HOOVER APPROVES CRAMTON MEASURE FOR PARK BUILDING

Bill Provides Funds for Immediate Development of Civic Program.

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS EQUAL \$33,500,000

Federal Contribution \$9,000,000. Remainder Loans to District, Maryland and Virginia.

The Cramton-Capper bill, providing for expenditure of \$33,500,000 to develop the George Washington memorial parkway from Mount Vernon and Fort Washington to Great Falls, with a free bridge at Great Falls, and for the extension of Rock Creek and Anacostia parks into Maryland, and the acquisition of park and playground sites in the Capital City, has been signed by the President, it was announced last night. Two gold pens were used by the President in signing this bill, one of which will be sent to Representative Cramton of Michigan, author of the bill, and the other to Horace Peaslee

velopment program.

Of the \$33,500,000 involved in the park program, approximately \$24,500,000 is to be in the form of loans or advances to Maryland, Virginia and the District of Columbia, leaving \$9,000,000 as the Federal contribution.

representing the American Institute of Architects, who co-operated in the de-

For the extension of the park and playground system within the District there will be a loan of \$16,000,000 from the Federal Treasury, to be repaid by the District at the rate of \$1,000,000 a year without interest. It has been the practice to carry \$1,000,000 a year in the District appropriation bill for park purchases, so that these reimbursements District appropriation bill for pairs purchases, so that these reimbursements will not increase the annual expenditure. It will mean, however, that the National Capital Park and Planning Commission will have funds available, through the advancing of the \$16,000;-000, to carry on the park extension program rapidly, economically and before desirable areas are built upon.

In developing the George Washington memorial parkway along the Potomac the United States is to pay half the cost and the States of Maryland and Virginia the other half. In extending Rock Creek and Anacostla Parks into Maryland, the United States will bear one-third and the State two-thirds.

one-third and the State two-thirds. The law provides, however, that no Federal money shall be spent on these projects outside the District until the National Capital Park and Planning Commission receives definite commitments from Maryland and Virginia, or responsible sources therein, for carrying the projects through.

The Federal appropriation toward the George Washington memorial parkway is \$7,500,000, including the cost of a bridge to be built near Great Falls. Congress previously authorized the Great Falls Bridge Co. to construct a bridge there, and the Cramton law -third and the State two-thirds

Parks is to be \$1,500,000. In additio these two sums, which represent the Federal contribution of \$9,000,000 toward the program, the law provides that the Government may advance to Maryland and Virginia the full amounts required for these projects in order to expedite completion of the parks. If such advances are made they will be repaid without interest by the States in eight years.

Three Projects.

Summed up, the total of \$33,500,000 involved in the entire park program is composed of three elements, namely The advance of \$16,000,000 to the Dis-The advance of \$16,000,000 to the District, the advance of about \$8,500,000 to the adjoining States and the Federal appropriation of \$9,000,000 toward the parkways along the Potomac and Anacostia Rivers and Rock Creek.

The measure also contemplates park extensions along Indian Creek, Northwest Branch, Sligo Branch and Cabin John Creek.

John Creek.

This law, which was supported by many national organizations interested in the development of the Capital as well as by local groups, will preserve the natural scenery of Great Falls and the

gorge. It reserves to Congress the right to determine in future what should be

MUZZLE LAW URGED FOR HYATTSVILLE

Police Committee Recommends to Council New Ordinance Enforceable at Any Time.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

HYATTSVILLE, Md., May 31.—
Tough days loom for dogs of Hyattsville. If the mayor and council at the

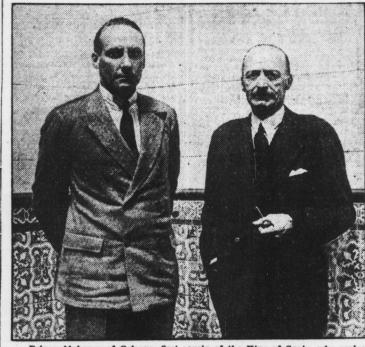
next monthly meeting, June 9, approve a recommendation of the police coma recommendation of the police committee, town police will, be given authority to impound any dog unmuzzled running at large at any time. Under the present ordinance unmuzzled dogs running at large from July 1 to September 2 mars to temporate tember 30 may be impounded.

It also will be recommended that of-

During the past several months ouncil has received a number of comcouncil has received a number of com-plaints of vicious dogs and howling dogs. A petition was received from first ward citizens declaring that dogs in that section howled so loud and long that they were unable to sleep.

The Moon Society has nothing to do with astronomy. It is a branch of the National Institute for the Blind, and gets its name from the Moon type now so largely used for reading by the blind. There is a weekly Moon newspaper and a monthly Moon magazine—wonderful productions.

GRAF PASSENGER IN CAPITAL



Prince Alphonso of Orleans, first cousin of the King of Spain, who arrived

CORCORAN SCHOOL

PRESENTS AWARDS

tin Win \$100 in Two

Classes.

Annual awards to students of the Cor-coran School of Art, in six separate

as follows:
Portrait class—\$100 and certificates to
Nelson Davis and Kenneth Stubbs;
mention to Doley Crawford.
Life class—\$62.50 and certificates to
Mrs. Teresa Hulburt and William Gray;
first mention, Mrs. H. W. Rathsock;
second honorable mention, Jane Austin;
third honorable mention, Don Pender.

honorable mentions to Grace Messenger

RITCHIE TO BE ASKED

Celebration to Mark Opening of

River Road From Kenilworth

to Bladensburg.

pecial Dispatch to The Star.
BLADENSBURG, Md., May 31.—A

celebration will be held by the Greater

tion marking the formal opening of the River Road from Kenilworth to Bla-

densburg, it was decided at the May meeting of the association held Wednes-

day night in the parish hall of St.

Luke's Church here. It is planned to

hold the celebration within a few weeks, when it is expected the road will be ready. Gov. Ritchie and various other notables will be invited to attend the affair, the date for which will be an-

The association went on record as opposing the bond issue of \$300,000 sought by the Washington Suburban Sanitary

Commission, the opinion being expressed that the commission was not spending the money in this community that it should. There was specific com-

plaint with regard to alleged lack of adequate sewerage in the Gasch de-

It was announced that the town com-nissioners of Bladensburg plan this summer to install metal street signs

The meeting was the last to be held

PICTURES RESTORED

American Legion Asks That Por-

traits Be Put Back in War

Memorial.

A resolution was adopted by Balti-more Post, No. 6, asking the Baltimore

Oldest Teacher Dead.

FRANKLIN, W. Va., May 31 (Special).—Pendleton County's oldest school teacher, both from standpoint of age and toams taught, Noah Webster Eckard, 78, died at his home at Sugar Grove. Illness forced him to give up his work five years ago, and he had been in ill health for two years. Twelve children survive.

special Dispatch to The Star.

by the association prior to Summer. The next meeting will be in October.

WANTS WAR CHIEFS'

unced later.

Bladensburg District Citizens' Associa-

TO ROAD FESTIVAL

and Charles Farrar.

CAPITAL VISITOR

Cousin of King of Spain Nelson Davis and Rosita Gos-Comes Here by Plane From Lakehurst.

Prince Alfonso of Orleans, first cousin of the King of Spain, one of the passengers aboard the Graf Zeppelin on its latest journey across the Atlantic, is a

visitor in the Capital. The member of the Spanish royal family arrived in Washington yesterday afternoon aboard a transport plane which brought him from Lakehurst, N. J., to the Capital. The plane was ploted by Lieut. J. J. Clark, and arrived at Anacostla Naval Air Station shortly pefore the Curtis Marine trophy races were run yesterday afternoon.

Spent Quiet Afternoon

Prince Alfonso spent a quiet afternoon Prince Alfonso spent a quiet afternoon, preferring to take a sight-seeing trip about the Capital to staying at Anacostia and witnessing the air races. He was met upon arrival by the Spanish Ambassador, Senor Don Alejandro Padilla y Bell. On his trip down from Lakehurst he was accompanied by Capt. Jose Iglesias y Abelaira, the Spanish naval attache.

The prince will be the guest of honor

The prince will be the guest of hono at a large luncheon at the Spanish em-bassy this afternoon, at which time he will meet Vice President Curtis. Prince Alfonso will be a guest at din-ner this evening at the White House. Will Leave Tomorrow.

The prince expects to leave Washing-on tomorrow morning to return to

oridge there, and the Cramton law vides that after the parkway has mestablished along the river the vernment may at any time acquire to bridge at cost plus 10 per cent. The Federal appropriation toward exclining Rock Creek and Anacostia (the size of the sorted of the world in this country and most of the capitals of the world the size of th

wmAL and a coast-to-coast network of Columbia Broadcasting System stations will broadcast at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon a description by Prince Alfonso of the tri-continental flight of

COLD WEATHER COSTS ORCHARDIST \$40,000

State Official's Cherry Crop Damaged in This Sum, It Is Estimated.

Special Dispatch to The Star. RICHMOND, Va., May 31.—Charles N. Graves, chief recording secretary of the Virginia State Senate, owner of the largest cherry orchard in the State, lo-cated 12 miles south of Luray, lost \$40,000 in crop damages by the cold

May weather.

After 20 years' research to find a location favorable to the growing of cherries and away from unseasonable temperatures, Graves located his 60,gorge. It reserves to consider the determine in future what should be done on the river with regard to navigation, irrigation, floor control or hydroelectric power development.

Representative Cramton obtained action on the bill in the House early in the session and Senator Capper steered it through the Senate two weeks ago with amendments which the House agreed to. The President's signature completes its enactment.

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RESPITE GRANTED TO GARLAND SMITH

Governor Grants Time for Appeal From Conviction of Killing Dry Agents.

RICHMOND, Va., May 31.-Gov John Garland Pollard has granted a respite to Garland Smith of Mecklenburg County, who was scheduled to die in the electric chair Monday, Sinie 2, following conviction on a charge of killing of two dry agents from ambush. Smith was given a respite by the governor in order that he might take an appeal to the Virginia State Supreme Court of Appeals. The respite is until

Special Dispatch to The Star.

BALTIMORE, May 31.—Aroused because pictures of Gen. Pershing and other World War leaders have been replaced in the board room of the War Memorial with pictures of the board of control, members of the American Legion have appealed to the Baltimore Council of the Legion to take action.

A resolution was adopted by Baltimore Council of the Legion to take action. The killing was from ambush following a raid on a still in which Smith's father, uncle and brother had been captured by the officers and were being meeting.

The pictures removed include one in which Gen. Pershing and the late Field Marshal Foch appeared together and another of a group of the allied gen-

Card Party for Women's Clubs. Card Party for Women's Cillos.

MOUNT RAINIER, Md., May 31 (Special).—Under the auspices of and for the benefit of the Prince Georges County Federation of Women's Clubs a card party will be held Thursday afternoon, June 12, in Star Hall here. The function will begin at 1:30 o'clock. There will be tables for bridge and five hundred, with a prize for every table. Mrs. W. L. Preston of Cottage City is chairman of the committee in charge of ard rangements, her associates being Mrs. his we been in Mrs. M. C. Harmon.

struction of Petworth Building Included in Plans.

COMMISSIONERS TOLD \$704,572 IS REQUIRED

Stresses Need for Branches in Georgetown and Southwest Sections of City.

bowerman, infraint of the rubite Library, told the District Commissioners in submitting his new budget, will require a total of \$704,572, of which amount \$53,042 is urgently needed for the employment of additional assistant librarians and other help, due to increased demands on the part of readers and personnel for the new Northwestern Branch Library.

Mr. Bowerman stressed the need of a branch library in Georgetown, "as soon as possible," as he had done in other years, and included an estimate of \$35,000 for the purchase of a site. Georgetown has a population of between 25,000 and 35,000, he said, with not less than 10 public schools, a college and private schools. For many years the Georgetown Citizens' Association has asked for a branch library to serve that section, and is now engaged in a vigorous campaign in its behalf.

coran School of Art, in six separate classes, were announced yesterday by S. Burtis Baker, acting principal.

The jury of awards comprised Mr. Baker, Mathilde M. Leisenring, Eugene Weisz and Carl C. Mose.

Announcement also was made that the annual exhibition of students' work will begin today and continue through June 8. The prospectus of the school for 1930-31 will be ready for distribution about July 11 and may be had on application to the secretary.

The awards for meritorious work were as follows: is on the southeast corner of the tri-angle occupied by the Macfarland Jun-ior High School, the Roosevelt Business High School and an elementary school. second honorable mention, Jane Austin; third honorable mention, Don Reeder; mention, Lois Baldwin.

Antique class—\$75 and certificates to Sarah Jane Blakeslee and special first mention to Mrs. George Sliney; second mention was awarded to Sarah Roberts; third mention, Mrs. Louise Stauffer; fourth mention, Mrs. Azadia Herrmann; mention; Ruthmary Parton.

Still life class—\$20 and certificates to Mrs. Eva Colborn; mention, Susie M. Parr and Jane Austin.

Composition class—\$10 and certificates to Jane Austin and Sarah Jane Blakeslee; mention, Harold Kagy and William Clifford.

Sculpture class—\$100 and certificate to Rosita Gostin; first honorable mention, Elizabeth Marshall, and second honorable mentions to Grace Messenger and Charles Europe. pending District bill. Thirteen new full-time positions would be created in the Central Library, including one junior librarian, two main library assistants, two junior library assistants, one under librarian assistant, two minor library as-sistants, a main clerk and clerical and mechanical hire. In the central build-ing, Mr. Bowerman stated, a main libra-ry assistant is needed to aid the curator of Washington, so that the public may derive the maximum of service from the collection data.

> For general maintenance, Mr. Bower-man is asking an increase of \$6,400, or a total of \$31,401. This includes \$1,750 for the delivery and collection of books in 12 hospitals of the city. This service in 12 hospitals of the city. This service was started two Summers ago and has proved very helpful to "shut-ins," and it is hoped to put more books in circulation at the hospitals during 1932.
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> An increase of \$4,000 also is asked for the hiring of substitute employes for which a total of \$10,000 is provided in the estimates. There has been no increase in the substitute fund since 1928, and the extension of the library service.

From Philadelphia, Alleged Caught in Stolen Auto.

Carolina avenue northeast. The macarolina avenue northeast. The ma-chine was bearing tags stolen from a Pennsylvania car at the time of the arrest, according to police. Beall and Kuffman are being held at No. 1 station awaiting arraignment in Police Court tomorrow morning.

THURBER EXPIRES

Near East Relief Chairman to Be Buried by Greek Government.

at public expense,

His efforts for Greek refugees after
they were defeated by the Turks led to
his imprisonment by the Turkish forces. He subsequently was released on in-tervention by the American Govern-

Break Ground for Monument.

CLINTON, N. C., May 31 (A) .the Sampson County Court House here today for a monument to be erected in the garments happened to be in the honor of William Rufus King, native of Sampson County and thirteenth Vice President of the United States. Funds for the monument were appropriated by Garments and thus located the owner.

Incident Closed and Sampson County and thirteenth Vice Police finally were able to decipher There are even portable mixers the handwriting on a letter in the guaranteed to turn out a properly pocketbook which was found with the iced and scientifically blended concocgarments and thus located the owner.

\$48,000,000 BUDGET LIBRARY EXTENSION BASED ON \$1.70 TAX, IN 1932 ESTIMATES SEEN BY HAVENNER

Citizens Are Expected Recommend Course in 1932 Fiscal Year.

COUNCIL TO CONSIDER ESTIMATES THIS WEEK

Each Item and Justifications of Departments Will Be Weighed Carefully.

Plans for the extension of Public Library service during 1932 to keep pace with Washington's steady growth in population include estimates for the purchase of two additional branch library sites and construction of the branch building in Petworth, on the triangular site now owned by the District between Georgia avenue, Iowa avenue and Upshur street.

These and other needs, George 'F. Bowerman, librarian of the Public Library, told the District Commissioners in submitting his new budget, will require a total of \$704,572, of which amount \$53,042 is urgently needed for the employment of additional assistant librarians and other help, due to increased demands on the part of readers and personnel for the new Northwestern Branch Library.

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Study To Be Careful. Every item in the estimates of the department heads, with their explanations of justification, will be given care-

that section, and is now engaged in a vigorous campaign in its behalf.

Seek Site in Southwest.

It is proposed also, for the sum of \$25,000, to purchase a branch library site in the Southwest section, another project which, Mr. Bowerman reminded, has been sought a long time. The library station conducted in Neighborhood House, he said, is heavily patronized.

For the building and equipment of the Petworth branch, an appropriation of \$150,000 is asked. This branch would serve a population of 30,000, it was pointed out, and the site already owned is on the southeast corner of the triangle occupied by the Macfarland Junfor High School, and an elementary school. Havenner's opinion, is very co

At any rate, Dr. Havenner said he did not think the council would agree to an increase in the tax rate. The \$1.70 levy, with the special assessments, he declared, "is all that the taxpayers of the District can bear."

Follow Different Procedure. The council will follow a different procedure this year in framing its budget recommendations. Heretofore, hearings have been held at which heads of the departments were invited to appear and explain the items in their estimates. Dr. Havenner said this plan would not be necessary because the Commissioners had furnished the council with a complete record of the justice.

time position. Two new positions are required for the hospital and suburban service, a full-time assistant librarian and a half-time mechanic, for the Mount Pleasant Branch and one library assistant for the Chevy Chase subbranch.

For general maintenance, Mr. Bowerman is asking an increase of \$6,400, or a total of \$31,401. This includes \$1,750

S. KANN SONS CO. HEADS ADDRESSED BY RABBI

Rev. Dr. Abram Simon Speaks at Monthly Meeting of Local Business Executives.

the estimates. There has been no increase in the substitute fund since 1928, and the extension of the library service since then is accountable for the increase now sought.

Original stocking of the Northeastern Branch with new books accounts for most of the \$36,000 increase which is asked in a \$90,000 book fund, including periodicals and newspapers. The increase also takes into account \$3,000 for the installation of new service to hospitals and suburban communities and \$5,000 to meet the increase in the contract for binding and repairing old books.

TWO MEN ARE CHARGED

WITH GRAND LARCENY

Detective Alligood Brings Pair

Business Executives.

Rev. Dr. Abram Simon was the principal speaker at the monthly meeting of the executives of the S. Kann Sons Co. last night at the Mayflower Hotel. James MacFarquhar, president of the buyers' club, presided at the meeting. B. B. Burgunder and several other members of the club spoke briefly. The following were among those presents the meeting.

S. Spitzer, G. Kimmeblatt, R. Berlin, Miss F. Yoffee, Miss E. Stocker, Mrs. P. Hommes, Mrs. A. Calvert, S. Feldman, Mrs. V. Darnell, Miss J. Smith, Miss G. Saurer, Miss B. Goldman, Miss R. Mack, Miss H. Hirsch, Miss I. Calvert, Miss I. Larson, Miss Chrissie Herman, Mrs. M. Miller, J. Simon, Mrs. M. Hoitt, S. Nye, Mrs. D. Woodrum and Mrs. H. Davis.

DISTRICT OPTOMETRISTS WILL MEET TOMORROW

tesolutions to Be Presented National Convention Will Be Discussed.

Resolutions to be brought up at the annual convention of the American Optometric Association to be held in Boston, June 16-21, will be discussed inated at the meeting. Dr. Martin A. Leese, president of the society, will

POLICE LOCATE OWNER OF MYSTERY CLOTHING

Culvert Found to Belong to

The mystery of the bundle of woman's clothes found in a culvert on the Marlboro pike near Hills Bridge Friday was cleared up yesterday when police learned that they belonged to Eleanor Freeland, colored domestic employe of Dr. Reverdy Sasseer of Mari-boro.

After learning the woman was at

CHASES MAN FLEEING ACCIDENT AND RECOVERS STOLEN AUTO

Michael Kapneck Captures Frank Loring After Exciting Chase.

Pursued Man Deserts Car, but Is Nabbed After Fast Race.



Michael Kapneck, an electrical contractor of 736 Eleventh street, a motorist who gave chase and overtook and captured a man who was fleeing the scene of an accident in which he had participated with a stolen car, was highly praised for his action by Judge Isaac A. Hitt in Police Court yesterday. The man captured by Kapneck's alertness, Frank Loring, 20 years old, of Silver Spring, Md., was arraigned in court for joyriding, leaving after colliding, no permit and housebreaking. He was held for the grand jury under \$2,000 bond, while the traffic charges were postponed until this week.

Kapneck said he witnessed a collision between the car which Loring was operating and the machine of William Shokman, 919 Kennedy street, which courted at the intersection of Jefferson street and Illinois avenue Friday. He saw that Loring, the man who was apparently in the wrong, speeded up his car and, unheeding the cries of Shokman, continued down Illinois avenue, according to his testimony.

Kapneck entered the chase at 60 miles an hour through thick traffic and drew up behind the fugitive machine after 10 blocks. Loring suddenly halted his car, leaped out and started to

AUTO SAFETY BILL AGAIN ON PROGRAM

Sergt. Squad Seizes 214 Quarts of Alleged Rum.

Four persons were placed under ar-rest by Police Sergt. Oscar J. Letter-man's vice squade yesterday afternoon for violation of the prohibition laws, in a series of raids which resulted in the a series of raids which resulted in the seizure of 214 quarts of alleged whisky. The largest haul of the day was made at 1033 Thirtieth street, where Richard T. Johnson, 37 years old, and John El-mer, 34, both colored, were arrested for possession of 100 quarts of whisky and maintenance of a nuisance. They were carried to No. 7 precinct and charged.

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At 838 New Hampshire avenue the squad found 100 quarts of whisky, but the occupants of the house fied through a rear exit and escaped from the raiding officers as the police entered through a front door.

A meat market fronting for a speakeasy at 2914 M street was raided by Sergt. Letterman's detail, and the proprietor, John R. Wall, 40, was taken into custody and charged with possession of 10 quarts of whisky and maintaining a nuisance.

Four quarts of liquor were found at the home of Edward Penn, 46 years old, of 1504 South Capitol street, and he was arrested on charges of sale and possession.

WILL RESUME TALK ON DISTRICT BILL

Conferees to Take Up Differences in Lump Sum Appropriation.

Conferees on the District appropria-tion bill will resume discussion of their differences tomorrow afternoon, with the size of the Federal contribution, the amount to be spent on the municipal center project and a number of other important symmetric to be

important amendments remaining to be settled.

The Senate and House groups began their deliberations Thursday and succeeded in disposing of some of the changes in the measure over which there was not much controversy. During this week they will get down to the chief issues involved in the conference.

Foremost among these issues is the Federal contribution, which the House kept down to the \$9,000,000 lump sum. The Senate, continuing the fight it has made in former years in behalf of equitable fiscal relations between the United States and District governments, raised the lump sum to \$12,000,000. The final decision awaits the outcome of the conferences.

On the municipal center project the Senate reduced the House allowance for continuing purchase of the land in that area from \$3,000,000 to \$1,000,000 for the coming fiscal year. The

On the municipal center sallowance Senate reduced the House allowance for continuing purchase of the land in that area from \$3,000,000 to \$1,in that area from \$3,000,000 to \$1,-000,000 for the coming fiscal year. The conferees also must adjust the differences between them over the new water rates and whether the present number of kindergarten teachers should be continued in the school system.

The conference groups are headed by Senator Bingham, Republican, of Connecticut, and Representative Simmons, Republican, of Nebraska.

JAPANESE REDUCE **DIVING FOR PEARLS**

American Trade Slumps, Causing Retrenchment by Oyster Farm Owners.

TSU TSU, Japan (P).—Because shares tumbled on the New York Stock Exchange and eliminated thousands of buyers from the luxury markets, pro-ducers of the culture pearl, Japan's unique gem, are reducing their output by one-third. by one-third.

Kokichi Mikimoto, head of the leading company, closed two of his principal oyster grounds and discharged 130 of the picturesque little diving girls who bring the pearl-oyster from its bed.

The Mikimoto Co. hitherto has operated 10 pearl oyster farms. Artificial stimuli are used to make the bivales

PARIS GETS COCKTAILS FROM SLOT MACHINES

PARIS (P).—Slot machines, broughthere from England, now turn outmartinis, "side-cars," Bronxes and other dynamic cocktails in three secwork in the Sasscer home yesterday, other dynamic cocktails in three sec-Sheriff Charles S. Early deemed the oncident closed and did not learn how are comes out of the same machine. the garments happened to be in the As the drink tinkles out the phono-

Also to Take Up Elective School Board Idea.

The Senate District committee has been called for 2 o'clock Tuesday after-noon, to continue consideration of the Capper-McLeod automobile safety re-sponsibility bill, which has passed the

Motorists Association, but consideration of it was not completed at that time. It was explained that, under this bill, motorists convicted of major traffic offenses, or who have judgments obtained against them as the result of accidents, would have to furnish proof of their ability to meet damage claims before having their permits restored.

\$20,000 NEEDED FOR REPAIR SHOP

Municipal Architect Submits Estimates for 1932 to Com-

He estimates it would require \$20,000 to put the repair shop building in proper condition to handle all the increased work falling upon the municipal architect's office. At present the shop is overcrowded, new machinery is needed and the old quarters, such as they are, need repair badly. "These conditions do not make for an efficient shop," Mr. Harris said.

He proposes to build on the site of

is also needed to buy new machinery for the repair shop. Estimates for the re-pair shop also include \$550 for print-ing and hinding

pair snop also include \$550 for printing and binding.

No estimate is made for general appropriations for the municipal architect's work. All apportionments of appropriations for the use of the office in connection with construction work is based on an amount not avecating? based on an amount not exceeding 3 per cent of appropriations of \$2,000,000 or less made for such projects and 3¾ per cent in excess of \$2,000,000 projects.

MECHANICAL HEN TURNS INCUBATOR EGGS DAILY

Iowa State College Experiment Brings "Rotation System"

AMES, Iowa (A).-Marlow Olsen, exerimenting for Iowa State College, has invented a mechanical hen which turns every egg in an incubator an

SYSTEM SIGNALS

Bureau Provides for 284 Added Electric Signals in 1932 Budget.

HARLAND'S ESTIMATES WAIT, PENDING SURVEY

Present Left Turn Favored by Director, But Willingness to Change If It Is Desired Is Expressed.

Installation of 284 additional electric signals at approximately 70 street intersections and substitution of a flexible progressive system of control on practically all important thoroughfares in the District, to provide a more continuous flow of traffic, are outstanding among the recommendations in the 1932 budge for the Traffic Bureau.

To carry out this enlarged program To carry out this enlarged program to further complete the traffic signal system in the downtown section and at dangerous intersections outside the congested area. Director William H. Harland estimates expenditure of approximately \$156,804, an increase of \$103,804 over the amount in the 1931 appropriation bill for the purchase and installation of lights, controls and markers

Outcome Is Problematical.

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The outcome of Harland's program, however, is problematical, in view of the impending study of Washington's traffic system and needs, ordered last week by the Board of Commissioners. In accordance with the suggestion of Corporation Counsel W. W. Bride, the investigation will be made primarily for the purpose of recommending to Congress a complete revision of the District's traffic laws. With Director Harland's estimates before them, the Commissioners are only waiting for the Public Utilities Commission and the Bureau of Efficiency to designate their representatives on the proposed board of inquiry before commencing this study of traffic conditions.

It was admitted at the Traffic Bureau

It was admitted at the Traffic Bureau that the installation of some of the proposed electric signals, at Wisconsin and Massachusetts avenues, for instance, would probably depend on whether the present method of left-hand turns is to or the traffic on Wisconsin avenue turns into Massachusetts avenue, with the result that during rush hours there would be the danger of cars blocking the intersection for through traffic.

Favors Present Left Turn. Favors Present Left Turn.

Harland has been an outspoken proponent of Washington's present method of left-hand turn, but he is understood to be willing to yield his opinion if sentiment here is found overwhelmingly in favor of the center or so-called Hoover turn. This is one of the problems which is certain to be given thorough consideration in the proposed traffic study.

It is estimated that \$31,000 would be needed to purchase the new signals requested in 1932 and \$70,404 of the proposed increase in the estimates is for their installation. Of the latter amount, \$25,000 is to cover the cost of changing

\$25,000 is to cover the cost of changing \$25,000 is to cover the cost of changing to the flexible progressive system.

Pennsylvania avenue from Sixth street to Fourteenth street is one of the con-gested thoroughfares which would be equipped with traffic signals if the recommendations are approved ultimately. No light is contemplated, however, at Eighth street and Pennsylvania avenue. It is also proposed to place signals on Pennsylvania avenue at the intersections of Eighteenth, Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, where traffic is con-

gested.
Other intersections in the downtown area which come within the extension of the control signals are Fourteenth and F streets and Twelfth and F streets, now controlled by traffic policemen during rush hours, and Thirteenth and U streets, one of the busiest intersections in that section. Stop signs are and U streets, one of the busiest intersections in that section. Stop signs are placed at this intersection now.

Second and B streets southeast, where the Congressional Library and House Office Building account for heavy traffic during most of the day, also would be controlled by lights.

Commissioner Herbert B. Crosby, who is to be chairman of the new investiis to be chairman of the new investigating board, is expected to give whole-hearted support to the plan for changing to the flexible system of progressive control. Like many other Washingtonians, he has had his patience tested waiting alone at intersections for the green lights to come on. With the installation of a master timer the periods between lights can be changed to meet conditions during all hours of the day. The 1931 appropriation bill contains a provision for trying out the flexible system for the first time on Rhode Island avenue. The present progressive system on Rhode Island avenue, as well as on Sixteenth street, Massachusetts avenue and other thoroughfares,

Crosby Believed Favoring Change.

sive system on Rhode Island avenue, as well as on Sixteenth street, Massachusetts avenue and other thoroughfares, works all right, it was said, during slack periods of traffic, when the motorist may accurately guage his speed between lights. It falls down almost completely, it was said at the Traffic Bureau, during periods of heavy traffic, Traffic officials feel certain that the fiexible system, after a reasonable test, will solve the congestion problem on important traffic lanes.

The estimates contain \$44,000 for personnel service in the office of the Director of Traffic, as against \$42,160 in the pending appropriation bill. The increase is for five new positions, including an assistant clerk, a junior clerk and three underclerks. Only \$1,840 additional would be needed for their salaries, as \$5,000 has been deducted in the estimates for temporary clerks now being employed, who would be replaced by regular appointees.

The only other new item in the bureau's estimates is for the purchase of four motor vehicles at a cost of \$2,750.

MAN SOUGHT BY RADIO AS MOTHER LIES DYING

Phillip Worthen, Described as Law Student at G. W. U., Is Object

OPEN CANCER INSTITUTE

German Trust Appoints Prof. Klein of Vienna Founder.

LUDWIGSHAFEN, Germany (P).—

The German dye trust has called the Vienness biologist and pathologist, Prof. Gustav Klein, to Ludwigshafen to found an institute for combating cancer. It has the trust's financial backing.

Prof. Klein, formerly a botanist, attracted world-wide attention in scientific circles through his research on cancerous growths of plants.

OF Fruitless Police Efforts.

Police were being aided by a local perfort to locate Phillip H. Worthen, described as a law student at George Washington University in a message which said that his mother was dying at her home in Hartford City, Ind. Worthen's address was given as 1337 Randolph street, but ne was known neither at that address nor at George Washington University.

Radio Station Users was dying at that address nor at George Washington University.

Radio Station WJSV at Alexandria broadcast a request for information of Worthen several times during the evening program.

Up to a late hour last night no world.

it also will be recommended that officers be given authority to shoot any dog running at large within 30 days after issuance of a mad dog proclamation. Provisions for dealing with whining dogs or those proved vicious or a nuisance also will be included in the recommendations.

The Moon Magazine.

BOWERMAN ASKS

Two Branch Sites and Con-

High School and an elementary school.

The total amount asked for personnel services during 1932 is \$335,372, as. against \$22,330 as contained in the pending District bill. Thirteen new full-

More Personnel Required. Personnel for the new Northeastern Branch will require additional salaries Branch will require additional salaries for 19 full-time positions and one half-time position. Two new positions are required for the hospital and suburban service, a full-time assistant librarian and a half-time mechanic, for the Mount

Francis O. Beall, 22 years old, of 518
Fifth street southeast, and Edward S.
Kuffman, 28 years old, of 1423 South
Carolina avenue southeast, were returned from Philadelphia by Detective
Sergt. Frank M. Alligood of the headquarters automobile squad last night
and charged with grand larceny.

The two men, police say, were arrested in Philadelphia several days ago
while driving a car stolen here May
25 from Ruben Acton of 1316 North
Carolina avenue northeast. The ma-

ATHENS, Greece, May 31 (A).-Christopher Thurber, American chairman of the Near East Relief, who worked many years here and in Turkey, died of apoplexy today.

The Government decorated him last year and the funeral Monday will be at public expense.

Ground was broken at a spot before the Sampson County Court House here

cil with a complete record of the justi-fications submitted by the department heads. These written justifications, he pointed out, constitute sufficient ex-

Boston, June 16-21, will be discussed and a program of activity for the ensuing year will be presented at a meeting of the Optometric Society of the District of Columbia, tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the Raleigh Hotel.

Two members of the society to serve for the reverse on the bears of the for three years on the board of op-tomerty in the District will be non-

Bundle Discovered in Marlboro Pike

Letterman's Vice Senate District Committee

The committee also will endeavor at the Tuesday meeting to reach a vote on Senator Capper's bill to provide for the election of the board of education by the people of the District, on which a hearing was held several weeks ago.

The safety responsibility bill was explained to the committee several days ago by officials of the American Automobile Association and the American Motorists' Association, but consideration of it was not completed at that time.

missioners.

Increased appropriations for repair work on public school and other buildings of the District government will require extensive alterations and an addition to the District Repair Shop in order to render efficient service, A. L. Harris, municipal architect, told the Commissioners in submitting his estimates for 1932.

He estimates it would require \$20,000 to put the repair shop building in

for the carpenter shop would cost \$5,000, Mr. Harris estimated, and \$500

Used by Fowls.

average of 96 times a day.
Until recently poultrymen did not know that a sitting hen turns here eggs about 96 times daily.
The device is worked by cogs and pulleys operating from the rise and fall of water in a large container.

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