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Zubkoff Raises Questions On GHI Office in Center

A spirited and lengthy review of Greenbelt Homes, Inc.'s plan to open a referral office at the commercial center occupied the attention of the GHI board of directors at its regular meeting on June 8. Sparking the discussion was a series of questions directed to the management by board member Harry Zubkoff on the reasons for the move, the advantages to be gained, the costs involved, and the propriety of locating in the same office with a lending agency.

GHI's plan calls for sharing part of the office space rented by Twin Pines Savings & Loan Association and previously occupied by Pontiac Realty Company. It is contemplated that at first the office will be used merely to refer prospective customers to the main office and will be staffed only on weekends and holidays. At other times, Twin Pines personnel will refer inquirers to GHI literature.

GHI manager Paul Campbell stated that ever since GHI was forced to remove its signs directing prospective purchasers of GHI homes to the GHI office on Hamilton Pl., the acute need for a more central location has been felt. "GHI has received countless reports," said Camp-bell, "of persons intending to come to its office in respect to purchasing a GHI home, but who never arrived until a much later date." The similarity of names of Greenbelt Homes and a local realty company has confused many uninformed prospective purchasers, he added.

Campbell also saw the advantages of an office in the center in terms of membership convenience and public relations. Departing members desiring to list their houses would find it easier. Window space could be used for display purposes -for example, to feature "the
face-lifting" program now going
on with the frame homes and to give publicity to other topics of general interest to GHI members. The office could be used eventually for the collection of monthly charges, perhaps through a night depositary. In short, Campbell summarized that "there are various intangible advantages for GHI to establish a foothold in the center."

QUESTIONS MOVE

Zubkoff questioned the wisdom of moving into the center in such a timid, half-hearted way. He said that if the move was warranted, it should be done on a much larger scale and certainly not in association with a lending agency. He thought that such an association would lend itself to the implication that GHI was giving overt approval and sponsorship of Twin Pines. He asked about the possibility of moving into the space formerly occupied by High's.

Campbell replied that the economics of the situation has always been a major consideration. The Twin Pines rental will cost GHI about \$75 a month, whereas High's would cost 3 1/2 times as much. Moreover, by locating with Twin Pines, the need for additional personnel will be kept to a minimum. Opening a separate office would require staffing seven days a week.

Turning to the question of the propriety of moving into an office with a lending agency, Campbell declared that there is no

financial or other relationship between GHI and Twin Pines. He pointed out that for years GHI has had a lending agency (First Mutual Investment Company) operating within its office, and there has been equal treatment by the GHI sales office in supplying information as to the availability of all lending agencies. In fact, concluded Campbell, te move adjacent to the Twin Pines opeation proves that GHI is not committed to any one lending agency, even one within its own

STATES PHILOSOPHY Campbell explained that the move to the center was experimental and that opeations in the center could be expanded later if the results warranted. At this point, director Joe Comproni questioned whether the experi-ment would be a reliable test. since CHI wasn't going all-out. He said, "If you are going to compete with a private realtor, then you have to act like a real estate concern. You have to be aggressive, knock on doors, and plead for listings.

Campbell retorted that such a policy was against his philosophy and as far as he knew against the philosophy of the majority of the board. "The pol-icy of GHI," he stated, "is to perform a service to members who wish to leave in order that they can satisfactorily recover their investment. GHI does not encourage members to sell, as it would prefer to have the most stable membership possible."

MEMBERSHIP SENTIMENT Zubkoff deplored the fact that the move to the center was made without sampling membership sentiment. He wanted a special board meeting on the subject with the public invited. Since about a dozen non-board members were in attendance, it was decided to ask for their opinion. Of those polled, no one objected to the move to the center, but some felt that it was bad public relations for GHI to share an office with a lending agency.

The board directed management to explore the possibility and cost of taking over at least part of the space left bacant by High's. At the same time, management was asked to explore with the State Real Estate Commission the problems that might arise if a referral office was opened but not staffed by a licensed salesman. This question had also been raised earlier by Zubkoff.

Several of the visiting members also expressed concern over sales department operations. which were termed "inef-fective." Zubkoff felt that perhaps what GHI needed was not so much an office in the center as a review of sales operations and basic sales policies. He thought that the 1 1/2 additional sales per month needed to pay

AGENDA

COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENBELT, MARYLAND JUNE 19, 1961

Meeting Called to Order
 Roll Call

Open Bids for Pickup Truck Minutes of Previous Regular Meeting, May 15. Minutes of Special Meetings, May 16, 22, 30, June

5, 9. Petitions and Requests Written Communications

Manager's Progress Report Recommendations of Advisory Planning Board on Removing Curb on Park Road

9. Ordinance - Establishing 90-Minute Parking in an Area in West Parking Lot 10. Ordinance - Authorize Payment of Balance of Kitchen

Equipment at Firehouse Ordinance - Authorize Payment for Drainage Design Resolution Transfer

Funds Consider Request for Aid to

Pay Umpires for Shamrock Baseball Team Manager's Proposal for Operating Snack Bar at Proposal for Youth Center

Consider Purchase of Furniture for Police Department Ordinance - Authorize Payment for Youth Center Road

Material Consider Request to Re-Zone for Electronics Plant 18. Miscellaneous Items

Consider New Exit For GCS Gas Station

The city council has referred to the Advisory Planning Board a request by Greenbelt Consumer Services, Inc., for permission to extend the entrance to its gasoline station fifty feet onto cityowned land. The new road construction on Southway has made it inconvenient for motorists using the gas station to return to Greenbelt or to get to the Baltimore-Washington Parkway.

GCS would like to use approximately 50 feet of city land, which would make an entrance and exit adjacent to the crossover in the Because this would bring the traffic of the gasoline station near the GHI houses on Southway, the Board has decided to hold a public hearing on the matter. The hearing will take place on Thursday, June 22, at 8 p.m. in the city

Methodists Purchase New Parsonage Here

The Mowatt Memorial Methodist Church has purchased a new paesonage at 2-A Northway Road. The transaction was handled by the Greenbelt Realty Company, Abraham Chasanow, Broker, who relinquished all fees.

The purchase is intended to provide more adequate parsonage facilities in order to accommodate future ministerial appoint-

for the new office could be just as easily obtained by a reorganization of sales department procedures.

The board agreed with Zubkoff to hold a review of the sales department at a future meeting after Zubkoff has prepared a series of questions for the manager.

City Tax Rate Upped 17 Cents To New Figure of \$1.77

A 1961-1962 budget calling for an increase in the real and personal property tax of 17 cents to \$1.7 per \$100 of assessed valuation was adopted by the city council last Friday night. Heeding the pleas of representatives of the Lakewood and Lakeside developments, the council cut the budget by \$15,401 to a new total of \$318,719. The original budget presented by city manager Charles McDonald called for expenditures of \$334, 120 and a 1961 tax rate of \$1.97.

Despite the reductions, no valuation of \$9,250,000 if the budget were to be balanced.

Original Budget Cut Almost half of the \$15,401 cut from the original budget document presented by the city manager consisted of reductions in amounts requested for material, supplies, and replacement funds, The council members explained that in many cases they had merely cut back the amounts to last year's level of expenditures. One of the major victims of this axe-like approach was a request by the highway department to experiement with a new method of road surface treatment known as "Smooth Surfac Seal." This method requires a greater initial outlay but is expected to produce longer-lasting results. The council did not prohibit some experimenting with the new method but made clear that it would have to be done with funds budgeted for the old method.

Personnel items also provided a major source of cuts. Extra help for the city offices and police and trash collection departments totaling \$1,300 was deleted. The finance officer's request for a full-time clerk in place of a part-time clerk was turned down, thus saving \$500. A \$750 request for janitorial services for the presently occupied city offices was eliminated. Also, \$1,300 to cover the cost of uniforms and laundry for public works and waste collection

personnel.

On the revenue side, council estimated revenues of \$136,994 from sources other than real property taxes. To this was added \$18,000 from the accumulated surplus account. This left \$163,725 to be raised from real property taxes on an estimated

services were curtailed, and the

budget as adopted actually auth-

orized an increase of \$31,900 in

expenditures over that budgeted

for the current year. Of this

increase, the major amount--

\$15,859--is for servicing the debt for the \$200,000 building loan

approved at the 1959 referendum.

Another \$7,600 represents the

expected deficit in the operations

of the Youth Center. Adminis-

trative increases for city em-

ployees, amounting to approx-

imately \$5,000; is a third item. The balance of the increase is

due to miscellaneous items, such

as election expenses, rising pen-

sion costs, and an increased contingency fund.

does not allow for any capital

improvements nor any general salary increases. The council

stated that it was awaiting the

recommendations of the newly-

appointed Personnel Board and

indicated tha there would be

some funds available in the mis-

cellaneous account to take care

partially of any salary increases

The council also ignored the

recommendations of the Recre-

ation Advisory Committee for

making additional manpower a-

vailable for the maintenance of

ballfields and play areas, and

for resurfacing the tennis courts.

Council indicated that it might

some experimental resur-

if recommended.

The adopted budget, however,

Two Chasanows HonorGraduates

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Chasanow, 56 Lakeside Drive, had the unusual distinction last week of witnessing two college gradu-ations in which their daughter and son were honor graduates. Mrs. Phyllis Chasnow Rich-

man, who received her Bachelor of Arts degree from Brandeis University, was a Dean's List student and was elected to the Brandeis Honor Society. She was recently awarded one of 500 health scholarships granted annually by the National Foundation from March of Dimes funds.

Phyllis, an American Civilization major at Brandeis, did her thesis on Greenbelt city planning. Presently planning to complete her social work studes on the graduate level, she beings work next week for the Boston city, planning commission.

Howard Chasanow, who received his Bachelor of Laws degree from the University of Msryland, was top man in the day law school graduate class. Receiving a straight A average this past year, he was elected to the national honor society for law students and won the LAW RE-VIEW award for the senior who showed the most progress. He also received a certificate for serving as judge of the moot

Howard, who plans to teach law, will continue his studies at the Harvard Graduate Law School. He is the first student from the state of Maryland to be accepted there in recent years.

Recreation Cuts In the recreation budget, reductions were effected in several ways. The council lopped \$2,500 off the Youth Center budget \$1,000 for skate boys and \$1,500 for vending machine expenses. With respect to the latter item, council decided to contract out the soft drink concession, getting a fixed percentage of the gross, rather than attempting to provide its own services with the attendant problem of recordkeeping.

The swimming pool budget was reduced by \$775 in anticipation of savings from the operation of the new family subscription plan. Another \$700 savings in the arts and crafts program was accomplished by securing county assis-The superintendent of recreation was denied a request for additional clerical help after the summer. After an audience protest, the council decided to reconsider this item next September and to appropriate additional funds from the mixcellaneous account if warranted.

Other budget reductions were effected by transferring \$900 for an audit to the miscellaneous account and by cutting \$250 from election expenses. The council disclosed that it will be able to use the county voting machines for the September city council election, thus reducing the need for supplies and tally clerks.

The only increases over the original budget were \$500 for Fourth of July fireworks and \$3,000 in the niscellaneous account which could be used for pay increases.

An overflow crowd of more than 100 persons filled the city offices to witness the adoption of the budget. After each major section of the budget was adopted, the floor was opened to the public. Unlike the public hearing of the Monday before, which was dominated by persons desiring

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We feel the city council should be commended for its efficient, professional-like, handling of the 1961-62 budget. Unlike last year, when the council dawdled over the budget for 2-1/2 months in a score of sessions, this year's budget was dispatched in half the time and number of sessions. Part of this more rapid performance can be attributed to the decision to hold executive (private) sessions.

Executive sessions can be very useful for exchanging off-the-record views and for reaching compromises on delicate matters. We feel, however, that their purpose is abused when they are used to cover up fundamental differences of opinion.

Last Friday night, the budget, consisting of 49 individual accounts, was passed unanimously with no councilman objecting to any individual account. It was obvious that all the major decisions (and battles) had been decided in private. We do not think this is a healthy development for our democratic society. We feel the public, who will be faced with the election of a new council in September, is entitled to know where the individual councilmen stood on certain controversial issues.

For example, we would like to know whether all councilmen supported the move to delete \$1,300 for the cost of uniforms and laundry for waste collection and public works personnel -- now borne by these workers who number among the lowest paid city employees! Or the move to delete \$750 for city janitorial services, which are now being performed by the chief of police for the men's room and the city clerk for the women's room!

We would like to know whether any councilmen supported a move for a general salary increase last given in June 1959 (which incidentally was almost completely confined to the lower paid employees). Or a move to provide additional manpower for the maintenance of ballfields and play areas, some of which have yet to be moved this year. Or a move to provide a capital improvements budget which is sorely need if Lakewood is to get help for its water seep needed if Lakewood is to gethelp for its water seepage and erosion problem and the city is to get usable tennis courts.

Again, we want to make our position clear. We feel that executive sessions have their place. However, whenever decisions are reached during such meetings on controversial items, the differences of viewpoint expressed in private should be a move known to the public.

Summer Bible School

The Greenbelt Community Church is planning a summer Bible school session from July 10 through 24 for children from four years through the sixth grade. Kindergarten through the second grade will meet from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Third through 6th graders will meet from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. All persons interested may get registration forms at the church office or from Mrs. Janice Wyatt.

Demos Hear Pistel

Harry J. Pistel, Assistant District Engineer of the State Roads Commission for Montgomery and Prince Georges County, will speak before the 21st District Democratic Club meeting on Thursday, June 15, at the College Park Municipal Center on Route 1.

Pistel will talk on the State Roads program of the 21st District, which includes Greenbelt. The public is invited.

Implication Resented Thanks

To The Editor:

The taxpayers of Lakewood resent the implication that they ignored or were ignorant of what their tax dollars bring to them.

We, as one interested group, attended all budget hearings, and carefully studied the proposed budget. Certain of the changes we recommended as a result, were accepted by the council. This group of citizens was interested enough to attend the budget hearings and voice their opinions.

The council expressed their appreciation to these people for their enthusiastic participation in the formulation of the second most important function of a democratic government, Only through the active participation of their constituents can the elected officials be made aware of the wants and needs of the community. Blind acceptance of any budget leads to waste and inefficiency in the expenditure of the tax dollar.

We, the citizens of Lakewood, feel the City of Greenbelt, benefited from our constructive criticism of the proposed budget. R.R. PILSKI

PRESIDENT Lakewood Citizens Association

Little League

BUD DEAN

Monday, June 5: The GH1 Giants took the Jim Lemon All-Stars, 14-4, behind the pitching of Hillebrand and the heavy striking of Feltner (four for four, one of them his fourth homer) and Stickney (three for five, also homing).

Tuesday: The DAV Tigers beind the chucking of A.J. Nuzzo tightened their hold on first place

by whitewashing the Lions, 4-0. Wednesday: With Indians leading 4 to 1 against the American Legion Cardinals, the heavens opened up and put an end to the game. The game will be

played Saturday, June 17, 9 a.m.
Thursday: G.H.I. Giants vs.
Co-ops were rained out. The game will be played Saturday, June 17, at 11 a.m. Pepsi Cola Athletics - Jim Lemon All-Stars were rained out; to be played June 17 at 1 p.m.

Saturday: In a make-up game the Pepsi Cola Athletics and G.H.I. Giants put on another one of their good ball games. With George Moraz chicking for the A's and being stingy with his hits the A's won, 8-3. He again helped his cause along, getting 3 for 4 with his third homer of the year with a man on. Rogers and Groht of the A's also got into the act with their hitting as the A's maintained their hold on first place.

VACATION BIBLE CLASS

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Mr. and Mrs. Carlton D. Sharp.

Postpone Dedication

The dedication ceremonies for the Youth Center will be held during the Labor Day Festival weekend instead of the early part of June. This announce-ment was made by the Youth Center Dedication Committee which stated that the postponement was the result of difficulties in obtaining a speaker in time for the earlier date.

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7:30 p.m. Wednesday Midweek Service

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Greenbelt Community Church

Hillside and Crescent Roads

Kenneth B. Wyatt, Minister

Sat., June 17: All Day Retreat for Senior Highs, at Camp Ware-

Sunday, June 18: ONE SERVICE at 10:00 a.m. Children's Sunday; Sacrament of Baptism; Commissioning of Conference Delegates; Recognition of High School graduates. No Church School Classes; children are asked to attend Church with their families. 5:00 p.m. Morning Coffee Discussion Group Family Picnic, home of the Ludwigs, 6 Woodland Way.

Monday, June 19: 8:15 Evening Guild, home of Mrs. Ruth Powell, 49 F Ridge.

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G. Hackett, 9-C Hillside. Joyce

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6 lbs. 11 oz. She joins Dennis

Sue Shinderman, 2-K Westway,

was elected treasurer of High

Point's Student Council for 1961-When my almost four year old

son, Richy, heard that school

will soon be over for his sis-ters, he exclaimed, "And then it will be all Sundays!" Normally,

my reaction to such a comment would be "Ugh", but I didn't flinch a bit thanks to the newly

instituted Family Plan at the Greenbelt pool. Afternoons will

find my youngsters and me

splashing around in the cool, cool

waters. So if you haven't signed

up yet, do so, before July 1. (\$15.00 will entitle your family

to a summer of pleasant swimming, and also cover swimming lessons for the

swimming lessons for the kiddies). Meet you at the pooll.

We wish the Percy Andros

family, 2-A Northway, much hap-

piness in their new home at 7514 Edmonston Road, in College Park. For many years Percy

was a member of the CHI Board of Directors. Son Robert, home

for a week, will be touring Europe

for six weeks with his class.

for six weeks with his class.

Robert attends the United States

Goldfaden, 3-A Ridge, who re-ceived her Master's Degree in

Social Work at Catholic Uni-

Congratulations to Elizabeth

Air Force Academy.

versity.

and Steven.

Classified Ads

Classified rates are five cents per word, fifty cents minimum. Ads should be submitted in writing, accompanied by cash payment, to the News Review office, at 15 Parkway not later than 10 p.m. of the Tuesday preceding publication. If accompanied by cash payment, ads may be deposited in the News Review box at the Twin Pines Savings and Loan Association.

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B-B Shooters Caught

Two 13-year old boys were apprehended by police after complaints were received from residents of 9 Ridge that B-B shots were hitting and breaking their windows. The shots were coming from the direction of a residence on Westway.

HELP!

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By ELAINE SKOLNIK, Granite

Emerging victorious from last Friday's duplicate bridge game at the Co-op Hospitality Room was the Jack Sanders-Sid Barnett combine. Due to an error in the scoring, the second-place winners turned out to be Lee and Larry Fink, with Frances Sanders and Edith Ratzkin in the third slot. The Bridge Club will continue to meet in the summer.

It's a girl for Donald and Margaret Burgess, 55-H Ridge. Jennifer made her debut May 17, weighing 6 lbs. 1 oz. She joins Stephanie, Hillary, and

Timothy. Mr. and Mrs. George Bauer, 42-F Ridge, proudly announce the arrival of Nancy Lee. Born on May 28, Nancy weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz. She has two brothers, Mark and Mike, and a sister,

Karin. The girls of Troop 42 were certainly glad the predicted storms for last Saturday night passed us by. They spent the night camping out in Conestoga. It was the first such experience for many of them, and all had a marvelous time. Accompanying them were leaders Pat Pugh

and Evelyn Adkins.

There's a new addition in the Goldstein home, 56-C Crescent. Elvis, a gray and white nestling, was found two weeks ago in the roadway, suffering from injuries and malnutrition. After careful tending by 7-year-old Johnnie, who finger-fed his charge worms, cornflakes, etc., a considerable gain in weight has been noticed. Johnnie would like to borrow a cage until Elvis can fend for. himself. If you have one to spare, call Gr. 4-9203. Incidentally, when I asked how Elvis got his name, Johnnie said, "Because he wiggles while he chirps."

A very happy birthday to Karen Goldstein, who celebrates her fourth birthday on June 19. Karen and Louise Berman, 33-C Ridge, appeared on Bozo's program yes-

It's a girl for Mr. and Mrs.

Recreation Review

LASSIE LEAGUE The Lassie League will hold their first practice on Saturday, June 17, at 10 a.m. at Braden Field. Team captains for the 1961 season are Pam Tucker, Linda Capri, Barbara Hudson and Patsy

ADULT ROLLER SKATING The Adult Roller skating program will be held on Tuesday evenings beginning June 20 from 8 to 10:30 p.m.

ELEMENTARY ROLLER

SKATING The Elementary roller skating program now being held on Saturday afternoons will be held on Monday mornings beginning Monday, June 26, at 9 a.m. for 1st. 2nd and 3rd grades and at 10:30 a.m. for 4th, 5th and 6th grades. BABE RUTH LEAGUE

The Babe Ruth league will hold practice on Saturday, June 17 at 10 a.m. All contracts must be turned in at that time.

Plan Tree Memorial

The W.S.C.S. of the Mowatt Memorial Methodist Church is planning to plant a tree on the church grounds as a living memorail to the memory of John Arthur Sharp, recently deceased son of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton D. Contributions towards Sharp. the purchase of this tree may be

mailed to Mrs. Betty Lawrence. 3-Q Research.

HUGH W. ERNISSE

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GOLD MEDALLION HOME

New Community Band Auto Safety Check Plans First Concert

The newly formed Community Band will hold its first concert of the summer season on Monday evening, June 26, at 8 p.m. in the Youth Center Building. The band, composed of high school students and adults, will play many varied selections. Admission is free.

Greenbelt police are co-operating with the National Safety-Check program which is being sponsored by the Auto Industries Highway Safety Committee and Look Magazine.

The Safety-check will take place on Saturday, June 17, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Center School driveway. This is a strictly voluntary check program but drivers with autos passing the test will be given

stickers. The ten items checked

will include: brakes, front lights (and turn signals), rear lights (and turn signals), steering, tires, exhaust system, glass, windshield wipers, rear view mirror, and horn.

Greenbelt Theatre 129 Centerway GR. 4-6100

Thurs. - Fri., June 15 - 16 Big Double Feature PAT BOONE In ALL HANDS ON DECK Also

JIMMIE ROGERS LITTLE SHEPHER OF KINGDOM COME

Sat., Sun., Mon., Tue s. June 17 - 18 - 19 - 20 JOHN WAYNE THE ALAMO

City Tax Rate

(Continued from Page 1) cuts, last Friday's crowd was more evenly divided, and there were many defenders of existing services, especially those provided by the police and rec-reation departments. There was also much grumbling about the cuts effected by council, especially in personnel matters.

11630 Wash. Balto. Blvd.

Throwaway bottles \$3.43 case All Local Beer (In store only)

Vet's Gin 90 proof London Dry \$3.19 fifth

Vet's 7 year old 100 proof Bourbon \$3.79, 3 for \$11.00

Many Nationally Known Brands

\$3.49 3 for \$10.00 Bourbons, Blends, Cordials

Mix or Match

Swimming Pool Family Plan

The attached form is for your convenience. Please mail this application to the Recreation Department, along with a check in the proper amount and made payable to the City of Greenbelt.

You may pick up your pool tags the following day at the Youth Center.

The rates are as follows:

Family Plan \$15.00 Single Adult Plan \$8.00

SWIMMING POOL REGISTRATION PLAN

Head of Household

Address

Last Name First Name Initial Date Phone

Names of other members of the immediate family in householf

NAME

AGE

SEX

BEN-JOE PIZZA

STARTING FRIDAY, JUNE 16

CHICKEN IN BOX

_1.25

With Cole Slaw and French Fries

1.25 JUMBO SHRIMP IN BOX _____

With Cocktail Sauce, Cole Slaw, and French Fries

TRY OUR LUNCHEON SPECIAL - PIZZA - 60¢

Delicious Sub-Burgers

Open for Breakfast 8 a.m. - 11 a.m. Visit our New Chef Jerry

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CO-OP STORES has immediate opening in Greenbelt for a Drug Clerk-Driver. 5 Day-40 Hour Week. Some evening work, no Sundays. Experience preferred. Car necessary for deliveries - we provide car allowance. Good starting pay, regular increases, plus paid vacation and sick leave, paid holidays, hospitalization and life insurance, and discount on purchases

Call Mr. Wolfe, Weekdays between 9 and 5 at GR 4 - 6800

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SWIFT PREMIUM FULLY COOKED

These melons are coming to CO-OP direct from the fertile fields of the Southwest - so delicious topped with the New CO-OP Ice Cream - only

Full Shank Half No Slices Removed

Full Butt Half 55¢

Whole Ham

No Slices Removed

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IMPORTED FROM FOLLAND

Shoulder Picnics Sliced 996 LB

Amounts Slightly

prices effective thru June 17.