drove to Boston.

Returning to Washington, Ray asserted the youths told him they stole another car and headed North. Each driving a separate vehicle. One was damaged in an accident at College Park, Md., yesterday, and they continued to Dover in the car which figured in the chase.

When captured they laughed about it and considered their escapade as a huge joke. After their capture they were turned over to the Delaware Police who took them back to Dover.

Mrs. John Newnam Dies In Baltimore

Mrs. Bessie Newnam, of Church Hill, widow of the late John H. Newnam, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Austin Shure in Baltimore early Wednesday morning. She has been in failing health for some time and last Saturday Mrs. Shure took her to her home in Baltimore. Death was due to heart trouble. Although she spent most of her life near Church Hill, she lived for several years in Chestertown where she leaves many friends. She owned the Newnam Wharf farm at the mouth of Southeast Creek until recently when she sold it to Mr. T. H. Moyer.

She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Shure and one son, Mr. Harrison Newnam, of Louisana.

Funeral services were held at St. Lukes Church, Church Hill on Friday at 2 p. m. conducted by Rev. Mr. Eastburn and interment was made in Church Hill cemetery.

The bearers were: Messrs. Henry Bowen, James Brown, Ernest Brown, Nelson Brown, Edwin Valliant and J. B. Merrick.

Sanitary Officials Here This Week

Mr. E. O. Madison, Assistant Director, and Mr. H. A. Buckmaster, District Superintendant of Rural Sanitation, were in Kent County this week in the interest of establishing sanitation in towns of the county where there is no central sewerage system.

Meetings were held at Millington and Rock Hall at which time the need and advantages of establishing individual home systems were stressed. The advantages of establishing these systems while they are being constructed with W. P. A. funds were also shown.

New Health Nurse For Kent County

Miss Marion Hopkins, of Baltimore, arrived in Chestertown on Tuesday of this week where she will serve temporarily as the Public Health Nurse to fill the vacancy which was caused by the resignation of Miss Jean Klinefelter.

Miss Hopkins is loaned to Kent County by one of the Federal agencies. She is a graduate of the Maryland General Hospital in Baltimore.

WILL DISCUSS NEW FIRE HOUSE WITH COUNCIL MONDAY

Site Location Is Being Considered By Committee

A committee of the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company will meet with the Mayor and Council of Chestertown next Monday night for the purpose of discussing some very important matters pertaining to the new fire house. In order to file an application with the Federal Works Progress administration so that it can be considered as a works project. It will be necessary that the application be made by some political sub-division such as the Mayor and Council of Chestertown. This means that the town must sponsor the project although the fire company expects to assume the financial obligation.

It will also be necessary for the Mayor and Council to deed the present fire house to the fire company so that it can be sold and the proceeds used for payment on the new building or for the Council to sell it and apply the funds for that purpose. Although the present fire house was built by the fire company it was deeded to the town. These two important matters must be straightened out before further action can be taken toward building a new fire house.

Before the application can be filed it will also be necessary to select and purchase a site. A committee has been working on the selection of a suitable site and have submitted recommendations and prices but no definite action has been taken.

LOCAL AMBULANCE SERVICE ENDED

Machine Turned Over To Fire Company For Disposal

The Kent County Ambulance ended its career of community service this week when it was officially turned over to the fire company for disposition according to the wishes of that organization.

Since the ambulance was purchased in 1930 with money raised through public subscription and donations by the Rotary Club and Fire Company it has been operated on a shoe string with a continual struggle to get funds for its maintenance. The original system of operating with funds received by donations from those who used it proved a failure as the hundreds of people taken to and from hospitals did not show their appreciation by donating funds. The few who did donate was not sufficient to buy gasoline, oil and repairs.

Two years ago a policy of charging was adopted but collecting these charges proved so hard that meeting bills continued to be a worry. With 90,000 miles of road service, in which fire company members donating their time as drivers and attendants, the ambulance is off the road.

There is little likelihood that it will be replaced due to the fact that the service rendered by the local hospital has greatly reduced the demand, and those who tried to finance its operation are thoroughly convinced that its service, in the main, was not appreciated.

Employees At New Postoffice Named

Announcement was made this week of the appointment of four men for positions in the new Chestertown Postoffice. These appointments were made following the weeding out of a large number of applications for the jobs made to the United States Civil Service Department, approval by the Postoffice Department and the local postmaster. The appointments follow:

Harvey G. Blyman, probational fireman laborer, salary $1260 per year.

Charles Parker Coleman and Edward F. Smith, probational laborers, salary $1140 each per year.

Charles G. Clift, permanent charman, wages 50 cents per hour.

NEW BUILDING OPEN AFTER CHRISTMAS

The present plans are to move into the new building about December 28th. The rush of Christmas business will make it imparctical to move before Christmas and as the date for moving is left in the hands of Mr. William B. Usilton, Postmaster, the move will be made to best suit the business of the office and service to the public.

Arrangements are being made for a public inspection of the building before the opening date.

Old Field Farm Sold To Pennsylvania

Announcemnet was made this week of the sale of Old Field Point Farm, located on the Sassafras River near Galena and containing approximately 300 acres. The property was sold by Mrs. Eleanor Burns Levy to Mr. Harry Cannon of York, Pa.

This property is one of the historic old land marks in the county and for many years was the country home of the late Freeman I. Rasin, of Baltimore. It contains an old brick home and about two miles of water front and is considered one of the most beautiful water front properties in this county. The sale price was not made public, the property was advertised in this paper last week for $25,000 including all equipment and furniture.

Goldsborough Sets Hours For Appointments

Congressman Goldsborough is requesting those who desire personal interview with him to call at his office in Denton between 2:00 and 5:30 in the afternoon.

He is also suggesting it would be much more satisfactory to those desiring to see him if they would make appointments with him either by telephone or by mail, as otherwise those calling upon him often have to wait some time before he can see them.

Mr. Goldsborough states that his work in preparing for necessary general legislation for the next Congress and the answering of his correspondence makes it in the general interest of all his constituents that he systematize his work as above indicated.

Mr. Goldsborough states that if time permitted, he would like to see, at any time, any one desiring an interview.

Mr. Goldsborough's suggestion includes, of course, those who desire to see him about professional and business matters.

SPECIAL SESSION OF LEGISLATURE FOR NEXT TUESDAY

Will Meet To Consider Unemployment Insurance

Governor Harry Nice has called a special session of the Maryland Legislature for next Tuesday, December 8th for the purpose of enacting necessary State legislation so that Maryland may take advantage of the Federal Employment Insurance plan. At the time of calling the special session, Governor Nice expressed the hope that the session would not last more than three days. The session was considered necessary due to provisions in the Federal law which requires States, who wish to take advantage of the plan, to enact unemployment insurance laws before January 1st.

It is understood that efforts will be made to keep other legislation from being introduced at this session, particularly due to the fact that the regular Legislature session begins in January. It is also further understood that efforts are also being made to continue the same leaders in both houses, Senator Sasser and Representative Gorfine, during this three day session.

The bill which will be presented as tentatively drawn is slightly above the minimum. It provides for a total tax on employers' pay rolls during the first year of 1.1 per cent., during the second year 2.2 per cent., during the third year 3.3 per cent.

During the first year the 1 per cent. would go to the State and the .1 per cent. to the Government; in the second year the State would get 2 per cent. and the Government .2 per cent.; during the third year and thereafter the State would get 3 per cent. and the Government .3 per cent.

A minimum bill would ease the tax on employers by .1 per cent. the first year, .2 per cent. the second and .3 per cent. the third year and thereafter. Some members of the committee believe the additional tax would place Maryland manufacturers at a disadvantage in competition with merchants and manufacturers in other States.

Other members of the committee, however, say the fractional increase in pay-roll taxes is so low that it cannot conceivably be reflected in the selling price of any product.

The bill as drawn provides that the tax must be paid for the first year—1936— by employers of eight or more persons. During the second year and therafter, however, the tax would be imposed on employers of four or more persons. The coverage was raised for the first year to facilitate at the setting up of the complicated administrative machinery and collection of the payroll taxes.

who must pay a Federal tax whether or not their States have enacted suitable measures, will be permitted to deduct up to ninety per cent. of the Federal levy and credit that to their State funds. But they will have to pay a minimum of one per cent. the first year, two per cent. the second tre what State legislation is enacted. ter what State legislaion is enacted.

The special session was called when it was found that more than $3,000,000—which will have been collected from Maryland employers by the end of the year—might be lost to the State unless approved legislation is on the books by December 31. The Federal law says that the tax must be paid, but that it cannot be returned to the States until they have passed unemployment insurance bills by the end of the year.

Committee Appears Before State Board

A committee representing the Kent and Queen Anne's Hospital and composed of Messrs. R. Oliver Wright, R. Hynson Rogers, Philip G. Wilmer, William G. Smith, and Mrs. Nora C. Maxwell appeared before the Board of State Aid and Charities in Baltimore on Tuesday of this week.

The occasion of the visit was the annual meeting of the various institutions in the State with this Board for the purpose of discussing State aid in preparation for the year's budget.

The local committee in presenting its case showed the large amount of free hospital work that has been of additional State Aid if it is to continue.

KILLS LARGE HOG

Mr. Robert Subers killed a hog at his home near Chestertown this week that dressed 560 lbs., which means a lot of hog meat for the winter.

SEAL SALE RULES EXTENT OF FIGHT ON TUBERCULOSIS

Clinics And Eradication Depend On Funds Received

A jolly red-cheeked Santa Claus looks out at you from this year's Tuberculosis Christmas Seals. The seals go on sale, as usual, on Thanksgiving Day and you can buy htem from then until the close of the Christmas season.

Dr. R. H. Riley, Director of the "Put 'Tb. Seals' at the head of your Christmas shopping list, and lay in a generous supply. Your purchase will serve a double purpose—the gay little stickers with their 'Holiday Greetings' will enliven your Christmas letters and packages, and you will be helping to bring health and happiness to the hundreds of Marylanders who are benefitted each year by the chest clinics held throughout the counties and by other activities of the Maryland Tuberculosis Association that are made possible through the sale of these seals.

"For over twenty-five years, the funds derived from the sale of the Christmas Seals have helped to furnish 'ammunition' for the fight against tuberculsois in Maryland. Some of the ammunition has been used for educational campaigns; some for the support of Miracle House where children who are threatened with the disease are cared for during the summer months and helped to grow strong and well. A large share has been applied to the maintenance of chest clinics for the examination and advice of persons who have been exposed to the disease, or are suffering from it.

"The chest clinics are held monthly—oftener in some counties—under the direction of the State Department of Health and the State Tuberculosis Association. Over 4,600 persons have attended the clinics held during the current year. Since 1924 when the joint service was started over 40,000 persons in the Counties of Maryland have been examined at the clinics and have had the benefit of advice and follow up care.

"When the fight against tuberculosis was started, that disease ranked first as a cause of death in Maryland. Now, heart disease has first place, and tuberculosis, has been brought down to seventh place in the white population, and to second place in the colored. Last year we had 1,363 deaths from tuberculosis in the State, 749 in the white population, and 614 in the colored. Great advances have been made since the fight against tuberculosis was started. But these figures show we have a long way to go before it will be won. Tuberculosis Seals help to provide the means for the fight. At a penny a-piece, it is possible for every man, woman and child in the State to take part.

"Let's make this the best Seal Season we have ever had."

EXTENSIVE ROAD PROGRAM URGED

Favors State Bond To Build Highways

The needs of Maryland's highways today for improvement and modernization on a wide scale constitute one of the most urgent problems of the State, according to Geo. A. Dornin, Chairman of Traffic Committee of the Grand Jurors' Association of Baltimore.

"A recent report on Maryland's highway," Mr. Dornin asserted, developed that the main highway system needs more than 800 miles of rebuilding or widening, almost 200 miles of reconstruction, and numerous eliminations of grade crossings and replacements of obsolete bridges. On the secondary system there are needed some 150 miles of secondary roads, 1800 miles of feeder roads, as well as many relocations, bridges, and grade crossing eliminations.

"These needs make it doubly apparent that a sound rational plan of road development is the only salvation of our highways. A start toward that end was made when Maryland set out in cooperation with the Federal Government to make a complete study of highway needs. An even more important step has been taken in proposals for bond issues to provide the funds so sorely needed to meet the demands for road improvement.

How To Avoid The Rabbit Fever

"Bag only healthy animals.

"Don't handle the game with bare hands, when preparing the meat for the market or for the table. Use rubber gloves.

"Do not allow any open cut or scratch to come in contact with the rabbits. Keep your hands away from your face and your eyes. The infectious material can be absorbed through a mere scratch or break in the skin.

"Burn the paper or other wrappings that have been in contact with the game.

"Cook all rabbit meat thoroughly.

"So far the disease has been found principally in wild rabbits. It has not been found in rabbits raised in rabbitries. Thorough cooking of meat destroys the germs.

"Tularemia was placed on the list of reportable diseases in Maryland in 1928. Since then 193 cases and 21 deaths from the disease have been recorded in the State, 106 cases and 9 deaths in the counties; 87 cases and 12 deaths in Baltimore City".