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## New Quonset Type Store Suggested For Laurel Hill

A new building for the Laurel Hill grocery store was proposed by General Manager Sam Ashelman at the GCS directors meeting last Friday. Other actions at the meeting were the election of officers and committee chairmen, the election of a new board member to replace the position vacated by Herman Ramras, and discussion of the bank proposal.

The proposed Laurel Hill store, according to Ashelman, would be a 40 by 100 foot, attractively landscaped structure of the Quonset hut type. It would be comparable in size to the present center store, and about three times the size of the Laurel Hill store. A suggested location is across from the North End School. The building can be in full operation by Christmas if construction is approved by FPFA.

### OFFICERS ELECTED

Dayton Hull was re-elected president of the board of directors, and W. R. Volkhausen, vice-president. George Eshbaugh was elected secretary and Phillips Taylor, treasurer. The directors appointed Bruce Bowman to the board to replace Herman Ramras, who resigned recently to accept a teaching position at the University of Minnesota.

Carnie Harper, William Nicholas and Frank J. Lastner were elected to membership on the Management Committee of the board. Bruce Bowman was elected chairman of the Education Committee, and David Granahan, chairman of the Membership Committee.

Waldo Mott, President of the Credit Union, attended this meeting to discuss the possibility of a locally owned bank. Both groups indicated interest in such a bank, if the difficulties could be overcome.

Three men interested in promoting a rescue squad for Greenbelt requested a donation from GCS at this meeting. The board stated that GCS never gives direct donations for any cause but that they would help out in any other way they could.

## Bus To Mt. Rainier Stops October 20

Through street car service between Branchville and Potomac Park begins Sunday, October 6, Capital Transit officials announced this week.

The presently operated bus service between Greenbelt and Mt. Rainier will be discontinued on Sunday, October 20, in favor of shuttle bus service between here and Branchville, connecting with the street cars.

## GCA To Discuss Shuttle Bus Plan

The first fall meeting of the Greenbelt Citizens Association will be held on Monday, October 7, at 8:30 p. m. in the home economics room of the center school.

Mr. G. E. Frank, chairman of the transportation committee, will discuss proposed schedules of the Branchville loop service inaugurated by the Capital Transit Company.

The outcome of a petition recently presented to the Maryland Public Utilities Commission requesting local delivery of railway express will also be discussed.

The meeting is open to all residents.

## Hebrew Congregation

Please note the following changes for Yom Kippur Services at the center school auditorium:

Friday, October 4—8:30 p. m.

Saturday, October 5—9:00 a. m.

## FPHA Rent Policy On Lanham Homes

Residents of Greenbelt's Lanham homes have been notified by FPFA manager Charles M. Cormack of a new policy of rent adjustments.

In a three-bedroom unit, families whose total annual income is less than \$2,028, may apply for a rent reduction. In a two-bedroom type house, where the income is less than \$1,908, and in a one-bedroom unit, less than \$1,788, applications may also be made.

The policy applies to all FPFA war housing projects in cases where the established rent, plus utility charges, exceeds 25 percent of the total income of persons residing in the dwelling.

However, Mr. Cormack stated that this reduction would probably be applicable in only a few cases, possibly in dwellings occupied by GI students.

## Education Plan Explained At PTA

The Elementary School Parent-Teachers Association met Monday night at the North End School for the first meeting of this school year. Mr. Chasanow, president, presided over the business part of the meeting. Mrs. Sherrod East discussed the last Book Fair and the possibility of holding another fair this year. Mrs. J. C. Stripling told the parents and teachers of the plans underway for a children's museum in Greenbelt. Mrs. Harrington told about the study groups of last year and how the P-TA officers would like to see a new study group started this year.

Following the business meeting, Miss Fay Friedman sang two solos.

A discussion program took up the major part of the evening. Mrs. Fugitt, principal of the Center School, spoke on "Educating our children, here and now," and Mrs. Whittaker, principal of the North End School, talked on the methods used in educating the children of Greenbelt. Questions which had been sent in by the parents were partially answered, but Mrs. Fugitt said, "We can't possibly answer all of the questions, as there are some we don't even know the answers to ourselves." A question was raised concerning the report cards now in use, and Mrs. Fugitt stressed how much more was gained when parents had a conference with the child's teacher and learned first hand of his good and bad points.

The philosophy of the Greenbelt school was outlined by Mrs. Fugitt as follows:

"We believe that every child in our schools should be given the experiences that will enable him to become a worthwhile and happy member of society. We accept the child as he is. We recognize the individual differences, the varying capacities and abilities of each child. We realize that all must be served.

"We believe that our school program should be built around the needs and interest of the child; that it should be unified to maintain a feeling of security, and also be flexible enough to permit enrichment. Our aim is to promote emotional, physical and intellectual development of the child.

"We believe that through our educational program the child of today should experience what will be good for the citizen of the future. The greatness of the future citizen depends upon our understanding of the needs of the child of today and upon the opportunities we offer him.

"We believe that democracy is an actual experience, not just a word.

"We believe that we must work together for a common goal."

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## Religious Groups To Launch Survey

Religious groups in Greenbelt will conduct a house to house survey October 20 to 27, to provide an adequate religious ministry, supply guidance and furnish information to aid the interested churches in town.

Announcement of this survey was made at a meeting of representatives of church groups last Monday.

The census, initiated by the Committee of the Washington Federation of Churches, will be tabulated and the findings released at a public meeting.

Instruction classes for those making the survey will be held October 17 and 18.

The following representatives attended the meeting to launch the survey: Rev. Eric T. Braund, Community Church; Rev. C. J. Craig, Methodist Church, Benjamin Rosenzweig, Hebrew Congregation; Miss Olinda Rottger, Lutheran Church; F. Richard Stuart, Latter Day Saints; John Haloko, Washington Federation of Churches.

## Adult Education

Greenbelt's adult education classes originally scheduled to begin September 30, will get under way by Monday, October 14, according to an announcement by Mary Jane Kinzer, director of adult education.

## Shamrocks Win County Title

Vince Holochwost's Greenbelt Shamrocks won the Class A championship of the Prince Georges County Baseball League by walloping Blair Hamel's Hyattsville nine in a double-header at Maryland University last Sunday before a crowd of 1200 people. The scores were 3 to 1 and 3 to 0. Ernie Boggs and Johnny Clements were the winning pitchers. Joe Andrus poled a telling home run in the first inning of the opener.

It was a case of the "lucky seventh" for the Hollymen, winning their first pennant in their seventh season as a team. No fluke championship is theirs—they won in a year when all the teams were up to full pre-war caliber. They won from their arch rivals, the Blair Hamel A. C. (See story on sports page)

## Community Chest

The annual Community Chest drive in Greenbelt begins officially on October 25, but already block captains are organizing the campaign according to Mrs. Frank J. McConnell of 73-A Ridge Road who has agreed to head the drive.

Assisting her are Mrs. Lawrence P. Fern, Mrs. Bernard Feig, Mrs. Lowen H. Matheny, Mrs. John P. Murray, Mrs. P. W. Espenschade, Mrs. H. C. Stage, Mrs. Fred Hahn, Mrs. W. J. Andrusic, Mrs. Bruce Bowman, Mrs. Herbert Hertz, Mrs. B. G. Fonda, Mrs. J. H. Elder, Mrs. W. E. Remmele, Mrs. Joan Flynn and Mrs. Norman Olson.

## GCS To Provide Sunday Bus Service

Sunday bus service in Greenbelt is near at hand. At Friday's board meeting, Greenbelt Consumer Services' general manager was authorized to purchase a second-hand bus from Capital Transit Company and get it into service as soon as possible. The plan is to retire either the present bus or the CTC's bus when the long awaited new Co-op bus is delivered.

## Council Urges Private Business Here; Asks Competition For Cooperative

The Town Council voted Monday night to request the Federal Public Housing Authority to lease land outside the center for the erection and operation of additional stores by private enterprises.

## "See No Conflict" Ashelman's Reply To Council Vote

In response to a *Cooperator* inquiry for comments on the Town Council's resolution, the following statement was submitted by GCS General Manager, Samuel Ashelman:

"The GCS Board has not yet had an opportunity to consider the Council's action. On the basis of discussions at recent board meetings, however, I think it is safe to say that the following statement approximates the board's position on the question.

"We concur with the council in its opinion that the area about the center should be reserved for cooperative services, in view of the large investment that GCS plans to make in providing a store to better meet the needs of the community. This investment is, of course, an investment by the people of Greenbelt, and justifies reasonable protection.

"With respect to the outlying areas, we believe that the people in those areas should have the right to decide what type of enterprise they wish, cooperative or otherwise. With this opinion we are sure the council will agree.

"In general, therefore, we see no conflict between the position of the council and that of the board. However, we cannot agree that a cooperative is a monopoly in the true sense of the word. Monopolies are usually controlled by a few people to exploit the public, whereas the cooperative is owned and controlled by the people and is run for their benefit."

## Free Bus To GHS

The town bus will continue to transport high school students free of charge until the long-promised county-operated school bus is forthcoming, according to the town council.

The county is apportioning buses as received in the order of application, Town Manager Gobel reported to the Council, and the earliest date a bus can be expected for Greenbelt students is October 15.

Efforts were made by Mr. Gobel to arrange for the county to operate the town bus, thereby saving operation expenses by the town. County representatives stated that they had no legal authority for such action inasmuch as the bus did not meet prescribed standards such as color and location of stop lights.

## Cormack And Gobel To Address League

The newly organized Isaac Walton League chapter in Greenbelt will meet Thursday, October 10, in room 223 of the center school to hear Charles Cormack, James Gobel and representatives of other chapters explain the aims and objectives of the league.

The chapter was formed on September 25, 1946 by fishing enthusiasts and those desiring to aid in the preservation of birds and wild life in this area.

## High School PTA

The High School P-TA meets next Tuesday, October 8, at 8 o'clock, p. m., in the High School Auditorium. An interesting program has been arranged, beginning with a concert by the Community Band from 8 to 8:30.

The vote was four to one, Councilman Allen D. Morrison dissenting.

Mayor George F. Bauer proposed the resolution, reading first a prepared statement. He stated that he had heard many complaints concerning Greenbelt Consumer Services, the cooperative which operates all business establishments in the town. It was his opinion that competition would be good for the co-op as well as for the residents.

Councilman Morrison stated that he was surprised at the resolution and suggested that it be held over until the next meeting. The Mayor replied that this was the time to act, as the cooperative is now negotiating for a new lease.

The present lease between FPFA and GCS which expires in September, 1947, gives the cooperative the first opportunity to provide additional stores and services.

Mr. Morrison informed the Co-operator Tuesday that he opposed the resolution because "nothing good can be accomplished by dissension and stirring up controversies."

"Cooperation and mutual understanding are necessary or the town comes out second best," he added.

Town Manager, James F. Gobel, expressed the same sentiment at the Council meeting.

The resolution had particular emphasis, following as it did upon a plea from Werner Steinle, representative of a group planning to raise funds for a rescue squad in Greenbelt. Steinle said that in an ordinary community, the businessmen's contributions would take care of most of the necessary capital for such projects. Mr. Bauer's statement and the discussion at the meeting indicated that this was a factor leading to the drafting of the resolution. It is contrary to the by-laws of GCS to make donations without membership action, as all earnings in a cooperative are the legal property of the owner-members.

The text of the resolution follows:

"In view of the fact that when Greenbelt was opened in 1937, it was as a planned community of 885 units with a business center of 9 stores, to care for the needs of approximately 3200 people. Due to the war, recently ended, we have seen built an additional 1,000 units with an increase of population to almost 8,000 people, mostly in the north end of town. The only store space increase has been the conversion of a row of 4 houses into a grocery store, in the north end of town.

"The present business space is woefully inadequate and the plan of the Consumer Services to build a larger store in the present business center will be only a temporary stop-gap for the shopping needs of all residents, now therefore:

"Be it resolved, by the Council of the Town of Greenbelt, Md., that as the official body of the town, we believe that the best interests of the Town and of all the residents, would be better served by the introduction of private enterprise, in the Town, to furnish additional stores and also competition to the present cooperative monopoly, and

"Be it further resolved, that the proper authorities of the FPFA be advised of this action and be requested to make possible the leasing of ground, outside the present business center, for the erection and operation of additional stores by private enterprises."

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## Council Resolution

The burst of initiative displayed by our usually reluctant mayor in introducing his resolution urging admission of private business into Greenbelt and the marked decision of three ordinarily apathetic councilmen in supporting it, is somewhat puzzling.

In the past, the council has been unwilling, generally, to take independent action and has relied upon the stimulus of strong organization or wide town support. The Co-operator has no overwhelming evidence of townwide dissatisfaction with our fellow cooperative, GCS, except for agreement on the inadequacy of facilities for which it is not at fault.

(GCS has been trying for over a year to get approval to erect a new supermarket in the center. In addition they propose to put up a large Quonset hut in place of the Laurel Hill store.)

It is proper to examine with care this change of conduct on the part of the council. It may be a long-deferred outbreak of a group of men who despite their long residence in Greenbelt fail to catch the spirit of the town planners.

If the change is due to influence from small pressure groups or is based on alien support, this council should not represent the community.

## The Homemaker

By JUNE WILBUR

If you can't decide whether to give Cousin Sarah a blouse or a good slip for Christmas, it might be a good idea to combine the two. A sure-to-stay-tucked-in blouse is one that is made with a slip skirt. Almost any good blouse pattern will do, but the ones that button down the front are probably the easiest. When cutting, enough extra length should be added to the bottom of the blouse to make its length. The center front skirt seam should be stitched closed below the blouse front opening. Waistline darts and side seam fitting can serve to give a smooth look around the waist and hips. The bottom of the blouse-slip can be finished with a plain hem, or with a small hem and a band of lace whipped on. Many styles of blouse would develop most successfully into this dual-role garment, but the fabric out of which it is made should be of fairly substantial quality. Since no slip will be worn under the blouse-slip, the garment should not be made of sheer material. Wash silk, broadcloth, poplin, and jersey are among the fabrics suitable for this item. Whatever choice is made, however, the material should be washable.

For those of you who wear suits and never take the jacket off anyway, it is possible to make just a dicker with a skirt bottom. The same stipulations should apply here as for the blouse-slip. The only advantage to this kind of garment, instead of the one with the full blouse, is that less material would be required.

Since most wardrobes claim one basic black or navy dress, a fine gift is an accessory to go with that dress. Besides the old stand-bys of collars and cuffs, there are belts, bows, bags, handkerchiefs, and even gloves, which are really not too difficult to construct. Of this list, the belts and gloves

## Girl Scouts Plan For Scout House

Parents of Girl Scouts and Brownies in Greenbelt, looking toward the future and the hope of building a Scout House for the girls, are sponsoring a dance to raise money for this purpose to be held Saturday, October 26, in the center school auditorium from 10 to 1 p.m. An orchestra has been obtained, under the direction of Mr. Walter Hubbel of Baltimore; the auditorium will be decorated and refreshments will be served. Tickets are on sale now and may be obtained from any member of the various committees.

Chairman of arrangements for the dance is Mrs. Edgar Weber; Tickets, Mrs. William J. Andrusic and Mary Rupert; Refreshments are in charge of Mr. John W. Collier and Mr. John H. Elder; Cloakroom, Mr. and Mrs. Freeland Ramsdell; Decorating, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ehrhardt; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Crofford and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd L. Nelson. Hostesses: Mrs. Harry Carney, Mrs. E. Paul Hawks, Mrs. Shirley Levine, Mrs. Charles O'Leary, Mrs. Harry McNeel, Mrs. O. M. Slye.

## AVC Meeting

The AVC will adopt a new constitution and install officers at a meeting Wednesday, October 9, in social room 8 of the center school. Nominations for officers will continue to be received until the meeting on October 9.

would need to be of the correct size.

A gay, hand-hemmed scarf is also a fine accessory gift. For more conservative friends or relatives, the plain ones with embroidered initials can be quite lovely. The oblong and the square styles are equally good; however, the former require a little less fabric which is a point to consider in these days of scarce material and high prices.

# OUR NEIGHBORS

By DOROTHY MCGEE  
Phone 3667

The mothers of the small fry who attend the North End School were very happy to see workmen busy clearing away the underbrush next to the school for the new playground. As soon as that work is completed, the playground equipment will be set up. Monday was the opening day for the school's new cafeteria which was very well patronized. Mrs. Donna Romer, the cafeteria's manager, is one of the busiest women in town. With two children of her own to care for, she has been substituting for the new kindergarten teacher, Mrs. Mitchell, for almost a month. Mrs. Mitchell, who has been ill with pneumonia, is now recovered and began teaching on Monday. A very hearty welcome to our town, Mrs. Mitchell.

Another new teacher at the North End School is Miss Mary Parana who taught for several years in Pennsylvania. Miss Parana will live in Greenbelt with her sister.

Tech. Sgt. Herbert Lampe is back home at 58 C Ridge Road with his wife, Marg and son, Donnie, after a year and a half in the Philippines. Another happy wife is Mrs. Evalyn Wrede, of 14-G Ridge Road, whose husband has returned from Okinawa.

Mrs. Sadie Wachman and her sons, Richard and Arnold, are visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Perelzweig, 6-F Hillside.

Little Norma Mousley of 3-C Ridge Road, broke her arm while roller skating.

Two boys who will not be attending the North End School are Murray and Keith Jordan, the sons of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Jordan, 14-M Laurel Hill Road. The boys are in the cast of a road company of "Life With Father." Last summer Murray and Keith went to New York City and tried out for the roles of Mr. Day's (Father's) red-headed sons. They won the parts and have been touring the States and Canada. They are enrolled in a correspondence school located in Baltimore, and their mother who accompanies the boys, is their instructor.

Mrs. Ann Pollack of 5 Woodland Way is spending this weekend in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. George Frank, 11-T Laurel Hill Road, and their son, Norman, have left for a week's visit at the home of Mrs. Frank's parents of Thomas River, New Jersey.

Mrs. Eleanor Schwab of 11-S Ridge Road, who has been in Leland Memorial Hospital is home again and recuperating rapidly.

Mrs. Nicholas Fisher and her daughter, Dorothy, of Pittsburgh, Pa., are house guests of Mrs. John Scordellis, 2-E Eastway.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of 11-N Laurel Hill Road, announce the birth of a son, Steven Randolph Smith. Little Steven's happy grandmother is Mrs. Warren Gerrits, who has been a teacher at the Elementary School since the very beginning of Greenbelt.

Mrs. Mary Jane Kinzer returned to her desk Monday after a very enjoyable week's visit with her sister and her young niece in Roanoke, Virginia.

Mr. John C. Pack, 11-G Laurel Hill Road, who was recently discharged from the Navy, has registered in the School of Business Administration at the University of Maryland.

Miss Virginia Ann Harris spent last weekend with her mother at 18-E Ridge Road. Virginia is in her first year at St. Mary's Acad-

## Woman's Club Meet

The first meeting of the Woman's Club of Greenbelt will be held Thursday evening, October 10, at 8:15 p.m. at the home of Mrs. James T. McCarl, 7-D Crescent Road. The speaker will be Molly Flynn, Chief Operations Branch for UNRRA who will have as her subject, "Women and International Rehabilitation." Miss Flynn returned this summer from abroad where she assisted in the UNRRA program. As a former member of FSA Miss Flynn is an old friend to Greenbelt, having assisted in the early days of the community in setting up the education program.

New members will be received at this meeting and a program of music has been arranged, including vocal selection by Fay Friedman and piano selections by Mrs. Wm. R. Mirabella.

## Mowatt Memorial Methodist Church

Preaching service will be held at 8 p.m., in the home economics room of the Community Building, Sunday evening. Preaching service will also be held immediately following Sunday School, 10:30 a.m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Watson, 16-K Ridge Road.

Mid-week prayer service will be held Thursday, October 10, at 8 p.m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Griffith, 4 Woodland Way.

Sunday School, with classes for both young and old, at 9:45 a.m., each Sunday morning at the Watson home, 16-K Ridge Road.

## Community Church

Friday, Oct. 4—  
8:00 p. m.—Young Couples' Party at Church Office.

Sunday, Oct. 6—  
9:30 a.m.—Church School. Rally Day Program for parents and all classes, Auditorium. General Superintendent Thos. P. Berry.

10:50 a.m.—Church Nursery.

11:00 a.m.—Church Worship, World Wide Communion Sunday. All welcome.

Choral Music directed by Thomas Ritchie, with Mrs. Daniel Neff at the organ. Communion Sermon by the Rev. Edward H. Bonsall, Jr., of Philadelphia. Sacrament of Baptism will also be given.

Consecration of Church School Teachers and Staff.

7:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship Meet in Arts and Crafts Room.

Monday, Oct. 7—

8:30 p. m.—Church Women's Discussion Group at Mrs. Ralph G. Miller's home.

Friday, Oct. 11—

7:30 p.m.—Choir Rehearsal, Room 201.

## Teacher Dies

Word was received Tuesday by Greenbelt High School Principal John Speicher of the death of Miss Shirley Townsend, who was to have taught home economics at the high school for her second year, starting this fall. Miss Townsend's father called from the family home in Seaford, Maryland, to say that his daughter died early Sunday morning in the Salisbury, Maryland, hospital of typhoid fever. She was taken ill just before school started, and her place has been filled by Mrs. C. R. Davis of College Park, Mr. Speicher stated. Miss Townsend was a graduate of Western Maryland College, class of '45. Funeral services were held Wednesday, in Seaford.

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emy at Leonardtown, Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, 16-D Parkway Road, have left for two weeks of visiting relatives in Nebraska. It is the first trip west for the Clarks in four years.

Mr. Stanley Fickes and Mr. Robert Burke both reported October 2 for duty in Uncle Sam's army.

Mrs. Benjamin Novick and her daughter, Miss Sara Novick, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Novick, 14-P Laurel Hill Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Fitzmaurice, 8-D Hillside Road, are happy to announce the arrival of Ann Catharine, 7-lb, 6-oz, on September 25, at Prince George's Hospital in Cheverly.

Basil Perchick, LeGrande Bene-

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## Catholic Church

Sunday Masses: 7:30 a. m. and 9:30 a. m. in the Greenbelt theater; 7 a. m., 9 a. m., 10:30 a. m., and 11:45 at Berwyn.

Confessions: Saturday from 7:30 to 9 p. m. at 10-B Parkway in Greenbelt. Saturday at Berwyn from 3 to 5 p. m. and from 7:30 to 9 p. m.

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

Choir practice will be held every Sunday morning immediately following the 9:30 mass.

There will be vesper service for Our Lady of Sorrows Sodality, at 7:45 at the Holy Redeemer Church in Berwyn this Sunday. The school bus will meet the ladies behind the gas station at 7:30, sharp.

## Lutheran Church

"The Most Thrilling Rescue Story in the World" is the sermon topic of Rev. Edwin E. Pieplow this Sunday. The church service is held in the home economics room of the center school at 12:30 p.m.

Sunday school and adult bible class begin promptly at 11:30 a.m. in the same room.

The Greenbelt Lutheran choir will join with sister congregations in the Washington area this Sunday to sing on the Lutheran Hour over station WOL at 12:30 p.m., at which time Dr. Walter A. Maier will begin his regular Sunday broadcasts.

This evening at 8, the Lydia Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Baker, 5005 Huron Street, Berwyn.

## Hazell-Aurich

Miss Virginia M. Hazell was married September 26, to Kenneth Aurich at the Methodist Church in Hyattsville. The bride was given in marriage by her father, Sergeant Harry Hazell, who came for the ceremony from New Cumberland, Pa., where he is stationed. Attendants were Mrs. Lee Ellis, matron of honor; Miss Marjorie Dudley, maid of honor; the bride's brothers, Lee Ellis and Peter Hazell served as best man and usher.

There was a reception, with forty-five guests present at the home of the bride's parents, 16-U Ridge Road. The bride was graduated from Greenbelt High School and is employed at Air Track in College Park. Mr. Aurich, an employee of the same concern, is an accountant.

The couple will make their home in Hyattsville.

## B'nai B'rith

### Sunday School

The B'nai B'rith Hebrew Sunday School will begin this Sunday, October 6, at 11 a.m. All pupils will please report to Room 224, Center School. Classes will then be assigned.

Those who failed to register on September 29, may do so this Sunday morning. Classes will be in session from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. each week.

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## Greenbelt Consumer Services

# Shamrocks Win County Baseball Championship By Beating Hyattsville In Playoff, 3-1 And 3-0

## Great Pitching By Boggs And Clements Gains Holly's Nine Its First Title; Good Fielding And Andrus' Homer Aid

University of Maryland, College Park, September 29—After a sour first half season the Shamrock ball team came to life in a torrid second half double knock-out chase to win and then topped it off by trimming Hyattsville 3-1 and 3-0 for all the marbles in a long afternoon at Byrd Stadium today.

The Shams reversed their tactics of last season when they went through a long first half undefeated, then dropped the second and bowed to Bamby Bread two games to one in the play-off.

Ernie Boggs and Lefty John Clements were the winning chuckers and Joe Julie Andrus was a winning hitter of sorts. Some 1,200 fans braved the chilly, damp and dark afternoon to see Greenbelt win its first county championship for its manager, Vince Holochwost, who hangs up his spikes as of this day.

Holly nominated Bill Giller to toe the slab for the 'Rocks against Bob Cullen, Blair Hamel's first game choice. The lanky Giller hit Elmer Raba with a pitch to start Hyattsville's first inning; Andrus had given him a two run lead with a homer in the upper portion of the frame. Giller got the next man on a grounder to short but Bernie Good smashed a scorcher back through the box that took Giller's ancient glove right off his hand. The drive also broke the



ANDRUS

little finger of his left hand and the big guy had to be taken to the hospital. Ernie Boggs was rushed onto the firing line with little chance to warm up and he walked Tillie Scott before fanning Max Coe and gaining the third out by forcing Scott on Gump Bailey's grounder. Thereafter Ernie Boggs was slightly heroic. The husky righthander mixed his tosses well to withstand the ever present Hyattsville power threat. He walked six men but gave up only two hits in eight and two-third innings and personally knocked in an "insurance run" in the seventh canto on a clean single out over second. Pete Scalise and Al Nuzzo played grand ball behind Ernie.

Hyattsville's only run came in the last inning when Coe walked, went to second on an out, romped to third when Ernie threw badly on a pick-off, and tallied on another fielder's choice.

The second game was a duel between the Shamrock ace, Lefty Clements and Hamel's big righthander, Otis Prince with the diminutive portsideer having much the better "touche." Prince struck out nine Shamrocks to half a dozen credited to Clem but he gave up eight walks where Johnny proved much stingier. Little John franked but two batters and just two hit him safely as against six Irish hits off Prince.

Johnny Newman singled home Al Nuzzo with what was the winning run in the second inning. Two unearned "insurance runs" were pushed across on long flyouts in the eighth. Norm Enzor drew his second walk and Newman singled him to second. Skipper Holochwost went in to run for Enzor and skidded into third on a short passed ball by "Knocky" Thomas, Newman taking second on the throw. Newman lofted to right and Holly's slide beat Sam Harvey's throw, Newman moving up. The Shams' big catcher coasted home on Bill Zerwick's long poke to Raba in center.

Hyattsville was taking no liberties with what Clements served them and the 'Rock infield backed the big, little man with neatness and dispatch. Clements fielded

### 622 Start School

There are 622 students enrolled for this year at Greenbelt High School, John P. Speicher, announces. The staff of the school totals twenty-eight and all of the teaching positions are filled.

over to first to make the putout all the last play ball and scampered by himself and seal the end of Greenbelt's most successful season.

#### BOX SCORES (First Game)

Greenbelt	AB	R	H	PO	A
Zerwick, lf	3	1	1	3	0
Scalise, 3b	3	0	0	0	4
Andrus, cf	2	1	1	0	0
Moore, 1b	3	0	0	10	1
Forney, 2b	3	0	0	4	1
Nuzzo, ss	4	0	2	3	4
Enzor, rf	4	1	2	0	0
Todd, c	3	0	0	4	1
Giller, p	0	0	0	0	0
Boggs, p	3	0	1	3	1
Totals:	29	3	7	27	12

  

Hyattsville	AB	R	H	PO	A
Raba, cf	4	0	0	4	0
Baker, 2b	5	0	0	4	2
Good, 1b	3	0	2	11	0
Scott, ss	4	0	0	1	4
Coe, 3b	4	0	1	0	1
Bailey, lf	3	0	0	0	0
Thomas, c	2	0	0	7	2
Crown, rf	1	0	0	0	0
Harvey, rf	1	1	0	0	0
Cullen, p	3	0	0	0	5
Hamel	1	0	0	0	0
Totals:	31	1	3	27	14

\*Batted for Cullen in 9th  
 Shamrocks 200 000 100—3 7 3  
 Hyattsville 000 000 001—1 3 1  
 Errors—Forney, Todd, Boggs, Thomas. Runs batted in—Andrus 2, Boggs, Raba. Two base hit—Enzor. Home run—Andrus. Sacrifice hits—Scalise, Moore, Todd, Crown, Thomas. Stolen bases—Andrus, Good, Coe. Left on bases—Shamrocks 4, Hyattsville 10. Earned runs—all. Struck out—by Boggs, 4; by Cullen, 4. First base on balls—off Boggs, 6; off Cullen, 5. Hits—off Giller, 1 in 1-3 inning; off Boggs, 2 in 8 and 2-3 innings. Hit by pitched balls—by Giller (Raba); by Boggs (Bailey). Double play—Baker to Scott. Winning pitcher—Boggs. Scorer Johnny McWilliams. Time—2:15.

#### (Second Game)

Greenbelt	AB	R	H	PO	A
Zerwick, lf	5	0	1	2	0
Scalise, 3b	4	0	0	0	2
Andrus, cf	3	0	1	0	0
Moore, 1b	4	0	1	11	3
Forney, 2b	4	0	0	2	5
Nuzzo, ss	2	1	0	2	3
Enzor, rf	2	0	0	0	0
Newman, c	4	1	3	7	0
Clements, p	2	0	0	3	2
*Holochwost, rf	0	1	0	0	0
Totals:	30	3	6	27	15

  

Hyattsville	AB	R	H	PO	A
Raba, cf	2	0	0	2	0
Thomas, c	3	0	0	10	1
Good, 1b	4	0	0	5	0
Scott, ss	4	0	1	1	2
Coe, 3b	3	0	0	2	0
Baker, 2b	3	0	0	3	2
Harvey, rf	3	0	1	1	0
Bailey, lf	3	0	0	0	0
Prince, p	3	0	0	0	2
Totals:	28	0	2	24	7

\*Ran for Enzor in 8th.  
 Hyattsville 000 000 000—0 2 3  
 Shamrocks 010 000 02x—3 6 0  
 Errors—Good 2, Scott. Runs batted in—Newman, Clements, Zerwick. Sacrifice hits—Scalise, Thomas. Stolen base—Nuzzo. Left on bases—Shamrocks 12, Hyattsville 4. Earned run—Shamrocks 1. Struck out—by Clements, 6; by Prince, 9. First base on balls—off Clements, 2; off Prince 8. Passed ball—Thomas. Scorer—Johnny McWilliams. Time 2:20.

### Troops 202, 229 Hike Overnight

Boy Scout Troops 202, under the leadership of Mr. J. H. Mooser, and 229, under Mr. E. M. Townshend, are holding their patrol leadership training together. After two meetings the training will end with an overnight hike for the patrol and assistant patrol destination of which will be a leaders of these two groups, the surprise.

## Action, Reaction At Shamrocks' University Spree

—DIAMOND DUSTER

The Shamrocks' pennant winning victories over at College Park last Sunday were sweet music to local players and fans alike; but to Vince Holochwost, in his "swan song" as skipper of the 'Rocks, they were most melodic. It is a great thing to retire—a champion . . .

Two factors seem to stand out from this triumphant tryst. Firstly, Greenbelt really IS baseball champion of the county. After seven seasons of trying, including last year's "near miss." Secondly, they "dood it" against a manager, and his athletes, who had long blasted knots upon the Shamrocks noggins . . .

For that pilot—Blair Hamel—we can say that he is a competitor through and through, and his teams are never dull. Last Sunday they just had too much real pitching to cope with—too much flashy fielding against them—in fact, they simply had too much Greenbelt Shamrocks . . .

Joe Andrus' home run poke in the first frame of the opening game gave the 'Belt fans a great lift—as much as he gave the ball . . . Bill "Wackie" Zerwick started things with a soft liner over short and was bugged to second by Pete Scalise's sacrifice before tallying ahead of "Jolting Joe" Andrus . . . Norm Enzor hit a double and single and Al Nuzzo had two singles in the opener . . . Johnny Newman, who was behind the bat in the nightcap, hit Otis Prince for three safeties in four tries . . .

Bill Giller went out to the mound with Andrus' gift of two big runs in merry spirits and promptly ran into difficulty. He hit Elmer Raba on his right biceps with his three and two pitch. That would be the same right arm the "Washington Post" Monday issue made reference to as to how Georgetown would be depending in Saturday's grid meeting with Wake Forest. It is doubtful that Giller did any lasting damage to Raba's arm though. Elmer played outfield and third base for the Shamrocks last year. His football career has taken him to West Point and Notre Dame prior to his present Hoya affiliation . . .

Getting back to Giller now—The affable orthodox flinger has treasured ONE ball glove all during his diamond life! And the old rag truly shows its age . . . After getting Don Baker on a grounder, Bernie Good blasted a liner right through Giller's glove for a single. The ball took Bill's little finger with it—so to speak . . . Over at Leland Memorial Hospital, they put a twelve-inch splint on the digit and old "Hard Luck" will get back long about the fifth inning to find Ernie Boggs carrying on in fine fettle right in the middle of Curly Byrd's ballyard.

Boggs, one of the Shamrocks' charter members, had absolutely no pre-game warm-up and was shoved in to face the slugging Hamelites with merely the usual five practice tosses! The cold fireman walked Tillie Scott to fill the bases, then chilled Max Coe with a breezy third strike curve. Gump Bailey rolled into a force play to end the inning. Then for eight innings it was Ernie Boggs in charge. Never had the blond athlete been more effective against so good a club when it meant so much . . .

Pressure was all on Hamel's nine for the nightcap and the Hyattsvilleans were not long in finding out just how much pressure . . . Halfpint Johnny Clements certainly applied the squeeze. The cagey little wronghander retired the side in order in five different innings. Raba walked in the first inning and moved to second on a sacrifice to be the only one to reach the middle bag—in no inning did more than one man reach

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## Women's Gym Opens October 9

The first session of women's gym for the fall and winter will be held on Wednesday, October 9th from 7:30 to 10:15 p. m. in the center school auditorium. All married and single women interested in keeping physically fit, mentally relaxed and keeping the "girlish figure" are welcome and encouraged to participate in an evening of activity on Wednesday gym nights.

The first 20 minutes of the evening will be devoted to conditioning exercises which will be followed by table tennis, shuffleboard, badminton, volleyball, basketball, and basketball. Instruction is given in any game desired. Tournaments and leagues will be conducted in activities for which there is a demand.

Ladies are requested to wear shorts or slacks (preferably shorts) and sneakers for gym. All activities are free of charge.

## Men's Gym Starts On October 10

Ben Goldfaden, director of recreation, announces the beginning of men's gym on Thursday, October 10 at 7:30 p. m. in the center school gymnasium.

The men's recreation program will consist of calisthenics, table tennis, volleyball, badminton, basketball, boxing, tumbling, and shuffleboard. These activities are free of charge.

The main emphasis will be placed on the town basketball league which will begin the first Thursday in December. Anyone interested in this league only can contact the Recreation Department any time in October or November and leave his name so that he may be sure to be on a team.

All men interested in gym are invited to participate every Thursday night, 7:30 to 10:15 p. m.

## Civil Air Patrol Chooses Officers

The Greenbelt Flight of the Civil Air Patrol, Hyattsville Squadron, has completed its reorganization by choosing student officers, who will unofficially comprise a membership committee.

Commanding Officer Werner C. Steinie of Greenbelt, a former 20th Army Air Force veteran, now attending an aeronautical engineering course at Catholic University, announces the following appointments:

Student Flight Commanding Officer: 2nd Lieut. Robert Link.

Assistant Flight Officer: S/Sgt. Donald Wilson.

Clerk: T-4 Laura Link.

Section Chief, Radio: T-4 Raymond Welsh.

Assistant Section Chief, Radio: Cpl. Donald Sprinkle.

Section Chief, Military Police: T-4 Walter Herbert.

Assistant Chief, M.P.: Cpl. Geo. Brozini.

Drill Sergeant: Sgt. Wayne Bechert.

Squad Leaders: Sgt. Herbert Hazell, Sgt. Charles Fortney and Sgt. Donna Fohnno.

The local meetings are held Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock in Room 125 of the Greenbelt Elementary School, with all members eligible to attend the main squadron technical classes Friday night in Hyattsville Armory.

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## Nursery School Opens New Season

The Co-op Nursery school began this week with two full classes of four year olds. The morning class from 9 to 11:30, accommodates children whose fourth birthday falls between July 1 and Dec. 31 of this year. The afternoon class, from 1:15 to 3:45, is for children who were four before last June 31. The change in time for the afternoon class is due to the many children coming to school by bus. Children were arriving at school at 1:10 and had to wait until 1:30 for class to begin.

Dorothy Broadbent, the nursery teacher, outlined the objectives for the school program at a parent's board meeting held last Friday. She stressed the importance of teaching children to be responsible for small tasks that adults so often do to save time. Such things as removing wraps, overshoes, unbuttoning clothing, the care of wraps and general development of small and large muscles in play and work.

Many excursions and local visits are scheduled to acquaint the child with everyday social science experiences. Miss Broadbent expressed the advantages of the school for individual stimulation from others of the same age group and the social growth in the child's adjustment to other people, both adults and children.

Parents interested in enrollment in the school may call Ann Braund, 5001. Besides the age requirements, each child must have a health certificate signed by the family physician and the mother must be able to participate in school a half day a week as an aid to the teacher. Four months' maternity leave is given a mother if she finds it impossible to participate in school.

The tuition is \$6 a month; the first month \$12 is due to cover the first and last month of school.

## The Fish Line

By ROY HOLBROOK

One method of easily removing breeders from your spawning tank, so as not to disturb the spawn is to leave one corner of the tank unplanted when setting it up.

When the time comes to remove the breeders simply slip a piece of glass down across the corner, holding it firmly against the sides and leaving enough room for the fish to swim under. Next, use a long medicine swab stick, or a similar instrument that will not swirl the water, and gently annoy the fish until they dash under the partition. Then drop the glass to the bottom and dip the fish out without the least disturbance to the rest of the tank.

A study in engineering efficiency is to watch the Weatherfish (Misgurnus fossilis Block) in its action in going over a sandy aquarium bottom in search of left-over food. Its technique of rapidly taking in mouthfuls of sand and shooting it out its gills after first separating all food particles is an interesting observation. The eel-like fishes keep the sand loosened and spend a part of their time buried in it with only their heads watchfully sticking out.

Because of the fact that they roll the water considerably they are at their best from two to three inches in size.

Any of this species larger than three inches become a nuisance.

A less tiresome way of separating white worms from dirt is to place a good handful of mixed worms and dirt in a small thin walled pyrex dish. A dish with the mouth larger than the base is preferred so as not to disturb the worms when dumping off the dirt.

Then float this dish in a larger contained filled with cold water for about an hour. The worms will work their way down and mass themselves against the cool wall of the container.

The dirt can now be dumped back into the culture box, leaving the worms practically free of dirt ready to be picked out and fed to your fishes.

Now is the time to look over your electrical equipment before cold weather is definitely here to stay. Due to age rubber insulation become brittle, contact points corrode and filaments are apt to be broken or burnt out.

## Our Neighbors

From Page 2

fiel and Jimmy McCarl drove to Baltimore last week and enlisted in the army.

Mr. Lee Ellis has left Greenbelt for White Plains, N. Y., where he will go into the optical business for himself. His family will remain here until he finds a home for them. Last Saturday a surprise farewell party was given in his honor by the Fondas, of 9-C Research Road.

Mrs. M. E. Thomason left California's sunshine to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomason, of 4-R Laurel Hill Road. The elder Mrs. Thomason celebrated her eightieth birthday on Monday.

Fifteen year old Richard Lewis, 24-J Ridge Road, is home from the hospital. Richard suffered a serious pelvic fracture in an accident while on a hay ride. He must remain in bed for a month, then he will be able to walk with the help of crutches. He wants to thank all his friends and neighbors for their many calls and cards during his stay at the hospital.

Corporal Charles Maschauer, Jr., is home again at 2-P Gardenway, with his wife and two small sons, after thirteen months in the Philippines.

Paul M. Dunbar, 13-D Ridge Road, left last week to attend Pratt Institute, New York City for a three-year course in commercial illustration under the GI Bill. His wife, Jenny is staying with his parents until the school housing project at Pratt is completed, which may be about December 1st.

Miss Margaret Gurney, a freshman at Keuka College, Penn Yan, New York, has been elected president of her dormitory. Miss Gurney is the daughter of Mrs. Beatrice B. Gurney, of 2-D Plateau Place.

S/Sgt. Henry Barkley, of 3-R Research Road, has returned to duty in Santa Fe, New Mexico, after spending a thirty-day furlough with his parents and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Citron are the proud parents of a baby girl, Sondra Ruth, who was born October 1, at George Washington Hospital.

There will be a permanent boarder at the Gottesman home at 20-A Parkway. He was born Sept. 27, and weight 8 lbs. His name is Daniel.

Mrs. George Formanek, of Chicago, Illinois, stopped off to visit Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Fonda, 9-C Research Road, on her way to New York City.

Mrs. F. L. Street is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Holmes, Jr., 9-S Research Road. Mrs. Street will take little Carol Holmes down home to Electra, Texas, with her when she returns.

A surprise farewell party was given for Lee C. Ellis, 73-D Ridge Road, last Saturday night, at the home of the Fondas, 9-C Research Road. Greenbelters there to wish Lee good luck in his new job which takes him to New York City, were Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Danek, S/Sgt. and Mrs. Harry Hazell, Lee's sister and her brand new husband, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Aurich, Mrs. Lois LaFlamme, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Felter.

Doctor and Mrs. H. D. Sewell

## Spree

From Page 3

first! That, brother, is some pitching . . .

Leroy Clark, the Pete Reiser of the Shamrocks, presented a wistful figure as he huddled up in the stands with his pretty wife, cheering his teammates on to victory. Clark was regular second-sacker until he broke his right ankle on a base-stealing try in the first Landover game of the second half of league play . . . There were others present with wistful wishes that they too could be out there in Greenbelt's hour of triumph—men who played well and long for the Shamrocks in other times—fellows like Bob Thompson, Leo Mullen, Bill Holloway and Micky McDonald . . .

Most of the defensive play was done—extremely well—by the Irish infielders, excepting for a bright stab by Bill Zerwick of Bob Cullen's line drive to left with two on in the sixth session of the opener . . . Scalise handled half a dozen grounders with finesse—just as he has done all season. Pete has given the Shamrocks the steadiest hot corner protection this season that they have ever had . . . Al Nuzzo has proven himself an opportunist. Blessed with a very strong accurate throwing arm, Leo Mullen's son-in-law stepped into the 'Belt shortfield station and actually sparked the whole infield into a new fury of speed and aggressiveness—tempered well by the adult guidance of Scalise and Bernie Forney on either side . . .

Nuzzo's leap to spear Sam Harvey's liner in the fifth inning of the second tilt was perfection in timing and was just one of twelve safely handled chances . . . Bernie Forney, at second, handled a like amount but booted one . . .

Forney, the shortstop until Clark's enforced retirement, made a perfect keystone partner for Nuzzo . . . Bernie wields a skillful bat . . . Bill Moore and Charlie Mintzell have kept the 'Rocks above par at the initial sack all the way and the big fat fireman had a "field day" in the title tilts with 21 putouts and 4 assists—pitchmates thrice and with Forney-assists in collaboration with his eye on the other occasion . . .

Yes sir, it's great to be a winner . . .

## Legion Post 136 Aids 3 Area Posts

The Greenbelt Post of the American Legion has been active recently in helping surrounding communities to form their own Posts. Sunday night, officers traveled to Glenn Dale to inaugurate a new Post; Posts at Branchville and College Park are also being sponsored by the Greenbelt Legionnaires.

A membership drive with a goal of 100 new members by the third week in November began this week at the local Post. When this quota is met the ritual team from Washington will inaugurate the group.

Tonight at the Post home the fall entertaining program begins with music by Arty Freda's trio.

of Rochester, N.Y., stopped to visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. F. Vogel, 9-L Research Road, on their way down to Williamsburg, Va.

## Don Cooper Flies To Nuerenberg

Donald H. Cooper, former editor of the Greenbelt Cooperator, left by plane Friday night for Nuremberg, Germany, where he will work with the Office of Chief of Counsel in editing and publishing the record of the War Crimes trials just completed. Two million words of testimony and 30,000 documents offered as supporting evidence will be published in four languages, in about 20 volumes. Mr. Cooper will serve as editor of the English edition, and as administrative assistant for the entire project.

## New Camera Club Forms Next Week

Photographers, amateur and professional, will gather at the American Legion Home Monday night at 8:30 to form a Legion Camera Club, Wayne Roberts announced this week.

Mr. Roberts, formerly secretary of the Greenbelt Camera Club, said that the Legion Post had given permission to him to invite all interested persons to use the home for club meetings. Legion membership is not a requirement for joining the camera club, which is open to all Greenbelt camera fans.

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