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Election Petition Rules Posted; Deadline For Filing Is August 20

The Cooperator this week received official information on nomination and acceptance of nomination for the 1949 city council election from Mrs. Winfield McCamy, city clerk. Petition forms may be obtained from Mrs. McCamy at the city office, next to the bank. The election date will be Tuesday, September 20, this year, and the deadline for filing petitions is midnight, August 20, a month

The regulations are as follows:

1. Any qualified elector of the Panagoulis Acts city may be nominated for the office of councilman. (Residents over 21 who have lived in Maryland for a year and in Greenbelt for six months are eligible to vote in this fall's election, if duly registered. Previous registrants who did not

re-register to be eligible to vote.) Nomination petitions for the 1949 election must be signed by not less than 55, and not more than 92, qualified registered electors.

vote in the last two elections must

3. No elector shall sign more than one nomination petition; and, should an elector do so, his signature shall be void as to the petition or petitions last filed.

4. The signatures of the nomination petition need not all be appended to one paper, but to each separate paper there shall be attached an affidavit of the circulator thereof, signed by a notary public, stating the number of signers of each paper and that each signature appended thereto was made in his presence and is the genuine signature of the person whose name it is purported to be. With each signature shall be stated the place of residence of the signer, giving the street and number, or other description sufficient to identify the same.

File Till Aug. 20

5. All nomination papers comprising a petition shall be assembled and filed with the city clerk as one instrument, not earlier than July 22 nor later than midnight, August 20, 1949. The city clerk shall make a record of the exact time at which each petition is filed and shall take and preserve the name and address of the person by whom it is filed.

6. Within 7 days after filing of a nomination petition, the city clerk shall notify the candidate and the person who filed such petition whether or not it is found to be signed by the required number of quali-

(a) If a petition is found intifying wherein it is found insufficient. Within the regular time allowed for the filing of petitions (12 midnight, August 20) such a petition may be amended and filed again as a new petition, or a different petition may be filed for the same candidate.

7. Any eligible person placed in nomination as provided above shall have his name printed on the ballot if within seven (7) days after notification to him by the city clerk he shall have filed with the city clerk a written acceptance of the nomination.

A filing fee of three dollars (\$3.00) must be paid to the city clerk at the time the nomination pe-

tition is filed.

9. The full name of the candidates nominated for the council in accordance with charter provisions shall be printed on the official ballots in the alphabetical order of their surnames without any party shall be printed on the ballot twice designation.

10. All councilmen are elected at large. Every voter is entitled to vote for five candidates.

E-Day September 20 11. This year's election will be on Tuesday, September 20, 1949.

12. The place of the election will be the Greenbelt fire house. Polls Petition forms may be obtined open at 7 a.m. and close at 7 p.m. from City Clerk McCamy at the

As City Manager

Police Chief George Panagoulis is acting city manager during the absence of City Manager Charles T. McDonald, the "Cooperator" was informed on Tuesday, Mr. Mc-Donald left for a 10-day vacation with his family on Wednesday, and expects to spend a day at the Green Hills project in Cincinnati.

July 4th Program Netted \$35 Profit

A thirty-five dollar profit to the city was estimated to be the financial result of the three-day Fourth of July celebration by Allen D. Morrison, chairman, in his report to the city council Monday night. The complete report is not available as yet, Morrison said. but a "breakeven" is assured.

Last year the treasury was tapped for \$500.98. Factors contributing to 1949's financial success included more generous donations and a reduction in expenditure for fireworks from \$552 last year to \$312 this year.

No Fishing Permits

Repeal of the ordinance requiring a city fishing permit was adopted on motion of Councilwoman Betty Harrington. Effective immediately ownership of a State license is the only requirement for fishing at the Greenbelt Lake.

The Greenbelt Lake was restocked with 11,000 fingerlings in November, 1947, and now contains carp, large-mouthed bass and blue gills. Eli DonBullion, president of the local Izaak Walton League chapter, asserted that contrary to rumor "the lake offers wonderful fishing." State fishing licenses may be obtained from Lowell E. Fundom, 16-

The 25c permit to fish in the lake sufficient, the city clerk shall re- was bitterly opposed by DonBulturn it immediately to the person' lion in May, 1947, when the counwho filed it, with a statement cer- cil enacted that ordinance at that time. He maintained the fee was unnecessary in view of the existing state and local licenses needed to do any fishing.

In 1937, President Roosevelt threw the first fish into the Greenbelt Lake.

The council also voted to send a second letter to Public Housing Administration concerning the increase in utility charges and authorized the city manager to inspect the sidewalks at the center and order them repaired by PHA.

up to five, who receive votes numbering a majority of all electors voting at the election, shall be declared elected.

(a) If five councilmen are not thus elected. a second election will be held to fill the vacancies remaining, on the following Tuesday, September 27.

(b) In the second election, there as many names as there are positions to be filled, from the remaining candidates polling in order the largest number of votes in the first election. In this election the remaining positions shall be filled by declaring the several candidates polling the largest number of votes.

Petition forms may be obained 13. In the election, all candidates, city office, next to the bank.

The Police Blotter

Boys entered the cellar of a resident's home on Crescent and "threw winter clothes stored there around, wiped the floor and kicked everything around." Several articles of clothing were missing.

Skippy Endress, 16-Z-5 Ridge, cut his foot in the woods. He was taken to the police station by his brother Doug, and received first aid by Officer Green.

Ruth Caldwell, 13-F Laurel Hill, broke her arm while swinging in the yard of a neighbor. She was taken to a local doctor for treat-

Arthur Castaldi, 11-V Ridge, fell and cut his head severely. He was taken to a doctor where a clamp was required to close the gash.

There was one complaint about a child locked in a bathroom, and two complaints about skunks. A complaint about a prowler was investigated, but he was gone on arrival of the police. A report of shooting at the lake also proved unfounded after the police arrived.

A fire in a home on Ridge was caused when the resident lit a match in a closet in order to find a nickel. A pair of pajamas became ignited.

truck, driven by Edward Shultz, 11-H Parkway, skidded and overturned on Branchville and 58th St. No one was injured. The fire truck responded to a call when a car belonging to an out-of-town resident caught fire at Southway and Glenn Dale Roads. The blaze, caused by faulty wiring, was extinguished.

A complaint of a disorderly person was received. Police investigated, and discovered it to be a lost person, trying to find his way out of Greenbelt. Police gave him the proper directions and told him

Outdoor Platform Still Available

The platform erected for the Fourth of July celebration will remain on the school grounds until fall. Any organization desiring to use it may do so by calling the city office, according to City Manager Charles T. McDonald. Several organizations have already taken advantage of the outdoor facilities it offers, including the ciation for its recent meeting, and the Community Church, which plans a "Hymn Sing" for Sunday night. July 24.

The city office may be reached at Greenbelt 2011 or 3121.

Repainting Work Starts Next Week

One hundred Greenbelt families, fifty in each project, will be notified late this week that their homes will be the first to be painted under a new paint program scheduled to begin next week, according to PHA Manager Charles M. Cormack. This first group will be completed within 60 days, and is in addition to the regular painting program in progress in old Greenbelt.

Painting contractor for both projects is John W. Johnson, of Washington.

A contract has also been signed to repair the curve on Hillside road, the roads leading into the maintenance department, and the depressions in the parking lot in front of the Co-op garage.

The administration is also planning to repair the waterproofing and caulking on the Community building, Mr. Cormack added.

Citizens Elect Bowman Pres.; Hear Redd Advise 'Wait' Policy

Four men last Monday night replaced Mrs. Margaret Carmody at the helm of the Greenbelt Citizens' Association: Bruce Bowman, president; Hans Jorgensen, vice-president; Theron A. Tompkins, secretary; and John Brown, treasurer.

Mrs. Carmody, in retiring from the presidency, wished the new slate of officers "better cooperation" than she had received. She explained that she had been the sole officer during most of her term, and had never before, since elections were due last September, been able to get a quorum (35 people) together to hold an election, Earlier in the meeting, Mrs. Carmody had spoken of Greenbelt's five-year lack of interest in the Citizens Association, and laid at the door of this attitude the blame for "machine" operation of the country's politics.

Present at the meeting, at which Charles L. Redd was speaker, were between 40 and 50 people, including several members of Redd's housing organization, and five members of the board of directors of Greenbelt Veterans Housing Corporation, Inc.

Redd Says 'Wait'

Redd's address to the group consisted primarily of the advice to wait until Public Housing Administration had made a move in the sale of the community, before joining any housing group. His group has not as yet been opened to general membership.

In the hot discussion following Redd's speech-mostly between the speaker and GVHC board members -Redd claimed that the \$11 which each GVHC members has paid into that organization, and which for the most part has been spent—was a waste. He added that he had refused to join GVHC when the Trans-American Development Corporation was hired, because he did not think it necessary for Greenbelters to pay money to an outside organization to prepare the way for the purchase of their homes. At this point, he was accused of "ridon someone else's eleven

'Well Spent,' Says East

Sherrod East, speaking for GVHC, claimed that the money paid to the development company had been "well spent," and that "Greenbelters got their money's worth," since the eminent law firm of Barnes and Hill, hired by the developers, had worked for Greenbelt in such matters as the rent protest in addition to their participation in preparing for the eventual purchase of Greenbelt.

Mike Urges Preparation

Mike Salzman, president of GVHC, upon questioning by a member of the audience, said that was better to be prepared before PHA acts than after. He pointed to another project where the citizens were unprepared, the government announced sale and the residents were given 30 days in which to form an organization which would comply with federal regulations for purchase. "That would be an impossible job," he added.

When asked who were the members of his organization, Redd pointed to four or five men in the audience, and said that they were his organization.

"I Have Never Been Wrong" Claiming that 'I have never been wrong in my opinion about the sale of Greenbelt," Redd said he believed that it would be two years before the town is sold. When reminded that federal appraisers are already in the city, and asked on what he based this long-time opinion, Redd said it came from inside information, which he did not

Redd repeated his advice to "wait" when he was asked specifically to state the aims and purposes of his group.

The meeting was held on the outdoor platform erected for the Fourth of July program. Mrs. Carmody was thanked in a short speech by one member of the audience for her work as president,

Kenestrick Elected Post 136 Commander

John S. Kenestrick, former fiscal officer with Public Housing Administration at Greenbelt, was unanimously elected commander of the Greenbelt American Legion Post 136 at the election meeting held on Thursday, July 7 at the Post home.

Among other officers chosen for the 1949-50 year were: Frank W. Dudley, senior vice-commander; Julius Andrus, junior vice-commander; adjutant, Wayne A. Roberts; finance officer, Harold E. Kessner; historian, Norbert Loeffler; chaplain, Chester Tucker; and sergeant-at-arms, John Anderson.

Mr. Kenestrick is the thirteenth commander of the local Post, which was organized in 1938.

Installation of the officers will take place on July 21 at 8:30 p.m. at the Post home on Southway Rd. Colonel C. Russell Cravens, assistant commissioner in charge of disposition, Public Housing Adminis tration, has been invited to give the principal address. As in the past, the Legion will hold open house for all local residents on installation night and will serve refreshments and provide entertainment after the ceremonies.

Mrs. Harrington Leads Panel At PTA Session

The annual summer conference of the Maryland Congress of Parents and Teachers, which was held at Maryland University for the past three days, was attended by about 250 delegates.

The theme of the conference was "We Plan Together" and a film on this subject was shown at the first session.

The theme of today's session was the parent and community responsibility for children and youth. Mrs. Betty Harrington was the moderator at a panel discussion on community responsibility. Participants in the panel were Dr. Peter P. Lejins, sociology professor at the University of Maryland; Dr. R. Floyd Cromwell of the State Department of Education; Dr. Mabel Ross, director of the Prince Georges Mental Health Clinic; Mrs. Joseph Yuill. chairman of Home and Family Health of the Prince Georges PTA; and Mrs. Louis Ditman, of Prince Georges County Library board.

Tumbling Hours Changed

The Recreation Department announces that the hours for the tumling class for boys is now from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. on Fridays at the Center school.

after which she received a round of applause.

Active Till Oct.

While the Citizens Association has not been well attended in the last few years, if past experience is repeated the new officers will have an active organization for the next few months, at least. Usually, during council election years, the Association acts as a public forum at which candidates state their plat-

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It Wasn't Loaded

At the scene of last week's fireworks, a dull fizzle resounded, which was evidently another dud.

Charles L. Redd's remarks at the Citizens Association meeting this week establish finally and irreconcilably the blatant audacity of his plans to disrupt the steadfast purpose of Greenbelt citizens to purchase their homes from the government. Since he asserted that his only intention was to dissuade residents from joining together in a group for their mutual housing interest, and admitted that the organization he represented was not even a "de facto" corporation, we can only conclude that his purposes were not the best interests of the citizens of our city.

There is some embarrassment involved when we consider the seriousness and value we have placed on his previous public statements. But we felt that eventually he would put his cards on the table. Now that he has, it is gratifying to feel that the confidence we have given the GMHOC and GVHC (Inc.) is well justified. This should serve as a reminder to all the residents of Greenbelt, particularly those who include in their plans the ownership of a home in Greenbelt, that there are forces in town inimical to their interests. We should be alert and vigilant, and above all discerning. to what sort of insidious propaganda we will encounter in the future struggle for housing in Greenbelt.

ST. HUGH'S

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Victor J. Dowgiallo. Pastor Greenbelt 6381

Saturday: Confessions, 4 to 5 p.m. for children, 7 to 9:30 p.m. for adults, in the Chapel.

Sunday: Masses, 7:30, 9:30 and 11 a.m. in the Greenbelt Theater. This Sunday Holy Communion Sunday for the CPO and children of the parish at the 9:30 Mass.

Daily Mass in the Chapel at 7 Baptisms: 1 p.m. Sunday, in the

Wednesday: Novena Services, 7:45 p.m. in the Chapel.

COMMUNITY CHURCH PROTESTANT

Eric T. Braund, Minister Greenbelt 5001

Friday, July 15

7 to 9 p.m... ice cream social on Center school lawn.

Sunday, July 17 9:30 a.m., United Sunday School at Center school. (Northend Sunday School closed until September 11.)

11 a.m., Church worship, Center auditorium; special music by women of the choir; guest minister, Rev. Herbert Hillebrand, Protestant chaplain of the Gallinger Municipal Hospital.

GREENBELT LUTHERAN

E. E. Pieplow, Pastor

Sunday School, 11:25 a.m. Adult Bible Class, 12 noon. Church Service, 12:30 p.m. Friday, July 15-Men's club will

meet at the home of Mr. Henderson, 3-N Research. Monday, July 18-Vacation bible

school is in session for the last week at Trinity Lutheran School.

Tuesday, July 19-Canvass for membership. Meet at school at 7:30

HEBREW SERVICES

Rabbi Morris A. Sandhaus Greenbelt 3593

Regular Friday night services of the Hebrew Congregation will not be held during July and August. Services will be resumed the first Friday in September.

Cashman-Carneal

Miss Mary Catherine Cashman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J.. Cashman, 8-B Ridge was married on the evening of July 9 to James C. Carneal, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. .Carneal, 1-B Northway, at the Church of St. Francis de Sales The newlyweds will make their home in Washington on return from their New York honeymoon.

FOR A SOUND CO-OP

Editor:

Those of us in Greenbelt, who have been variously and viciously labeled and libeled by irate professional cooperators because of our constructive criticism of co-op management, will find solace in the statement of John Carson, Executive Secretary of the National Cooperative League before the Senate Commerce Committee, June 30, 1949, (see Washington Post).

. cooperative campaign material is similar to political cam-paign material," Carson said. He was explaining his statement made in 1945 that "the world of competitive profit capitalism began to have its death rattles in 1929 and it has been been in convulsions ever since" should be taken with a grain of salt and tongue in cheek. Exactly the way statements, ideas and slanders of our local fanatic cooperators should be considered.

Yours for a sound co-op, disciplined by competition to serve Greenbelters best.

Sincerely yours,

A. C. Long



By Rae Algaze, Greenbelt, 7502

Mr. and Mrs. Warren C. Nash, 42-L Ridge, announce the birth of daughter, Nancy Jane, on June 11 at Prince Georges Hospi-The infant has a sister, Ronnie, 2. Her dad, a petty officer 3/c, is a member of the crew of the presidential yacht Williamsburg.

A fourth child, Anna Cecilia. was born to Mr. and Mrs. Austin Brown, 11-B Hillside, on June 26 at Prince Georges Hospital, weighing 5 lbs., 14 oz. The Browns' other children are: Anita 9, Buddy 6, and Agnes 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Trent, 14-Y Hillside announce the birth of their second daughter, Sheilda Irene on July 5, at Leland Memorial Hospital, weighing 6 lbs. Sister Cheryl Ann is 3.

Mr. and Mrs. John Utchman Walker, 5-D Parkway, are being congratulated on the birth of their first child, a son, John Utchman Jr. born on July 7 at Leland Memorial Hospital. The infant weighed 8 lbs., 5 oz.

There were no tonsilectomies reported for last week, probably due to the fact that some doctors do not approve of havings tonsils removed during the summer.

Jack McNeel, 23, district manager for the Washington Daily News, suffered a broken leg on his way home about 12:30 a.m. on June 30 when his car was crowded off the road on the Baltimore Highway, causing it to turn over and damaging it considerably. As no one was in sight to offer aid, Jack managed to crawl out of the wreck and seek help with the aid of a flashlight. He was finally spotted by an officer of the State Police, who rushed him to Leland Memorial Hospital. There his leg was set in a cast which is to be worn for six weeks. Jack has been continuing his duties admirably despite his handicap.

Recent guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. McNeel, 14-S Hillside, were Mr. and Mrs. Harry

Mikesell from their mutual home town, Indiana, Pa. which boasts film actor Jimmie Stewart as its favorite son.

In last week's issue of the Cooperator the names of Glenda and Imogene Haber, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Haber, were inadvertently omitted as having been awarded the prize, together, for the best costumes in the July 4 program. Glenda was attired as a Russian, and Imogene as a kitty cat. This is the third season that Glenda and Imogene have won a prize for the best costumes, which were designed and made by their mother, Rose Haber. Visiting this home at present are Mrs. Haber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Firester; her sisters, Miss Gertrude Firester and Mrs. H. Copperman, and her children Madeline and Charles, who were on hand to help Glenda celebrate her eighth birthday last Sun-

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy F. Root, Jr., 2-M Eastway, were Father A. S. Kluthy of Hardington, Nebraska; Father Roman Ulrich of Boys' Town, Nebraska; Mrs. Helen Ulrich of West Point. Nebraska; and Miss Margaret Erle of Hardington, Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron A. Tompkins, 4-C Hillside, and their twin daughters, Alice and Martha, 2, are back from several days' stay at a camping site in Shenandoah National Park, Va. There they met another Greenbelt family, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore R. Taylor, 19-B

Peter Ashelman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel F. Ashelman Jr., 4-B Hillside, celebrated his ninth birthday last Monday with a picnic supper near the zoo grounds of Rock Creek Park. His guests were Deborah Webster, Robert Salisbury, and Walter and Robert Fink.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bogan, 3-Research, and their daughter Eleanor recently returned from an extensive motor trip to Canada. On their way they made stops at Buf-See NEIGHBORS, Page 4

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Gates - Here's Howe!

By Parker & Meredith

A quick look through the new Greenbelt telephone directory, published by the American Legion Post 136 (reading time: 12 minutes), discloses a variety of names, a veritable encyclopedia of nomenclature. The book, from Abramo-witz to Zust, is bound in red, the fashionable color of the year, established in nearby Washington.

Although the cover is red, the inner parts show seven Whites, six Greens, two Grays, one Black (and one Blacker), 21 Browns, and only one Redd. The Browns have the record for the book, with the 17 Smiths as runners-up.

The Carr-minded will find Dodge, two Fords, a Hupp, a Stutz, two Tuckers, a Nash, two Austins and even a Maxwell! An examination of the directory on the Morrow, or even Munday, will show Bing, Crosby, and five Kings and one Queen. A Robuck (but no Sears) lives in Greenbelt, along with many ex-Presidents: Grant, Harding, Jackson, Harrison, John-

son, Wilson, and Cleveland. An animal paradise, Greenbelt harbors (in spite of the no-pet provision) four Foxes, one Swann, one Hawk, a Wolfe, a Crane, two Doves, a Wrenn, and a Falcon! Although there are four Days, there is only one Noone, and one Knight.

There are several celebrities: Warren Austin, and Ann Baxter, reading from East to West (there's no North or South). At Christmas time, Caruso is in town, a Singer, and three Carrolls.

The volume has only one Page, one Sheets, but includes a Book and a Story.

The two Shipps might well beware of the Beach, and be careful with the Hull. Of course, they could cruise from Paris (where French might come in handy) to Dublin or Holland, in the month of May. The four Fishers can cross the Bridge, and visit the Lake, one of the two Brooks, or the Branch, or not-Ripley!

and try to land a Bass, a Guppy or a Salmon. They could take their catch to the two Cooks, using the Kitchin, of course. There's Hamm here, and even a Beveridge.

There are many other occupa-tioss: a Judge, Barker, Butler, Cashman, Farmer, Taylor, Wood-man, and Parsons for the Parrish. Not all are professional-there's one Layman.

Local flora includes a Bush, two Berrys, a Cherry, a Thorn, a Rose, and a Root. The Bushman is right behind the Bush incidentally.

Love Story Since one in town is Loveless, the book has Goode and Best adadvice: Take his Darling over the Hill and down the Lane, Quick, to the Castle. A Ray and Beahm will light her face as they stroll thriugh the Halls. He mustn't Falter, but should realize that two Harts of Gold will become Fonda, particularly if he will Kish her on one of the two Davenports, and he may end up being her Feller!

Life is a Stage, of course, and when it's over and you Dye, there are Graves which one Diggs. is Grimm, yet there is a Hazard. That Hertz! Puts a Kerlin your

We have Law! There are two Marshalls and two Kopps. And there really is Proffitt-what with the Price-regardless of what anyone says. Schurr, the two New-domers might still Kling like a Leach to more Noble ideas from the Powers that be. Actually there are Mintz! What do they think the Scales are for?

Olsen and Johnson might be Blythe about this, but there is a Hussey here too! and Kilroy not only was here, but still is!

Only one here is Stout, while there's a Slight, Small, Stripling. There are a couple of Barrs and a Bibbler. That's harmless, though, because while there's Rock, there's

All this we have by -believe it

WHEN YOU NEED

CALL -

Greenbelt 4111

Northend Sunday School

The Northend Sunday School

will be closed until September 11, according to Nelson Guidry, Su-perintendent. Teachers and pupils

will join with classes of the Center

Sunday School beginning this Sun-

ing during the balance of July and

August were the lack of janitor

service at the school and decreased

summer attendance. Rev. Eric T. Braund of the

Greenbelt Community Church will

be at the Young Adult Church Con-

ference at Lisle, N. Y.. this week,

as morning lecturer. Other dele-

gates to the conference from Com-

munity Church will be Barbara

said last Monday that with settle-

ment of the strike he expected wirk

to go forward immediately on the

new Community Church building at

Hillside and Crescent.

Robert J. O'Neil, contractor.

Runnion and Howard Fitzhugh.

Two reasons stated for clos-

Closed For Summer

ANTHONY M. MADDEN

FARM BUREAU MUTUAL AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE CO.

Along Our Street

with Aunt Penny



Last Saturday, several families along our street got together for an old-fashioned picnic. Each of us brought something for the lunch. And by sharing what little work was involved, we all had a wonderful time.

Wherever good neighbors work together, you see the same spirit that made our "block picnic" such a success. On a telephone party line, for example. The good party-line neighbor allows some time between calls so that others have a chance to use the line. He answers his own ring promptly and never interrupts when the line is in use, except to make an emergency call.

It all comes down to the simple fact that consideration for others is what makes others considerate of you. And on a party line, that means better service for everyone.

The Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Company of Baltimore City.

Midgets Bounce Back, Win Against DC 24-0

After dropping their first game of the season to Ballston, the Greenbelt Boys Club 13-and-under ball club came back with a vengeance Monday evening by trouncing Barney's Neighborhood House of Washington by a 24-0 count.

Bobby Miller and Johnny Lewis, who shared the pitching assignment, let the visitors down without a hit. Four men reached first base on walks to mar an otherwise perfect game. All members of the Midgets contributed hits in the one-sided victory.

On Saturday morning at 10:30 the winners of the C.Y.O. Midget League will furnish the opposition at Braden Field. On Sunday the local boys travel to Ballston, Va., where they hope to avenge their only loss.

Midgets Lose First To Ballston, 14-13

After racking up a string of sixteen consecutive victories, the Boys Club Midget baseball club suffered its first defeat of the season at the hands of a strong Ballston club by the narrow margin of 14-13.

The end of the regulation seven innings found the score knotted at 7 all. In the eighth, Ballston tallied 5 times to go ahead 12-7, but the fighting Greenbelt youngsters came right back with the same number of runs to tie up the game. The Indians pushed across 2 more runs in the ninth and managed to hold the locals to a single run in the bottom half of the inning ..

Tony Baker started on the mound for the Midgets and was relieved in the fourth by Jim Stripling who finished the game. Miller did the catching.

Gross, Miller, Stripling and Cockill hit safely for Greenbelt.

GAC Discontinues Saturday Dances

The Greenbelt Athletic Club has decided to discontinue its Saturday night dances and clean up the club house during the summer months. This will insure a better place in which to conduct the club's social activities when the dances are resumed in the fall.

Mis Donna Nyhoff was the winner of the \$100 savings bonds which was given away last week.

Waltonians Finally Catch Some Fish

By E. DonBullion

The Izaak Walton League conducted one of the most successful fishing trips of its entire existence last Sunday. The Greenbelt Chapter were guests of the Severn River Chapter in addition to attending the annual meeting of the State Division of the Izaak Walton League.

Fish This Time The affair was successful from every point of view. Fish were actually caught by every member on the trip except Frank Bauer, who devoted all his efforts to feeding the fish rather than catching them. Bright and early Sunday morning, nine of the Chapters most enthusiastic fishermen jumped into two cars bound for Severna Park. It seemed a miracle that so many men could be able to get up at 4 a.m. to go fishing, but they were there. After a breakfast of hot cakes, bacon, eggs, etc., the entire group went fishing in their yachts (with two oars). Everyone was agreeably surprised at the luncheon prepared by the Severn River Ladies Chapter which included a keg of beer, properly chilled. After lunch some of the boys returned to their fishing while others devoted their time to cards or horse-shoe pitching.

The meeting was called to order at 2:30 and lasted about an hour and a half. The refreshments and food were attacked a second time at the close of the meeting. Thanks are due the Severn River Chapter not only for the food and refreshments but also their marvelous hospitality. They made everyone feel at home and were entirely respon-

sible for a really enjoyable trip. The biggest surprise of the day was at the end of the trip when the boys were told that there would be no charge for any of the day's ac-

The next trip is a Father and Son affair, tentatively set for the last week end in July.

City Will Sponsor Anti-Fly Campaign

City Manager Charles T. Mc-Donald strongly recommended in a statement to the "Cooperator" on Tuesday that Greenbelt residents spray their garbage cans and the adjoining areas with a DDT solution or other insecticide, as a means of cutting down the number of flies. This procedure could follow the regular disinfecting of the can after the garbage collection.

He added that the city administration would be glad to consider doing the spraying if residents would be interested in having it done. Those interested may call the city office, at 2011 or 3121; residents in a particular court or area may have this done by joining in a mutual request for this service.

Cancer Information Offered To Groups

and schools.

The existing detection centers have three or four times more requests for appointments than can be handled. The demand for examinations is said to be a direct result of the growing public awareness of cancer and the fact that it can be cured and arrested in many cases if caught in time.

Only about one-half of one percent of the people examined were found to have cancer. The detection centers are for well persons, but nearly half of those going through the examination found to have conditions other than cancer that needed medical or sur-

appointments for free examinations at a cancer detection center by writing to the American Cancer Society, Maryland Division, Inc., 306 N. Charles Street, Baltimore 1, Md. or by calling Lexington 4002. Locally questions may be referred to Mrs. Ralph Neumann or Mrs. O. M. Slye.

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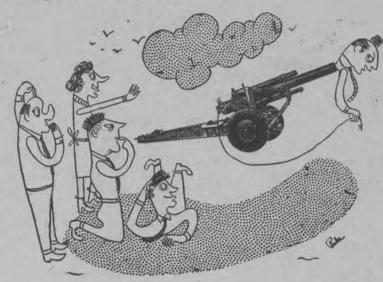
There are now 23 cancer detection centers in Maryland. It is planned to open new centers in the six counties, i neluding Prince Georges, which do not now have them. Plans are now in the formative stage and dates for opening the new centers and their locations will be announced later. The counties besides Prince Gerges which do not now have detection centers are Allegany, Cecil, Garrett, Montgomery and Somerset.

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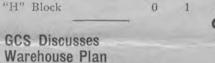
"I'll get to the office on time today, or else!"

Fifty Boys Enroll For Rec. Softball

By Joe O'Neill Last Tuesday, July 5. over fifty boys from all parts of Greenbelt signed up to play in the Softball League sponsored by the Recreation Department. A game is played every week day at 1:30. A trophy will be given to the winning team and one to a boy for sportsmanship. For any information about the teams, contact either Donny Wolfe or Joe O'Neil.

In the three games that have been played so far, Billy May has hit two home runs. Each of the following have one round tripper to their credit; Al Corneal, Bill Lonahue, Bob Brittingham and Joe

Brosmer. League Standings Win Loss "A" Block 'D" Block "E" Block



The board of directors of Greenbelt Consumer Services held its regular meeting on Friday. July 8. Following a report from the auditing committee, the proposed area plan was discussed. ciency of depending upon the New York and Baltimore warehouses has been in question for some time. The proposed area plan would provide for a local warehouse. No final steps were taken in this direction at the meeting.



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We hurry by The other guy To reach our destinations. We just can't wait To keep a date With our deceased relations ..

The guy in front Must bear the brunt Of all our fuss and worry. We pass him by, And catch his eye, And ask him what's his hurry.

A curve or hill, A Jack or Jill, Or two or three together. We pass them all, Their egos fall. And ours takes on a feather.

And then one day, I heard them say: This driver shore was reckless. He tried to pass, You see, alas, His body's head and neck-less.

Your ticket to the Greenbelt Theatre, compliments of Greenbelt Consumer Services will be mailed to you, Mr. Irvin.

Other residents of Greenbelt who like to see their creative efforts in print should be sure to submit their poetry, stories, episodes, interviews, news items, photographs, cartoons, book reviews, and even letters. Send them to the COOPERATOR Maryland.. There is no AGE LIMIT, so the kids can enter, too. Let's make it a real readers column; jokes, riddles, yarns. letters of praise and gripes, ANY-THING,

NEIGHBORS—from page 2

falo, Niagara Falls. the Thousand Isles, which was the most impressive sight for sheer beauty. Lake Placid, Saranac Lake, and Montreal, Canada. They also visited Sylvia and George Frank, former Greenbelters now residing in Tom's River, N. J., who wish to be remembered to all their friends in Greenbelt.

Dr. Hans Wodak has left for a month's stay in England where he will visit with his family. He is due home by plane on August 6.

Robert Salisbury, 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Salisbury, 4-G Laurel Hill, recently spent two spent weeks in New York City, visiting his grandmother Mrs. Helen Traum of Brooklyn. While he was there, he appeared on a television talent show over station WABD, called "The Rumpus Room." where he was awarded \$5 for a fine piano Robert, who has performance. been playing the piano for less than a year, has shown remarkable talent under the guidance of his teacher, Mrs. Hazel Stalberg. He also appeared on a television quiz program, 'The Magic Cottage," and won three prizes for answering a question correctly.

Mrs. Jane Griffith of Hazelton, Pa., recently visited her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Shaffer, 14-R Hillside, and their children Nancy and Jimmie Jr. The latter accompanied her home last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Murphy, 45-P Ridge, and their three children had as their guests this past week his mother and dad, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Murphy of Carney Point, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Castaldi, 11-V Ridge, and their four children have left for a two-week vacation in Canada. They plan to visit friends and relatives along the way.

Residents Warned On Trash Disposal

City Manager Charles T. Mc-Here is the first winner of the Donald reminded Greenbelters on Tuesday of the city ordinance proe n t i n g H. M. Irvin of 32-E \hibiting "littering," or the careless Crescent.

Crescent. public places.

> Areas between and within the courts have been especially unsightly, due to the thoughtlessness of residents who put out trash for the Federal collections without precautions to see that it is properly confined to a container.

> He also reminded residents that only leaves, branches, grass and tree trimmings should be put out for this collection, and that articles such as discarded household furniture would be collected after a special call to the PHA office or to the city office.

Police To Enforce Rule Against Water Misuse

The Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission notified Greenbelt's PHA Manager, Charles M. Cormack, on Thursday that there would be a rigid enforcement of its recent ruling that no hoses were to be used for sprinkling, shower baths, or other purposes.

The Commission reported that local water consumption has been 50% greater than the capacity of the filters can handle. The great amount of building in the area has run far ahead of present facilities, and about a year will be required for water supplies and equipment to catch up with the area's requirements.

Mr. Cormack stated that the Greenbelt police are being asked to enforce the regulation against sprinkling with hoses. Penalties and fines are provided for violations of the ordinance.

Hours Arranged

For Glee Clubs

The Recreation Department announces a final schedule for two glee clubs which will meet on Monday from 10 to 11 and on Wednesday from 1:30 to 2:30.

The group meeting in the home economics room of the Center school will be under the direction of Mrs. Thelma Finlay, 'and will be for children from the ages of 9 to 14. Mrs. Finlay is planning to do a minstrel show on the outdoor plat-form later in the summer.

The other glee club at the North End school is under the direction of Mrs. Betsy Woodman. The hours are the same as listed above. and the ages of the children will be from 7 years up.

JAMES N. WOLFE

Attendance Low In X-Ray Drive

Only 564 chest X-rays were taken at the Center school during the recent four-day campaign ending July 12. Although nearly all Greenbelt adults, numbering over 3,000 signified a desire for the Xrays in a house-to-house canvass, the low attendance was termed very disappointing by the Public Health Department and the Greenbelt Woman's Club, co-sponsors of the chest drive.

Much time was given, explained spokesmen for the Department and the Woman's Club, in seeing that the city had ample opportunity to take advastage of the chest survey this year, and they felt that more people should have been X-rayed in the four days the equipment was set up in Greenbelt. About 3% of those surveyed were recalled for retakes, according to Mrs. Frances Stouffer, public health nurse.

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