MARYLAND AT A GLANCE

Population—1,742,000—Estimated.

Area—12,300.21 square miles; 9,870.32 land; 2,429.89 water.

Counties-

Allegany
Anne Arundel
Baltimore
Calvert
Caroline
Carroll
Cecil
Charles

Dorchester Frederick Garrett Harford Howard Kent Montgomery Prince George's Queen Anne's St. Mary's Somerset Talbot Washington Wicomico Worcester

STATE OFFICERS

Governor—Harry W. Nice Attorney General—Herbert R. O'Conor Comptroller of State—Wm. S. Gordy, Jr. State Treasurer—Hooper S. Miles Secretary of State—E. Ray Jones Chief Judge, Court of Appeals—Carroll

T. Bond
State Superintendent of Schools—Albert
S. Cook

Adjutant General—Brig. Gen. Milton A. Reckord
Assistant Adjutant General—Brig. Gen.

John Philip Hill
Chairman, State Roads Commission—
Homer E. Tabler

Commissioner of Motor Vehicles—Walter R. Rudy
Superintendent of Maryland State Police

-Major Enoch B. Garey

Original charter-1634.

Founded by Cecilius Calvert, Lord Baltimore.

Named after Queen Henrietta Maria, wife of Charles I of England.

First Settlement—St. Mary's.

One of original Thirteen Colonies.

Length-200 miles; width varies from 5 to 120 miles.

Chesapeake Bay—width 10 to 40 miles, stretches northward 180 miles. Principal rivers—Susquehanna, Potomac, Patapsco, Patuxent, Severn, Wicomico, Sassafras, Chester, Choptank, Piankatank, Nanticoke, Pocomoke, Tred Avon, Wye, Miles.

Maryland has more river frontage than any other State in the Union.

Baltimore City's harbor extends along 127 miles of deep water frontage. The city ranks as America's fourth foreign trade port and is the second foreign trade port on the Atlantic coast.

Principal mountains of Western Maryland—Sideling Mountain, 1599 feet; Town Hill, 1700 feet; Green Ridge, 1302 feet; Polish Mountain, 1342 feet; Martin's Mountain, 1690 feet; Big Savage Mountain, 2850 feet; Meadow Mountain, 2750 feet; Negro Mountain, 2908 feet; Keyser's Ridge, 2894 feet; Mt. Backbone, 3320 feet.

Total value of manufactured products—\$755,843,200 (preliminary figure).

Total value of farm products—\$74,929,000.

Total value of oyster, crab and fishing industry—Over \$3,500,000.

Maryland packs more tomatoes than any other state in the Union, amounting to approximately 22% of all tomatoes put up in the United States.

Maryland ranks next to Louisiana in the production of muskrat pelts, and first in the production of the black muskrat pelt, the choicest pelt on the market.

Maryland is one of the leading strawberry producing states in the country.

Maryland is one of the leading vegetable canning states in the country. Maryland is one of the leading states in supplying sweet potatoes to the big eastern produce markets.

The nation depends upon Maryland and California for the bulk of all spinach grown for canning purposes.