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Fifteen Area Residents Elected To Co-op Congress at Annual Meeting

Fifteen Greenbelt area residents were elected to the Co-op Congress at the annual area meeting Monday night in the Greenbelt Community Church. Each delegate will have the responsibility of representing Greenbelt interests in the Co-op and serving as a two-way means of communication between the membership and the Board of Directors.

The delegates, who will serve for one year, are: George W. Adams, of 46-D Ridge, chief elevator mechanic at the Baltimore group of General Services Administration; Walter J. Bierwagen, of 2322 Cheverly Avenue, Cheverly, long-time president of GCS and head of the D. C. Transit Union; Joseph D. Compton, of 13-A Ridge, a Defense Department employee and Treasurer of the Greenbelt Federal Credit Union; T. George Davidsen, of 58-J Crescent, elevator constructor for Public Building Administration; George Eshbaugh, of 12-A Ridge, Assistant Greenbelt Postmaster; E. Dal Hughes, of 6-A Crescent, ordnance design engineer; the Rev. Robert C. Hull, of 33-K Ridge, associate pastor of Greenbelt Community Church; Jane Hunt, of 3-D Research, housewife and civic leader; Ann Jarvis, of 10-S Southway, housewife; Hans Jorgensen, of 19-E Hillside an agricultural aide at the Plant Industry Station; Carolyn Miller, of 4104 Underwood street, University Park, housewife; Benjamin Rosenzweig, of 4-E Crescent, Defense Department standards engineer; Sam Schwimer, of 45-M Ridge, personnel official at Andrews Air Force Base; James C. Smith, of 4-H Southway, automobile dealer; and James N. Wolfe, of 3-D Gardenway, a tax assessor.

At the meeting the more than 100 Co-op members attending voted overwhelmingly to support two proposed amendments to the by-laws which would: (1) reduce from 10 to 5 percent the amount of savings that should be set aside annually for reserves, and (2) authorize the Co-op to deduct 50 cents from money accumulating to Co-op members for the purpose of paying the sum to a subscription to the Co-op Newsletter. Both proposed by-law amendments will be voted on formally by the entire membership in June.

A door prize offered to stimulate attendance was won by the Co-op's general manager Samuel F. Ashelman, Jr. Before the meeting the Greenbelt delegation to the Congress had decided to make Co-op employees eligible for the drawing inasmuch as the drawing was to be held at the meeting Monday night.

ANOTHER CHANCE

Within the next week about 1,000 Greenbelt families will receive scf-addressed, stamped envelopes. The Rescue Squad has not yet given up hope of driving the Ambulance Club campaign up to the goal of \$4,000. Families that have been forgetful, or "just a little short" will now be able to enclose their contribution and mail it without strain, pain or writer's cramp. Collections to date total only \$2,400.

Cub Pack No. 202

Cub Pack No. 202, under the leadership of Cubmaster Whitbeck, aided by Da'bow, Knickelbein and Brautigam, cleaned up the debris at the lake area on April 13. This civic project was made possible with the cooperation of Buddy Attkick, who provided a town truck and other equipment needed for such a clean-up.

Little League Season Opens With Parade

By Frank Youell

The Greenbelt Little League will officially open the 1957 baseball season on Sunday, May 5 at 1:15 p.m., when the annual parade gets underway at Plateau and Ridge. Following Ridge, the parade will turn toward the center at Gardenway, through the center, up Southway to McDonald Field. Featured in the parade will be the Greenbelt band and the majorettes, elements of the boy's drill team, under the direction of Ted Pugh, the local Cub Scouts, and 120 uniformed Little Leaguers. Perennial leader of the parade will be Sgt. Austin Green, and the Parade Marshal will be Little League Commissioner, Chuck Link.

Pre-game ceremonies will commence at approximately 1:45 p.m. at McDonald Field, with introduction of local celebrities, highlighted by the presentation of the Bill Moore trophy for the most valuable player in the Little League in 1956.

The opening ball game will be between National League City Champions, the Greenbelt Realty Tigers, and American League victors, the Pepsi-Cola Athletics. Graduation has evened the two clubs out, and it is predicted to be a very thrilling opener—you pick 'em.

See you at the game?

WHAT GOES ON

Friday, May 3 - 9-3:30 p.m. (Center School) and 9:30-11, 1:30-3 p.m. (North End School) First Grade Registration.

8:45 p.m., Duplicate Bridge game, social room, Center school.

Saturday, May 4 - 11 a.m., Fire Department Auxiliary bake sale, Co-op store.

Sunday, May 5 - 1:15 p.m., Little League parade.

1:45 p.m., Opening game, McDonald field.

8:30 p.m., Community folk dancers led by Dave Rosenberg, JCC Building.

Monday, May 6 - 8 p.m., City Council meeting, City Office.

8:30 p.m., Co-op Nursery school meeting, JCC Building.

Center School PTA

The Center School PTA will elect officers at the final meeting for this year, Tuesday, May 7. The Greenbelt Community Chorus, directed by Thomas Ritchie and accompanied by Martin Berkofsky, will provide entertainment.

Mrs. Dorothy M. Galvin has been chosen by the nominating committee as their candidate for President; Mrs. Everett E. Whitbeck as Vice President; Mrs. Lois Nelson as Secretary; and Mr. Lawrence Levine as Treasurer. Refreshments will be served in the cafeteria after the meeting.

Got Some News for the

paper ???

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RHEA KAHN, 9474

AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING

Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland

May 6, 1957

1. Meeting Called to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Minutes of Previous Regular Meeting, April 15, 1957
4. Petitions and Requests
5. Written Communications
6. Monthly Departmental Reports
7. Ordinance - Establish Provisions of Council Committee Police Report
8. Ordinance - Appropriate from Surplus for Repair of Boilers in Community Bldg.
9. Consider Request for Blacktop Playground at Center School

Post Office Notice

All curtailment of post office service has been rescinded except the hours of service which are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily and 8:30 a.m. to Noon on Saturdays. Money orders have not been discontinued.

Dogs on Tail-End In Vote So Far

First unofficial returns from the mail referendum conducted by Greenbelt Veteran Housing Corporation show membership sentiment running over 2½ to 1 in favor of the current ban against dogs and cats. GVHC manager John O. Walker's office stated that 875 replies were received by Tuesday afternoon, of which 627 approved the prohibition and 240 disapproved. Eight ballots were disqualified. Approval of the prohibition also carried with it endorsement of the corporation taking drastic steps against violators.

Both board and management officials were surprised by the speedy replies to the postcard questionnaire. Almost two-thirds of the membership had responded in the week following the mailing of the questionnaire. The unusually high response was attributed to growing community interest in a subject which had set off many heated exchanges in the News Review and at local gatherings in the last few months. GVHC board members also expressed appreciation at the rapidity with which management prepared and mailed out the questionnaires.

BAKE SALE

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad announces a bake sale to take place in front of the Co-op store this Saturday, May 4, from 11 a.m. until everything is sold—which, they say, is usually pretty soon!

Betty Wynkoop of the auxiliary is in charge of the sale.

GVHC Board Reaffirms Present Occupancy Standards For Newcomers

by Al Skolnik

Continued strict adherence to the present occupancy standards for first-time purchasers or renters of Greenbelt Veteran Housing Corporation units was voted unanimously by the board of directors at last Friday's regular meeting. Board members Ed Burgoon, Percy Andros, and Frank Kriby were not present for the voting.

The present occupancy standards for the more popular type units are as follows: 2-bedroom—4 persons; 2½- and 3-bedroom—6 persons; and 3-bedroom with basement—8 persons.

The question of occupancy standards was reopened when GVHC manager John O. Walker presented to the board the requests of several

potential purchasers for waiver of the rules. The board examined the cases individually but could find no grounds for granting exceptions. Although in a few cases the size of the family exceeded the occupancy limit by only one person, the board felt that if it waived the standards just once, it would be difficult to draw a line in the future.

Frank Lastner, acting president in Burgoon's absence, stated that "It was precisely to draw just such a line that the original standards were adopted. By applying uniform standards to all prospective purchasers without favor, the board is spared the burdensome task of reviewing each case individually."

No New Housing

Walker reported to the board that Continental Construction Company has no immediate plans for beginning large-scale construction in Greenbelt's Green Valley area. Walker stated that according to Hyman Cashvan, vice-president of the Warner-Kanter subsidiary, two factors have delayed building plans. One is the lack of public interest shown in the type of construction planned.

The other is the indecision regarding the zoning of the triangular parcel of land bordered by the proposed Washington circumferential highway, the new Edmonston rd. relocation and Greenbelt rd. The Warner-Kanter interests had planned on developing this land for commercial purposes, but so far the city council has not recommended commercial zoning.

Membership Meeting

Walker announced that in the next few days each member will receive individually a reminder of the quarterly membership meeting on Monday, May 13, plus a copy of the agenda and proposed by-law and charter changes. The time of the meeting was put back from 8:15 to 8:30 p.m. so as not to conflict with band practice scheduled for that evening at the Center school auditorium.

Landscaping

At Hans Jorgensen's suggestion, the board authorized management to make presentations to Greenbelt Consumer Services for increasing the amount of screen planting between the co-op gas station and the 10 court Southway. Jorgensen stated that at the time GVHC granted easements for the gas station, GCS promised to provide adequate screen planting. He insisted that it would not be a costly project to provide the type of screening he had in mind.

Water Meters

At the suggestion of building superintendent Dave Kane, the board approved the appointment of a 4-man committee to assist GVHC in locating the new water meters, now being arranged with Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission. Board members Kriby and Bruce Bowman and GVHC members Harry W. Rhodes, 6-D Ridge, and Charles M. Cormack, 6-B Ridge, were named by Lastner to the committee.

Disability Insurance

Board permission was granted Continental Casualty Co. to canvass by mail GVHC members for the purpose of determining the amount of interest in a disability insurance plan which would help members meet monthly charges in event sickness interrupted family income. The board made it plain that its permission in no way implied official GVHC approval of the plan.

Youth Programs

The board voted to sponsor a Little League baseball team and donated \$85 for said purpose. The board also named Ralph Bartholomew as its representative to the new city-sponsored recreation coordinating committee directed at encouraging and recruiting volunteer workers for the city's youth programs.

Rev. D. MacKenzie Assumes New Duties

The Rev. Donald MacKenzie and family are expected to arrive in Greenbelt on Friday, and take up their residence at the church parsonage, 2-A Hillside.

Mr. MacKenzie will preach at both the 9 and 11 o'clock services on Sunday, May 5. He will assume the post of Minister, upon his arrival, and begin his work in the parish immediately. It is his desire to become acquainted with the people of the church congregation, as well as the people of the community, as soon as possible.

On Tuesday and Wednesday, May 7 and 8, Mr. MacKenzie, along with Lloyd L. Moore, Moderator of the Church Council, and Mrs. Helen Hufendick, Director of Christian Education, will drive to Nutley, N. J., to attend the Annual Meeting of the Middle Atlantic Conference of Congregational Christian Churches.

School Registration

Public-school registration for children who are to enter first grade in September, 1957 will take place tomorrow, Friday, May 3, the county Board of Education announced this week. Register at the school which other children from your area are now attending—9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Center school, 9:30 to 11 a.m. and 1:30 to 3 p.m. at North End school.

A child must be six on or before December 31, 1957 in order to register. All entering children should register, even if they are now attending kindergarten.

Papers which should be taken to registration are:

Birth certificate

Vaccination certificate

Certificate of immunization against diphtheria (Adequate immunization consists of the two initial doses of diphtheria toxoid or a booster shot since January 1, 1954.)

Hannah E. Long and Maxine Grimm, principals of the two local schools, hope that all parents will cooperate by enrolling their children now, since this is their only way of knowing how many children to expect for the next school year.

Co-op Nursery School

Mrs. Elizabeth Stant, of the Childhood Education Department of the University of Maryland, will address a joint meeting of the present membership and new members of the Greenbelt Cooperative Nursery School, Monday, May 6, at 8:30 p.m. at the Jewish Community Center, Ridge and Westway.

Mrs. Stant, of county-wide popularity, will speak on the educational value and purposes of a cooperative nursery school. Mrs. Eleanor Hodges, teacher, will elaborate on the school program for next year.

An election of officers for the forthcoming year will be held. All members, including the fathers, new members and other interested parents are invited. Refreshments will be served.

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at 16-Z-3 Ridge



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Letters to the Editor

The editor has received several unsigned letters recently. Some would be of great interest to the community, but—although we gladly withhold names upon request—we cannot print a letter without knowing who wrote it. Anonymous writers are asked to contact the editor and identify themselves, so that we may print their letters.

SMALLTOWN BIGNESS

To the Editor:

I would appreciate the opportunity to express some reflections from the standpoint of a native of a large city who has suddenly been offered the rare privilege of observing in action THE SMALL TOWN, BACKBONE OF DEMOCRATIC AMERICA.

I have just put down my Washington Post & Times Herald after reading "Sequel to Greenbelt Party—Policeman Fired, Another Suspended After 3 Girls Get Ride in Official Car." Many questions arose in my mind, unanswered by this terse description of what another paper called a "joy ride."

First, I wonder, startled, at the myopia of a father who would publicly jeopardize his daughter's reputation by reading evil into a deed that would be welcomed by any other parent, particularly since the three city servants involved were known to him personally, and particularly since his daughter tried to convince him that his attitude was entirely unjustified. I feel sorry for the parents of the other two girls who apparently have the decorum not to enter the fracas and who are probably embarrassed—for themselves, their children, the accused and especially the accuser. May I demonstrate the small-town smallness, myself, and further say that I wonder if merely a coincidence exists in the fact that the recreation directorship was involved, a job held somewhat unsuccessfully by the accuser's son.

Second, I wonder at the motives of the person who arranged that this spicy story reach the pages of larger local newspapers, a story that obviously is only newsworthy

if handled in such a way as to afford readers plenty of exercise jumping to conclusions.

Third, since the whole legal issue here involved seems to be the "use of police cars by persons other than municipal employees" I wonder if we ought not fire our new police chief, also. Why, I saw him myself last fall driving a child (girl) home (they were alone in the police car) after she had run away.

Most important, I wonder at the action to be taken by the citizens of this town. I wonder if they will behave in a characteristic small-town manner by doing nothing other than the aforementioned conclusion-jumping. I wonder if they are going to permit this political side-show to undermine their confidence in the best recreation director they have had and certainly one of the town's better teachers and finer citizens. (I do not mention the officer who was "fired" for I understand he resigned.) I wonder if the townspeople have any idea how much the suspended policeman has done for them—in his teaching, his P.T.A. work, his youth leadership roles, his sports organization, his ideas for civic improvement, and his vital influence in his work with juvenile delinquency which has earned him county-wide respect. I wonder if any Greenbelters other than those in 11 Court know that his wife runs a day-to-night open house for Greenbelt's children, some of them "delinquents", who come there for advice, help, food, television, odd jobs for money, or sometimes for just a place to call home. I wonder if any Greenbelters have thanked them for their voluntary work here, or would now take an opportunity to offer them the support and confidence of the town. I wonder if the citizens would let them, finding the lack of such support and confidence, leave.

Last, I would like to add that all my questions about smalltown bigness would be answered by this letter going unprinted.

Sincerely,
G. D. Barnes,
4-K Laurel Hill

OPEN LETTER

To the Citizens of Greenbelt:

I should like to publicly thank my many friends and neighbors who supported me for the appointment to the office of Chief of Greenbelt police. I have served them as best I could for eleven years as a regular police officer and will continue to do so. I urge all citizens of Greenbelt to support Mr. Jim Williams who has been appointed to his new duties as Chief.

Sgt. Austin Green
Greenbelt Police Dept.

ENTERTAINMENT

To the Editor:

Again I come to your paper to protest the absence from a Greenbelt meeting of the members necessary for a quorum. However I protest because the GCS members missed an entertaining and educational show Monday night. No one questioned the lack of quorum for fear of stopping the act.

Of course it's been years but remember how the "premiere danseuse" waved the silken flimsy in time to "take it off, take it off"? No more flimsy than the flag our exalted ruler waves each year, but it's a custom—no one really expects him to drop it.

Then, of course, there was the comedian, who—alho we know all his jokes (example: "Last year was tough, next year will be better!") we really couldn't do without, to lighten an otherwise dull evening. But that last blackout—when he walks off with the door prize which brought the comparatively few members in the first place! Even in Minsky's that wouldn't go over. The audience reaction was typical and appropriate—to the sticks with him. Co-op Institute for more cooperative education!).

And the heckler! There in the front row as usual (but didn't he use to be bald and—how shall we say it—half-potted?). Maybe that was why he "regurgitated" so often, gained so little sympathy, but saw the performance for what it really was! A suggestion to our local, sober, and far-from-bald counterpart: it takes more than salt to be able to take this show.

But to drop the analogy—you really should have been there to note:

1. That in spite of a new area (Westminster) sales went up only 5% (down in Greenbelt and Takoma), the net went down, and the administrative costs went up. But just wait until we hit that \$30 million pie-in-the-sky!
2. That though the Takoma Park center is admittedly obsolete (this is news?) we are actively engaged in promoting a new center across the street to compete with Langley Park (which made TP obsolete in the first place).
3. That our major problem in 1956 was too much money (capital, that is, not patronage refunds).

See what I mean? You missed a good show.

Bruce Bowman
Laurel Hill
Greenbelt, Maryland

IN BEHALF OF GARBAGE

To the Editor:

I'm just a lil' eggshell, tossed carelessly into the garbage can with some stinky ole 'tater peelings and the dusty (cough, cough) sweepings from the vacuum. Only a little while ago, I graced the cool clean refrigerator. Gee! This sun is hot! Just don't know who I should be mad at—the garbage man for dropping me, or the "Lady" of the house for not putting me inside a bag so's I wouldn't be left here all alone. Ouch! Somebody stepped on me. Do I have to stay here till next garbage collection day? Oh! Soft hands! So small and sweet!!! Lifting me ever so gently—Ah! a nice comfy bag to rest my weary broken pieces in. Thank you, my Dear Child, for picking me up. Please tell your Mommy to be more careful next time.

Alas! Sleep, sweet rest and peace.

Signed,
"Lady of the House"

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Friday, May 3: 4:15 p.m., Chapel-aire rehearsal at the Parsonage. 8 p.m., Music Committee meeting at the home of Mrs. John Oleksak, 33-P Ridge.

Sunday, May 5: 9:45 a.m., Sunday School for all ages. John S. Stewart, Jr., superintendent. 11 a.m., Morning worship service in Center School auditorium. Chapel choir will sing. The pastor will preach on the subject, "The Christian Home." 6 p.m., Training Union for all ages. Mrs. John S. Stewart, Jr., director. 7 p.m., Evening Worship service. Inspirational hymn singing. Special music. Message by the pastor, "Let's Go On."

Monday, May 6: 7:30 p.m., Sunday School Association meeting at Fifth Baptist Church. 7:30 p.m., Meeting of primary department of Vacation Bible School at the home of Mrs. Reginald C. Danahy.

Wednesday, May 8: 7:30 p.m., Meeting of the Beginner department of the Vacation Bible School at the Parsonage.

Thursday - Friday, May 9-11: Church Music Clinic at the Brookland Baptist Church, Washington, D. C.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Victor J. Dowgiallo, Pastor

Saturday, May 4: Confessions. 3:30 to 5:30 in the afternoon and 7 to 9 in the evening.

Sunday, May 5: Masses: 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 11 a.m. Baptisms after 1 p.m.

Wednesday, May 8: Miraculous Medal Novena at 8 p.m. followed by Benediction.

Jewish Community Center

Services: Friday, May 3. Candle lighting time: 7:34 p.m. Services conducted by Morton Beroza at 7:30 p.m.

"LITTLE BLACK COCKER"

To the Editor:

Dear Sir:

I am a little black cocker spaniel a year and a half old. I am also the founder, president, and sole member at the present of the Society for the Implementation of Canine Equity among Mankind (S.I.C./E.M., for short). I believe I have certain rights in Greenbelt. The ordinance published in your paper last week did not say that dogs are forbidden in Greenbelt. Therefore, as a licensed dog in Prince Georges County, I have every right to live in Greenbelt in my master's house—on which they own perpetual use and pay taxes. After reading the contract GVHC made my master sign (after he had signed preliminary papers consummating the purchase without ever reading the contract—and there is hardly any time to read during negotiations since everybody tries to sell or buy so hard.) I came to the conclusion that GVHC has no right to say that my property-owning master cannot have me as a pet. It seems to me that GVHC is an agent only for all perpetual use owners of property sold to GVHC in its name by the government, and not a landlord of this same property. My master and mistress are not tenants in a house owned by GVHC, but are land lords in their own right and pay real estate taxes as proof of landlordship.

Therefore, I wish—if my fellow canines will permit a pun—you would help in calling the dogs off by desisting to make a huge issue of the dog question in Greenbelt for reader interest alone since many of my friends masters are thoroughly upset about the awful things people threaten to do about us. As a parting suggestion, why don't you, instead, as a crusading editor, concentrate on the groups of kids that hang around the center every night?

Ebony Kazlauskas
4-H Ridge

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Robert C. Hull - Acting Pastor
GRanite 4-6171

Thursday, May 2: 8 p.m. Christian education committee meeting of the Washington Association of Congregational Churches.

Friday, May 3: 4:30, Confirmation class, social hall.

Saturday, May 4: 10 a.m., Church school rehearsal for Vesper service, 2 p.m., city-wide cabinet meeting of the Evangelical and Reformation youth groups and the Congregational youth groups. First Congregational Church, Washington, D. C.

Sunday, May 5: Morning worship at 9 and 11, with Rev. Donald MacKenzie assuming duties as the new minister of the church. Church School: 9 and 11, nursery, kindergarten, and primary. 10 a.m., junior, senior and high. 5 p.m., Vesper service and ice cream social on the Church lawn. All proceeds go to the camp fund for the Church.

Monday, May 6: Leadership institute at the Westmoreland Congregational Church. Jr.-Hi P.F. nominating committee meets, Church office.

Tuesday, May 7: Middle Atlantic Conference of the Congregational Churches at Nutley, New Jersey.

Friday, May 10: Annual Mother's Day dinner at 6:30 in the social hall of the Church.

METHODIST CHURCH

40 Ridge Road

Walter C. Smith, Minister

42-L Ridge - Phone 9410

May 3, Friday - 8 p.m., Commission on Finance meets at Mr. Moyers' home.

Sunday, May 5 - 9:30 a.m., Church school, primary and up. 11 a.m., Church school, kindergarten and nursery depts. 11 a.m., Morning worship conducted by Rev. Smith. The sermon is titled "The Pillar that Will not be Moved". 5:30 p.m., Family night sponsored by the Commission of Education. There will be displays by the Sunday school classes.

Monday, May 6 - 7 p.m., Webelos Den meets. 7:45 p.m., Methodist men's club will leave the church for the Methodist men's meeting at Branchville.

Tuesday, May 7 - 7 p.m., Girl Scout Troop No. 116 meets. 7 p.m., Junior choir rehearsal.

Wednesday, May 8 - 6:30 p.m., Women's Society Christian Service meeting beginning with supper. The program will include installation of new officers. 7 p.m., Girl Scout Troop No. 49 meets.

Thursday, May 9 - 3:45 p.m., Brownie Troop No. 109 meets. 8:15 p.m., Adult choir rehearsal.

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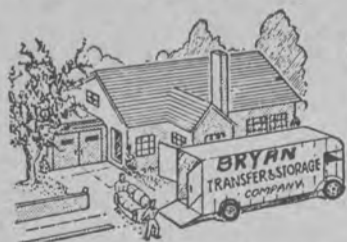
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North End Review

By Sandy Vaughn

The North End school safety patrol is competing for the National AAA Drill Team championship Friday, May 3, at 7 p.m. at Ft. Myer, Virginia. We expect stiff competition, particularly from some of the Florida teams.

Friday evening is the night we have been waiting for the past two months. We have been practicing before school, during our lunch hour, and after school. We have often walked to the Center school in order to have an auditorium large enough for us to practice our maneuvers. We practiced during our Easter vacation and this week we are practicing after supper. Thursday at 8 p.m. we are having a dress rehearsal for parents and friends at the Center school. We expect to be accompanied by about 100 North Enders who are forming a caravan to Ft. Myer.

Saturday our drill team is marching in the AAA parade. We expect to march with the Prince George's unit in the Maryland section of the parade.

High Point PTA

Unanimously elected to hold office in the High Point High School PTA for the school year 1957-58 at the group's April meeting were Myron Brock, Beltsville, president; Percy Andros, Greenbelt, first vice-president; Fred Novak, second vice-president and faculty representative; Mrs. Russell Fabritz, Takoma Park, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Richard Blasey, College Park, recording secretary; and Mrs. Hans Borgwardt, Beltsville, treasurer. Installation of officers will be at the May meeting.

COFFEE HOUR

Each Tuesday evening from 8:30 p.m. to ? the NEWS REVIEW dishes up coffee and conversation to any and all who wish to drop in. The News office's unique furnishings—dim lights, quaint chairs (orange crates), antique desks and musty newspapers add to the atmosphere. If you can abide our decor seek us out some Tuesday night in the basement of 9 Parkway. Bring your own chair, if you like!

Cookie Sale Helps Camp

Thanks to the generous support of Prince Georges and St. Mary's residents, the Girl Scouts' cookie sale in the "Southern Maryland Council" went over the top by more than 4,100 boxes, according to Mrs. William Millios, of Landover. Original goal was 100,000 boxes. (Actually sold, 104,136.)

This means many happy days of camping for many Council girls, since the Scout camp costs come entirely from cookies and from campers' fees. Cookie money is used to buy campsites and equipment and for their maintenance and upkeep, as well as for general Council expenses not covered by Community Chest funds. The girls' fees are used for operation of the camps while in session.

The Council has three day camps—Conestoga, Little Paint, and Plato—and an established camp at Thurmont, Md. and a new campsite at Hughesville. The latter, purchased in 1956 with money set aside from cookie funds, is rapidly being developed for troop camping. One unit of eight tents has been in use since September and another is under construction.

All that is needed now for a successful camp season is sufficient father help in setting up and closing camps, and mother, aunt, or other women staff help to run the camps on the safe and smooth, Scout-required ratio, for day-camps, of one adult per six campers. Day camp volunteers may contact their daughter's troop leader, or Mrs. Irving Canter, HEmlock 4-2587; men willing to assist in developing the campsite at Hughesville, call Mr. Canter. Persons interested in established camp staff positions should apply to Mrs. Anne Murray, at the Girl Scout office, Mt. Rainier.

Letha Allen Appointed Director, P-H Nursing

The appointment of Miss Letha S. Allen as the Director of Public Health Nursing Service in Prince Georges County Health Department, effective February 20, has been announced by Dr. Thomas S. Englar, Deputy State and County Health Officer. Miss Allen is eminently qualified for the position, having had experience as director of nursing services in both official and private public health agencies. She holds a Master's degree in public health nursing and administration from Teacher's College, Columbia University, New York City. With the appointment of Miss Allen, Mrs. Eva Gaines and Miss Elizabeth Geddes, the 4 supervisory nursing positions are now filled.

Mrs. Gaines, who has had broad experience in school nursing and in mental health, was recently employed by the District of Columbia Health Department. She holds an M.P.H. degree, which included preparation in mental health, from the Johns Hopkins School of Hygiene and Public Health, Baltimore. Miss Geddes, a native Marylander and a graduate of the Union Memorial Hospital of Baltimore, holds a B.S. degree from the George Peabody Teachers College in Nashville, Tennessee, and has had graduate preparation in nursing supervision and administration at the Catholic University in D. C. She has had extensive ex-

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The following awards were made at the Webelos den flag ceremony: Bobcat, Richard Truett, Mark Gilbert; Wolf, Paul Justman, Neil Danish; Gold Arrow, Kenneth Rothstein, Jeffrey Rosen; Denner, Mike Kaplan, Andy Rimar, Louis Levine; Assistant Denner, Jerry Booker, Neil Danish.

Several skits were put on to the amusement of all. Bob Miller and Kenneth Robinson were tied for first prize on the essay and speaking contest on the Philadelphia trip. Earl Zubkoff won second prize. Den 6 won the honor den flag (most parents present). The festivities were concluded with the pack yell, A-K-E-L-A.

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perience in public health nursing education. According to Dr. Englar all of the positions for staff public health nurses have been filled except the 2 new ones which were created when mental health clinic services expanded from 1 day to 2 days. A number of qualified candidates are being considered for these positions.

With this strengthening of the nursing staff, Dr. Englar anticipates that the study of the public health program, started July 1, 1956, can be completed and plans for expansion of services can proceed at a rapid rate.

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Our Neighbors

By Elaine Skolnik - GR 4-6060

Your reporter regrets the briefness of "Our Neighbors" column, but this week was moving week for the Skolnik clan. New address and telephone: 2E Northway, GR 4-6060.

A Get-Well-Quick to third grader, Barbara Benson.

Happy birthday to Janet Weintraub, 45-Q Ridge. This little miss was two years old last Sunday.

Maria and Jack Snoddy, 7-L Southway, have a new telephone number—GRanite 4-6115.

Charles T. Howey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Howey of 34-A Ridge, receives a warrant promoting him to Marine corporal April 1, by his company commander, Capt. M. E. Pake. Howey is serving as a company clerk with the 2nd Tank Battalion, 2nd Marine Division at Camp Lejeune, N. C. Before entering the service in February 1956, he graduated from Northwestern High School, College Park, Md.

Marine Sgt. Edgar J. Swisher, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar J. Swisher of 38-E Ridge, is serving with the 42 Mortar Company, 2nd Marine Division, at Camp Lejeune, N. C.

David R. Heinly, son of Mr. and Mrs. David M. Heinly, of 5804 Queens Chapel rd., Hyattsville, has been selected editor-in-chief of the Diamondback, student newspaper of the University of Maryland. Heinly, a junior in the College of Business and Public Administration majoring in journalism, graduated from Greenbelt High School in 1948.

Folk Dancers

Community Folk Dancers will have the last dance of their successful season under Dave Rosenberg this Sunday, May 5, 8:30 p.m., JCC building.

The annual Washington Folk Dance Festival, arranged and led by Rosenberg, will be held at Cardozo high school in Washington tomorrow and Saturday evenings, May 3 and 4, at 8:15.

Community Library

by Marjorie H. Muir

Mrs. Delores Hinson of 12-L Ridge has a love for gardening. Around her house there will be flowers 'a-growin', says this lady of the "green thumb". Her recipe—"books and experimenting—patience plus hard work, will make a garden".

Mrs. Hinson has been using library books for information on flowers and gardening. Her appreciation for the library was expressed in a very nice poster to go with the garden books now on display at the Greenbelt branch. Come in and see her poster with the recipe and other points for the gardener to note; also, browse among the books. Here are a few interesting titles:

Gardening, Free; Labour-saving, Planning and Planting—Vol. 5, Gardens & Gardening; Gardener's ABC of Pest and Disease, Dimock; Secret of the Green Thumb, Northen; Gardening and Lawn Care, Peigelback; Garden Encyclopedia, Seymour; Color in the Garden, Taylor; Encyclopedia of Gardening, Taylor; Plant Doctor, Westcott; Perennials for Every Garden, Wilson.

SOCIAL SECURITY

Mr. William R. Spates, District Manager of the Silver Spring Social Security Office, announced today that the Hyattsville, Maryland, Contact Station will be open again on Tuesdays, commencing April 30.

This station is located at 4334 Farragut Street, Hyattsville, Maryland, for the convenience of residents of Prince Georges County, and will be open from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. each Tuesday.

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