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SCMETHING NEW - HELP SUPPORT IT

Over 100 of our members live in the Baltimore-Aberdeen area. With our encouragement a Baltimore Committee has been established to try to develop programs there. We wish it luck and hope it flourishes. Let's support the Committee's efforts.

## BALTIMORE MEETING

"HOW GO THE 1966 ELECTIONS - NATIONAL AND MARYLAND?"

Speakers: LOUIS H. BEAN - The incomparable Mr. Bean - enough said:

REGINALD LEWIS - Institute for Political Education, Morgan State Col-

lege. The Institute does intensive studies of political behavior. The speaker will focus on the

Maryland elections.

WHEN AND WHERE - Tuesday, November 1, 8 p.m., auditorium of the new library of

the University of Baltimore, Maryland and Oliver Streets. This is one block west of the University which is at 1420 North

Charles Street. Refreshments afterward!

"CHANGING TRENDS IN INFANT MORTALITY
IN THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER COUNTRIES"

Infant mortality is often cited as evidence in comparisons of the quality of medical care here and in other countries. What's going on, here and elsewhere? How does the U. S. compare with other countries? What's changing?

Chairman: ARTHUR J. McDOWELL, National Center for Health Statistics

Speakers: IWAO M. MORIYAMA

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National Center for Health Statistics

WHEN AND WHERE: Wednesday, November 9, 8 p.m., Conference Room B, Interdepart-

mental Auditorium, Constitution Avenue, between 12th and 14th

Streets.

## LUNCHEON MEETING

## "CORPORATE DIVIDEND POLICY"

Chairman: BEATRICE N. VACCAR, Office of Business Economics, Dep't of Commerce Speaker: JOHN A. BRITTAIN, Brookings Institution

Decisions about retaining and distributing corporate earnings significantly affect the nation's economy. John Brittain will report on his statistical model of the factors influencing corporate dividend decisions; with particular focus on those factors, such as depreciation allowances, interest rates, and tax rates, that are affected by public policy.

WHEN AND WHERE - Wednesday, Nov. 16, Noon, Presidential Arms, 1320 G Street, N.W. \$2.50 (lunch, tax, tip). Please send check and form below to John Gracza, to be received by or before Nov. 15.

(OVER PLEASE)

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