The full Board of County Commissioners and their attorney met today.

Contractors for parochial school transportation were present and all but 2 signed their contracts as of last year- at existing amounts, with the provision that additional mileage would yield additional fees. Will advertise for contract for J.F. ean and G. Alex Hebb routes.

Sand Gates Road- Judge Loker, representing a group of taxpayers who reside in this area asked that the old road be abandoned and a new road to the rear of the property be made- the property owners are 3 Plugge brothers, Norman, Gordon and Cameron, 4 Dixon brothe s, Edgar, Raymond, William and Harry- it appears that so many people gather on the beach the owners cannot have any provacy, and have lost their raparian rights. Mr. Sterling pointed out that the law requires a Public Notice be inserted in the county papers for 2 weeks advising that the old road will be abandoned and a new one built. A lengthy discussion followed. Part of a road has already been built by the County. The property owners are willing to give as much as 50ft of property if necessary for the new road if located to the rear as they request.

Fr. White Memorial-Snow Hill Road
Property owners along this road ask that road be widened. Mrs. M.
Gasparovic is unwilling to give R of W. Mr. Thompson will contact her later and report to the office.

Playground areas
3 areas in Lexington Park have been dedicated to the County
Lots of clearing necessary, Board decided to wait until the work
of the SRC is lighter when that crew will be taken in by Mr. Thompson
to clear the land.

Trailer Law: Bill of Complaints filed by group of Trailer owners thru attys W.M.Loker, Jr and C.R.Guyther-Robt. Lomes; L.E.Frierson M.V.Strageski and A. Helsinger

Welfare Refund Mrs. Rapp Director of Welfare for St.Mary's Co. asked permission to retain all unused funds from 1952-53 to be used as needed in Board of Children or emergencies. Refused. Mrs. Rapp was instructed to refund all money unexpended and when funds are necessary present request to Board.

H.A.Ten ison, slot mac ine inspector resigned as of June 30,1953

Louis J. Mattingly, R2 Leonardtown, Md., aprointed Slot Machine Inspector as of July 1, 1953 at a salary of \$600.00 per annum, payable quarterly. Instructed to contact Mr. Sterling who will advise him of his duties in this position. Letter was written

Resolution re gift to St. Mary's Hospital, Leonardtown, Md., introduced by Mr. Leonard S. Alvey, president, seconded by Mr. C.B.Guy, member, approved by all re: Pledge of TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000.00) for new wing at hospital, it is understood

Pledge will be redeemed subsequent to July 1954. Letter to hospital building committee advising them of this decision.

Meeting adjourned at 3;30 pm

approved

Leonard Soflvey president