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Near Tragedy Averted by First Aid

If Carol Wertz, 16, and her father, Leonard W. Wertz, 13-U Hillside, had not had scout training in artificial respiration, her ten-year-old brother, Richard, might not be alive now. Richard was found hanging from a clothesline last Wednesday afternoon, noon, April 3. It seems he fell or jumped from the porch roof and was caught a foot off the ground, his neck in a noose. He is now recovering at home after 4 days at Leland Memorial Hospital.

He was found by a friend of the family, Jerry Everetts, who got him down. Wertz and Carol administered artificial respiration while another sister, Mary, 18, called a doctor and called the city office for an ambulance. When the siren didn't sound in about 5 minutes, Everetts, on advice of rescue squad member Howard Hunt, called the Prince Georges County Fire Board direct. The Greenbelt ambulance, just returning from another call, was thereupon contacted by radio and arrived within a few minutes.

City manager Charles McDonald and the clerk on duty at the city switchboard at 5 p.m. last Wednesday—the approximate time of Mary's calls—deny that any call for help was received, although Mary states that she made the call in the presence of others, that it was answered "city office", and that she very plainly gave her name and address and asked for an ambulance. McDonald states he first learned of the emergency when the Fire Board called at 5:04 p.m. to report it to the Greenbelt police. He said that if his office was in error he would investigate.

Community Library

By Marjorie H. Muir

Can you identify WHISPERING or the ANIMAL ON A GREEN HILL?

There are several more canvases that also demand attention at the Greenbelt library.

Our local artist, Isidore Reuben, has a new set on display. The next two weeks, Greenbelters will have the opportunity to view this creative work of a fellow townsman. It is an exhibit which has been received with interest and favor in art circles elsewhere.

The library welcomes the opportunity to display the work of other creative artists in Greenbelt, hoping to promote acquaintance and fellowship among those of kindred interests and tastes wherein creative expression is fostered and community life enriched.

Board of Education Plan County Census

A census of all Prince Georges County residents will be taken this spring from April 30 to May 10 under the direction of the County Board of Education. Mrs. Charlotte Woesche of Mitchellville, former principal of Bradbury Heights Elementary School, has been appointed the coordinator of the project. She will work in cooperation with Miss Marian Lobdell, Supervisor of Pupil Personnel for the Board of Education, whose department is responsible for the census.

Mrs. Woesche states that the census this year will cover all dwelling units in the county and will provide valuable information for use by the Board of Education and other county agencies in their future planning. Data will be collected on age and school attendance of all children under 19 years of age. Additional information to be gathered will include total number of persons living in a dwelling unit, date occupants moved to their present address, place of last prior residence, and exact place of work of Federal employees living in each household.

Mrs. Woesche and Miss Lobdell have recruited a staff of 28 workers who will supervise the gathering of data in the 74 census tracts into which the County is divided. They, in turn, will select about 450 enumerators who will visit each household in their districts. Supervisors and enumerators will be paid a nominal amount for each household covered.

A training session for the supervisors will be conducted by Mrs. Woesche on Saturday, April 13, at the Seat Pleasant Elementary School. After a period of general instruction, the supervisors will visit households in the Seat Pleasant and Fairmont Heights areas to get practice.

NURSERY SCHOOL

Registration for the 1957-58 semester of the Greenbelt Cooperative Nursery School will be held Monday, April 15, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the school, 14 Parkway. A \$5.00 membership fee is required with all registrations. A child must be three years old by September 1957 to be eligible. Call Pat Perry for additional information at GR 4-3638.

WHAT GOES ON

Friday, April 12 - 8:15 p.m., GVHC board meeting, Adm. Bldg.

Monday, April 15 - 8:30 p.m., Little Theater meets, JCC Bldg.
8 p.m., City Council meets, city office.

The Legionnaire

Greenbelt Post 136 was once again spotlighted by its representation in the annual Washington, D. C. Cherry Blossom Parade held April 3 with the Legion's Junior Marching Unit, under the leadership of Ted Pugh, and the Greenbelt Stepperettes which are sponsored by the Post under the direction of Nancy Kurth. Both units performed professionally.

Merit award medals were presented at the business meeting on April 4 to members of the Junior Marching Unit who have completed one year of service with the organization. The medals were presented to the boys by their leader, Ted Pugh, and the Commander congratulated them on their splendid record in representing the post.

At the monthly business meeting on April 18, initiation of all new members will take place. Those members who have never been initiated formally are requested to attend also as this is a very impressive ceremony and which no post member should miss. Families and guests are welcome. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

The date set for the annual Shrimp Feast is Friday, May 3. Those of you who have attended this yearly affair find that this is a "must" on your agenda. Tickets may be obtained by contacting entertainment Chairman, Frank Dudley. Dancing to the music of "The Rhinelanders" from 10 til 1.

In talking with Vice Commander Paul Cherry, I have been informed that the membership drive thus far for 1957 has not met the quota that it did in 1956 for the same period. I believe that if everyone of us tries to bring in one new member, we will more than succeed in making our mark of 700. How about it, fellows!

Thomas J. Freeman
Second Vice Commander
Greenbelt Post 136

Youth Center Dance

The Youth Center will have a special dance on May 18 with Bob Rickman of Station WEAM spinning the platter. Rickman will also have as his guest some noted musicians such as the Diamonds who will be at the Casino Royal at the time. Admission will be 75 cents. Plans are being made for Greenbelt teen-agers to attend Milt Grant's record hop.

Majorettes Win Top Festival Prize

The Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad Majorettes copped first place in the majorette division of the 1957 Cherry Blossom Festival Parade, on Wednesday, April 3. The girls were competing against majorettes from many high schools and colleges and other groups representing a large number of states.

The girls performed a snappy 60-second routine in front of the reviewing stand and were judged on precision, neatness, speed, marching, appearance, accuracy, and timing.

For the occasion, the Majorettes carried a new banner made by one of the members.

The Greenbelt Majorettes are Nancy Kurth, leader; Lillian Castaldi, assistant leader; Charleen Burry, Barbara Clinedinst, Maxine Fern, Betty Garber, Paula Henry, Karen Jorgenson, Kathleen Madden, Carol Palmerton, Phyllis Palmerton, Joyce Pendleton, Norma Robertson, Dorothy Smith, and Pat Woytko. Mrs. Marie Castaldi is moderator for the group.

For winning this highest Majorette award the girls received a large trophy at the Mayflower hotel last Thursday evening. Nancy Kurth and Lillian Castaldi accepted the award for the group.

Other Greenbelt groups participating in the parade were the Greenbelt Scotties, the Steperettes, and the American Legion Drill Team.

Recreation Review

By Warren Leddick

that if his office was in error he 100 free tickets available to the children of Greenbelt to attend the Baltimore Oriole-Washington Senator baseball game at Griffith Stadium on April 20. A parent can secure a ticket by taking five or six children to the game. The purpose is to furnish transportation for the ticket holders. Tickets can be secured between 4 and 6 p.m.

A gala Easter program is in the making. On Easter Sunday there will be an Easter Parade in the Center from 1 to 2 p.m. with prizes being awarded to those who want to show off those new Easter clothes.

On Monday, April 22, there will be an Easter Egg Hunt at Center School and Braden Field.

The Community Building gym will be open April 23, 24, 25, 26, 27 and 29 from 1 to 5 p.m. for activities. Girls will be allowed from 1-2 p.m., boys 12 and under 2-3 p.m., boys 12-15 3-4 p.m. and boys 15 and over 4-5 p.m.

The Youth Center will hold a table tennis tournament on Saturday, April 13 for boys 15 and under, 18 and under, and girls 18 and under.

No Fishing till June

There will be no fishing in Greenbelt Lake until June 1, according to Pop Bell. Three violators were arrested the past week and fined \$18.00 each. Pop Bell also asked that parents tell their children not to throw bottles or debris in the lake.

AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENBELT April 15, 1957

1. Meeting Called to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Minutes of Previous Meeting (April 1)
4. Petitions & Requests
5. Written Communications
6. Monthly Reports
7. Ordinance (second reading) Transfer Funds to Employ Chief of Police.
8. Committee Report on Police Records
9. Ordinance - Swimming Pool Rates
10. Resolution - Request Advanced Planning Funds
11. Approve Expenditure for Purchase of New Police Cars or Replace Motors in Present Vehicles.

Hi-Point PTA To See Play, Elect Officers

"The Theater of the Soul", a one-act play by Nikolavich Evreinov, will be presented by the students of the High Point Dramatic Club at the PTA meeting to be held Tuesday evening, April 16, at 8 o'clock at the school. Directed by Eugene Ward, head of the school's drama department, "The Theater of the Soul" was a close runner-up to first place DeMatha in the recent dramatic tournament held at the University of Maryland.

Officers to head the PTA during the 1957-58 year will be elected during the business session. Candidates, as presented by the nominating committee, are: president, Myron Brock, Beltsville; first vice-president, Percy Andros, Greenbelt; second vice-president and faculty representative, Fred Novak; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Russell Fabritz, Takoma Park; recording secretary, Mrs. Richard Lacy, Hollywood; and treasurer, Mrs. Hans Borgwardt, Beltsville.

Teachers will be in their classrooms for conferences with parents from 7:30 to 8 p.m.

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A Communication

(Ed. Note: Former GVHC Manager Paul Campbell, now managing a U. N. housing project in Kingston, Jamaica, British West Indies, relates some of his initial experiences in a letter to the city council, which was read at a recent meeting.)

Kingston Town

"I am in that confused state of learning a new job and a new country. Despite this being a resort and an English colony, it is quite a different country from the good old U.S.A. The resorts are in a small area and are something apart from the real country of Jamaica. To add to my confusion, I had to learn to drive a British car (right hand) and to drive on the left hand side. If I let my mind wander a bit while driving, I find myself drifting over to the right hand side. There are many cars in Kingston and all drivers seem to drive with their horn and not much else. If I complete this assignment without a motor accident, I'll be surprised. Cyclists are all over the street like flies, and I understand if one has an accident, all the locals team up against the driver in their testimony.

"The living conditions of the citizenry are really very bad. Houses of the poor are one room, often constructed of galvanized zinc sheets. There is a tremendous job to be done here not only in housing but in planning, zoning, controls, economic development, agriculture, social matters. The local government is now awake and trying to do something about these matters, but of course they have limited funds with which to operate. U. N. has advisers here in several fields and the U. S. International Cooperation Agency has people here in Agriculture and home economics.

"The climate is not too bad—pretty hot through late morning and all afternoon—very cool in the evening. The country side is beautiful and many, many flowers in bloom, but all this is spoiled by the ever present pock marks of the hovels the natives live in.

"Ox carts and mule drawn carts are a familiar sight on the roads and streets, and many natives carry articles on their heads (no use of hands). Prices are high as most goods are imported. Local fruits are delicious—meat is not so good, although much of it is produced on the island.

"... Soon Greenbelt will be blossoming out in all her full beauty. I'll miss it..."

—Paul Campbell.

FINE PEOPLE

To the Editor—

For the past few years Greenbelt is very filthy, people do not clean their grounds, you can find garbage and papers all over the place. It looks more like the slums. People should be fined when they throw refuse all over the place. I clean my place daily, yet others throw their papers and garbage on our place. The schools are cleaned daily and the children do the same in the schools. It is up to the parents to set a good example and the children will follow.

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Monday, April 15: 8 p.m., Methodist Men's meeting.

Tuesday, April 16: 7 p.m., Junior Choir rehearsal. 7 p.m., Girl Scout Troop 116. 8 p.m., Missions Commission.

Wednesday, April 17: 7 p.m., Girl Scout Troop 49.

Thursday, April 18: 8 p.m., Holy Thursday Communion Service.

Friday, April 19: 12-3 p.m., Co-operating in Good Friday Service at the Community Church.

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Edward H. Birner, Pastor
Phone: GRanite 4-9200

Sunday, April 14: 9:30 a.m., Sunday school and adult Bible class. Classes are held for each age group. Raymond Carriere, Superintendent. 8:30 and 11 a.m., Church services. A Service of Reconfirmation will be held for all confirmed Communicant Members of the Greenbelt congregation. Sermon by Pastor Birner. The theme is "This I Believe."

Monday, April 15: 8 p.m., The Lutheran Institutional Missionary Auxiliary will meet to wrap Easter Eggs for the institutionalized.

Thursday, April 18: Maundy Thursday service with Holy Communion. Service begins at 7:30 p.m. Pastor Birner will speak on "We go up to Jerusalem to Share His Love".

JCC 'THIRD SEDER'

There will be a Passover Festival on Wednesday, April 17, at 7:30 p.m. at the JCC building. This festival is traditionally called a "Third Seder". The Hagaddah is being rewritten by Robert Garin and Sam Vernoff to tell the quite unusual story of our building.

Dave Rosenberg Folk Dancers will entertain after the Seder. Reservations can be had by calling Evelyn Barnett, GR 3-3043 or Sylvia Rosen, GR 4-7781.

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Thursday, April 11: in lieu of our Midweek service at the Parsonage we are invited to attend the Evangelistic Crusade at Metropolitan Baptist Church. Dr. Porter Barrington will preach and Herbert Hoover will lead the singing. Cars will leave the Parsonage parking lot at 7 p.m. in order to arrive by 7:30 p.m.

Friday, April 12: 4:15 p.m., Chapel rehearsal at the Parsonage.

Sunday, April 14, 9:45 a.m., Sunday school in Center school. John S. Stewart, Jr., superintendent. Classes for all ages. 11 a.m., Morning worship in the auditorium. The Chapel choir will sing. The pastor will preach on the subject "The Challenge of the Cross". Visitation Sunday. Members are encouraged to meet at the Parsonage at 2:30 p.m. for assignments and prayer. 6 p.m., Training Union for all ages. Mrs. John S. Stewart, Jr., director. 7 p.m., Evening worship service. Inspirational hymn singing led by Dr. James T. McCarl. The pastor will preach on the subject, "Tasting Death" based on Hebrews 2: 5-14.

Tuesday, April 16: 7:30 p.m., Junior department workers for the Vacation Bible School will meet at the home of Mr. Donald Uhlin, 39-H Ridge.

Wednesday, April 17: 7:30 p.m., Chapel council at the Parsonage.

Thursday, April 18: 7:30 p.m., Quarterly business meeting in the Center school social room.

Jewish Community Center

Friday, April 12: Candle lighting time 6:12 p.m. Children's Sabbath service, conducted by Cantor Michael Ratzkin, Assistant Evelyn Sanders. Oneg Shabbat by the Habonim group of Washington, D. C., who will also perform in songs and dances. All teen-agers invited.

Monday, April 15: First Seder night, candle lighting time 6:15 p.m.

Wednesday, April 17: Third Seder night, folk dancing by David Rosenberg and troupe.

Local Artists Exhibit

A local couple, Gordon and Constance Lawson, 19-D Ridge, will exhibit paintings and pottery at the Artists' Mart, 1361 Wisconsin Avenue, N. W., from April 6 through May 3. They will share a three-man show with Gloria Besser, Washington artist.

Constance Lawson will show paintings in oil and in tempera, while Gordon will show earthenware and stoneware pottery. Connie was a fashion artist in Detroit before entering fine art. Gordon taught ceramics at Maryland University. Both have had work in local, regional, and national exhibitions.

JCC Installs

The Jewish Community Center last Saturday installed its new officers for the coming year. Highlight of the installation ceremony was a talk by Rabbi Tzvi H. Porath. Moe Hoffman was master of ceremonies. New officers are:

President, Harry Weidberg; Vice President (Operations), Murray Ryss; Vice President (Program), Sam Schwimer; Treasurer, Seymour Levine; Financial Secretary, Harry Tenebaum; Recording secretary, Gladys Chasnoff; Corresponding Secretary, Helen Justman; Board Members, Jack Sanders, Bernard Sisco, Robert Garin, Shirley Levine, Irving Gerring, Sidney Rubin, Morris Steinman.

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TANNER'S CLEANERS

Woman's Club Review

The American home department of the Woman's Club, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Lloyd Moore, has been enjoying a year of arm-chair travel. Its highlight was the Japanese evening enjoyed by fourteen members at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Nelson, March 22. Mrs. Harvey Mimura, a former Greenbelt resident, cooked and served a suki-yaki dinner which had everyone coming back for seconds, thirds, and a copy of her recipe. The food was eaten with chopsticks—yes, the rice too—and someone wryly remarked that now she understood why Japanese dinners sometimes take hours and hours!

The guests wore oriental costumes varying in authenticity and fresh red camellias brought by Mrs. Henley M. Goode. Various decorative and utilitarian articles from Japan were displayed and examined with interest, including paintings on rice paper, an heirloom china tea set of traditional pattern, wall hangings, Kokeshi dolls, and lacquerware.

At the annual meeting on April 11 the fine arts department will sponsor an every-member display of crafts, art work and hobbie. It is hoped that everyone will bring her collections and handwork and be prepared to explain the fine points to others.

The skit "One Hundred Years Ago," under the direction of Mrs. Leland Love, was repeated at the fine arts meeting of the Prince Georges County Federation of Women's Clubs in March. Depicting business meeting and program from "a meeting of females" circa 1850, the skit was compiled from a book published in 1848, entitled discreetly, "A Young Lady's Friend, by A Lady", by Eliza Farrar.

Composing the cast were Mrs. Love, Mrs. Lawrence Mott, Mrs. Louis Pakiser, Mrs. H. A. Slaymaker, Mrs. Richard Johnston, Mrs. Edward Kaighn, Mrs. Charles M. Cormack, and Mrs. Jay W. Brubaker. Mrs. Charles T. McDonald was soloist for the tableaux, and Mary Anne McDonald and Kevin Kistler took the children's parts.

After struggling into and out of high-boned collars, wasp waists, sleeves voluminous at top and too tight at the wrist, and hats dripping with feathers and drapery, all agreed that swoons, fainting spells and fits of the vapors were quite understandable when grandma was a girl.

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To our friends and neighbors who came to our shindig, thanks. To the merchants and businessmen who contributed door prizes, thanks. Thanks too, to the American Legion which helped make this affair possible.

The lesser successful campaign was our Ambulance Club Drive. Starting out well in the first week the Drive had simmered down to a very average and very reluctant collection by the 31st of March. Actually, even with official end of the Drive, contributions are still badly needed and will be accepted by Chief D'Agostino at 1623 Ridge.

DEN 5 — PAK 746

Cub scouts of Den 5, Pack 746, Wednesday afternoon enjoyed a "Cook Out" in keeping with the theme of the month, "Swiss Family Robinson." Members of the Den are Neil Danish, Stephen Bailey, Louis Levine, Richard Trutt, Paul Stover, Larry Weisel and Earl Zubkoff.

Golden Age Club

On April 17, Paul Kessler, Recreation Director at the children's center for mentally retarded persons at Laurel, Maryland, will speak to the Golden Age Club. Kessler has elderly people also who are mentally retarded and will demonstrate to club members some of their problems and how, as a recreation director, he meets these problems. The club will give a party in the near future for this particular group at the Laurel school.

At present the club members are enjoying number painting. Nancy Kurth is working very closely with the group, which now totals sixteen members. Welcome Mr. and Mrs. Finkdestein, our latest members to the club.

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Junior High PTA Nominates Officers

Coffee urns and cups for meetings at the Greenbelt Junior High School will be provided as the result of PTA action at the April membership meeting Tuesday night. Also approved by the members was the purchase of a screen for the school's use in projecting filmstrips and movies, and a number of new books for the school library.

Nominated for next year's PTA officers are R. E. Sikes of East Riverdale, president; Leland Leasia of Greenbelt, first vice president; Charles Collins, 8th and 9th grade Core teacher, second vice president; Mrs. Max Horlick, historian. Renominated are the incumbent treasurer and secretary, Paul Moores and Mrs. Dorothy Manders. Election and installation of new officers will take place at the May 14 membership meeting.

Finance Chairman Turner of the County PTA Council presented color slides in a talk on school financing. The membership voted to send a telegram to Governor McKeldin urging that he sign the teacher pay bill. Music was provided by Donna Jean Evans, who sang two songs, and by Martin Berkofsky at the piano.

Our Neighbors

Cadet-Midshipman Gerald W. Brittingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland L. Brittingham of 9-G Research Road, has been promoted to a Cadet Officer by the Superintendent of the United States Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, New York. On recommendation of the Command Board of the Academy, he was appointed Cadet-Midshipman with the rank of Petty Officer 3rd Class. This commission indicates that he has demonstrated exceptional ability and overall aptitude in both studies and leadership at the Academy. His new duties consist of being a squad leader, supervision and inspection of cleaning stations and overall supervision of the class rates system.

At present he is completing his fourth and final year in the Cadet Corps.

Two Greenbelt students at the University of Maryland have been elected to Delta Sigma Pi, the national professional business fraternity. The students are: Donald E. Day, of 7-F Southway, and John W. Wolfe, 32-F Ridge, both juniors in the College of Business and Public Administration. Students are recommended for membership in this organization by faculty members, who make their selections on the basis of outstanding character and scholastic achievement.

Army Sgt. Douglas E. Mathers, 31, whose wife, Phyllis, lives at Jefferies Vidla, Beach Haven, N.J., recently was assigned to the 287th Quartermaster Refrigeration Com-

pany in Seoul. Sergeant Mathers, who was last stationed at Fort Jay, N. Y., entered the Army in May 1944 and received basic training at Fort Eustis, Va. His mother, Mrs. Robert Mathers, lives at 18-E Ridge.

Sara Thompson and Lillian Fontaine, with a whopping .677 percentage, showed their heels to all East-West challengers at last Friday's duplicate bridge session. Their nearest rivals, Joy and Jim Anderson, had a .573 game. In the more-closely contested North-South competition, Anita Gilbert and Al Skolnik's percentage of .648 topped the rest of the field, headed by Lucille and Louis Lushine who racked up a .607 score.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin L. Clarke,

9-J Ridge, announce the arrival of Anthony Ray on March 28. Anthony weighed in at 7 lbs. 8 oz. and joins two brothers and a sister.

Condolences to Myra Hertz, 45-T Ridge, who lost her mother last week.

Birthday greetings to Deborah Vernoff, 19-E Ridge, who was eight years old on March 30.

All the boys from Pack 746, Den 5, helped Neil Danish, 16-Q Ridge, celebrate his ninth birthday last Saturday. Not only did Neil and his friends enjoy the usual goodies at his party, but they also were treated to a movie at the Greenbelt theatre.

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