



Greenhills Citizens Take Control Of Town Stores

Health Association Elects at Stormy Quarterly Meeting

In the most heated meeting of the Health Association since its inception, the membership which packed the Social Room of the Grade School on Monday night called for a recasting of the form of the Association and its relationship to its doctors.

The auditors of the Association presented a partially completed report indicating a decided dropping off of membership, which it was charged by Leslie Atkins, member of the board of Directors, was due to the neglect of Association patients by the doctors in charge of the health work.

The charges leveled by Mr. Atkins were personally and categorically denied by Dr. Christiansen who promised his continued whole-hearted support of an Association with a membership which would undertake to provide the doctors with an adequate income, and would be used on the principal of a limited medical clientele.

The membership has dwindled to 169 fully paid-up members, threatening the existence of the Association, unless drastic action to revivify its activities are undertaken. Upon the volunteering of Donald Cooper, it was suggested that he be made chairman of the membership committee to solicit membership, but the motion was quashed on Mr. Plackett's cross-motion.

Mr. Maurer moved that the Association go on record, as opposed to the introduction of private practice into the work of the physicians. Although opposed by membership on the basis of prejudicing our standing with the local County Medical Associations, it is nevertheless reliably reported, that the confining of medical care to members will not be subjected to criticism, where care may be extended to non-members in dire emergency.

The last action of the meeting, after an adjournment, to reconvene, next Monday, or as soon as possible thereafter, was to call for an election of officers, which resulted in the following Board of Directors:

For Two Years	
George A. Warner	Dr. Hugh A. Bone
Leslie Atkins	
For One Year	
Martha Malkin	Joseph F. O'Leary
Ernest Dematatis	Guy Moore

The meeting will reconvene with a panel discussion between Dr. Christensen and a selected panel on the problems of the Greenbelt Health Association.

Greenhills Residents Win Lower Fares For Busses

The Greenhills Community Council announced a 25 per cent reduction in bus fare, effective January 1.

The Council's committee on Public Relations, after conferring with officials of the Greenhills Transportation Company, secured a round trip rate of 30 cents, between Greenhills and Cincinnati. This rate will be effective on a two week commuter's pass.

In the face of Transportation Company officials'

Brown Resigns to Make Way For Full Local Control

Percy S. Brown, president of C. D. C., resigned from the Board of Trustees of the Greenhills Cooperative on December 12.

"I feel that persons on the Board should be persons who can attend more meetings and be more active than it is possible for me to be", Mr. Brown told the Trustees of Greenhills Consumer Services, Inc. He added that he believed Greenhills residents were sufficiently experienced in the management of the stores to handle their own affairs.



PERCY S. BROWN
The election of a new member to replace Mr. Brown will put complete control of the cooperative in the hands of Greenhills residents who will then constitute six of the nine trustees.

Greenbelt Gets Low Down As Auditors Descend On Town

An epidemic of audits has descended upon Greenbelt to worry diverse Greenbelt officers and managers, and to inform Greenbelt citizens how their businesses are being run.

The fourth quarterly audit of the Credit Union has just been completed by the Union's Supervisory Committee, composed of Harold F. Stone, Fred A. DeJager, and Oscar C. Lightner. A summary of this report appeared recently in the Cooperator.

The annual audit of the Health Association was made by Mr. Arthus Lieberman and presented at the annual meeting of the Association last Monday. This report is available to all members.

And "last but not least" Mr. Louis Englander of the Cooperative League Accounting Bureau was in Greenbelt last week auditing the books of the local stores and of the Cooperative Organizing Committee. The reports of these audits will be available about the first of February.

Mr. Englander expressed his appreciation of the work of Mr. George Hodsdon, accountant for Greenbelt Consumer Services, saying that stores' accounts were in such excellent condition that the work of the auditor was kept to a minimum, auditing fees of course being reduced in proportion.

contention that no reduction was possible because of small patronage, the committee insisted that only reduced fares would increase patronage, and won their point.

GREENDALE HEALTH PROBLEMS

Greendale efforts to form a health association seem to have hit a snag which Greenbelt luckily escaped. Greendale citizens have appointed a Medical Committee, looking toward the formation of a cooperative medical plan. This committee has met twice with the Medical Society of Milwaukee County, but has not received the cooperation given by the local medical society to our Greenbelt plan.

In a recent letter to the Greendale Medical Committee, the Medical Society of Milwaukee County says:

"Any proposal to give Greendale residents good medical care at a cost within their means will have our sincere support and cooperation. Families living in Greendale are restricted to those whose income falls between \$1200 and \$2200. Thus the residents are neither wealthy nor poor, but compare with the majority of Wisconsin residents. It is generally conceded that the average citizen is able to pay for all ordinary illnesses; that not more than 10% suffer such unusual sickness that they cannot pay for medical care. Hence our problem is to provide medical care for the 10% who find it difficult to pay the costs of extraordinary illness.

"With these thoughts in mind, the following recommendations are made:

First - Patients must be permitted free choice of physicians.

Second - The plan should be limited to Greendale residents for a trial period of one year. Only in this way can definite figures be obtained from the experiment.

Third - The plan should protect patients only from the cost of extraordinary illness. Patients should be expected to pay personally for the costs of all sickness up to an amount agreed upon.

Fourth - The plan should be based upon the best actuarial figures obtainable.

Fifth - Legal counsel should insure that details comply with the state and federal laws."

The Greendale Medical Committee answered the letter in the following sense:

"Your proposal contemplates care of only catastrophic illnesses. This plan does not provide adequate medical care at a cost within reach of our families, although we agree that it is a step in the right direction.

"We appreciate that we are still far apart in our thinking, but we are anxious to sit down with your committee in further effort to reconcile our divergent points of view. We do not expect something for nothing, but our study leads us to the conclusion that a plan of comprehensive medical care is feasible at a cost within reach of incomes represented at Greendale. We believe that only such a comprehensive plan will meet the needs of our families."

(The quotation above is condensed and not verbatim. K.D.)

NIGHT SCHOOL CLASSES

There will be a second opportunity to register for the college credit night school courses tomorrow night from 7 to 9:30 P.M. in Room 235 in the school. Professor Wedeberz will be in charge.

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Amount deposited	\$1201.50

NOTE OF THANKS

To the Editor:

The Better Buyers Club wish to thank Mr. Howie, the janitor, and Mr. Wharton, the electrician for their fine cooperation on the night of January 11 at the school. The Better Buyers certainly feel that things could not have run so smoothly had not these men been on hand whenever help was needed. We of the Better Buyers sincerely thank them and feel proud that we have people like them in our community where cooperation is the motto.

Madeline Conklyn

COUNTY SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE MEETS

The annual meeting of the Social Service League of Prince Georges County will be held at the Bladensburg firehouse, Tuesday evening, January 10, at 8:00 P.M. All persons who contributed two dollars or more to the League during the recent campaign are members for 1939 and entitled to vote at the meeting. Officers will be elected and plans for the coming year presented.

Since the campaign closed November 30, over \$1,000 has been contributed in the County and about \$16,000 will be available to the League for 1939. Over 1,300 pledges were made during the campaign. Final reports will be made at the annual meeting.

Various changes in the bylaws will be presented at the annual meeting by a committee composed of F. W. Nickel, C. L. Aiello, and B. H. Dolby. The changes will tend to consolidate the activities of the League, definitely fix the duties of committees, provide for the appointment of representative citizens of the County to the Executive and other committees, and provide for changes in the method of electing directors.

Reports will be made by officers of the League.

WOMEN OF PRINCE GEORGES COUNTY TO STUDY CONSUMERS PROBLEMS

The idea of studying consumers' problems is becoming more evident from day to day. It has recently come to our notice that the Rural Farm Women of Prince Georges County have taken up the study. The organization is under the leadership of Miss Ethel Regan who as county demonstration agent has chosen seventeen women who are to head groups all over the country. The members number about 450 and they hope to study very much the same problems as have the women of Greenbelt.

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Greenbelt Service Station
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COOPERATIVES THE KEY TO BETTERMENT SAYS
GOVERNOR OF VERMONT

George D. Aiken, Governor of the State of Vermont, who made headlines last year by demanding that the Republican Party adopt a liberal program, declares in his latest book, "Speaking From Vermont", that those who criticize must offer a constructive program and that he feels that the organization of co-operatives provides a concrete alternative to regimentation.

Speaking straight from the shoulder in crisp New England style, Governor Aiken says, "At the risk of becoming monotonous I am going to repeat once more what I have said hundreds of times in the years past that the key to agricultural betterment lies not in compulsory regulation but in cooperation."

Answering his own question, "What have cooperatives done for Vermont?" he describes the growth of cooperative rural electrification, cooperative financing of farm operation, cooperative marketing of potatoes and maple products, and points out that "fifty-six percent of all the milk shipped out of Vermont is marketed by farmers cooperatives and the percentage appears to be increasing steadily. "Cooperative insurance," he says, "has been conspicuously successful."

"Prosperity for agriculture is lacking unless other groups who use its products are in a position to buy and pay for them," declares the Vermont Governor. Illustrating that fact, he says, "I believe that the only safety for dairymen of our New England States--and this applies to other milksheds in the country as well lies in looking forward to and planning for the time when they, by themselves or in cooperation with the consumers, will distribute a far greater percentage of their own product in the city market than they are doing today....."

THANKS TO GREENHILLS

The December 16 issue of the Greenhills News Bulletin pays a pleasant tribute to Greenbelt and the Cooperator. It says, in part:

"The editor of the News Bulletin is indebted to our brethren in Greenbelt for a complete set of the Cooperator, the Greenbelt newspaper. It would be hard to find any more interesting set of records than are portrayed on the pages of these papers.***Its issues tell a story of steady and consistent progress from a modest mimeographed journal to the impressive newspaper it is now.***"

"A study of the various numbers of the Greenbelt paper shows, as one might expect, that our fellow townsmen have met and grappled with many of the same problems that have confronted us in Greenhills. What is more to the point, most of them appear to have been solved, or they are definitely on the way to a satisfactory solution.

"The whole tone of the Cooperator conveys the picture of a community that is alive and alert. It is easy to see the residents of Greenbelt like their town. We believe the same is true of the people of Greenhills.*** The people of Greenbelt, Greenhills, and Greendale will always feel the community of interest that comes from being fellow pioneers in a new way of living. It must be made a better way."

GREENBELT A. C. PLANS ANNIVERSARY DINNER

Preliminary plans are being made by the Greenbelt Athletic Club for the celebration of its first anniversary with a dinner which will be given in the latter part of February or the first week of March. Several nationally known sports figures are being sought as speakers. An announcement will be shortly forthcoming concerning the sale of tickets and details of the event.



Rambling

By George F. Carnes

Since jumping at conclusions is about the only mental exercise I ever take, I'll do a hop-skip and venture a wild guess that the alacrity with which Johnny Vaughn (the barber man) answers the call to duty in the Variety store is mostly due to the appearance, one fine morning, of Senor Mike Juliano wearing a magnificent replica of Johnny's mustache. Up to that time Johnny and his mustache had reigned supreme -- the pride and joy of the tonsorial department.

With the soft, white snow falling around us like a humid blanket --softening myriad lights which glow with comforting warmth within the homes of our neighbors -- a man, seeing with understanding eyes, can almost forget his petty hatreds and futile contempt in the contemplation of, "here lives a man like me".

An antidote for too much time spent in writing a dull column like this -- Make yourself accessible to a small boy who has just returned from seeing the last chapter of the Lone Ranger. For, with a "Hi, Ho, Silver" and a leap totalling unbecomingly to anything but a kangaroo, he'll launch himself upon your back and cling with bulldog tenacity until your thoughts as well as your writing paper are scattered to the four corners of the earth, and your dignity, a thing of the past, is consumed in the growing uneasiness you suffer because of the vigorous spurring you are getting in that portion of the anatomy referred to in print only by members of the medical fraternity.

The news that Mrs. Rose Alpher, Director of Adult Education will endeavor to satisfy the literate longings of those who have time on their hands, will be welcomed heartily by you who are unfortunate enough to be pursued by that soul destroying demon, ambition.

SINGLES CLUB WILL HOLD FIRST SOCIAL

The new born Singles Club (maids and bachelors or what have you) will hold their first social Friday evening at nine o'clock at 11 Parkway. Several apartments will be used in which there will be dancing, games, etc. Every single person of working age in Greenbelt is invited. The 25¢ monthly dues fee will be collected at this meeting.

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Meditations

by
Robert Lee Kincheloe
Minister to the
Greenbelt Community Church

Starting last Monday evening, and continuing for six consecutive Mondays, was the Community Church's first attempt at preparing its Church School Teachers for the challenging task confronting them and its first effort at providing the Young People with a serious opportunity to learn about themselves - why they think, feel, and act as they do. These Courses are being handled by a very capable faculty, and we are indeed fortunate in our first School in being able to affirm it partially successful from this standpoint. The greater part of its success however depends upon the interest and attendance at its sessions of Mr. and Mrs. John Doe of Greenbelt and of Mary and John. You will notice that I did not say, the interest and attendance of Mr. and Mrs. John Doe who are teachers in the Church School. The invitation to participate in these Monday evening courses is not only to teachers in the Community Church, but to everybody and anybody who feels the pressing need of knowing better how to lead the young life in the home to a knowledge and understanding of God. In large part, God is either learned or unlearned in the home. The invitation is also extended not only to teachers, but to everybody and anybody who desires to have a more adequate appreciation of the Great Book and to be able to use it more effectively in daily life.

It is not yet too late to register that desire. Your cooperation by participation in this School will go a long way to dispel ignorance concerning Christianity and the way of its Founder. It will help you immeasurably to:

Think truly, and thy thoughts
Shall the world's famine feed.
Speak truly, and each word of thine
Shall be a fruitful seed.
Live truly, and thy life shall be
A great and noble creed.
Horatius Bonar

TOBOGGAN SLIDE PROVIDES FUN

The new toboggan slide extending from the edge of Block A to the Lake level received its baptism last Saturday, after Friday's storm had cleared away and left the necessary snow. Greenbelt's young people gave it a thorough workout and reported it very satisfactory, even though somewhat humpy. Especially approved was the metal fire-box, and the firewood, provided at the top of the slope, by the Community Management. Here the sleighers warmed their hands, feet, ears, and noses after the long treks back up the slope.

Among the Greenbelt young people who made periodic stops at the fire while the Cooperator's reporter was around were Virginia and Allen Taylor, Donald and Robert Nicodemus, Richard Snyder, Joan Provost, Lynn Buck, Robert Bonham.

According to Town Engineer Vincent the slope is about 700 feet long, and has an estimated fifteen degree drop which dips into a twenty-five degree drop for a short distance at the bottom end.

The upper end of Crescent Road was also roped off to provide sledding for the younger children, and for those fans who wished to take advantage of the street lights in the evening.

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Right Up Our Alley

The proposed new tax bill for the District of Columbia, shortly to be presented to Congress, provides for a drastic change in the District's methods of tax collection.

Under the proposed law, the present business privilege tax and the intangible property tax would be repealed. In their place would be substituted a 2 per cent. sales tax, a corporate income tax, a levy on earned and unearned income over \$15,000 (which would exempt the salaries of our lawmakers) and a special utility tax. As at present contemplated, the sales tax would exempt purchases under 25 cents, with exemptions for food, medicine, gasoline and liquor, although one member of the House District Committee, Representative Dan McGehee of Mississippi has indicated that he will press for the removal of all exemptions.

That the provisions of the present law, so far as they relate to a tax on gross receipts, are decidedly unjust can hardly be open to question. As anyone who has had even a speaking acquaintance with business will testify, gross profit, or the spread between the selling price of articles and their prime cost, is no criterion of net profits. The small matter of overhead, which is disregarded in the tax on gross receipts, may be quite inconsequential in some businesses whereas, in others, it represents a major portion of all costs and may dissolve a greater part, or all of the gross profit. The repeal of such a tax monstrosity should be welcome to every informed person.

The proposed alternative, however, may well prove, from a social viewpoint, an antidote with an effect far worse than the poison which it is intended to alley, for it will further reduce the purchasing power of consumers, particularly those in the lower

income brackets.

Those who propose this tax may be motivated by various reasons. Their preference for a sales tax rather than a graduated income tax may spring from a consideration of the ease with which it may be collected. It might be influenced in some part by the fact that our congressmen are reluctant to have their own salaries taxed. Perhaps it is a surrender to the loud and consistent bleatings of those who decry any such "soak the thrifty" scheme as an income tax. Whatever the reason behind the proposal, the imposition of a sales tax is bound to saddle the greater part of the tax burden of the District upon the backs of those least able to assume the burden.

So far as Greenbelt is concerned, however, such a sales tax would not be without its benefits. The imposition of a District sales tax would place our cooperative in an enviable position from which to bargain for customers with stores upon whose sales a tax must be paid by the purchaser.

G.A.W.

Missouri Proof

Greenbelters, from time to time, have posed the question, "Will we soon run our own stores ourselves?" The frequency with which this query is encountered no doubt reflects a genuine state of mind in some quarters.

We believe that this doubt will always, be justified to some extent, until it is answered in practice, since people learn best the empirical way. The man from Missouri is the genuine skeptical American, and his questioning attitude exerts, in the long run, a stabilizing influence on American life.

However, when he can be shown in practice, he is generally not the man to balk at progress or new ideas. As regards this question of running our own stores ourselves, we believe that answer is "yes", and with some good old Missouri proof to show for it.

On the front page of the COOPERATOR, is a story which has come to us from our sister city of Greenhills, Ohio. In Greenhills, the Cooperative has been in existence for some time. First developed under the wing of Consumers Distribution Corporation, as we were, the situation has now changed to the extent that the residents have full majority control themselves. Of the nine trustees of Greenhills Consumer Services, six are now to be local citizens.

And when we here in Greenbelt finally do form our own Cooperative, when we finally do prove that we are ready to grasp the reins, does anyone seriously think that we will be denied them?

A.C.

NEW COOPERATIVE DIGEST AVAILABLE

An "Index of Laws Pertaining to Cooperation", a publication listing more than 24,000 titles of books, pamphlets, articles and other published material in preparing a complete bibliography of the Cooperative movement, has been published, and may be secured free of charge from the Cooperative Project, WPA, 1780 Broadway, New York City. Their next publication, "A Bibliography on Medical Cooperation" will be available within the next few months.

The project is also preparing an "Encyclopedia of the Cooperative Movement", consisting of from 500 to 600 articles in condensed form dealing with all the important aspects of the cooperative movement. To that end 14 translators are at work translating material on cooperatives into English from Swedish, Finnish, German, Russian, Spanish and Italian.

"Boy Scouts To Rescue"

To Be Shown Saturday

The first authentic Boy Scout motion picture, "Boy Scouts to the Rescue", will be shown in serial form at the Greenbelt Theater beginning Saturday, January 21.

The story of the picture was written by J. Irving Crump, editor of "Boy's Life", and national director of the Boy Scouts of America assisted in the production.

First reports from cities where the serial was released earlier indicate that it will prove one of the most popular of all serials. It is hoped that it will do much to improve the standards of serial pictures which are the Saturday entertainment of millions of American youngsters. Though there is no lack of thrills in this picture, it has overcome some of the greatest objections to the usual western or detective serial picture.

To aid the success of the picture, troop 202 of Greenbelt will assist in the promotion of it. The scouts have built a lobby display of camping equipment and they will visit all troops in the surrounding area and invite them to see the picture at Greenbelt. The promotion of the picture will feature a handicraft contest, the details of which will be announced during the first weeks of the serial. For the younger fans, the COOPERATOR is printing the form for a coloring contest.

Making an exception to its regular policy, the Theater management has decided to run this serial once on Saturday evenings in addition to the matinee showing.



Coloring Contest

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COOPERATOR-THEATER COLORING CONTEST
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Young Movie Fans

Above is a sketch of one of the Indians in the new serial "Boy Scouts to the Rescue". The Theater offers a Carron Lifelike Art Painting Set for the best coloring job, a junior painting set for the second best and a pair of theater tickets for the third best. This sketch will be printed again in the next two issues of the COOPERATOR. The contest will close on the last day of the serial, which is to run twelve weeks beginning Saturday, January 21.

WASHINGTON TRUCK HITS LOCAL AUTO

George Fair, local 'cello virtuoso and member of the C.O.C., received a bad jolt, and his car became a subject for garagerial attention during last week's snowfall, when the driver of a Washington truck failed to allow him the right of way coming to him at 14th and Maryland Avenue. The net result was one worried wife (George's), one late supper, and a face-lifting for George's car, at the expense of the insurance company who got the business of the owner of the truck.



This

Town of Ours

By
Joseph Fitzpatrick

The last week in January is the tentative opening date for recreational quarters for the children of Greenbelt.

Recreational facilities for the exclusive use of boys and girls of high school age are a feature which should prove a definite asset to our community. Because of the wide range of cultural, social and physical activities planned, the organization will surely serve as a real inducement for Greenbelt children to broaden and improve their adolescent characters.

Mr. Vincent C. Holochwost, physical educational director, has revealed that the junior social center, which will be set up in the large garage in the rear of the filling station, will have an interesting variety of functions. All of these, including the dancing, will be presented under adequate adult supervision. Mr. Holochwost, Miss Doris L. Dungan, educational directors, and Mrs. Rose Alpher, director of adult education, will be available for guidance.

Children's dances and other social functions will be planned, as far as is possible, by the young people themselves, Mr. Holochwost said. A good radio-victrola will be provided to supply the music.

One of the most outstanding as well as commendable activities will be the formation of a Greenbelt Boy's Club which will be affiliated with the Boy's Club of America. Mr. Holochwost will organize this group and said that the ages of club members will be from seven to twenty-one years. The nucleus of the Boy's Club will be principally youths of high school age.

Classes for children of all ages will be offered in sculpture, painting, drawing, and many other arts and crafts, under talented direction.

As for indoor physical culture facilities there will be no end. Ping pong will be one of the main attractions for the juniors, and Mr. Holochwost has informed this writer that two tables have been ordered and delivered -- ready for active use.

Boxing and wrestling, popular sports which seem to appeal to the young, are being given serious consideration. Negotiation for a collapsible boxing ring are already under way. This ring can also be used as a stage for juvenile theatrical groups and for speakers.

Mr. Holochwost is well adapted for the good work he is doing for the young people, with whom he is most popular. A graduate of the New York Savage School for Physical Education and boasting a B.S. degree from Columbia University, Mr. Holochwost took over his embryonic work here and has developed it to a remarkable degree.

This town of ours has had a few boosts and plenty of old-fashioned knocks, but after all is said and done how many towns in America are able to boast of the quite evident "personal" touch this recreational center will afford our young people? Mr. Holochwost is well-known and well-liked, thus being in a position to attract the juniors and keep them interested.

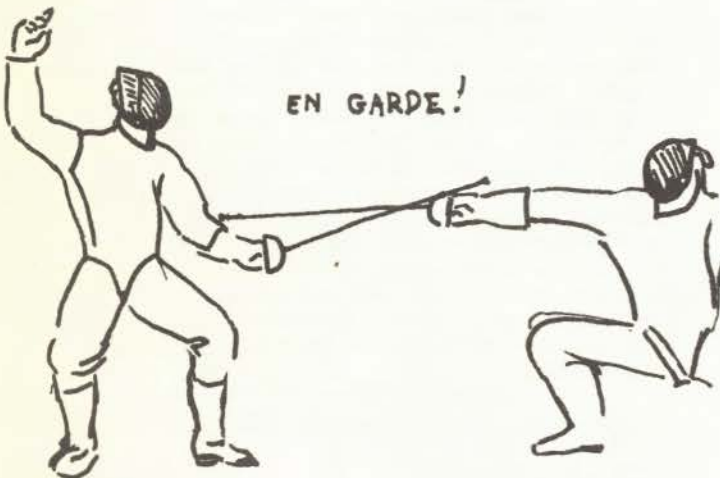
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Sports Sputterings

By Cliff Cockill

Elsewhere in this paper appears the announcement of the anniversary dinner which will be given by the athletic club.....If present plans are carried out, and there is no reason why they shouldn't be, this affair should be a huge success.....The social aspects of the athletic club have been more or less neglected since its organization.....An effort is being made by Dr. Evans of C.D.C. and close friend of Lou Little to bring the Columbia mentor here as principal speaker.....With such excellent material nearby in the persons of Aron McDonald, Dutch Bergman, Chris Heurich, Gus Welch and a gang of others, the speaking problem could be well cared for.....Get behind it boys, let's have nothing but the best.....We are glad to hear that Pop Widger who has been on the sick list since Xmas is on the mend.....We know Widge was too much of a fighter to let a little sickness bother him..... So many Greenbelters have taken up fencing that we expect the time isn't far away when daybreak will reveal flashes of glittering steel as our gentlemen avenge their honour.....or something.....Be careful someone doesn't swat you in the puss with a pair of gloves.....You know what that means..... Did I ever show you the scars on my back?.....



Ben Goldfadden is back in the Heurich lineup and is playing a bang-up game.....Sunday afternoon they tangle with Kingston on their home court..... We understand the bowling league is furnishing some very lively moments and the games are engaged in with a friendly spirit the basketball league might do well to follow.....After all it's all in fun so why quibble?.....When Paul Dunbar became a member of the athletic club he immediately copped one of the club's distinctive honors..... His number 13 dogs are exceeded in size only by Lester Sanders waistline.....

GREENBELT A. C. QUINTET WINS TWO MORE

The Greenbelt Athletic Club Basketball team, led by Bozek and Sidwell, defeated the D. C. Commissioners last Saturday night at the Greenbelt School Gym before a very good crowd, by the score of 51 to 45. It was a very fast game, and the expert pass work, led by Williamson of D. C. C. is what kept the Commissioners in front up until the last five minutes of play. At that time Sidwell, Marach and Giersch got started and ran the tiring visitors into defeat. The score at half time was 27 to 22 in favor of the visitors.

Outstanding performers in the game were Williamson, Mandes, and Merchant for the Commissioners; and Giersch, Sidwell, Marach and Blanchard for Greenbelt.

On the following day, Sunday, Greenbelt journeyed down to the Hyattsville Armory in Hyattsville, and took the floor against a strong Bellman Heating Five. It was the same kind of a game as Saturday night, as they were behind most of the game, and in the last minute of play, some fine pass work led by Marach and Sidwell, turned a defeat into victory by the score of 33 to 31. With the score tied and ten seconds to go, a beautiful down count play put Barker under the basket where he shot the field goal that meant victory. The score at half time was 13 to 12 in favor of Bellman Heating. With this triumph, Greenbelt now has a record of 6 wins and only 2 defeats.

J.C.M.

BOX SCORE

GREENBELT	POS	G	F	PTS	COMMISSIONERS	SPOS	G	F	PTS
Sanchez	F	2	0	4	Merchant	F	5	2	12
Abrahims	F	0	0	0	Mandes	F	5	1	11
Giersch	F	6	1	13	Clark	C	3	2	8
Cain	F	4	1	9	Williamson	G	6	0	12
Blanchard	C	0	0	0	Fellner	G	1	0	2
Wurl	C	2	1	5					
Sidwell	G	5	3	13					
Bozek	G	1	0	2					
Marack	G	2	0	4					
Holochwost	G	0	0	0					
Barker	F	0	1	1					
TOTALS		22	7	51			20	5	45
GREENBELT					BELLMAN HEATING				
Abrahims	F	3	1	7	R. Bellman	F	5	2	12
Giersch	F	0	0	0	Boziech	F	3	0	6
Cain	F	1	0	2	Crump	F	1	0	2
Barker	F	5	2	12	A. Bellman	C	1	0	2
Blanchard	C	0	0	0	Jerald	G	2	3	7
Bozek	G	4	2	10	Taylor	G	0	0	0
Holochwost	G	1	0	2	Banman	G	1	0	2
Sanchez	G	0	0	0					
TOTALS		14	5	33			13	5	31

GREENBELT A. C. PLAYS ST. MARTINS NEXT

The next game of the Greenbelt A. C. Basketball team is scheduled for Wednesday night, January 25th, when the St. Martins Quintet of the Heurich-Amateur League of Washington makes the trip to the Gym.

Game time will be 8:30 P.M.

GREENBELT A. C. TO PLAY COMPANY "F"

AND ST. MARTINS MEET

The next game of the Greenbelt A. C. Basketball team is scheduled for this Saturday night, January 21st, when the Company "F" Quintet from Hyattsville makes the trip to the Gym in the High School.

Then next Wednesday, the 25th, the Greenbelt team will be host to the fast St. Martin's Quintet of the Heurich-Amateur League of Washington.

Two swell games are in the offing so come out to the Gym and cheer the boys on to a couple of more victories. Game time as usual will be 8:30 P.M.

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GREENBELT BASKETBALL LEAGUE

The Greenbelt Basketball League played the second round of their new schedule last Monday night, with the Eton boys from "E" block losing to Dartmouth 2 to 0, through a forfeit. This was the first time a team was forced to forfeit because of insufficient material. Juniata then took the floor against Columbia and engaged in a fast, interesting game, which proved the best contest of the evening. After playing a nip and tuck affair Columbia emerged victorious by the slim margin of 35 to 33. Credit for this victory must go to Trattler and Keagle who were outstanding in team work, inasmuch as Goldfadden again went on a scoring spree and accounted for 18 of Juniata's 33 points.

Bucknell then lost their second straight game to Carnegie this week, 52 to 23, the worst they have ever been beaten. The combination of Cain, Giersch, and Abrahams was too much for the boys from "B" block, although Bucknell had beaten Carnegie in a previous meeting. High score honors went to Cain, with 13 points.

In the last game, Joliet got into the win column by defeating Brown 39 to 23. Although Brown is showing a remarkable improvement in this series, they could not get started, and consequently suffered their first defeat of this series. Outstanding players in this game were Taylor and Holochwest, who together scored more than half of Joliet's points.

The third round will be played tomorrow night, the first game starting at 7:30 P.M. Come out and root for your block teams.

J. C. M.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

TEAM	WON	LOST	PCT.
Carnegie	2	0	1.000
Dartmouth	2	0	1.000
Juniata	1	1	.500
Brown	1	1	.500
Joliet	1	1	.500
Columbia	1	1	.500
Bucknell	0	2	.000
Eton	0	2	.000

BOX SCORE

JUNIATA	POS	G	F	PTS	COLUMBIA	POS	G	F	PTS
Goldfadden	F	8	2	18	Trattler	F	4	0	8
Conklyn	F	0	0	0	Keagle	F	5	0	10
Sheets	F	0	0	0	Wurl	C	0	3	3
Risley	C	2	0	4	Helfand	G	2	0	4
Devoe	G	4	1	9	Markfield	G	4	0	8
Fisher	G	1	0	2	Neblett	G	1	0	2
Kozar	G	0	0	0					
TOTALS		15	3	33			16	3	35

BUCKNELL					CARNEGIE				
Boote	F	3	1	7	Cain	F	6	1	13
Fockler	F	0	0	0	Dickhaut	F	4	0	8
Picket	F	4	0	8	Bradley	F	1	0	2
Shultz	C	1	0	2	Giersch	C	6	0	12
Petersen	G	0	1	1	Williams	G	2	1	5
Trumbule	G	0	3	3	Abrahams	G	6	0	12
TOTALS		9	5	23			25	2	52

BROWN					JOLIET				
Petersen	F	2	2	6	Chapman	F	0	0	0
Heaton	F	0	0	0	Messner	F	0	1	1
Neale	F	0	0	0	Holochwest	F	6	0	12
Dunbar	C	3	0	6	Barker	C	5	0	10
Day	G	2	1	5	Gebhart	G	1	1	3
Ourand	G	0	0	0	Taylor	G	6	1	13
Sanchez	G	3	0	6					
TOTALS		10	3	23			18	3	39



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In every field of human endeavor there are men who reach the pinnacle of fame and fortune and the lasting memory of the greatness. In July 1919 under the blazing hot sun of a cloudless Ohio sky, Dempsey the unknown knocked out Jess Willard to win the heavy-weight championship of the world. That afternoon at Toledo the invisible hand of destiny wrote upon the book of greatness the name William Harrison Dempsey. No name before or since has been kept so much alive by the American public. The greatness of an individual is not determined by all that a person may accomplish, but by all that a man can be. There have been and there will continue to be hundreds of men and women who will follow the trail of the truly great characters of history. There will be many who will ascend the top-most rung of success, but like a comet that momentarily blazes a path of brilliant light they soon pass into oblivion.

The Dempsey that startled the world by a short three-round knockout of the Giant Jess Willard is more popular today than he was twenty years ago. Other men have been Champions, but no one has so whole-heartedly remained the idol of millions. Truly great people are not submerged in the genius of their individual accomplishments, but are remembered for their human traits. Dempsey the hobo, the rod-rider, the coal miner, the fighter-champion, business man and father will always remain Champ to his thousands of admirers because material success and worldly fame have left him untouched and unchanged. The future generations of boys will read of the Champion Jack Dempsey, but what they will love him for will not be his ring accomplishments, but for his helping the less fortunate to square up to the winds of adversity.

FIVE INDIVIDUAL HIGH SCORERS

PLAYER	TEAM	GAMES	GOALS	FOULS	POINTS
Goldfadden	Juniata	2	18	2	38
Boote	Bucknell	2	11	4	26
Keagle	Columbia	2	12	0	24
Giersch	Carnegie	2	11	0	22
Cain	Carnegie	2	9	3	21

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GREENBELT BOWLING LEAGUE NEWS

Maintaining the sizzling pace that put them on top, the Beavers continued their steady march pennantward by handing the Bears a three-game lacing. The final game, however, was a thriller from the word "go", in which the two teams were deadlocked three successive times. Up to the final ball, when the two anchor men, Temple and Jones, spared, the result still remained unsettled, depending upon the counts. At this point, Capt. Jones of the Bears required an eight-pin count to put the game on ice, but this was asking too much, and he fell short by four pins.

The Cobras, minus their gingery captain, Frank Lastner, barely struggled through with a victory over the hard fighting Alligators by capturing the odd skirmish.

The big upset of the afternoon was the three-game trouncing that the last place Jeeps handed the third-place Cardinals. The stalwarts in the Jeeps victory were Chapman and McGoldrick, who provided plenty of action for the opposition to offset. This decisive victory enabled the Jeeps to tie for seventh place.

Recovering from a setback received last week, the Drakes came back to win the odd game from the Eagles. Credit was due the fine games played by those Drake sharpshooters DeJager, Meek and Brown. For the opposition, both Capt. Hitchcock and Sidwell played bang-up sets.

THE STANDINGS TO DATE ARE:

	WON	LOST
Beavers	33	12
Drakes	30	15
Cardinals	27	18
Cobras	26	19
Alligators	21	24
Bears	15	30
Eagles	14	31
Jeeps	14	31
High Team Sets -- Beavers, 1,573; Drakes, 1,530; Cobras, 1,517.		
High team games - Beavers, 564; Drakes, 544; Cobras 539.		
High individual averages - Temple (Beavers), 115-21; DeJager (Drakes), 104-30; MacEwen (Beavers), 103-42.		
High individual sets - Meek (Drakes) 387; Temple (Beavers), 383; DeJager (Drakes), 354.		
High Individual games -- MacEwen (Beavers), 142; Brown (Drakes), 138; Meek (Drakes) Cain (Cobras), 136.		
High individual strikes - Temple (Beavers), Brown (Drakes), 18; MacEwen (Beavers), 15.		
High individual spares - Temple (Beavers), 118; DeJager (Drakes), 89; MacEwen (Beav-		

THUMBNAIL SKETCHES OF OUR BOWLERS

by

CJS in cahoots with SHD

(Note: This is the second of the present series, in which we prove that the average bowler is thick-skinned. And as long as they can take it, we'll dish it out.)

BEARS

- CHILDS (86-4) :- Remember his softball average? If only he could have saved some for his bowling. Mebbe his "squat" delivery is in back of it all, mebbe.
 - DAWSON (82-30) :- Now here's a bowler for you, what with plenty of elan, verve, dash et. al! -- and what dash! Mostly down the gutter. This last, no doubt, is due to that fiery thatch.
 - FOCKLER (96-14):- A mystery, Watson; and most amazing! Fell off to nothing, and now boasting a healthy 96 plus -- and still climbing. Is it because he's sporting around with Cain? (No pun intended.)
 - JONES (100-10) :- CAPTAIN Jones, to youse -- and in spite of his dignified title, possesses a sunny disposition that is the envy of all who know him. Yet, withal, he's a nifty and consistent bowler. Lucky Bears!
 - OURAND (89-19) :- Started out with 82 and climbed to 89. Should come out oftener and perhaps go to -- who knows where?
 - SOMMERS (85-7) :- Give me a man who keeps trying all the time -- and there you have Sommers. Good support, especially his sleeve garters.
 - WOOD (86-14) :- Here's something the Bears need -- Wood, mustache and all, especially wood. Would you believe it?
- (Next week we give the dam Beavers a thorough ducking.)

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TO ALL GREENBELT BOYS

The members of the Bowling League appeal to the boys of Greenbelt to refrain from molesting the bowling signs in the bus depot. These signs are meant to inform residents, possibly your next door neighbor, of the league standings. An appeal is made to the sportsmanship of the boys not to interfere with the pastime of many residents.

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

The Christmas spirit has spread even to the school newspaper. The Pioneer is putting out a special Christmas edition. There are two extra features; a story entitled "Christmas Joy" by Marita Freeman and a feature about Christmas in other lands by Shirley Friedman. Bob McClary, editor-in-chief has written a slashing editorial on peace on earth.

Our school sweetheart was officially presented at a tea dance on Friday, December 16. Miss Francis Evers fills her office very well for besides being charming, she is also a talented tap dancer. The contest was held in order to raise money for the general fund. Votes were sold at ten for a penny.

Our school song, written by Marjory Jane Ketchum, was sung there for the first time.

Each of the classes is having a party on December 23.

The school teachers and pupils want to express their thanks at this time, to Mr. Braden and Mr. Fulmer for the huge tree in the library and the other Christmas greens they so generously gave to us.

Jean Day

PARENT-TEACHERS' RADIO PROGRAM

"This Report Card Doesn't Make Sense!" Tune in on "Wings for the Martins" and find out why. This program gives many American families the chance to "see ourselves as others see us", every Wednesday evening 9:30 - 10:00 E.S.T. over station WMAL, 630K Washington, D. C. Presented by the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, the U. S. Office of Education, and the National Broadcasting Company.

GREENBELT PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION

What does Maryland youth think of its own problems? What does it think of modern education? Dr. Owen R. Lovejoy, Associate Director of the American Youth Commission, who has just made a two year survey in Maryland, will speak on these questions before the Greenbelt Parent-Teacher Association Monday evening, January 23 at 8:00 P.M. in the school auditorium. Refreshments will be served. The public is cordially invited.

Those Greenbelt citizens interested in the transportation problem and having time to devote to the matter, are urged to communicate with the chairman of the transportation committee at the G.C.A., J.E. Bargas, 6-D Ridge Road, telephone 5431.

APPRECIATION

The Better Buyers Club wish to show their appreciation to the musicians who played after the performance on January 11 at the school auditorium. Mr. Spector, Mr. McDougal and Mr. Gibbons certainly gave us a bit of the long ago when they played "Turkey in the Straw" and other numbers suitable to the "Virginia Reel" and square dancing.

Mr. Custer's help in teaching beginners and calling figures was a most important feature. Without this help very few people could have enjoyed the actual dancing. The evening ended hilariously.

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GARDEN CLUB PROGRAMS

Outstanding entomologists, field trips, and a flower and vegetable show, will feature the Greenbelt Garden Club programs for the next few months it has been revealed.

Professor Walter R. Ballard, faculty member of the University of Maryland, will address the organization at its January 16th meeting. Professor Ballard's subject will be "Planning the Flower and Vegetable Garden". "The Use of Hot Beds and Cold Frames" and "The Value of Accurate Garden Records", will also be discussed.

"New and Improved Varieties of Vegetables for the Home Garden", will be the subject selected by Dr. W. R. Beattie of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, for Monday, February 20th.

Dr. E.N. Cory, State Entomologist of the University of Maryland, will talk on "Insect Control In the Flower and Vegetable Garden" -- which will be illustrated, at the March 20th meeting of the Garden group.

"Care of the Lawn and Home Grounds", will be discussed by Professor Mark Shoemaker of the University of Maryland.

All residents of Greenbelt are invited to join the Garden Club and actively participate in its activities. The annual dues are fifty cents a year per family, which assessment is payable to the club Treasurer, Joseph G. Brown, 58-F, Crescent Road.

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BETTER BUYERS PRESENTATION A SUCCESS

The performance given by the Better Buyers Club on the evening of January 11 proved very entertaining to the citizens of Greenbelt.

The musical offerings by Mrs. Ralph Hersh and Mrs. Charles W. Yukl were played with feeling and understanding. We are very fortunate in having these fine musicians in our community.

The information about rayons, hosiery, wool, cotton and linen, it is hoped, will stimulate better buying of these articles.

All who heard Mrs. Meek sing "Nobody Makes a Pass at Me" from "Pins and Needles" realize that words cannot describe the art with which she put the song over. Mrs. Meek's ability simply cannot be over-estimated and we are very fortunate to have had her on our program. Her encore number was "Sipping Cider Through a Straw".

Tillie Zilch lived up to all the publicity she was given prior to the program. In rushing from one improbable situation to another we were always unprepared for what to expect next from her. Mrs. Freeman certainly did the impersonation with all the expression that could be desired.

Mr. Custer led those who wished to do the Virginia Reel and some old time square dancing. Both beginners and experienced hands at this old time recreation enjoyed it thoroughly. Our thanks to Mr. Custer.

The Better Buyers hope (in the near future) to bring more such programs to the public.

MY RADIO

For all who are interested in making their homes more attractive (and who isn't) we earnestly recommend listening to a weekly program heard over WRC each Saturday at 11:00 A.M. The speaker is Miss Betty Moore whose suggestions as a decorator seem very good.

The topic on January 14th was making kitchens brighter. Paint was the most important item. Of course, we who live in Greenbelt have walls which reflect light and with bright objects which are a pleasing contrast can do much in making our kitchens more attractive. Miss Moore suggests the colors of yellow, blue and red, with a neutral color as a good combination. Pretty dish towels, bright seat covers for the chairs, and different methods for displaying any old dishes or copper kettles are good suggestions for contrast with the walls and floor.

Miss Moore invited anyone who had some problem pertaining to home decoration to write her as follows and she would answer free of charge:
Miss Betty Moore, 511 Canal Street, New York City.

UNIVERSITY WOMEN STUDY CO-OPS

The Consumer Study Group of the American Association of University Women met at Maryland University on January 8. They had, as surprise visitor, Donald Montgomery of Consumers' Council. Talks were given by Mr. Montgomery and Mrs. F. Newman of the Rochdale stores.

Cooperatives were discussed and explanations were given as to how coop groceries and gas stations operate. So much enthusiasm was shown at the meeting that a group decided to send orders to Rochdale store from which they will get bi-weekly deliveries. A committee was organized to study the possibility of forming a cooperative gas station on the Washington-Baltimore Boulevard near College Park.

INTERESTING GREENBELT WOMEN

by

Mary E. VanCleave

Vital is the word for Garrett! Mrs. Garrett, Public Health Nurse of Greenbelt, is one of the most capable and efficient women in our town. She is completely absorbed in her work and simply radiates personality while speaking of the well regulated schedules which fill her days. Rather than granting an interview, however, on herself as an interesting woman, Mrs. Garrett insisted on giving a message of special importance to be relayed without delay, to the ladies of Greenbelt.

Well, "Mrs. Greenbelt", you're absolutely not taking full advantage of the splendid services offered you. It's a shame, too, because you really owe it to your children, you know. For instance, each Wednesday from 2 until 3 in the afternoon a weight conference is held for infants and pre-school children. According to Mrs. Garrett, "regular weighing is an index to your child's health". Babies from 1 to 6 months should be weighed every week, babies from 6 months to 1 year should be weighed every 2 weeks, thereafter once a month.

On Thursday from 8:30 A.M. to 9:30 A.M., an immunization clinic is open for babies and infants. From 9:30 A.M. to 11:30 A.M. there is a Red Cross class of 20 Greenbelt women. This class has reached its capacity at present, but a new class is to be organized in February. The Red Cross Class should prove highly interesting for those who care enough about good health to put concentration and effort in on it. Then, from 2 P.M. until 3 P.M. on this same day, there is a prenatal class for expectant mothers. This class is lacking in the large attendance it should have.

On Friday, take your baby to the "Well-Baby Clinic" which holds forth from 8:30 A.M. until 9:30 A.M.

Regular office hours are: 8:30 A.M. to 9:30 A.M. and 3:30 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. The office is in the Medical Center. Consult Mrs. Garrett. The advantages she offers will help you keep your family healthy and happy. Besides, you'll like her!

BETTER BUYERS DISCUSS WORKING GIRL

The group leaders of the Better Buyers Club met at the home of Mrs. Bernard Axelrod on Thursday afternoon, January 12th. A panel discussion on "Why Women Work" was conducted by Miss Ollie Hoffman, Mrs. Victor Raddant and Mrs. Bertha Maryn. This discussion was so well received it was decided to repeat the procedure next meeting. The next subject for discussion will be "Restless Americans".

The group decided to visit the Nannie Burroughs Store which is operated by the Co-op-Industries, Inc., next Thursday afternoon in lieu of their regular meeting, which will be held the following Thursday, January 26th at the home of Mrs. Raddant.

A public meeting will be held in the social room on February 15th. The subject will be "Frauds and Rackets". Watch for further announcements concerning this meeting.

DECORATORS MAKING MANY A SLIP COVER

Pupils representing the class in Home Decorating are making their own slip covers. Last week Mrs. Louis Bessemer, director of the group, demonstrated the correct procedure and tonight the students will bring their material and make their own.

HOMEMAKING

by

Mabel Bessemer

FOODS SUITABLE TO SERVE WITH:

- Roast Beef - Tomato, cranberry sauce, vegetables in season.
- Roast Veal - Tomato, cranberry, mushroom or onion sauce. Rice Balls.
- Roast Pork - Applesauce, mustard, cranberry sauce, pineapple, root vegetables, greens and squash.
- Roast Ham - Cider or other acid sauce, sour jelly, pineapple, sweet potatoes, squash, spinach and corn.
- Roast Lamb - Mint sauce, asparagus, green peas, lettuce or any delicate vegetable.
- Bowled Fowl - White sauce, dumplings, noodles, rice, sweet potatoes, creamed onions or any delicate vegetable.

FINNISH CRANBERRY WHIP

- 1/2 lb. cranberries 1 pt. water
- 1/4 c. farina or cream of wheat 1 c. sugar

Boil cranberries with water 15 minutes, then strain well and into liquid add sugar and farina slowly. Cook slowly, stirring to prevent lumps, 15 minutes. Slightly cool and beat with egg beater or electric beater until it holds its shape. Serve with thin cream when cold. Other fruit juices can be used. Delightful and inexpensive dessert for children.

APPLESAUCE FRUIT CAKE

- 1-7/8 c. sifted cake flour 1 c. sugar
- 3/4 t. soda 1 egg
- 2 t. baking powder 1/4 c. raisins
- 1/3 t. salt 1/4 c. candied fruit
- 1 t. cinnamon (citron, cherries, pineapple, etc.)
- 1/2 t. cloves 1/2 c. chopped nuts,
- 1/4 t. allspice floured.
- 1/2 c. butter

1 c. cold applesauce, thick and unsweetened.

Finely cut raisins and candied fruit and flour. Sift flour, soda, baking powder, spices and salt three times. Cream fat, add sugar gradually and cream until light and fluffy. Beat in egg. Add flour alternately with applesauce. Stir in fruit well. Bake in square loaf pan for 50 minutes at 350 degrees. It can be reheated and served with a lemon sauce.

DEVIL'S FOOD LAYER CAKE

- 4 egg yolks 2 sq. chocolate
- 1 c. buttermilk 2 c. flour
- 1/2 c. butter 1 t. vanilla
- 1-1/2 c. sugar 2 t. baking powder

Cream the butter, add sugar. Beat egg yolks well. Melt the chocolate over hot water. Sift dry ingredients. Add yolks to creamed mixture, then flour mixture and vanilla. Bake in a moderate oven in layers.

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WOMEN IN SPORTS

The women's Gym tried out their new activity schedule very successfully Thursday night. A new group of beginner basketball players was formed. Mrs. Jacobsen led this group in fundamentals and lead-up games. Miss Dungan worked with the weight normalizing group. The members of the latter group are to have a card of exercises, which they will do daily.

It was decided to have sport leaders for each activity. Mrs. Allen will be the new Volley Ball sports leader and Mrs. Jacobsen the beginners' basketball leader. Miss Dungan is still looking for good leaders for the badminton, ping pong and shuffle board enthusiasts. Applicants will please see Miss Dungan.

The ping pong tournament begins tonight. Special attention will also be given to badminton. Mr. Holchwest will give a short demonstration at nine o'clock.

Some of our fair athletes are interested in getting gym costumes. Different sport stores are sending us suits for display, which we will be able to get at a discount. Orders will be taken for suits, shoes, and socks at the gym.

WOMEN'S GYM SCHEDULE

- Tuesday - 6:30 to 7:30 P.M. Basketball Team.
- Thursday - 8:00 P.M. Normalizing, Beginners' basketball.
- 8:30 P.M. Volley Ball
- 9:00 P.M. Badminton, Ping Pong, Deck Tennis, Shuffle Board.
- 10:00 P.M. Basketball games.

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"MRS. GREENBELT"

A guest editorial entitled, "Women", appearing in the February issue of the American Magazine, should have a strong appeal for those women whose problem is: career versus marriage. The editorial was written by Kirsten Flagstad, who has spent twenty-five successful seasons in operatic work, and who has a lovely, soprano voice. See which she prefers, her career - or the family she loves.

Mary E. VanCleave

COOKERY CLASSES FORMING

All housewives interested in cookery and nutrition classes, are advised to contact either Mrs. Rose Alpher, director of adult education or Mrs. Louis Bessemer, member of the adult education committee. Mrs. Alpher may be reached at the city administration offices, telephone 2011, while Mrs. Bessemer's address is 45-J Ridge Road, telephone 3211.

The Younger Set

by
Toni Larmore

Hello, everybody! We have been away from our readers a long time, haven't we? To tell you the truth it's because we have been so busy growing up. Then, too, we had to help mother make cookies and fruit cake for Santa Claus, and trim the Christmas tree. Lately we have been helping pack boxes for we moved Wednesday into a new home on Ridge Road. Goodness, a room to myself, but then we're getting a big girl now, almost a year old.

In order to keep growing, one has to keep very busy. We have had great fun pulling down tea towels, getting into canisters, pots and pans, opening drawers, and pulling out clothes. There are so many interesting things to discover now that we can walk.

How have all of you liked the snow? We have seen a good many shiny sleds carrying bright-eyed, ruddy-faced youngsters, having the time of their lives in the snow. We only wish we were a little older, but perhaps next year we'll be able to go sledding down the big hill in "A" block.

We did get our first ride on a sled, though, behind little Betty Zimmerman. Thanks a lot, Betty, for holding us on. Betty and her mother have been spending most of the past days out in the fresh, brisk air. Betty's father is in Kansas, and is planning on bringing back Betty's little sister and her grandmother with him when he returns.

Carol Jane Hotard has moved into a big house in "A" block. She told us the afternoons pass so quickly now for all the children in the neighborhood are very friendly and come over to her playpen and entertain her royally.

Lois Cynthia Committee celebrated her first birthday January 5. She rather likes boys toys, (so do we), but has spent many a happy afternoon with her doll and carriage that Santa brought her. Lois likes to sit before the radio and hum to "A tisket, a Tasket". She hadn't decided at our last meeting, however, whether she would follow a musical career, or that of a teacher.

It made us unhappy last week to find 3 little girls around 7 or 8 years of age being very unkind and talking very harshly to another little girl about 7. They spoke to her very rudely, told her she was ignorant and didn't know anything. Even if she didn't, it was not very nice for them to be so mean to her. She looked so hurt and lonely. Then the three little girls walked off arm in arm. We hope all of you will try to be kind and considerate of your playmates, and especially be thoughtful of the little girls and boys who don't have any friends.

Francis Charles Lynch is an old timer in Greenbelt now -- he will be 4 months old next week. His former home was in Arlington, Virginia. Francis is a good friend of Ronny O'Brien, who is now 7 months old. We appreciate your visit, Ronny.

Just last week Lawrence Conrad Voigt arrived home from Alexandria where he has been staying with his grandmother since his arrival in this world December 14.

Beverly Lyman will return the first of February from Philadelphia where she has been visiting her grandmother since a few days before Christmas. The latest reports show she is having a wonderful vacation.

Must run along to bed now. We will see you next week. In the meantime, if any of you have any birthday parties do let us know, and let us all be good, thoughtful children and help our mothers and fathers and our friends enjoy the happiest New Year ever.

GIRL SCOUT COOKIE SALE

The Girl Scouts of Prince Georges County have launched their annual cookie sale to raise funds for carrying on the work of the organization. This includes the training of leaders through the local training school program, sending leaders to national and regional camps for advanced training, maintenance of the local day camp, and all the varied and worthwhile activities of an efficient council. Our new cabin is an added item of expense on this year's budget.

The three Greenbelt troops have enthusiastically undertaken this project. The citizens of Greenbelt have been generous in their support of Scouting and will no doubt cooperate whole-heartedly with the girls in this enterprise.

It will be appreciated if hostesses serve Girl Scout cookies as often as possible during this month. The sale continues to February 14th. For special orders call Greenbelt 5981.

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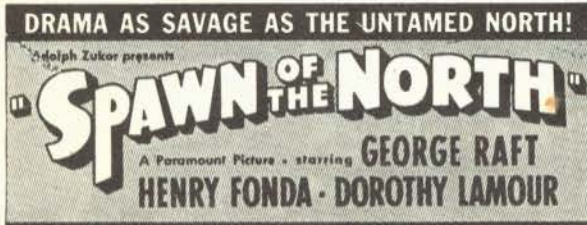
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Calendar Of Events

Thursday, January 19

Well-Baby Clinic	8:30-9:30 A.M.	Medical Center
Orchestra Practice	7:30 P.M.	Music Room
Hobby Club	7:30 P.M.	Work Shop
Women's Gym	8:00 P.M.	Auditorium
Political Science	8:00 P.M.	Room 225
Art Class	8:00 P.M.	48 Crescent Rd.
Home Economics	8:10 P.M.	Economics Room

Friday, January 20

Well-Baby Clinic	8:30-9:30 A.M.	Medical Center
Girl Scouts Brownie Pack #5	4:00 P.M.	3 B Eastway
Credit Union	6:30-8:30 P.M.	Meeting Room
C.O.C.	"	"
Boy Scouts	7:30 P.M.	Social Room
Men's Gym	8:00 P.M.	Auditorium
Radio Club	8:00 P.M.	Cooperator Office

Saturday, January 21

Children's Gym	9:00 A.M.	Auditorium
" Art Class	10:00 A.M.	Social Room
Adult " "	2:00 P.M.	48 Crescent Rd.
Greenbelt Bowling League	3:00 P.M.	Hyattsville Arcade Alleys

Sunday, January 22

Mass	9:00 A.M.	Theater
Community Sunday School	9:30 A.M.	Auditorium
" Church	11:00 A.M.	Auditorium
Young People's Society	6:30 P.M.	Social Room
L.D. Saints' Church	8:00 P.M.	Social Room

Monday, January 23

Parent-Teachers Assoc.	8:00 P.M.	Auditorium
Church School	7:30 P.M.	(Music-223-225)
Greenbelt Athletic Club	8:00 P.M.	Social Room
Home Economics	8:10 P.M.	Economics Room
Town Council	8:00 P.M.	Council Room

Tuesday, January 24

Duplicate Bridge Club	7:30 P.M.	Social Room
Hobby Club	7:30 P.M.	Work Shop
Boy Cubs	7:00 P.M.	Auditorium
Men's Gym	8:00 P.M.	Auditorium
Drawing	8:00 P.M.	Rooms 223, 225
Sculpture	8:00 P.M.	48 Crescent Rd.
Home Economics	8:10 P.M.	Economics Room
Quartet	8:00 P.M.	Music Room

Wednesday, January 25

Art Class	2:00 P.M.	48 Crescent Rd.
Girl Scout Troop #17	3:15 P.M.	Social Room
Senior Girl Scouts	7:30 P.M.	2 H Gardenway
Boys' Club	7:30 P.M.	7 E Crescent Rd.
Junior Choir	8:00 P.M.	Music Room
Church Party	8:00 P.M.	Social Room
Basket Ball (St. Martins)	8:00 P.M.	Auditorium
Home Economics	8:10 P.M.	Economics Room
Community Choir	9:00 P.M.	Music Room
Journalistic Club	8:00 P.M.	Cooperator Office

OFFICE HOURS FOR PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Mrs. F. N. Garrett
Medical Center

8:30 A.M. - 9:30 A.M.)	Daily office hours
3:30 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.)	
2:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M.	Wednesdays
	Weight Conference - infants and pre-school children
8:30 A.M. - 9:30 A.M.	Thursdays
	Immunization Clinic
9:30 A.M. - 11:30 A.M.	Thursdays
	Red Cross Class
2:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M.	Thursdays
	Prenatal Class
8:30 A.M. - 9:30 A.M.	Fridays
	Well-Baby Clinic



By Ollie E. Hoffman

QUESTION: What is the C. O. C., and what is its function?

ANSWER: The Cooperative Organizing Committee (C.O.C.) is a committee elected by the citizens of Greenbelt -- some for one year terms; some for six month terms. The residents are selected to this committee to study and investigate the possibilities of setting up a cooperative association which will take over the ownership of the stores -- provided a sufficient number of residents desire it.

It is no small task which this committee has undertaken. They have attempted to inform the residents about the lease agreement between the Consumer Distribution Corporation and the Farm Security Administration. This lease was briefed and a copy of the brief was sent to every resident in Greenbelt. The C.O.C. has held public meetings at which leaders in cooperation have explained how cooperatives work. Their regular meetings are open to the public, too. Through their various sub-committees they have kept themselves informed about the status of the business and have passed that information on to residents of Greenbelt. They are organizing Neighborhood Nights in the recently settled Blocks so that those newer citizens may have the same knowledge that the older residents gained through earlier public meetings.

Only those who have worked on the C.O.C. or with them can appreciate the zeal of these committeemen to inform the citizens of the facts upon which the residents are to base their decision as to whether or not they wish to form a cooperative association.

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You Ought to Know That

by

Charles F. Spector

The dull red tint of the Red Sea arises from countless microscopic plants called algae.

The date palm tree will bear fruit for a period of from one to two hundred years.

Paris has about as many newspapers as has New York, London and Berlin combined.

It has been established, after many years of careful study, that the patterns of snowflakes are never duplicated by Dame Nature.

Tea contains no nutritive value except for the sugar and milk or cream that is added to it.

The name Panama in connection with hats is considered a misnomer inasmuch as the largest proportion of Panama hats is made in Ecuador.

The wool laboratory at the University of California has what is believed to be the finest collection of world-wide wools in the United States.

Fifty-five Arctic weather stations are now in operation in Soviet Russia.

As a preservative measure, air-conditioning has been installed in the U. S. Frigate Constitution, known to most as "Old Ironsides".

Two scientists recording the calls of rare birds finally succeeded in recording the call of the trumpeter swan.

Beet leaves possess greater food value than the beet roots. However, care should be exerted in selecting only leaves that have no diseased or dead-locking spots.

CORRECTION:

The first item in this column of last week's issue contained the word "transportation". This is an error: The word should have been "transpiration".

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WASHINGTON REPORTER TO BE A GUEST OF
JOURNALISTIC CLUB

Mr. Alfred Friendly, a featured reporter for the Washington Daily News, will be guest of honor at the Journalistic Club's regular monthly meeting on Journalistic Problems to be held Thursday, January 26 at 8:15 P.M. in the Cooperator Office. Mr. Friendly has until recently conducted his paper's "9 to 4:30" column, which is concerned with the problems of Federal employees. Now he is covering Capitol Hill for feature stories.

This meeting will be the second of the Clubs meetings on Journalistic Problems. The first one, held November 23, was highly successful. The one planned for December was cancelled because of Christmas Week. It is planned to hold one the last Wednesday or Thursday of each month as long as they prove valuable. They are open to all interested residents and their guests.

On Thursday, February 2, the Club is throwing a party in the Social Room. Here again all interested are invited. Mrs. George A. Warner, Recreation Chairman, is planning an ambitious program of games, recitations, and country dancing, for which Johnny Walker has promised to provide the music.

NOMINATIONS BEING RECEIVED FOR
JOURNALISTIC CLUB OFFICERS

Nominations for the Journalistic Club election to be held February 8 to select the club officers and the Cooperator staff, who will serve for the six months beginning March 1 are now being received by Lillian Schwartz, Club Secretary. All those who have attended one of these meetings and been active on the Cooperator are eligible to hold office, to nominate, and to vote. Nominations should be in Mrs. Schwartz's hands by January 25.

JOURNALISTIC CLUB REVISES BY-LAWS

The Journalistic Club, at its monthly business meeting, January 11, revised its by-laws, so as to outline carefully the procedure to be followed in handling and accounting for Club funds, and to define the relationship of the Club and the Cooperator. This revision was based on the Club's first year of experience and met with unanimous approval. It was drawn up by the following Committee:

Lillian Schwartz, chairman, Sylvia Fleissig, and Walter Volckhausen.

At this meeting the President appointed Walter Volckhausen club auditor.

LUCKY NUMBER FOR THE TAYLORS

Because of a lucky number held by them one evening during Christmas week, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip M. Taylor, 13-R Ridge Road added a large, new rug to their house furnishings, without subtracting one cent from their bank account. A Washington firm offered chances on the rug to all who would enter its door on that night. In the Taylor's case the entering was highly profitable.

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS
Jean Day

The school opened again on January 10 after an extra week's holiday due to the blowing up of the furnace. During the holidays the furnace blew up but the cause has not yet been determined. A complete new furnace had to be installed. The pupils' spirits were dampened when they found out that the fine days they lost will have to be made up in June.

The basketball team played a game with the National Training School and won 20-25.

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