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Five cents

ListenerCommittee World Day Of Prayer For Better Radio

The Listener Committee for Better Radio was organized by a group of people who felt keenly that excellent broadcast material was available for listeners in this area, which nevertheless was not being put on the air for lack of commercial sponsors.

The Committee was convinced that given the opportunity, the listeners themselves would be willing to make it possible for such high class radio entertainment to be presented in this area by financing the cost themselves.

It felt particularly that the outstanding broadcasting material available to WCFM from the British Broadcasting Corporation should be brought to the radio audience. In view of the fact that programs originating from the BBC cannot be commercially sponsored, there were only two ways that these magnificent recordings could be put on the air; as sustaining programs, which WCFM could not afford to do or by raising enough money from private sources. WCFM has received, in the form of hundreds of letters and phone calls, and gratifying research reports, ample confirmation that Washington area people appreciate good programs. For a minimum of less than 25c

a week, that audience can secure for itself 52 Sunday afternoons of uninterrupted drama and music programs

The bulk of the series planned will be drama and music from the fabulous BBC Third Programme, Recordings from the Edinburgh International Festival and the for coming 1951 Festival of Britain, which opens May 3, will be included.

Fifteen thousand copies of a brochure will be mailed during the month of February.

The opening date for the series will be announced.

North End PTA Meets **To Discuss Television**

The North End PTA will hold its next regular meeting on Tuesday, February 13, at the North End School. The topic for the evening will be "Television-Yes or No". Herbert Hertz will give the point of view of the parents and Mrs. Charles Haegle will present that of the teachers on evaluation of what TV has to offer. Mrs. Wells n will lead the discussion

Greenbelt Protestant Women will

observe the World Day of Prayer, Friday, February 9 at 7:55 p.m. in the Sanctuary of the Greenbelt Community Church. A committee, composed of women from the Methodist and Community Churches, has planned the service which will follow closely that used throughout the world and which was written by German Christian women. After an organ prelude, a radio

address by Dr. Franklin Clarke Frye, nationally known Lutheran leader who has just returned from a survey of world relief conditions, will be heard, followed immediately at 8:30 p.m. by the prayer service.

Mrs. Richard Corbin, President of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church, will lead the worship assisted by Mrs. Wallace Nelson and Mrs. Otto Voigt of the Community Church. The soloist will be Mrs. Francis White of the Methodist Church and Mrs. Dan Neff of the Community Church will be at the organ.

Money received in the offering will go to the United Council of Church Women for their specific projects with the migrants, sharecroppers, American Indians and foreign students in this country as well as colleges in Japan. China and India.

The Greenbelt Service is one of five planned for Prince Georges County.

St. Hugh's Choir To Learn Gregorian Chant

The course and training in Gregorian chant being offered to members of St. Hugh's choir by Miss Merle Nolde, volunteer worker at the St. Peter Claver Interracial Center, has been resumed, according to Mrs. Thomas J. Callanan, director of the choir.

Three new members have joined the choir: Misses Joan Moore, Margaret Ann Zoellner and Mrs. Hugo Capotosto. Additional members are welcome, and are invited to attend regular rehearsal on Sunday morning at 10, in one of the classrooms of St. Hugh's school. The choir is now preparing for Holy Week services. Further information may be had by calling Mrs. Callanan at Greenbelt 4878.

Miss Nolde, who is instructing in Gregorian chant, has been trained in the Benedictine schools of Minnesota.

Public Safety Dep't. **Sponsors Boxing Show**

By E. DonBullian

In keeping with its policy of crime prevention, the Department of Public Safety is sponsoring the next Boys' Club Boxing Show, which has been scheduled for the night of February 17. There is no doubt that both the Police and Fire Departments are behind the Boys Club and its activities but the donation of the trophies for the show and the contribution of the Outstanding Boxer Award by Chief Panagoulis are concrete evidence of their support and cooperation. It is this type of cooperation that brings about a better understanding among the citizens of a community and its various departmental operations. Along these same lines the Boys Club has given the Rescue Squad the soft drink concession at its next show.

This second of a series of boxing shows by the Boys Club is expected to draw a capacity crowd. Those who did not attend the last show will certainly not want to miss this one, after hearing about it from their friends and neighbors. The prospects for an outstanding show seem very good, as the matchmakers have a larger array of talent to draw from, due to some of the clubs having a later opening date for their boxing season. Several of the more aggressive boxers in the last show have been rematched for this one. Aggressive boys who do not knew how to back up are the first choice in pairing contestants. This is one way of insuring fast, active bouts. Efforts

are being made to locate opponent for "Rocky" Lauterback, the KO artist from Berwyn.

Coach Pat Page has been working diligently with his boys and expects them to walk away with a majority of the trophies.

Drop-Inn Sweethearts To Be Chosen Saturday

By Ora Donoghue

Hearts and arrows, flowers and crowns will be in evidence this Saturday night at the teen-age center when the Drop-Inn members have their annual Sweetheart Dance.

A girl from both the Jr. and Sr. High membership will be chosen that night by the teen-agers attending the dance. The Jr. high boys will vote for only those girls in the 7th, 8th, and 9th grades, and the Sr. high boys will vote for the 10th, 11th, and 12th grade girls. The Sweetheart from the Jr. high group will be crowned with a floral crown, and the Sr. high Sweetheart will be wearing a jeweled tiarra which was purchased last year to be used annually by the seniors. The coronations will take place at 9:30, and will be followed by a half hour of entertainment which will include a tap dance by Miss Carlotta Roehling, several vocal selections by Ray Krug, and dances by Miss Bobbie Valentine who is Miss Roehling's instructor at the time, and is from Nicholson's Dance Studio in Washington. The Teen-agers will be dancing to the music of a free juke box, and will be able to purchase refreshments at the Snack Bar which has just reopened under the management of Roland Taylor and Jerry Brittingham. The dance is scheduled to begin at 8 and last until 12. All Drop-Inn members and their guests are invited to attend the dance so they may take part in selecting the Drop-Inn Sweethearts of 1951. Also an invitation is extended to all parents to drop in at any time during the evening.

City Buys Ambulance and Equipment; Donoghue Leaves Recreation Dept.

The Greenbelt city council voted to purchase the 1936 Buick ambulance from the Greenbelt Volunteer rescue squad at the council meeting last Monday night. The city will take possession of the spare ambulance by paying a note of \$575 and will loan the vehicle to the rescue squad for use as an auxiliary ambulance.

Prospects For GCS Board Of Directors The Elections Committee of

Greenbelt Consumers Services, headed by Hans Jorgensen, has announced a list of people who will run for election to the Board of Directors of GCS at the annual membership meeting on March 7. There is time until March 1 for further nominations of candidates.

The people who have been nominated to date are: Walter Bierwagen, Henry Walter, Eleanor Ritchie, Bob Mitchell, S. George Davidsen, Martin Bickford, Doris A. Mednick, Chester Tucker, Kenneth Tucker and Elsie Reeves.

Bierwagen is president of the current board and Walter is treasurer. Other board members who are running for reelection are Ritchie, Mitchell, and Davidsen. Bickford was elected by the board recently to fill the vacancy left by Paul Kasko's resignation.

Carnie Harper, one of the original organizers of GCS, with 10 years' board experience, will not run this year, nor will Carolyn R. Miller.

Names of candidates for election must be seconded by two members and submitted to the GCS office no later than March 1. Nomination forms may be secured at the GCS office located over the drug store.

First City Manager Moves To Alexandria

Tomorrow Greenbelt will lose another of its community minded families when Mr. and Mrs. James T. Gobbel and their son Jim Tom move to Alexandria, Virginia. Mr. Gobbel was the second Federal Manager for Greenbelt, coming here in October 1943, and serving in that capacity until July 1948, when Federal and Town functions were separated. He became first manager for the community of Greenbelt.

After leaving Greenbelt as manager, Mr. Gobbel served on a subcommittee for the House of Representatives, where he worked for the Expenditures Committee on the professional staff studying government operations. An important study of the government in housing was made, among others, and a report issued which received congressional commendation. Following this Mr. Gobbel was appointed Special Assistant to the Administrator of General Services, his present position. As a citizen of Greenbelt Mr. Gobbel took an active interest in the affairs of the Community, serving wherever he could to promote the interests of the City. For many years he taught the Men's Bible class of the Community Church. Mrs. Gobbel has been an active worker in the Sunday School and a member of the Fidelis Class, serving as its president for a time. In addition she served as president of the Woman's Club of Greenbelt for two years, as chairman of the Red Cross 1949 Fund Drive, and this past fall as block chairman for the school census. The Gobbels stated that they will always have an interest in the welfare of Greenbelt and hope their friends will come to see them at their new home at 704 West View Terrace in Alexandria.

A resuscitator and an inhalator will also be purchased by the city for the rescue squad's use, and the telephone system and ambulance insurance will be provided by the city. The total sum for equipment, telephone and insurance amounts to more than the \$1200 asked by the rescue squad to assure its continued operation.

Personal Property Tax Fails

An ordinance to tax the personal property of non-corporate businesses and professions in Greenbelt failed to come before the council when Councilman Steve Comings refused to present it for second reading. His refusal resulted from his unwillingness to vote for the ordinance; according to parliamentary procedure council members are obliged to vote for ordinances they present. Councilmen Thomas Canning and Comings stated that Fublic Housing Administration's arbitrary control over the budget was responsible for their abandonment of the tax proposal.

Canning expressed his regret at the personal property tax on corporate businesses in Greenbelt, stating "it is unfair to tax just one business in Greenbelt and to allow other local enterprises to escape. What is proper for one is proper for all."

Since the budget had already

approving and with PHA signed, council members felt that repeal of the tax at this time would be hazardous. Councilman Frank Lastner, who opposed the tax during its long consideration, expressed his regret that PHA's action did not come earlier.

Failure to enact last Monday's tax ordinance leaves the bowling alley, local doctors and dentists, and other professional residents free of personal property tax.

Ora Donoghue Resigns

The resignation of Ora Donoghue from the recreation department was discussed by the couneil, city-manager Charles T. Mc-Donald, and Ben Goldfaden, visitor at the meeting. Miss Donoghue's reason for leaving the department was stated as "too much evening work". Goldfaden inquired about the method of replacing Miss Donoghue, and asked whether the recreation department is functioning properly. "The recreation department is gradually going out of business", he stated. "It seems to be getting smaller, and the need is still great". Mayor Elizabeth Harrington commended Miss Donoghue on the "magnificent job in Greenbelt" she has performed, and termed her a "valuable person". Steve Comings proposed that the city-manager explore the possibilities of retaining Miss Donoghue, perhaps by changing her hours. McDonald stated that the recreation work in Greenbelt is all "after hours" work, and a considerable portion, of Miss Donoghue's time was spent preparing and organizing special community events. A new system of providing recreation employees on a part-time basis will be started soon, McDonald said. Goldfaden replied that his experience in recreation work showed there was little value in part-time work; recreation employees should be well integrated in the recreation program. He proposed that the department be brought up to full strength with the hiring of two additional employees

that is to follow. Refreshments will be served.

Homemakers Celebrate First Birthday Friday

The Homemakers' Club will celebrate their first birthday on Friday, February 9 at 8 p. m. in the Social Room at Center School.

Mrs. Mignon Holfert, cake specialist from Washington, will be on hand to teach fancy cake decorations.

Mrs. Jessie Ard, who attended the Food School at the County Office, will report on the classes and distribute several tasty recipes.

Refreshments will be served.

Library Hours Attractive

City manager, Charles T. Mc-Donald announces that the new library hours are proving attractive to many patrons.

The library is now open on Moncays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 1 to 9 p.m. Many Greenbelters, especially high school students, are availing themselves of this opportunity to use the library during the dinner hours.

School Days

The March of Dimes campaign conducted in the Greenbelt schools netted \$35 for the high school and \$88.66 for the Center school.

Tardiness among students in the Center school has grown to such huge proportions that notes are being sent to parents regarding this matter. Mrs. Elizabeth Fugitt, principal, feels that steps should be taken to remedy this situation. and she is requesting the earnest cooperation of all parents. Greenbelt schools have a very high rate of tardiness, higher than other schools in the county. It is up to the parents to see that the children rise on time and get to school on time.

The County Chorus, composed of the best voices in the various high schools in Prince Georges County, held a recital Friday, Febmary 2. It was conducted by John Raymond of Lafavette College and the Fred Waring workshop. Janice Anzulovic of Greenbelt High sang a solo.

Greenbelt High seniors are plan-See SCHOOL DAYS page 3

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GREENBELT COOPERATOR Notes and Notices AN INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER

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2. To serve the best interests of the cooperative movement.

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False Economy

The Recreation Department will lose one of its most valuable employees on February 15 when Ora Donoghue leaves to take a secretarial job-with regular hours. Ora has done an outstanding job, has won the love and respect of those she worked with, and will be sadly missed.

We surely can find no fault with Ora for leaving so important a job under difficult circumstances, but we strongly condemn that policy which forced her to do so. The city Council has publicly acknowledged that its so called economy, which saved approximately \$12,000 last year, was neither wise nor beneficial in view of PHA's attitude on the expenditure of funds. Yet it is impossible to pay an employee for long hours of overtime on so vital a job! It is impossible to supplement a full time trained worker with part time help. Instead, the full time worker is being replaced entirely with part time help. Is this more of our false economy?

Now more than ever, our youth need the wise counseling of trained workers. Now, more than ever, we should do everything possible to provide them with a well rounded program of activities, which can be administered only by trained workers. What manner of reasoning is it that discounts the importance of this job and tries to economize at the expense of Greenbelt's youth.

Council, which has more than once demonstrated its ability to deal with matters intelligently and wisely, should examine this one carefully, since City Manager McDonald evidently has not!

Information Program

A recently published report entitled "Educational Practices of Farmer Cooperatives" tells how cooperatives use at least a dozen major devices and mediums to build and maintain good relations with their members and the public. The 237 reporting organizations rated annual meetings and personal contacts about equally important. Ranking next were monthly publications, local discussion groups, circular letters, and periodical reports. Then came radio programs and all-family programs.

In addition to the above, cooperatives replied that they were attacking the problem in various other ways. Leading this supplementary list were educational meetings, courteous and efficient employees, motion pictures and film strips, member participation, publications, educational tours, market news services social events, and interagency relations. Used to a lesser extent were special contests and awards, women and youth programs, magazine and newspaper articles, and educational type advertisements.

In fully half the associations reporting, the manager takes the major responsibility for this type of work. In the remaining associations, some other official, a public relations employee, an educational or editorial employee or a field worker does this job.

Sarah Gelberg 8511

In times like these, it is encouraging to learn that in our area we have four Greenbelt residents who have given freely and voluntarily of their time to complete satisfactorily a series of Red Cross courses which have resulted in their receiving certificates rendering them full-fledged Red Cross workers of the Prince Georges County Chapter. They are: Mrs. Janice Derby, 1-D Laurel Hill; Mrs. Pauline Trattler, 1-H Southway; Mrs. Cyrilla O'Connor, 15-B Parkway; and Mr. Raymond T. Kerlin, 22-E Hillside, who has the distinction of being the second man in the county to be certificated. The courses included: First-Aid, Motor Mechanics, Orientation in the Procedures, and Red Cross History.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Rex Bly, and daughter, Martha, formerly of 5-H Gardenway, extend a welcome greeting to all their friends who wish to visit them at their new home in Wheaton, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vogel and children, 10-H Southway, are enjoying an extended visit from Mrs. Vogel's sister, Mrs. Joseph Schwartz of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Lanny Leforte, five years old, of 16-Y Ridge, had his tonsils rerioved Friday, February 2, at Leland Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Fishbein, 8-D Laurel Hill, announce the birth of their second child, Susan Leslie. on January 25, weighing 9 lbs. 3 ozs. They have a son, David, two.

Mr. and Mrs. William Goodall, 56-B Ridge, announce the birth of a son, William Howard, on January 21, weighing 7 lbs. 51/4 ozs.

On Saturday, February 3, Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Dove, and their sons, Bill and Bob, moved to University Park, Md. The Doves formerly occupied 6-M Hillside.

Mr. Daniel J. Neff, 3-D Ridge, returned home from Leland Memorial Hospital on Monday, February 5, after having undergone an operation January 29.

A surprise farewell party for Mrs. William Cohn, 12-C Ridge, was given at the home of Mrs. Charles Slaugh, 9-D Ridge, on Tuesday evening, February 6, with Mrs. Paul Kasko, 9-G Ridge, as co-hos-The Cohus will be making their new home at Wheaton, Md. Mrs. Cohn has been active in the P.T.A. and in the Homemaker's Club. She was presented with a lovely mahogany hanging shelf.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bogan, 3-E Research, announce the engagement of their son, Arnold, to Miss Leila Drezner of Albany, N. Y. Arnold is a former pilot in the U. S. Air Force, and a graduate of Maryland University. Miss Drezner teaches at the Ellenville High School in N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Marcus, 44-D Ridge, announce the marriage of their daughter, Lucille Kalvass, to Mr. Richard Coulter, Jr., which took place Friday evening, February 2, at the Greenbelt Community Church. The ceremony was performed bp Reverend Braund. Mr. Coulter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Coulter, Sr., of Hillton Manor, Cheverly, and are formerly of Greenbelt. The newlyweds will take up residence in Cheverly. Bobby Newman, 4-B Laurel Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Newman, celebrated his first birthday February 1 with a party for his young friends. His grandmother, Mrs. John Newman, and uncle, Elenry Newman, are visiting from Moline, Ill. Anther house guest is Miss Vivian Johanson, a friend of the tamily, who is on her way home to Sweden. Mrs. Alice Lewis Smith, 9-E Ridge, and Mr. William J. Dluehosh, 5015 Emerson Road, Hyattsville, were married on Thursday, January 25, in the Community Church with Reverend Eric T. Braund officiating. Mrs. Dluchosh is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Lewis of Gloucester, Va. Mr. Dluehosh is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Dluehosh of Pittsburgh, Pa. After the ceremony, the couple left for a trip to Virginia.

DOLLARS & SENSE By Morris J. Solomon

SKIM MILK - A MONEY SAVER (Continued from last week)

How To Mix It: Try this for a starter. Add and mix 34 cup of skim milk powder with about 4 cups of water using an egg beater or electric mixer. If it seems too sweet for your taste add a little water. If you prefer a stronger taste you can cut down on the amount of water slightly in the next batch. Heed a word of caution: warm up the water to room temperature before trying to mix. Very cold water (such as comes out of the faucet this time of the year) makes it difficult to mix.

How to Introduce Skim Milk To Your Family: Any novelty, no matter how meritorious, can be rejected by your family just because it is new. Be careful how you introduce it to your family. Above all, the grown-ups in the family should accept it before it is introduced as a routine food. A casual remark by an adult can "queer" skim milk for a long time. The particular method you choose would depend on the age of your children and the way your family operates. Basically there are two approaches:

APPROACH 1 - Through the front door. This method works especially well with adults, teen agers and toddlers. If the family ordinarily operates that way, the proposition can be presented and a mutual decision can be made. With teen agers and adults, the matter can be presented in terms of different ways of spending the family income. With toddlers you just serve "milk" without comment and that is all there is to it (especially if you catch them young enough).

APPROACH 2 - Through the back door. If your family is fussy you can add liquid skim milk to whole milk, starting out with a small proportion and building up the proportion until it is all skim You can make delicious milk. chocolate milk by adding chocolate syrup to skim milk. You can add skim milk powder dry to cakes, pancake mix, puddings, soups and other dishes. But the payoff is in substituting skim milk for whole milk for drinking.

How To Mix And Store A Week's Supply Of Fluid Skim Milk: Get 5 or 6 half gallon milk bottles. High's Dairy Stores sell milk and buttermilk in bottles of that size. Other equipment you need is a large funnel, a wire sieve that fits snugly into the funnel, and an egg beater or electric beater. Place the funnel in the neck of a bottle. Put 3 cups skim milk powder in about a quart of water and mix. Pour through the sieve and funnel into the bottle. Repeat for all the bottles but one. For the last bottle, use regular proportions. That one will be ready to drink. Store the other bottles (covered) in the refrigerator up to a week. Since skim milk powder is almost germ free, it will not spoil. When you finish the ready to drink bottle, you pour half of the contents of a concentrated bottle into the empty bottle, fill up both bottles with water and you have four quarts of ready to drink skim milk. Miscellaneous: You Can't Beat This Buy.-2 lb. jar of Coop Peanut Butter for 69c. The Coop has display of 3 foods that every homemaker should try to fit into the family diet; wheat germ, black strap molasses, and brewers yeast. These foods can perk up a diet. Wheat germ is the easiest to introduce. (This column will discuss these foods at some future date) Coop is doing very badly on canned corn according to the latest tests of Consumers Union. Coop Red Label Creamed Corn (2 out of 6 samples) had a scorched flavor. Coop Green Label (3 out of 5 samples) had a very musty flavor. Both were considered not acceptable. In whole kernel, Red Label Grade A was found to be Grade B.



ST. HƯGH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH Rev. Victor J. Dowgiallo, Pastor Greenbelt 5911

Saturday: Confessions, 3 to 5:30 p.m. for children, 7 to 9:30 for adults.

Sunday: Masses, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 11 a.m. This Sunday is Holy Communion Sunday for members of the Holy Name Society at the 7:30 Mass. Religious instructions for children attending public schools after the 8:30 Mass. Nursery care for children of parents attending the 11 a.m. Mass.

Wednesday: Lenten services, consisting of Stations of the Cross, novena services and Benediction, at 8 p.m. Stations of the Cross in the afternoons at 2 p.m.

COMMUNITY CHURCH PROTESTANT Ministers:

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Thursday, February 8 - 7 p.m., St. Cecelia choir. 8 p.m., Cloister choir.

Friday, February 9 - 7:55 p.m., World Day of Prayer service and radio broadcast in cooperation with the Methodist women.

Sunday, February 11 - Fist Sunday in Lent. Church worship at 8:45 a.m. and 11 a.m. The Boy Scouts of Greenbelt will be guests at the 11 a.m. service. Sunday School at 8:45, 9:50 and 11 a.m. The Board of Deacons will meet in the church office at 8 p.m.

Monday, February 12 - 8:15 p.m., The Evening Guild meets in the church office.

Wednesday, February 14 - 7:30-8.15 p.m., Lenten service in the church sanctuary. 8:15 p.m., Senior choir rehearsal.

Thursday, February 15 - 1:30 p.m., Women's Lenten study group in the hurch sanctuary 2:15 na

Women's discussion group meeting at the home of Mrs. Harley Mimura, 4-H Hillside Road.

GREENBELT LUTHERAN CHURCH Edwin E. Pieplow, Pastor Phone WArfield 0942

Thursday, February 8 - Choir meets for rehearsal at the home of Mrs. Holien, 2-F Plateau Place, 8 p.m.

Friday, February 9 - Lydia Guild meets at the home of Mrs. Ray Carriere, 12-B Plateau Place, at 8 p.m.

Sunday, February 11 - Sunday School and adult Bible class, 9:45 a.m. Regular Church services, 11 a.m. Installation services for Mr. Seevers at 4:30 p.m. to be held in the auditorium of Trinity Lutheran The school children School participate. A luncheon will be served after the service, in the cateteria, for a nominal sum.

In all cases, however, it is the responsibility of the board, elected by the members, to initiate a positive information and educational program and to see that it is carried out. And in cases where membership interest and participation is lacking, the blame can be traced directly to the elected board, for having failed to provide the necessary impetus for such a program. No cooperative can long exist and remain a true cooperative, without an active and informed membership.

An Unnecessary Evil

Car-pool extortion is running rampant in our city. Citizens are being victimized by their own neighbors; another insidiuos evil of inflation.

Because public transportation costs have skyrocketed, some car-pool operators have developed a kind of hydromatic greed. Rates for riders have risen in the past year as much as 100 percent.

The majority of passengers have been squeezed in the pincers of rising living costs so that their dependence on car-pool transportation is acute. Unable to purchase a car, or maintain one; reluctant to submit to the high costs of public transportation; the car-pool riders accepted the hospitality of the more fortunate. Instead of accepting a fee representing an ample token of appreciation (as was originally intended), car-pool drivers are demanding payment of sums from individual passengers that would cover the expenses of the vehicle for the entire week! Every additional passenger becomes gravy.

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Mrs. Francis M. Wigger, formerly of Greenbelt, and now living in Colorado Springs, Colorado, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Woodburn, 10-M Southway.

THANKS

Received a nice letter from the family of Mrs. Elsie MacMullen expressing the wish to extend thanks to their many friends for kindness and sympathy during their recent bereavement.

MRS. AITCHESON

Tuesday, February 18 - Confirmation class at the Roberts' home, 37-E Ridge Road at 4 p.m.

Wednesday and Thursday, February 14 and 15 - Lenten services at the Mt. Rainier Church on Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m. and at the Hyattsville Lutheran Church on Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. Anyone wishing transportation on either night be at the bank corner at 7 p.m.

HEBREW SERVICES

Morris A. Sandhaus, Rabbi Greenbelt 4493

Friday, February 9 - Services will he held in the social room of the community building at 8:30 p.m. Candlelighting 5:15 p.m. Portion of the Week - Terumah. Sermon Topic - "Tithis". Note new telephone number.

The largest encampment in the Western Hemisphere was held in 1950 when 47,163 Boy Scouts and leaders held the National Jamboree at Valley Forge, Pa.

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SCHOOL DAYS from page 1 ning a musical variety show which will be given on March 8 and 9 in the Center school auditorium. The show, which will be patriotic in theme, will present every type of music, including jazz, hillbilly and classical.

There are 692,325 adults serving in the Boy Scouts of America as voiunteer leaders.

Since 1910, more than 17,750,000 American boys and men were active in the Boy Scouts of America.



With beef so high in price, it's a good time to point out that there are a number of non-meat foods on the market that contain large quantities of protein and are therefore good meat substitutes.

Co-op Commentary

All grains contain protein and significant quantities are to be had from cereals and bread. Dried beans of all kinds and soy beans in particular are high in proteins. PVM bread with its soy flour content, plus the vitamins and minerals from wheat germ and milk solids, is a good meat substitute.

The cheeses, of course, are high in protein and relatively reasonable in cost.

Blackstrap molasses, Brewers yeast, Yogurt, skim milk powder, wheat germ and soya products are all products with special food values. The Co-op supermarket is featuring a special display of some of these so-called "health foods." Look it over when you have a chance. The other items are scattered around the store in their usual places.

The first program of the "Takoma on the Air" series was presented last week by the Prince Georges Joint Committee of Citizens Associations. It was well received and we have had several enthusiastic comments since. This evening the Hampshire Greens Citizens Association will present a panel discussion at 7:45. The programs are set for Thursday evenings over the Cooperative Radio Station WCFM, 99.5 on your FM dial.

At the end of the first week in his new office in the barber shop. Farm Bureau representative, Tony Madden, reports that he is very pleased with his new office, and particularly with the number of new people who have stopped in to see him during the week. It seems that a number of people in Greenbelt and the surrounding area had been thinking about insurance for some time. We have also had comments from some of our patrons who are pleased to have an insurance office located conveniently in a central spot.

The notice of annual meeting is going out to G.C.S. members this week. Included in the mailing is a form for nominating board members. The complete panel of nine members is elected at the annual meeting. It is important that all members give thought to selecting members to represent them on the board thru the coming year.

Shoe store manager Clyde Du-

Your Income Tax

There are three types of returns for reporting your income:-Form 1040A

Long-form 1040

Short-form 1040 Form 1040A is the easiest of the

three types of returns to use. To fill it out, you merely answer the printed questions, fill in your name, marital or single status, income and exemptions, sign it, attach to the form all withholding statements (Form W-2) and the machine processing card if you received one, and mail. The collector computes your tax, he chooses the method which results in the smaller tax. Husband and wife may use Form 1040A as a joint return, if their combined income consists solely of wages, dividends and interest totaling less than \$5,000, if not more than \$100 of the \$5000 has not been subject to withholding. Form 1040A cannot be used if either the husband or wife itemizes deductions. Thus, if one spouse uses Form 1040 and itemize the deductions, the other spouse must use Form 1040.

Short-form 1040 is primarily for incomes of less than \$5000 that include income in excess of \$100 that is not subject to withholding and who do not want to itemize nonbusiness deductions such as contributions, interest, and other kinds of deductions which the taxpayer may list on the long-form 1040. 'To fill out a short-form 1040, enter all the information requested. Show the exemptions claimed, the employer's name, the income received from each employer, the amount of tax withheld and other income. Enter on page 1 all the information called for in items 1 to 5. Then enter the total adjusted gross income (the sum of items 2, 3, and, 5) on item 6. Then, turn to the table on the back of the form. Locate the tax and enter it in item 7. You can now tear off the tax table, leaving only a one-page return. Complete the return by giving the required information on the back and at the bottom of page 1. (Tax. payers who claim business deductions must use the schedule on page 2 of the return.) Husband and wife may file a joint return on short-form 1040 if their combined adjusted gross income is less than \$5000. They may also file separate returns on short form 1040. But if one itemizes deductions, so must the other. In such a case neither may use the tax table.

Long-form 1040 must be used when you wish to itemize all deductions and also when adjusted gross income is \$5000 or more, which requires the computation of your tax by means of the detailed tax computation on page 3. When adjusted gross income is \$5000 or more the standard deduction, in lieu of itemizing, is \$500. If the taxpayers are a married couple filing a joint return, the standard deduction is also equal to 10 percent of the adjusted gross income but

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EDITORIAL—from page 2

What began as a gesture of neighborliness and good will has developed into crass commercialism. In many instances, new cars have been financed entirely by the revenue from car-pool passengers!

A species of the caste system has developed; the "haves" and the "have-nots". Some drivers are power drunk (100 horses). Their passengers' dependence upon them has bred lack of consideration, and in some cases, abuse.

There is no reason for any car-pool operator to charge his passengers more than a proportionate share of the expense to operate the automobile to and from employment. The driver must use his car to get to work anyway. The inconvenience of picking, up and discharging passengers is purely a gesture of courtesy and cannot rightfully be interpreted as anything else. To be "paid" for this courtesy violates every code of etiquette.

It is time for car-pool operators to re-examine their position in our community life. They are necessary, but needn't be evil.



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THE FOUL LINE By Paul Runnion

The Scouting Trail Duck-Pin Doin's

Dear Buddy:

At last a consolidated "Board of Review" for the scouts of Greenbelt! The first one was held on January 30, in the Greenbelt Athletic Club. The board consisted of E. J. Swisher, Institutional representative of Troop 229, who acted as chairman; Curtis Barker, Institutional representative of Troop 202, Charles McDonald, member of board of Troop 229, and Stanley Edwards, member of board of Troop 202.

The following boys passed their tests: Lewis Oring for 1st class, Troop 229; Lee Shields, Jerry Mc-Donald, Carrol Barcus, for 2nd class, Troop 229; Kenneth Hertz, Joe Donellan, Stanley Edwards, Curtis Barker, for 2nd class, Troop 202.

The next "Board of Review" will be held on March 1, at the meeting of Troop 229 at Community Church. Parents of boys going before the board are invited to attend and watch their sons advance in rank.

At 229's troop meeting, Scoutmaster Dick White announced that the dates for camp for this year are July 30 to August T1, inclusive. The registration fee for boys in 229 is \$2. This must be paid by February 28. The total cost for two weeks camp is \$26.. The balance above the registration fee can be paid in installments up until camp time. The first 30 boys to signify their desire to go by bringing their registration fees will fill the quota allowed Troop 229. Think it over, parents, and put the boys to work earning their money to go to camp.

On February 1, Troop 202 was honored by the presence of Theron Thompkins, Professor of Camping administration at the University of Maryland. He showed colored film of camping trips he and his wife had taken through the Rocky Mountains and the National Parks. A very thrilling sight for the boys, who had never seen the mountains in their natural color. Mr. Thompkins is one of the foremost campers in the east and we certainly

are privileged to have such a person living so close and willing to help us teach camping skills to our scouts.

At this writing we have sold 110 tickets to our Father and Son banquet to be held on February 8, at 7 p.m. in the basement of the Community Church. Not a bad start for the swell dinner and program to come. Bill Werber is to be the speaker and we hope all the boys can get their dads and be present. Next week we will tell you all about it.

Important, Cubs! Don't forget the combined Pot-luck Dinner February 16. 229 Cubs are sure working. Bob Phelps, pack chairman, announces the following awards at last pack meeting; Fred Slaugh. silver arrow for lion and graduating into Troop 202; Brent Barker, and gold arrow for Bear hadg bear; Robert Chittenden, bear hadge; Jimmy Krouse and Nevil Phelps, bear badge and gold arrow for bear; David Reuben and Leo Rosenthal, bear badge and gold and two silver arrows for bear; Robert Dolgoff, wolf badge; Paul Greene, silver arrow for wolf; Richard Ringel, gold and silver arrow for wolf. New bobcats are Bernard Emmert, Nolan Miller and Gilbert Salzman. National Boy Scout week is here February 6 to 12 inclusive. Wear your uniforms to school and above all go to church this weekend in uniform Special scout services are being held for all faiths at the Washington National Cathedral at 4 p.m. on Sunday, February 11. A very colorful affair. Why don't you boys get a party of buddys and attend in uniform? Well, more news next week about your senior, scout, and cub activities; read your scouting trail. News to be published should be forwarded to 14-T Ridge no later than Monday night of each week so as to meet the deadline.

Highlight of the past week's GAC Men's Bowling League tourney was the upset suffered by G. Bauer's Credit Union team thru the efforts of Al Knott's Lucky-5, defeating the C.U. team 3 games, and resulting in a drop to 3rd place in league rank for the all-season high team. A newcomer to F. Bauer's Bums team provided another upset in the

person of Rowell (rolling a 132-121-123 set) which helped boost the Bums into 1st place. Ben Berkofsky's Misfits nosed out Joe Thompson's Cliffdwellers 2 rames with a high 1541 set but da

games with a high 1541 set, but despite the 2-game loss, the Cliffdwellers managed to move up into 2nd place in the league. Other team standings to date

are: 4th place - Lucky-5; 5th - 8-Ballers; 6th - Comets; 7th - Rescue Squad; 8th - Bluedevils; 9th - Mislits; and 10th - Northend.

Individual leaders are: M-Average, Rowell 125.1; H-Spares, F. Bauer 82; H-Strikes, Morgan 22; H-Set, F. Bauer, 378; and H-Game, Falten 157.

Children's Theatre Debut On WTOP

Children's stories narrated by top motion picture stars will be broadcast each week over WTOP in a show designed for children. "Children's Theatre" will be heard at 9:30-10 a.m. Sunday morning beginning February 11.

Gene Kelly, narrating "Little Red Riding Hood"; "Fairy Tale" by James Thurber; "Peter Pan" from the stage play with Jean Arthur and Boris Karloff are among the records to be heard on "Children's Theatre." Ray Bolger's delightful story about a "Churkendoose," a strange animal, partly chicken, turkey, and goose, will also be featured later on the programs.

Dick Powell will produce "Children's 'Theatre."

RIDES AND RIDERS

RIDE WANTED, vicinity 10th and K N.W. Hours 9 to 5:30. Call 7597. RIDE WANTED every Wednesday or Friday at 10:45 p.m. from 19th and F N.W. Call 4536.

RIDE WANTED to Independence and 3rd S.W. Leave Greenbelt 7:30 and leave Washington 5. Call 4836. RIDE WANTED to N. Capitol and H (G.P.O.) Leave Greenbelt 6:45, leave GPO 4:30. Call 8402 between 6 and 7 p.m. By Paul Runnion Co-op: Inclement weather forced a cancellation of the Co-op's game last week. There has been a change of opponents for Saturday night's came at Crossible Co-operations of the second

game at Greenbelt. Co-op will play the Carrol K of C instead of the State Department team. Included on the roster of the K of C is "Round Richie" Brown, of the Mt. Rainier softball team, and who many fans will remember as one of the outstanding catchers in the Greenbelt night softball league. Richie specializes in long set shots, and has an excellent percentage in shots made.

Lions: The Lions added two victories to their string last week, and are now sporting a 12 won against 4 lost record; a win over Prince Georges Athletic Club Friday night will insure the Lions of holding their P.G. County YMCA title again this year. Among the Lions slated to see plenty of action in the Community gym this Saturday against the Washington Gas Co. are Ted Fox, Harry Benefiel, Pete Cookson, Rene Ward, Sid Graybeal, and John Littleton.

Odds-'n-ends: Co-coach Suessle of the Co-op team heading for Florida with his father for a three week vacation . . . were the Co-op boys that tough on him? . . . his co-coach wishing he were with him so he could hunt for a redhead !! . . . Ward's wedding date is now February 22 . . . watch this column for latest news flashes . . . exams over at U. of Md. and many of the Lions and Co-op members breathing easier . . . Stan Provost rounding back into shape after being sidelined for three weeks with a bad finger . . . Johnny Teel play-ing swell ball in his first year with the Lions, and asking everyone he meets what they know about the 18 year-old draft situation . . . Bob Plackett showing marked improvement with the Co-op team . . . see you at the gym Saturday night, February 10, for the Co-op and Lions double-header.

Unversity Women Meet The College Park Branch of the

American Association of University Women will hold its meeting on February 12, at 8 p.m. in the Maryland Room, University of Maryland.

The speaker for the evening will be Mr. Temple Jarrell, his subject being "How we can support and extend a County Recreational Program". The ceramics class will nuve a display of their work and Miss Wilberta Oleson, accompanied by Miss Melissa Phillips will give several concert solos.

Boys Club Activities

By Lee

The Senior Basketball team continued its winning ways by defeating Berwyn in the County League last Thursday: Greenbelt 39, Berwyn 38, in a hard-fought game. High scorer for Greenbelt was Marty Loftus with 13 points, and Johnny Teel with 10 points. High scorer for Berwyn, Dale Bennet with 14 points. The Juniors lost another close one Wednesday, January 31, to Berwyn Juniors-Berwyn 28, Greenbelt 24. Mike Cockill was high scorer for Greenbelt with 8 points. The Midgets remain undefeated in the County by defeating Green Meadows Saturday by the one-sided score of Greenbelt 68, Green Meadows 22. High scorers were Fred Comings 16 points, Mike Canning 12, and Melvin Melloy 10.

The 80-lb. team, 90-lb. team and 120-lb. team visited the Georgetown Boys Club Friday evening, February 2nd. The 80-lb. team lost to Georgetown 48 to 8; the 90-lb. team lost to Georgetown by a closer score—35 to 28; the 120-lb team defeated Georgetown by a very close one, 30 to 29.

Saturday, February 3, the 120-lb. team defeated Merrick Boys Club in Washington, 27 to 22. Considering all games played, the boys had a very good week.

Games this week which take place after the Cooperator comes out are as follows: the 80- and 90lb. teams travel over to Washington, D. C., and play Eastern Branch Friday evening, February 9. The Juniors play St. Ambrose here in the Center school Friday evening. The Seniors and Midgets play here Saturday morning, Midgets at 10 a.m., and Seniors at 11 a.m.

COUNCIL from page 1 Edmonston Road Work

The anticipated widening of Edmonston road still occupies the attention of community leaders bordering the road, according to Frank Lastner. In the past, Lastner has been attending meetings with such groups. His report to the council concerning the last such meeting disclosed that surveyors have been active on the road and the widening is still proposed. Another letter will be sent to the State Roads Commission by the civic group asking for further particulars.

Consideration of the minutes at the start of the meeting disclosed one typographical error. "Payments in lieu of axes" was corrected to "payments in lieu of taxes".





For full information contact your nearest VETERANS ADMINISTRATION Office



By Stan Huff

Scoutingly, your TRAIL BOSS

RIDERS or CAR POOL wanted to 7th and D. S.W. Hours 8:30 to 5. Call 7821. MAKE SURE YOU SAVE ALL CASH REGISTER RECEIPTS FROM EVERY PURCHASE YOU MAKE IN YOUR CO-OP STORES & SERVICES. EVERY ONE OF THEM IS GOOD FOR YOUR PATRONAGE REFUND.

IT HAS JUST BEEN ANNOUNCED THAT THE REFUND ON LAST YEAR'S PUR-CHASES WILL BE 2.1% THIS MEANS THAT THE AVERAGE SHOPPER WHO WISE-LY SAVED AND TURNED IN HIS 1950 CO-OP RECEIPTS WILL SOON GET A REFUND LARGE ENOUGH TO PAY FOR A WHOLE WEEK'S GROCERIES. THIS IS ONE OF THE ADVANTAGES OF SHOPPING CO-OP.

START NOW TO SAVE EVERY RECEIPT YOU GET THIS YEAR.

