This morning the Commissioners sat in Tax Review of new property for the entire County. All members, their attorney, Mr. George Lawrence, Supervisor of Assessments, Mr. W.B.Raley, Asst. Tax Assessor were in attendance. Ten complaints were heard but none were allowed.

Clerk was requested to write to Dr. Snell-6 D. that his assessment is the minimum for a brick dwelling-  $40\phi$  cu ft. His neighbors have frame dwellings but none have been reduced as he had said. Letter also to be sent Mrs. Bertha Poe-her assessment is to stand as set.

Mr. W.S. Donaldson of Chaptico appeared about R of W through his He is willing to give all the land necessary and Mr. Carpenter will grade the road if the SRC will put on the gravel which is to be given by Mr. Carpenter and Mr. Donaldson. R of W is an old abandoned road, but when same is usable several lots will be sold for homes. Mr. Dobry has sold his place to Mr. Weaver and a Mr. Bradford has also purchased a home site. This road formerly hooked into the Red School and Tin Top roads Gardiner's Mill to Chaptico. Mr. Donaldson explained that 3 or 4 pipes will be needed to drain the water and Mr. Thompson says these can be had after the DEED is given to the Commissioners. Grading of road is to begin this week by Mr. Carpenter. gravelling will be done this winter. The Board advised Mr. Donaldson they will accept the road after the proper procedure is followed.

Mr. Baldwin came in to congratulate the Commissioners on having Leonardtown declared in the defense area. Altho several telephone conversations have been had about this matter, no Directive has been received confirming these calls. Mr. Baldwin further said that when the Commissioners apply for funds, they must be very sure that the area they desire to assist is really a critical area, stating why.

A letter was addressed to the Attorney General relative to payment of Salary of Trial Magistrate.

A shortmeeting of the Planning Commission was held and  $^{M}r$ . J. Claude Johnson of Mørganza,  $^{M}d$ ., was appointed to succeed Mr. Dickey who had resigned, but whose term would be up in May. Letter has been written to Mr. Johnson asking that he accept the position.

Executive session was held relative to continuing the employment of Mr. Nicolet as Technical Advisor of the Planning Commission. His work is satisfactory and the Board feels in view of the increasing work necessary for the new housing project it will be well to make no changes at this time, and the appointment re-

in affect through the fiscal year closing June 30, 1952. Plats of the Planning Com. should be recorded in Clerk's office. Commissioners desire to have all records belonging to the Planning Commission in the Court House. These records are to be made available to the County Surveyor, attorneys etc but should be kept locked up. Mr. Nicolet has the authority of the Board to make plans etc., for private parties outside of his office time, in order to avoid criticism. The Planning Commission cannot charge for any work they do. Mr. Thompson requested a letter from the Commissioners to this effect.

Parking violations in the Park will be enforced as soon as the Summons slips have been received by sheriff and deputies.

Jailor's bungalow roof- Mr. Stone will contact Mr. Guy Wilson and have him examine the roof and give a price on painting the leak, then covering the entire roof with heavy Builder's paper and painting the entire roof.

Personal Property Taxes not paid must be collected. Mr. Sterling interpreted the law to place the work of preparing the extra tax bills in the Treasurer's office. On the bottom of the bill the Treasurer must write an order to the Sheriff to make a levy and collect these taxes.

Letter to Mrs. Sophie Bowles, Loveville, Md., advising she is to continue transporting the Clarence Guy, Elmore Guy and Ruark children to the Academy for the rest of the School year which closes June 1952. Mrs. Bowles is to be paid \$30 a mo for this work. etters to Mrs. Clarence Guy and Mrs. Elmore Guy advising that this service can continue for the rest of the school year but they will have to use the regular bus transportation beginning Sept. 1952.

Sam Thompson, Abell's Wharf requested bus to come in 3/4 mi to pick up 10 yr old child. Board says it cannot do this for 1 child.

Meeting adjourned at 4 p.m.

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