Battle Of The Budget

Baltimore, Md., March 17, 1941--Fifteen Senators can save the State over 6 million dollars is the rallying cry of determined taxpayers as they take the Battle of the Budget to the State Senate. The economy movement headed by the State Budget Emergency Committee has grown to such proportions that Governor O'Conor recently said, "Never has the State witnessed such a concerted protest from taxpayers against increased appropriations".

Anticipating the Senate will vote on the Budget within the next few days, organized taxpayers have been flooding their Counties with circulars and letters advising citizens of all walks in life to urge their respective Senators to vote No on the budget thus sending it back for reduction.

The recurring proposals from Washington for increases in Federal Taxes for defense have aroused taxpayers of the State to the dire necessity of cutting State spending to the bone. Already it is proposed in Congress to reduce personal exemptions on federal income tax and make them retro-active for 1940. Another proposal would tax all workers 10% of their wages. Just what form the new Defense Taxation will take is problematical but day by day new Federal tax proposals and a realization of the tremendous tax burden incident to national defense have spurred Maryland taxpayers to a history-making effort to prevent the State spending over $6,000,000 more in 1942-43 than good government cost the people in 1940-41.

Curtis J. Ireland, Chairman of the Citizens' Budget Committee, in a statement, said, "The people of Maryland are tax conscious and what is more important tax-action conscious. Hundreds of organizations all over the State are co-operating with the citizens' committees and taxpayers' associations in the various Counties. Many Committees formed for this Budget emergency have become permaennt taxpayers' associations. Six such on the Eastern Shore alone.

The average taxpayer can not afford the continual increases in State spending and still be able to pay his share of defense taxes which according to estimates to date are equal to $411.81 for every man, woman and child in Maryland."

DISTRICT INTER-STATE MILK PRODUCERS COOPERATIVE

The Elkton and Cecilton locals of the Cecil County District of the Inter-State Milk Producers Cooperative held their annual banquet at the Chesapeake City High School on Tuesday, March 11, over one hundred members and friends were present. The bad conditions of the dirt roads, it was announced, prevented a number of other members from getting to the meeting.

Mr. S. W. Caldwell, president of the Elkton local was chairman of the meeting. County Agent, J. Z. Miller, was the toastmaster. The officers and delegates of the two locals were introduced, these included for the Elkton local, S. W. Caldwell, President; Henry McIntire, Secretary; C. Albert George, delepate, to the annual meeting in Philada. For the Cecilton local, H. Raymond Price, President; J. W. Scott, secretary; and Robert D. Shelton, delegate. Brief talks were made by Mr. R. E. Bower, Cecil Co. Director of the Cooperative,, Mr. Clayton Reynolds, fieldman for the Cecil district; Mr. Howard Jamison, editor of the Milk Producers Review; Benjamin H. Wetty, President of the Inter-State Milk Producers Cooperative, and Mr. Esty in charge of the fieldmen for the Eastern States Cooperative.

The principal talk of the meeting was made by Mr. O. Henry Hoffman, General Manager of the Cooperative. Mr. Hoffman described the cooperative as a milk producers organization which was run by the members from the outside in-on a one-man, one-vote basis-truly democratic. Cooperative members like citizens of a Democracy, are responsible for the success of their organization or their form of government. Neither cooperatives or democracies are destroyed by the people who are running them but by the people who are so mentally inactive that they unwittingly let others run them. He insisted that as long as cooperative members and citizens of a democracy take their responsibilities seriously we shall see them remain successful and effective.

MAROON QUINTET WINS TWELVE OUT OF SIXTEEN

Winning twelve out of sixteen contests, Russell Faber's West Nottingham Academy varsity basketball team finished its season with the best record a Maroon quintet ever made, a .750 winning percentage.

Goldey College, of Wilmington, Del., was the only opponent to win two games from Nottingham and also the only team that set them back on their own floor. Franklin and Marshall Academy topped the Marylanders by a single point in a game at Lancaster Pa., while the Methodist team of the Oxford, (Pa.) church league won a 23-18 decision at Oxford in the last game of the schedule. West Nottingham defeated both of these teams at Colora.

Outstanding among the seven lettermen was James Zager, the captain, of Red Bank, N. J. In addition to being second high scorer, with 158 points, Zager played 15 complete games without relief at his guard position.

In addition to Zager the following boys earned varsity letters Ellis Denny, Elkton; Michael Baden, Red Bank, N. J.; Robert Hart, Harrisburg, Pa.; Murrell Inman, Boothwyn, Pa.; Adolph Brousell, Long Branch, N. J.; Frederic Fromhagen, Washington, D. C.; and the manager, C. Barrington Tome, Wilmington, Del.

DEATHS

MRS. MARY E. BEATTY

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Beatty, aged 80 years, widow of the late William F. Beatty, of North East, died at her home March 9. The funeral was held Wednesday morning, and interment made in Loudon Park cemetery, Baltimore.

MRS. CARRIE CREWELL

The funeral of Mrs. Carrie Crewell, 67, widow of Campbell Crewell of Cowentown, Cecil County, who died at The Memorial Hospital, Wilmington, after a brief illness, was held from Abernathy's Funeral Home, Cherry Hill, Wednesday afternoon. Interment was in St. John's Cemetery, near Lewisville, Pa. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Manly Nowland, of Elk Mills.

EDWARD FLAHARTY

Edward Flaharty died in a hospital in Denver, Colorado, March 12, following an illness of pneumonia. He was the son of the late Harvey and Mae Phillips Flaharty and was born near Peach Bottom, Pennsylvania. The deceased had resided in Colorado for a number of years. Two brothers and two sisters survive, Walter, of Philada., and Ernest Lancaster, Pa.; Mrs. Charles Hambleton, Lancaster, and Miss Eva Flaharty, Lititz, Pa.

HOWARD RILEY

Funeral services for Howard Riley were held in Quarryville March 10; interment in Hopewell Cemetery, Cecil County.

Mr. Riley, who was 69, died on Thursday in Glassport, Pa. He was a carpenter by trade and a son of Ebenezer nd Louisa Clark Riley, and a former resident of this section.

He leaves these brothers and sister: William, Andrews Bridge; Samuel, Bridgeport, Conn.; Granville, Rising Sun; and Mrs. Mollie Smith, Biloxi, Miss.

MRS. ANNIE MARTINDALE

The funeral of Mrs. Annie Martindale, 72, was held from her residence in Port Deposit Wednesday afternoon. The Rev. John N. Jones officiated. Interment was in Hopewell Cemetery, near Woodlawn.

Mrs. Martindale died at her home March 9, after a brief illness. She was a niece of the late Jacob Tome, founder of Tome Institute. Besides her husband, Charles Martindale, she is survived by one daughter, Miss Eleanor Martindale, one sister and two brothers—Mrs. J. H. Kimble, Cornelius Tome and Harvey Tome.

MRS. HARRY E. HANNA

Mrs. Kathryn F. Hanna, wife of Harry E. Hanna, died at her home on the Conowingo Road March 10, following a short illness. Mrs. Hanna was 75 years of age. She was born in Ireland and lived in Boston for many years, moving to Harford County when the Conowingo Dam was being constructed.

Besides her husband, she is survived by one son, Mr. Harold Hanna of Pennsylvania, and one daughter, Mrs. Nellie Hall, of Florida.

The body was shipped to Watertown, Mass., where interment was made in St. Patrick's Cemetery.

DAVID WHERRY

David Wherry, aged 67 years, resident of Fair Hill district, suffered a heart attack while at work among his cattle on his farm near Andora, Thursday morning, and passed away before he could be removed to his home. For some years prior to engaging in farming he was assistant superintendent at the Providence paper mill. He was the owner of one of the finest Jersey herds in Cecil county. Besides his wife, he is survived by one son, Robert Lee Wherry, of Prospect Park, Pa.; and three daughters, Mrs. Jeane Mershon, of Upper Darby Pa.; Mrs. Marshall Abrahanson, of Lansdowne, Pa., and Miss Louise Wherry, of Louisville, Ky. The funeral was held from his late home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment in Sharp's cemetery, near Fair Hill.

JAMES A. CURRY

James A. Curry died at his home in Aberdeen on Friday, March 7. Mr. Curry was born at Pleasant Hill, Cecil county, and had resided in Aberdeen for the past fifteen years. For many years he was employed in the old Gambrill and Melville Textile plant and was a toll collector on the old Havre de Grace-Perryville highway bridge until it became a free bridge after its purchase by the State of Maryland.

He is survived by a son, Mr. Lee Curry, of Aberdeen, and a sister, Mrs. William Boulden, of Philada. His wife, the late Anna M. Curry, died five years ago.

Interment was made in Cherry Hill Cemetery, Cecil county.

Savings Totaling $1,716,000 Proposed By Governor

Annapolis, March 17:--In keeping with the aministration policy of approving only "essential" additions to State construction or activities, Governor Herbert R. O'Conor proposed to the General Assembly the elimination from the Bond Issue Bill of $1,500,000.00 that had been included for erection of two Chronic Disease Hospitals.

This, coming on the heels of a cut by Governor O'Conor of $216,000.00 in the proposed relief expenditures for the next two years, as the result of the experience in Relief cost for the first five months of this fiscal year, will reduce by almost $2,000,000.00, the initial proposals for expenitures for the biennium.

In making public his proposal regarding the elimination of the Chronic Hospitals Governor O'Conor declared, "Several considerations should be borne in mind in deciding whether we should build the Chronic Disease Hospitals under present circumstances. National Defense activities are being greatly expanded with their anticipated heavier tax burdens on the general public. While we in Maryland are reducing taxes, it is nevertheless true that our citizens will be required to pay heavier Federal imposts. Then again, the material and labor which will be necessary for the construction of these two large buildings might be sorely needed during the next year or two.

"Under present plans, the total bonded indebtedness of the State, which two years ago amounted to $48,157,000 will be reduced by September 30, 1943, to $33,865,000. If the Chronic Disease Hospitals item is eliminated this will reduce the outstanding indebtedness to slightly more than $32,000,000. Thus a reduction of 1-3 of the bonded indebtedness of the State will be accomplished in the present period.

"An additional fact is that I have found, through canvassing among members of the Boards of County Commissioners and County representatives, that immediate construction of the Chronic Disease Hospitals will not result in the closing of Almhouses throughout the State, which was the definite object I had in mind in making the original proposal. County officials definitely state that they do not wish to close Almhouses and, of course, there is no method by which we can force them to do so.

"A careful check in the present Legislature discloses the fact that the Bill for the erection of the Chronic Disease Hospitals cannot be passed unless it is stipulated that it will not operate to close the Almshouses. Thus, our primary objective would not be accomplished and until a different sentiment exists, we might defer final action on this proposal."

COLORA

Albert R. Coulson, who is employed in West Virginia, week-ended with his home folks.

Cecil Fitzgerald and Henry Rowland, of Chester, Pa., visited the former's brother, Samuel W. Fitzgerald and family Sunday. Grier Murray and family, of Elmhurst, Del., who had visited friends that day in Aberdeen, were also callers at the Fitzgerald home.

Little Gary Blackburn and little Sammie Fitzgerald have both been quite poorly.

Mrs. Hattie Moulton, wife of John Moulton, Sr., formerly of West Nottingham section, is in a serious condition at her home in Port Deposit. Mrs. Moulton retired Sunday night in her usual health. About three o'clock Monday morning she was found unconscious on her bedroom floor from the effects of a stroke she had sustained, from which she has not rallied at this writing.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis A. Coulson, Rising Sun, early last Saturday morning at the home of Mrs. Helen Plummer. The babe was welcome by two little sisters, Lois Jane and Ruth Ellen.

We were sorry to hear of Lawson Love, Jr., Port Deposit, formerly of Colora, having a leg broken last week by a fall at Aberdeen where he was employed.

Mrs. Myrtle Coulson McDowell has returned to her home near Zion from the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, where she was sent from Union Hospital, Elkton.

Reuben Benedict has moved into Samuel W. Fitzgerald Bungalow, near Porters Bridge, which was vacated by Clyde Adkins and family, who moved to a house near Rock Church last Wednesday.

Several women and girls from this section of the County have secured employment at the Sparkler Plant, near Elkton.

Mrs. Harry Todd, Colora, held the lucky ticket for a very pretty afaghan made by Mrs. Stewart E. Riley, Sr., which was chanced off Saturday evening.

INDUCTED INTO MILITARY SERVICE

Thirty young men of Cecil county left on Monday for the Fifth Regiment Armory in Baltimore, where they were inducted into military service and allocated to various camps. Those inducted were: James Asheton Bayard, Chesapeake City; Ross Edward Stitt, Perryville; Raymond Howard Ayres, Elkton; Clifton Moore Blackburn, Port Deposit; Charles Augustus Bartley, Elkton; Anthony Perry, Port Deposit; Geo. Robert Taylor, Havre de Grace; Raymond Leslie Reynolds, Elkton; William Earl Culley, Rising Sun; Harry Jackson Pearce, Cecilton; Joseph Daniel Sellare, Perryville; Charles Arthur Puschell, North East; Freddie Young, Coxesbury; Wilmer Bouchelle, Elkton; Enoch Oliver Ferguson, Elkton; Thomas Matthew Harrington, Elkton; John Wesley Williams, Port Deposit; James Maxwell Gohn, Charlestown; Alfred Lynch, Charlestown; John Preston Stanley, Elkton; Walter Shelton, St. Georges, Del.; Harvey William Martindell, Nottingham, Pa.; Arthur Garrison, Cecilton; Elbert Henry Davis, Cecilton; Charles Edgar Alderson, Cecilton; Carey Randolph Harrell, Elkton; Clifford Charles Hanes, Jr., Elkton; Roger H. Logan, North East; John Thomas Newman, Cecilton.

WOODLAWN

Do not forget the Pie Social, that the Epworth League is holding at the Church House, this evening.

Miss Beulah Hawley entertained ten of her young friends Saturday afternoon, in honor of her fourteenth birthday.

Forrest Wyles Charsha, of Yonkers, N. Y., spent the week-end with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Jackson, of Baltimore, were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus G. Jackson.

Mrs. E. Donaldson Lamdin is spending a month with her son Edward and family.

Miss Bruna Abrahams, of Ambler, Pa., spent the week-end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKay and Elsie Lou visited his parents at Kennett Square, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. McCullough and Geo. 3rd., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Cullen at Stanton, Del.

Norman Barnes, Amos Burlin, Jr., University of Md., and Curtis Paxton, of Johns Hopkins University, spent the week-end at their homes here.

PILOT

Charles Miller and wife, Philada., visited the A. B. Trimble's Sunday.

Mrs. William Sprout, who has been quite ill for some time, is now able to be up and around in her room.

Mrs. William Grubb called on several of her friends around Pilot, Friday.

The Quiet-Workers Circle of King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. Margaret Eckman Thursday, March 20th.

John Bruce has been absent from school for the past week, suffering from a severe attack of grippe.

Miss Peggie Stoner, Frederick, spent last week with the Belcher family.

Tom Denison and family, North East, spent the week-end with the Paul McGuigans.

Miss Mabel L. Kennedy and friend, Washington, D. C., spent Saturday with Miss Alta Abbott.

We regret the passing of our good neighbor and friend, H. B. Abbot. Mr. Abbott passed away at the Havre de Grace Hospital Wednesday, March 12, in his 82nd year. Our deepest sympathy goes to his daughter, Miss Alta Abbott.

ROWLANDSVILLE

The Liberty Grove Homemakers met at the home of Mrs. Lulu Rowland, on Wedensday, March 12th. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Howard Griest. Fifteen minutes were devoted to music by our chairman Mrs. La Berta Everist. The roll was answered with seven members present.

Miss Helen Irene Smith gave us the Demonstration on the subject of "Food for Health and Defense". She wishes everyone to make a study of foods, for never before have we had such a good chance to have good meals and the proper foods. She followed a chart of vitamins, and gave us a very interesting talk.

The minutes of the Feb. meeting were read and approved. The Treasurer reported $5.00 for oil stove, $2.00 for flowers and 57 cents for cards, leaving a balance of $19.82 with a collection of 24 cents.

Mrs. La Berta Everist was appointed Publicity chairman.

The meeting adjourned to meet in the Club House on April 9th. Lovely refreshments were served by the hostess, which were tea and cookies. Many thanks.

(Signed) Mrs. Horace Taylor

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Murphy and Mrs. Helen England were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Taylor on Sunday. Mr. John Burton is indisposed with the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Taylor and Jr. were guests of Mrs. Sophia Caldwell on Sunday.

Mrs. Horace Smith returned from the hospital on Tuesday evening of last week.

A truck loaded with dog food ran into the bank on Rowlandsville Hill and smashed the truck to pieces. Fortunately the driver wasn't killed, but he was badly injured and was taken to the hospital on Friday morning.

Mrs. Lucy Holcomb was a caller in the village on Saturday.

The Aid is holding a St. Patrick Social on Wednesday night in the basement of the church.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

OF STOCKHOLDERS OF CECIL FARMERS TELEPHONE CO.

Notice is hereby given that the 36th annual meeting of the Stockholders of this company will be held on

MONDAY, MARCH 24th, 1941

at 7:00 o'clock p. m., at the office of the Company in Rising Sun, Md., to receive and act upon the reports of the officers, to elect a Board of Directors and to transact such other business as may properly come befor the meeting.

THE PERIOD ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1940

INCOME	
Subscribers stations	$11,774 20
Installations	97 10
Foreign Tolls	1,299 47
Miscellaneous	190 71
Total Income	$13,361 48
EXPENSES	
Supervision	$3,120 00
Operators Wages	2,723 50
Linemens Wages	1,531 75
Repairs—	
Telephone Plant	263 65
Real Estate	17 43
Executive Department Expenses	1,909 27
Truck Expenses	405 41
Insurance	105 61
Rights, Privileges and Use of Property	20 25
Depreciation—	
Plant	1,815 10
Truck	155 00
Buildings	63 10
Furniture and Fixtures	27 57
Taxes	779 32
Interest Expense	66 41
Uncollectible Bills	41 25
Income Taxes	
Federal	46 35
State of Maryland	4 75
Total Expenses	$13,095 72
Net Profit	$265 76

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Pat O'Brien Gale Page

Ronald Reagan

Feature starts about 7:25 and 9:25

Wed.—March 26.

Blondie Plays Cupid

The Bumsteads and Baby Dumpling

Feature starts about 7:45 and 9:45

Thurs.—March 27.

The Letter

Bette Davis Herbert Marshall

Feature starts about 7:25 and 9:25

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Monday and Tuesday

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Wednesday

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