



## What Goes On

Friday, July 11—GCS board meets, 8 p. m., in office above drugstore.

Saturday, July 12—Paper collection for Community Church boat ride starts at 10 a. m. Children's variety show, Greenbelt theater, 10 a. m.

Sunday, July 13—Maryland Rifle League matches, 10 a. m. at Greenbelt target range. Baseball, Shamrocks vs. Morningside, 3 p. m., Braden Field. Reception for Fr. Dowgiallo, 8 p. m., center auditorium.

Tuesday, July 15—Aquacade tryouts, 12 noon, swimming pool. Older boys' softball practice, 2:30, Braden Field.

Wednesday, July 16—Boys' baseball, Long vs. Johnson, 2 p. m., Braden Field. GMHA annual meeting and election of directors, 8:15 p. m., center auditorium.

## Reception Sunday For Fr. Dowgiallo

A reception in honor of Rev. Victor J. Dowgiallo, new pastor of St. Hugh's Catholic Parish in Greenbelt, will be held Sunday, July 13 in the Center School auditorium at 8 p. m., sharp.

Musical selections by Miss Jacqueline (Jackie) Keenan, Mrs. Thomas R. Freeman, Robert J. Brady, and the St. Hugh's Choir will precede the reception to Father Dowgiallo.

Heads of all the church denominations in Greenbelt will be present, as will also his Excellency Most Rev. John M. McNamara, administrator of the Arch-Diocese; his Excellency Most Rev. Lawrence J. Shean, auxiliary bishop of Baltimore and Washington; Rt. Reverend John J. Russell, pastor of St. Patrick's Church, Washington; Rt. Reverend John K. Cartwright, pastor of St. Mathew's Cathedral; the Catholic clergy from neighboring parishes and other Catholic Church dignitaries. County, state and local officials have been invited. Mayor George Bauer will deliver the address of welcome for the town.

The Catholic Parish in Greenbelt, which was established by the late Archbishop Michael J. Curley, has been officially named St. Hugh's by the Administrator of the Archdiocese.

A cordial invitation has been extended to all the people of Greenbelt to participate in the reception.

## Notice

At its next meeting Monday night, July 14, the Town Council will consider for second reading and final passage a proposed ordinance making it unlawful for any dog to be allowed to run at large or to be in any public place or area within Greenbelt unless dog is muzzled, is tied to a leash, and is under the control of a responsible person. A fine of from \$2 to \$25 is provided for violation.

ALL INTERESTED CITIZENS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE COUNCIL MEETING AND EXPRESS THEIR OPINIONS ON THIS PROPOSED ORDINANCE.

## Heater Explodes At 25 Ridge Road

Greenbelters need feel no general alarm as a result of the blow-up of a hot water heater, in the 25 court of Ridge road, last Sunday morning at 3 a. m., according to FPHA manager Charles M. Cormack.

Residents of the house were awakened by sounds from the basement where the heater is located, and called police officer Johnny Belton. The heater blew up after Mr. Belton had arrived, thrown off the switch and left again to summon maintenance engineer Charles T. McDonald. Officer Belton's departure may have saved him from severe injury. Water from the heater was flowing onto the basement floor.

Mr. Cormack attributed the accident to a failure of the aquastat which turns off the burner. No damage was done, except to the heater which is being replaced, since a reinforced concrete floor separates the heater from the other part of the dwelling. Mr. Cormack stated that the accident is being thoroughly studied, but that in any project which involves over 200 heating plants the possibility of such a failure exists. He added that it is unlikely that a similar breakdown will occur.

## Sidewalk Repairs

A contractor began work on Wednesday, July 9, on a project to repair sidewalks and steps in the town's defense area, FPHA manager Charles M. Cormack announced on Wednesday. The job will cost in the neighborhood of \$7500 and will consume a good part of the summer.

Painting of the defense homes is going along rapidly, Mr. Cormack commented. He stated that two coats will be applied, and that the second coat will be finished in the area being painted rather than applying a first coat to the whole project, and returning to each area for the second coat.

## Kids' Talent Show Saturday Morning

Together with the presentation Saturday morning of "Five Little Peppers", a film from the Children's Library, the adult advisory council on children's films has arranged a children's variety show at the Greenbelt Theater which will precede the showing of the picture and begins at 10 a. m.

All local talent, the performers will be in costume for their acts. Four girls, Jana Lee Andrusic, Mary Michael Ruppert, Arletta Chesley, and Helen Pleitner, will present a dance called "Clambake." Donna Pleitner will do an acrobatic dance. Colleen O'Leary a Hawaiian, and Wally Sherertz will sing.

Mrs. William J. Andrusic, representing the Brownie Scouts, is this month's chairman of the council, which includes Mrs. Thomas Freeman, for the Woman's Club; Mrs. Hilbert Kurth, Girl Scouts; Mrs. James Lynch, Greenbelt schools; Mrs. Clyde Stripling, Cub Scout pack 202; Mrs. William Therrel, Cub Scout pack 229; Mrs. Horace Turner, Boy Scouts; and Mrs. Clifford Woodward, PTA.

The next children's program planned by the council will be a morning showing of "Huckleberry Finn" on August 9.

## Dr. J. E. Andrews Joins GHA Staff

Dr. James E. Andrews, a physician qualified to practise obstetrics, gynecology and general surgery, joined the staff of the Greenbelt Health Association July 1, it is announced by president Ruth Bowman.

Dr. Andrews comes from Edenton, North Carolina. A graduate of the Jefferson Medical School of Philadelphia, he served his internship at the Naval Hospital in Annapolis, and completed post-graduate courses in gynecology at the Harvard Medical School and general surgery at the Naval Hospital in Philadelphia. He was recently retired from the U. S. Navy at the rank of Captain. While in the Navy, Dr. Andrews worked with the family clinic service.

The doctor is temporarily housed in an apartment at 11-L Parkway Road, while anticipating the arrival of his family which is composed of Mrs. Andrews, a college-age daughter, and Mrs. Andrews' mother.

## Chosen Squadron Leader

Paul R. Klender of 30-F Crescent Road, who is at the Eleventh Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps Summer Camp, Langley Field, Virginia, was selected to act as Flight Leader Squadron B, for one week, starting June 29.

Cadet Klender attends University of Maryland where is studying for a degree of B. S.

No Air ROTC Summer Camp has been held since approximately 1930. The Reserve Officers Training Corps was reestablished in September of 1946 in the colleges and universities.

The camp will last approximately six weeks, concluding August 2, 1947.

## July 4 Celebration Draws Crowds; Woman's Club Float Wins First Prize

A notably safe Fourth of July celebration began here in Greenbelt last Friday morning with a parade which drew crowds of spectators to the center and along the route of march. Led by Police Officers Buddy Attick and Johnny Belton on horseback, the American Legion color guard, the Greenbelt community band, the Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Rescue Squad, police car carrying Chief Panagoulis and Mayor Bauer, and the town's fire engines polished up for the occasion, the floats passed before the judge and were followed by children's displays.

## GMHA Discusses Housing Disposal Wednesday Night

The annual meeting of the Greenbelt Mutual Housing Association will be held Wednesday night, July 16, at 8:15 p. m. in the Center School Auditorium.

President Sherrod East urged all Greenbelters to return the housing questionnaire recently sent to every resident. He stated that the association is making the study as a public service and that the information to be gained will be open to everybody. While the information sought is very important and will be extremely useful, a poor response on the part of Greenbelt residents will considerably impair its value, he said.

At the present moment Congress is considering two bills for the disposal of FPHA housing that will soon affect the fortunes of every resident of Greenbelt. Because of the importance of the housing question and the critical nature of the present situation, it is hoped that Greenbelters will crowd the auditorium to capacity.

Nine members of the board of directors will be elected from among the eighteen members selected by the nominating committee. Other nominees endorsed by four or more members may submit their names to the secretary at least four days before the date of the meeting.

Up for election are Abraham Chasanow, Vladimir Chavrid, Ralph Cox, Wesley Darling, Sherrod East, A. J. Granger, Wells Harrington, Carnie Harper, Sigurgeir Leifur, Paul Linson, Robert Morrow, Waldo Mott, Cyrilla O'Connor, Tom Ritchie, Max Salzman, George Sheaffer, Bob Volckhausen and Adelaide Weidberg.

## Boat Ride Tickets Available July 14

Last Saturday's collection of newspaper for the Community Church boat ride totaled 15,000 pounds. To date 24,470 pounds of paper have been collected. The next pick-up day will be tomorrow, July 12, and the truck will start its rounds at 10 a. m. Last day for turning in paper will be Friday, July 25.

The boat trip will take place on July 26, the boat leaving the wharf at 10 a. m. and returning at 5:30 p. m. Tickets will go on sale July 14 for those not participating in the paper drive. Special arrangements have been made to obtain the tickets at the price of 40 cents for the round trip for children 5 to 12, and 70 cents for all over 12. Children under 5 may go free. By calling 5381, the name of a ticket salesman living in the vicinity may be obtained.

Tickets for the Greenbelt Band members, who are to be guests on the trip, will be delivered at band practice the night of July 21. Those who have collected paper will receive tickets from the church treasurer, George Sheaffer, after he returns from his vacation. The amount due each child above the price of his round trip ticket will be paid in cash on the boat.

According to Allen D. Morrison, chairman of the drive, indications are that over 500 children, possibly as many as 750, will be making the trip, and a number of parents intend to go along too.

Prize-winning float was "Betsy Ross," entered by the Woman's Club. The first place cup was awarded to Mrs. Henry Brautigam, chairman of the decorating committee, by Mayor Bauer. The second-prize cup was taken by "U. S. Navy," a torpedo, entered by the American Legion. Winning honorable mentions were "Camping Scene," by the Izaak Walton League; "Baseball Scene," by the Athletic Club; "United Nations," by the American Legion Auxiliary, and "Co-op Camp" by Greenbelt Consumer Services.

The only decorated car, from the Prince Georges Bank and Trust Co., was not entered for a prize. The Co-op Pantry bus was also in the parade.

Winners in the children's group included Pat Kitchen, Myrna Chasanow, Ray Sheiver, Joyce Ott, Jimmy Panagoulis, Patsy Dunbar, and Alex McGuire. Receiving two-dollar prizes for the costumes were Imogene and Glend Haber, for the prettiest; Virginia Van Camp, for the funniest, and Mary Singer, for the most unique. The Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts of Troop 202 won five gallons of frozen custard for the best junior group, judged on appearance and formation.

Judges were Rabbi Morris Sandhaus, Rev. Eric T. Braund, Father Victor Dowgiallo, Mrs. Lloyd Nelson, and Mrs. Alfred Sansone.

## Winners At Lake

In the athletic contests at the lake area, the youngsters won dolls, bats and balls, and lunch kits for their prowess, while the older crowd got cosmetics, cigarettes, theater passes, cases of soft drinks, and nylons among the prizes.

Winners in the boys' and girls' events included David Goldfaden, Billy Evers, Katherine Turner, Vicky Goldfaden, Robert Oring, Dick Reed, Carroll Comings, Judy Chsley, Freddie Comings, Lewis Oring, Kathryn Snyder, Henrietta Hesslinger, Billy Moore, Michael Cockill, Ronda Bibler, Laurie Maffey, Allen Carneal, Jack Snoddy, Patsy Ricker, Mabel Vickers, Bill Bochart, Leo Slaughter.

The men's 50-yard dash was won by Steve Comings, with Curt Barker second, while the women's race was won by Marge Dulin with Mrs. Bibler second and Marion Moore third. The "men over 40" race was won by George Eshbaugh, with Irving Oring second. The husband-and-wife three-legged race was won by Mr. and Mrs. Bibler, with Mr. and Mrs. Baker second and Mr. and Mrs. Reed third. Sack race winners were Richard Ward, Bobby Eubanks, Hazel Davis, and Barbara Lloyd. The family relay was won by the Biblers with the Comings next and Snyders third. Three-legged race winners were Hofstetter-Lewis, Benefel-Cragin, Bibler-Kosatka, and Lewis-Maffey. In the horseshoe singles, Earle McAleer won the horseshoe set as first prize, while Steve Comings and Bob Lindeman shared the five-dollar prize in the horseshoe doubles.

## Flash!

The resignation of Oliver C. Winston, director of FPHA general field office which administers Greenbelt, was announced this week. After August 1 Mr. Winston will be executive director of the Baltimore Housing Authority, consisting of about 10,000 units with a large expansion program planned.

Mr. Winston's successor as head of the general field office has not been determined.

## Greenbelt At The Crossroads



"Looks like you'll have to pitch in and help now, dear, if we're going to get all the wash in by five o'clock!"

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## To The Editor:

### They Got Gypped!

To The Editor: This letter is written at the insistence of my two sons, ages five and eight, respectively, who, until last week were the scourge of Japanese beetles in our neighborhood.

It seems that in prior years the town, in the person of Mr. McGregor, official gardener, paid a bounty of 25 cents for each pint of beetles turned in by the younger citizens. For some reason, and apparently without any notice, this bounty has been discontinued this year. This circumstance, that of non-payment for the captured pests, is bad enough, but the failure to publicize the bounty cut-off is, in the eyes of our junior pest destroyers, a nefarious trick, of the blackest sort. Consequently, hours of diligent hunting for the winged plague has gone unrewarded, and the anticipation, justified by the precedent of prior reward, has been cruelly crushed by disappointment.

Now 75 cents (the bounty for three pints of beetles) is still a lot of money for a little boy. So the trek to Mr. McGregor's headquarters by my two sons, was a most enjoyable exercise, with the soda counter and the toy department of the variety store, the important destination of the long jaunt. The sound of the beetles striking against the jars in which they were imprisoned (how many beetles in three pint jars?) was so much music to the little boys' ears. The rest is too sad to relate. I don't know Mr. McGregor, but there are two little boys around our house who think of him along the same lines as a certain bearded dweller of hotter regions.

I wonder what Mr. McGregor would have thought if he had seen three jarsful of Japanese beetles suddenly released from their crowded jail. It may be that this method of completing the broken contract indicates a lack of public spirit on the part of my

youngsters, but I don't believe that they violated any statute. I don't know what is behind the end of the bounty for Japanese beetles. But have you ever seen One Japanese beetle working on a rose-bush? Well, Mr. McGregor how many beetles in three pints?

To whoever is responsible for this state of affairs I want to say, on behalf of two non-voting residents, "We got gypped!"

—Just Another Dad

## Thanks, Folks

To the Editor:

May I use your pages to express a hearty thanks to every one of the good folks who helped us of the Council in making the Fourth a glorious (but safe) success. I hope everyone enjoyed themselves thoroughly—I did. Harry Rhodes, Cap. Sines, and Charlie Lowe with the fireworks; Ben Goldfaden, Eileen Mudd and others in athletics; Pop Bell and P. M. Jim Wolfe and others with the shoes; Lew Gerstel, Lucille Fonda, Waldo Mott, Sam Ashelman, Doc Pearson, George and the Force, Buddy Fox, the concessionaires, and everyone else who lent a hand in doing a bang-up job. Mayor Bauer, Jack Cain and I had our hands full most of the time but it was fun. The girls in the office, builders of floats, everybody—thanks a million! The Scouts were wonderful with traffic and delivering the flyers, the Rescue Squad and Volunteer Fire Department—gee—I wish I could name each one but it just isn't possible. Even Patsy helped. Thanks, everybody.

—PAUL DUNBAR

## "Unpretty" Paint

To the Editor:

We have seen the color-jobs on some of the defense housing in the North End, and consider them very unpretty. The colored paint gives the buildings the effect of being chopped-up, and they look cheap and garish. Let's have the quiet freshness of white trim on the rest of our buildings.

—Mr. and Mrs. North-Ender

# OUR NEIGHBORS

By GERRY BACKSTROM

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Have you seen any "flying saucers?" Just keep looking, and if you are fortunate enough to find one, there is a \$1,000 dollar reward waiting for you in the cities of Chicago, Los Angeles, and Spokane. Good Luck!

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Van Camp, 3-E Crescent Road, have had as their guests the past two weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kalmbach, sister and brother-in-law of Mrs. Van Camp. The Kalmbachs flew to their home in Ann Arbor, Michigan on July 4.

Mrs. Lawrence Cake has returned to her home in Metuchen, New Jersey, after enjoying a week's visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas P. Green, 2-D Laurel Hill Road.

Chief and Mrs. Joseph F. Vogel, 99-L Research Road, arrived home last Saturday, from a vacation in England states. Little Mary Vogel Quebec, Montreal, and the New enjoyed her vacation which she spent in Rochester, New York, visiting her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. McCord of 6-L Plateau Place have gone to Pottsville, Pa., with their two little sons, T. Teddy and Barry. They plan to vacation there until July 14.

Mrs. Ebba Stewart, accompanied by her two children and her sister from Connecticut, are driving in the Stewart's new car to Clearwater, Florida, where they will spend their vacation.

Mrs. Edward M. Fisher, 57-L Ridge Road, has returned from a vacation with her mother in Springfield, Mo. She and her small baby flew both ways. Mr. Fisher, who is retired from Naval Service, has returned from a period of training at Woodshole, Mass.

Mrs. Anna Kopmann of Long Beach, California is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ralph Ebert, 9-M Research Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Callanan, 2-C Laurel Hill have as their guests this week, Mr. Callanan's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Caraher of Chicago, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Cadman R. Winegarden, 6-Z-5 Plateau Place, have as their guests this week, Sister M. Athanasius, who is Mrs. Winegarden's aunt, and Sister M. Edith from St. Elizabeth's College, Convent Station, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Peterson and their small baby, 57-G Ridge Road, left Saturday for California where they will visit their families. Mr. Peterson has been transferred to Hawaii. Mrs. Peterson plans to join him at a later date.

Mrs. Detty Roton of New York visited her sister, Mrs. Elsie L. MacMullen, over the Fourth of July.

Daniel J. Neff, 3-D Ridge Road, enjoyed a "flying trip" to Chicago last week. He attended the Market Week, formerly called the "displayman's convention". The plane in which he flew made the trip through the stratosphere in the record time of 2 hours 13 minutes.

Vacationing editor Anne Hull writes from Yellowstone Park that she, her husband Dayton, sister Pris and nephew Paul have been pursued by hailstones, and find it pretty cold camping out in Wyoming. They were heading for Banff in the Canadian Rockies, by way of a big round-up in Montana.

Mrs. Martin Kinde of Newark, New Jersey, spent the Fourth of July week-end visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank J. McConnell, 73-A Ridge Road.

Mrs. Paul O'Leary, 4-H Hillside Road is enjoying a visit from her daughter, Jean who has come from Bristol, Connecticut. She will spend the next two weeks here.

A group of families, their friends and children in the "13" Court of Hillside Road enjoyed a community picnic last Sunday. There were 36 present.

Councilman Paul Dunbar, Mrs. Dunbar and Patsy will spend a week, beginning Friday, with their son and daughter-in-law at their apartment at Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y., where Paul is attending a course in commercial illustration and doing swell.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gobel have as a guest for several weeks, Mrs. Gobel's niece Martha Young of North Carolina.

The John DiJanni's of 6-R Hill-

## Sheffer-Day

Dr. and Mrs. Will Gross Sheffer of Los Gatos, California, announce the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth Joyce Sheffer, to Richard H. Day, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl T. Day, 3-D Crescent Road, on June 27 in Frankfurt-on-Main, Germany. U. S. Army Chaplain Welsh officiated in the double-ring ceremony.

The bride, a staff sergeant at the Radio Branch Office of the Theatre Chief Signal Officer, wore the traditional white satin with cap and veil of real lace. The bridal party included a maid of honor and four bridesmaids, who wore powder blue dresses. The bridesmaids are members of the WAC 704th, and the best man and ushers are members of the 18th Infantry Regiment.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the Frankfurt Athletic Club. Furloughing on their honeymoon, the couple expects to spend part of their time at the GI Country Club honeymoon cottage, and also plan to visit Dublin, Ireland, and Ayr in Scotland.

Mrs. Day, a graduate of San Jose State College, attended the University of California before entering the service. She has been overseas 14 months. A veteran of the 15th Division, Cpl. Day is now part of the Army personnel directing German youth activities.

## Recital Features

### Youthful Dancers

A large audience attended the recital entitled "Dancing Stars of Tomorrow" presented in the school auditorium the evening of July 2, under the direction of Mrs. Nellie McIntosh.

The following girls participated: Dorothy Baxter, Suzanne May, Lourdeen Schroder, Mary Fitzmaurice, Kathleen O'Connell, Patricia Kitchen, Paula Bibler, Susan Cockill, Dorothy Shannon, Lillian May, Elinore Feig, Coral Clay, Jacqueline Burt, Gail Stewart, Sarah Hawk, Sonya Friedman, Rosalie Fleisher, Beverly Kosatka, Eunice Birtman, Nancy Kurth, Margot Kennedy, Judith Fleisher, Deana Bryan, Betty McGill, Joann Wallace, Rochelle Feig, Harriet Riley, Shirley Howell, Middy Hank and Ronda Bibler.

## Bible Study Group

Thursday at 8:30 p. m. the regular weekly meeting for Bible study will be held at 10-B Hillside. All who wish to attend are welcome at these meetings.

side Road have several guests from New York, his mother Mrs. Joseph DiJanni, a nephew Cope, and a sister Miss Raephelina DiJanni.

Betsy Woodman, 20-G Hillside, left for a ten-day vacation in New England last Wednesday night. She will attend a week's religious conference on Star Island, off Portsmouth, N. H., sponsored by the Isles of Shoals Unitarian Association and theological student, Betsy will give the Morning Chapel service at Star Island on July 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Havlind of 2-L Research Road, and children Harvey, Jr., and Stephanie, left for an auto trip to Seattle where they will visit Mr. Havland's parents.

Mrs. Alvin Shiren and daughter Lila of 1-C Ridge Road were away for a week, visiting Mrs. Shiren's brother in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Virginia Harris and daughter Virginia Anne, 18-E Ridge Road, have recently joined Mr. Harris at the Pensacola Navy Base, where they have purchased a new home.

## St. Hugh's

### Catholic Church

Daily Mass: 7 a. m. at St. Hugh's Chapel, 58-A Crescent Road.

Sunday Mass: 7:30 a. m. and 9:30 a. m. at the theater.

7:30 a. m. Mass: The regular communion Sunday for all men of the parish, and the Holy Name Society. All members are urged to attend. There will be a recitation of the Holy Name pledge immediately following the Mass.

9:30 a. m. Mass: Choir rehearsal immediately after Sunday Mass.

1 p. m. Baptisms.

Confessions: 4-5 p. m., Saturday, expressly for the children. 7:30-9:30 p. m. for adults.

## Community Church

Saturday, July 12—

Paper pick-up for the boat ride. 3:30 p. m.—Board of Deacons picnic at Indian Springs. Bring the family.

Sunday, July 13—

9:30 a. m.—Church School, Thomas Berry, superintendent.

10:00 a. m.—Men's Bible Class, Rolfe Sauls, president.

10:50 a. m.—Church nursery.

11 a. m.—Church worship, welcome to all. Soloist, Mrs. John McClendon will sing "He Shall Fear His Flock" from Handel's "Messiah," with Mrs. Daniel Neff at the organ. The sacrament of Holy Communion will be observed. Sermon theme: "Restoration."

Monday, July 14—

Evening cruise on the Potomac sponsored by the Church Guilds for the Church Building Fund. Tickets should be secured in advance from ladies of the church. The S. S. Mount Vernon sails from 7th St. Wharf at Maine Avenue at 8:30 p. m.

Tuesday, July 15—

1:30 p. m.—Day Guild sewing group meets at Mrs. Howard Slaymaker's, 2-C Research Road.

8:15 p. m.—Evening Guild sewing group meets at Mrs. Del Bartholm's, 1-C Ridge Road.

## Lutheran Church

Sunday, June 13—

11:30 a. m.—Sunday school classes and adult Bible class.

12:30 p. m.—Regular church services in the home economics room of the center school.

Wednesday, July 16—

8 p. m.—Demonstration Evening for parents of children attending Vacation Bible School at the School Auditorium, 37th and Legation sts., Hyattsville.

July 12 to 20—

The Eastern District Luther League Camp will hold its annual Summer Camp at Miles Haven Inn, Newcomb, Md. Costs are: for day \$4.50; for a week, \$25; for the entire period \$29.50 including registration fee. For reservations and further information write to Camp Manager Rev. S. Burk, Kingsville, Md.

## Mowatt Memorial

### Methodist Church

Sunday, July 13—

Church School—9:45 a. m.

(Classes for all ages)

Morning Worship—11 a. m.

## Hebrew Services

Sabbath Services will be conducted by Rabbi Sandhaus at 8:30 p. m. Friday, July 11, in the social room of the center school. Rabbi Sandhaus will deliver a brief sermon which will be followed by an open forum. All people of the Jewish faith are invited to attend.

To all the people of Greenbelt

You are cordially invited to attend a

RECEPTION

in honor of

REV. VICTOR J. DOWGIALLO

newly appointed Pastor of the Greenbelt Catholic Parish

Greenbelt Elementary School Auditorium

Sunday, July 13, 1947, 8 p. m.



## 20 YEARS AGO -

The "Ohio revolution" in the auto insurance business occurred. A group of farmers, tired of their requests for special low rates for rural areas (where accident risks are lower) being refused by regular insurance companies, banded together and formed their own company—the Ohio Farm Bureau Mutual Auto Insurance Co.

Their first published rates were 40% below the regular rates in existence at that time. From that day to this, the same spirit guides all Farm Bureau insurance operations. Farm Bureau was organized and financed by economy minded farmers, not for profit, but to provide necessary insurance services at the most economical rates possible.

This spirit, plus the fact that the great bulk of Farm Bureau policyholders are in the comparatively accident safe rural areas, accounts in large measure for the economical insurance rates paid by the policyholders, and is one of the main reasons for Farm Bureau's strong financial position today.

### Anthony M. Madden

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Cissel-Saxons 1-0

The Greenbelt Shamrocks nosed out a fighting Cissel Saxon nine, 1-0, in eleven innings, Sunday, July 6, at Braden Field.

The visitors could muster only 2 hits off the Shamrock hurler Alexander, in seven innings. However, Alex had to be lifted in the Shamrock half of the eighth when he sprained his ankle trying to tag up on Don Wolfe's infield fly.

Harry Crouthamel took over the pitching chores in the eighth for Greenbelt and held the visitors to no hits and nothing across. Going into the local half of the eleventh, Lou Tierney came up with two out and nobody on, and very determinedly smacked a 3-bagger into right center field, which after Dick Cleveland's Texas leaguer, proved to be the winning marker for the Greenbelt nine.

In Cissel-Saxon's half of the eleventh, little Harry Courtland set the visitors down 1, 2, 3, to end a long ball game.

Sunday, the Shamrock nine will play their second rained-out game against the Morningside Laundry Team. Time: 3 p. m., Braden Field.

Box Score		R	H
Greenbelt	AB	1	9
Wolfe, cf	5	0	1
Enzor, rf	4	0	0
LaValley, lb	4	0	0
Tierney, c	5	1	2
Cleveland, lf	5	0	3
Crouthamel, p, cf	4	0	1
Lynch, 2b	4	0	0
Mothershead, 3b	4	0	0
Alexander, p	3	0	2
Sommers, cf	1	0	0
	39	1	9
Cissel-Saxon	AB	0	0
Schrider, A., cf	4	0	0
Schrider, J., 2b	6	0	0
Fincham, ss	5	0	0
Paden, lb	4	0	1
Butler, 3b	4	0	0
Rush, lf	3	0	0
Wurderman, c	3	0	1
J. Schrider, p	4	0	0
Pritchard, rf	4	0	0
	37	0	2

Aquacade Tryouts

The Recreation Department is beginning aquacade practice for their August 2nd show. Anyone interested in trying out—whether married or single, young or old—report to the pool Tuesday at 12 noon. If unable to come at that time, contact the Recreation Department, Greenbelt 6966, and other arrangements will be made. Anyone interested in working on costumes, scenery, or helping with the formation swimming should also contact the Recreation Department.

Greenbelt Gun Club Holds Shooting Match

L. L. Woodman, president of the Greenbelt Gun Club, announced that the club has received three new Garand .30 calibre Army rifles from the War Department. They will be used at Fort Meade by the members of the Club when they have their next all-day shooting excursion at the Fort on July 27.

Six clubs from the nearby towns composing the Maryland Rifle League will meet in competition this Sunday, July 13, on the Greenbelt Target Range at 10 a. m.

Danger Notice!

The Recreation Department wishes to urge parents to limit the amount of time their children spend in the swimming pool. The life guards report that most of their near drowning cases this year have been from mere fatigue among the younger children, because they have been in the water for 4 or 5 hours at a time.

Legion Jrs. Defeat Nine Old Men, 4-3

The Legion Jr. Baseball Team was to play the Costello Post of Washington last Saturday afternoon at Braden Field, but the manager of their team found it impossible to get his boys together, because of the holiday.

Manager Foster and Coach Mullin wanted the boys to have some practice, so a team of men got together and opposed the Legion Boys, calling themselves The Nine Old Men. The Old Men led the Legion team until the fourth inning, and went ahead in the sixth, but the boys tied the score in the seventh and went on to win in the eighth. The final score was the Legion Boys 4, Old Men 3.

The only county game Greenbelt has lost was to My Maryland Post. There is still a decision to be rendered that may give the game to the local boys.

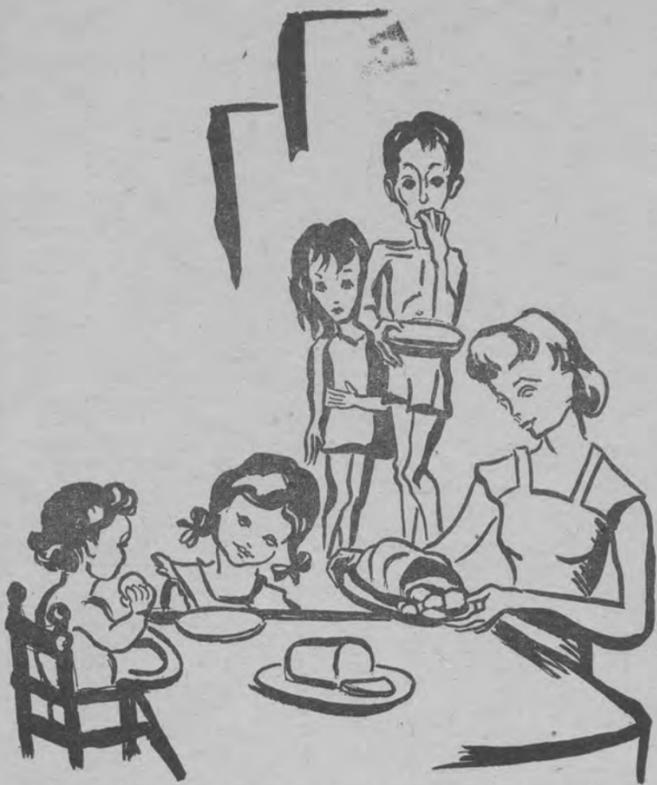
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Sports Stuff

By JOHN COSTA

The Greenbelt Shamrocks have been known as a mediocre ball club throughout the season, but as the first half of the Montgomery County Baseball League comes to an end, they have gained in every department. As I witnessed Sunday's game with Cissel-Saxon, they showed plenty of hustle and determination. Twice they stretched singles into doubles, when opposing outfielders loafed on the ball.

Donnie Wolfe, speedy shortstop, gave the crowd a goodly portion of the thrills, including a dash to the plate from third base as the pitcher was winding up. The ump called him out, much to everyone's surprise. It was a tough decision to take and after futile argument, the umpire won as usual. Regardless of the decision, the final standings show that the Shamrocks have come to life. Crouthamel, LaValley, Lynch, Wolfe and the others, keep the zip going. It looks good to the fans and makes for a better ball club.



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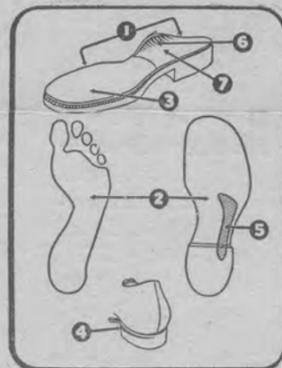


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## Tavenner Elected Legion Comdr.

A. E. Tavenner of 19-R Ridge Road was elected Commander of the local American Legion Post No. 136 at the Post's annual election last Thursday night.

Phillips M. Taylor was elected senior vice-commander; Ray T. Kerlin, junior vice commander; Nevelle Torbert, chaplain; Chester Tucker, historian; Wayne Roberts, finance officer, and Reuben Barrick, sergeant at arms. The new Executive Committee members are Frank Lastner, Edward Timmons and James Summers, Sr.

The newly-elected officers will be installed in the center school, Thursday, July 17, at 8:30 p. m. The national guard of honor will be in attendance and refreshments will be served at the Legion Home following the installation.

## Rec Dept. Needs Archers, Batters

The summer recreation classes offered by the Recreation Department began Jun 30 with overflowing registration for nearly all classes. The swimming instructors are handling 295 boys and girls and adults in the July classes, while the tennis classes are bulging with 80 registered. The tumbling and arts and crafts classes are likewise very popular, and because of the large number some of these classes have had to be divided.

The archery classes, however, still have room for more and because the registration was not as large as expected the teen-age archery previously scheduled to be held at the Northend school was combined with the Center class. All teen-agers interested in archery now meet from 9 to 11 on Tuesday and Thursday on Braden Field.

The boys' baseball group has been divided into four teams and plays a league game every Wednesday on Braden Field while the midget softball is likewise on its way for league play. The older boys' softball, however, needs recruits. Boys 14 through 16 are urged to come down to Braden Field on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 2:30 to help fill out the teams. A representative softball team from both age groups has been invited to join the county playground league.

The nine baby playgrounds located throughout the town also opened on June 30 under the supervision of local high school girls with an enthusiastic response from the little ones. Already parades and other special affairs have been held and more planned for this coming week. These playgrounds average 35 children per morning with about the same amount per afternoon.

## Center Hosts Hold Meeting

Adults serving as host and hostess for the Youth Center met in the Center Monday night. Miss Eileen Mudd, who presided, stated that the present system of sending each host or hostess a letter at the beginning of the month stating time of service was working very well. Substitutes are being called upon less frequently, and people are serving without recourse to much last-minute calling. The group was reminded to call their substitutes themselves, thus relieving the recreation department of a tiresome task.

The opinion of the group was that the Youth Center has been very orderly, and that cooperation between members and hosts and hostesses has been excellent. Miss Mudd expressed disappointment that more people did not attend the meetings, but felt it would help if the group would remember to reserve the first Monday night of each month unless otherwise notified.

A drawing was held for the Weave-It Doll for which tickets had been sold on July 4. Mrs. Herbert Hall, Sr. was holder of the lucky draw.

### CORRECTION

Last week's story about "Television Shows on Invitation" implied that George Krause is manager of the Radio Store. George is Sales Manager. Harvey Wharton is the Manager of GCS's Radio-Television-Appliance Store.

## Hurt In Accident

Pat Loftus, of 3-A Ridge Road, was injured Wednesday in an automobile accident near Greenbelt. When the car in which she was riding overturned on the Greenbelt road, near the Edmonston road, Pat suffered a broken nose and cuts on the head. She was taken to Leland Memorial Hospital. The driver of the car was not hurt.

## Tomato Blight

To the Editor: Many people have asked me why the lower leaves of their tomato plants turn yellow with brown spots, which seems to spread upward on the plants. This is, Early Tomato Blight, Alternaria, a fungus disease which ordinarily does not trouble us much, but the wet weather and cold nights have favored the spread of the disease. Some control can be had by dusting with a copper lime dust every 5 to 7 days or spraying with a Bordeaux mixture every 7 to 10 days. However, hot and dry weather will do more to check the disease.

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