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Woodway Homes Start Clearing And Grading

Clearing and grading contracts were awarded last week by Woodway Homes Inc., local non-profit cooperative home building group, according to Anthony M. Madden, president. Bulldozers have been humming away busily for the past week clearing and grading both Woodland Way extended and Northway extended. Upon completion of clearing and grading, lots will be staked out, and home construction will start shortly thereafter.

Madden stated that a few choice openings were still available in Woodland Hills, due to early members who had to drop out because of being transferred to other job locations, and other reasons. These openings will not last long Madden emphasized, because the completion of the clearing and grading and staking out of lots will bring a natural rush of interest in the last few openings.

Lakeside Home Owners Disband Corporation

Lakeside Homeowners voted to dissolve as a corporation by a vote of 19 to 3 at a membership meeting May 16. Twenty-two of the twenty-seven lot-owners present agreed, however, to form a voluntary group called Lakeside Association to look after their common interests and take joint action when desirable.

President of the new group is Alan F. Blair, now of Falls Church but soon—he hopes—to be living on Lakeside Road. Vice-president is Frank L. Perrazzoli; treasurer is Earle Schweizer; secretary, Mrs. Mary Alexander, and sergeant-at-arms, George Panagoulis.

Ex-Little Leaguers Get Warm-up Call

By Bill Moore

This is a call to all 13, 14, and 15 year old boys who want to play baseball this summer in Greenbelt. Letters went out to all the known players who fall in this age group but our Babe Ruth League doesn't want to slight any newcomer or interested "old-comer." Practice at Braden Field this Saturday morning at 9:30 a.m. Even if you can't stay for practice come on down and declare your intentions. It is getting LATE.

There will be four teams of 15 boys each in our league and they should be ready to begin play as soon as school is out for the summer. All games will be played in the mornings with each team having two contests a week.

Boys who haven't gotten a Babe Ruth League player's contract may do so at the field this Saturday. Signed contracts, birth certificates and players' insurance fee should be mailed to the Recreation Department, City of Greenbelt, to the attention of Mr. Bill Moore.

In the event of rain or wet grounds at Braden Field players are expected to stop at the Recreation office between 9:30 and 11 o'clock to obtain their contract forms.

LIONS ROAR AT LAKE

The Greenbelt Decoration Day Outing, sponsored annually by the Greenbelt Lions Club, will be held Wednesday, May 30, at the Greenbelt Lake. There will be barbecue and other refreshments and games, sports events, pony rides and bingo. All Greenbelters are invited. Open from noon 'til dark.

Swimming Pool Opens Saturday May 26!

Well folks, the swim season is at hand—maybe. Anyway, the calendar says that Saturday is May 26, the day lifeguards go on the payroll at the pool; and anyone who wants to swim may do so under the following conditions:

Until June 16 swimming hours are 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. Weekdays we'll splash from 4 p.m. to 7. Regular prices prevail and no family passes until June 16.

Single admission, 45 cents for Greenbelters and 75 cents for others. Admissions, for 16 to 21 residents, 25 cents, others 50 cents. Our Juniors, 12 to 16, pay 15 cents; outsiders, 25 cents. Children, 6 to 12, 10 and 25 cents, respectively, while tots, under 6, with an adult in tow may come in free, native or otherwise. Anyone may check his valuables for a dime.

There, these are the conditions you may freeze under.

Rescue Squad Notes

By Lester Citron

There are 1250 member families in the Greenbelt Ambulance Club. This also means \$2,605 in the Rescue Squad treasury. It is significant that several families insisted on giving more than the \$2 minimum requested, and that several anonymous contributions were received in the mail. These minimum membership contributions still continue to trickle in from families that were overlooked and refuse to be left out, but at a very slow rate. Inasmuch as the above sum is hardly enough for top form maintenance of ambulances and equipment for the next year, additional contributions are welcome and can be sent to the Chief of the Rescue Squad, Joe D'Agostino, 16-Z-5 Ridge.

At least 16 adults and children are glad there is a rescue squad. The 20 calls answered as of May 20, included service for a mental case, 2 auto accidents, 12 emergency and routine transportation cases and 5 miscellaneous. Nine of these calls were made during the night, and 65 volunteers answered these calls; ambulance time: 21 hours, 17 minutes.

BANKING HOURS

The management of Suburban Trust Company has announced that the local bank will not be open for the transaction of business on Wednesday, May 30, in observance of MEMORIAL DAY, a legal holiday in the State of Maryland.

Also beginning June 2, all offices will be closed on Saturday for the summer months. This action is taken to accommodate our faithful employees during the warm-weather period.

The offices of the Suburban Trust Company will remain open on Friday evenings from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. so that all of our customers can secure accommodations at that time.

The opening on Saturday mornings will be resumed on September 8.

GARDEN CLUB MEETING

The Greenbelt Garden Club will meet at the home of Edw. W. Schneider, 5-B Crescent at 6:30 p.m. Monday, May 28. Refreshments will be served and a tour of the area will be made to afford an opportunity for the group to view some of the lawns, landscaping and flower gardening which will probably be entered in the coming contest. All interested citizens are invited.

AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING

Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland

May 28, 1956

1. Meeting Called to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Minutes of the Previous Meeting
4. Petitions and Requests
5. Written Communications
6. Ordinance - Second Reading - Transfer Funds to Repair Service Courts
7. Ordinance - Second Reading - Establish Position
8. Resolution - Authorize Mayor to Sign Deed
9. Appoint Councilman
10. Ordinance - Amend Municipal Code - Permit Parking on a Portion of Crescent.

The Long View

By Al Long

Both my friends and my enemies will be pleased to learn that I am "going into business." The former will be hopeful that I make a little money, not too much because even your friends don't want anyone making too much. My friendly enemies will be watching to see if I lose my shirt—not starve to death, just go flat broke.

If my venture is a success I can just hear them saying "He's not so smart, why, you just couldn't help make money in a deal like that." And if I'm around begging a crust of bread after bankruptcy the same folks will undoubtedly whisper "I could have told him, even a knucklehead would know you couldn't make a business like that go."

When I mentioned this to one of my neighbors he came back real cheerfully with, "That's the thing to do. Even if you lose everything you'll have had the satisfaction of being your own boss." Well as far as I'm concerned I think I'd rather be a wealthy employee than a broke boss. But then maybe I'm odd. I like prosperity, or at least, I think I would if I ever get any.

Sometimes I worry a bit before falling asleep and one night recently I had a dream. I dreamt that I had a slight collision with my Cadillac and Abe Chasanow's Cadillac right in front of Tony Madden's insurance office. And before I could wake up Tony cancelled my insurance and Abe sued me for a sprained back and I was poor again. It was a terrible nightmare—I hope.

Toastmasters Award 'Whitewash Brush'

The Toastmasters Club of Greenbelt held its semi-monthly meeting on Tuesday with the Reverend "Terry Braund" acting as Toastmaster. The Principal speakers were: Alan Kistler, Harold Huffendick, Robert Hurst and George Smeltzer.

The Club's highest award went to George Schaeffer—a "Whitewash Brush"—which was presented by its former holder, Joe Hanyok.

Next regular meeting of the club will be held June 12 at Center school. Anyone interested in the Toastmasters movement is cordially invited to attend.

Lutherans Start Drive For Organ Purchase

About 100 people attended a "Loyalty Musicale" program at Greenbelt Lutheran Church last Sunday afternoon. The program was held in honor of the 19 persons taken into Communicant membership at the morning service. The program also served as a kickoff to an "every member" canvass for funds to purchase a new organ.

The following were taken into membership and introduced at the musicale: Misses Sandra Berg, Dolores Brown, Beverly Meier; Ronald Newman, Edwin Link, Wayne Henderson, Mrs. Nevin Bollinger, Mrs. Rita Jones, Mrs. Constance Scruggs, Mr. and Mrs. William Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McWilliams, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Weiskerger.

Dr. Westervelt Romaine of Silver Spring played the Lowrey Organ provided for the occasion by Kitt's Music Co.

Members of the Organ Appeals Committee will canvass the members and friends of the congregation this week. They will ask each member to make a 26-week pledge toward the organ. Their goal is to obtain \$2500 in pledges. The organ is to be purchased before Christmas of this year.

The Organ Appeals drive is sponsored by the Men's Club. Leland Leasia is the general chairman, aided by Edward Trumbule and Donald Weiskerger.

Jr. High Band Plays Final Concert June 1

As the end of the school year draws near, once again the members of the Greenbelt Junior High Band find themselves very busy preparing for their final public appearance at the school for this year. On Friday evening, June 1, at 8 p.m., the school gymnasium will be the scene of a concert by the forty-piece band, whose members will appear in their green pants and skirts, white shirts and blouses, and green ties.

Novelties, classic numbers, marches, a suite, and overtures will be played by a band which has this year performed for several PTA meetings, two band contests, and a school "Orientation Day" program, the latter recently held at the school. Tickets may be obtained from band members or at the school on the night of the performance at 25c for children and 50c for adults, the proceeds of which will go to the band fund for clothing and equipment.

CHORAL GROUP ELECTS

The Greenbelt Choral Group elected the following officers for next season at its meeting on May 21: president, Joseph Dalis, 32-D Ridge; treasurer, Mrs. Elsie Reeves, 2-C Eastway; and librarian, Norman Granims, 2-S Plateau. Granims was the only incumbent re-elected, having served as librarian since the inception of the group. New musical director will be Thomas B. Ritchie, 4-C Ridge.

Band Fund Drive Begins On High Note

In order to continue the successful operation of the Community Band, the organization will hold a fund raising drive on Monday, May 28. Your cooperation in this annual door-to-door campaign will help provide the young people of the Band with uniforms and instruments. Additional instruments and complete outfits will allow full employment of the Band at concerts and parades and serve to attract new members.

Your dollars, or any impressive fraction thereof, will be utilized to equip the Band and maintain a musical training center for the youngsters of Greenbelt. Your support now will insure the improved performance of the area's only community concert and marching band.

Parents who wish to enroll their children, aged nine or older, may obtain information at the band room, Center school auditorium, Monday evenings after 7 p.m.

No Change In Status On Gas Site Deed

The city council on next Tuesday will be confronted with an agenda loaded with interest for most of Greenbelt's citizens.

Chief among these will be a vote on the motion tabled at the last session, which affects the deed to the Southway filling station site now in escrow until such time as council is convinced of the good faith of the Warner-Kanter interests and Greenbelt Consumer Services, Inc.

Councilman Alan Kistler, in an interview last Tuesday, disclosed that he is greatly "disturbed" by the wording of the deed, and is completely "mystified" that the lessee now claims he cannot obtain a firm commitment from the lessor, that only the land usage mentioned would be employed—namely a gasoline service station capable of making minor repairs.

Four names have been submitted thus far in the contest for the council seat vacated by Jim Wolfe. They are: Ben Goldfaden, Harry Weidberg, Bernard Krug and Jane Hunt.

Cub Scout Pack Get Gold Plaque

Cub scout pack 202, sponsored by the Greenbelt Community Church, has been named outstanding among the 168 scout units in Prince Georges county and awarded an engraved gold plaque for its participation in the recent annual sustaining fund drive. Of twelve units throughout the county which received merit awards for collecting at least as many separate contributions as they had members, Pack 202 turned in the greatest amount—\$247.18. Fund drive chairman for the pack was Edward B. Beebe, 47-E Ridge.

Explorer scout post 202 also received one of the merit awards for 100% participation in the drive.

Staffer Joe Crown Ends Job On Paper

The News Review lost one of its star reporters and staff members with the departure of Joseph Crown this week. Crown was assigned to the newspaper as part of a course in "community journalism" at the University of Maryland, where he is a junior.

A resident of Hillside, Maryland, Crown has made the trip to the Greenbelt office of the News Review every Tuesday evening since March 1, when he began his duties. Crown hopes to pursue his interest in journalism after graduation from Maryland in the newspaper field or radio and TV. Interest in journalism comes naturally to Crown: his father is police reporter for the Washington Star.

Only 21 years old, Crown is married and has lived in the Washington area continuously. "I consider the News Review one of the most unique papers I have ever encountered," Crown declared. "It has been a wonderful and gratifying experience to work here and to meet such nice people."

Crown assisted at the copy desk. His biggest story was the feature on the shooting of three teachers in a nearby school.

DIRECTORY ADDENDA

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WE WONDER

Neither the city manager, the mayor, nor any council member is prepared to comment on the "gas site situation" this week. Evidently they are waiting for the council meeting before making a definite decision. It is apparent to close observers of the dilemma that the Councilmen are rather "disenchanted" with the idea of a gas station being built in that area; they are disillusioned about the proximity of the site to nearby homes and the phrasing of the deed which permits other commercial enterprises than a gas station.

We would hazard a guess that the city fathers would be further disappointed if they could see in reality the relationship of the gas site to the proposed design of the Baltimore Parkway cloverleaf.

Although the council does have within its power the opportunity to delay the progress of the gas station construction, it will probably do the "honorable" thing and give its reluctant OK to the signing of the deed. It is unfortunate that the council should suffer this experience with Greenbelt Consumer Services (whose officials admit to a poor public relations job on this project) at this time; other parleys and discussions between the two groups are scheduled in the near future.

The cooperative is presently expanding its food store to accommodate its other services which will soon lose their present quarters: the drug store, valet shop, variety store, etc. Permission to go ahead with expansion was granted by county authorities, we have learned, on the understanding that adequate parking facilities would be provided based on a formula involving increased sales-floor space.

Negotiations are beginning which may require the city to enlarge the city-owned parking space behind the fire house, at an estimated cost of \$16,000! Undoubtedly, GCS will offer to underwrite the whole, or a good portion, of that amount. But the present experience of council with GCS regarding the gas station site will cover the negotiations with a pall of doubt as to the sincerity and veracity of GCS officials.

Also contemplated, but not official is a plan to connect the city-owned parking lot with a road behind the Center mall statue, to the Gilbert-owned parking lot near the swimming pool. As GCS expands its commercial enterprises, it seems to require the face of the community to change simultaneously.

Expansion of the food store, meanwhile, progresses rapidly, and soon some decision about parking area must be made. At that time, the expansion will be a fact, and again the city fathers will be faced with another dilemma. It is interesting to note that although GCS continues to proclaim that GCS is Greenbelt (that is, local citizens are members of GCS) most of the power in management is controlled by non-Greenbelters. Sam Ashelman, Bob Morrow, Basset Ferguson, and Roger Farquahr, to name a few, do not reside here, nor does board president Walter Bierwagen.

We wonder when our true representatives, the city council, will take some direct action and assert with "rare moments of anger" the rights of Greenbelt's citizens to plan their own future.

LONG OVERDUE

The invitation of the board of directors of Greenbelt Consumer Services extended to members this week is a hopeful sign that the cooperative is again willing to foster closer relationships between the membership and the board.

We urge members to accept this bid to hear the board's answers to the "Volckhausen report," an answer long overdue. It will also be an opportunity for members to question the board on other topics of interest to them.

GCS MEMBERS

The next meeting of your co-op's Board of Directors will be held May 25 at 8 p.m. in the GCS offices over the Greenbelt Drug Store. You are invited to attend this meeting to discuss with the Board any matter you wish, including the Volckhausen statement and withdrawal from the Potomac Cooperative Federation.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS,
Greenbelt Consumer Services, Inc.**

Community Church Baptist Chapel

Eric T. Braund, Robert C. Hull
Ministers

GRanite 3-5846

Sunday, May 27: Memorial Sunday Holy Communion at 9 and 11 a.m., with Communion Meditation by Rev. Braund. Church School as follows: 9 and 11 a.m., Nursery, Kindergarten, and Primary; 10 a.m., Junior, Junior and Senior High, College Age, and Adults. 4:30 p.m., City Wide Senior High Rally at Rock Spring Church, Arlington.

Tuesday, May 29: 8 p.m., Fidelis Bible Class Meeting, Church Study.

Sunday, June 3: 6:30 p.m., Fifth Annual Festival of Music with all choirs, followed by Ice Cream Social on church lawn.

BRAUND AT JCC

Reverend "Terry" Braund of the Community Church will speak on Friday, May 25, 8 p.m. at the JCC building. Reverend Braund's topic will be "Home Grown Religion." The public is cordially invited.

Center School

Glenn W. Samuelson, Pastor

4-E Hillside - GRanite 4-9424

Thursday, May 24 - 7:30 p.m., Midweek service at the Parsonage. Continuing studies in Christian Doctrine, the Doctrine of Regeneration will be taught. Prayer period will follow. 8:30 p.m., Chapel Choir rehearsal and party.

Friday, May 25 - 7:30-9 p.m., Visitation Night to visit prospects and absentees.

Sunday, May 27 - 9:45, Sunday School for all ages, John S. Stewart, Jr., Superintendent. 11 a.m., Morning Worship service. The pastor will preach on the subject, "We Will Serve The Lord." The Cherub and Chapelaire choirs will sing. 6 p.m., Training Union for all ages, Mrs. William Webster, Director. 7 p.m., Evening Worship Service, hymn sing led by Dr. James T. McCarl. Sermon: "Righteousness Exalteth A Nation."

Lutheran Church

Edward H. Birner, Pastor
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Our Neighbors

Elaine Skolnik - 7586

Brownie Troop 416 enjoyed a trip into Washington. They visited the White House, Capitol, and walked down the steps of the Washington Monument. Accompanying the girls were leader Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Arthur.

Congratulations to Keith Markfield, 17-C Ridge, who will be Bar-Mitzvahed on Saturday, May 26, at the JCC Building.

All the youngsters in the Co-op Nursery School munched on cupcakes in honor of Karen Shoemaker's fifth birthday.

Bruce Bowman and son Peter flew to San Francisco, California to attend the National PTA Convention.

Patricia Ann Holton, 15-T Laurel Hill celebrated her eleventh birthday on Saturday by swimming with a group of her friends in the Ambassador Swimming Pool. What a wonderful treat!!

A girl was born the 10th of May To the Lawrence Lotzis, 17-A Parkway.

They named her Patricia Ann, and she joins a two year old sister. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Eschback proudly announces The arrival of Karl - 7 pounds 5 ounces.

Born on May 10, Karl has one brother. The Eschbacks, 2-H Southway, moved here in November from Rockville, and would like to add their name, address and telephone number Granite 3-3867 to your new directory.

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A speedy recovery to Mrs. Esther Witkowski, 52-B Ridge, who is in Prince Georges Hospital after suffering an injury to her knee.

Former Greenbelters Dayton and Anne Hull, now of Kensington, Maryland, announce the birth of John Tucker at George Washington Hospital on May 19. John is the newest grandchild of Reverend Robert C. Hull, assistant minister of Greenbelt Community Church and Mrs. Hull who live at 33-K Ridge. Dayton was recently elected to the GCS Congress as a member from the Wheaton area.

Rev. Glenn W. Samuelson, Pastor of the Greenbelt Baptist Chapel, will fly to Kansas City, Missouri, on Monday to attend the Southern Baptist Convention. On Saturday, June 2, Mr. Samuelson will fly to Chicago and then go to his home in Wilmette, Illinois, to spend a week of his vacation there. Mrs. Samuelson, Donny, and Linda will be visiting the grandparents at Lakewood, New Jersey.

MEET YOUR NEW NEIGHBORS:

Katherine and Eugene Mahrley, 51-M Ridge, Granite 3-3452. The Mahrley's come from Flushing, Long Island. Mr. Mahrley is with Greyhound in Baltimore. Son Stephen, age 11, has already joined the Boy Scouts and plays with the Little League.

Rudy and Betty Gierich, 37-B Ridge, Granite 3-3083, hail from Columbus, Ohio. Lt. Gierich is stationed at Fort Meade. On April 4 their first child, Melinda Rose was born. The Gierichs recently had friends Mr. and Mrs. Keith Stokes from Prince, Virginia, visiting them.

FASHION SHOW AT JCC

Fashions will be modeled at the JCC building on Wednesday, June 6, 8:15 p.m. The Greenbelt Choral Group will present several selections. Mrs. Ethel Gerring and Miss Rachel Chasoff will sing solos. The proceeds of this affair will go to the United Jewish Appeal Emergency Fund. Tickets can be purchased at the door or by calling Pearl Levine, 5328.

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County Rec Council Elects New Officers

George Griebel, Chairman of the Hyattsville Recreation Council, was elected President of the Prince Georges County Recreation Advisory Council at their annual dinner meeting on May 16. Griebel, who replaces past president Jack Resnicoff of Lewisdale, has as his assisting officers, newly elected Vice-President, Herbert Stumpf, Cheverly, and Mrs. Maxine Levow, Bradbury Heights, Secretary.

The Recreation Advisory Council is composed of representatives from the 65 local recreation councils throughout the county. It has been the policy of the Recreation Board since its inception to develop the County Recreation Program on the basis of community needs and interests as determined by local recreation councils. These community councils assume the responsibility of purchasing necessary supplies and equipment, maintaining facilities, and cooperating with the Board and its staff in its endeavors. The Recreation Board cooperates with councils by assuming the financial responsibility of employing and supervising competent, capable and well-trained men and women to staff the programs requested by the councils.

Greenbelt does not have a local recreation council.

Woman's Club Enjoys Fried Chicken Lunch

About fifty members and guests of the Greenbelt Woman's Club enjoyed fried chicken, family style, at the club's annual spring luncheon at "Peter Pan," near Frederick, Md.

Honor guests were Mrs. William A. Douglas, president of the Maryland State Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. Charles C. Middlekauf, vice president of the state federation; and Mrs. J. Elmo Brogdon, president of the Prince Georges County federation.

Mrs. William S. Brown, guest speaker, gave the members a review of "Gift From the Sea," by Anne Morrow Lindbergh, as well as "Love or Perish" by Dr. Smiley Blanton and "A Wife Is Many Women," by Ernestine G. Carey, a daughter of the famous efficiency-expert Gilbreth family.

Mrs. Jay W. Brubaker, president of the Greenbelt group, was mistress of ceremonies. Music was provided by Mrs. Edna White, who sang "The Sleeping Princess" by Borodin and "Giannina Mia" by Friml, accompanied at the piano by Miss Elizabeth Goetze.

The first board meeting of the new club year will be a dinner meeting on Tuesday, June 5. The club's executive committee met at breakfast in Mrs. Brubaker's home last Saturday, May 19, to formulate plans for the year.

Mrs. Kinzer To Head County Service Group

Mrs. Mary Kinzer, director of sales and services for the Greenbelt Veteran Housing Corporation, has been appointed chairman of the Prince Georges County Family and Child Services Committee of the Community Chest and Planning Council.

The committee works in such fields as child placement, adoption, and juvenile delinquency. The county Christmas Bureau is a function of this group. One of the committee's main interests at present is the establishment of a county juvenile court such as Montgomery County has, which Prince Georges lacks. During her early service in Greenbelt with the federal government, Mrs. Kinzer was a member of the committee which changed the procedure of bringing juveniles to trial in open court and made possible for the judge to hear the cases of minors in chambers.

The committee will hold its last meeting of the season under its new chairman tonight, May 24, in Mt. Rainier, to outline its plans for the fall.

Pupil Mental Health Discussed By Society

The recent shooting of three county teachers by a student will be analyzed at the May 28 meeting of the Prince George's County Mental Health Society by Dr. Henry Segal, Director of Montgomery County Mental Health Clinic, 8:30 p.m. in Hoffman Hall at Hyattsville, Maryland, Baltimore Avenue and Hamilton Street.

Dr. Segal will discuss the development of the adolescent personality, its recognition and the preventive role of the Mental Health Clinic.

Responsibility for this particular tragedy cannot be placed in the County, this boy having arrived only recently from another state; actually the Prince George's County School Board is well aware of the need for increased mental health facilities in the county, Society officials declared. The board has made public the fact that last year 250 school children with some degree of emotional disorder were unable to receive help. The County Health Department now has under advisement a request from the Mental Health Society to expand the present mental health clinic to full time with available state funds.

Dr. Henry Segal has been director of the clinic in Rockville since September, 1955. The clinic has as its function the early detection and prevention of serious mental disorders and toward this end, Dr. Segal works regularly with adolescent children. He has recently prepared for publication a paper entitled SEARCHLIGHTS ON DELINQUENCY.

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