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NIGHT BAN ON GASOLINE SALES

Filling Stations Closed From 7:00 P. M. To 7:00 A. M.

In response to the request of Secretary Ickes that all gasoline stations be closed at night, beginning Sunday night, the curfew has been pretty generally observed from 7:00 P. M. to 7:00 A. M., but it is a much disputed question whether the saving of the fuel has been very great.

Few filling station operators venture a forecast on the effectiveness of the curfew plan to curtail the consumption of gasoline along the Atlantic seaboard.

Officials of the large companies sponsor the plan, in order to avoid, or at least postpone, a rationing of the supply. Operators seem doubtful of the success of the plan, and feel that rationing is sure to come.

H. A. Crouthamel, president of the Maryland Association of Petroleum Retailers, pronounced results of the first night of the sales ban "very satisfactory", but at the same time emphasized the need for a more complete understanding of what is expected of dealers if the move is to continue effectively.

Compliance with the request for the closing of all gasoline stations was voluntary in 16 of the 17 affected seaboard States, though the governors of the six New England States and New York urged compliance.

Mutual Building Association

Harry W. Pippin has been elected president of the Mutual Building Association of Elkton. The other officers chosen were Jos. H. Sloan, vice President. William T. Vinsinger, secretary, and Albert Denver, treasurer.

The report of Charles O. Hall, Baltimore, auditor was presented and read which indicated that the association was in an excellent financial condition.

The directors elected for the new year are: Harry W. Pippin, Joseph H. Sloan, William T. Vinsinger, Albert Denver, Dr. J. Fred Fehler, Dr. Vernon McKnight, Lyman A. Spence, Robert T. McCauley, Victor A. Davis, Murray J. Ewing and Dr. James W. Hughes, attorney to the association.

Held Under Bail After Fatal Crash

John Helbert, Washington, D. C., was ordered held under advanced bail by Coroner J. C. Slicer Sunday for an inquest into the death of Anthony Cafaratti, Philada. Cafaratti died Sunday in Union Hospital, Elkton, of burns suffered when the car on which he was riding burst into flames following an auto collision on Route 40.

Cafaratti and Matthew Panichelli, also of Philada., were trapped in the machine and both badly burned before being rescued by Elkton firemen. Panichelli is expected to recover. Helbert was the driver of the other machine.

Old Fiddlers Picnic At Parkesburg

Crystal Springs Park at Parkesburg, Pa., will be a lively place Saturday, August 9, when the Old Fiddlers' Association will hold its 19th annual picnic. If rainy it will be held the following Saturday.

There will be action from morning till night, when the old fiddlers begin to pull the bow and the feet get into action. Everybody is invited to attend and enjoy the occasion. See adver in this issue.

Sunday School Picnic

The Sunday School of the Methodist church here, enjoyed their annual picnic at Rocky Springs Park, Lancaster county, on Thursday, and a goodly number of the little folks, in charge of older ones, were transported to the Park in autos. The day was an ideal one and everyone enjoyed the outing. The fine picnic dinner served in the open was one of the big features.

Airplane Spotters To Be Trained

The Amrciean Legion has undertaken the task of signing up workers to be trained as lookouts for airplanes, and a system is being perfected whereby planes can be spotted if occasion arises.

Foot Mangled By Mower

Part of the right foot of Arthur Boeders, 22-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Boeders, North East, was amputated at Union Hospital, Elkton. The foot was badly mangled when it became caught in a mowing machine at his home.

Conowingo Plant To Install Generators

Under a nation-wide program to increase power production, the Federal Power Commission has announced that two new turbines and generators, to provide an extra 72,000 kilowatts, would be added to the power plant at Conowingo.

The entire national program which Conowingo would be a part would be carried out over a five-year period. The Commission also proposed that the Reconstruction Finance Corporation advance large sums annually to private and public utilities to help finance the development.

Along with the Conowingo development, new generating units would also be placed at Safe Harbor which is also in the Susquehanna river drainage basin. The Commission estimated that both jobs would cost $11,000,000.

Women Pledge Defense Support

Complete support to the National Defense Production Program was pledged to Governor Herbert R. O'Conor by the Maryland League of Women Voters, in a telegram received from Mrs. Minier Hostetler, President, Maryland League of Women Voters, Rockville. Mrs. Hostetler and many leaders of womens' organizations of the State were in attendance at the defense meeting at the State House, last week.

The telegram read as follows: "You rappeal and plan for united support of production of defense materials presented to the people of Maryland at the open meeting of Maryland Defense Council at Annapolis on July 25th must be the first concern of every American. The Maryland League of Women Voters pledges support of our country defense program and will do everything in tis power to enlist every citizen to win America's battle of production.

Inspecting Conservation Points In State

A tour of inspection of conservation points on the Eastern Shore and in Southern Maryland is being made by Governor Herbert R. O'Conor.

The Governor is inspecting conservation equipment and conferring with the waterman, conservation inspectors and packers on the tour.

Starting in Kent County on Monday, the Governor later visited conservation points in Queen Anne's, Talbot and Dorchester Counties. Swinging over to the Western Shore, he will meet with conservation employees in the Patuxent River section and discuss conservation questions with persons in the seafood industry in Calvert and Anne Arundel Counties.

Road House Robbed

Luther Postell of Chesapeake City, proprietor of Jiffy's Grill, located at Knight's Corner, about midway between Elkton and Chesapeake City, reported to Sheriff Randolph of Elkton, that someone forced entrance into the grill building Wednesday morning, almost stripping the place of its contents. Several hundred dollars worth of goods were reported stolen.

Nazarene Camp Meeting

The Nazarene camp meeting opened at the Leslie camp grounds Friday, at noon and continues until Sunday, August 10. The Rev. J. B. Chapman is general manager; the Rev. Boyd Long, manager; the Rev. Bona Fleming, evangelist; Prof. Hillman Barnard, song leader and the Rev. D. E. Higgs, district superintendent in charge.

Rural Route Extended

Congressman David J. Ward announces that the Post Office Department has approved a request to extend Rural Route No. 2, Elkton, Maryland, about nine-tenths of a mile along the Elk River, effective August 1, 1941.

The extension will provide summer residents--28 families--delivery of mail from May 16 to September 15.

Traveling Carnival Ordered To Move On

As a result of complaints received at his office Sheriff David Randolph on Wednesday ordered the traveling carnival which had set up its equipment on Route 40 near the outskirts of Elkton, to move. Many of the local residents charged that they had been swindled by the carnival. ious results from the cut.

SAFETY REGULATIONS TO CONTINUE OVER SUMMER WEEK-ENDS

Erring Motorists Will Again Be Called For Re-Examination And Possible Revocation Of Licenses

As a result of the success of the Fourth of July holiday Traffic Enforcement regulations, sponsored by the Maryland Traffic Safety Commission, in which it had the cooperation of Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, the Safety Commission has requested, and been assured, that these same regulations will be enforced throughout the remaining week-ends of the summer.

The plan of the Safety Commission includes the re-examination, and possible revocation of licenses, of those drivers arrested and found guilty of violations which are commonly the cause of accidents. The period of the rigid enforcement will extend from Friday midnight until Sunday at midnight. Over the three day Fourth of July holiday, 300 violators were called in for re-examination, and drastic action taken in a number of cases.

In requesting continuation of these regulations over week-ends, E. R. McShano, Executive Secretary of the Traffic Safety Commission, in a letter to the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, said "With the tremendous increase in motor vehicle registration in the State, which according to your figures is well over 46,000 more vehicles than were registered at the same time a year ago, it becomes increasingly evident that stricter regulations must be had in order to make for safer motoring.

"It is our suggestion that, because of the ever increasing congestion on our roads on Saturdays and Sundays, you again have all offenders who have been arrested and convicted on these two days during the summer months brought into your office for a re-examination with the idea in mind of revoking licenses of those who seem inclined to disregard the law. It is quite apparent that more concentrated effort to discipline our careless drivers is necessary. The careless, reckless driver, of course, is in the minority, but his presence on the roads detracts from the Safety, comfort and pleasure of all others who use the highways".

The Safety Commission has also requested Mr. Elgin to notify Motor Vehicle Departments of other states of the regulations being enforced in Maryland, because figures show that in a large percentage of accidents occurring in Maryland's highways, out of state motorists are involved. The Commission has been assured that the plan will start immediately and continue throughout the remaining week-ends of the summer.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. E. Nelson James, Miss Mary Giles, Miss Anna Giles, H. L. Woodrow and Robert Brumfield enjoyed a trip over the beautiful Skyline Drive on Sunday. Making an early start from Rising Sun they covered more than five hundred miles in the round trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Haines had as their guest during the past week-end Lieutenant Frank Gorman, Jr., of Princeton, N. J., who was enroute to Fort Bragg, N. C., to report for active duty.

Mrs. Edgar Shultz, of Lancaster and Miss Arlene Brown, of Philada., are spending the week at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Brown, South Queen street.

Miss Edna Orr spent the week-end with Mrs. Clifford Buchanan, of Glenolden, Pa. Miss Helen Orr spent the week-end with Mrs. Mary Tomlinson, West Chester.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jenkins, Newell Jenkins and Walter Cameron, Jr., were Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Donald H. MacMurray, Baltimore.

Mr. Warren L. Taylor and family, of Wilmington, were week-end visitors at the home of his mother, Mrs. Jennie W. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reisler, of Calvert, are receiving congratulations over the birth of a son on Saturday night.

The Messrs. Jugler and Earle Nickle, of near town, enjoyed a motor trip to Connecticut over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Anderson, Williamsport, Pa., were recent visitors of Miss A. Mabel Reynolds.

Miss Louise Nickell, of Zion, is enjoying a motor trip to Texas and Mexico with friends.

Miss Jane Jenkins is enjoying a vacation at Rehoboth Beach, Del., this week.

Mrs. James Eshleman, of Liberty Grove, on Friday last left Rising Sun by bus for Baltimore, where she took a plane for Pittsburg, Pa. The trip from Baltimore to Pittsburg, required but one hour and four minutes, which was considerably less time than the 48-mils bus trip from Rising Sun to Baltimore required.

Mr. Elmer Brown, Joseph Johnson and family and Miss Romaine Grant of Newark, Del., were recent Philada. visitors. On their return trip they were dinner guests of Mrs. Roy Grant and family, Newark, Del.

Miss Mae Johnson, who was a patient in Coatesville, Pa., Hospital, for several weeks with a broken hip, was brought to the home of Mrs. Louise Brokaw last week.

Mrs. Lloyd Murphy of Cochranville, Pa., Miss Frances Taylor, Rising Sun, Mrs. George McGee and Mrs. Lewis England, spent the week-end at Atlantic City.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Dickerson and son Joseph left on Monday afternoon for Chincoteague Island, Va., for a visit with Mrs. Dickerson's parents.

Miss Anna Haines of Jefferson Hospital, Philada., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Haines.

J. B. Dickerson, of Milford, Del., was a visitor last week of his son, Rev. J. B. Dickerson and family, at the parsonage.

Twin girls were born at Union Hospital, Elkton, on July 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Zane Monscevitz of Rising Sun.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton McCardell and children visited Oxford friends during the week.

Miss Helen Shepherd enjoyed a week at Ocean Grove, New Jersey.

Miss Hanna Boyle is seriously ill at her home on Cherry Street.

Outing Of Women's Democratic Clubs

The Eastern Shore Division of the Women's Democratic Clubs will hold their summer meeting at Ocean City, Md., on Sunday, August 10, at the George Washington Hotel. A reception from 1:30 to 3 p. m. and a dinner following with music, entertainment and speakers will be the program of the day.

All members of the Women's Democratic Club of Cecil County, and their friends are invited to attend.

Sustained Cut On Head

Robert Gorrell fell while playing in the yard of Morton McCardell, one evening last week and recieved ugly gash on the head from a tin can. The wound required two clamps to close and precautionary treatment was given to prevent ser-

The Maryland Traffic Safety Committee's Slogan for the week is:

"Preach Traffic Safety; Then Practise What You Preach"

Camped In The Poconos

Eleven young people of near Calvert, spent the weekend at Pinebrook camp in the Pocono mountains in Pennsylvania. Those who enjoyed the weekend were: Margaret Moore, Caleen Hammer, Doris Simpkins, Marie Layman, Sara England, Robert England, Donald McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wyker and Mr. and Mrs. Walton Mason.

Eleven Cecil County Draftees Called For Service

The Selective Draft Board for Cecil County, has notified the following registrants to appear in Elkton on Thursday, August 7, for induction: George Frederick Foster, Elkton, R. D. 4; Harold Calvert Jones, Elkton; Edward Newell Jenkins, Rising Sun; Vernon Woodrow Fadeley, Perryville; Quentin Exel Turman, North East, R. D. 1; Homer Elzie Kellison, Elkton; Edward Wint Wood, Radford, Va.

On Friday, August 11, the following men have been notified to appear:

John Fletcher Swell, Chesapeake City; Dallas Alonzo Briscoe, North East, R. D. 2; John Thomas Wesley, Elkton, R. D. 4, and Edward Lee Wilson, Cecilton, Md.

Lions Enjoy Outing At Betterton

Members and guests of the Lions Club of Rising Sun enjoyed their annual out at Betterton on Wednesday afternoon and evening last. Twenty-seven of the party went by boat from Charlestown, chartering the power yacht "Mabel", in charge of Capt. Cooper, with Rev. George Shea as copilot. The trip by water was a delightful one, the run to Betterton requiring two hours. A number went by auto to Betterton. Bathing, bowling and other recreations were enjoyed, followed by a splendid supper at the Hotel Rigbie.

Those in the party were: Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Ewing and son Wilson, Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Dodson and son Richard, Mr. and Mrs. William McNamee, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. William Liddell, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Roberson, Mr. and Mrs. Everett F. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kennard and son, Mrs. Edward Jenkins, Miss Verna Grason, Miss Eleanor McCauley, Miss Phyllis Alger, Rev. J. B. Dickerson, Evans E. Ewing, A. M. McNamee, L. C. Tosh, Walter Cameron, Sr., Walter Cameron, Jr., E. Newell Jenkins, Capt. George Cooper, Rev. George Shea.

Children Bitten By Pet Dog

Two small children of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton R. Tween, of near Jones' Chapel, Cecil County, were bitten by a pet dog while they were playing with it. The animal suddenly turned on the children and bit them severly. The dog had always been a great pet and very friendly.

Fearing the canine may have had an attack of the rabies, it was killed and its head sent to the Pasteur Institute, Baltimore, for examination. A local physician was called in and rendered aid to the children.

Call For Auxiliary Firemen

A call has been issued by Richard Masemore, chief of the Elkton Fire Company, for 225 men to join what is known as the Elkton Auxiliary Fire Company, whose duty will be to organize for fire-fighting in case of an invasion of fire bombs. All interested persons are urged to contact Chief Masemore.

STATE DEPARTMENTS CONSERVE FUNDS

Cites Savings Of $1,200,000 In Previous Two Years

Annapolis, August 6---Citing savings of nearly $1,200,000 to the State as a result of similar pleas made last year and the year before, Governor Herbert R. O'Conor this week called on all State Department and Bureau heads to conserve unspent budget balances between now and the end of the present fiscal year, September 30.

The purpose of his request, he explained, is to assure "that substantial reversions may be made to the State Treasury at the end of the current fiscal year".

"To accomplish this purpose, I know that the utmost economical operation will be necessary," the Governor said.

"We are fortunate that our State is in a sound financial condition and through a balanced budget and an adequate reserve, is prepared to meet the stress and strain which may develop in the future. Every financial resource of the State must be conserved to that end.

"It is my earnest hope that the excellent record made last year will be exceeded. As the result of an appeal for economy in operation and reversions of balances, there was reverted to the State Treasury at the end of the last fiscal year the very substantial sum of $819,605.45. Fifty departments of the last fiscal year, 1938-39, reverted saviings totaled $363,000.

"It is necessary at this time that the cost of governmental administration be reduced to the lowest possible amount consistent with efficient operation and the maintenance of essential services. Our people are faced with large outlays to provide adequate protection to our democracy, our institutions and our ways of life, and in order to ease the burden of taxation as much as possible, it is necessary to keep to a minimum the cost of State and local government".

Susquehanna Toll Bridge Receipts

William A. Codd, chief auditor for the State Roads Commission, announces that at the present rate of income from toll charges on the Perryville--Havre de Grace bridge, the bonded indebtedness on this structure can be retired in fifteen years rather than the twenty-four year period stipulated in the issue".

The tolls for the month on the Susquehanna bridge yielded $69,-904. The heavy June business raised the total number of vehicles crossing the bridge since its opening last year to 2,791,388.

Mr. Codd further announced that he was successful in obtaining permission to apply $100,000 annually to the maintenance fund rather than $50,000 originally allotet

Corn Packing Season Opens

Cameron Bros. expected to begin the pack of corn at their plant here this week. Walter M. Cameron & Son will begin the pack at their Nottingham, Pa., plant the first of next week.

Operations were begun on Monday at Colora by the Colora Packing Company.

Haines--Cooper

Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Haines of Charlestown announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Arline Haines, to Mr. Albert G. Cooper, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cooper also of Charlestown.

The ceremony was performed on July 12 in St. John's Church by the Rev. Dr. Oliver J. Collins, assisted by the Rev. Ralph W. Hopkins.

Miss Hazel Haines of Aldan, Pa., cousin of the bride, was maid of honor. Mr. George F. Cooper, uncle of the bridegroom, was best man. Mr. Albert Gillespie and Mr. Edgar McMullen were ushers. The bride was given in marriage by her father. Miss Mae Gibson of Charlestown sang and Mr. Harry Longbottom of Claymont played the wedding music.

Delancey--Crow

Miss Helen Delancey, daughter of Mr. J. B. Delancey of near Elkton and Iver Crow, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Crow of Newark, Delaware, were married in the Methodist parsonage, at Newark, with the Rev. O. W. Martley officiating on July 19. Mr. and Mrs. Crow will reside in Newark.

Thompson--Clark

The home of Mr. and Mrs. James Rooney on East Main Street, Elkton, was the scene of a quiet wedding on Wednesday, July 30 at 6:00 o'clock, when Miss Marion Thompson of Tionesta, Pa., and Mr. Clyde Clark of Everett, Pa., were married by the Rev. Melvin E. Wheatley. The attendants were Mrs. James Rooney, Matron of Honor and James Rooney III was best man.

Dunsmore--Simmon

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dunsmore of Providence, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mabel Irene, to Mr. Lawrence E. Simmons of Lewisville, Pa. The wedding took place in the Rock Presbyterian Church on Thursday night, the Rev. Evan W. Renne officiating. The young couple was attended by Mr. William Finger of Lewisville and Miss Peggy Mackey of Andora.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Charles Williams of Perry Point, Md., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Reba Carolla Williams to Dr. Rowland Stanton Philips of Glen Dale, Md., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Stanton Philips of Kennett Square, Pa.

The wedding will take place in early autumn.

Miss Williams is a graduate of the Washington Sanitarium School of Nursing and she also received her degree from Washington Missionary College of bachelor of science in nursing education. She spent three years as supervisor of nurses at the sanitarium. She is now on the medical staff of the Glenn Dale Sanitarium of Glenn Dale, Md.

Suffered Fractured Wrist

Lester Wilson, of this town, met with a painful accident, on Friday, while employed at Aberdeen. He fell from a scaffold and suffered a fracture of the wrist.