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THEODORE R. McKELDIN, Governor

STATE ROADS COMMISSION

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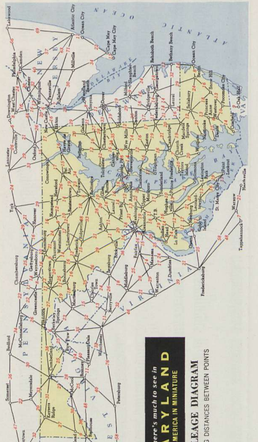

A MESSAGE FROM GOVERNMENT HOUSE

The people of Maryland send you this map of the State Highway System with a cordial invitation to use it. Visitors are welcomed here with traditional Maryland hospitality.

Maryland, one of the first States to build a system of hard surfaced roads, is now investing more than five hundred million dollars in a long range program, building new roads and improving existing ones. We are making these improvements with the least inconvenience to the traveling public.

Recently, Maryland opened the new Chesapeake Bay Bridge, which adds greatly to the convenience of those who travel, and in addition, gives an extraordinary view of the Chesapeake Bay.

We have built a great number of attractive roadside picnic areas, and look-outs, from which the motorist may view Maryland's scenic beauty.

We are doing everything possible to make our roads attractive and SAFE. Please show your appreciation of our concern for your safety by driving carefully and observing all highway safety rules. Will you help us also to keep Maryland's roads and picnic areas CLEAN.

There is much to see in Maryland. It is an "America in Miniature", rich in history and tradition. It has most varied and beautiful geographic features. We welcome you, and hope you enjoy seeing our State.

Cordially,

THEODORE R. McKELDIN
Governor of Maryland

For details about historic and scenic places of interest, write

MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION
BOX 706, ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND

WAYSIDE PICNIC AREAS and THEIR LOCATIONS

ALLEGANY COUNTY	U.S. Route 40	6	Miles	West of Cumberland
ALLEGANY COUNTY	" " 40	10	"	East of Cumberland
ALLEGANY COUNTY	" " 40	21	"	East of Cumberland
ALLEGANY COUNTY	" " 40	22	"	East of Cumberland
ALLEGANY COUNTY	" " 40	23	"	East of Cumberland
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY	Md. 2	7.5	"	South of Glen Burnie
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY	Balto.-Wash. Expressway	3	"	North of Patapsco River Bridge
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY	Balto.-Wash. Expressway	2.5	"	North of Jersey Road Interchange
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY	U.S. Route 301	1.8	"	South of Patapsco River
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY	Md. 2	1	"	North of Severn River
BALTIMORE COUNTY	U.S. Route 40	1.3	"	West of Balto.-Har. Line
BALTIMORE COUNTY	" " 40	3	"	East of Gwynnbrook
BALTIMORE COUNTY	" " 11	9.4	"	South of Balto.-Har. Line
BALTIMORE COUNTY	" " 40	1	"	West of Balto. City Line
BALTIMORE COUNTY	" " 40	3	"	West of Balto. City Line at Rolling Road
BALTIMORE COUNTY	Balto.-Wash. Expressway	.7	"	South of Balto. City Line
CALVERT COUNTY	Md. 2			South of Prince Frederick
CALVERT COUNTY	Md. 4	Opposite All Saints Church, Sunderland		
CARROLL COUNTY	U.S. Route 140	2	Miles	East of Westminster
CARROLL COUNTY	U.S. Route 140	5	"	West of Westminster
CARROLL COUNTY	Md. 26	5	"	West of Eldersburg
CECIL COUNTY	U.S. Route 40	1.1	"	West of Elkton
CECIL COUNTY	" " 213	3	"	North of C. & D. Canal at Chesapeake City
CECIL COUNTY	" " 40	.5	"	East of Susquehanna River Bridge
CECIL COUNTY	" " 40	3	"	West of Route 272 at North East
CHARLES COUNTY	" " 301	13	"	South of La Plata
CHARLES COUNTY	" " 301	5	"	South of La Plata
CHARLES COUNTY	" " 301	3	"	South of La Plata
CHARLES COUNTY	" " 301	7	"	North of La Plata
CHARLES COUNTY	Md. 5	3.7	"	South of Waldorf
DORCHESTER COUNTY	U.S. Route 50	3.2	"	East of Cambridge
DORCHESTER COUNTY	" " 50	5.5	"	West of Cambridge
FREDERICK COUNTY	" " 40	3	"	West of Frederick
FREDERICK COUNTY	" " 40	4.8	"	West of Frederick
FREDERICK COUNTY	" " 340	1.5	"	North of Frederick
FREDERICK COUNTY	" " 340	1.5	"	Between Frederick and Brunswick
FREDERICK COUNTY	Md. 26	14	"	East of Frederick
FREDERICK COUNTY	Md. 81	4	"	Between Thurmont and Emmitsburg
GARRETT COUNTY	U.S. Route 40	3	"	West of Grantsville
GARRETT COUNTY	" " 219	3.5	"	North of Oakland
GARRETT COUNTY	Md. 38	3.2	"	East of Deer Park
GARRETT COUNTY	U.S. Route 50	4.5	"	West of Gorman
HARFORD COUNTY	" " 40	6	"	East of Magnolia
HARFORD COUNTY	" " 40	2.5	"	East of Edgewood
HARFORD COUNTY	" " 40	2.5	"	East of Aberdeen
HARFORD COUNTY	" " 40	1.5	"	East of Aberdeen
HOWARD COUNTY	" " 40	2.5	"	North of Laurel
HOWARD COUNTY	" " 40	4	"	West of Balto. City Line
HOWARD COUNTY	" " 40	12	"	West of Balto. City Line
HOWARD COUNTY	" " 40	1.5	"	East of Ellicott City
MONTGOMERY COUNTY	" " 240	3.4	"	North of D. C. Line
MONTGOMERY COUNTY	" " 29	1.1	"	North of Colesville
MONTGOMERY COUNTY	" " 29	1.1	"	North of Colesville
MONTGOMERY COUNTY	" " 29	2.5	"	East of Ashton
MONTGOMERY COUNTY	Md. 121	3	"	North of Germantown
MONTGOMERY COUNTY	Md. 27	8	"	North of Damascus
PR. GEORGE'S COUNTY	Md. 4	3	"	South of Upper Marlboro
PR. GEORGE'S COUNTY	Md. 4	8.5	"	East of Washington
PR. GEORGE'S COUNTY	U.S. Route 301	2	"	South of Marlboro
PR. GEORGE'S COUNTY	" " 301	3	"	South of T. B.
QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY	" " 50	7.5	"	East of Chesapeake Bay Bridge
QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY	" " 50	7	"	East of Chesapeake Bay Bridge
ST. MARY'S COUNTY	Md. 5	3	"	North of Leonardtown
ST. MARY'S COUNTY	Md. 5	1	"	North of St. Mary's City
ST. MARY'S COUNTY	Md. 235	3	"	North of Lexington Park
ST. MARY'S COUNTY	Md. 235	1	"	South of Jarrett
SOMERSET COUNTY	U.S. Route 13	3.3	"	North of Pocomoke
SOMERSET COUNTY	" " 13	7.4	"	North of Pocomoke
TALBOT COUNTY	" " 50	6.1	"	North of Easton
TALBOT COUNTY	" " 50	1.7	"	South of Easton
TALBOT COUNTY	" " 50	5.8	"	South of Easton
WASHINGTON COUNTY	" " 40	7	"	West of Hancock
WASHINGTON COUNTY	" " 40	6	"	East of Hancock
WASHINGTON COUNTY	" " 40	2.5	"	West of Hagerstown
WASHINGTON COUNTY	" " 40	3	"	East of Hagerstown
WASHINGTON COUNTY	" " 340	18	"	West of Frederick
WICOMICO COUNTY	" " 50	5.6	"	West of Salisbury
WICOMICO COUNTY	" " 50	1.2	"	West of Salisbury
WORCESTER COUNTY	" " 50	2	"	West of Ocean City
WORCESTER COUNTY	" " 50	3.8	"	West of Ocean City

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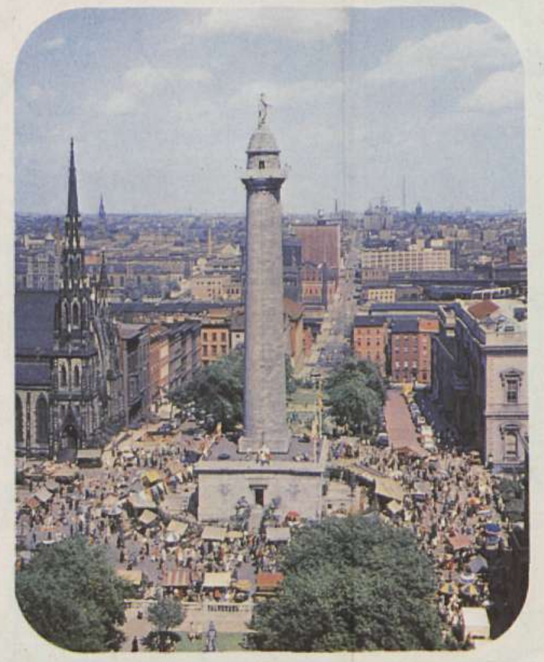
CITIES, TOWNS AND VILLAGES

FEDERAL, STATE AND MUNICIPAL RESERVATIONS

One of Maryland's ancient mills—relic of by-gone days

Point Lookout Lighthouse, at the extreme tip of Southern Maryland Country with character

May 12th in Baltimore

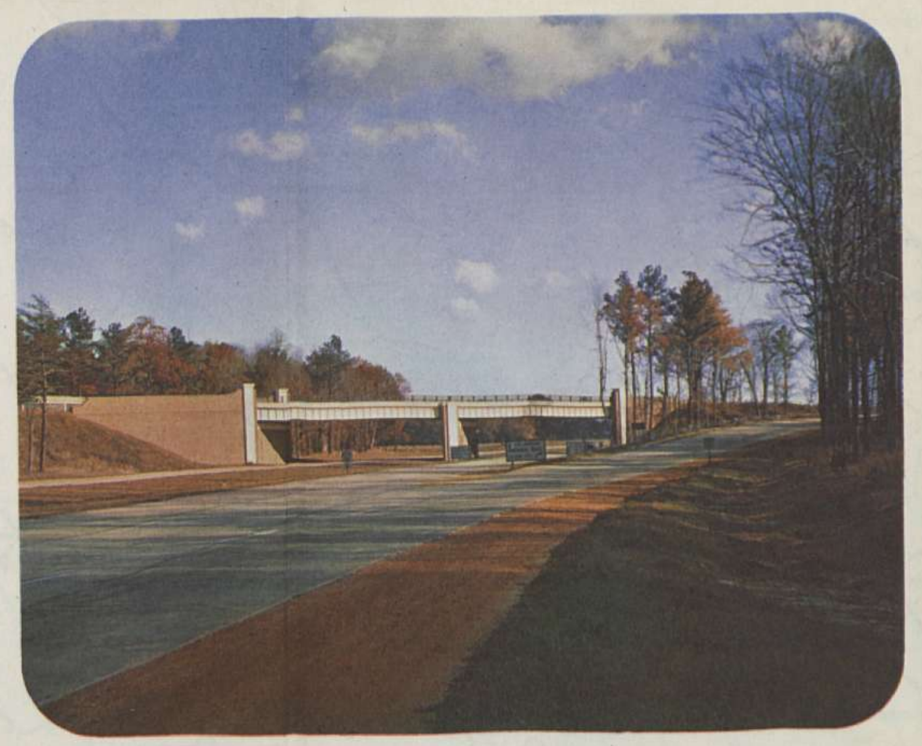


Women's Civic League annual "Flower Mart" at the foot of the first monument to George Washington

White Marble Steps
Trade mark of Baltimore

Deep sea "Fishing's Fine" at Ocean City

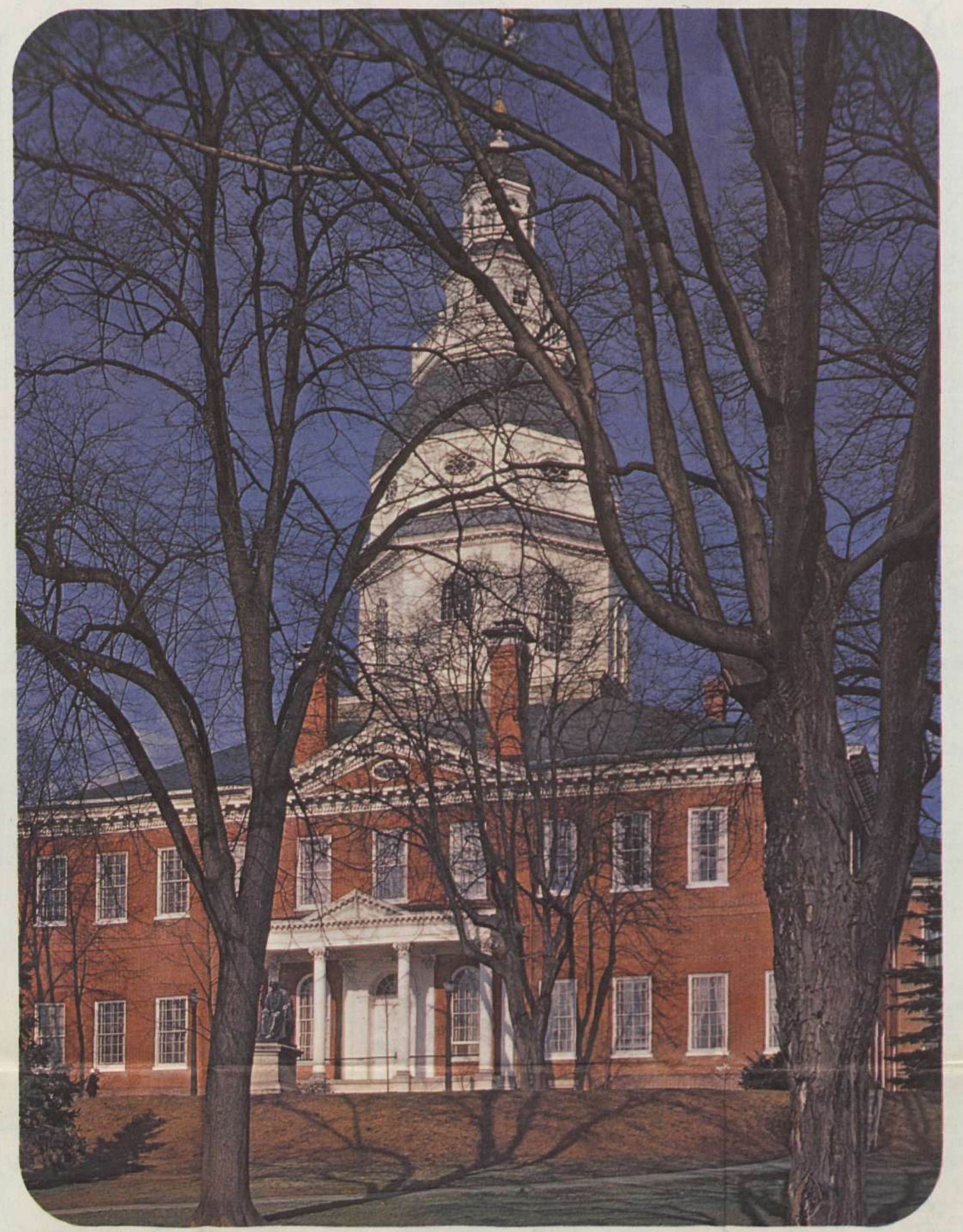
Maryland has many attractive and inviting roadside picnic areas



Maryland's Highways are ultra-modern

Cradle of religious freedom. Replica of Maryland's first State House at St. Mary's City

Maryland's efficient State Police are at your service



Maryland's Historic State House, built in 1772, is older than the nation. Within its hallowed walls George Washington resigned his commission as Commander-in-Chief of the Continental Forces, and the treaty which ended the Revolutionary War was ratified by Congress. Visitors are welcomed with traditional Maryland hospitality. Open daily, including Saturdays, Sundays and most holidays.

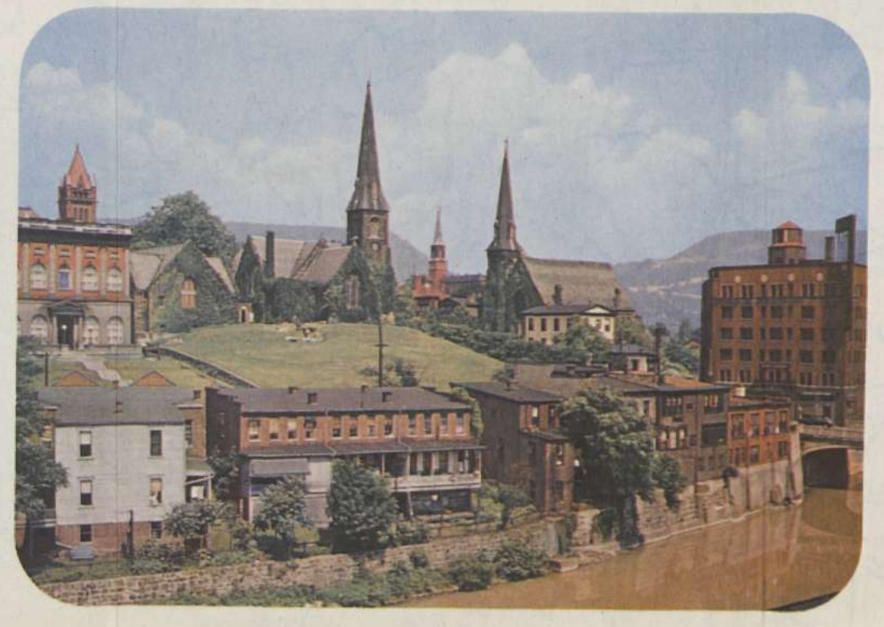
Maryland's Chesapeake Bay Bridge, longest all-steel over-water bridge in the world

Fort McHenry, Baltimore, birthplace of *"The Star-Spangled Banner"*

Visited by three quarters of a million Americans in 1953

"Fishing's Fine" in Maryland

Maryland Peaches



Cumberland:
Queen City of the Alleghenies
Gateway to the "West"
since colonial times

Beautiful
Swallow Falls State Park,
Garrett County, Maryland

Governor
Theodore R. McKeldin
in the historic office
of Maryland's Governors

Chesapeake Bay tourist cruises are popular

Tomatoes are one of Maryland's principal crops

One of eight ancient "Kissing Bridges" in picturesque Maryland

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