



Citizens Score FPFA Plan to Lease Liquor Store

By Carolyn R. Miller

Citizens of Greenbelt will be given an opportunity to vote on the question of whether a liquor store should be operated in the community, the Town Council voted unanimously last Wednesday night at a meeting attended by over 150 residents.

Regardless of the result of the referendum, however, the final decision rests with the Government.

The meeting was held at the request of the Federal Public Housing Authority following receipt of an application from Thomas B. Ricker, former general manager of Greenbelt Consumer Services, to build and operate a store selling packaged liquor. Although the meeting was called on short notice representatives of nearly every Greenbelt organization were present.

The opinion of the gathering, although not put to a vote, appeared to be overwhelmingly against the proposal on two grounds: space is more urgently needed for other services and a liquor store at the center would make Greenbelt a less desirable place to bring up children.

Joe N. Everett, FPFA representative, stated that he was present to learn from the Council whether Greenbelt wanted a liquor store or not. He said that the FPFA was not under obligation to consult the Council nor the citizens of the town but wished to determine the sentiment here before giving serious consideration to the application.

If the FPFA decides to permit the operation of a liquor store, Mr. Everett pointed out, it was not definite that Mr. Ricker would run it; the Co-op might, although he intimated that the first application received, or the first organization prepared to set up the store, might have preference.

The question of competition with Greenbelt Consumer Services was not discussed to any great extent, the visitors expressing more concern as to the possible harm a liquor store run by anyone should do to the community.

Sherrod East, former councilman and prospective candidate for the next Council, scored FPFA on the grounds that the main question involved is not a moral one, but a basic problem of limited space available and many services needed by the town—in his opinion, many needed far more than a packaged liquor store.

Mrs. Leon G. Benefiel was applauded loudly when she asked why the teen-age group had been denied a building and a liquor store given serious consideration.

Mr. Ricker spoke briefly saying that he would welcome a referendum. He said he had no desire to establish a store here that the people did not want, as such an enterprise could not succeed.

Lieutenant (j. g.) Dayton W. Hull, president of GCS, stated that the cooperative is working on the problem of securing additional facilities and space for expansion but that it hadn't considered going into the liquor business because it was believed that the sentiment of the town was against it.

Mayor Allen D. Morrison read communication from the Citizens Association, the Elementary School P-TA, Greenbelt Consumer Services and the Washington Federation of Churches asking that the townspeople be given an opportunity to vote on the question and that the Council refer that decision to the FPFA.

A Citizens Association meeting will be held, probably on August 6, to discuss the whole question of a liquor store in Greenbelt, and ballots will be mailed out from the Administration Office shortly thereafter. The Council voted that all residents of Greenbelt 21 years of age or over will be entitled to vote. To be counted the votes shall be postmarked not later than midnight, August 11.

Paper collection tomorrow. Have your newspapers and magazines tied separately and take them to the nearest collection spot.

Health Meeting Lacks a Quorum

An increase of 20 new members since the opening of the membership drive three weeks ago was announced at the quarterly meeting of the Greenbelt Health Association, held Wednesday, July 25. Prospects for a substantial increase in membership are very promising according to Milton William, chairman of the Membership Committee, since excellent results have been attained in the preliminary stages of the drive.

Mr. William stated, "Much of the credit for the increase in membership belongs to our new administrative assistant, Mrs. Jane Hunt, who has put in a great many hours of active work on this campaign. Credit is also due the committees which prepared the attractive 'Listen, Greenbelt' leaflet and the manual for workers in the drive, both of which contain convincing arguments in favor of the Greenbelt pre-paid medical plan."

Herbert Hertz, president of GHA, delivered a report which declared the need for at least two full-time physicians. He said that the committee working on the recruitment of additional doctors reports excellent prospects of a full-time pediatrician being added to the staff. He informed the meeting that it was imperative to fulfill the quota of 150 new members set by the drive in order to carry the financial burden of an additional doctor. "The ultimate aim of the Association is to secure the services of a specialist in each field of medicine," he said.

A plea was made for more active workers in the membership drive. Anyone interested can get helpful material and further information from Mrs. Hunt at the Association offices any time during office hours. In addition, all persons interested were urged to come to meetings of the Membership Drive Committee on Thursdays from 8 to 9 p. m.

The meeting adjourned early, because of lack of a quorum due to the Council meeting, and refreshments were served in the Association offices.

Two Greenbelters Victims of Polio

There are now two cases of infantile paralysis in Greenbelt, 18-month-old McKenzie Napier of 21-N Ridge Road, who was taken to Children's Hospital last Monday, and the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Herman, 36-P Ridge Road. The second case, also in Children's Hospital, was reported this week.

The most common symptoms indicating a possibility of polio are headaches, colds, sore throat, fever, and vomiting. If these symptoms appear, the child should be put to bed and a doctor should be called immediately.

Public Health officials recommend that the following precautions be taken to prevent spread of polio:

1. Keep children away from crowds.
2. Keep children away from other children who show signs of a cold, sore throat, or other illness.
3. Keep children from over-exercising and over-heating themselves.
4. Do not allow children to play in the sun during the hot hours of the day from 10:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. Keep in cool and shaded areas.
5. Get plenty of rest to help build up resistance.

Navy Wives to Show Polio Movie Tuesday

A movie showing Sister Kenny's complete treatment for polio will be presented at 8:30 Tuesday, July 31 in the Home Economics Room of the Elementary School.

This picture is being shown free of charge under the auspices of the Truman Riddle Navy Wives Club. All interested persons are invited to attend.

Annual Roundup Starts August 2

The annual summer "round-up" of all Greenbelt children who will enter Kindergarten this fall starts next Thursday, August 2, when preliminary health examinations will be given at the Public Health Office, 2-A Gardenway. Parents are requested to accompany the children and to bring records of immunizations and vaccination. If a child's fifth birthday falls in 1945, he is eligible for the Greenbelt Kindergarten.

Parents whose last names run from A through D are asked to bring their prospective kindergarteners to the clinic, where the interviews and examinations will take place between 2 and 4 p. m. E through M will come the following day at the same hour. N through Y are due Monday, August 6, same place, same time. Eyes, ears, noses, weight and height will be checked in addition to information about diseases the child has had and what immunizations he has received.

Assisting Public Health Nurse Frances Stouffer on the summer round-up committee of the PTA are Mrs. Sam Ashelman, chairman; Mrs. Archie Foggatt, Mrs. Edward Schurr, Mrs. Freeland Ramsdell, Mrs. Elsie Morin, Mrs. Lloyd Nelson, Mrs. Kenneth Wiram, Mrs. Horace Kramer, Mrs. Orville Slye, Mrs. David Bau, Mrs. Vernon Richards, Mrs. Vernon Havens, Mrs. Burton Parker, Mrs. G. C. Fowler, Mrs. Sam Wallace, Mrs. Alfred Sansone, Mrs. Svend Gormsen, Mrs. Charles Zounek, Mrs. Ben Perelzweig, and Mrs. Herbert Hertz.

Anyone else who would like to assist the summer round-up committee is asked to call Greenbelt 2946. The group will meet at 1:30 p. m. at the clinic for last minute instructions.

Anne Hull Quits As Co-Op Editor

Resignation of the editor and assistant editor of the Greenbelt COOPERATOR was announced at a staff meeting held Monday night at the office of the community newspaper. Mrs. Anne Hull, who has served since September 8, 1944,



is the thirteenth editor and third woman to hold the office since the paper was first issued eight years ago, in November of 1937. Previous editors have been Louis Bessemer, Bob Volckhausen, Howard Custer, Aaron Chinitz, Donald H. Cooper, Mrs. Lillian Francis Fosnight, Waldo Mott, Clarke George, and Don O'Reilly. Mr. Cooper was the only one to serve twice as editor, his second term coming between those of Mrs. Henes and Mr. Fosnight.

Some explanation of the high turnover rate in editorships was brought out during the staff meeting, as difficulties in organizing the staff and mechanical problems faced by the incumbent were discussed with other staff members present. Suggestions for easing the lot of future editors included observation of deadlines for news material and recruiting of more reporters and office workers.

Plans for publishing the paper during August were not discussed in any detail, and no successor has been appointed. Mrs. Eleanor Ritchie, appointed assistant editor by Mrs. Hull on January 26, 1945, submitted her resignation to coincide with that of her chief, who will be out of the city during August but plans to return in time for the opening of the Fair. Both retiring officers stated their intention to assist the COOPERATOR staff in the future.

Citizens Assn. Shows Atrocity Pix Monday

Nazi atrocities as recorded on official War Department films will be shown by the Greenbelt Citizens Association this Monday, July 30, in the Elementary School Auditorium. Three complete screenings will be given, the first at 7:30 p. m., the second at 9 p. m. and the last showing at 10:10 p. m. There are no limitations on attendance, except that children under sixteen must be excluded. Efforts are being made to have War Bonds for sale at the showings.

David Granahan, president of the Greenbelt Citizens Association, stated that credit for obtaining these films belonging largely to Mrs. Margaret Carmody, secretary of the Association.

"Mom" Now in Pharmacy

Laura Morrison has been transferred from the food store to the pharmacy where the personnel shortage has been particularly acute of late.



FBI GRADUATE GEORGE PANAGOULIS examines a German Mauser from the reference firearms collection in the FBI laboratory. George was one of a class of 78 that graduated last Saturday from the school founded in 1935 by Director Hoover to provide police officers of the United States with the same training afforded FBI special agents.

PUBLIC NOTICE

July 25, 1945

It was voted by Council that a referendum be conducted by mail on the question of whether or not the people of Greenbelt want a liquor store in Greenbelt and that ballots must be postmarked not later than midnight, August 11, 1945. It was further voted that all residents 21 years of age or over whose names appear in the official family occupancy records be considered eligible to vote.

—BERTHA BONHAM,
Town Clerk

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Greenbelt Up In Arms

Nowadays it takes a lot to arouse the citizens of Greenbelt and to get them out to a public meeting in any numbers. Taking into consideration that the news of a possible liquor store in Greenbelt had not gotten around before Tuesday, it is all the more remarkable that the council room was jammed with people when Mayor Morrisson announced to the gathering that Federal Public Housing Authority had asked the Town Council's opinion on whether a package store might be advisable here.

This subject presents many facets for debate, as was vividly brought out as citizens one after another got to their feet, all protesting the erection of a liquor store, each for a different reason.

The moral issue raised was obvious. Whether we may enjoy an occasional drink or not, we don't wish to bring up our children in a community where liquor is too readily accessible.

If FPFA wanted to make this a test case to see whether Greenbelters would welcome private business, it made a bad choice of enterprise. It was pointed out that the proposed package store was a perfect example of what private enterprise would bring the people: something which provided its owner with the largest margin of profit.

With space in Greenbelt at the premium it is, it was tactless, to say the least, for FPFA to dangle in front of our cramped citizenry the fact that it even contemplated consideration of a liquor store, when plans for an adequate Northend shopping center, youth center, and goodness knows what else, have had to be abandoned in the past.

The Co-op's lease with the Government has 1½ years to run. Is FPFA hinting that this will be thrown over the windmill? Under competent management the people's business enterprises here have attracted more and more out-of-town patrons, who in spite of the gas rationing come out here to obtain the scarce items they cannot find elsewhere. Greenbelt has become a by-word among the surrounding communities as THE place to shop. Previous sales records are being broken daily. That the shareholders haven't half realized the potentialities of their Co-op, has nowhere more strikingly been shown than in the stock drive just concluded, when only half the amount for expansion and improvement asked by the general manager was raised.

The approving shouts that went up at the meeting when it was proposed that we should pay direct taxes instead of having them included in the rent moneys show that Greenbelters look forward to political emancipation. We can retain economic emancipation in addition if we will get behind the co-op, which keeps business profits in the community where they belong.

Community Church Hebrew Congregation

The guest speaker Sunday morning at the Community Church will be the Rev. Patrick Williams of the United Lutheran Church. The music will be furnished by a choir conducted by Arleigh Westerbeck, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Hester Neff. Reuben Barrick has returned to sing in the choir. Mrs. Katie Barili will be in the vestibule at 10:50 to receive the children whose parents desire to leave them while they worship in the main auditorium. The church has appointed Deacon George Goodreau and Deacon James Banks to represent them on the fair committee.

The Men's Bible Class will hold a business meeting in the church study Wednesday evening, August 1, at eight o'clock. This is a very important meeting and all members of the class are urged to be present.

Catholic Church

Sunday Masses: 7:30 a. m. and 9:30 a. m. in the Greenbelt Theatre; 7:00 a. m., 9:00 a. m. and 11:30 a. m. at Berwyn.

Confessions: Saturday from 7:30 p. m. on at 10-B Parkway in Greenbelt; Saturday at Berwyn from 3 to 5 p. m., and from 7:30 p. m. on.

Novena Devotions: at Berwyn every Wednesday evening at 8 p. m.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dalis, 32-D Ridge Road, will be used tonight for services which will start at 8:30 p. m., conducted by Mort Chwalow.

It is hoped that Harry Fleisher will soon be fully recovered from his recent operation, so as to once again take over the direction of the choir.

In anticipation of a large attendance for High Holiday Services, plans for a choir are being considered by the executive committee.

3d Nursing Class Starts

The first evening session of the home nursing class taught by Public Health Nurse Frances Stouffer was held Wednesday night. The classes will be held at 2-A Gardenway every Wednesday night from 7:30 to 9:30 for the next six weeks.

This is the third time the streamlined Red Cross course has been given in Greenbelt, the second class graduating last Thursday. An afternoon class will be organized after Labor Day and interested persons may register with Mrs. Frank J. McConnell, at GR. 6591.

Those receiving the Red Cross certificate and home nursing pin for completion of the second course were Mesdames Dorothy Bogan, Carrie Bryant, Dora Friedman, Anne Hull, Josephine Ramsdell, Eleanor Ritchie, Edith Van Fleet, Rose Zimmet, and Marion Havens.

OUR NEIGHBORS

Hi friends,

We've learned of two birthday parties: friends of Technical Sergeant Richard Latham helped him celebrate his natal day a week ago on Tuesday.

Last Sunday Bobbie Cooper was nine and was delighted to receive a bicycle. He celebrated further with a party.

Bobbie's brother Dick is working as a volunteer at the Ration Board in Hyattsville on Saturdays for the summer. Apparently other boys of twelve or over could be used down there on other days.

Rumor has it that the Jack Cohen's are visiting in Miami.

Miss Norma Smith from up New York way is visiting with her sister and brother-in-law the Max Rubin's.

Another guest in town is Shirley Dillon from Newark, Ohio, who is guest of the David Carneys. Miss Dillon is said to be an accomplished musician.

Mrs. Marjory Lewis and young John of 11-E Hillside Road are leaving for a vacation in St. Louis, Missouri, to visit Lieutenant Fred Lewis' family.

The Harvey Whartons have gone home to the Eastern Shore for a short vacation.

Mrs. H. E. VanHoy and her son Frank are visitors in town from Florida. They are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Linhardt.

Louise C. Meuse of 3-B Crescent Road and her two children are spending July and August in Cambridge, Massachusetts, while friend hubby stays here and does his own cooking. The foodstore reports that he's their best bicarbonate of soda customer.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Seward, Sr., 35-A Ridge Road, have as their house guest for the past month their 14-year-old granddaughter, Carole Ann Seward. Carole Ann returned to her home in Baltimore last Thursday. They also entertained their eldest son, Joseph C. Seward, Jr., of Baltimore, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Harper of 8-L Parkway are spending a two-week vacation outside Somerset, in the hills of Kentucky, where they will visit Mrs. Harper's family.

Max Bricker is in a flurry of housecleaning up 4-A Ridge Road way. Three weeks of "baching" while Ann and the youngsters, Richie and Betty, have been up to Boston, have taken their toll in the living room and kitchen. They're due back this week.

Kathleen Scott, of 7-K Crescent Road, and Agnes Hohman, of Berwyn, returned last week from a trip to Boston, where they visited friends of Miss Hohmann.

Katherine O'Meara, from Somerville, Mass., is visiting her aunt and uncle, the Philip McGonagles, of 61-H Ridge Road.

Sidney H. Deibert, of 45-Q Ridge Road, is a recent member of the Two Gallon Club.

That's thirty for tonight, folks.

GREENBELTERS IN UNIFORM

By MRS. CARL DAY
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THE AMY

Pvt. Dick Nelson of the Cavalry is now in the Philippines. Going over on the boat Dick said they showed one of the best movies he had ever seen: Greenbelt, the Town of Tomorrow.

Sgt. Werner Steinle and Cpl. Bud Grey had a reunion recently somewhere in the Pacific.

Pvt. Sam Rolph has been hospitalized in Germany due to a serious injury. Sam had just come off duty and was stacking rifles, when one backfired and shot him through the leg. Tough luck, Sam, to be wounded after V-E day.

Lt. Jean E. Day, A.N.C., is home on a 30-day furlough from the ETO. Lt. Day was with the 157th General Hospital in England. After a few weeks training in Alabama the unit will join the procession to CBI.

Pvt. Leonard Webster of 46-C Crescent Road, T/Sgt. Kerry Biggs and Charles Powell arrived home on the Queen Elizabeth from the ETO. Welcome back to Greenbelt.

Sgt. Stanley Ostler, a former resident of Greenbelt has been with a tank corps stationed in Germany. He was among those GI's making the trip up to Hitler's Eagle Nest. HI NAVY

Jack Huntington, ARM 3/c, is home on a 15-day furlough from DeLand, Florida naval air base.

Lt. (j. g.) John K. Freeman is home on a 30-day leave from the Philippines where he completed his 60 flying missions and was awarded two oak leaf clusters. That's all we could pry out of John though we heard he has had lots of adventures. John goes back to Hutchinson, Kansas.

Donny Freeman is home on a 7-day leave from St. Simons Island, Ga. He has been on duty in a radio control tower.

Seaman Andy Freeman is in Florida on a training ship, the only boat retained from the fleet on which Andy made his trip across the Atlantic. Andy says there are quite a few Russian and Chinese men being trained there as well as our boys from the boot camps.

Vernon Fox is back in Greenbelt after being in the Pacific for two years with the Sea Bees. He was quite unprepared to see how his family of little foxes had grown so tall and lanky. Ted Fox, one of Greenbelt's basketball stars is as tall as his Dad.

Danny Jones took time out to send his Mom a beautiful bunch of roses for her birthday.

Jimmy DeMar is home on leave from Bainbridge. He has just finished boot training.

A farewell party was given last Tuesday at the Athletic Club House for Jimmy Karitas (Navy) and Carl Pearson (Army) by Jimmy's fellow-store employees. 50 quarts of beer and several cases of cokes were consumed.

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Vacation Bible School Will Be Offered Again

The Daily Vacation Bible School held under Community Church auspices from June 18 to 29 was attended by 125 boys and girls, proving so successful that the Sunday School officers and teachers decided at their last monthly meeting to hold another school next summer with a term running from four to six weeks.

Included in the school program was a worship hour, Bible study, singing instruction for the Junior Choir, and an arts and crafts period. Mrs. O'Neal Johnson, director of religious education at the Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church, headed the list of instructors, which also contained several Greenbelt church women: Mrs. George Wyant, chairman; Mrs. Carl Chesley, Mrs. Frederick Birchard, Mrs. Kermitt Watson, Mrs. Arleigh Westerbeck, Mrs. Paul Lung, Mrs. Daniel Purnell, Mrs. Howard Slaymaker, Mrs. Rudolph Schubert, Mrs. D. J. Neff, and a number of high school boys and girls. Sunday School superintendent Carl Chesley sponsored the school and supervised its opening in the auditorium. Classes were held from 9 a. m. till noon.

A pilgrimage to the Washington Cathedral on Massachusetts Avenue was the highlight of the school. At the commencement exercises several children read original poems, an original order of worship was presented, and a moving picture of the life of Christ was given.

Women's Bowling Meets

The Greenbelt Women's Bowling League will hold a meeting on Tuesday, August 7, at 8 p. m., at the Athletic Clubhouse. All former members are asked to attend, and new members are invited to be there. For further information, please call Sing Bradley, Gr. 5398, or Johnny Walker at Gr. 5466.

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Band Has Big Week's Program

Despite a delay caused by a sudden shower, the Band played the fifth in its summer concert series last Sunday. "The Bat" (Die Fledermaus) by Johann Strauss, and "Princess of India," by K. L. King, were the featured numbers. Robert Scott, second solo cornet, was the soloist of the evening. Bob presented a very commendable rendition of the "Columbia Fantasia Polka." As the fourth in a series of youthful soloists, Director Garrett introduced Dorothy Jean Marshall, age 9, who played "Daisy Bell" on her E-flat clarinet.

The Band furnished Strauss waltzes, novelty tunes and sound effects for the annual Water Carnival which was held last Thursday.

Next week's concert features two overtures "Poet and Peasant" and "The Bohemian Girl" as the featured numbers. Dick Myers, former Greenbelt resident and now a member of the Western High School Cadet Band, will play the Del Staigers arrangement of a favorite trumpet solo, "The Carnival of Venice." Dick has studied at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music under Frank Simon, solo cornet in the old Sousa Band, with Mr. Garrett while he was in Greenbelt, and, at present, with Leonard Smith, solo cornet in the Navy Band. If it is raining at 5:00 p. m. on Sunday henceforth, short thunderstorms excluded, the Band concerts will be cancelled, since the auditorium is not available for inside concerts.

Through the efforts of two newcomers from the Police Boys' Club Band, the weak bass section of the Band is being rapidly enlarged and strengthened. The recruits are George Rice, on the trombone, and Robert Pallansh, on the tuba.

Several improvements are being made in the organization of the Band. Practice on Friday night will begin at 7:00 instead of 7:30, in order to devote a half hour each week to marching practice. The music library is being completely reorganized by Mrs. Emmett Griggs, librarian and Pat Brown, her assistant. Mrs. Griggs recently gained the favor of band mothers by making chair covers to protect the players' shirts from the rust which develops on the chair backs in hot weather. Refreshments are being served to the Band members at each Sunday evening concert.

Wiener Roast 2nd Event On Youth Club Program

A wiener roast will be given near the pavilion at the lake by the Youth Club tomorrow night, from 8:30 to 11:30. Hot dogs and soft drinks will be sold by the entertainment committee, and music will be supplied by Mahlon Eshbaugh and his Serenaders. Transportation is being arranged from the Center, and "those who leave at 11:30 will probably be given rides home," according to chairman Donn O'Neill.

This is the second event of the Youth Club's summer program of entertainment. The first was a reopening dance, held at the drop Inn last Saturday. Jack Gale, chairman of the planning committee and Mrs. Leon Benefiel were host and senior hostess. Sandwiches donated by the parents, music by the Serenaders, and the redecorated Drop Inn were the features of the evening. Proceeds amounting to \$23 were donated to the GREENBELTER, youth newspaper.

New Warden Chief Is John Wallen

The co-op warden organization has a new chief, John Wallen, selected last week by a committee composed of the chairman of the membership and education committees and the G.C.S. public relations director.

Mrs. Wallen succeeds Robert St. Clair, who moved from Greenbelt in May. He served on the faculty of the University of Maryland during the fall and spring term and expects to be in Greenbelt until September. Mr. Wallen became acquainted with many of the wardens through his work for the share drive. He will call a meeting of section chiefs at an early date to develop plans for the coming month.

Shamrocks' Swat Statistics Soaring

Rainy Sundays for the last two weeks brought about a dearth on baseball chatter for these pages. To alleviate that condition somewhat, we give a complete list of the Shamrock batting averages for the first ten games, all of which were won by the locals.

Eick	4	11	8	7	.637
Zerwick	9	39	19	30	.513
Raba	1	2	2	1	.500
Miller	1	4	2	2	.500
Scalise	9	36	12	16	.444
Boggs	8	33	10	14	.424
Moore	6	21	2	9	.424
Glasgow	5	12	5	5	.417
Burt	7	22	10	9	.409
Newman	5	22	7	9	.409
Coakley	3	13	3	5	.385
Holochwest	7	22	11	8	.364
Shahady	6	18	6	6	.333
Alf	2	9	5	3	.333
Wolfe	7	18	7	5	.278
Tarrant	8	18	4	5	.278
Todd	8	1	4	2	.125
Oliver	1	1	0	0	.000

Runs batted in—Boggs, Zerwick, Scalise 14, Shahady 9, Holochwest, Tarrant 8, Burt 7, Eick, Moore 5, Wolfe 4. Two base hits—Boggs 8, Scalise, Newman 3, Burt Holochwest, Moore, Coakley 2. Three base hits—Zerwick 2, Boggs, Miller, Glasgow, Burt, Coakley 1. Home runs—none. Sacrifice hits—Scalise 5, Zerwick, Holochwest 3, Glasgow, Boggs 2. Stolen bases—Zerwick 12.

Hi Neighbor

During the month of June the following have moved into "old" Greenbelt:

John H. Peeler, 18-D Parkway; Andrew O. Mothershead, 17-E Parkway; Rose Meriam Bell, 8-K Parkway; William L. Cole, 17-C Parkway; Heler W. Bussey, 54-D Crescent; William H. Bell, 20-F Parkway; Patrick Joseph Murphy, 3-F Parkway; Jerry R. Morris, 22-B Crescent; Estelle Witkin, 33-J Ridge; Marvin L. Merryman, 19-E Parkway; Michael H. Arens, 22-E Crescent; Edwin H. Pratt, 46-F Crescent; Frank S. Brown, 54-B Crescent; Charles Moreau, 52-A Crescent; Tom T. Okazaki, 3-G Parkway; Paul E. Stuck, 22-F Crescent.

The defense homes have acquired as householders:

Hinkle McLendon, Jr., 8-Q Laurel Hill; Walter R. Chandler, 8-G Laurel Hill; Robert F. Thompson, Jr., 14-A Laurel Hill; Charles M. Goldstone, 15-C Laurel Hill; William F. Lueckel, 6-K Research; Josephine L. Stemmerman, 9-D Southway; Joseph L. LeMay, 12-K Ridge; Robert E. Raynor, 50-F Ridge; Kalman Tillem, 4-B Gardenway; George D. Schrecongost, 4-E Laurel Hill; Matthew A. Troy, 69-L Ridge; Hugh H. Shurtleff, 3-H Research; Arthur W. Keys, 3-F Plateau.

Paul L. Scott, 11-G Hillside; Floyd Umbel, 51-N Ridge; Charles E. Varcoe, 62-D Ridge; Arnold M. Pettengill, 69-A Ridge; Ralph L. Gillespie, 48-E Ridge; Leston R. Fate, 2-M Research; Wendell K. Resseguie, 5-G Gardenway; Allen E. Brubaker, 14-V Laurel Hill; Thomas A. Krause, 14-G Laurel Hill; Lawrence W. Ireland, 8-C Research; Paul B. Blyth, 69-A Ridge; Harry B. McNeel, 57-H Ridge; Harold Tenenbaum, 69-D Ridge.

These moved out of old Greenbelt:

Norman Perlson, 5-F Eastway; Kathryn Wiesinger, 54-D Crescent; John S. Webb, 17-C Parkway; Arthur H. Cline, 39-K Ridge; Russell B. Rice, 46-F Crescent; Adin B. Fox, 46-F Ridge; James S. Breed, 4-B Hillside; James B. Russell, 22-E Crescent; Douglas E. Mathers, 22-F Crescent; Warren N. Ford, 19-E Parkway; Madge T. Kanode, 8-J Parkway; Gray Brewer, 18-D Ridge; Ruth K. Daniel, 8-G Parkway; Louis C. Duncan, 19-F Ridge; Robert M. St. Clair, 52-A Crescent.

While the following left the F. S. A. homes:

Woodson A. Cawthon, 5-K Research; Lloyd R. Tomilson, 69-A Ridge; George A. Stratmann, 50-F Ridge; Lawrence E. McGuire, 4-B Gardenway; Anthony Borzellino, 69-L Ridge; Frederick M. Arnold, 3-F Plateau; James H. Barkley, 11-G Hillside; Anthony Ramos, 51-N Ridge; Donald S. Gibbs, 3-H Research; George T. Doggette, 62-D Ridge; Henry W. Gronski, 14-G Laurel Hill; Archer W. Jagger, Jr., 48-E Ridge; John E. Riley, 5-G

Local Nine Host To Cheverly Sun. As Half Closes

Well, all the county baseball league games were rained out for the second Sunday in a row. First half activity will be settled this Sunday, we think. This department has had so many curves thrown at it that it declines to go very far out on a limb as to the coming ball games.

We announced with large headlines last Friday that the Shamrocks would start the second half in a tilt with Maryland Park the past Sunday. Then, last Thursday evening, prexy Jake Reed and a board of directors got together and decided to play off the last day of games of the first half, postponed from the first Sunday of rain—just as we thought should have been done, but not after we put the paper to bed for the week with headlines shouting otherwise.

We'd like prexy Reed's department to chuck over some high hard ones, straight from the shoulder, instead of those hard-to-handle benders.

Greenbelt was awarded the game with Cheverly last Sunday, so the faithful wouldn't have been disappointed—they would have at least seen a game, even though the team be Cheverly instead of Maryland Park.

Mr. Reed announces that the game this Sunday—if it doesn't rain—will be Cheverly vs Greenbelt at Braden Field, Greenbelt. If the Shamrocks win it will be the first half championship undefeated.

Other times the league president struck us out involve our opening day announcement to the effect that the Shamrocks would start the season on the road. As a consequence, just a handful of fans saw the 'Rocks win from Mt. Rainier by 2 to 1 in one of the best games of the season.

Later a story of the first Colmar Manor (now Cheverly) invasion brought, of all things, the Maryland Park nine.

Recently we announced the Cheverly game to be played at Mt. Rainier High School diamond and at last moment would have been played at Braden Field! Oh, for a nice, lazy, fat slow-ball.

Gardenway.
Wylie Lee Frost, 8-K Plateau; Thurman A. Hale, 9-K Laurel Hill; Joseph L. Kirk, Jr., 37-H Ridge; David B. Kuris, 7-C Research; Joseph P. Payne, 4-K Plateau; Robert R. Pursell, 13-X Hillside; Albert T. Queen, 15-P Laurel Hill; Samuel Simkin, 6-A Research; Stanley W. Swipp, 2-M Research; Ella Mae Sandy, 9-H Southway; Edward A. Eaddy, 9-L Southway.

George B. Wright, 15-C Laurel Hill; Arthur L. Richards, 8-G Laurel Hill; William C. Key, 5-L Gardenway; Jack H. Springer, 12-K Ridge; T. Mitchell Simons, Jr., 14-A Laurel Hill; Lila A. Larsen, 9-D Southway; Aubrey E. Hollingsworth, 12-L Plateau; Bruno J. Maressa, 6-G Research; Orville W. Nichols, Jr., 14-K Laurel Hill; Arnold M. Pettengill, 69-A Ridge; Lowell Sample, 9-G Laurel Hill; Albert Sherman, 15-N Laurel Hill; Wilfred H. Steward, Jr., 8-U Laurel Hill; Harry J. Wignall, 7-R Research.

The following have moved to a different house in Greenbelt:

Thomas Donahue, from 4-E Laurel Hill to 5-L Gardenway; Ralph Hirschtritt, from 8-C Research to 8-K Plateau; Charles Weller, from 53-F Ridge to 13-X Hillside; Vincent Caruso, from 2-J Plateau to 9-H Southway; Raymond Deardorf, from 14-V Laurel Hill to 9-L Southway; Philip Wexler, from 54-B Crescent to 4-B Hillside; Angelo Campo, from 4-F Crescent to 8-J Parkway; Phil Werner, from 33-J Ridge to 39-K Ridge; Bernard Tager, from 3-F Parkway to 5-F Eastway; Arthur Mix, from 69-D Ridge to 7-C Research; Jean Davenport, from 33-C Ridge to 3-F Crescent.

Fruchtman Is Awarded \$50.00 War Bond

Jack Fruchtman, GCS theatre manager, has been awarded the fifty dollar bond given by the theatre owners of Washington for the largest amount raised by a Prince Georges County theatre manager during the Mighty Seventh War Loan Drive.

Geo. Bauer, Bill Evers and Spud Clay Spark Al Bowman's Local Softballers To Title Win; Nip Mt. Rainier, 3 to 2

Greenbelt's softball Reps grabbed off the first half title of their Prince Georges County Softball League before a large and appreciative crowd under the lights at Roy S. Braden Field last Saturday evening by edging out Earl McKeown's Mt. Rainier ten by 3 to 2.

After winning the coin toss the Mountaineers got the jump on the locals by ramming two big runs over the plate in their half of the first inning, taking advantage of some very loose playing on part of the host Reps. The Representatives redeemed themselves, however, in the upper portion of the second session when a four-bagger by big Bill Evers reduced their deficit by one. Burly George Bauer was the local hero in the third inning. He found Eddie Trumble perched on base by virtue of a free pass and took further liberty with Lefty Callow's pitching by smacking out a long triple. The big councilman romped home when catcher Walsh let one of Callow's pitches get away from him.

This proved to be all the scoring of the game as both Callow and Spud Clay settled down to hurl very mean ball the remainder of

the way. The Reps are shaping into a smooth working softball club after their long, uphill fight for the first half flag and are serving notice on the other clubs that they mean business all the rest of the way.

Standing of the clubs at the close of the first half:

Team	W	L	Pct.
GREENBELT	4	1	.800
Mt. Rainier	4	1	.800
Landover Hills	3	2	.600
Independent A. C.	3	2	.600
University Alleys	0	4	.000
Air Track	0	4	.000

Play-off Tilt

GREENBELT	AB	R	H
Blanchard, 2b	3	0	0
Bowman, c	1	0	0
Trumble, ss	2	1	0
Taylor, 3b	2	0	0
Bauer, cf	3	1	1
Evers, lf	3	1	1
Clay, p	3	0	1
Grego, sf	1	0	0
Hieber, rf	2	0	0
Summy, rf	2	0	0
Comings, 1b	3	0	0

Totals: 25 3 3

MT. RAINIER	AB	R	H
Fisher, sf	3	0	1
Miller, 3b	2	1	1
Bauman, 2b	3	1	1
Callow, p	3	0	0
Poston, 1b	3	0	2
Koenig, rf	3	0	0
Frey, ss	3	0	1
Walsh, c	2	0	0
Rohrbaugh, cf	2	0	0
Martz, lf	2	0	0

Totals: 26 2 6

Score by innings:
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MOUNTS 200 000 0-2

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G. C. S. MEMBERSHIP MEETING
AUGUST 22



Cash prizes are now being planned for the 1945 Town Fair at the end of next month. Sponsor contributions for the Fair totalled \$80 by last Sunday night when the Planning Committee met with chairmen of several "work" committees at the home of Fred DeJager. With additional pledges pushing the total over the \$100 originally expected from this source of revenue, the committee revised their budget to include cash prizes for the various contests and exhibits.

Detailed rules for each contest are already complete and will be circulated throughout the town following their presentation by Mrs. Lillian Mitchell, contests director, at a general public meeting on the Fair the evening of August 5.

It is expected that all aspects of the entertainment program for the three day show, decorations, the program, displays and exhibits will be complete by that time.

Green and white were adopted at Sunday night's session for this year's Town Fair color scheme, and it was decided that uniformity would be required in signs identifying booths. These will be diamond shape and all made by the same person. Other signs in the booths must not be more than 24 by 48 inches in size.

All but 3 of the 21 organizations which orally applied for exhibit space have now returned the printed forms sent out by Frank Watson, space allotment director. Several additional community groups have also asked for space.

Frank Riley assured the Planning Committee at Sunday's meeting that he could get the \$150 worth of advertising for the printed program, and that he was now ready to begin assembling copy for the printer.

Daniel J. Neff was appointed director of decorations, and a special meeting was held Wednesday night to rush through a plan for approval of the Planning Committee at its meeting next Sunday night at Lester Sanders' home.

After Eli Radinsky and Councilman DeJager announced that the Water Carnival could not be changed back to the end of August, several of those present pointed out that the Water Carnival was originally started as part of the Town Fair, and had been continued on the usual Town Fair dates during the three years when no Fair was held, only to be advanced to July after it had been decided to resume the Town Fair this year.

With the WWDC radio broadcasts from the Fair as focal points, the entertainment, Mr. Radinsky said, was still being shifted and changed, but that he expected to have a definite schedule in another two weeks.

For the children there will be a special treat in this year's Fair. Ralph G. Miller brought to the last meeting of the Planning Committee models of games and equipment he has in mind for a separate "Children's Circus" during the three-day festival.

Parents will be able to leave their little ones in a room on the second floor of the Elementary School while they themselves inspect the exhibits and enjoy the entertainment in the Auditorium and adjoining rooms. The "Children's Circus" will be staffed with girls experienced in caring for young children.

As of Sunday night the list of sponsors who are helping to pay the cost of the community festival this year included:

The Cooperative Nursery School, Mr. and Mrs. Donald H. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Merton Trast, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Neff, Mr. and Mrs. Fred DeJager, the Women's Club, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kaighn, Greenbelt Athletic Club, Hebrew Congregation, the "Greenbelt Cooperator", Dr. and Mrs. James W. McCarl, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ashelman, and Richard W. Cooper.

To become a sponsor of the 1945 Town Fair just send \$5 in cash or by check to E. Don Bullian, treasurer, 1945 Town Fair, 7-R Ridge Road. Several persons and groups giving or pledging more than this amount will be credited for special

Legislative Line - Up

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

With the House of Representatives already in recess and the Senate preparing to disperse as soon as the United Nations Charter is voted on, many vital issues must hang fire until October, when Congress reconvenes. Among the most important is the problem of reconversion, and it does not argue well for this 79th Congress that the longest recess in its history comes at the very time when it is most important that this problem be dealt with. According to figures based on the number of persons receiving unemployment insurance, unemployment is increasing at the rate of about 100,000 per month, and may well hit the 2,000,000 mark by the end of the year.

There are several bills which try to legislate a successful reconversion, action on which must be delayed until October, but preparation for which can be made now, while the congressmen are home. Most of these are based wholly or in part on the principle of maintaining or increasing purchasing power. Two unemployment benefits bills are particularly significant, both providing adequate, or nearly adequate benefit payments. S 1274 (sponsored by Kilgore, Murry, Thomas, Guffey and Pepper) is the better of the two bills, since it extends its benefits to all industrial, agricultural, and federal workers, and merchant seamen, while the other bill limits coverage, and is so worded that it will not be applicable until unemployment has reached a figure of about 2,000,000.

The 65c Wage Floor Bill, introduced in the House by Hook, Huber, Price and O'Toole, and in the Senate by Meade, Pepper and Thomas, provides a minimum wage of 65c to replace the present one of 40c.

A petition has been circulating around the Senate and House for the past few weeks, and is still going around the Senate, asking President Truman to take steps to order an upward adjustment of wage policy now. The Little Steel formula, allowing for no more than a 15% upward adjustment in basic rates of pay becomes more and more outdated and discriminatory as any citizen can tell you who knows that his dollar buys half of what it bought a few years ago. More than 70 Congressmen have already signed the petition. Has yours?

We enjoyed a quote from the National Association of Manufacturers that we ran across in the CIO News. The NAM really hit it on the head, when referring to the unemployment compensation bills, they said "... organized labor can be expected to start an immediate pressure campaign on behalf of the (unemployment compensation) program, and the effectiveness of that pressure will largely determine what the final disposition will be." We may add that not only organized labor pressure but citizen and consumer pressure also will be necessary to put an adequate reconversion program across.

prizes or equipment as the money is used.

Mrs. Margaret Taylor is secretary for the Planning Committee while Mrs. Ebba Stewart is out of town.

Finding that first prize ribbons were not available, Mrs. Neff has volunteered to make them, along with ribbons for second and third place awards. These personalized ribbons will cost less than the commercial product, and so there is money available now for printed cards to accompany each award to some 300 winners of various contests and displays.

Town Fair "fact of the week": There is no charge to exhibitors for booths which will be furnished, nor is there an admission fee for any part of the show.

Town Fair "history item": The first Town Fair was held in 1939, on September 7, 8, and 9, with the water carnival on the 10th.

Scottish Co-Op Official Suggests Trade of Employees, Goods, Ideas

Thomas Taylor, official of the Scottish Cooperative Wholesale and now with UNRRA's Bureau of Supply, was speaker at a meeting of employees and board members held Monday night at the Greenbelt Consumer Services office as a part of the developing program of employee education and training.



Highlight of his talk was a plan for the postwar exchange of employees between cooperatives in the U. S. and in Europe. "It would be a splendid thing," he stated, "if a young man or woman from Greenbelt, someone working in one of your Co-op stores, could spend a year with the Scottish cooperatives, and if in exchange one of our young people could come to Greenbelt to work with you. Each could bring back knowledge of great value to their respective organizations, and help to create better understanding between our cooperators in Scotland and you people here."

Cooperatives, said Mr. Taylor, have become a leading business in Scotland. One-fourth of all foods go through Co-op stores; one third of the milk is handled by the Co-ops. He stated, however, "We are not satisfied with merely distributing huge quantities of goods unless we have an influence internationally, unless we can help to change the thinking of the world." "Two-way trading between the cooperatives in Europe and in America must become a reality in a big way after the war. We in Scotland now handle everything from needles to anchors, and we want to trade with you in America."

Mr. Taylor told of the scores of American soldiers who had walked into the offices of the Scottish Cooperative Wholesale to say "I am a member of a Co-op in the United States and just wanted to stop in and say hello." He added that thousands of American soldiers have become acquainted with cooperatives for the first time by taking part in tours conducted by the Scottish and British Cooperative Societies.

PTA to Alternate Meeting Places

PTA meetings for the coming year will alternate between the North End and Center Schools, according to plans mapped out by the program and executive committees meeting recently at president Betty Harrington's house. The first meeting will be held at the North End School September 24 to give parents an opportunity to see the new building and to meet the teachers. The executive board also voted to hold a PTA picnic at the Lake September 21, from 5 to 8 p. m.

A PTA news letter is planned to carry accounts of school activities, book reviews, and PTA plans. Committee chairmen announced by Mrs. Harrington are: Mrs. Sherrod East, program; Mrs. William Harmelin, publicity; Mrs. Arthur Wetter, publications; Mrs. Sam Ashelman, summer round-up.

Representatives of the County Council meetings are Mrs. Ashelman, Mrs. Harrington, Mrs. Wetter, and Lt. Dayton Hull. Mrs. Harmelin was asked by the board to head the Fair booth committee, which includes Mrs. Wetter and Mrs. Granahan. Members of the executive board are Mrs. Harrington, president; Miss Maxine Batie, vice-president; Mrs. Carl Day, secretary; Mrs. David Granahan, treasurer; Mrs. Joseph Trinko, historian.

Several vacancies exist on committees, and parents who are interested in participating in committee activities are urged to contact Mrs. Harrington at 3941.

Church of Jesus Christ Of Latter Day Saints

Summer Schedule of Meetings Sunday Social Room—Elementary School Sacramento Services—11:45 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. Week-day Meetings *Priesthood meeting—Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. *Relief Society—2nd Tuesday of each month, 8:15 p. m. *Primary—2nd and 4th Thursday of each month, 4:30 p. m. *For information regarding place of meetings call Greenbelt 5338 or 3612.

Food Store Burgeons

There's a bright spot in the food store this month, beautified by Sam Rolph's display of purple, saffron, pink and white gladioli. Mr. Rolph, who works at the meat counter, grows the flowers in a plot near the airport, where he also raises vegetables.

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