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Five Cents

GHS Honor Roll Lists 108 Pupils

One hundred and eight Greenbelt High School students were on the honor roll for the first quarter of 1947-48. Those rating "A" included: Ronda Bibler, Beverly Drass, Bob Porter and Joanne Slye.

Those rating "B" from the seventh grade were: Rhoda Mitteldorf, Bobby Eubanks, Kenneth Masters, Dorothy Bradley, Mary Ann Frammer, Richard Hensel, Joan Davenport, Margot Kennedy, Lynn Perchick, Sheila Kenton, Barbara Hulster.

Eighth graders rating "B" included Jim Klinenberg, Eleanor Brogan, Richard Cooper, Betty Hannum, Lou Ann Darling, Ruth Bruma, Norma Evans, Billy Keaton, Carol Day, Janice Auzulovic, Ann Dindlebeck, Norma Kerns, Betty Jean Wiley, Stanley Simmons, Joan Zimmet, Robert Kosisky, Catherine Schoff, June Coddingham, Barbara Lavan, Oslette Moser, Ida Nollen, Delpha Daniels, Rosalie Fleisher, Beverly Kosatka, Ninth graders rating "B" on the Honor Roll were: Mabel Vickers, Emma Busbey, Charles Kans, Tommy Norris, David Perkins, Constance Newton, Betty Jean Porter, Frances Norbert, Russel Shoap, Bill Dove, Bernice Lee, Jean Wood, Billy Turner, Janice McKay, Lloyd Becroft, Walter Hannum, Alice Nicholson, Tommy Scanlen, Barbara Gales, Elenora Jorden, Mary Simmons, Marie Vickers, Allen Lewis, Alene Gillette, Ted Coleman, Jack Maffey, Shirley Morrison, Shirley Smith, and Mary Stewart.

Tenth graders making the honor roll were: Hamilton Dillen, Mike Littleton, Ray Sowell, Elaine Scott, Lucy Kalvass, Ilda Wells, Ann May, Marlene Goldstein, Rosemary Hennesy, Joanne Hartman, Joyce Green, Bill Wiley, Barbara David, Bill Collier, Bill Buskey, Graham Houlton, Adair Ness, Jean Jarboe, Barbara Summers, and Laura Wright.

Twelfth graders included: Pat Godfrey, Betty Green, Carol Holien, Toria Reese, Pat Hart, June Scovitch, Torr Schwartz, Bill Morrison, Charles Hartman, Marilyn Underwood, Sara Kuchner, Marilyn Eshbaugh, David Byerly, Eunice Krumpke, Jean Den Hartog, Pat Lee, Jean Todd, Helen Jackson, Helen Miller, and Carolyn O'Brien.

Resident Attacked On Christmas Eve

Christmas Eve in Greenbelt was marred by an assault on Dick Helgren, 33-M Ridge Road, by four young Greenbelt residents. Wallace Nelson, of 33-U Ridge Road, a neighbor of Dick's, tried to halt the fight but received a fractured hip for his efforts. He is recuperating in Leland Memorial Hospital.

Dick Helgren has preferred charges of assault and battery against one of the four youths. Two were charged with disorderly conduct by Officer Austin R. Green of the local police force. No charges were placed against the fourth young man. The three, who were booked in Hyattsville, have been released under bond, according to Sgt. Albert S. Atlick of the Greenbelt police department.

Police Apprehend Juvenile Thieves

The Elementary School was broken into and money stolen last Sunday. The four children responsible for the crime were apprehended and after questioning were charged with the crime. The "ring-leader," aged 12, has been responsible for previous misdemeanors. The case is under advisement.

The Police Department also reports that an unlawful entry into the Elementary School kindergarten was solved when a youngster was taken into custody and charged with the crime. A satisfactory solution has been reached in regard to the misdeed.

Woman Burned Rescuing Kids From Flames

By I. PARKER

A fire at the home of Roy E. Ridgely, 73-G Ridge Road, was the scene of much damage and dramatic heroism last Sunday. A Christmas tree in the living room was ignited by a spark from a toy train set that was suddenly shorted by tinfoil accidentally falling on the tracks. As flames filled the room, Mrs. Ridgely shepherded her children out the door to safety and then dashed upstairs to rescue her infant. Mr. Ridgely meanwhile fought the flames with a garden hose. Mrs. Ridgely climbed through an upstairs window, her child in her arms, to the roof of her porch and jumped from there to the ground. She received first degree burns on her back and second degree burns on her arms, and suffered from shock. Officer Allen brought her to Dr. Hans Wodak who treated her and allowed her to return home.

Damage to the living room walls, according to PHA Manager Charles Cormack who was on the scene, amounted to about \$125. The contents of the room were partially destroyed, and the damage has not been estimated. The Greenbelt Fire Department answered a call from a "box" pulled by Bobby Brown, age 13.

This is the second fire in the past two weeks whose origin was a short in a wire. Mr. Cormack pointed out that electrical equipment or toys should never remain plugged in if not in use, and that Christmas trees should be removed as soon as possible because of the fire hazard they present.

The Police Department reminds all residents to report fires by phoning 2011. Many fires are reported to the telephone operator, and an unnecessary delay in responding to the alarm ensues.

Local Chorus Will Hold Concert

The Greenbelt Community Chorus will hold its first concert on Monday, January 19, 1948 at 8:30 p. m. in the center school auditorium. The chorus will be under the direction of Dr. Harlan Randall, head of the music department at the University of Maryland. Pianist for the group is Mrs. Gordon Finlay of Greenbelt. The program chairman, Mrs. Sig Leifur, has announced that, besides numbers by the chorus, Mrs. Finlay will present a group of piano solos. There will be a duet by Dr. and Mrs. Randall. Tickets are on sale from the ticket chairman, Mrs. Irving Oring or any member of the chorus. They will also be available at the door. The admission is 25 cents for children and 50 cents for adults, tax included. Any profits will be used for the purchase of music for the chorus.

Dr. Randall asks that all members of the chorus attend regular rehearsals, which will be resumed Monday night, January 5, at 8:30 p. m. in the home economics room of the center school.

New Numbers?

Legion Wants 'Em

The 1948 Greenbelt Town Directory, published by the Greenbelt American Legion Post No. 136, will soon go to press. The committee appeals to all organizations who desire to be included to mail a list of their principal officers to Chester H. Tucker, 13-P Ridge Road, by January 10. Also, homes with more than one family who desire additional listings are requested to submit this information to Mr. Tucker. New telephone numbers, and any changes since last year's directory should also be given the committee by January 10 so that they may go in the directory.

Anne Hull Leaves Cooperator Staff

By RALPH G. MILLER

Many staff members of the Cooperator have left the paper from time to time, but none will be missed more by those who have worked with her than Anne Hull, who recently left for Athens, Greece.

Anne, with her husband Dayton, and children, Deborah (Debbie), Carter (Chip), and Charles Henry (Chuck), left Christmas week for New York en route to Athens, where Mr. Hull will serve as personnel officer for the American Embassy.

For eight years Anne has been a Cooperator "regular" with the exception of a few necessary leaves of absence.

Anne joined the staff in August 1939, and served as editor from September 1944 to July 1945. She was the paper's thirteenth editor and the third woman to hold down the top editorial post.

Before becoming editor and afterwards she wrote many of the best feature articles that appeared in the paper. These all were characterized by an inimitable "light touch" which many of us despaired of ever getting into our own news articles.

"Anne," we would call out, "here is a story that needs a light hand," or "Anne, see what you can do with this story."

As a copy reader Anne was invaluable. She knew the names of our neighbors and their children when no one else did on the staff. The civic titles and offices held by numerous residents were no mystery to her. She remembered hundreds of details about hundreds of people, and used her knowledge to make our news stories more accurate and interesting.

While news editor Anne not only turned up an increasing supply of news leads, but was also exceptionally successful in obtaining reporters to cover the assignments.

Anne, as well as her husband, leaves behind an enviable example of participation in community activity.

Her contribution to the community and to the paper of the thousands of hours of work spent during her eight-year period on the staff is an impressive record of devotion which few individuals in Greenbelt can equal.

The present Cooperator staff is honored to have had the privilege of working with her.

School Teacher Wins \$650

Mrs. William R. Eckhardt, 4-K Laurel Hill Road, won \$650 on the Columbia Broadcasting System radio program "Strike It Rich" in New York last Sunday night. The money was awarded when she answered correctly the five questions asked of her. In reply to an unofficial question as to what she would do with the money, Mrs. Eckhardt replied that she would use it as a down-payment on a house in Greenbelt when it is bought from the Government.

Mrs. Eckhardt is a kindergarten teacher at the Center School and her husband is a student at Maryland University under the G. I. Bill of Rights.

Hearings Resumed Starting January 7

Mayor Canning has announced that the open hearings on the town administration will be resumed on the evening of January 7. They will also be held on the evening of January 9, both times in the town office. On Saturday, January 10, the hearings will be held during the entire day at the center school auditorium.

PHA Lump-Sale Formula Sought For Greenbelt

Mayor Canning recently wrote to Charles Lawrence, regional director, Public Housing Administration, regarding consultations to be held with PHA technical advisors to consider the problems involved in the sale of Greenbelt. He pointed out in his letter that consideration of these problems at this time is extremely important to all residents of the town, since PHA regulations require approval and transmittal to PHA by the town council of any recommendations regarding the sale of Greenbelt submitted by local representatives appointed by the town council within 90 days after the date the consultations are started.

Letters Received

The Mayor announced that last Tuesday he received the following reply to his letter over the signature of Joseph C. Gray for the area director of PHA.

"At the present time this Administration is formulating plans for the disposition of all war housing projects. That portion of the Greenbelt project constructed under the Lanham Act is subject to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 2 of the Public Housing Administration Manual of policy and procedure. Since old Greenbelt was constructed under other legislation we are at the present time attempting to reconcile the legal provisions covering disposition in order that the entire project may be offered for sale at the same time.

"At an appropriate time in the future, representatives of this office will confer with local officials of the Town of Greenbelt regarding this matter of mutual concern."

Urges 'Join GMHOC'

Charles O'Leary, chairman of the Membership Committee of GMHOC, urges all residents of Greenbelt who have not joined up to do so immediately. Over 1,000 residents have already joined, which is more than enough to permit negotiations with the PHA.

Mr. O'Leary also stated that a number of non-residents, mostly from Washington and nearby areas, have requested that they be allowed to join the GMHOC so as to obtain a residence in Greenbelt. Under the by-laws of the Corporation, non-residents cannot be admitted to membership at this time. In view of the considerable amount of outside interest in the purchase of the town, every resident who has not as yet become a member of GMHOC is urged to do so at the earliest possible time.

Postcard Campaign, Requesting Price Rollbacks, Begins

In cooperation with the Washington Committee for Consumer Protection, the Greenbelt branch of the UPWA Auxiliary is organizing a postcard campaign locally in which residents are to write to their congressmen requesting price rollbacks and price control. The campaign, which extends through January 8, is under the chairmanship of Lil Schwimer who has lists of congressmen available for those who are uncertain where to address their cards. The committee would like the names of all those who participate, and any groups or individuals wishing to help should call Mrs. Schwimer at 4692.

At the last meeting of the Auxiliary, the following officers were elected: co-chairman, Bea Bronstein and Dorothy Spindel; treasurer, Lee Fink; corresponding secretary, Rosalind Borsky; recording secretary, Esther Tillem; consumer chairman, Lil Schwimer; legislation and education chairman, Bobbie Solet; social chairman, Anita Hirschtritt. The group is planning a party for January 23 to celebrate the first anniversary of its formation.

Okazaki Resigns; Mathers Manager Center Food Store

Tom Okazaki, 8-G Parkway, has resigned as manager of the center food store and will leave January 15 to return to Oregon. He expects to enter the food store business there.

"We are extremely sorry to lose Tom," declared Samuel F. Ashelman, general manager of Greenbelt Consumer Services. "During the two and one-half years that Tom has been with us here in Greenbelt, he has made a real contribution to our businesses. He came with a long experience in the food business that has been of inestimable value. We shall really miss him."

About Jim

James Mathers, present north end food store manager, will become manager of the center food store, subject to the approval of the GCS board of directors at their next meeting. Mr. Mathers is one of the oldest employees in point of service, and worked in the food store prior to and after the war. Some months ago he went to the north end store as manager. Maynard (Mike) Watson will remain as assistant manager of the center food store.

George Krouse, until recently employed in the radio and appliance shop, will become the manager of the north end store. Prior to his employment at Greenbelt, Mr. Krouse was engaged in the food store business, and was manager of the Mt. Pleasant branch of the Rochdale cooperative food stores, Washington, D. C.

Hesse-Anglin

One of Greenbelt's most popular misses joined the young married set last week when Patricia Ruth Hesse became the bride of Morris Anglin, Jr., of Hyattsville. The marriage, which took place in the First Methodist Church of Hyattsville December 20, was announced by the bride's mother, Mrs. Beatrice Hesse, 6-J Hillside Road.

The young couple are making their home in Hyattsville, where the bridegroom is in the printing business with his father.

A member of the senior class of Greenbelt High School, Patty made a name for herself in school dramatics, playing leading roles in the junior class play, "Junior Miss" last year, and in the senior play, "Dear Ruth," last fall. She is a member of the fashion board of Lansburgh's Department Store, and has modeled for a number of fashion shows in Washington.

The bridegroom, also well-known in Greenbelt, is a student at McKinley Tech High School in Washington.

Warns Violators

The police department again warns motorists to avoid double parking at the center, and cautions them to observe stop signs at intersections. Complaints concerning speeding along Ridge Road are being studied.

The icy roads resulting from the post-Christmas snowfall were quickly sanded by town maintenance men. There were no reports of accidents or injuries due to the ice.

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Phone Greenbelt 3131 on Monday and Tuesday nights
to submit advertising.

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News items may be submitted either through the mail, via the box
in the tobacco store, or through the slot in the office door.
Last pick-up of news items and ads from the tobacco store box made
at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

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What Are We Saying!

This year I resolve to attend only seven meetings a week.
Resolve to clip my hedge as often as my neighbor does his
and by all means twenty-four hours before getting a warning
from the office.

Resolve to attend Council meetings even when there isn't
a crisis in the offing.

Resolve to get my washing on and off the line before five
o'clock.

Resolve to walk only on the right-hand-side of the street
so I won't be invited to the Un-American Activities Committee's
open house.

Resolve to avoid double parking and double-parkers in
front of the post office or any other place.

Resolve to eat more carrots to improve my night vision so
that I will be better able to walk around Greenbelt after
dusk.

Resolve to leave my neighbor as many inches as possible
in the parking lot.

Resolve to avoid keeping any pets with the exception of
fish, frogs, turtles, crickets, caterpillars or any of the other
little creatures that inhabit the woods around Greenbelt.

Resolve to monopolize the telephone only when the other
party isn't.

Resolve not to talk about my neighbors, even in my sleep.

Resolve to remind myself that every problem has another
side to it even if it isn't as good as mine.

Resolve not to leave my death-ray gun, used bubble gum,
yo-yo, white mice or shoes in the theater.

Resolve to buy all my groceries at one time to avoid adding
up patronage receipts at the end of the year. Which
reminds me . . .

Happy New Year!

Christmas Bureau Helps 120 Families

The Christmas Bureau of the
Community Chest distributed food,
clothing and toys to 120 families in
Prince Georges County just before
Christmas. Mrs. Elizabeth Hamilton
of Hyattsville is chairman of the
Bureau, with representatives from
the Welfare Board, Social
Service League and Catholic Charities
composing the operating committee.

In addition to names of families
submitted by these three agencies
many others were sent in by individuals
and organizations. While
many items were contributed by
county organizations, the bulk of
the food and toys came from collections
made at the Cheverly,
Hyattsville, and Kaywood Theatres
under the leadership of Dave Ginsberg.

Baskets were delivered to the
farthest corners of the county by
the workers, with special emphasis
on families with a large number of
children. The biggest family was
composed of 15 members.

Tree Hunters' Chops Bother Our Cops

The Greenbelt police department
was kept busy last Sunday preventing
people armed with axes
and saws from cutting Christmas
trees on Greenbelt property. These
persons were confused by an article
in a Washington paper which
stated that trees could be secured
for the cutting on Mrs. Benson's
property along Edmonston Road,
to help her clear her land, but the
article omitted explicit directions
for reaching her property.

Clean-up Crew Does Fine Job

Greenbelt residents whose trash
cans groaned with Christmas
wrappings and extra rubbish over
the holidays were reported well
pleased this week and last with the
efficiency of town collections. According
to Public Works Foreman
Elliott M. Sines, the men succeeded
in servicing nearly the entire town
with two collections, doing five
days' work in three and one-half
days, since afternoon of Christmas
Eve as well as Christmas day was a
holiday.

No Complaints

Mr. Sines reported that four
extra men were added to the
regular crew for the holidays, although
illness cut down the number
of men actually working all week.
The regular crew consists of two
men for the defense section and
four for old Greenbelt. "No complaints
received," said Mr. Sines,
who considers that a real achievement
during a busy week.

Edukashun To Kum To Fourth Estate

Journalism classes will be conducted
on alternate Fridays beginning
January 9. Under the instruction
of Ralph G. Miller, associate
editor of the Cooperator, classes
will be held January 9, 16, 23, and
30, for the benefit of the present
Cooperator staff. Anyone interested
in joining the staff of the Cooperator
can also take the course.

OUR NEIGHBORS

By DOROTHY MCGEE
Phone 5677

The week of holiday cheer was
topped off with several New Year's
Eve parties throughout town.
Friends gathered at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ratcliff, 37-J
Ridge Road, Mr. and Mrs. Ray
Haber, 3-C Eastway Road, and at
the Paul Borskys, 44-R Ridge Road.

A Christmas present for her parents
was Gloria Dorothy Greenbaum,
born December 25 at Leland
Memorial Hospital. Mr. and Mrs.
Harry Greenbaum of 23-A Ridge
Road have another daughter, five,
and a son, two.

Mrs. Harriet Marks of 8-F Parkway
Road spent the holidays with
a niece in Wilmington, Delaware.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Tracy, former
Greenbelters, stopped by last
week for a brief visit at the home
of the Seymours Levines, 6-B
Crescent Road. They were en route
from Florida to Boston and regretted
that they had so little time to
spend here, seeing old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hogan, 5-K
Eastway, announce the birth of
a son, Raymond Paul, at Prince
Georges Hospital on December 27.
They have a daughter, Pat.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan, 11-B
Southway, had as their overnight
guests at Christmas Mr. and
Mrs. James Magee and the latter's
sister, Miss Mabel Moore of Washington,
D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bowman with
their two children motored up to
Greene, New York, the day before
Christmas to spend a few days at
the home of Mrs. Bowman's parents.

Police Chief Panagoulis has been
on the sick list for almost two
weeks because of a very badly infected
hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Perlzweig of 6-F
Hillside had as their house
guests for several days at Christmas
the former's sister, Mrs. Abe
Mellk and her two sons. Mr. Mellk,
a commuter between New York
and New Jersey, was stranded in
New York during last Friday's blizzard.
Unable to get home, he
boarded the train for Washington
and joined his family here for the
weekend.

A son, Ronald Gene, was born
December 26 at Leland Memorial
Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Wexler, 55-D Ridge Road. The
baby weighed 7 lb. 12 oz. They
have a daughter, Susan.

Little Janet Miller of 6-C
Crescent Road has been in New York
City at the home of her aunt, Miss
Mary Helen Russell, for several
days. Miss Russell, a visitor here
at Christmas, left last Monday
accompanied by Janet.

Also visiting in New York are
Mrs. Harry Follack and her son,
Ratie.

Making pleasant tradition in her
neighborhood is Mrs. Harry
Timmerman of 41-P Ridge Road who
every Christmas Eve calls her
neighbors over for the singing of
carols on her lawn, with her daughter
playing the accordion. Each
child in the court receives candy
and a small gift. Santa would
approve such nice Christmas spirit.

We just heard about one of those
happy accidents that sometimes net
the inventor a small fortune. A
Greenbelt housewife, making waffles
Sunday night, took from her
refrigerator a bottle, supposedly
containing milk. It was, instead,
a bottle of commercial egg-nog
mix, left over from Christmas and
nicely mellowed with its addition
of rum. The waffles were de-
lish!

Dr. Irving Rutchild, 36-C
Crescent Road, was in Chicago last
weekend attending the meetings of
the Association of Zoologists, which
is part of the American Association
for the Advancement of Science.
He read a paper at this meeting
on work he has been doing in his
laboratory at the U. S. Dept. of
Agriculture.

Roger Lewis of 9-E Southway
rang out the old year with a party
on Wednesday to celebrate his sixth
birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Littleton, 1-C
Westway, motored down to Texas
to spend the holidays with her
mother in Beaumont. On the way,
they stopped in North Carolina to
pick up their son, John, who is attending
Duke University.

Mr. and Mrs. William Therrell of
2-G Westway spent their Christmas
in Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Benefiel also
spent the holidays far from wintry
blasts and possible blizzards down
in Florida, visiting Mr. Benefiel's
mother. Their son, Harry Benefiel,
a student at the University of
Maryland, accompanied them.

Mowatt Memorial Methodist Church

Woodlandway and Forestway
Minister, Raymond Ward Cooke
6-X Plateau Place
Phone 7466

Sunday, January 4—
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship
6:30 p. m.—Methodist Youth Fellowship

8:00 p. m.—Evening worship
This Sunday is known as Covenant
Sunday throughout Methodism.
A special service in keeping
with the occasion will be used,
a service prepared, in part, by the
church's founder, John Wesley.
Every member is urged to be present
to start the New Year right.

Monday, January 5—
8 p. m.—Official board meeting
Wednesday, January 7—
3:30 p. m.—Booster band

St. Hugh's Catholic Church

Daily Mass: 7 a. m. in St. Hugh's
Chapel, 58-A Crescent Road
Confessions: Saturday afternoon
from 4 to 5 p. m. for children and
from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m. for adults.

Sunday Masses: 7:30 and 9:30
a. m. in the theater.

7:30 a. m. Mass: Corporate
Communion Sunday for members of
Our Blessed Mother's Sodality, and
for all women of the Parish. The
Mass will be offered for their
special intentions.

8:45 to 9:15 a. m.: Catechism
Classes in the theater for all Catholic
children attending public
schools. Instructions begin
promptly at 8:45 a. m.

1 p. m.: Baptisms.
Wednesday, January 7: At 7:45
p. m. in St. Hugh's Chapel, there
will be special Miraculous Medal
Novena Devotions for all members
of the Sodality, followed by Benediction
of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

8:15 p. m.: Regular monthly
meeting of Our Blessed Mother's
Sodality in the social room of the
Center school.

JCC Services

Sabbath Services will be conducted
by Rabbi Morris Sandhaus, Friday,
January 2, at 8:30 p. m. in the
social room of the center
school. All persons are cordially
invited to attend.

Bible Study Group

The Bible Study Group will meet
at 10-B Hillside, Thursday at 8
p. m.

NCJW Features Book Month

Jewish Book Month was featured
in Greenbelt by a display in the
library prepared by the Greenbelt
Section of the National Council of
Jewish Women. "The Golden
Door," by Elmer Erlich Levinger,
was presented to the library by
Mrs. Benjamin Rosenzweig, chairman
of the Greenbelt section's
committee on Contemporary Jewish
Affairs.

Mrs. Rosenzweig also presented
to the Hebrew Sunday School, in
the name of the Council, a book
entitled "Adventure in Palestine"
by Judith Ish-Kishor.

Sumner Cragin, a freshman at
Texas Christian University, has
been enjoying the past two weeks
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.
P. Hawk of 45-T Ridge Road. The
day after Christmas they held an
"open house" party for his friends
with cards and home movies as
part of the evening's fun. Sumner
will fly back to Ft. Worth on Sunday.

"Sonny" Reno, a senior at Yale
University, has been home for the
holidays with his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Elmer Reno of 2-D Crescent
Road.

Carol Fredin, in nurse's training
at Sibley Memorial Hospital, was
home for Christmas with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fredin
of 34-J Ridge Road.

Dick Cooper returned last week
from a two-week trip to Miami and
St. Petersburg, Florida, where he
spent his time boating, fishing and
sightseeing. The Cooper boys,
Dick and Bob, spent part of the
holidays with their mother, Mrs.
Lucile Still, formerly of Greenbelt,
in Sterling, Virginia. They returned
to Greenbelt in time to see the
new year in along with 30
friends from Greenbelt and Washington
at the annual Cooper New
Year's Eve party.

Community Church Protestant

Sunday, January 4—
9:30 a. m.—Church School. All
welcome.

10 a. m.—Men's Bible Class.
Guests are welcome.

10:50 a. m.—Church nursery,
sponsored by the Guilds.
11 a. m.—Church worship. Choral
music directed by Thomas Ritchie
with Mrs. Daniel Neff at the organ.
Sermon: "The Value of a Good
Beginning."

Monday, January 5—
8 p. m.—Board of Trustees meet,
church office.

Tuesday, January 6—
2 p. m.—Afternoon Guild meeting.

8 p. m.—Church Women's Discussion
Group at Rachel Garner's.

Wednesday, January 7—
3:30 p. m.—Junior Choir rehearsal,
home economics room.

8:00 p. m.—Senior Choir rehearsal.

Lutheran Church

Pastor: Edwin E. Hieplow
Phone WAfield 942
HYattsville 0313

Sunday—
11:30 a. m., Sunday school
12:30 p. m., Services in the home
economics room of the center
school.

Tuesday—
8 p. m.—Deeper Spiritual Life
Conference at Mt. Rainier.

Wednesday—
8 p. m., Deeper Spiritual Life
Conference, center school, room
223.

Thursday—
8 p. m., Choir rehearsal, 6 Z-2
Plateau.

Friday—
8 p. m., Lydia Guild meeting,
73-K Ridge.

Latter Day Saints

Church of Jesus Christ of
Latter Day Saints

December 19 and 26—
The Greenbelt Branch of the
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter
Day Saints will hold its annual
conference on Sunday, December
28. Elders Ernest L. Wilkinson
and J. Willard Marriott of the
Washington Stake Presidency as
well as others will be in attendance
at both sessions. The first session
is scheduled for 10:30 a. m. in place
of the regular Sunday School. The
evening session will begin at 6:30
p. m. All meetings will be held in
the Social Room of the Center
School. Everyone is invited to attend.

The consecration of Most Reverend
Patrick A. O'Boyle, D. D., as
Archbishop of Washington will
take place in St. Patrick's Cathedral,
New York City, on Wednesday
morning, January 14, commencing
with a pontifical procession
at 9:30 a. m.

His Eminence, Francis Cardinal
Spellman, Archbishop of New
York, will be the Consecrator.
Most Reverend J. Francis A. McIntyre,
D. D., coadjutor archbishop
of New York, and Most Reverend
Henry T. Klanowski, S.T.D., auxiliary
bishop of Scranton will be
Assistant Consecrators. Most Rev.
Bryan J. McEntegard, D.I., bishop
of Odensburg, New York, will
preach the sermon.

The Archdiocese of Washington
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165,000 contained in the District of
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Studies Palestine

A study group on Palestine will
be held Monday, January 5, at
8:30 p. m., at the home of Mr.
Eunice Sandhaus, 4-H Crescent
Road. The study group, sponsored
by the Greenbelt Section of the
National Council of Jewish Women,
is open to all. An outline of
study and discussion will be planned
at this meeting.

Leading Teams Picked As Foes By Athletic Club

Before the war many of the cold winter nights were spent at the Center School gym by Greenbelt residents watching the local men play the stronger teams of this area. Under the sponsorship of the GAC this custom is to be revived for the pleasure of those who desire such recreation.

This year the GAC team is entered in one of the faster Recreation Leagues in Washington, but have also set aside some Saturday nights to play before the home folks. The team is being coached by big Bob Linderman, former American University star. Others on the ball club are Lee Clark, Ted Fox, Spud Clay, Holmes Garner, Sonny Mothershead, Lynn Buck, Joe Congelosi, Jack Burt and Don Wolfe.

Double Headers

General manager Hank Chellman is forming a schedule with such outstanding teams as the Army Air Force, Hagerstown, Rockville, Anacostia and McKee Pontiac. Each night the team plays there will be a double header with either the women or the boys playing the preliminary.

The following Saturday nights have been set aside so far: January 10, 31; February 7, 28; March 6, 27.

Register Those New Bicycles

Children receiving bicycles as gifts during the Christmas season are advised by the Police Department to register their bicycles with the Police Department. There is a very nominal fee, for this procedure helps to identify the bicycle in case of theft. The police department is always open.

Bicycle riders are warned against riding on sidewalks as this is contrary to a town ordinance.

County Boys Club Starts Boxing

The Prince Georges County Boys' Club boxing team, which practices at the University of Maryland every evening, is getting ready for its boxing tournament. All interested boys should contact their club supervisor or attend one of the boxing practices. Kenny Maschauer, the Boys' Club's boxing coach, will be glad to welcome any new faces. He is teaching a few fancy fisticuffs to club boys and, starting next week, will be attending other clubs' meetings to further the correct method of training and boxing.

Brownies Invest New Members

Brownies of Troop 35, under the leadership of Mrs. Shirley R. Levine and Mrs. Linda Maffay, held an investiture ceremony at the Girl Scout room on Monday, December 29.

The new members invested were: Carol Granims, Constance Moore, Claudia Zell, Elsie Tucker, Susan Solet, Ruth Carver, Patricia O'Meara, Georgene Edmunds, Mrs. Louise S. Moore, and Mrs. Thelma Zell.

Phyllis Chasanow, Rochelle Feig, Judy Fleisher, Robin Krouse and Ann Matheny received flowerettes. Judy Berkenbill, transferred here from Chicago, received a troop identification emblem.

After the program, a party was given for the mothers and girls.

League Of Women Voters Announces National Program

The Greenbelt League of Women Voters will meet with the County group at College Park, in the administration auditorium of the University of Maryland, January 15, at 8:15 p. m. The film, "World Trade" will be shown. Muriel Kemp, of the State Department, will be one of several speakers.

At the last meeting of the Greenbelt group it was learned that the National League supports

1. Postponement of tax reduction, using any surplus, after foreign aid expenses are provided for, to apply to government debt reduction.

2. Continuance of rent control.

3. Reinstitution of consumer credit controls (regulation on installment buying).

4. Keeping government expenditures to a minimum, consistent with efficient operation of essential governmental services.

5. Extending export-import control beyond February 29 in order that scarce food and commodities may go to countries in greatest need.

6. Granting power to the Administration to allocate wheat in order to ensure the shipping of 570 million bushels of grain to Europe.

7. Supporting legislation permitting the U. S. to admit its fair share of displaced persons.

German Education Is Theme Of Talk For Woman's Club

The Woman's Club of Greenbelt will meet January 8 at 8:15 p. m. in the social room of the center school.

The meeting will be under the direction of Mrs. Joseph L. Rogers, chairman of education and youth. The speaker will be Dr. Henry Brechbill, assistant dean of education, University of Maryland. His topic will be "German Education." Mrs. Grace F. Green, a member of the Club, will give readings of her own compositions.

Hostesses will be Miss Mary Cyrilla O'Connor, Mrs. Miles Bonnar, Mrs. Walter Bierwagen, Mrs. Alice L. Smith and Mrs. Curtis Barker.

Co-op Alliance Ltd. Holding Contest

A prize of one hundred pounds (approximately \$400) will be awarded to "the author of the best unpublished work of interest to the cooperative movement," the International Cooperative Alliance announced in London last month.

The contest will mark the 50th anniversary of the ICA, which was reached in August, 1945. In view of the shortness of time, there will not be a fixed subject. The Alliance stated that "the prize will be awarded to the author of the best unpublished work of interest to the cooperative movement."

Anyone may enter the contest and manuscripts may be written in any language. If the judges decide that no work sent in is worthy of the prize, no award will be made.

All entries for the first competition must be sent by registered mail to reach the International Cooperative Alliance, 14 Great Smith Street, London, S. W. 1, England, not later than April 30, 1948.

Ten Years Ago in the Cooperator

(Issue of December 29, 1937)

A children's nursery has been in operation during the past two Sundays at the Community Church . . .

Food store prices: Co-op unbleached family flour, 5 lbs. 25c; co-op purple bag coffee, 1 lb. 25c; co-op canned milk, 3 large cans 20c; co-op oatmeal 1 pkg. 9c; co-op prunes, 2 lb. box 18c; fresh co-op eggs, medium, 39c a doz., large 45c a doz.

Returns of the questionnaire circulated with the last issue of the Cooperator are very scant. Is it possible that Greenbelt doesn't want the Cooperator any more? The immediate return of your questionnaire is necessary before we can continue.

A clearing house to prevent conflicting meetings is maintained in the Town Manager's office. People calling meetings should phone the Manager's office and reserve the date and room they wish.

Local Residents Admitted To Bar

Mrs. Lillian Keilsohn Eisner, 6-R Hillside Road, was admitted to the Maryland bar two weeks ago. She is one of the few women in the State of Maryland with a license to practice law in three states, and the only woman lawyer in Greenbelt.

A native of Connecticut, Mrs. Eisner went to school in New York and received her law degree from Columbia University. She practiced law in New York for some time. Later, she moved to Los Angeles and after being admitted to the California bar became associated with one of the leading attorneys of southern California. She has had considerable experience in trial work.

Mrs. Eisner is the wife of Dr. William Eisner and will maintain a law office at her residence.

Another Greenbelt attorney recently admitted to the Maryland bar is Abraham Chasanow, 11-T Ridge Road. Mr. Chasanow graduated from the Washington College of Law as the youngest member of his class after completing the course in 2½ years. He was admitted to the District of Columbia bar in 1934, and practiced before the Supreme Court of the United States in 1938. This case, as well as several of his cases in the Court of Appeals, have been reported in the Federal Law Reporter. He incorporated the "Cooperator" which was the first newspaper incorporated under the District cooperative law. He is General Counsel of the Greenbelt Mutual Home Ownership Association and was General Counsel of the District of Columbia Tennis Association. He is the defense counsel for the Town Manager and Chief of Police in the current hearings.

Mr. Chasanow maintains an office in the Denrike Building at 1010 Vermont Avenue, Washington, D. C.

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Medical Welfare Plan At Hospital Is Successful

The experiment in medical welfare begun early in 1947 at the Prince Georges General Hospital and approved by the State Board of Health, is proving a successful community enterprise. Medical assistance to the county's indigent and medically indigent is provided through the hospital's clinics.

One of the first and few clinics to be authorized by a State Board of Health, the arrangement provides that a sum of \$1 for every visit of every patient certified by the Welfare Board be paid to the Hospital by the Health Department.

Dr. A. K. Besley, superintendent of the Hospital, stated that of the 1501 patients treated at the clinics during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947, 433 were new patients and 1068 revisits. Of that number 139 were admitted to the Hospital for medical care.

The cost of each clinic visit has been estimated at \$3.19. The difference between that figure and \$2.49, the actual cost to the hospital of each visit, represents the amount to be paid either by the State Health Department or by the patients themselves.

The loss to the Hospital is applied to the County Commissioners, who appropriate \$30,000 to the hospital each year.

Because of this arrangement, the Prince Georges General Hospital is able to offer its facilities at a cost 25 percent lower than other hospitals in the area, which tax their paying patients in order to absorb the costs of their clinic services.

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Warns About Evils Of Improper Care During Illness

Dr. William Eisner, public health officer, urges parents to be very careful when giving medication to their children, and at no time to give them medicine that has been prescribed for someone else. He stated that this is especially important with regard to sulfa pills, as they can be dangerous when improperly used. Insufficient dosage does absolutely no good and frequently does considerable harm. It builds up sulfa-resistant strains of bacteria which do not respond well to sulfa medication. The dosage for one individual may be entirely different from the dosage for another.

Dr. Eisner states that there have recently been several unfortunate incidents as a result of this practice.

Report Chicken Pox

In view of the large number of chicken pox cases in town, parents are reminded that it is their responsibility to report to Mrs. Frances P. Stouffer, the public health nurse, whenever there is a case of chicken pox in their home. The child should be kept under quarantine and not permitted to go out until all the scabs have disappeared and the quarantine has been lifted. Disregarding this rule will cause spreading of the disease. The telephone number of the public health office is Greenbelt 6111.

Mrs. Stouffer stated that any woman desiring to attend the prenatal clinic which she conducts should phone her at the Public Health Office.

Minnesota Favors Co-op Business

Residents of the State of Minnesota are overwhelmingly in favor of more cooperative business, according to a public opinion poll conducted recently by the Minneapolis Tribune.

In their scientific cross-section of the state's entire adult population, interviewers found that twice as many people believe the establishment of more cooperative businesses in their communities would be a "good thing" as feel more co-ops would be a bad thing.

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The Homemaker

Fall and winter bring the season for the dark, basic dress. In the case of the good style which was worn last summer and which suffered a bit from color fading in the sun, try tinting it. The summer dress, if it was fairly plain and had sleeves, even cap sleeves, can be dyed one of the dark colors and appear to be a new garment.

The dyes back on the market now are reliable for the most part. Directions for use are on the packages. It is important to know however, that if you are dyeing a print dress, the print will remain. For example, a dark material with a light print which is dyed with the background color will usually retain the imprint of the design. This often gives a very interesting effect in shadow design, but be prepared for it.

It is important to notice, when buying the dye, whether the ingredients are for wool, silk or rayon. The proper dye should be purchased for the fabric. Among the rayons, acetate will handle a little differently from the others, it does not stand the same amount of heat. Directions should be followed carefully for any of the materials which are to be dyed.

Scarves can be dyed in many colors to match or contrast with a costume. These might be kept in mind for easy Christmas presents.

Following is a guide list for combining old color with new:

Fabric Color	Dye	New Color
Red	Yellow	Scarlet
Blue	Red	Purple
Pastel Blue	Pink	Lavender
Yellow	Blue	Green
Brown	Red	Rust
Purple	Gold	Brown
Orange	Purple	Rust

G. C. S. sales hit a new all-time high last week of \$40,355. A new record for one-day sales was set Wednesday, the day before Christmas, of \$13,600. Total sales the day before Christmas in 1946 was \$9,700.

County Gets \$64,287 From Racing Revenues

Prince Georges County was allocated \$64,287 from Maryland race track betting revenues, it was announced this week by James J. Lacy, state comptroller. The total distribution to Baltimore City and all Counties, made on a population basis, amounted to \$1,308,347, Mr. Lacy said.

Danish Co-op Plans Penicillin Factory

Production of penicillin will begin in about six months at a factory being built near Copenhagen by the Danish Cooperative Slaughterhouses Meat Cannery. The Danish Cooperative Wholesale, FDB, was one of the original sponsors of the penicillin factory.

Co-op Week, officially proclaimed for seven days in Kansas by the Governor, was celebrated with radio broadcasts and special meetings.

Co-op orange juice is going to school this year—36,000 gallons of concentrated juice from the Florida Citrus Canners Cooperative is going to school children through Federal school lunch program.

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