

the country was in the grasp of the canal-building craze. The canal was operated in its first form for 90 years, until it was bought in 1919 by the Federal Government, which dredged it to 12 feet and made it a sea-level channel. It is now a link in the inland coastal waterway which extends, with a few gaps, from New York to the Texas Coast.

The formal opening of the Canal will take place with special exercises early in March.

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### PEOPLE'S COURT COMMITTEE

A Committee appointed by the Governor to examine into and make thorough investigation of the procedure and conditions now surrounding the People's Court of Baltimore City, and to report to the General Assembly of Maryland at its next regular Session, January, 1939, together with recommendations and proposed legislation to carry into effect the result of their findings.

Reuben Oppenheimer, Chairman,	1508 First National Bank Bldg., Baltimore
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H. Hamilton Hackney.....	327 St. Paul St., Baltimore
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Theodore R. Dankmeyer.....	Baltimore Life Bldg., Baltimore
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Dr. Timothy O. Heatwole.....	1800 N. Charles St., Baltimore
Albert C. Hofrichter.....	1300 Asbury Rd., Baltimore
Henry P. Irr.....	310 Birkwood Place, Baltimore
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### WEIGHTS AND MEASURES COMMITTEE

By Senate Resolution adopted May 6, 1937, the Governor was authorized to appoint a committee to investigate and make a survey of conditions pertaining to Weights and Measures in Maryland, and to make a report with recommendations, to the Governor and General Assembly of Maryland of 1939. The Committee is as follows:

H. H. Nuttle.....	Denton, Md.
T. Roy Brookes.....	Bel Air, Md.
S. B. Shaw.....	College Park, Md.
J. Richard Phillips.....	Berlin, Md.
J. Frank Thomas.....	Frederick, Md.
Capt. S. T. Griffith.....	Baltimore, Md.
James W. Stevens.....	Baltimore, Md.

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### INTERSTATE CRIME COMMISSION

This commission was appointed by Governor Nice to cooperate with similar commissions appointed in other States for the purpose of formulating uniform legislation relative to Crime.

The members are as follows:

Charles Ruzicka.....	Baltimore, Md.
Hon. Herbert R. O'Connor.....	Baltimore, Md.
W. Frank Every.....	Baltimore, Md.