



Residents Veto Window Breaking Ask Council For Safety Measures

Criticism was leveled at the proposed city Hallowe'en program by a large group of educators and citizens who attended the city council meeting Monday night. As the result the "window-breaking" contest has been eliminated; all other events will take place as planned.

The critics stated that the contest would encourage destruction and is contrary to educational theories.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fugitt, principal of the Greenbelt center school, led the delegation, which also protested against prizes for the largest collection of goodies on Beggar's Night (it encourages the waste of food), the window soaping at the center (it encourages mischief), and contests between children in too wide an age group. Ben Goldfaden, onetime recreation director for Greenbelt, joined in the protests.

Mayor Betty Harrington pointed out that the recent editorial in the Evening Star criticizing the program was in error on at least two points. In the first place, she said, the council did not officially approve the program, and secondly, the "window-breaking" was misunderstood. The recreation department's plan (now dropped) was to set up a frame containing glass fragments taped together in a roped-off area.

Laurel Hillers Speak

Another delegation appeared at the council meeting from the 15 court of Laurel Hill. Nelson L. Holton spoke for the group, asking a maximum of safeguards to prevent future accidents to children in that area. Spurred to action by the recent death of Danny Brown, the parents proposed signs stating the seven-mile-an-hour speed limit in courts, a sign for dead-end streets, sidewalks along Laurel Hill, keeping all trucks out of the court, and improvement of the playground at the end of the street.

Action was promised on the playground equipment, and a sign designating Laurel Hill Road as a dead-end street will be purchased, City Manager Charles T. McDonald promised. The court speed limit is not enforceable, he said, because it conflicts with state laws. On Councilman Thomas J. Canning's motion the council passed a resolution authorizing the city manager to ask the city solicitor for an opinion, and if the local ordinance is definitely unenforceable, to draft a bill to be presented at the next session of the State Legislature.

It was brought out in a discussion among council members and residents that it was impractical to keep trucks out of courts, and that parking trucks in the road would attract the children to a more dangerous spot.

Sidewalks Are PHA's

Mayor Betty Harrington explained to the delegation that sidewalks are the responsibility of Public Housing Administration, not the city government. She also thanked the two delegations to the meeting, saying that the council welcomes visitors and appreciates their suggestions.

Referring directly to the accident on Laurel Hill, Mrs. Harrington said, "While no stone should be left unturned to make it the safest community in the country, parents should not feel a false sense of security. Just because we live in Greenbelt, our children are not absolutely safe."

Southway Again

Solution of the problem of beautifying Southway was announced by the city manager. The move to improve the main road entering Greenbelt was begun by former Councilman David Granahan two years ago. PHA has been "unable to assist because of lack of funds and men" and the matter has turned up regularly on council agendas ever since. McDonald's solution is an Arbor Day program in cooperation with

Road Dust Will Go When Rains Come

Sealing of the road areas on Southway and Crescent by the city crews are about completed, City Manager Charles T. McDonald announced on Tuesday. A section on Southway to Edmonston, and on Crescent from Edmonston almost to the lake entrance, has been sealed with a spray of emulsified asphalt and covered with blue stone chips. Excess chips adhering to the asphalt are being removed and a badly-needed rain will settle the dust remaining, from the sealing job. Mr. McDonald explained.

The process is designed to prevent the road from freezing and breaking up in winter weather.

the center school PTA. Each child will be encouraged to save up to buy a tree and will participate in the planting program. The trees will be made available at low cost from the State Forestry Division which will also assist and direct in the program.

No Change On Meetings

Discussion of changes in council rules, begun at the October 10 meeting, continued this week. Council meeting nights will not be changed from the first and third Mondays of each month. Councilman Steve Comings argued against changing the night, stating that the council never took action on the financial reports. The reason originally stated by Mayor Harrington for moving the meeting to the second and fourth Mondays was to be able to act on departmental reports earlier in the month. It is impossible for the treasurer to get the financial report ready for the first Monday of the month.

New committee line-ups were approved for writing into the council rules. Mrs. Harrington will head education, library and social service (earlier assigned to Councilman James Wolfe) in addition to the already assigned portfolios of general government and finance. A new committee on taxes and other revenue was assigned to Comings. Public utilities was added to Councilman Frank Lastner's committees (public works, sanitation and public health). The city manager was requested to write up these and other changes in an amended rules, of council for formal adoption at the next meeting.

Councilman Wolfe announced through written communication his resignation from the Youth Center Advisory Board and Mrs. Henry Walter was elected to fill the vacancy.

Raise For Employees

A raise for city employees in accordance with the proposed federal increase was suggested by Councilman Comings and the city manager was instructed to study the matter in the light of the budget.

The council authorized the city manager to attend the international city managers association in Palm Beach, Florida, in December.

Reports from the treasurer, the recreation department and the library were received; former mayor George Bauer was informed that the condition of the Athletic Club road was not a city responsibility; and a transfer of funds was authorized on request of the manager.

The next meeting of the council will be held Monday, November 7.

Greenbelt To Mark UN Day October 24

Next Monday, October 24, will be observed as United Nations Day, all over the world. In Greenbelt, a film short will be shown which describes the exact structure of the United Nations organization. This film, "Defense of the Peace," prepared by Ronald Reagan, will be shown at the Greenbelt theatre on October 22 and 23 along with the showing of the regular feature attraction.

The international relations committee of the National Council of Jewish Women will sponsor two UN displays in Greenbelt next week. One will be in the variety store window, and the other will be on a table in the lobby of the theatre. These displays are aimed at acquainting the public with the tremendous task and achievements of the United Nations, according to Council members.

Radio Program

The Prince Georges County League of Women Voters radio committee, of which Mrs. Selma Posner is chairman, which has a program on radio station WGAY every other Monday, at 12:15, will have as guests on the program on Monday, October 24, four students of Greenbelt High School. The students are Ronda Bibler, Marcia Gurevich, Ken Miller and John Sheaffer. All four were in the United Nations pageant last year, and Marcia and John had previously attended a session at Lake Success.

The League will have on display in the variety store a birthday cake with four candles to mark the fourth anniversary of the United Nations.

P.T.A. To Hear Panel On Local Education

The Center school PTA will hear the teaching staff present a panel discussion on education in Greenbelt at the next membership meeting to be held on Tuesday, October 25, at 8:30 p.m. in the social room of the community building.

The program, planned by the men's advisory committee, will open with group singing led by Thomas Ritchie, accompanied by Miss Peggy Salvan with her accordion.

Three short talks will follow on "Philosophy of present day education," "Application of the three R's," and "Application to everyday living." Small group discussions led by Thomas Dolgoff, Ben Perelzweig, Larry Fink, and William Isaacs will then be held, and the findings of each group summarized.

Representatives from the Center group to the state PTA convention November 3, 4, and 5 in Baltimore will be Marion Slaugh and Pearl Hart. Subscriptions to the national PTA magazine are being taken by Grace Danek, who urged this week that they be made by October 25. The magazine is published September through June, and subscribers will receive back copies. Additional information can be had by calling 7131.

The home room mothers have mapped out the year's programs. Monthly meetings will be conducted by the various groups.

The PTA groups of Center and North End schools will work with City Manager Charles T. McDonald on a tree-planting program to beautify the city. Detailed information on the program will be announced following a meeting between Mr. McDonald and a representative of the State Forestry Department.

Two-Day Hallowe'en Celebration Offers Fun For All Of Greenbelt

By June Ringel

The program for the two-day Hallowe'en celebration, which was prepared by Recreation Director Sam Fox, was released by City Manager Charles T. McDonald on Tuesday. The activities planned should furnish considerable fun not only for the youngsters but for adults as well when a Hallowe'en Mardi Gras will be held in the center parking area.

Schools To Be Closed Today and Tomorrow

The elementary schools will be closed today and tomorrow to enable the teachers to attend the State teachers meeting in Baltimore.

On the program at this conference will be a concert by the Maryland All-State Orchestra composed of 75 instrumentalists selected from state high schools. Stuart Oring, a student at Greenbelt High, was one of the ten cellists selected to participate in the concert. He is at present a member of the Prince Georges Symphony Orchestra. The concert will be conducted by Dr. Louis Wersen, supervisor of music of Philadelphia.

Book Fair Coming October 27-29

Dramatic skits, story hours, and costumed book characters will highlight the three-day Greenbelt book fair offered by the Center and North End PTA's, on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, October 27, 28, and 29, in the supermarket basement.

Among the outstanding books in this year's book fair are "Paul Bunyan," illustrated by Rockwell Kent; "Abe Lincoln Grows Up," by Carl Sandburg; the "Umbrella Books"; the "Mary Poppins" books; and "The Fireside Book of Folk Songs," according to Mrs. Sherrod East, chairman of the fair.

A children's dramatic group, sponsored by the Greenbelt Recreation Department, will present a dramatization directed by Ellen Linton, assisted by Frieda Feig, entitled "Primrose Day" adapted from the book, "Told Under The Stars and Stripes."

Timetable

Mrs. John Hallauer, North End school teacher, will conduct a story hour and Mrs. James McCanness, also of the North End school staff, will direct school children in another program event.

Children of the Center school will present a program which includes a parade of children costumed as characters from books displayed at the fair.

All books exhibited at the book fair may be ordered by giving the title of the book, purchaser's name and address, and a small deposit to an attendant at the display tables. Those buying books will receive a share in one-half of the money earned, and each PTA will receive one-quarter. Books ordered at the fair will be delivered before the end of November, Mrs. East said.

Story Hour

The timetable of events is as follows:

Thursday, October 27—3:30 p.m., Book Fair open. 4 p.m., Mrs. McCanness' program. 4:30 p.m., Mrs. Hallauer's story hour. 9 p.m., Book Fair closes.

Friday, October 28—3:30 p.m., Book Fair opens. 4 p.m., Center School program. 9 p.m., Book Fair closes.

Saturday, October 29—9:30 a.m., Book Fair opens. 10 a.m., Dramatization, "Primrose Day." 4 p.m., Dramatization, "Primrose Day." See BOOKS, Page 4

Beggars Night

The program will start with Beggar's Night on Sunday evening, October 30, at 6:30. It is emphasized that Beggar's Night will be celebrated only on Sunday from 6:30 to 7:30, during which hour children from 6 to 12 will be out "begging". The "loot" such as cookies, candy, popcorn, fruit, and peanuts will be weighed, and prizes will be given to the boy and girl winners in the 6 to 8, 9 to 10, and 11 to 12 groups.

Hunts

A scavenger hunt for junior and senior high boys and girls will be held at Braden Field from 8 to 8:30. Prizes will be given to the first boy and girl who will bring in a collection of ten unusual items, which will be announced at the time.

At the same time there will be a recreation treat for children from 6 to 12. This will be a Hallowe'en hunt at Braden Field under the lights on the softball field, where candy will be hidden in numbered packages and the one who gets the 10 lucky numbers will be awarded prizes.

Soaping Windows

Different groups of boys and girls will put soap decorations on the windows of the stores in the center on Monday, Hallowe'en day, with best soap decorators receiving a prize for their classrooms.

Costumes

On Monday night, October 31, from 7:30 to 11 there will be a Hallowe'en Mardi Gras in the center parking area behind the post office, to which everyone in town is invited. There will be outdoor dancing, and judges will wander through the crowd selecting attractive costumes. Prizes will be given for the best story-book costume for children 12 and under; for the most original Hallowe'en costumes for children 12 and under; for best comic-strip costume and most original Hallowe'en costumes for boys and girls over 12; and a prize for the most originally dressed adult couple.

Contests

There will be the following contests held during the evening: For children from 6 to 12 there will be an apple ducking, a marshmallow, biting apples from tree, and counting peanuts in jar contests. These contests will be held from 7:15 to 8:15. For the 12 to 18 year old group there will be an apple ducking, a marshmallow contest, biting apples from tree, counting peanuts in a jar and a superstition table contest. For the adults there will be contests similar to the 12 to 18 group. Contestants should be in costume.

Copies of the program will be distributed to the schools next week.

Interior Decorators Meet Wednesday

Classes in the interior decorating course offered this fall in the adult education program will be held on Wednesday nights at 8 p.m. in room 224 of the community building, Adult Education Director Mary Jane Kinzer announced on Tuesday.

The public speaking course will meet on Tuesday and Thursday nights, in room 223, at 7:30 p.m. Other courses will continue as scheduled, Mrs. Kinzer said.

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Speaking Class Formed By Adult Education

A public speaking class organized under the Adult Education Program is meeting Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8 p.m. in room 223 of the Center community building, Mrs. Mary Jane Kinzer, director, announced yesterday.

The course, designed to equip those taking it to meet everyday public speaking problems, is being taught by Mrs. Dorothy W. McDonald, formerly a member of the faculty of the University of Maryland.

Six Week Course

Meetings will last for two hours and will continue for six weeks, ending November 17, according to Mrs. McDonald. She explained that frequent participation by the class is necessary to gain maximum benefit from the course.

There are still several openings and any Greenbelter interested is invited to contact Mrs. McDonald at Greenbelt 5104. The usual registration fee of \$1.00 will be charged.

AUDIENCE REACTION

About twice a year I feel compelled to write about some feature of *The Cooperator*. Usually I criticize it—which, of course, is a healthy audience reaction, so 'tis said. Shows I read the sheet, anyway.

This time I want to comment on your October 14 editorial, which has left me with a rancid taste. The editorial "Out, Damn'd Spot" (a lousy heading, by the way) attacked "barnacles," "parasites," and "addled agitators." It exorcised the device of innuendo. Then, in the Adelbert Long letter below your column someone threw in the heading, "Swan Song." I doubt that Mr. L. supplied that head. If it was thank up by your caption writer, then his or her digits should be smartly rapped, for if that wasn't innuendo in print, then I have never seen it.

Now if you print no more Long letters I will be left wondering who is being ignored—Mr. L. or the paper. I don't mind missing the letters, but I'd like to know who is on top. Can't you be more explicit?
Lyman L. Woodman

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Ride Wanted - to the vicinity of 7th and Pennsylvania N.W. working hours 9 to 6 p.m. Call Greenbelt 2111.

Riders Wanted: one or both ways, to Navy Dept. or vicinity. Working hours 8 to 4:30 p.m. Call Greenbelt 8911 or Navy Ext. 3415.

Riders wanted - can accommodate five to vicinity of DuPont Circle, or Penn. and 17th, N.W. Hours 7 to 4. Call 7167.

Passenger wanted with car who can drive once or twice a month.

Bierwagen Elected President of GCS

Walter Bierwagen was elected president of Greenbelt Consumer Service last Friday at a regular meeting of the board of directors. He fills the top office vacancy created by the resignation of Frank Lastner on September 23.

Elected as vice-president of the organization was Ben Rosenzweig. Paul Kasko and Henry Walter continue as secretary and treasurer respectively.

Also during the board meeting, Carolyn Miller was voted in to fill the vacancy on the board of directors caused by Lastner's withdrawal, and President Bierwagen was elected to occupy a vacancy on the board of directors of the Potomac Cooperative Purchasing Association.

The resignation of board member Chester Tucker was received by the directors. This leaves one open position on the board to be filled at the next meeting of the directors on October 28.

Attend ECI Meeting

Directors Bierwagen, Rosenzweig, Kasko, Carrie Harper, Robert Mitchell and George Davidsen, and General Manager Sam Ashelman will attend a continuation of the annual meeting of Eastern Cooperatives, Inc., recessed last spring, in New York on October 30. One of the important purposes of this continuation meeting is to discuss plans for decentralization of warehouse operations.

Plan November Meeting

Agenda and program plans for the November 2 membership meeting of the cooperative were arranged by the board of directors. The theme for the meeting will be "getting acquainted," and new members of GCS and new Greenbelt residents, as well as out-of-town shoppers in the stores, will be invited to meet one another.

A welcome committee headed by Frank Lastner will act as host for the evening program which will include a talk by Morris Mitchell, formerly of Columbia University faculty and active in cooperative work; group discussions about GCS led by members of the cooperative music by the Greenbelt Band; entertainment by the Temple Dances; a social hour, and refreshments.

THANKS

The family of the late Daniel E. Brown wish to express their sincere thanks for the kindness shown during their recent tragedy.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Brown

Hours, 8 to 4:45. Vicinity 9th and Constitution, N.W. Call 5082 or see Markfield at 24-F Ridge.

Ride Wanted: 1 to 3 passengers need ride to vicinity Lansburgh's. Hours 9-6. Greenbelt 7597.



By Rae Algaze, Greenbelt, 7502

New Babies at Leland

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore L. Dalbow, 14-V Hillside, announce the birth of their third child, a son, Douglas Gerald, born on October 7, weighing 6 lbs., 1 oz. The infant's sister and brother are Sandra 8 and David 6.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Smith, 2-K Research are the proud parents of their third child, also a son, Gary Wayne, born on October 14, tipping the scales at 7 lbs., 14 oz. Their other youngsters are Ronnie 9, and Bonnie Lee 6.

Their fourth child, a son, William Christopher, was born to Mr. and Mrs. George J. Bradley, 7-E Ridge, weighing 7 lbs., 6 oz. Lots of help to mother will be Barbara 14, Joseph 12, and Raymond 9.

Arthur Siehl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Siehl, 3-B Research, has been minus his tonsils as of October 14, at Leland Memorial Hospital.

It cannot be denied that Greenbelters have an unlimited variety of talents. Last Thursday, Carlotta Roehling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Roehling, 39-F Ridge, appeared on the television show "Moppet Shop" and performed a charming ballet number. Those of us who saw the performance will agree that Carlotta shows great promise as a dancer.

Representing Greenbelt in the artistic line were three Greenbelt women who entered exhibits in the Upper Marlboro Fair held last week. Mrs. Grace Green, 9-A Parkway was awarded first prize for her hand-painted textile luncheon cloth. Mrs. Edward Kaighn, 13-V Ridge won second prize for her needlepoint chair cover, and Mrs. Charles M. Cormack, 6-B Ridge, received two second prizes for a needlepoint handbag and a needlepoint picture.

In the field of wit, two Greenbelters showed their prowess at the National Contesters' Association, which held its convention last week in Washington. Mrs. Stanley Edwards, 9-F Ridge, and Mrs. Curtis F. Barker, 42-J Ridge, attended. Mrs. Barker won as first prize for her jingle at the "early bird" session, some signal flares.

MOWATT MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

Russell B. Reed, Minister

Phone Ashton 3831

Sunday, October 23—Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Morning worship, 11 a.m. Sermon: "High Adventure." Evening service, 8 p.m. Sermon: "The Church."

Monday, October 24—Sunday School Board will meet in the church at 8 p.m.

Tuesday, October 25—Third session of Washington Leadership Training School at Foundry Methodist Church, 1500 16th Street N.W., 7:45 p.m. Methodist Men will bowl at 9 p.m. at College Park.

Wednesday, October 26—The Friendship Bible Class Halloween party, in the recreation hall, Branchville Methodist Church at 8 p.m. Phone 8013. Mrs. Harry McNeel, for reservations.

Thursday, October 27—The W.S.C.S. Zone Meeting will be held in Colesville Methodist Church, Colesville, Md., at 10:30 a.m. Our group will have charge of the devotional service. Lunch will be served. Subject: "The work that I do shall ye do also." Phone 8291, Mrs. Richard Corbin.

Friday, October 28—Donation Day and Membership Tea for Swartzell Methodist Home for children, given by the Guild, 2 to 4:30 p.m. 6220 Second Street, N.W.

Saturday, October 29—Barbecue with all the trimmings at the center, behind the statue, 4:30 to 7 p.m. Sponsored by the Methodist men with all organizations cooperating. Proceeds will go to the building fund of the new church. All are welcome.

Sunday, October 30—WSCS will end the week of prayer and self-denial by taking charge of the 8 p.m. service. Speaker, Mrs. John Shover, former missionary to Korea.

Bill and Nora Levisky have celebrated the former's recovery by moving to new quarters at 60-J Crescent. Their new phone number is 8271.

The Ralph G. Millers, 9-J Ridge, were visited on Monday by her sister, Mrs. Campbell Robertson, of Lewiston, New York.

Bobby Mimura, 4-H Hillside had four friends over on Saturday afternoon to help him celebrate his fourth birthday. His little guests were Janice Ott, Sue Self, Will East and Peter Edmunds.

Mrs. William J. Dobbin, 6-K Hillside, and her two children recently spent a week in Pennsylvania visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bartram. Her mother, Mrs. Della Wardrope of North Dakota was also visiting there, and returned to Greenbelt with Mrs. Dobbin for a week's stay.

Roy Bierly, 36-A Ridge, celebrated his third birthday last Saturday with a bang-up party which twelve of his chums helped to make a success.

Ten members of the Sew and Sew Club met last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. John Hendricks, 37-B Ridge Road.

A farewell party, in honor of Mrs. Edgar Hunter, was given last Tuesday at Mrs. Melvin Benjamin's home, with Mesdames Giersch and Morrissey serving as co-hostesses. Mrs. Hunter was presented with a beautiful fireplace set. Refreshments were served and a good time was had by all. Mrs. Hunter will be missed by her many friends in Greenbelt.

COMMUNITY CHURCH PROTESTANT

Ministers

Rev. Edward H. Bonsall, Jr.

Phone :8241

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Phone: 5001

Thursday, October 20—6-7:15 p.m. Fellowship supper in the social room, served by ladies of the church, supervised by members of the Evening Guild. All members and friends are invited. 7:45 p.m. Annual business meeting, in the auditorium. Election of officers, treasurer's report and new business, to be preceded by a showing of colored films on the progress of the church building program, through the courtesy of Dr. James McCarl.

Friday, October 21—8 p.m. Philathea Bible Class meets at the home of Mrs. C. W. Gardner, 3-C Crescent. 8:15 p.m. Church Women's Discussion Group meets at Mrs. Ralph G. Miller's, 9-J Ridge.

Sunday, October 23—9:30 a.m., Sunday school at North End and Center schools, 10 a.m., Mens Bible Class, Rolfe Sauls, president. 10:55 a.m., Church nursery, arts and crafts room. 11 a.m., Church worship. Music by the Senior choir directed by Mrs. John McClendon, with Mrs. Daniel Neff at the organ. Sermon by Mr. Braund: "The Forgiveness of God and New Beginnings." 8 p.m., Couples' Club bowling party at Hyattsville.

GREENBELT LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Edwin E. Pieplow

WARfield 0942

Thursday, October 20—Choir meets at the home of Mrs. Holien, 2-F Plateau Place.

Friday, October 21—Men's Club meets at Mr. Freundt's home in Beltsville. Meet at the bank at 7:30 p.m. Movie night at Hyattsville, "The Howards of Virginia," at 8 p.m.

Sunday, October 23—Sunday School, 11:30 a.m. Adult Bible class, 12 noon. Church service, 12:30 p.m. Evening service at the Mt. Rainier Church, 8 p.m., which has been designated as the service which Greenbelt members should attend.

Monday, October 24—Bible Institute, 4th and E. Sts., N.W. at 8 p.m.

Wednesday, October 26—Junior confirmation class at 7 p.m. Deeper spiritual life conference at 8 p.m. in room 221.

Carson Honored At Co-op Dinner

Cooperators in the Washington area gave a dinner on October 13 at the Continental Hotel in honor of John Carson, former director of the Washington office of the Co-operative League of the USA, to honor his appointment to the Federal Trade Commission. A large number of Washington notables were present who paid tribute to the integrity and ability of Mr. Carson during his years of service in Washington.

Charles Ross, press secretary to President Truman, likened Mr. Carson to the late Senator Norris in his devotion to the peoples' welfare. Among others were Honorable Wright Patman, Congressman from Texas; Jerry Voorhis, executive secretary of the Cooperative League; Representatives Eugene McCarthy and Fred Marshall of Minnesota; Angus McDonald of the National Farmers Union; Clyde Ellis, executive manager of the National Rural Electric Cooperative Assn.; Father Ray McGowan of National Catholic Welfare Conference; Father Parsons of American University; Art Lyons of Railroad Labor Executives; Nelson Cruikshank of the AFL; John Brophy of the CIO; and Eric Petersen of the International Association of Machinists.

Greenbelters who attended the dinner as the guests of GCS were GCS president Walter Bierwagen, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Rosenzweig, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walter, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mitchell (now of Riverdale), Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ashelman, Mr. and Mrs. Hary Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. William Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. John Shaughness, John Eskridge, Norman Lane and A. Bonifanti.

Two Greenbelt friends of John Cason who attended were Paul and Ellen Linson.

ST. HUGH'S

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Victor Dowgiallo, Pastor

Greenbelt 5911

Saturday: Confessions, 3 to 5 p.m. for children, 7 to 9:30 for adults.

Sunday: Masses, 7:30, 9:30 and 11 a.m. in the theater.

Wednesday: Novena services, 7:45 p.m. in the chapel. Choir practice, at 8:30 p.m. in the home economics room of the community building.

HEBREW SERVICES

Morris Sandhaus, Rabbi

Greenbelt 3593

Friday, October 21—Candlelighting, 4:48 p.m. Services, 8:30 p.m. Sermon, "Now is the Beginning."

Mrs. Kathryn Dean

Mrs. Kathryn Dean, wife of Walter R. Dean of 5-G Ridge Road, died on Saturday, October 15, at Prince Georges Hospital, after a two week illness. Besides her husband, Mrs. Dean is survived by four children, Hugh O'Donnell, 12, James 6, Kathryn 3, and Stephen, 2 weeks old, as well as by two sisters, Miss Myrtle Coggeshall and Mrs. Bess Bauman, both of Takoma Park, Md.

Prayers were said at Chambers Funeral Home in Riverdale last Tuesday, Oct. 18, and mass at the Holy Redeemer Church, Berwyn. Interment was at Washington National Cemetery.

Contributors Corner

This week's jackpot of prizes goes to a local mother who reports a remark of her young son. A dozen "cokes" from *Veterans Liquors*, on Baltimore Blvd., two tickets to the *Greenbelt Theater*, courtesy of GCS and a 5" x 7" photograph, a gift of Hans Jorgensen, local photographer, 19-E Hillside, are the rewards. We have plenty of poetry, scads of cute sayings and jugs of jokes... how about some short stories?

"Larry" watched the nurse while she weighed the new baby; finally he could curb his curiosity no longer. "Do you mind telling me what my mother paid for her?"

Mrs. J. E. Newman
3-D Crescent

FOX TALES

By Sam Fox

Fencing: All interested in learning how to fence should report to the men's gym class on Thursday night at 7 p.m. The fencing class, in the Center auditorium, will be open for all ages from junior high to adults. If there is enough interest shown we will include it in our program.

Dramatics: All elementary school children interested in dramatics can join the classes which will be held at the Center and North End schools. The 5th and 6th grades will meet on Tuesday at 3:30 in the home economics room in the Center school. The 4th graders will meet on Wednesday at 3:30 in the play room at the North End school.

Tumbling for Boys: A tumbling class for boys will be held at the North End school on Friday at 3:30. It is a class for beginners and all elementary school children are welcome.

Men's Gym and Women's Gym Classes will start on Wednesday and Thursday, November 2 and 3. **Story Telling:** This is another activity we will put into the program after the first of the year and it will probably be held on Saturday morning, for very young children.

Boxing Show: At the first boxing show the Boys' Club puts on, the Recreation Department will give the winners small boxing gloves. Look for the date and don't miss the matches.

Football: All the football you want will be seen every Saturday and Sunday afternoon at Braden Field when the junior and senior Boys' Club teams play, and they look very good. Come out and cheer the Greenbelt boys to victory.

Boys Club Teams Win Two Games: 19-0, 18-0
The Senior and Junior football teams of the Greenbelt Boys' Club added the scalps of the Four Corners Athletic Club and the Berwyn Boys' Club to their record last weekend by scores of 19-0 and 18-0.

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Parent-Teacher Accord Sought Early This Year

Conferences between Center school teachers and parents on the progress of their children will start this week, according to Mrs. Elizabeth Fugitt, principal. The decision to start early this year was the result of suggestions made at conferences last year. It was felt that by an early meeting a better understanding could be built up between the parent, the teacher, and the child.

Letters with appointments for such meetings will be sent to the parent a week before they are to be held. Reports on the child's progress will be sent to the parents in February and in May.

Mrs. Fugitt also stated that educational films are being shown in the school every two weeks. In order to cover the cost of renting the film and postage the children will be charged a small amount. The subjects of the films already shown were on safety in the school, safety on the playground, improving posture, posture habits, and a color film on outdoor education.

Midgets Win 13-12 Over Georgetown

The Greenbelt Boys' Club Midget football eleven got off to a good start last Saturday, when they journeyed to Washington to defeat the Georgetown Boys' Club 90-pound team by a score of 13-12.

Al Schmitz provided Greenbelt's first score by plunging over from the 5-yard line. Stuart Knott furnished the biggest thrill of the day

when he scampered 65 yards for the locals' second touchdown. Stu added the game-winning point with a successful line plunge. Bruce MacEwen saved the day for Greenbelt by batting down what appeared to be a touchdown pass in the closing minutes of the contest.

The Midgets will open their home season this Saturday at 10 a.m. against the Merrick Boys' Club at Braden Field.

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Mac Tells Planners All About Greenbelt

City Manager Charles T. McDonald attended the annual conference of the American Society of Planning Officers, held in Cleveland, Ohio, October 10, 11, and 12. The Cooperator was informed on Tuesday.

At the conference, the character of the Greenbelt development received considerable attention, Mr. McDonald reported, and the movie "The City," which includes a section on Greenbelt, was shown. Among city problems discussed were those of storage and parking facilities, with discussion between sessions on the outcome of the disposition of Greenbelt.

Half Of War Homes Sprayed For Termites

Foundations underneath about one-half of Greenbelts defense houses have been sprayed with sodium arsenate to destroy termites, ants and other pests, PHA Manager Charles M. Cormack announced on Tuesday. The remainder of the houses are scheduled to be done as soon as possible. The work is being done upon the advice of and with the cooperation of the Bureau of Entomology of the Department



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By Ben Rosenzweig
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Choose Committees For St. Hugh's Dance

Committee heads for the annual fashion show and dance to be held by St. Hugh's Parish on Saturday, October 29, in the auditorium of the community building were announced on Tuesday by Mrs. Kenneth Thomas, general chairman. The fashion show will begin at 8:30 p.m. Dancing to music by Harry August's ten-piece band will begin at 10 and continue until 1 a.m. Jackson Weaver of station WMAL will be master of ceremonies. Refreshments will be served in the social room. The Three Aces will not be on the program as previously announced.

Robert Brady is in charge of programs; Mrs. Joseph Macchio and Mrs. Vernon Bacstrom of decorations; Mrs. Harry Book and Mrs. Arnold Prada will serve refreshments, and Mrs. Lawrence Slight is in charge of the models. Mrs. John Ohlmacher is in charge of the ushers, and Frank Lastner is head of

High School PTA Holds First Meeting

Michael Hernick, principal at Greenbelt high school, was the speaker at the first meeting this year of the high school PTA on Monday, October 10.

The president, Dr. John McKay, introduced the group's officers and Mr. Hernick introduced the faculty. A proposed activity for the year is a forum in which parents, teachers, and students would participate, and members were invited to write suggestions for such discussions on slips of paper.

The 4-H Club is sponsoring a speech fest to be held in Baltimore. Janice Anzulovic of Greenbelt high school, who won over other contestants last week, will represent Prince Georges County.

the ticket committee. Mrs. C. R. Winegarden is in charge of publicity.

Rescue Squad Seeks Funds for Equipment

The Greenbelt Volunteer Rescue Squad, Inc. is now sponsoring its annual campaign to raise money for new equipment. Squad members will distribute pamphlets to each house in Greenbelt, giving information about the squad, a photograph of the members in action, and a return envelope for Greenbelters to send in their donations.

For the past year and a half the Rescue Squad has served Greenbelt by transporting over a hundred patients to hospitals, and giving first aid to many more. In order to continue this service Rescue Squad members say they must have funds for a resuscitator and a new ambulance.

On Saturday, October 8, the Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion sponsored an Autumn Carnival, the proceeds to go towards the purchase of a resuscitator.

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