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NEXT WEEK TO BE SCOUT WEEK HERE

Three Activities Planned By Local Troupe

The Boy Scout Troops of Kent County are hard at work planning and preparing for Scout Week to be celebrated through-out the United States during the week of February 7th to 14th. A special feature of this celebration of the 27th Anniversary of Scouting in this country will be a Scouting Exposition and Court of Honor to be held at the Washington College Auditorium on Tuesday evening, February 9th.

Each Troop in the County is preparing a demonstration of some phase of Scouting to put on as a part of the program for this Court of Honor. In addition to these demonstrations, the program will include the presentation of Ten Year Program Awards for 1936 to Troops that have qualified during the past year. Scout Advancement Awards earned by the Scouts of the various Troops will also be presented.

Dr. Fred Livingood, Scout Advancement Chairman nad Scout Commissioners Everett Lambden and Harry Rasin are in charge of arrangements for this Court of Honor Meeting and they are being assisted by Stanley M. Woodhead, Scout Field Executive from Dover.

Other activities planned for this Scoput Anniversary Week include attendance at church service on Sunday, February 7th in a body, parents night program, service club and school assembly programs and other activities of a similiar nature.

The Scout Troops in the County that will participate in this Scout Week cleebration are Chestertown, Rock Hall, Betterton, Still Pond, Kennedyville, Galena and Millington.

TURKEY SUPPER

A turkey supper will be held in the basement of the Betterton Methodist Church.
TUESDAY EVENING, FEB. 2ND.
Price, Adults 50c; Children 25c.
Menu:—Roast Turkey, stuffing, Mash potatoes, peas, slaw, hominy, Pickles, jelly, Apple Sauce, Hot rolls, coffee. Benefit of the Stewards fund.

BAKE

The By-Kota Club will hold a bake in the N-B-R Garage on Thursday, Jan. 28th, at 10 a. m.
Chicken salad, ham, rolls, pies, cakes, and candy for sale.

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After 5 p. m. and on Sunday call A. J. Leonard, Chestertown, Md., Phone 199-W.

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ASK RESTORATION OF TEACHERS PAY AT MEETING IN ANNAPOLIS MONDAY

Large Delegation From Kent County Joins With Patrons From Other Counties

A group of fifty-five persons from Kent County joined with patrons and teachers from all parts of Maryland at Annapolis on Tuesday of this week for the purpose of requesting the Legislature to restore the pay of teachers befor ethe recent pay cut.

Those from Kent County who attended the meeting were patrons of the various schools, Professor Louis C. Robinson, Superintendent of Schools for Kent County, Miss Harrison, Superintendnat of Elementary Schools, and the principals of the larger County schools. The delegation appeared before a joint session of the Senate Finance Committee and the House Ways and Means Committee and was so large that the meeting was held in the House chamber which was packed to capacity.

The restoration of teacher's pay was strongly advocated at the recent meeting of the Congress of Parent-Teachers.

The history of the teacher's pay cut goes back to 1933 when the economic condition of the country was at a very low ebb and the relief burden of the State presented an almost unsolvable problem. The Legislature with the cooperation of the teacher's themselves, worked out a scale of salary reductions ranging from 10 to 13 per cent. and graduated in proportion to the salaries received. In 1935, 25 per cent. of this pay cut was restored leaving 75 per cent of the salary reduction in effect. The meeting this week was for the purpose of urging the Lgislature to remove this present 75 per cent pay cut which can only be done by Legislative action.

The standard of teacher salaries in Kent County is:

Elementary teachers $950 which after eight years of teaching may be increased to a maximum of $1150.

High School teachers $1150 which after eight years of teaching may be increased to $1350. These salaries are now subject to a seven and a half per cent. cut.

The delegation also requested the Legislative committees to restore increments which means salary increase within the above limits based on years of experience. This was elimonated when the pay cut was made.

Mrs. Newsome, 90, Dies At Betterton

Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Newsome, the wife of the late Lewis F. Newsome, died early Monday morning at the home fo her daughter, Mrs. Edward Smith, in Betterton. Mrs. Newsome, who was nearing her ninetieth birthday has made her home there for a number of years and in that time, nothing that loving care and devotion could do for her, was left undone. Hers was a quiet and unassuming life but one which held those worth while qualities which go to make the best life and leave a wholesome influence.

She is survvied by four sons, Lewis, F., John T., Clarence T., William T., and one daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Smith. Seventeen grand children and thirteen great grand children also survive.

The funeral service was held at the home at one o'clock Wednesday afternoon with Rev. R. W. Hallman, her pastor, officiating. The bearers were her grandsons, Arthur, Lewis, Elmer and Clifford Newsome, Floyd and Edward Smith. The interment was in Still Pond Cemetery and B. R. Fellows in charge.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. F. A. Holden will not be in his office in Chestertown during February. Will return WEDNESDAY, March 3, hours 10 to 1.

TURKEY AND CHICKEN SALAD SUPPER

The Board of Stewarts of STILL POND M. E. CHURCH will hald a Turkey nad chicken salad supper in I. O. O. F. Hall on
SATURDAY EVENING, FEB. 13,
at 5.00 P. M.
Menu: — Turkey and dressing, chicken salad, mashed potatoes and gravy, cole slaw, Macaroni, Cranberries, rolls and Md. Biscuits, Coffee. Price, adults 50c; Children under 12, 35c.

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JANVIER SCHOOL CLOSED FRIDAY

Pupils To Be Transported To Worton

At a meeting of the Kent County Board of Education this week it was decided to close the Janvier School and transport the 12 pupils of that school to Worton. This action was taken after obtaining the cooperation of the majority fo the patrons of the Janvier School and is in line with the consolidation of schools which has been the policy here for several years.

The Janvier pupils have been outstanding in school attendance and have made an exceptionally large number of 100 per cent records. The bus which operates from Lynch to Worton to Chestertown will transport these pupils to Worton. The transfer will go into effect next Monday.

Mrs. Francis Taylor, teacher at the Janvier School, will also be transferred to Worton where she will fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. Virginia Gale which takes effect this week.

Mrs. Rosalie Carmen, Mrs. Grace Herbert, Miss Effie Noblett and Mr. Frank Fogwell, of Janvier, P. T. A., were among the delegation which visited Annapolis Tuesday seeking restoration of pay cuts of teachers.

ROCK HALL

Mr. and Mrs. John Crouch and sons of Galena, were Sunday guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fisher and daughter spent the week end from Wilmington with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Walbert and family.

Miss Ann Eisenwein is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eisewein at Ellendale, East Neck.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Alexander were Sunday guests in Baltimore with relatives.

Mr. Lloyd Rodney, of Baltimore, was a wee kend guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Rodney.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hadaway, of Flint, Michigan, are visiting Mr. Walter Hadaway and family.

Mr. Luther Francis and son, Jack, of Annapolis, were callers in town on Monday and attended the burial of the former's sister, Miss Jennie Lkae Francis in St. Paul's cemetery.

Mrs. Mollie Shrader, of East Orange, New Jersey, was a visitor on Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wagner.

Miss Mildred Warner is visiting in Baltimore with Miss Helen Ayres.

Mr. Alphens Urie, of Baltimore, was a week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Urie.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Wood and Mrs. John Wood, and Miss Elizabeth Francis spent the week end in Baltimore.

Mr. Weldon Kelley is quite sick at his home in Piney Neck with scarlet fever.

Mr. John Dowling had the misfortune to fall and fracture some ribs this week.

Mr. William Ayres moved his family to Baltimore this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hersch and Mr. and Mrs. Streling Hersch were visitors in Baltimore on Sunday.

Rock Hall M. E. Church had an attendance of 140 present on Sunday. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. F. C. Louhoff. Miss Norma Scott had the Epworth League at night.

The Girls Club of Rock Hall M. E. Churh held a covered dish supper at the parsonage last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Lina Urie, of Baltimore, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Jacobs and family.

Wesley Chapel M. P. Church had 160 present at Sunday School on Sunday. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. C. K. McCaslin. The evening service was led by Mr. Elwood Burgess.

Mrs. Laura Johnson Dies At Massey

Mrs. Laura B. Johnson, widow of the late Anthony Johnson, prominent farmer and land owner in the First District, died at the home of Mr. Frank Huey in Massey on Thursday following a lingering illness. She was the mother of the late Mrs. Frank Huey who was killed in an automobile accident recently.

Mrs. Johnson is survived by two sons, Messrs. R. Bradford Johnson and Clayton H. Johnson, both of this county. Funeral services will be held at St. Dennis Roman Catholic Church on Monday at 10 a. m.

ROAD COMMISSION TO DRAIN ROADS

Plans Extensive Soil Erosion Work

The State Roads Commission has signed a contract with the Soil Erosion Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture whereby erosion control will be attempted on State roads rights of way, the Commission announced today. The contracts are now in the hands of the Soil Erosion Service officials for completion of the contract.

When the arrangement is complete, the Commission statement explained, work will be started on a number of demonstration stretches in several counties. These locations have been picked out tentatively by State Roads and Soil Erosion engineers in Harford, Anne Arundel, Washington, Prince George's and Frederick counties.

Under the terms of the contract, anti-erosion steps will be under the joint supervision of the two departments. The Soil Erosion Service will provide technical supervision for surveys, planning and construction; the roads commission will provide maps and plans, construction materials, machinery and wider rights of way, where necessary.

Slopes of both cuts and fills along the roads, selected for treatment will be serried, drained properly and planted, and other steps will be taken to prevent erosion in highway ditches and in the water paths both above and below highway drainage structures.

Because road drainage affects large areas of land adjacent to the rights of way in the matter of drainage to soils, it is expected that property owners, particularly on farms, will be benefitted by the projects. The roads themselves also are expected to be aided by a more efficient drainage plan, preserving dirt shoulders and slopes and the carrying of water from the grades portion of the roads.

Dr. H. E. Tabler, chairman; Nathan L. Smith, chief engineer, and Robert M. Reindollar, assistant chief engineer executed the gareement for the State Roads Commission.

Celebrates 70th Birthday

Mr. Robert B. Creighton was given a Surprise Party on Saturday evening, January 23, in honor of his seventieth birthday by his children and grandchildren.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Creighton, Sr., Miss Anna Creighton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Creighton, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Louis S. Nielsen, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Creighton, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Stigles, Mrs. Walter Stigles and the following grandchildren: Robert Burns, Jr., Victor, Margaret, Barbara and Fitzgeared Creighton, Bernice, Owen, John and Creighton Kendall, Virginia Nielsen, Norma and Eloise Grant.

Games and music were enjoyed by all. Refreshments of ice cream, cake, lemonade, candy and fruits were served.

Mr. Creighton blew out all seventy candles with one breath so every one wished him seventy more years.

Scouts Plan Father-Son Banquet

The Chestertown Troupe of Boy Scouts, No. 130 are planning a father and sons banquet to be held in the auditorium of the Chestertown High School on Thursday, February 11th.

Preparations are being made for 135 people and while this is the first affair of this kind to be held by the local troupe, plans are to make it an annual affair.

The speaker at the banquet will be Mr. Robert C. Hendson of the Bureau of Investigation, U. S. Department of Justice. Mr. Hendon is what is known as a "G" man and his talk should be very interesting to both boys and their dads.

There are 45 members of the Chestertown Troupe, with Mr. Harry Poole of the High School faculty as Scoutmaster.

Shoots Holes In Fishermen's Boat

Ray Streeter, who lives on the Bauchman Farm in Morgnec, will be given a hearing Saturday morning on a charge of assault upon a group of fishermen this week. According to the story as told by the Bachelor and Capel brothers, they were fishing off the shore of the Bauchman farm and Streeter opened fire with a rifle, the bullets making holes in the boat. They got out a warrant for Streeter's arrest on a charge of assault. Streeter when asked at the county jail if he wasn't afraid of hitting someone in the boat, nis reply was that he was too good a shot for that.

Finds Lost Money On The Street

Rev. Charles L. Atwater on Wednesday afternoon of this week lost $40.00 in bills out of his pocket. He found the roll of bills about 9 p. m. lying on the sidewalk, nearly five hours after it was lost.

He got the money from the bank before closing at 3 p. m. He discovered his loss about 6 p. m. and started looking for it at places he had called. Finally he remembered making a call around 4 p. m. on N. Queen Street. He went to the location where he had parked his car and with a flash-light found the money lying on the grass plot between the curb and the sidewalk.

SUPPORT OF LOCAL VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY IS PRACTICALLY ASSURED

Council And Commissioners Take Necessary Action

Will Not Change Town Election Date

The Mayor and Council of Chestertown met in special session on Wednesday evening of this week for the purpose of discussing proposed legislation to be presented to the Maryland Legislature in reference to the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company.

It was proposed several weeks ago that a bill be introduced in the legislature empowering the Council to appropriate $1,000 a year toward the maintenance of the fire Company which would automatically permit the raising of the town tax rate above the present rate of 75 cents. However at the Wednesday night meeting a careful check-up on finances convinced the Council that the appropriation of $1,000 for fire protection could be made without an increase in the tax rate and it was decided to make this appropriation without the proposed legislative action. This action assures the permanent financial support of the Chestertown Fire Company as far as Chestertown is concerned.

Due to the fact that the expense of the fire companies of Chestertown, Millington and Rock Hall is materially increased by serving the rural communities in these three parts of the county, the Commissioners of Kent County agreed to appropriate $2,000 a year to the Chestertown Company and $1,000 a year to each of the Rock Hall and Millington companies if necessary legislation could be passed. The present legislation empowers the Commissioners to appropriate 500 a year to each of the three county fire companies. The reason for the larger appropriation for the Chestertown company is due to the large assessment in the territory served by that company and also that the county property is under its protection and receives a reduction in the insurance rates.

The action of the Council and the assure permanent support of the Chestertown fire company thereby eliminating the necessity of carnivals or personal solicitation.

Fire House Bond Issue Will Not Increase Tax Rate

According to an announcement made by Mayor Wilmer following the Council meeting this week, $10,000 bond issue for the construction of a new fire house will not increase the town tax rate above the present rate of 75 cents. This is possible by making the bonds payable $$1000 at the first of which would come due in 1943, at that time one of the town's present bond issues will be paid in full and the present payment would then continue until the fire house issue is paid off. The interest on the proposed new issue will be paid by the general fund. The bond issue will be placed before the tax-payers at the April election and following Mayor Wilmer's announcement this week there will probably be very the erection of a new fire house.

Council Rescinds Election Proposal

The Council, at the special meeting on Wednesday, rescinded their former action of advocating the changing of the date for the bi-annual election from April to December. This was first prpposed so that the new officials could take office at the time of starting the town year which is January. This was, however, rescinded due to complications with provisions of the charter which required that taxes must be paid befor tax-payers were eligible to vote and a December election would come before the tax limit is past. It was also held in advisable due to the closeness to the County election date. Contrary to provious reports, the proposed change in election date would not have affected the coming April election at which time a Mayor and Councilmen from the first and third Wards will be elected.

CRESENTS LEAD BOWLING LEAGUE

Gain Five Game Margin At Local Alley

Team	Capt.	W	L
Cardinals,	H. Kaufman,	11	1
Fox's,	R. White,	7	2
Eagles,	B. Smith	6	3
Wonder Bar,	D. Hadaway	6	3
Quaker Neck,	E. Walbert	4	5
Ramblers,	G. Pennington	4	8
Hill Toppers,	E. East	3	9
Orioles,	M. Todd	1	11

The Cardinals went into first place by winning 3 games from the Eagles and 3 from the Hill Toppers.

The Eagles won the first half by defeating the Cardinals in a play off.

Individual high score for League, L. Moffett, 211.

Highest pin fall, single game team, Wonder Bar, 823.

Highest pin fall, 3 games, team, Eagles, 2,339.

Ladies Bowling League

Team	Capt.	W	L
Blue Jays,	Ruth Jones	9	3
Kildeers,	Pauline Robinson	7	5
Doves,	Thelma Wilson	5	7
Eagles,	Francis Hodgson	3	9

(Doves won First Half).

W. F. B. R. Trying To Find William Smith

Efforts are being made by the Transcript through W. F. B. R. radio broadcasting station in Baltimore to get William T. Smith, of Louisville, Ky. in communication with his mother, Mrs. Belle Smith, of Chestertown.

Mr. Hope H. Barroll, Jr., of Baltimore, head of the W. F. B. R. station is making a personal effort to establish the communication. Keep your radio tuned to 1270 for flood news.

Mr. Smith, a graduate of Chestertown High School is in the insurance business in Louisville. He is married and has two children.

Asks Bids For Firemen's Banquet

The Committee on the Firemen's Banquet requests bids from any Organizations wishing to serve the same, the bids to be sent to the Rev. Chas. L. Atwater, 103 Maple Ave., Chestertown, not later than Monday, February 1st, Menu should be submitted for a 50c supper.

The Committee repeats its announcement of last week that the Banquet is not limited to Firemen, but is open to the Public. It is hoped that the leading citizens of Chestertown and all the surrounding Community will attend in full force, to give a demonstration to the boys of the Company of how heartily the people are behind them, and how much they appreciate the work they are doing. The needs of the Company, particularly the need of a new Fire House, will be presented at that dinner.

No complimentary tickets are being issued this time, owing to the fact that the Company's funds are in a lower state than they have been for many years, and the Committee did not feel justified to incur the heavy expense the free tickets entail.

The Active members of the Company, who have always had their tickets sent them, voted unanimously to pay for their own, to save expense. The Committee hopes members of neighboring Companies and local Officials will come anyway, and will understand our difficulty.

Tickets will be on sale by Saturday, Jan. 30, at Mr. Spark's Store on High Street, and by members of the Ladies Auxiliary. The sale of the tickets will be closed on Saturday, February 15, as the organization serving the affair always require several days notice as to how many are coming. This year we are allowing no extras for late comers, but are giving the list of tickets sold by that date. The Banquet is to be held in the Armory, Thursday, February 18, at 7 p. m.

VISITS IN CHICAGO

Mrs. D. W. Ingersoll is leaving next week for Chicago where she will paint a number of minatures.

KENT COUNTY RED CROSS QUOTA SET AT FOURTEEN HUNDRED DOLLARS

Flood Disaster Worse In Nations History

Kent County's quota to the American Red Cross has been set at $1400 for relief in the flooded areas of the Mississippi River and tributaries. Of this amount $715 had been raised at the time of going to press with a number of sections of the county yet to be heard from. In order to reach the quota $1.00 must be contributed in proportion to every ten residents of the county including men, women and children.

At the present time only money is being solicited by the local Red Cross Chapter, the clothing is being secured from sections nearer the flooded area. Every cent contributed to flood relief goes direct for that purpose, no part of which remains for local purposes. The soliciting of funds is being done by volunteers who are giving of their time for that purpose and every one should try to make their work as pleasant as possible. The committee chairmen in the various communities, who are directing workers, are:

Mrs. Olin S. Davis, Warwick; Mrs. George Jones, Galena; Mrs. Merritt Brice, Millington and Massey; Mrs. James B. Kirby, Kennedyville; Mrs. William Medders, Still Pond; Mrs. Bayard Crew, Betterton; Mrs. Harry Jewell, Lynch; Mrs. Annie Durding, Rock Hall; Mrs. Henry Kratzer, Pomona; Allan A. Harris, Ralph R. Usilton, W. B. Usilton, III, Chestertown.

Mr. W. B. Usilton, 3rd is chairman of the chapter and Mr. Alan A. Harris is treasurer.

Although the local Red Cross is not soliciting clothing, a communication to this paper from the Pennsylvania Railroad stated that that road will handle free any clothing, food or medical supplies consigned to the American Red Cross which makes consignments from individuals. It is however advisable not to ship clothing until called for by the local chapter which is expected during the period following the flood.

Former Chestertown Residents Reported Safe

Miss Bell Smith received a wire from her son, William, who with his wife and two children live in Louisville, that they are safe. The telegram was sent at 1 a. m. Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Robert Gill, sister of Mr. Simon Westcott and Mrs. R. H. Rogers, who with her family live in New Albany stated that their home is above the flood level but conditions in other parts of the city are very bad.

HIGH SPOTS FROM THE HIGH SCHOOL

By EMORY HINES

Well, things seem to be happening fairly fast this past week, with many important happenings taking place at C. H. S. Work of noteworthy praise is going on in the assembly hall at the local school where a stage and dressing rooms are being erected. Under the direction of the manual training department of Mr. Blades, Harold Joiner and Roger Harris have the construction well under way, with work to be terminated sometime early next week. The new addition will not only provide a stage with dressing wings, but also cloak rooms for the home room of Mr. Fleetwood's that is located there. The adjunct will most assuredly provide opportunities for the production of more small plays and the use of the hall for assemblies of classes that were discontinued long ago. A progressive move has certainly been made!

The commercial classes have recently acquired eight new Remington business typewriters and one noiseless one. They have replaced the older machines that had become worn and are of the latest design and improvement. By shifting the students taking typing from one make of machine to another at various intervals, the learner is able to become versatile on all, thus prepared for any office work that would later present itself.

Today marks the end of all the mid-year examinations of the school, much to the satisfaction of everyone. Lasting not more than one hour period, comprehensive tests in all subjects, both major and minor, were given. As yet, the exams remain unreturned, but most of us hope for the best.

Two weeks ago last Friday, a meeting was held of all those pupils interested in forming a student council. A goodly number attended and a temporary chairman to preside was elected. With me as conductor, the meeting continued. A committee consisting of Gerson Bonnett, Laura Greenwood, Betty Beck, and Rosalie Bonnett was appointed to draw up a plan of organization. A second gathering convened last Friday to vote on this plan, but as this column goes to press Friday, the results cannot be printed. However, I learn from the committee that have decided to have a president, vice-president, and secretary as officers of such a student government. Delegates would be elected at large—a boy and a girl from each class division and a person from each activity club—to compose the ruling authority. If the plan is passed by the yesterday's meeting, it will be presented to the school as an issue. Success is sincerely hoped for, but the true results will be given you nxt week.

A position on the Reflector staff, better known as Exchange Editor, has been given to Nellie Bexley to replace Van Whiting who recently resigned. Important, because it is she who establishes our interscholastic correspondence with other high schools and colleges all over the United States from coast to coast, the veteran staff feel that another competent person agains fills the position.

The inauguration was duly attended by not only the four eagle scouts from high here but also by a large number of the Seniors. Attendance, though, was by medium of the radio that was placed in Miss Riches's room thru the courtesy of Neal Truslow. Interesting, particularly, were the many field points from which the broadcast came thru from. We thought the most original point of broadcast was from the mike located inside a high silk hat of one of the commentators located among the people in the streets.

Stocks and bonds, have their up trends and down trends, were prominant last week in the economics class. To secure better knowledge of their dealing to show the gambling rish that all indulgers of the stock market take, each student was given (in credit) one thousand dollars to week in the economics class. To sepurchase stock with. They could either have held and sold it for an entire week, or sell daily. When all the stocks were sold, the brokers reported that Charlotte Jane Curry had met with greatest success. She made a profit of over eighty dollars an investment made entirely in Elco Boat. Our population must be taking to the water again!

Hi-Spots this week include: Gerson Bonnett, Ruth Adams, any myself of the affirmative team and Neal Truslow, Charlotte Russell, and Nellie Bexley of the negative vigorously preparing for the coming debates with Federalsburg and Dover in many trial speeches—the distracting noises that come particularly from hammering work of the stage—a jittery Senior Class that awaited the results of the "whether or not" of a 1937 Dragon—the victory of the Seniors over the Juniors in the interclass basketball game of January 26 with a score of 32-7—the issuance of the February Reflector under direction of Louis Anthony, associate editor—the end of the first semester of the 1936-1937 school year and the beginning of a new course open to Seniors and those completeing Journalism—the cold feet that the four local scouts complained of when in Washington to see the inauguration—the conclusion of a course in journalism taken by ten students now regretful of the termination—and the first start of a progressive and actual movement for a student government.

Allan Stradley Buys Local Garage

Mr. Allan Stradley has resigned his position with A. S. Turner & Sons, Gulf Distributors of this district, to represent the Sun Life Insurance Co., of Canada. His territory will be the upper Shore counties.

Mr. Stradley has also purchased from Mr. W. H. Cooper his gas and car laundry and will employ manager to run this business.