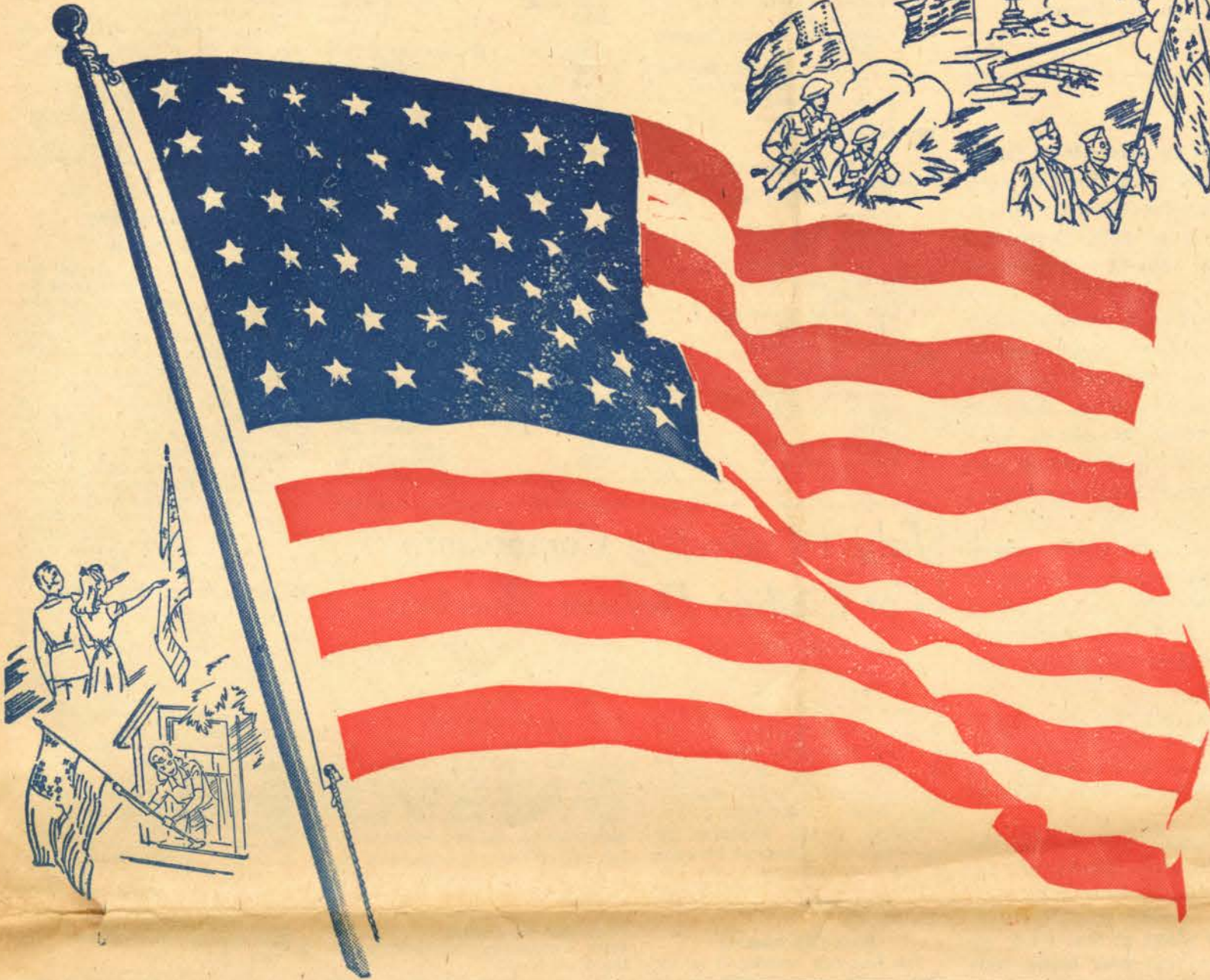




Keep It Flyin'!



in a world at war
you can keep
your flag waving
by investing in war
stamps and bonds
by collecting scrap
by avoiding waste
by not hoarding
by not spreading ru-
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by guarding informa-
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the enemy
by blood donations
by Civilian Defense
work
by maintaining na-
tional unity...
for another
Independence
Day next year.

Bryant Begins Home Delivery Of Mail July 2

Home mail delivery for residents of Greenbelt began yesterday even though all arrangements for the new service had not been fully completed. Earlier this week Postmaster George Bryant said that he was anticipating a delay of from 10 days to two weeks.

Deliveries begin at 9 a. m. and 2 p. m. daily except Sunday, with two carriers on duty at present. Mr. Bryant is of the opinion that others will have to be added soon.

All homes are being served, even those with the unusually low mail slots. Mr. Bryant said he expected these to be remedied shortly. "In a week or two we should have our problems solved," he told the Cooperator last night.

Several Difficulties Remain

Changes must be made in the post office, new equipment which has been ordered has not yet arrived, and an addition must be made to the office personnel. Also, there must be changes made in the mail boxes in some of the houses, particularly those in block D where the slots are too low to meet Government regulations which specify that the slots must be 30 inches from the floor. Another difficulty is that keys are missing for some of the mail boxes in apartments.

There are no boxes or slots of any sort for the defense homes. Cards have been sent to persons living in these homes advising them that the Variety Store has on hand a large number of boxes which may be purchased for 25 cents and which will be installed free of charge by the town. These boxes were originally to be sold only on Monday and Tuesday of this past week, but may still be bought.

Those who wish to continue post
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Defense Homes Finally Win Landscaping

After six months of being surrounded by dusty or muddy grounds, the residents of the new Defense homes are finally seeing action taken on the landscaping of their yards. R. Heidkamp Company, Inc., of Washington, received the contract, it was announced Wednesday by Town Manager Roy S. Braden.

Top Soil Added

Trenches are being dug for hedges, it was stated by Greenbelt's Chief Gardener Angus MacGregor, and being filled with top soil. However, he added, hedges will not be planted until after the extreme heat of the summer has passed. Probably, he said, they will not be planted until late August or early September. Three inches of top soil will be put over the front lawns, and two over the back. Grass will be seeded in front, sodded at back. Grading was started Tuesday in No. 10 block of Southway.

Delay Explained

Official sources, when questioned on the subject prior to awarding of contract, expressed the opinion that delay had been due to the lack of sufficient funds to tempt contractors to bid. Whether the amount provided was raised or the original sum proved satisfactory was not ascertained.

Yards "Eyesores"

At the June meeting of the Citizens Association, several representatives of the new homes questioned Arthur Rysticken, Assistant Town Manager, who was leading a general discussion about the sums in lieu of taxes forthcoming from Federal Works Agency, asking if or when their grounds would be landscaped. Complaints were made that the insides of the houses were continually being tracked with either
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Swimming Lessons Extended; New Class Registers July 12

Due to cold weather the first session of swimming classes will be extended to July 11, the Recreation Department announced Tuesday, and children who have missed more than two lessons will be allowed to continue the course. This is a change from the original policy.

Registration for the second group of swimming classes will be held Friday, July 12, from 9:30 to 11 a. m. at the pool. Children who are in swimming classes at the present time will register with their instructor if they wish to continue lessons. Children registering for the first time must wear a bathing suit and come into the pool. They will be given a swimming test and checked for athlete's foot and skin rashes. Any child who has dropped out of the present swimming classes must register over again in order to take lessons. No one will be admitted to classes without first registering.

Adult lessons are given Tuesdays and Thursdays at 11 a. m. It is not necessary to register for this class, Director Ben Goldfaden said. He reported that only a few adults are taking advantage of the free swimming instructions, whereas classes for the children are filled nearly to capacity.

Fire Causes Small Damage

A soldering kettle left by a workman in one of the Defense home closets started a fire last week which the local fire department—regular and auxiliary—extinguished almost immediately, it was advised by Safety Director George Panagoulis. No damage was done, he added, other than a hole burned through the floor of the closet.

A. R. P. Units, Minute Men To Head July 4 Parade; Defense Stamps To Be Awarded as Prizes

For the first time Greenbelt will see on display its full civilian protection when all units of the Civilian Defense Corps and the new Greenbelt Company of Maryland Minute Men march in the July 4th parade.

There will be no fireworks to celebrate Independence Day in Greenbelt, this year, but in addition to the parade there will be a program of games and contests for children, and a rally in the evening at the handball court back of the swimming pool.

Citizens Association Helps

Sponsored by the Citizens' Association the program for the holiday has secured the backing of the town's administration and numerous organizations for a schedule to interest every resident in Greenbelt.

Beginning at 12:30 the children of Greenbelt will open festivities and fire the opening gun of the celebration by participating in games and races at Braden Field under the guidance of Ben Goldfaden and Doris Armstrong. The order of events for the afternoon will proceed as follows:

A race for pre-school age boys and girls (separately) from 4 to 5 years old—distance, 25 yards; race for boys and girls weighing 60 pounds—distance, 50 yards; race for boys and girls weighing 95 pounds—distance, 60 yards; race for boys and girls weighing 125 pounds—distance, 70 yards; finally, a race for boys and girls of unlimited weight but who are 16 years of age or under—distance, 70 yards; and a race for seniors from 16 to 21 years of age—distance 100 yards for boys and 60 yards for girls.

At 3 o'clock there will be a baseball game between Greenbelt and Fort Myer.

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Milk Club Fights Price Increase

The end of the Maryland Milk Club was seen in a price increase announced this week by the Maryland Farms Dairy, a reorganization of the recently defunct Holbrook Farms Dairy.

The buying club with a large membership among Greenbelt consumers had secured a special club price for milk delivery. The announcement of a 14-cent per quart price and discontinuance of what is termed the "club blue cap" as a war-time economy move comes at the expiration of the Milk Club's contract. Mrs. Ella Roller, president of the group, and local members have reported the increase to the Office of Price Administration for investigation in connection with price ceilings.

A local meeting of the club is being considered as soon as a report has been received from OPA. Several Greenbelt members pointed out that since the club was organized to purchase milk at a lower price, the increase would terminate the usefulness of the organization if unchallenged.

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It's Time To Get Started

For the last three years Greenbelt has had a town fair in September as the outstanding annual event for this community. Wallace Mabee was chairman for the first two, and Harry Rhodes took charge of the 1941 fair. September 1942 is eight weeks off and no plans have been announced so far for this year's fair.

Our town fairs have been marked by a novel freedom from commercialism. Exhibits have been given over to town activities, the work of the many clubs and organizations here, garden and craft displays, and an elaborate program of entertainment. The three-day shows have brought great throngs of visitors from out of town as well as the attendance of all Greenbelters. Compliments have been profuse.

Naturally the town fair requires a tremendous expenditure of time and effort by a few individuals, although the money cost is usually low. In past years the summer months have been pointed up towards the September display for Greenbelt's gardeners, fruit and vegetable canners, and all interested in handicraft.

Rather than discourage a town fair the war should stimulate our one big demonstration of home talent. This is the sort of local entertainment and morale builder we need. Our fair is a picture of a democratic community at work.

We are late starting this year. Usually our work on the fair begins in May. There are still eight weeks left for preparations and we can do the job in that time if we want the fair badly enough. The Town Council is expected to meet July 13, and will consider fair plans at that time, we are informed. If you want the fair this year bring your ideas to this meeting.

The town fair is a **must** on Greenbelt's 1942 calendar.

Victory for the Weeds

Now our gardens have reached the dividend stage, and beets, carrots and beans are rewarding our sweat and toil of last month. A quick tour reveals that this year's gardens are the best ever seen in Greenbelt. High prices and the war effort have been sufficient stimulus in most cases to keep the amateur gardeners at work against the weeds and the insects. By this time the newcomers to the toil of the soil know that the secret of the "green thumb" is hard work.

A very few gardens have that deserted look that comes when the owners flee before the invaders. Perhaps the discouraged ones could be induced to return to the scene of their labors and spend an evening or two reclaiming their victory gardens in time for some vegetables. Or is it to be a victory for the weeds?

Craft Classes

The handicraft classes which start Monday in room 120 of the Elementary School at 2 o'clock will round out complete recreation program for Greenbelt's younger people this summer.

Games, basket-weaving, sewing, and a number of other activities will answer the occasional complaint that our children have no out-of-school program except sports. All of us hope to see the handicraft groups welcomed by both parents and children.

Use the Parking Lot

Cars crippled by failing tires, lack of gasoline or other war restrictions are beginning to accumulate in parking spaces along Greenbelt streets. At least one, unused since 1941, has been reported to the local police with a suggestion that it be moved to the general parking area. We endorse the suggestion.

Calendar of Events

| | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|-------------------|
| Friday, July 3 | Band Practice | 6:30 p.m. | Auditorium |
| | Stringed Orchestra Practice | 7:00 | Room 123 |
| | Band Parents Board | 8:00 | Auditorium |
| | Hebrew Congregation | 8:30 | Music Room |
| | Police Auxiliary First Aid | 7:30 | Fire House |
| Saturday, July 4 | Games and Races | 12:30 p.m. | Braden Field |
| | Parade | 7:00 | Shopping Center |
| | Confessions | 7:30 | 11-E Ridge Road |
| | Band Concert | 8:00 | Handball Court |
| Sunday, July 5 | Catholic Sunday School | 8:30 a.m. | Theater |
| | Catholic Mass | 9:00 | Theater |
| | Community Church Sunday School | 9:30 | Elementary School |
| | Community Church Service | 11:00 | Auditorium |
| | L. D. S. Sunday School | 11:00 | Home Ec. Room |
| | L. D. S. Priesthood | 6:30 p.m. | Home Ec. Room |
| | L. D. S. Service | 7:00 | Home Ec. Room |
| Monday, July 6 | Craft Classes | 2:00 p.m. | Room 120 |
| | Girl Scout Troop 26 | 7:00 | Room 223 |
| Tuesday, July 7 | Advanced First Aid | 10:00 a.m. | Music Room |
| | Canteen | 7:30 p.m. | Room 220 |
| | Minute Men Drill | 8:00 | Auditorium |
| | Catholic Choir | 8:15 | Music Room |
| | L. D. S. Relief Society | 8:30 | Home Ec. Room |
| Wednesday, July 8 | Brownies | 3:30 p.m. | Music Room |
| | Girl Scout Troop 15 | 7:30 | 17-A Parkway |
| | Girl Scout Troop 18 | 7:30 | Room 223 |
| | Midweek Meeting | 8:00 | Music Room |
| Thursday, July 9 | Gas Defense Unit | 10:00 a.m. | Music Room |
| | Boy Scout Troop 202 | 7:00 | Hobby Room |
| | Girl Scout Troop 17 | 7:30 | Room 123 |
| | Canteen | 7:30 | Room 220 |
| | American Legion | 8:00 | Legion Home |
| | Legion Auxiliary | 8:00 | Legion Home |

July 14 Meeting Compulsory For Civilian Defense Workers

By PHIL WEXLER

The Greenbelt Defense Corps has really begun to work in earnest on proper organization of the corps and settlement of present and future grievances by any unit of the corps. It is expected to be placed on a full war-time basis within a short time.

Comdr. Arthur Rysticken reports that he is taking an intensive 10-day training course at the University of Maryland given by the War Department Civilian Protection School.

First Full Meeting

The first full meeting of all defense units and members will be held on Tuesday evening, July 14, in the auditorium of the Elementary School. This meeting is compulsory for all members of civilian defense units. Town residents not connected with local defense activities are urged by Comdr. Rysticken to be present. Full details of all phases of civilian defense work will be presented by Comdr. Rysticken and suggestions will be made concerning the possible reorganization of each unit in order to effect the highest efficiency in Defense Corps work. The meeting promises to be not only full of interesting details as to the function of each unit in defense work, but it is also expected that Comdr. Rysticken will offer some startling information finally released by the War Department concerning future war activities by local groups and the extensive use of women in war work.

Women Aid Defense

Mrs. S. H. Downs announces that the nutrition course is in full swing and that a canteen service will soon be established in Greenbelt.

Members of the women's organization will be asked to make pen-nants for defense motor vehicles to serve as identification in an emergency. Murdock was made

and presented the corps with a civilian defense flag.

Mrs. Virginia Harris reports that all hopes of getting the Blood Bank Caravan to Greenbelt have been abandoned due to technical difficulties involved. However, six women donated their blood at the bank in Washington last Thursday, June 25, and two women were left out of the trip because of insufficient transportation. The Hyattsville Motor Corps has been providing the women of Greenbelt with the opportunity to serve their country by contributing to the blood bank.

For those who may be interested in going to Washington to donate to the blood bank here is some information:

A donor must be between the ages of 21 and 60. Married women under 21 may contribute; single women under 21 must have the written consent of their parent or guardian; donors over 60 years of age must present a medical officer or physician's OK. Eight weeks must elapse before a donor can donate blood again to the bank. Certificates or pins are usually given to donors. If available a bronze pin is given for one or two donations and a silver pin for three or more donations.

For six hours prior to donation a donor may have for food only fruits, fruit or vegetable juices, dry toast or crackers, black coffee, black tea or clear soft drinks. This food regulation is necessary in order to give the recipient the desired protect against possible reactions from plasma prepared from fatty blood. For further information and for dates for future trips call Mrs. Virginia Harris, 18-P Ridge Road, or phone 5211. Mrs. S. H. Downs says that the Girl Scouts have volunteered to stay home with children of mothers who would care to contribute to the blood bank.

Siren Mixup

When we are told to disregard Greenbelt's air raid sirens during regular tests Saturday morning and then when we have a practice air raid Saturday morning we can be forgiven for a certain amount of confusion.

Our instructions have been clarified a little now. There will be a regular siren test at 11 a. m. each Saturday. We are to ignore it, **unless** we have been informed by newspapers and radio that there will be an actual air raid test at that time.

We are still uncertain what we are supposed to do if an actual raid should occur at this particular time, but we presume that is a remote possibility. Anyway, if you hear planes dropping bombs some Saturday morning at 11 o'clock you will know it is not a test but the real thing. Be sure to call in the children if that happens.

Community Church

"A Sign and a Symbol" will be the subject of the sermon to be preached by the Rev. Wilmer Pierce Johnston at the Community Church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

At the close of the sermon the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

This will also be the occasion for the reception of new members.

The finance committee will meet Sunday evening at the church office, 8-B Parkway.

The old-fashioned prayer meeting, led by a layman, will be Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the music room.

Last week's founders' day sermon brought out an unusually large attendance. Special invitations had been sent out to the 70 families who are charter members of the church.

Siren Test Saturday Causes Confusion

In explaining the mix-up last Saturday about the blowing of the air-raid sirens, George Panagoulis, chief air-raid warden, said Monday that an order had been issued asking that all Maryland sirens be tested each Saturday at 11 a. m. Last week, however, after the "Cooperator" went to press, the order was received that Greenbelt, along with the rest of the Washington area, would also have a regular air-raid test. In the future, said Mr. Panagoulis, residents may be guided by the newspapers and radio, as Greenbelt participates in all Washington area blackouts and air-raid tests.

Racketers in High Gear

The recreation tennis league has been thriving for nearly two weeks. Interest is high and the competition keen. Results shown below will have the winner named first:

Mrs. Sheretz-Mrs. Bowman

6-2, 6-3.

Clark-Howey 8-6, 4-6, 6-0.

Fogarty-Armstrong 6-0, 6-1.

Mrs. Moore-Mrs. Wurl 6-3, 7-5.

Hennessey-Pierce 6-8, 6-4, 6-0.

Blanchard-Cummings 6-2, 6-4.

Plackett-Sheretz 7-5, 6-4.

Moore-Wofsey 6-4 (default).

Goldfaden, Moore-Sheriff, Labovitz 6-1, 7-5.

Howey, Pierce-Hennessey, Clark 6-3, 7-5.

Wurl-Neblett 6-4, 6-2.

Mrs. Martone-Mrs. Wofsey 6-1, 6-1.

Tomorrow's Yesterday

By D. W. Greenbelt

This is tomorrow's yesterday—
 'Tis filled with vain regret
 For letting selfishness delay
 The duties to be met.

This is tomorrow's yesterday,
 The time we meant to do
 A helpful deed, a kind work say
 Before the day was through.

This is tomorrow's yesterday,
 Each precious fleeting minute;
 Let's use it wisely while we may,
 For there is wisdom in it.

New Babies

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon T. Stoutmyer, 4 Forestway, are parents of son, David, born June 17 in Washington.

William Franklin Edwards II was born to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley R. Edwards, of 9-J Ridge Road.

Joseph Carl Schaeffer, born June 16 to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schaeffer, 19-M Ridge Road.

One Year Ago

(From the Cooperator of July 4, 1941.)

Refugee children arrived July 1—
 Celebrities attend 4th events—
 Town fair plans formulated—
 Mayor issues proclamation for the cause of democracy—19 groups participate in Independence Day festival—Parents board of band prepares menu for celebration at Lake—Picnic area at Lake gets drinking water—Two Hyattsville boys injured in local auto crash—92 prizes for novelty and athletic contests—15 floats in July 4th parade—Fishing season opened July 1—Feeder band to be organized—Mrs. Ella G. Roller, chairman of the education committee of Greenbelt Consumer Services, attends meeting of the American Association of Scientific Workers and Consumers Union—Nursery school plans for fall term—New shelves improve food service—New Washington road under way—B B Gun Club selects range site—Greenbelt Hospital overcrowded.

OUR NEIGHBORS

By SALLY MEREDITH
Hello, Greenbelt:
We won't need fireworks tomorrow to make us realize that independence is worth fighting for. If anything were needed, news reports of happenings in those places no longer independent should convince us. As these facts are as obvious to you as they are to me or the lecturers on the platforms, I won't go into a patriotic harangue. It should be worth-while to be on hand promptly at 7 p.m. tomorrow, as that is when the parade starts. The entire band—80 members, feeder and regular members—will start playing at that time and continue through the parade. These boys and girls have been expertly coached by S. Hartford Downs until they can hold their own with any band of its nature in the country.

Miss Pearl Smith of Maplewood, N. J., left Tuesday after a brief visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Flynn, of 3-D Parkway. Mrs. Beatrice Smith, of 54-C Crescent, is in her home State of Ohio on vacation, with her darling little boy, Billy, who is almost a year old. Mrs. Shirley Levine, a member of our staff, was in New York City this week. If you read "One Year Ago," "Hi, Neighbor!" and the New Baby column, then you know Mrs. Levine. What a difference one person can make in an organization! Which reminds me, a former member of our staff—Sol Shub, also formerly chairman of the successful transportation committee—was in town this week. He was sent out of town quite some time ago, but the Missus remained here until their situation could be better clarified. Hello, Sol! I got a card from our editor, Frank Fosnight. He arrived in Denver last week, and says he's still resting.

I'm glad you new people in the defense homes are finally getting your yards fixed up. We can sympathize with your months of putting up with dusty or muddy yards. You see, all of Greenbelt was like that for a long time after the town was occupied.

Girl Scout Troop 26, under leadership of Mrs. Lillian Mitchell, had a watermelon feast last Monday, June 30, at the lake. Thirty-one children—including friends of one of the troop members—and 6 adults were present. Activities included flashlight dancing, active games and a moonlight hike home.

Miss Lu Lu George of the Administration staff, attended the wedding last Saturday of her friend, Miss Jean Wilson, to Mr. Ewing Tavel, Jr., at the Mount Rainier Methodist Church. After the wedding, which began at 4 p.m., a reception was held at the bride's home. The newlyweds are both of the Washington area. Vacations this week are thick and fast at the Town Office. Just returned are Joseph Rabbitt and Milton Blum and just leaving are Miss Roby, the switchboard operator, and Mrs. Bertha Bonham. Mr. Rysticken was also away this week, attending a course at Maryland University.

Library Gives Policy On School-owned Books

All books owned by the town can be borrowed from the library, Mrs. Reba Harris, librarian, informed the Cooperator this week, but those belonging to the school must be used at the library, and can not be taken home.

The schedule for the summer is as follows: Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, the library is open from 9 a. m. to 12 p. m. and 7 p. m. to 9 p. m.; on Tuesday and Thursday, from 9 a. m. to 12 p. m. and from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m.

Classified Ads

WANTED — Washing machine. 6-Q Ridge Road.

FOR SALE—Double bed and springs. 6-H Ridge Road or Cooperator office.

CLASSIFIED ADS—to meet your needs can be printed at 3 cents per word. Call 4526 or 3131, or come to the Cooperator office, over the drug store.

MAILING LISTS—Have your organizational mailing list set up by the Greenbelt Cooperative Publishing Association. Reasonable rates, quick service. Call Greenbelt 3131 for full information.

\$100 Fund Brings 756,000 Jap Beetles in First Week

Greenbelt children, neglecting the playgrounds and swimming pool, have turned to the more lucrative past-time of beetle-collecting, receiving 25 cents for each quart turned in to Head Gardener Angus McGregor.

The successful gatherer of the necessary quart of beetles hies himself to Angus MacGregor's office, and after gaining admittance holds his bottle under the gardener's nose. After the top has been more tightly screwed on, enclosing the odor with the beetles, and after the name and address of the young huntsman has been secured, he is given a slip of paper to be redeemed by the bearer at the Administration Office for 25 cents.

"That makes 216 quarts, and 756,000 beetles," figures Mr. MacGregor on the scratch pad on his desk. Incidentally, it's also \$64 of the \$100 appropriated two weeks ago by Town Council. No provision has been made for the millions of beetles remaining after the \$100 runs out. Hope has been expressed that the effect will be felt so strongly that future appropriations will be made to eliminate the pests entirely.

Mr. MacGregor's day isn't taken up completely with receiving, pay-

ing for and exterminating beetles. The beetle problem isn't completely covered even with these actions. Reading advertising pamphlets from anti-insect companies, testing their products, and advising the public of the results, are part of his regular duties. For example, last week a spray under the trade name of "Japellent" was tested on the bushes at the underpass near Crescent Road and Garden Way. The beetles touched by the insecticide turned over and died; but the following day their cousins were there by the thousands. However, Mr. MacGregor admits that this was not a fair test, as the spray had been in his possession for two years, and its potency might have been affected by evaporation of the active chemicals. Further tests on new samples of the product will be made, he said, and results published. Sprays which keep the beetles away also harm the foliage, he added, as well as offering a certain amount of danger to humans.

Added to the 756,000 beetles brought in by the collectors, over 400,000 have been taken from the traps, bringing the total caught by Monday, June 29, to well over 1,000,000.

County Entitled To Institute Scholarship

Notice has been received from the Maryland Institute for the Promotion of Mechanic Arts in Baltimore that Prince George's County, under the law, is entitled to one free scholar at that institution, said scholar to be appointed by the Senator. Any one wishing to secure this scholarship should apply to L. Harold Sotheron, 4310 Holliday Street, Brentwood, Maryland, or to the office of the Board of Education, Upper Marlboro.

| Shamrock Batting Averages | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|----|----|----|---|---|----|-----|------|--|
| | ab | rr | h | 2 | 3 | hr | rbi | av | |
| Picco | 5 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .600 | |
| Zer | 23 | 8 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 6 | .478 | |
| M're | 55 | 11 | 25 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 21 | .455 | |
| Davis | 52 | 9 | 23 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 13 | .442 | |
| Gold | 50 | 9 | 17 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 9 | .340 | |
| B'gs | 45 | 10 | 15 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 | .333 | |
| Pro | 22 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | .313 | |
| Lw's | 42 | 8 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 | .310 | |
| An's | 55 | 16 | 16 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 9 | .291 | |
| Gey'r | 45 | 7 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | .289 | |
| Todd | 40 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | .250 | |
| Bar'r | 12 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .250 | |
| McD | 49 | 12 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | .243 | |
| Br'd | 26 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 | .192 | |

| County Baseball Standings | | | | | | | | | |
|--|---|---|------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Stanleigh Inn | 8 | 1 | .899 | | | | | | |
| Greenbelt | 7 | 2 | .788 | | | | | | |
| Md. Sport Club | 7 | 2 | .778 | | | | | | |
| Oxon Hill | 6 | 3 | .667 | | | | | | |
| Armstrong-Roney | 4 | 5 | .444 | | | | | | |
| Maryland Aces | 2 | 7 | .222 | | | | | | |
| Hyatts. P. B. C. | 1 | 8 | .111 | | | | | | |
| Accokeek* | 1 | 8 | .111 | | | | | | |
| *Dropped from league. Forfeited to Oxon Hill Sunday and forfeit to Maryland Aces July 5. | | | | | | | | | |

Meyers Heads Gas Unit In Defense Corps

Max G. Meyers, chief of the newly organized Greenbelt Gas Defense Unit, yesterday called the first meeting of his volunteer lieutenants, determining methods of giving complete coverage to the town, educating each individual in proper defense in the event of poison gas attack.

The possibility of such an attack, said Mr. Meyers, while not indicated in the near future, is not remote. Since poison gas can be fired from machine guns, cannon, or dropped in bombs from airplanes, and since the enemy has been known to use gas in China, and also since our west coast was shelled by submarine recently, the unexpected may become the expected.

Present at the organizational meeting were: Lieutenants Edgar Swisher, Mrs. Eileen Sheriff, Miss Mary McArthur, Mrs. E. W. Meredith, Mrs. A. H. Cline, and Mrs. Max Meyer. Each of these was instructed to recruit volunteers from his neighborhood, and to conduct evening classes in gas protection.

Stressing the fact that so little protection is available, Mr. Meyers said that what knowledge there is must be made known to every-

Reps Slap Down FBI, 6-2 Trumbule Allows 4 Hits

Greenbelt's Reps avenged an earlier defeat at the hands of the F.B.I. by plastering that team at Washington Stadium June 26. The game was close until the final two innings when the Reps drew away, winning 6-2. Eddie Trumbule's pitching and Ben Goldfaden's hitting were high points of the game.

| Greenbelt | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|----------------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|
| Dennard, 2b. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Barnhart, 2b. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Krasnor, ss. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Moore, 1b. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| Goldfaden, 3b. | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Taylor, sf. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Barker, rf. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Bauer, cf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Marack, lf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Foster, lf. | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bowman, c. | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Trumbule, p. | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 26 | 6 | 8 | 21 | 8 | 1 |

| F. B. I. | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|----------------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|
| Glennon, 1b. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Lanthorne, sf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Anna, 3b. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Noble, c. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Huber, ss. | 2 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Blaul, rf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| McCarthy, rf. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cummings, cf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Smith, lf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Madigan, 2b. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kuker, p. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 24 | 2 | 4 | 18 | 1 | 0 |

Two base hits—Goldfaden, Barker, Krasnor. Home runs—Goldfaden. Runs batted in—Goldfaden, Taylor, Moore, Trumbule, Barker. Struck out by Trumbule 3, Kuker 5. Base on balls off Trumbule 2, Kuker 3. Umpire—Davidson.

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Jobs in Greenbelt Area Offered By Civil Service

The Civil Service Commission announces a number of positions open in the Greenbelt area which can be filled by applicants who lack Civil Service status.

These include: Two junior stenographers (\$1440) at College Park; 10 semi-skilled laborers (\$1320), two Webendorfer lithographers (\$1800 and \$2000), three engineering aids (\$1800), and a draftsman (\$1620) at Beltsville.

Anyone interested should call Andy Melvin, special representative of the Fourth Civil Service District at Republic 5711.

G. C. A. Plans Dance

Greenbelt Citizens Association will hold another dance on Saturday, August 1, it was announced late last night. Further details will appear in the next issue of the Cooperator.

one. At least 50 volunteers are needed to continue the training program already started. Anyone willing to enter this field of Civilian Defense, said Mr. Meyers, will be welcomed to the meetings each Thursday at 10 a. m. in the music room of the Elementary School.

Manhattan Auto Bows to Reps

The Reps crushed Manhattan Auto at Braden Field last Tuesday night by a score of 15 to 5. It was the sixth win in a row for the Reps' county league endeavor. They are undefeated and need only one win to clinch the first half title.

Bennet Beale bid farewell to the Reps by banging out three hits. Ben Goldfaden ran his hit streak to 12 consecutive games. Curt Barker hit and pitched well.

| Greenbelt | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|
| Blanchard, 2b. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Krasnor, ss. | 5 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Beale, 1b. | 5 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Goldfaden, 3b. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Barker, p. | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Bauer, cf. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Marack, lf. | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dennard, sf. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Bowman, c. | 4 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Barnhart, rf. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Trumbule, rf. | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTALS | 39 | 15 | 17 | 21 | 5 | 1 |

| Manhattan A. | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|----------------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|
| Cooke, 2b. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Nutwell, sf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| R. Poston, cf. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Hanneman, c. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Cinotti 3b. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| McPh'son, 1b. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Lassie, lf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Meyers, rf. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| B. Poston, p. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Loube, ss. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| TOTALS | 26 | 5 | 5 | 21 | 2 | 2 |

Two base hits—R. Poston. Three base hits—Blanchard. Home runs—Krasnor, Loube. Struck out—by Barker 4, by B. Poston 4. Base on balls—off Barker 3, off B. Poston 5. Umpire—Allen.

Undefeated Kavakos Grill Beats Reps in Tenth

Kavakos Grill extended its undefeated streak at the Reps' expense at Washington Softy Stadium June 29, winning 5 to 3 in one extra inning.

The Reps led as late as the sixth inning by a 3-0 score but weakened in the field behind Barker and damage was done.

| Greenbelt | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|-----------------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|
| Dennard, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Krasnor, ss. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Taylor, 1b. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 0 |
| Goldfaden, 3b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Barker, p. | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Bauer, cf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Marack, lf. | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bowman, c. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Barnhart, rf. | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Rabenhorst, sf. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 33 | 3 | 6 | 23 | 9 | 3 |

| Kavakos Grill | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---------------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|
| Forame, sf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| R. Grace, ss. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| W. Burke, 3b. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Boggs, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Grace, lf. | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lamb, c. | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| Keehan, 1b. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 4 |
| Johnson, cf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Smith, p. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Cewill, rf. | 3 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 29 | 5 | 5 | 24 | 9 | 5 |

Two base hits—Marack, Smith. Three base hits—Boggs. Runs batted in—Dennard, Marack, Grace, Boggs 2, Burke. Struck out by Barker 6, Smith 5. Base on balls off Barker 5, Smith 1. Greenbelt 101 001 00—3
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Shamrocks Down Boys Club 13-0 Behind Jim Breed

The Shamrocks trounced Hyattsville's Police Boys Clubbers by a 13 to 0 score at Braden Field, June 28.

A total of seventeen hits were collected off three Hyattsville flingers by the Big Green sharpshooters. Four of them went for doubles.

Stanley Provost and Wayne Davis had perfect batin g scores with three and two hits respectively.

Big Jim Breed was again very right and hung up his second straight shut-out win. He has now pitched 21 consecutive scoreless innings.

The Shamrock pitching staff has given up but two runs in the last five games.

| Greenbelt | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|
| Andrus, cf. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Geyer, ss. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Davis, 2b. | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Moore, 1b. | 5 | 2 | 3 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| McDonald, lf. | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Goldfaden, 3b. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Zerwick, rf. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Todd, c. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Breed, p. | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Barker, 2b. | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Boggs, rf. | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Provost, c. | 3 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTALS | 42 | 13 | 17 | 27 | 13 | 0 |

Auxiliary Firemen To Submit Grievances

Monday evening at the Civilian Defense Corps meeting, a spokesman for the Auxiliary Firemen presented a letter listing their grievances and complaints as a defense unit. However, after some discussion, the letter was withdrawn to be revised and resubmitted at the next Corps meeting where the matter will be taken up, discussed in full and disposed of.

The tone of the meeting gave every indication that the matter will be satisfactorily concluded at the next meeting of the corps.

The Auxiliary Firemen announced that the money derived from their bake sale some time ago will be presented to the Civilian Defense Corps for deposit in the general funds. Spokesman for the auxiliaries was Mr. John Marshall.

Swimming Pool Is Open During July

Greenbelt's swimming pool will continue in operation during the month of July, according to a report from Mrs. Doris Armstrong of the Recreation Department.

Sufficient chemicals have been secured for the treatment of the water for at least one more month and it is hoped that the pool may be kept open during the entire swimming season. Admission rates will continue the same as during the past month.

A concrete walk is being laid along the outside of the fences surrounding the swimming pool. Due to the large number of persons who have been standing outside the pool to watch the swimmers the grass has been trampled away. The new walk is expected to improve the appearance considerably.

ARP Units

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At 5 p.m., a picnic luncheon, prepared by the band's parents board, will be offered for sale. The hope was expressed by Band Manager S. H. Downs that this year's food concession will be as successful as last year's.

Band Not Marching

The Greenbelt Community Band and the Feeder Band, combined, will not march in the parade, according to Mr. Downs, but will play as the parade passes the shopping center, and will then assemble at the handball court and give a 45-minute concert, preceding the awarding of prizes and addresses.

The parade will start at 7 p.m. All participating units are requested to be at the assembly point at Westway and Crescent Road between 6 and 6:30 p.m. so that the parade will start promptly. From there in appointed order the units will march down Crescent Road, around the Center, and into the west parking lot where the parade will disband.

The order of the parade, as it known to date, will be as follows:

The grand marshal, Mayor Allen D. Morrison, Auxiliary and Regular Policemen, American Legion Color Bearers, Air Raid Wardens, Minute Men, Auxiliary and Regular Firemen, Medical Service Unit in full, Boy Scouts, Civilian Defense Messengers, Girl Scouts—and their float, American Legion float and the children in various costumes, tricycles, doll carriages, wagons and bicycles.

Rally at Handball Court

At the end of the parade every one will proceed to the hand ball courts where the band will give a concert and speeches to top the day's events will be presented by Town Manager Roy S. Braden and Arthur Rysticken, commander of the Civilian Defense Corps.

Following this awards and prizes will be presented by Mrs. Sophie Rogers. Prizes will be awarded to the winners of the afternoon races and to the best patriotic costume worn by a youngster in the parade (Uncle Sam, Miss Liberty, etc.), best decorated float, best wagon, decorated tricycles, doll carriage and best decorated bicycle. All prizes will be in defense stamps and approximately \$100 will be disbursed for various awards. Judges will be Wilmer Pierce Johnston, Mary Margaret Dean and Mrs. Morton Smith.

In connection with the Medical Corps activity for the day there will be a medical service display in the pharmacist's window of the drug store.

Mayor of Quito, Ecuador Praises Greenbelt

Dr. Mortensen, mayor of Quito, Ecuador, and president of the Municipal Association of Ecuador, visited Greenbelt last Monday. He is serving his third term as mayor of the city, and was invited to the United States to visit our cities and to study the operation of local government in this country.

Town Manager Roy S. Braden, who was host to Dr. Mortensen, said that the distinguished visitor was particularly interested in housing because of the need for housing in his native Ecuador. Dr. Mortensen indicated that he was deeply impressed by his three-hour visit here. He particularly referred to the way in which Greenbelt had its residential areas, shopping center, and recreational facilities located.

He expressed himself as pleased to know that this was a cooperative community.

Administration Office Has Lost and Found Articles

The following lost and found articles may be claimed at the Greenbelt Administration Office any time between 8 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. July 1 through July 15.

Blue gabardine bonnet, red white and blue parka hood, Children's red purses, child's pink chenille purse (doll's face), baby doll, Navy Yard pass book, child's dress (size 2), blue wool vest (boy's), brown imitation beaver muff, black seal muff, brown corduroy cap, child's figured apron (found in playground), child's knitted tan sweater (swimming pool), girl's blue wool sweater—long sleeves (swimming pool), gold locket and chain, and gold prayer book locket and chain.

Bryant Begins

(Continued from Page 1) office boxes must specifically request them, as the delivery service has been started automatically for all homes. About 50 persons have already asked for continued box rentals. Boxes not kept in use will be removed. The space now taken by these boxes will be needed for new filing cases and work tables, Mr. Bryant said.

Local Postage Raised

With the change from a third class to a second class post office Greenbelt's local postage rate goes up to two cents for letters.

Although the new classification permits the introduction of postal savings Mr. Bryant said no arrangements would be made for accounts unless there was a sufficient demand for such service. War bonds and stamps and the Greenbelt Credit Union offer savings facilities for residents here which may make postal savings unnecessary.

Defense Housing

(Continued from Page 1) mud or dust, and that the yards made an eyesore of an otherwise attractive community. Mr. Rysticken explained that the J A J Construction Company, upon bidding on the contract, insisted that all sums paid them would be used on the construction of the houses, thus insuring the maximum of durability and variety of construction. Additional funds were provided, he said, for the landscaping.

New residents, when approached on the subject, expressed their disappointment at the delay, but happiness at the fact that the job had finally begun.

Warden's Armbands Here

Arm bands for Greenbelt's air raid wardens have arrived and are going to be distributed by the block wardens right away, Chief Warden George Panagoulis announced Wednesday.



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