—Black suicide

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and piercing instruments, jumping from high places and other unspecified means.

Rose Marie Martin, from the State Health Department, said, women, in general, tend to use less "violent" methods for suicide attempts, such as poisons and the cutting of the wrists.

According to a psychologist, Dr. Eqya Quaison - Sackey, women attempt suicides 3 times more than men but men succeed 3 times more often than women.

Dr. Sackey said black men and women are continuously under pressure in a racist society and are easily pushed over the edge.

Whereas the release of pressure has traditionally been exhibited through the use of drugs and violence extended on a second person, the cause for a high homicide rate in the black community, Dr. Sackey said, a new alarming pattern of suicides has been occurring in recent years.

But the entire black community, in general, is under a new kind of pressure, Dr. Sackey said, caused by the dissolutionment of the Civil Rights Movement in the 1960's and of America's ever growing conservative mood and its trend toward resegregation.

Dr. Sackey alludes to the idea of the deferred dream experienced by blacks in America which has somewhat reached a climax, as the cause for the growing suicide rate.

In Maryland statistics from 1980 to 1985 show an almost stable suicide rate among blacks in Baltimore. In 1980, 54 black males committed suicide along with 10 females.

In 1983 there was a total of 77 black suicide deaths. 62 were males, 15 were females.

In 1985 47 black men and 9 black women died from suicide deaths.

Lewis' sister, Shandra, 31, with whom he lived along with her 2 children said there were no signs to suggest Carl's suicidal behavior, but he was very depressed about a relationship with a woman that wasn't going well.

"I can't handle love," she remembered her brother saying. He worked as a dishwasher at the Blue Sky restaurant in downtown Baltimore.

He had called all his brothers and sisters and told them each he loved them. Before he left his sister's house in the Gilmore Housing Projects, he had returned the ring she had given him. Shandra said after she had received a call from his best friend, whom Carl had contacted to say he loved him and to share his intentions, she began looking for evidence. After she found the ring she began searching for Carl.

He had stopped by his mother's house. She lived across from Druid Hill Park. Mrs. Juanita Contee, Lewis' mother, said he had asked her for $5.

She said she told him she did not have it, except in pennies. He accepted, hugged her from behind, told her he loved her and disappeared about 9:01 that morning.

He was found hanging from a tree branch in Druid Hill Park about 10 a.m. on Wednesday, March 11.

And although his family could not identify the signs, Dr. Sackey said they are usually, but not always there.

Dr. Sackey said, "anything that suggests depression is a sign." Others are expressing ideas of hopelessness, decrease in appetite and weight loss, sometimes an unusual increase in appetite, too, decrease in energy, difficulty sleeping, loss of sex drive, giving away prize possessions, writing of a will, and increase in the use of alcohol and drugs.

According to Dr. Sackey, people who contemplate suicide are under a lot of pressure, occurring from a combination of problems.

There is always one final incident, the "last straw," however, according to Dr. Sackey. The loss of a loved one, through death, divorce or separation increases the risk, he said.

Dr. Sackey suggests that persons exhibiting suicidal signs be taken to seek professional help.

For those persons who refuse to seek help, he suggests that family members file an emergency petition with the police department, at which time police will forceably take that person to an emergency room for psychiatric care.

—Leeds

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name be resubmitted as one of ten commissioners on the quasi-judicial panel, which routinely settles injury disputes between employers and their employees.

"I think that not having to go the legal route, but instead through Mike's leadership in a conciliatory manner was the right way to go," said Leeds, who added that it caused the least amount of rancor.

Initially appointed during former Gov. Hughes' administration, Leeds left his law practice to assume a vacancy created when former commissioner, Clement R. Mercaldo, retired during his term that was not scheduled to expire until 1991.

Letters of recommendation poured into Gov. Hughes' office, urging the appointment from the likes of Alice Pinderhughes, city school superintendent; Judge Robert Watts, former Judge Milton Allen, Rev. Vernon Dobson, pastor of Union Baptist Church and a variety of community leadership.

The same enthusiastic support did not desert him while he awaited Gov. Schaefer's decision. During this time, Leeds received personal letters of unsolicited support from workers, employees and attorneys on both sides of the fence.

Sen. Mitchell called Leeds a "beacon" in the area of protecting the worker, both black and white, to make sure there was a fair, just and speedy resolution of the issues.

Baltimore attorney, Milton C. Allen, said simply and succinctly, "he's excellent."

Leeds' voice takes on a serious tone when he describes the problem many blacks experience, once they are injured on the job. "Obviously, those blacks low on the economic ladder find it very difficult to live because they don't have the means to pay the rent, buy food or pay doctor bills," he said.

Commenting on legislation currently before the Senate, which among other things would scale back the benefits for workers who have minor permanent partial disabilities, Leeds said, "This means that instead of getting $109 a week, you might get $81 weekly."

But he said the law is designed to protect against the high number of small claims and in the long run will actually benefit those workers who are more seriously injured because those people will get more beneffits than they did under the old structure.

The Workmen's Compensation Commission is one of the busier commissions. About 170,000 cases are reported by employers on an annual basis. Approximately 41,000 claims are submitted by the employees, and of these numbers, about 15-20 percent of the cases are litigated.

—Constant Care

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which adversely affected Constant Care.

Constant Care has been providing ambulatory care for patients in west Baltimore since 1968 and in east Baltimore and Prince George's County later in its history.

Officials at the HMO said that it has a sizeable pre-paid population and a cash paying patient population that has sizeable growth potential. It has a proven track record and is gaining an expanding middle-class patient base according to Constant Care officials.

The HMO is up against a fundraising deadline of April 10.

Individuals or groups interested in contributing to Constant Care can call the center at 383-8300.

—Banks

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up."

Tom Chalkley, of the MARI, said the current influx of out-of-state banks that are gobbling up smaller Maryland institutions will "only worsen the lending situation. The burden is going to fall on the state and it's going to weaken our economy in general."

The report was released as the House Economic Matters Committee began hearing testimony on a bill, sponsored by Delegate Kenneth Montague, D.-Baltimore and president of Baltimore Neighborhoods Inc., to require out-of-state bank holding companies to invest at least 0.2 percent of their Maryland assets in certain targeted areas.

The study, prepared by Anne Shlay, a sociologist at the Institute for Policy Studies at Johns Hopkins University, used information made public under the federal Home Mortgage Disclosure Act. Shlay also has researched mortgage lending patterns in Washington, D.C. and Chicago.

The report found large volumes of loans flowed to the suburbs and "gentrifying" areas — neighborhoods being transformed from working class to middle class — of Baltimore, while the majority of Baltimore's black neighborhoods received small volumes of mortgages.

Lending to blacks fell behind lending to whites even when data was controlled to screen out market factors, such as income levels, property values and vacancy rates, Shlay said.

"Areas with blacks of low income got less lending than areas of whites with low income," she said before the hearing.

For every 22 loans issued to whites in the city, 13 loans were issued to blacks of comparable incomes and the volume of lending was $438,000 less for blacks, the study showed. In the suburbs, whites received 40 loans for every 19 given to blacks and the lending volume was almost $1 million less for blacks.

"This was not based on a sample of banks. It's a comprehensive study of the five - county area and Baltimore City," Shlay said. "It's difficult to pinpoint exactly what's happened. We don't know the banks' application procedures, for example. We don't essentially know all the things that lead to the outcome of less loans in black neighborhoods."

Shlay's study found FHA and VA home improvement loans flowed to more blacks and integrated neighborhoods than all-white neighborhoods. But the black gains in fedeal programs did not compensate the race - based loss in conventional finance because the volumes of FHA and VA loans were small, she said.

Shlay was commissioned to do three studies for the MARI: "Maintaining the Divided City" deals with residential lending patterns in the Baltimore metropolitan area, "The Underwriting of the Community" ranks the lending institutions performance within the areas and "Backyard Credit Flows" assesses housing investment activity.

Baltimore County launches Prom Night program

County Executive Dennis F. Rasmussen will launch Project Prom Night - 1987 at the fourth annual Baltimore County Youth Conference, Tuesday, March 31 at the Hunt Valley Inn. The conference, which runs from 8:30 a.m. to 3:15 p.m., is attended by student, parent and teacher representatives from all 21 Baltimore County Public High Schools who attend workshops and participate in discussion groups seeking to spread the message: "Friends don't let friends drive drunk or drugged—Be a friend."

The sponsors of the Youth Conference and Project Prom Night consist of County, civic and government organizations, as well as private businesses who join together each year in this County-wide effort to impress on youth the dangers of drinking, drugs and driving. A complete list of this year's sponsors is attached.

According to Mr. Rasmussen, this year's Youth Conference will add a new dimension. "For the first time since the Conference started workshops will be conducted by students," he explained. "In addition to a workshop on "Alcohol, Drugs and the Law" conducted by members of the Baltimore County and Maryland State Police, there will be two workshops conducted entirely by students."

The first student workshop will be a "DWI Mock Trial," in which students will take the roles of participants in the trial, and ask workshop attendees to serve as the jurors and decide the guilt or innocence of an alleged drunk driver. The second student workshop, "How to Help a Friend," features "peer helpers" from Dulaney, Towson, Loch Raven and Owings Mills Senior High Schools who will demonstrate and discuss how students can identify when a friend has a problem with drugs or alcohol and what they can do to help that friend.

They will also show students attending the workshop how they can establish "peer helper" groups in their own schools.

Recently Dr. R. Adams Cowley, Director of Shock Trauma, in a letter to Senator Francis Kelly, noted that efforts to curb drinking among the younger population are beginning to bear substantial fruit. Only 5 percent of patients 17 years of age or less are now admitted with blood alcohol levels of 100 mg percent (0.1) which is used as the standard for drunk driving. This represents a decrease of 11 percent from the 14 percent admitted from that age group five years ago.

County Executive Rasmussen praised Project Prom Night, which he noted is widely used outside of Baltimore County, as a positive factor in the County's safety record among teens driving during Prom season. "The Youth Conference gets the students involved in their own safety.

Thanks to the many public and private groups and companies who join us each year in this effort, this Conference continues to grow and to reach more and more teenagers."

The County Executive commended Baltimore County's Drug Abuse Coordinator, Mike Gimbel for the innovations in this year's program. "Mike recognizes the need to maintain the enthusiasm of the students each year. We have found from past conferences that once the students are convinced of the dangers of drinking, drugs and driving, they become our most persuasive advocates," said Mr. Rasmussen.

"As a result of the Youth Conferences in the past three years, there are currently 14 chapters of Students Against Drunk Driving (SADD) in Baltimore County High Schools."

In addition to the workshops, the Drug Abuse Coordinator's Office assists the students by providing donated literature, posters, bumper stickers, buttons, balloons, key rings and other promotional materials that help reinforce the message.

These are distributed at the schools and at the proms. "These items, along with the information that student representatives to the Conference receive from the films, discussions and workshops go a long way to help convince students that they need to get personally involved to protect themselves and their friends from hazards of mixing drinking, drugs and driving," concluded Mr. Rasmussen.

—Annapolis roundup

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always be money."

According to Sen. Brailey, he has been besieged by calls from constituents demanding legislation that would outlaw the weapon.

Despite calls to the police department and the mayor's office, the senator expressed disappointment that not one representative from either department came to testify for the bill.

Sen. Brailey said this is the last year that he will introduce this legislation because there is no real commitment to public safety, only meaningless "lip service."

—AIDS

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infection, with no symptoms. The second is AIDS Related Complex - Lymphia Denopathy Associated Syndrome (ARC-LAS), when symptoms surface. In this stage victims usually experience weight loss, fevers, swollen glands, sore throats and other common illnesses.

The third stage is the AIDS disease, itself. This is when the viral infection damages the immune system to the point where the body can no longer protect itself from infections.

To date there is no cure for AIDS. There are experimental drugs, some of which affect the treatment of bodily infection but are not able to resist the disease.

Officials from the department said there are free AIDS testing centers throughout Maryland; more are to become available soon.

To date 92 percent of all AIDS victims in Maryland are males. 50.4 percent are black. 45.3 percent are white, 3.9 percent are Hispanic and .4 percent are of other race.

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MVA

MVA Open Saturday, March 21

The Motor Vehicle Administration will have all full-service offices open 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Saturday, March 21, 1987.

Closed for Maryland Day, March 25

With the automated license tag year renewal program working well, MVA employees will be able to enjoy March 25th, the Maryland Day holiday.

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Hung jury vote in Feb. Gatsby death

A two-week trial in City Circuit Court ended in a hung jury Friday, March 13 when a panel was deadlocked in a 10-2 vote and unable to render a unanimous decision in the Gatsby murder of Tyrone Jacobs on Feb. 23.

Judge John Carroll Byrnes declared a mistrial and excused the jury, but the defendant in the case, Sheldon G. Levy, was returned to City Jail, and the state is intending to seek a retrial, according to prosecutors.

An unidentified gunman shot and killed Jacobs and wounded three other patrons on a crowded dance dance floor at the Gatsby Nightclub located at 1821 N. Charles St. With more than 200 patrons in the club that night, city homicide detectives were frustrated because they originally said no one could identify the gunman.

At the trial, prosecutors produced over 15 witnesses, five of whom were eyewitnesses who identified Levy as the gunman.

The defense attorney, Ms. Georgia H. Goslee, was able to persuade the jury, which ended in a deadlock, that Levy was not the gunman.

During a 45-minute closing argument, Ms. Goslee pointed out that there was another person in the club that night, and that the eyewitnesses did not actually see the shooting, but were intent on seeing that someone paid for the crime.

Attorney Georgia Goslee

Ms. Goslee appealed to the jury to stand its ground unless panel members were convinced of Levy's guilt beyond a resonable doubt.

The jury returned deadlocked three times, and the panel was excused.

Pimlico Sabbath racing passes

ANNAPOLIS (UPI) — The House of Delegates quickly passed legislation Tuesday that would allow Pimlico Race Course to run thoroughbreds on Sundays, despite opposition by neighbors of the track.

Del. Paul Weisengoff, D-Baltimore, is the prime backer of the proposal, which has outraged residents of the Baltimore neighborhood surrounding Pimlico, one of Maryland's major thoroughbred race tracks.

The measure, which was approved by a 103-15 vote, now goes to the Senate.

Some Baltimore lawmakers opposed the bill, but were unable to muster enough support to block the measure. The 25-member city delegation split on the vote with nine in favor, six opposed, and 16 not voting on the measure.

"When it's over, it's over," said Del. Tony Fulton, D-Baltimore, who had fought the bill. Fulton said he is concerned what Sunday racing will do to the city. Fulton's earlier attempt to amend the bill received no support from fellow opponents.

Frank DeFrancis, owner of Pimlico and Laurel race courses, has come to Annapolis twice this season in support of the measures and has met with community groups to answer their concerns.

In response to community concerns, DeFrancis agreed to spend $3 million for landscaping and improvements to the track. Part of the improvement plan includes the demolition of old barns near the residences, which have caused rat infestation problems in the area.

Some residents and lawmakers continue to be cool to Sunday racing at the home of the Preakness Stakes.

DeFrancis has promised to decrease the number of days Pimlico is open each week from six to five and to improve on-site parking.

Burning of King portrait brings legislators' fury

ANNAPOLIS (UPI) — Three state auditors Monday admitted to burning a picture of the Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr. at an office social gathering, an action that prompted the head of the department to promise more minority hiring.

Del. Curtis Anderson, D-Baltimore, informed William Ratchford, head of the fiscal services department, of the incident last week that occurred on the eve of the state holiday commemorating the late civil rights leader's birthday.

Anderson said the 18 employees attended the party, but only the three that burned the picture have written letters to the Legislative Black Caucus expressing their apologies for the incident that they called a juvenile prank.

The incident, Anderson said, was "apparently spontaneous" when someone produced a picture of King while the group was drinking beer and playing cards at a local establishment.

In the letters, Anderson said the workers said, "They intended no narm or disrespect to Dr. King. It was just one of those juvenile pranks."

Ratchford expressed his "extreme outrage" and spoke to all of the people who attended the party, saying the incident hurt the credibility of the department, Anderson said.

"I was shocked that something like this would happen in the 1980s," Anderson said, adding that he hopes a constructive situation will develop.

Anderson said the caucus pressed and received assurances that Ratchford will increase efforts to hire more black accountants.

"Ratchford has admitted the department has a bad record in minority hiring," Anderson said. "He's going to redouble his efforts to get black accountants hired."

Of the 85 state auditors employed in Baltimore, eight are black. Of the 29 state auditors working in Annapolis, three are black.

Anderson said the lack of sensitivity by those workers involved in the picture burning incident stems from a lack of minority coworkers.

Women's group meeting

The next meeting of the Baltimore Credit Women's Group will be held on Monday, April 13, 1987 at the Quality Inn, Towson.

Guest speaker for the evening will be Congresswoman Helen Delich Bentley, 2nd District, Maryland. Ms. Delich's illustrious background includes employment as International consultant and President/Chief Executive Officer of HDB International; columnist and editor for World Ports Magazine; reporter and Maritime Editor for the Sun Newspaper; public relations counselor with the American Association of Port Authorities; and the producer of two documentary television programs.

Everyone is invited to attend this special meeting. For additional information and reservations please call Amy Gold of NACM at (301) 377-7222.

Community Calendar

Tax law meeting

Jonathan Ackerman, attorney, and Charles Geser, accountant, will be speaking on taxes and the new tax law for writers and artists at a meeting of the Maryland Local of the National Writers Union, Wednesday, March 25.

The meeting, which is open to the public, is scheduled for 7 p.m. in the Poe Room of the Pratt Main Library in Baltimore, 400 Cathedral Street.

Symposium on diabetes

Diabetes is the subject of a symposium to be presented by The Union Memorial Hospital Department of Medicine.

"Update on Diabetes X" will be held on Thursday, April 9 from 8:15 a.m. to 3:35 p.m. in the hospital's memorial auditorium, 201 E. University Parkway.

Forum for business executives

The editors of The Wall Street Journal and leading Baltimore-Washington area CEOs will present "Baltimore-Washington: Business Outlook '87," a half-day forum for business executives, on Thursday, April 2 from 8:45 a.m. - 2 p.m. at The Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics Laboratory.

Cosmetics explored

Cosmetics ... their safety, effectiveness and value ... will be explored at a public health education forum set for Thursday, April 2 at 8 p.m. at the Baltimore Hebrew Congregation, 7401 Park Heights Avenue. The free program is open to the public by advance reservation. Contact Stephanie Block at 764-1129.

Health fair

HARBEL Community Organization, Inc., the Harford Center for Senior Citizens and the Francis Scott Key Medical Center are sponsoring a Health Fair on Thursday, April 2 from 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. at the Harford Center, 4920 Harford Rd.

Free screenings will be offered for height and weight, blood pressure, oral cancer, podiatry and pulmonary function. New screenings will be Coronary Risk Assessment and a Medication Review. (Bring medicine bottles of all prescriptions you take.) A blood test will be offered for either $10 or $20. An 8 hour fast is required before the blood test.

All screenings except the blood test are available for people over age 13. Minors must be accompanied by a parent.

For more information, call Teresa Gramling at HARBEL, 444-2100.

Unemployed Discount Program

Are you unemployed due to a plant closing or lay-off situation? If so, you are entitled to sign up for the Unemployed Discount Program.

This is a free program. Certain Stores in the Baltimore area are offering discounts on their merchandise, to the unemployed.

The Unemployed Discount Program is sponsored by AFL-CIO Community Services; Call 247-4898 to find out where to register. (Or call First Call for Help at 685-0525).

Fine arts exhibit

The Master of Fine Arts Thesis Exhibition opens in the University Union Gallery at Towson State University on April 10. The exhibition will continue through May 8.

The opening reception will be April 10 from 7 to 9 p.m. in the gallery.

Admission is free and open to the public.

Attention LPNs

Attention Licensed Practical Nurses. It's time to make your career move! South Baltimore General Hospital's School of Registered Nursing is offering pre-entrance examinations for its one-year, upward mobility diploma program to interested LPNs.

For more information, or to register for the examinations, call 347-3671 from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Exercise program

The American Diabetes Association, Maryland Affiliate will present its 3rd Mini-Series of the year on Tuesday, March 24 at 7:30 p.m. at the Holiday Inn, Pikesville.

This special program wil focus on exercise and will feature a discussion on the benefits of exercise from a practical point of view. The Milner Fenwick film "Exercise and Diabetes" will be shown.

Registration is $5 per family, and refreshments will be served.

For more information please call 486-5515.

Separation and divorce mediation

The YWCA Woman's Center will offer "Separation and Divorce Mediation" Thursday, April 2, 7-9 p.m.

A trained divorce mediator will explain what separation and divorce mediation is, how it works, who can use it, the advantages and disadvantages of mediation.

The workshop will also include discussion of how to deal with children and how to cope with feelings and stress associated with separation and divorce.

There is no fee, but pre-registration is required. To register, call 268-4393.

Health fair

Spring is the time for the SOUTH BALTIMORE FAMILY HEALTH CENTER'S ANNUAL HEALTH FAIR, to be held on Tuesday, April 14, 1987 from 11:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Free tests will be offered, including PAP tests and EKG's.

A nominal fee will be charged for blood chemistry tests, and an 8 hour fast is recommended for best results.

For further information, please call 354-2000.

CCB trustee board meeting

The Community College of Baltimore's Board of Trustees will meet on Monday, March 16 at 8 p.m. in the Board Room, Harbor Campus, Room 206, Lockwood Building, 600 E. Lombard Street.

Orchestra program

The "B's" have their day, beginning with the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra and bouncing along to Bach, Beethoven, bumblebees, bassoons and burly bears, at a Tiny Tots program presented by the Orchestra on Saturday, April 4 at 2:30 p.m. in the Joseph Meyerhoff Symphony Hall.

Eastern Shore concert

Baltimore Assistant Conductor Christopher Wolfe will lead the Orchestra with pianist Arno Drucker in a concert sponsored by the Eastern Shore Symphony Society on Wednesday, April 1, at 8 p.m. at Salisbury State College.

The program for this concert is Ives' Variations on "America," Copland's Variations on a Shaker Melody, Dvorak's Symphony No. 9 in E Minor, Opus 95, ("From the New World"), and Gershwin's Rhapsody in Blue, featuring pianist Arno Drucker.

Help Baltimore's needy

The public is invited to help Baltimore's needy by contributing donations of clothing (all sizes & types accepted) to Mayor Clarence "Du" Burns' Teddy Bear Collection Box, located in the entrance of Baltimore's City Hall, 100 Holliday St.

Donations can be placed in the eight-foot Teddy Bear, Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The Salvation Army will pick up the contributions weekly and distribute them to needy families throughout Baltimore.

For additional information, please call the Mayor's Office of Adventures in Fun at 396-4891.

Advocates for the retarded needed

The Friendship Exchange is looking for volunteers to serve as advocates/companions for people with mental retardation.

Volunteers are asked to participate in shared community leisure activities. Schedules are flexible and may include evenings/weekends. On going training and support are available.

Call Service Coordination Systems, 301-235-8110, Yvonne S. Dunham or Tim Quinn.

Credit Repair Workshop

If you have bad credit, if you have gone through bankruptcy or have not established any credit, then the Credit Repair Workshop is for you.

These workshops will be held every Wednesday evening at 7 p.m. at the Control Data Business Center, 2901 Druid Park Dr.

These free workshops are open to the public. For further information call: 381-0235.

Free talks at library

"Walk Through Catonsville's Village, 1890-1910," a slide-talk by H. Ralph Heidelbach, Sunday, March 29 at 2 p.m. at the Catonsville area branch of the Baltimore County Public Library, 1100 Frederick Road. For tickets, call 747-3551.

For information, call 296-8500.

Arbor Day celebration

The Cylburn Arboretum Association is celebrating Arbor Day on Wednesday, April 1 at the Arboretum, 4915 Greenspring Ave.

There will be a tree walk led by Mr. R. Cousar, city arborist, at 10 a.m. Our tree planting ceremony will be held at 11:15. This year we are planting several Dunstan Hybrid and New Blue Ridge Disease-Resistant Chestnuts.

A group of children from Mr. Barlow's class at PS #254, the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. School will furnish entertainment.

Board of Education meeting

The next meeting of the Board of Education of Baltimore County is scheduled for Thursday, March 26.

Among the topics scheduled for discussion are the Academically Talented program for elementary students and the Gifted and Talented program for secondary students.

The meeting will begin at 8 p.m. at Greenwood, school system headquarters, 6901 Charles St. in Towson.

The public is invited to attend.

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