

# Greenbelt News Review

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Five Cents

## 9-Months Cost for GHI Exceeds Estimates

By Al Skolnik

A third quarter fiscal report prepared by comptroller Roy Breashears of Greenbelt Homes, Inc. shows that GHI expenditures for the first nine months of 1959 continued to exceed budgeted amounts.

Due primarily to increased county and city taxes and rising heating and maintenance costs, the corporation's expenditures in connection with the housing units amounted to \$801,700 for the first three quarters of 1959, an increase of \$20,000 over the anticipated amount. Actual income from members and tenants was also up over the budgeted figure, but only by \$6,700, so that, on balance, the corporation's position was some \$13,300 worse off than the original estimate.

Amounts budgeted for taxes, heating, and maintenance fell short of actual requirements by \$9,200, \$4,300, and \$6,300 respectively. Other items showing higher-than-forecast costs were water (\$3,400), interest (\$1,500) and insurance (\$3,200). On the other hand, administrative expenses attributable to housing operations dropped by \$7,900 below expectations. All these figures relate to operations for the nine-month period ending September 30, 1959.

Including non-operating as well as operating activities, the corporation's nine-month fiscal report showed total income of \$904,400 and total expenditures of \$849,200, for a net gain before allocation to reserve of \$55,200. This was some \$10,600 less than the \$65,800 anticipated in the budget. (Because of reduced heating costs during the summer season, the budget always anticipates a surplus after the first nine months of the calendar year.) Last year the corporation had a surplus before allocation to reserves of \$74,500 after the first nine months of operations.

The third quarter fiscal report has unusual significance since it is used to project budget estimates for the coming year. The GHI board of directors has scheduled a special meeting on Thursday, December 3, to receive and discuss the co-op housing budget for 1960.

### Heating Charges

Members who have added enclosures without radiation to their units will pay a modified heating charge. Past policy of the corporation had been to levy against all enclosed additions, with or without radiators, an extra monthly charge for heat based on square footage in the same manner as original heating costs were computed. The new policy calls for an additional monthly charge, but only 50 percent of the usual increase.

## New Year's Eve Dance

A gala New Year's Eve Dance will again be sponsored by the Greenbelt Lions Club at the Greenbelt Armory on December 31. Music will be supplied by the orchestra which was so successful last year, under the leadership of Dick Colter, from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m.

Reservations have already been made by groups of Lions and their guests from the Chillum and Langley Park Lions Clubs. A maximum of 200 couples can be comfortably accommodated. Tickets will go on sale next week and may be obtained from any member of the Greenbelt Lions Club. Table reservations will be made in the order of application, after the purchase of tickets, by David C. Champion, GR 4-6395, Chairman of the Reservations Committee.

## Greenbelt Proposed As Model Community

Warren Leddick, City Recreation Director has discussed with Dr. Shane McCarthy, Executive Director of the President's Council on Youth Fitness, a proposal to establish Greenbelt as the nation's model community to mark the commencement of a "National Youth Fitness Week."

The President has proclaimed the first week in May of 1960 as "National Youth Fitness Week." That week will mark the inauguration of a nationwide program designed to improve the physical fitness of the youth of the nation.

Leddick has called upon the civic leaders of the city to participate in, and assist with, the outlining of a program for Greenbelt in which all citizens, including local religious, educational, fraternal, patriotic, labor, and professional groups will play an active role.

### Mayor Endorses Program

In an interview on Monday evening, Mayor Allan Kistler gave his hearty endorsement of the proposal but added that no official recognition had as yet been given the project as outlined by Leddick. However, he indicated the matter would be brought before the Council and that official approval and a formal statement would probably be forthcoming in the near future.

The first of a series of conferences among civic leaders and representatives of the various organized activities of the city will be held on Wednesday evening, December 2 at 8 p.m. in the City Hall. At this time, Leddick will outline the program and set up a functional organization with the objective of seeing Greenbelt held up to the nation as a model community in the furtherance of the physical well-being of the nation's young people.

## Babe Ruth Banquet

The first annual Babe Ruth League banquet will be held on Wednesday, December 9 at the Greenbelt American Legion Post 136, at 7 p.m.

Special guest will be Billy Jurgens, Manager of the Boston Red Sox. A film of the 1959 All-Star games will be shown and everyone will receive a miniature Louisville Slugger bat engraved for the banquet. Awards will be presented to members of the Babe Ruth All-Star team, the League Champions, Co-op team, outstanding player award and batting champion award. Special awards will be made to each sponsor.

### ORDINANCE

#### TO PROVIDE FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE CITY CHARTER TO CHANGE THE FISCAL YEAR

ORDINANCE NO. 396

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, that under powers granted said City Council under the amendment to Article 11-E of the Constitution of Maryland (1955 Ch. 423) that the Charter of the City of Greenbelt be and the same is hereby amended under Section 765 (Fiscal Year) to strike out the word "January" and substitute in its place the word "JULY" and to strike out the word "December" and substitute the word "JUNE", and;

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the Charter of the City of Greenbelt be and the same is hereby amended under Sections 768 (The Preparation and Adoption of the Budget) to strike out the word "sixty" in the first sentence and substitute in its place the word "NINETY", and in the second sentence to strike out the word "thirty" and substitute in its place the word "SIXTY"; and in the sixth sentence to strike out the word "ten" and substitute in its place the word "Twenty".

PASSED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, at regular meeting, October 19, 1959.

ATTEST:

Alan Kistler  
Mayor

Winfield McCamy  
City Clerk

## Space Center Here To Open in June, To Conduct Man-In-Space Project

By Russ Greenbaum

The Goddard Space Flight Center, Greenbelt, Md., which will be the central control point for this country's major space flight projects including Project Mercury (Man-in-Space), will open for business this summer with two buildings. About 500 people will move in between June and September. By July 1962 there will be five major buildings housing about 1500 of the eventual staff of more than 2000.

This was revealed by Harry Goett, Director of the Goddard Space Center, in an address to a Club Monday night attended by an array of civic officials. The new Space Center is a major facility of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

Goett said that Goddard already employs about 1000 people, with about half of them situated at Langley Field, Va. The remainder is scattered around the Washington area, including quarters above a furniture store in Silver Spring. He emphasized that there will be no mass movement of personnel but rather the staff will be gradually transferred and increased in phase with the growing physical plant under construction a little more than a mile down Glenn Dale Road. (It is not within the corporate limits of the city but will use the Greenbelt post office as its address.)

The first two buildings will be completed by July at a cost of 2.5 million dollars. Goddard has been given an additional Congressional appropriation of 14 million, with half to be used to construct the remaining buildings and half for equipment. It was estimated that the maximum number of employees at Goddard is unlikely to exceed 3000.

Another Space Center Official said that scientists will comprise nearly half of the personnel. Most of the remainder will be highly skilled technicians who will fabricate delicate instruments that will be sent into outer space to obtain scientific data. About ten percent will be clerical workers who will be recruited from this area wherever possible to alleviate the transportation problem, he indicated.

Goett pointed out that Goddard will not be basically an in-house laboratory but rather an administrative organization which will place many millions of dollars worth of contracts for our national space flight program. The Space Center was placed near Greenbelt because government land (obtained from the Department of Agriculture's Beltsville Experimental Farm) was available and because it was near to NSA headquarters in downtown Washington and also other agencies such as the Atomic Energy Commission in Germantown, Md. It was also felt that Greenbelt was a growing community into which the Space Center could easily integrate.

The Space Center director described the space tracking stations located around the world in such places as Australia and South Africa which will feed space data into Goddard. He said that additional stations will be built so that Goddard can obtain a minute-by-minute account of the first Mercury Astronaut in space. A suggestion was submitted by Abe Chasanow, well known local lawyer, that the first message to be transmitted by this man from space should be, "What hath Goddard wrought."

One problem that remains to be solved in regard to the construction of the Space Center is the improvement of Glenn Dale Road. It was reported that Goddard officials have already held preliminary talks with county roads authorities on widening the narrow roadway.

### CANDY SALE

The College Park Ward of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints is selling chocolate candies (Almond Coconut, Walnut Fudge, Chocolate Mint) for the benefit of their church building fund. For home delivery, call Richard Holloman, GR 4-8716. Twenty-five Greenbelt families are a part of this group.



Wayne Tucker, President, Greenbelt Lions; Harry J. Goett, Director, Goddard Space Facility; Emory Harman, Program Chairman, Greenbelt Lions; Alan Kistler, Mayor of Greenbelt; Bernard Cisco, Comptroller, Goddard Space Facility; Michael Vaccaro, Business Manager, Goddard Space Facility; Paul Campbell, General Manager of Greenbelt Homes Inc.; Charles MacDonald, Greenbelt City Manager, and Frank Lastner, Prince Georges County Commissioner.

### BOYS CLUB

Basketball practice has started for three teams to represent the Greenbelt team in the County League. All boys interested may try out on the following days: Midgets, 10-12 years of age; Saturday, 9-12 p.m. Coach Bernie Emmert. Intermediates, 13-14 years of age; Friday, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Coach Gary Brown. Juniors, 15-16 years of age; Friday, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Coach Tony Baker. All games at Greenbelt Center School.

## Holy Cross Church Elects New Officers

At a recent meeting of the voters council of Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 22-Ridge Road, the following new officers were elected: Vernon Graunke, College Park, president; Walter Larsen, Beltsville, vice president; William Adams, College Park, secretary; Fred Eschbach, Silver Spring, treasurer; and Walter Klingner, Greenbelt, financial secretary.

Also, the following elders and trustees were elected: Carlton Tatum, Edward Meier, Raymond Carriere, all of Greenbelt, and Edward Trumbule, Hyattsville, elders; James Archambo, Greenbelt, and Richard Thomas, Hyattsville, trustees.

## Walton Refuses Offer Of Council Assistance

In answer to a letter from City Manager Charles McDonald sent at the request of the city council, the owner of the Greenbelt Theater, involved in a labor dispute with the Motion Picture Projectors Local for well over a year, has indicated his flat refusal to arbitrate the matter through the medium of the council.

In a recent council meeting Mayor Alan Kistler, with the unanimous approval of the council, requested the city manager to ask the theater owner, Charles A. Walton, if he desired to have the council use its good offices to arrange for a mediation committee. A similar letter, sent to Walton several months ago was never answered.

The dispute began when Walton announced that he could not afford to pay his projectionists union wages if the theater was to continue in operation. When he started hiring non-union operators, the local began picketing. No negotiations have been conducted since the first few months of the dispute.

In its letters to Walton, the council carefully noted that council members themselves would not act as a mediation or arbitration board but would attempt to encourage disinterested citizens to serve on such a board. Without reference to this, Walton argued that the city could not properly act as a mediator and that this would be an "unusual, if not dangerous, precedent."

Walton pointed to Mayor Alan Kistler as the only man on the council experienced in labor relations but declared that it would be humanly impossible for the mayor to be impartial. (Kistler is an official of the A.F.L.-C.I.O. and works in the field of labor organizing.) Walton also felt that as a non-resident the city has no concern with him.

The theater owner declared that the union has not acted in good faith. He maintained that he has made two offers, which have never received direct answers. He also claimed that his theater has had more business since the picketing began than it ever did before.

Walton charged that the union was trying to apply pressure to settle the dispute "through city officials." He commented that he was certain that the city's efforts would be as fruitless as federal mediation in the current steel strike. Mayor Kistler said he did not wish to comment on Walton's statements at this time.

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## Recreation Recommendations

The following series of recreation recommendations was adopted unanimously by the North End PTA at its meeting on Wednesday, November 11, for consideration by the city council in this year's budget:

### SWIMMING PROGRAM

We want to commend the city recreation department for last summer's swimming program, and especially for the swimming lessons offered to our youth. We recommend that this program be continued next year, with the following suggestions:

1. Allowance of sufficient sums in the budget to assure adequate teachers for swimming classes.
2. Recruitment of coach for the swimming team, with financial provisions made for awards and participation in any competition.
3. Provision for additional swimming facilities for persons of all ages, e.g. water basketball equipment.
4. Continuance of the fifty cent family rate for evening swimming.

### MAINTENANCE OF RECREATION AREAS

We recommend that a vigorous program of restoring the city's playgrounds and recreation areas be initiated and that necessary manpower and funds be allocated for this purpose. Specifically, we suggest that

1. Playground areas be surfaced so as to eliminate "dust bowls" but with material such as safetex or rubber composition that will not be a hazard to falling children.
2. Teenagers be recruited for pay each summer to perform necessary maintenance work such as painting of equipment, restoring of grounds, etc.
3. Tennis courts be resurfaced, perhaps on a gradual basis, with one court each year.
4. The playground in 73 Ridge Court be rehabilitated and efforts made to discourage its use as a dumping area.

### REHABILITATION OF LAKE AREA

Rehabilitation of the Greenbelt Lake area represents a major capital improvement which would require some long-term planning and financing. We strongly urge that a planning group be designated to map out such a program for completion in 3 to 5 years, with a schedule of priority needs set up. As an interim measure, it is our opinion that the budget this year should allow for the initiation of construction of a pavilion with rest rooms at the lake.

### NEW RECREATION AREA

With the dedication of the land bordering Lakewood and Greenbelt Homes, Inc. along Hillside Rd. and its fill in with dirt provided by Buchanan Co., the city has available a site for a tot playground and sandlot ball field. This year's budget should contain sufficient funds to develop the site and furnish it with equipment.

### SUPERVISED TOT PROGRAM

We strongly urge the establishment of a summer program of supervised care for tots. As envisioned by our group, the expense to the city would be limited to providing tables and certain supplies such as paper, crayons, arts and crafts sets, and games. Teenage girls from the Girl Scouts, 4-H Clubs, and other Youth groups would be recruited as supervisors, under the general direction of the City Recreation Department. Their pay would come from the contributions of families in the courts—perhaps something like 10c per day per child.

### STRAY CATS

To the Editor,

I should like to draw the attention of the people in Greenbelt to a deplorable situation, that of stray cats.

I cannot leave my house without finding a sick, starved kitten. Nobody knows where they come from. I am sure some are being dropped by outsiders. I am equally sure that many are just being neglected right here in Greenbelt. In my opinion it is certainly not in the spirit of a town like Greenbelt to have its pets dying in the streets.

As a former teacher, I think it is a great part of the personality development of children to be taught to be tolerant and to take care of animals. In order to have a good house pet one great step forward in solving the problem of stray cats, is to have the cats altered, and thus avoid having more kittens born.

It is to be appreciated that some people feed these stray creatures. But unfortunately they leave them out in the cold to freeze. It is so much trouble to call the animal Rescue League to have them picked up?

Perhaps, interested people could voice their opinions.

Paula Crupain

Maffay - Beynon

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Maffey of Greenbelt announce the engagement of their daughter Laurie Ann to James Danner Beynon, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Merle Beynon, of Hyattsville. A December wedding is planned.

### LIFT NEEDED

To The Editor:

There was a Girl Scout troop 416. It had quite a few girls who were very much interested in it. I was one of them.

We all had uniforms and were invested. We worked hard but never received our second class badges that we were waiting for all last year. Maybe if our troop gets started again we can get them. After we receive them we will have a chance to get our proficiency badges.

We already have a woman who has volunteered to lead us. What we need is a Neighborhood Chairman. We also need some assistant mothers. Won't you help give us girls a lift?

Natalee Fisher

## GREENBELT THEATRE

GR 4-6100

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Thur. 3, Fri. 4

"THAT KIND OF WOMAN"  
"YOUNG CAPTIVES"

## New Board Members For County Library

Appointment of a new member of the Board of Directors for Prince George's County Memorial Library was announced today by Miss Elizabeth Hage, Director.

New board member, appointed by Governor J. Millard Tawes, is Mrs. Herbert B. Rosenstock, 15 Delaware Drive, Forest Heights, Maryland, who replaces Mrs. Sterling Ament. Mrs. Ament resigned to accompany her husband overseas.

Mrs. Rosenstock is a native of North Carolina and former mathematics teacher at Falls Church High School. She received her M.A. in mathematics at the University of North Carolina. She and her husband, a physicist at the U.S. Naval Research Laboratory, moved to Forest Heights six years ago. Mrs. Rosenstock is active in the League of Women Voters and on the executive board of the Forest Heights Cooperative Kindergarten. She is corresponding secretary for the Oxon Hill Democratic Club.

## WELCOME

Sunday, Nov. 29

9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship  
"On Being Kind"  
6:00 p.m. Training Union  
7:00 p.m. Evening Worship  
"Faithful Sayings"

Wednesday, Dec. 2

7:30 p.m. Midweek Service

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## Co-op Area Delegation

by Thomas Morgan

The Greenbelt Area delegation to the Fifth Greenbelt Consumer Services Co-op Congress at its November meeting mapped plans to bring the delegation into closer contact with the needs and wishes of the patrons of the local Co-op stores.

The delegation discussed actions taken in recent meetings of the G.C.S. Board. Included in the discussion was the proposed contract with the Sinclair Oil Co. to sell Sinclair products at the Co-op service stations.

Plans were made to encourage a greater use of the suggestion box by the Co-op Supermarket shoppers. These plans include moving the suggestion box to the front of the store.

In an effort to get a more accurate picture of the strengths and weaknesses of Co-op service in this area, the delegation made plans to collect a large sample of shoppers' suggestions and complaints in the near future.

Plans were further developed for bringing the delegation into closer touch with the local membership through personal contact in the Co-op's Supermarket. Members of the delegation will make themselves available in the front of the Supermarket to listen to shoppers' suggestions and comments.

Assignments were made to various members of the delegation detailing their duties at the Co-op Open House in Beltsville last Sunday.

## Bridge Club Meets At North End School

The Green Belt Bridge Club will resume its monthly duplicate bridge games on Friday, December 4, after missing the first three months of the 1959-60 season. The late start is due to difficulties in locating a place to play. The Bridge Club has now secured the North End School. In previous years the club met at the Center School.

Al Skolnik, director, announced that the first game will begin promptly at 8:30 p.m. since the club has to finish up within a certain hour. "The game is open to all contract bridge players and no reservations are necessary. You need not be acquainted with duplicate bridge procedures. We will teach you all you need to know in a few minutes."

Bridge players in need of a partner for the evening are asked to contact Skolnik at GR 4-6060.

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## SHOP TALK

Maybe you've just moved into Greenbelt. Or, are you one of the old-timers? Either way, your interests can be represented at the Co-op store, pharmacy and service station.

The suggestion cards in the store is one way of doing this. The Co-op Congress is another. Seventeen Greenbelt area residents make up this panel of shoppers. One of them is representing you.

In the United States Government, you may make full use of your Congressman. Or, you may simply leave it to others. It's the same with Co-op.

Because Co-op is the community's own business, we hope you'll become more interested in your own stores and services. That's why the list of Greenbelt members of Co-op's congress follows, along with their phone numbers. Please let them know how Co-op can serve you even better.

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Leonard Baron ..... GR 4-6154  
James Beck ..... GR 3-3167  
Edgar Best ..... WE 5-4830  
Lambert Brezina ..... GR 4-9597  
Matthew Fontaine ..... GR 3-3086  
Robert Hull ..... GR 4-9532  
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Vaclav Majer ..... GR 4-6939  
Thomas Morgan ..... GR 4-8387  
Allan Morrison ..... GR 3-6353  
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## Our Neighbors

By Elaine Skolnik, GR. 4-6060

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Williams, 36-C Crescent, proudly announce the birth of a daughter. Kimberly Ann made her debut on November 5, weighing 7 lbs. 13 oz.

It's a daughter for Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Capotosto, 10 Fayette Pl., Clare Ellen was born on November 7, weighing 6 lbs. 6 oz. She joins five sisters and three brothers.

The Donald McCaugheys are now living at 1-F Northway.

Condolences to City Manager, Charles MacDonald, who lost his mother last week.

Glad to hear that Jim Smith, 4-H Southway, is back to work after suffering an arm injury.

A very happy birthday to Mindy Fisher, 2-H Gardenway, who celebrates her fourth birthday on Thanksgiving.

Birthday greetings to Steven Yates, 22-H Hillside, who will celebrate his sixth birthday.

Congratulations to Richard A. Newman, 7-E Parkway who was accepted into the Electrical Engineering Honorary Fraternity, Eta Kappa Nu. Newman is a senior at the University of Maryland.

The Ferman A. Trudeaus are now living at 10-S Southway.

The North End School Drill Team will be marching in Gimbel's

### Library Films At JCC Star Penguins, Puppets

The whole family is invited on December 2 to the final program in the film series presented by Prince George's County Memorial Library at the Jewish Community Center of Prince George's County in Greenbelt. A variety of films which will appeal to young and old will be shown, starting promptly at 8:15 p.m. Amusing penguins are the subject of the film *Adelie Penguins of the Antarctic*, a scientific study resulting from recent Antarctic expeditions. Two stories for children, *Curious George Rides a Bike*, and the traditional fairy tale, *Puss in Boots*, will also be enjoyed by adults for their artistic techniques. The last film, *The Toy-maker*, shows two colorful puppets who discover their differences and fight until they realize they are part of the same creator. The program will also include talks about related books which may be borrowed at the meeting.

All the films shown are excellent program material for community groups. This is a good opportunity to see the films and consider whether they would be appropriate for your own groups. The films may be borrowed from the County Library Office. Contact Miss Evers, WA 7-4916, for film catalogs and further information.

Thanksgiving Parade, in Philadelphia. In the parade they are in the third section—Fairy Tales. Their number is 60.

A get-well-quick to Michael Cannon, 1-C Northway, who is recovering from injuries sustained after being hit by a car on Sunday.

Anthony M. Madden, representative of Nationwide Insurance in Greenbelt, was one of 30 Agents attending an Advanced Seminar being conducted by his companies at the Francis Scott Key Hotel—Frederick, Maryland.

We all wish Warren Leddick, our capable, hard-working Recreation Director, a speedy recovery. (Warren, take it easy and follow the doctor's orders.)

### Co-op Commentary

By James Cassels

There's a good chance that within three years Group Health Association, the Washington area medical care cooperative, will have sold its Vermont Avenue medical center building and relocated in a building designed and built for their special use.

Most likely location for the new building is in the Southwest Urban Renewal area, alongside the Southwest Expressway. The site would be most accessible, and have ample space for parking. It is within a mile of the site of the 400-family housing co-op planned by the Potomac Cooperative Federation, the Foundation for Cooperative Housing, and Reynolds Aluminum Service Corporation.

GHA's downtown building has aged to the point where maintenance costs have become excessive. And parking has always been a problem there. Then too, GHA membership is due for a tremendous expansion beginning the middle of 1960, when Federal and D.C. employees will have 50% of the cost of their family medical care paid by the Government, providing they are members of a comprehensive medical care organization.

GHA is also working out a plan with the Visiting Nurses Association which will shorten hospitalization periods and reduce the cost of medical care. In many convalescent cases necessary tests and medication could be administered by a nurse in a daily visit to the patient's home. The nurse's visit would cost GHA \$8 as compared with \$35 a day hospital costs.

A group of 10 students from the Putney (Vermont) Graduate School of Teacher Education will be in Greenbelt Saturday afternoon studying cooperatives. They'll be splitting up for supper, each dining with a different Greenbelt family. Should be a good cross-

fertilization of ideas resulting from the experience.

### PHONE DIRECTORY

The Credit Union will soon be operating under revised by-laws resulting from new credit union legislation recently enacted by Congress. The Board meets tonight to consider the new by-laws. Many new benefits to members are permitted. Among these are semi-annual dividends, extended loan terms, and crediting of dividends for a full month on deposits made in the first five days of the month.

The Greenbelt Lion's Club announces that the new Greenbelt Telephone Directory will contain four sections — advertising, classified, listings and organization write-ups. Each section will be handled by an experienced committee. The chairman and personnel of each committee will be announced in the near future. The Directory will be ready sometime after April 1, 1960 and all proceeds will go to community betterment.

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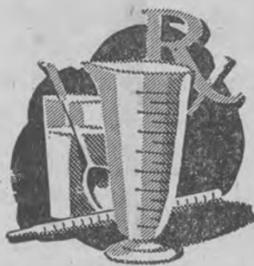
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## WHEN THE SIREN BLOWS

By Rita Fisher

Nov. 23, 1959

The Fire Department will be distributing posters to the schools around town which will stress fire prevention at Christmas time. The men are also making plans now for the post-Christmas tree-burning ceremony. This has become a yearly event here in Greenbelt and it provides an answer to the question, "what do we do with the tree?" A collection day will be announced when the plans are definite.

The Ladies Auxiliary is holding a Bake sale at the Center on Wednesday evening, November 25.

On November 19, at 3:36 p.m. the fire-fighting equipment was called out in answer to a grass fire. The fire was located in the rear of 14 court on Ridge. This fire was started by children. The police have their names. The men were called out to an auto fire on November 21. No one was reported injured.

The rescue squad answered a call this week on Sunday morning around 11 o'clock. A little boy had a congested throat and had lost his breath. His father gave him artificial respiration by mouth-to-mouth breathing before the rescue squad could get to the scene. This may have saved this baby's life. He was taken to the hospital on the advice of their doctor.

Six year old Michael Francis Cannon got himself into a bit of trouble which got the rescue squad out and running. Mike was playing with some friends and ran out on to the street between two parked cars. He was hit by a car. Luckily the driver of the car had noticed a bunch of children on the sidewalk and had slowed down a bit just in case. But Michael was just a little too fast and was thrown to the floor of the street suffering many cuts and bruises on his face as well as the rest of his body. The rescue squad administered first aid for a bloody nose, cut lip, abrasions on the forehead, lacerated knee and treated him for shock before they carried him to the hospital for further treatment and examination. His father said it was a tough way to learn a lesson but he is thankful that there were no apparent broken limbs or internal injury. He is also very grateful to the many friends and neighbors who rushed to lend a helping hand.

The siren blew once on Sunday night and the men were called to the third floor apartment of a woman, under sedation, who was suffering with severe abdominal pains. They took her to George Washington Hospital.

Happy Thanksgiving day to one and all. Let's hope the siren remains silent through the holiday.

### Mrs. N. McDonald

Local citizens were saddened to hear of the death of Mrs. Hanna McDonald, mother of city manager Charles McDonald, at her home in Cincinnati, Ohio, last Tuesday, November 17. Mrs. McDonald was 92 years of age, the mother of 11 children, and is survived by four sons, five daughters, 22 grandchildren, and 31 great-grandchildren.

## High Point High Points

By Marion Ryss

Thanksgiving Day will mean more than just a turkey dinner to the High Point high school marching band. For on this day the band will journey to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to take part in the annual Gimble's Thanksgiving Day parade. This seven mile route will be nationally televised, and the High Point Band is proud of receiving an invitation to attend and march in this parade. Marching 56 deep to a 176 steps a minute cadence, the fastest in Maryland, will be the Band, joined by the majorettes and color guard. Led by the drum major, Larry Klipp, and Donald K. Smith, band director, the band has appeared in many football half-time shows and other parades. With extra rehearsals both Smith and Larry feel that the Band will give the public something good to watch on their televisions and will uphold the fine High Point tradition that they will represent. To finance this trip the Band has decided to sell chocolate almond candy bars. The profits made from this venture will be used towards hiring buses and purchasing some new equipment for the parade. Some night soon members of the Band will be knocking at your door candy bars in hand, to ask for your support. Please support the Band in this endeavor, for in order to make this campaign a success, they need the help of everyone. The candy bars cost 50c and are a quarter pound of pure milk chocolate with crunchy toasted almonds fit for a king. If by some mistake you are not approached and you wish to purchase candy (from one bar to ten), you may get in touch with Marion Ryss (GR 4-9245) and candy will be delivered to your home. See you on television Thursday, November 26.

### THANKS

Many thanks to everyone who helped make the North End School Drill Team's Bake Sale a great success.

Sonia Garin

## Jaycees Sponsor Christmas Contest

A contest with a real holiday theme—that's Greenbelt Junior Chamber of Commerce's 1959 Christmas residential decorating contest. The Jaycees will award valuable merchandise prizes to the local residents whose holiday decorations do most to beautify the community. Just clip the entry blank from the bottom of the page and send, along with 50c entry fee, to the Greenbelt Junior Chamber of Commerce, Greenbelt, Md. Additional entry blanks can be obtained at the Greenbelt City Office.

Decorate your home and enter the contest by 18 December 1959. The top winner becomes Greenbelt's entry in General Electric's Nationwide Residential Christmas Decorating Contest shooting, for \$5,000.00 worth of cash prizes.

Chairman, Robert Murray urges every homeowner and apartment dweller to make Greenbelt truly a "City of Lights" this holiday season.

Fill out and mail your entry blank immediately. Remember—it must be in by 18 December, so hurry!

### OFFICIAL ENTRY BLANK

#### for THE CHRISTMAS LIGHTING CONTEST RESIDENTIAL CONTESTANT

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