

# GREENBELT

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What Have You Read Lately?

## These Youngsters Have The Answers

Certificates were presented this week to 13 elementary school pupils who completed the Reading Round-Up sponsored by the Greenbelt Public Library. Out of a membership of 80, 57 took active part in the reading program.

The youngsters who read and reported on fifteen or more books were Sophie Abramowitz, Yvonne Adams, Wendy Baron, David Dalbow, Janice Derby, Ronald Feller, Kathleen Fern, Leslie Galvin, Dona Lee Kern, Richard Moss, Alexis Pogorolskin, Ellen Vernoff and Michael Wayne.

The following children received Honorable Mention for reading 10 to 14 books: Barbara Burgoon, Edward Derby, Virginia Donellan, Rosalind Flaxman, Rita Griffin and Dickie Klein.

The purpose of the round-up,

according to Librarian Marjorie Muir, was to stimulate reading interest and create good reading habits. This year, she said, the sustained reading interest was higher than ever and the children chose their books more carefully. Several members exceeded the required number of books but kept on reading and turning in reports until the end of the round-up July 30. Alexis Pogorolskin (5th grade) led this group with 62 books read and reported on. Others who far exceeded the quota were Yvonne Adams (28), Janice Derby (38), Kathleen Fern (28), Leslie Galvin (34) and Dona Lee Kern (25).

All children who participated in the round-up are asked to claim their certificates (if earned) and their book-marks and reading lists at the library.

## Explorers Go West, Go West Young Man

Explorer Post 202 of Greenbelt Sees Dream Come True

The Greenbelt Explorer Post 202 left on an air-conditioned, chartered bus for Philmont, New Mexico. James Fowles, Advisor for the Post, is making the trip with the boys as Counselor. The following boys from Greenbelt are Philmont-bound: Pete Bowman, Duane Baron, Joe Donellan, Stan Edwards, Jr., Phil Guidry, Kenny Hertz, Gordon Page, Pat Sandilands, Larry Voight, Earl Porter, and Ted Kaufman.

The boys are all sorry that Joel Birdseye, who is a member of the Post, was unable to make the trip because of illness.

They left Greenbelt at 6 a.m., July 30 by a truck furnished by the City of Greenbelt. The truck took all of the boys and their gear in to Hyattsville where they transferred to an air-conditioned Trailways bus. A total of 30 boys and four leaders are making the trip.

The boys were to stop Friday night at an Air Force base just out of Columbus, Ohio; Saturday night at Scott Air base near St. Louis, Mo.; Sunday night at Tulsa University; Monday night, Amilera, Texas, arriving at Philmont, New Mexico Tuesday afternoon.

The families of the boys are being kept posted on the progress of the troop by wire, information being relayed to each family by telephone calls.

The Scouts will spend 13 days on the Philmont ranch, hiking, fishing, packing burros and riding. There will be one burro for every 3 boys to carry their tents, bedding and food. In all, the boys will hike about 80 miles up into the mountains. Every 3 days they arrive at a base camp where they pick up more supplies for the next 3 days, the last day being spent on horseback.

The boys' return trip will be via the Garden of the Gods where they will spend one night. There they will also be the guest of an Indian, Scout Explorer Troop. They will return to Greenbelt August 22.

IT'S YOUR TOWN  
KEEP IT CLEAN  
DON'T BE A LITTERBUG!

## Public Opinion Poll

This Saturday again, this newspaper will conduct a public opinion poll at the Center. Object - to get readership reaction to a new name for the paper. Everyone who reads the paper, subscriber or non-subscriber, is invited to register his vote. We will publish a box score on the results before making a final decision. Meanwhile, the paper will be published without a name.

This action is being taken as a result of a vote taken at the last membership meeting of the Greenbelt Cooperative Publishing Association. While the staff has drawn up a list of recommended names, our readers are by no means limited to this choice. Write-in votes will also be considered.

For the convenience of those who cannot come to the Center to vote, we are publishing a ballot in this issue. Fill it out and mail it in, but remember, please, make only one choice, check only one name.

## City Borrows Cash To Meet Expenses

Permission to borrow \$15,000 to meet city expenses was granted city manager Charles T. McDonald by the city council at a special meeting last Wednesday night. Two \$7500 notes were approved.

The money is necessary, McDonald explained, to meet payroll and other expenses; extraordinary expenses during the past month has depleted the cash balance. Revenue to the city from various sources has been coming in regularly, but not in sufficient amounts to meet the unexpected demands during the past month. The swimming pool, capital outlays such as air-conditioning unit, public works, painting of the community building and warehouse, repairs on the sewage disposal plant, and other items have put a drain on the city finances recently.

Enough revenue is expected during the next month to meet expenses, the manager declared, and the city is operating well within its budget. Final tax payments are due October 1, and although Greenbelt Veteran Housing Corporation has been paying about \$10,000 a month to city in "advance tax payments", the revenue to the city was not large enough to meet cash outlays during July.

## Calendar Of Events

Friday, August 6 - County-wide Bicycle Rodeo at the school grounds of the Mt. Calvary Church, Marlboro Pike, Forestville.

Saturday, August 8 - Greenbelt Cooperator Picnic at Lynnbrook Recreation Center, Bethesda.

Saturday, August 8 - Adult Swimming Class at Pool, 9:30 a.m.

Tuesday, August 10 - Fishing Rodeo at Greenbelt Lake, 9:30-12 p.m.

Friday, August 13 - Methodist Church bake sale at center, 3-6 p.m.

Friday, August 13 - GVHC meets on Hamilton Place at 8 p.m.

Friday, August 13 - GCS Board meets above Drug Store in Greenbelt at 8 p.m.

Sunday, August 15 - GCS Employees Picnic at St. Helena's Island

Monday, August 16 - City Council meets in City Office above Variety Store.

Tuesday, August 17 - Boy Scout Troop No. 229 will hold its first meeting at the Lutheran Church, 22 Ridge

Friday, August 20 - St. Hugh's bake sale in front of the theater from 10-2 p.m.

## Coop Nursery School Plans Fall Sessions

Parents of three and four year old children will once again have the facilities of the Greenbelt Cooperative Nursery available come September. Under highly qualified guidance and understanding care, the individual and social development of the children are encouraged. This has been the experience noted by parents who have sent their children to the Greenbelt Cooperative Nursery School in the past.

Organized back in 1940 when most of the parents in Greenbelt were newly married couples with many little children in the courts, the Cooperative Nursery School has grown into a Greenbelt institution. Mary Jane Kinzer sensed the need for parent education and creative play opportunities for children, and at her initiative the parents were enlisted and a cooperative nursery school organized. Parents were able to observe their children at the school, and with the guidance of a well-trained teacher they learned the techniques of child development and carried these techniques over into the individual courts and homes.

Simultaneously an adult education course was organized, again as a result of Mrs. Kinzer's initiative, and here the parents were taught by the nursery school teacher—what to expect of the child 2, 3, and 4 years of age.

With the declaration of war the enrollment of the nursery school decreased and the schedule was limited to a morning session, rather than morning and afternoon. This morning schedule—9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.—still prevails.

Each morning, sixteen children gather under the supervision of a qualified teacher and one helping mother. The morning starts with free play—block-building, doll play, clay modeling, painting or just plain blowing soap bubbles. In the middle of the session the  
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"HELP KEEP GREENBELT GREEN AND CLEAN"

## National Cleanup Organizations Help Plan Campaign For Greenbelt

Representatives of two national clean-up organizations met with the Greenbelt Joint Committee on Clean-up on Wednesday, July 28, to provide suggestions for planning Greenbelt's clean-up campaign.

The Joint Committee under the chairmanship of Mrs. Miriam Solomon was originally organized by the Greenbelt Citizens Association and is composed of representatives of all community organizations interested in promoting the campaign.

## Local Water Ban In Effect Now

City Manager Charles McDonald announced this week that Greenbelt comes within the "water ban" imposed by the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission on its consumers. McDonald reminded local citizens that:

"Beginning Monday, August 2, and continuing until further notice, it shall be unlawful for any person to use any water supply furnished by the Commission for the purpose of watering or sprinkling lawns, shrubbery, flowers or gardens, for any purpose other than for family or business use within the building, except that the watering of plants and shrubbery by the use of a sprinkling can or bucket, without the use of hose or pipes, and of newly laid sod under the conditions of a special permit, will be permitted."

McDonald also disclosed that Greenbelters have been using water during the past month at a phenomenal rate, far exceeding last July's usage. The unprecedented heat wave is to blame, he felt. Water consumption is greatest between the hours of 3 to 9 p.m. and particularly heavy on Mondays and light on Fridays. All during July the water meter recorder went off the chart; however, when this occurs, McDonald explained, the charge remains at the limit rate as there is no way of telling what was used in excess of the chart's limits!

## 2 Million Dollars For County Schools

Senator J. Glenn Beall announced today that over \$2,000,000 in Federal funds is being reserved for school construction in Prince Georges County.

The money is reserved under Public Law 246 of the 83rd Congress which authorized Federal assistance for the construction of school facilities to local educational agencies overburdened as a result of Federal activities.

The total authorized by the Commissioner of Education, Department of Health, Education and Welfare, was \$2,441,220 and will be certified for payment when the Prince Georges County Board of Education has received approval of construction.

## New Post Dedication "American Legion Day"

A resolution proclaiming Sunday, August 29, as "American Legion Day" in Greenbelt was passed by the city council Wednesday night at a special meeting. The local Legion Post No. 136 will dedicate its newly-expanded and remodeled home on that day.

The resolution recognized the "fruition of a dream long planned and anticipated" by the Post and congratulated the Legion post members whose "untiring efforts have been spent to make this dream a reality."

Frank Monaghan, of the National Clean Up—Paint Up—Fix Up Bureau, and John E. Clark, Washington representative of Keep America Beautiful, Inc., informed the Joint Committee on what is being done on a national basis to keep parks, highways, and communities free of litter.

Clark said that his organization, which was initiated this year by leading industrialists of the nation, has three objectives. These are: 1) to create a public awareness of litter and the individual's responsibility for it; 2) to stimulate widespread public participation in cleaning up litter; and 3) to deter future litter by a combination of public opinion pressure and law enforcement. The Joint Committee felt its own campaign should be planned along these lines.

The Joint Committee's essay contest on "What I have done during my summer vacation to keep Greenbelt clean" was planned in further detail. Local PTA groups will be asked to promote the contest. Judges will be selected in the near future, and a contribution of \$50 has been pledged by Greenbelt Consumer Services, Inc., towards the award of prizes for the best essay.

A community-wide clean-up week was tentatively scheduled to be held beginning on October 2 or possibly sooner. It is planned that the court will be the basic clean-up area with the work directed by a captain in each court. Volunteers interested in assisting in the preparation for this campaign are asked to call Mrs. Solomon at 7581 or Dave Garen, chairman of the clean-up week committee, at 9470.

A tentative slogan proposed by Garen for the campaign is "Help Keep Greenbelt Green and Clean."

## Cooperator Staff Plans Open Picnic

Invitations were extended to all Greenbelt residents this week to attend a picnic given by the Greenbelt Cooperator at the Lynnbrook Recreation Center in Montgomery county on Sunday, August 8. The picnic, originally planned for Cooperator staff members, was extended to residents in the hope that any citizen interested in meeting the staff members and enjoying an outing at the same time, may have this opportunity.

The outing will begin at 1 p.m. and end at seven in the evening. Families are encouraged to bring their own food, but refrigerator, stove, rest-rooms, all sports equipment, fire-places, tables and other picnic facilities will be available. The recreation area is considered the finest in the area.

The picnic will go on rain or shine, as a newly-erected recreation building is available in case of inclement weather.

No alcoholic beverages are permitted.

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## POLL For Change Of Name Of Newspaper

GREENBELT COOPERATIVE PUBLISHING ASSOCIATION

Please check your choice of name, or write in your own suggestion on the last space.

- Greenbelt Bulletin .....
- Greenbelt Chronicle .....
- Greenbelt Citizen .....
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- Greenbelt Current News .....
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- Greenbelter .....
- Greenbelt Neighbor .....
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- Greenbelt Review .....
- Greenbelt Scene .....
- Greenbelt Spectator .....
- Greenbelt Spokesman .....
- Greenbelt Town Talk .....
- Other .....

Address .....

Voter's Signature .....



This Week by Lydia Novick

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Thomas Callanan, former Greenbelter, writes to say that his new address, effective August 1 is 100 Oceanic Ave., Staten Island 12, New York. He would appreciate hearing from all his old friends and neighbors.

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The Garin family is rejoicing in the birth of a boy on August 3, 1954. They have named him Michael. Sonia is a former Cooperator staff member.

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Peggy Markfield and son Kit both home from a holiday are sporting a beautiful tan. Peggy vacationing at Wildwood, N. J., roamed over to Cape May and Atlantic City. Enjoying the seasonal breezes (frankfurters, salsami, hamburgers) of the Atlantic with Peggy were Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Novak and Martha, Sonia's mother and brother Mrs. Angel and Phillip.

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Mr. and Mrs. David Fisher and family spent a pleasant week at Fenwick Isle. The Rubins and the Kleins, still baiting the waves will probably be around to say hello to the Justmans and their entourage. Come the weekend, Harry and Lydia Novick will be burning up their tires heading in that direction. Make room, please.

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Carol Bickford enjoyed her ninth birthday Friday, July 23. Many friends helped eat up all that extra cake and ice cream. A very happy birthday!!

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Friday, July 30 my older relative will reach the independent age of 8! Already he feels more complicated but feels he will come out alright. Rusty and his Grandma McKenny are back with us after spending some time in Virginia visiting Rusty's aunt and his old friend, Frankie. We are very happy to have you back!

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Alfred and Elaine Skolnick and daughters are toasted to the right shade of brown; absorbed at Belmar, N. J. You look wonderful!

Ray Sowell, formerly of Greenbelt, had an "Open Yard" affair over the weekend of July 24 at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Sowell, in Berwyn Heights. The lawn was strung with yellow lights and a fire was kept in the fireplace which enabled everyone to cook another hamburger or hot-dog as soon as they felt they could consume another one. The record player was brought out and dancing on the grass was a novelty.

Ray was inducted in the Army on July 27 and is being processed at Camp Jackson, South Carolina. At present it is not known whether he will remain at Camp Jackson for his basic training or be sent to Camp Gordon, Georgia. Wonder if he will miss his boat on the Severn River.

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The appointment of Howard A. Meyer of 61-E Ridge, as instructor of string music was announced this week by Dr. Dale D. Welch, president of Hastings College, Hastings, Nebraska.

Meyer, who is succeeding Dallas Beachey on the conservatory staff, received his diploma and Bachelor of Music Degree in violin, both with the highest honors, from the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston. He holds the Master of Music Degree from West Virginia University and has also studied under Samuel Thaviu, noted concertmeister of the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra.

Currently, Meyer has been a member of the National Symphony Orchestra in Washington, D. C., where he has played under such noted conductors as Leopold Stokowski and Sir Thomas Beecham. Meyer is married and has one child.

### GREENBELT BAPTIST

Meeting in Center School  
Rev. Wm. J. Crowder, Ph.D.,  
Acting Pastor  
4 Woodland Way, GR. 4-9242  
Sunday, August 8 - 9:45 a.m.,  
Sunday School, John S. Stewart,  
Superintendent. Classes for all  
ages. 11 a.m., Morning worship,  
sermon "Remember Lot's Wife."  
A nursery for babies and small  
children is maintained during all  
services. 6 p.m., Baptist training  
fellowship for the entire family.  
6:45 p.m., Evening worship, ser-  
mon "On The Jericho Road."  
Thursday, August 12 - Mid-week  
service in home of Mr. and Mrs.  
G. C. Hackett, 69-J Ridge, Edgar  
A. Taylor, leader.

### GREENBELT LUTHERAN

Edward H. Birner, Pastor  
Phone: GRanite 4-2051  
Sunday, August 8: 9:45 a.m.,  
Sunday School for children of all  
ages. Raymond Carriere, Superin-  
tendent. 8:30 and 11 a.m., Church  
services. Mr. Carl Querbach, stu-  
dent of Concordia Seminary, St.  
Louis, Md., and the Vicar of the  
Lutheran Church of Annapolis will  
preach the sermon. Pastor Birner  
will return to the pulpit next Sun-  
day. Visitors are always welcome.  
Thursday, August 12: 8 p.m.,  
Meeting of the Church Vestry.

### SOUNDBOOK ON BIRDS

To the many people interest-  
ed in birds, their identification  
and calls, we recommend that  
they borrow from the Greenbelt  
Public Library the new sound-  
book on birds. It is the first  
color, sound and story introduc-  
tion to songbirds ever publish-  
ed. Everything necessary for  
understanding and identifying  
familiar songbirds is presented  
in this one volume containing a  
high-fidelity 33 1/2 long-play re-  
cord of 24 birdsongs recorded in  
the wild by Dr. Peter Kellogg  
of Cornell University.

The soundbook may be bor-  
rowed on a card by any adult  
member of the library. It will  
be loaned for one week.

## Another Long Look

It is not our intention to give undue publicity to Al Long. Certainly we have not begun a campaign to defeat him in the next GVHC election. Our original purpose, as our readers may remember, was to make a preliminary evaluation of the accomplishments of the GVHC board of directors following the completion of the first quarter of their term of office. We plan to make future appraisals before submitting our final analysis of how the 1954 GVHC board of directors has furthered the interests of the Corporation and its members.

However, in view of Mr. Long's attempts to minimize our efforts in this matter, we would like to make our position crystal clear. It is true that this newspaper does not concern itself with national or international problems, but this is not because we consider the activities of Al Long (or any other board member) in GVHC more important than the activities of Congress or the Indo-China truce settlement. There are three excellent metropolitan dailies in his area which cover these subjects in great detail, but none of these newspapers are one whit concerned with the success of GVHC, a matter of vital concern to most residents of Greenbelt. We hold the viewpoint that anything that is of vital interest to this community is an important subject for this newspaper to discuss.

As yet, we do not consider that Long or any board member is a serious deterrent to GVHC achieving its aims. However, we feel that our readers and GVHC members should be as well informed as possible as to what manner of men are serving them so that they will not have to vote blindly in the annual election, as they generally have had to do in the past. As for Long, we wish to repeat that he can point to no specific accomplishment in the time that he has been on the board. He is quick to make a motion and to engage in vehement debate but reluctant to undertake time-consuming tasks that may improve the operation of GVHC or reap benefits to its members. He apparently has so little regard for his responsibilities with which he has been entrusted that he brushes off his absence from the quarterly membership meeting as quite unimportant simply because so few members were present. We would think that a paid member of the board of directors would have a greater obligation to attend than the average member.

Long may yet be of useful service to GVHC, but frankly until we see his deeds instead of merely reading and hearing his words we shall remain skeptical.

### MOWATT MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

North End School  
Stanley F. Knock, Jr., Minister  
42-L Ridge Road - Phone 9400  
Sunday, August 8 - 9:30 a.m.  
Church school for all ages. Mr.  
Herbert M. Irvin, General Super-  
intendent. 11 a.m., Morning wor-  
ship service. Rev. Knock will  
preach the second in a series of  
five sermons, "The Christian Hope  
—God's Judgment" in observance  
of the meeting of the World  
Council of Churches.  
August 13 - 3-6 p.m., WSCS Bake  
Sale at the Center.

### ST. HUGH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Victor J. Dowgiallo, Pastor  
GR. 3-5991  
Confessions: Saturday afternoon  
from 4 to 5:30 and in the evening  
from 7 to 9 p.m. for adults and  
children.  
Sunday: Masses: 7:30, 8:30, 9:30  
and 11 a.m. This is Communion  
Sunday for members of the Holy  
Name Society at the 7:30 Mass.  
Wednesday: Miraculous Medal  
Novena followed by Benediction of  
the Most Blessed Sacrament at 8  
p.m.

### COMMUNITY CHURCH

Eric T. Braund, Rogert C. Hull  
Ministers  
A. Elizabeth Goetze  
Minister of Music  
Sunday, August 8: Morning wor-  
ship, 10 a.m. Sermon by Reverend  
Hugo Muller, "The Church's Mis-  
sion in Iran Today". Mrs. Muller,  
a Medical Doctor, will speak in  
the Church School at 9 a.m. pre-  
ceding Church. The Mullers have  
been missionaries in Iran for a  
number of years, going there origi-  
nally in 1910. Muller was Execu-  
tive Secretary of the Presbyterian  
Missions in Iran and has traveled  
extensively in that area. His last  
ten years in Iran were spent in  
Teheran where one of the Muller's  
sons is Minister of the American  
Church. Another son, Dr. Ernest  
Muller of 1-B Eastway, and mem-  
ber of Community Church, will be-  
gin teaching at Cornell University  
this fall. The general public is  
invited to hear the Rev. and Mrs.  
Muller as they tell of their rich  
and varied experiences in Iran.  
They are presently living at Had-  
donfield, New Jersey. Worship  
will be led by Reverend Braund.  
Church School classes as usual.  
Miss Goetze will be at the organ.

## Ridgewood Homes

announces the

Preview Showing of  
Their Model Home

Open For Inspection

Starting

Saturday, July 31

The model is located off Northway extended  
just west of Hillside Road.

Mr. Butow, salesman for the Ridgewood Coopera-  
tive Homes, will be on hand afternoons and even-  
ings every day.

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**CALDWELL'S WASHING MACHINE SALES & SERVICE**—Automatic and conventional models expertly repaired. Reasonable. Guaranteed. Free Estimate. Phone GR. 3-4063.

**TELEVISION SERVICE:** By professional electrical engineers using the finest of modern test equipment. RCA Registered Dealer. Any make, any model. Philco Authorized Service. GR. 3-4431 or GR. 3-3811.

**PRINTING** - Tickets, membership cards, stationery. Call Berny Krug, 88.1.

**WILKNIT Guaranteed HOSIERY.** Fine Quality Long-Wearing Socks and Hose for the Family. Sold in this area by Evelyn and Alva Cuppy, residents of Greenbelt ten years. For appointments call GR. 3-4753. Samples may be seen any time at 1-C Northway.

**GRANITE Dry Cleaners.** We are as near as your phone. Pick up and delivery day and night time. GR. 3-3681; GR. 3-2792.

**DRESSMAKING and alterations.** Mrs. Russell, 2-F Westway GR. 4-8956.

**GREENBELT MOTORS** - 8420 Baltimore Blvd. Used cars and trucks bought and sold. Phone TO. 9-9647.

**SEWING and alterations.** Expert work. Reasonable prices. Call GR. 3-8131.

**GREENBELT TV SERVICE** - Evenings, weekends, holidays. Local Home Service calls. Charges reasonable. Work guaranteed. Free tube testing service, 14-Z-2 Laurel Hill. Cal GR. 3-2113 or OL. 4-5476.

**TWO IDENTICAL BEDS.** 32 inches wide - standard length. Complete with mattresses. Very good condition. Ideal for children's room. Phone GRanite 3-5651.

**LAKESIDE ESTATES.** Beautiful wooded homesites overlooking park area and lake, \$1800 to \$2300. Price of lot includes all improvements. Call Greenbelt Realty Co. or one of the following representatives: Ben Goldfaden, Mary Jane Kinzer or George Panagoulis.

**FOR SALE** - 3-bedroom brick house. End of row with front exit on street. Attic. Extra closets. Sell for original price, \$8500, with 13 percent (\$1105) down. No commissions. Terms possible. 6-H Crescent. GR. 4-4496.

**WANTED** - Houses in Greenbelt. Have prospective buyers for houses and apartments. Will be glad to assist Greenbelters in selling their homes. GREENBELT REALTY COMPANY, 151 Centerway (Former Police Station), GRanite 3-4571.

**WATERFRONT** cottage for rent near Beverley Beach. Private dock, beach and boat. \$55 a week. GRanite 3-5032.

**FOUND** - Bundles of laundry. July 19 at 62 court of Ridge Road. Owner may identify at 62-E Ridge Road.

**TWO identical beds.** 32 inches wide - standard length. Complete with mattresses. Very good condition. Ideal for children's room. Phone GRanite 3-5651.

**STAMP COLLECTORS:** Wide selection of good, attractive stamps for the discriminating collector at reasonable prices. See for yourself—send for approval selection today. Boisvert, 7-C Crescent, Greenbelt.

**IRONING** done in my home, reasonable. GR. 3-6752.

**DIAMONDS** bought and sold. H. M. Goode, Sr. Phone GR. 3-3111.

## Little League

By E. DonBullian

7/26

**Indians 7 - Redbirds 2.** Winning pitcher, Due, struck out 10 and allowed only 2 hits. The losing pitcher, McCarthy, held the Indians to 5 hits in 4 innings while Sandvik, who relieved him, gave up 2 hits. Hyland and Byers banded out 2 hits apiece. Endres, Fink and McNally got singles.

**Athletics 15 - Coop 4.** Winning pitcher, McCauley, struck out 10, allowed 6 hits and got himself a double and 3 singles for a perfect day at bat — not bad. B. Emmert's triple was the longest hit of the game, which, added to his single, got him 7 RBI's. Walden banded out a double and single while Cozad's double earned him 2 RBI's. Only 3 boys on the winning team did any hitting—Walde, B. Emmert and McCauley. Ruppel got 2 singles while O'Neill and Hodges peppered out singles. Co-op had 6 errors.

7/27

**Giants 19 - Wildcats 9.** Winning pitcher, Schlosses, allowed 6 hits, struck out 8 and banded out a triple and single and got 4 RBI's. Cawley got the most hits — a double and 2 singles. Vaughn and Murray each banded out a double and a single. Panagoulis's double came home with the bases loaded and got him 3 RBI's. A double by Moore earned him 2 RBI's. Marshall, McCauley, Endres, Lushine, Page, Bronstein, and Caldwell all got singles while Mancini knocked out 2 singles. Both teams had 5 errors.

**Tigers 11 - Pirates 10.** Winning pitcher, P. Miller, struck out 7 and banded out 2 singles himself. Gelberg, the losing pitcher, did a pretty good job also. He struck out 7 and allowed 1 less hit but the errors behind him came at the wrong time. Both teams had one big inning - the Redbirds bunched up 6 runs in the 1st, while the Tigers got 8 in the 2nd. The Redbirds finally tied up the game in the 7th inning, 10 to 10, getting a run at a time. The Tigers scored the winning run in their half of the last inning. Tharp got the only extra base hit of the game, a home run which together with a single brought his RBI's to 3 for the game. Hoffman, White and Walden got 2 hits apiece. The following boys knocked out a single—Fink, J. Miller, Dean, Henry, Shaver, Ferrar, and Andras.

7/29

**Redbirds 11 - Tigers 8.** Winning pitcher, McCarthy, was the last relief pitcher for the Redbirds, allowed 2 hits in his 2 innings. Sandvik banded out a homer and 2 singless for 4 and got 4 RBI's. Hucman also hit a homer and a single in his 3 times at bat. Page, McNally, P. Miller, Dean and Confer got singles. Biena's unassisted double play was pretty to watch. McCarthy and Fink got together and also completed a double play.

### Boy Scout Troop 229

Boy Scout Troup 229, sponsored by Greenbelt Lutheran Church, will reorganize during the month of August. The first meeting will be held Tuesday, August 17, 7 p.m., at the Lutheran Church, 22 Ridge.

Boys 11 through 13 years old interested in joining this troupe are to contact James Mann, 53-Q Ridge, GRanite 3-8366.

H. J. Fissell, 3-H Research Road, will be the Scout Master for Troop 229. Frissell is a former Boy Scout himself, and for the past few years has been Scout Master of the Scout Troup sponsored by Keller Memorial Lutheran Church.

Boys not quite 11 years old who wish to join the Scouts later should join the Cub Scouts now. For information, call Lee Leasia, GRanite 3-5657.

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## Frederick 27, Coop 0 In Babe Ruth Title Tilt, Winner To Clarksburg

Frederick recovered completely from its first-round game jitters and totally devastated a plucky but undermanned Greenbelt Co-op nine, trouncing the locals 27 to 0, to win the first annual Babe Ruth League State of Maryland tournament. The big Frederick boys treated three Greenbelt pitchers alike - roughly - as they amassed their big score on 21 hits and 8 walks. Unnecessary aid to the State Champs were the eleven errors committed by the dismayed Greenbelters.

The Co-op All-Stars were forced to use their three top-flight pitchers to pull their first-round game with Easton out of the fire last Saturday and, by Babe Ruth League tournament rules, could not use any of them on the mound the final game. Mike Canning started for the locals and was touched for 3 runs on a walk, 2 errors and a hit before turning over the chore to Wes Hogan with one out in the first. Hogan, in turn, was relieved in the fifth by Dale White. Canning was charged with the loss. Bob Moss did a great job on the bedraggled locals. Back to back singles in the fourth by Gary Brown was the total output of Greenbelt hitting strength. Moss fanned only 2 but walked only 4 and forced 9 Co-op pop-ups.

Firstbaseman Alden Summers, with 4 for 7 including a triple, homer and 4 RBI's, and Keystoner Bob Poole, with a homer and 2 singles for 5 runs driven in, were the standout batters for Frederick. Larry Phebus had 3 for 5 and four other players added two hits apiece.

Both teams used their entire rosters in the fracas.

Three players merited consideration for Most Valuable Player choice by the State Commissioner. Charles Keller hit safely 5 times in 9 tries in his two games as did Larry Phebus, while Al Summers banded out 5 for 10. The nod for MVP goes to young Keller, who, in addition to his fine hitting and second game shortstopping, did a very good hurling job in the first-round game.

Maryland (Frederick) plays West Virginia at Clarksburg in the semi-final round for Region Two Babe Ruth League Tournament, having drawn a first-round bye. The game will be broadcast by Bill Hilderbrand over radio station KWFJ to the Frederick area.

Frederick 6 8 1 1 2 0 0-27 21 3  
Co-op Stars 0 0 0 0 0 0-0 2 11  
Moss and Garrett, Weddle (6th); Mike Canning, Hogan (1st), White (5th) and White, Mike Canning (1st). Umpires - Bill Taylor and Frank Oreto.

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Thank you,  
The Editor

## Health For All

### "It Isn't the Heat"

It's the humidity. It's your imagination. Anything but the heat.

Let's stop pretending. Summer heat in most of the United States is just as hot as tropical heat. And it's not an "unusual" summer. It's every summer. It's time we took some lessons from our friends in the tropics—time to learn how to live with the heat we can't explain away.

Let's take a walk through a town that's right on the equator. Notice the way the people walking slowly on the street are dressed? Men in white that reflects the sun's rays, women in long sleeved blouses and cotton sarongs to the ankles—clothes that cover up, but fit easily, allowing the air to circulate. Notice that just about everyone wears some sort of head covering, or carries a parasol. Now let's go into this little house almost hidden by green, leafy trees. It's noontime, and everyone is taking a siesta—if not sleeping, at least lying down for a short rest in the shade. When they get up, they'll have a shower, sluicing themselves with tepid water from that huge pottery jar. They may do this three or four times a day,

and in between they'll frequently bathe head and arms.

Dinner time comes late, in the comparative cool of the evening. And it's not a light meal of salad. They eat highly spiced meats, vegetables, rice, and fresh fruit, but few of the heat and energy-giving foods containing fats and sugar.

The cooling properties of hot spices are in the category of hitting yourself on the head with a hammer. It feels so good when you stop. We may not want to adopt that tropic custom, but there are some that may well add to our summer comfort; clothes that protect from the sun's heat, yet allow air to circulate on the skin; food that is appetizing, yet provides all the necessary nutrients; frequent bathing in tepid water. The mid-day siesta may not always be practical, but we can walk, not run, on the shady side of the street. We can try to get plenty of rest. Most important, we can admit that it's hot, and adjust to the fact instead of fighting it.

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## The Long View

By A. C. Long

Sunday, I visited the newly built house in Greenbelt and decided I'd stay where I am, at 7-K Crescent.

While there I met City Manager McDonald and talked about one of Greenbelt's greatest needs, namely, speedy convenient public transportation into Washington. With the completion of the new road this is a possibility if enough people will ride a bus daily to make it pay. Of course, that is the difficulty, as public transportation service becomes more expensive and lousier year by year, more and more Greenbelters desert it for auto pools and other means of travel. If we are to get a good bus line over the new highway, we will have to change our habits and support it, day in and day out.

Later in the day I drove down through Lakeside Estates and tried to picture it a few years from now when all the mansions will be built and all the wealthy Greenbelters will be lapping it up on their patios and worrying about the mortgage in their dreams. If I can get a big enough mortgage maybe I'll be one of them.

Even later in the day I sneaked up on the new Washington-Baltimore highway at East Riverdale and four minutes later I was in Greenbelt. I believe I'll be able to drive into Washington in twenty minutes if the speed cops aren't around. Of course, who wants to get into Washington that fast but it will be a real joy to get home from Washington so quickly.

Saturday, I wasted some time in the Center looking for the gals in the short short wrap-around skirts but didn't see any—you simply can't depend on such announcements in the Cooperator—pardon me, it has no name now, well in the .....

It had always been my opinion that Co-ops served a very useful purpose as a yardstick to keep private business in line. If that is true, why shouldn't we have some private business in Greenbelt to serve as a yardstick to keep the Co-op in line. It seems reasonable. Yet GVHC has refrained from getting any of its properties zoned commercial, in order to give GCS a continuing monopoly when and if the business center is sold by P.H.A. By not getting anything zoned commercial except GCS stores, it is hoped other bidders will be discouraged.

I understand they are going to clean the statue in the Center by sandblasting it. Suggest they save the sand—and just blast.

## Babe Ruthers Rebound After Tourney Licking

Captain Barry Petroff's Co-op Variety Store baseball team, winner of the first half championship of the local Babe Ruth League, is off and winging in the second half.

### Team Standings

| Co-op Babe Ruth League |   |   |
|------------------------|---|---|
| Team                   | W | L |
| Variety Store          | 2 | 0 |
| Drug Store             | 1 | 1 |
| Supermarket            | 1 | 2 |
| Service Station        | 1 | 2 |

Chunky Sam Barron survived a rough first inning July 26 and went on to subdue Supermarket for his Variety Store teammates, score 14-6. Barron, who is now in New Mexico with the Boy Scouts, had a busy day at bat, driving in two runs with his pair of hits. Eddie King and Bill Andrusic scored three runs apiece.

Supermarket 4 1 0 0 1 0-6 7 1  
Variety Store 4 1 0 6 0 3 x14 9 4  
Hogan and Powers; Barron and Andrusic.

Tommy Iveson starred for Drug Store in their 12-10 victory over Service Station July 27. Young Ivy was winning pitcher and batter. He knocked in 4 runs with a homer and double in 3 AB's. Bobby Canning got a double and single in 3 while Bud Moore tallied 3 times with an official 1 for 2.

Stanley "Steamer" Edwards smacked an Iveson offering for a 4 run homer in the third inning for a going away present to his mates. "The Man" is also Boy Scouting in the West for three weeks. Pete Bowman, who with Bill Sandilands, is also going West for scouting, got 2 for 3 including a double and 3 RBIs.

Drug Store 3 0 5 0 4 0 0-12 10 3  
Service Sta. 0 1 9 0 0 0 0-10 6 4

Iveson and Burns; Bobby Taylor, Bowman (3rd) and Dicky Taylor.

One of the season's finest Babe Ruth League games was played at Braden Field July 29 - the day after Greenbelt's disheartening 27-0 loss to Frederick in the State Tournament. Co-captain Dale White's Service Station team out-fought Captain Barry Powers' game Supermarket, 7-6. Short-stop Ted McCord gave a great exhibition of determination and hustle and got 2 important hits in 4 tries. White had 2 for 3 and Dave Goldfaden batted in three runs with a two-run single and a bases-loaded walk.

Service Sta. 0 0 2 0 2 0 3-7 6 3  
Supermarket 0 2 0 1 3 0 0-6 6 0

White and Donnie King; Powers and Flynn.

## Letters To The Editor

### "Spendthrift Sprinklers"

It would be gratifying to see local residents use more restraint and common sense in watering their lawns during a spell of drought. Although a well-kept lawn is charming, it needs to be watered often; however, I noticed many residents leave their sprinklers running all night long, or use them in such a manner that the lawn does not get a thorough soaking but a surface wetting which only encourages crabgrass.

Charges for water by the city, which fortunately owns our water distribution system, are based on a monthly reading of a water meter. We pay a rate based on the amount of water used, and these charges can be reduced by sensible conservation of water. This kind of conservation should be encouraged, and kept in mind by residents when watering their lawns.

It is not my intention to discourage watering lawns or gardens, but only to remind "spendthrift sprinklers" that their neighbors are sharing cost of the water running off the lawn into the gutter.

I wonder if these "spendthrifts" would be as indiscriminate in their use of water if homes were individually metered.

"Walter Waterlogged"

## THANKS

Dear Editor:

My husband and I wish to thank the Greenbelt Rescue Squad for their kindness and consideration to my brother following his recent accident.

Mrs. Waldo B. King  
10-K Laurel Hill Rd.  
GRanite 3-5351

## Family Camp Cabins Still Available

Program at the Church Family Camp in Kanesatake, Spruce Creek, Pennsylvania, will feature swimming at one of the largest outdoor pools in the country plus a varied athletic program from tiddlywinks to horseshoes with badminton and volleyball. Evenings will feature movies, cards and square dancing. A number of cabins for families are still available. The camp opens for one week only, Sunday, August 15 to Sunday, August 22.

## Recreation News

By Donald Wolfe

### Adult Swimming Classes

In last week's Cooperator we reported that there would be adult classes, but because of the lights in the pool going bad we were not able to carry out the program. We have decided that on Saturday morning we would hold a two-hour session for adults interested in learning to swim. We also think this will be a better time as it starts to cool off in the evening in August. Adults interested in taking these lessons, please report to the swimming pool Saturday, August 8 at 9:30 a.m. Come to the pool ready to swim. There will not be any other swimmers at this time. The pool will be reserved for adult swimming classes only. Registration fee will be paid at the time of instruction.

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children have a brief rest followed by juice and crackers and a story. Active outdoor play in the school's play-yard comes next, with an occasional trip to the firehouse, the Beltsville farms, or some other place of special interest.

The school is accredited by the Maryland State Department of Education. Why not give your three and four year old child an opportunity to develop individually and socially? For further information call Helen Justman at 7071.

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## Social Service League Has Exhausted Funds

George Cook, President of the Board of Directors of the Social Service League of Prince Georges County, announced that funds for financial assistance for the month of July have been exhausted due to the unusual demands for help during the summer months.

Cook stated that the caseworkers were calling on churches and service clubs to help meet emergency needs. He said these groups have been very generous and helpful in cooperating with the agency at all times, and especially last fall when the emergency relief crisis was recognized.

In the first six months of 1954, the Social Service League gave temporary financial assistance to one hundred and twenty families. In forty-one of these cases the problem was illness which incapacitated the wage earner. In sixty-one cases the problem was unemployment. Sixteen were desertion cases and two were due to inadequate income.

A bookcase is needed for the waiting room in the Community Service Building in Mt. Rainier.

Parents with small children often come into the office, stated Mrs. Elizabeth Goldfaden, Executive Secretary, and it is sometimes necessary for them to wait to see a caseworker. The waiting room is more attractive since the walls were painted by staff members of the various Red Feather agencies in the building, but the waiting periods should be made more pleasant for the children. It is also difficult, said Mrs. Goldfaden, for a caseworker to interview a mother while children are demanding attention, or crying to go home.

Some books and toys have been donated and there is one small rocking chair. Book shelves are greatly needed and small chairs and a table would do much to keep the children contented while parents seek help with their problems.

If you can spare a bookcase or other equipment for a play corner, phone WAfield 7-144 and arrangements will be made to pick it up.

## The Human Side Of Social Security

By F. C. Stann

Field Representative  
Social Security Administration

It is given to few men to achieve a kind of human symbolism in their lifetime. Jim Crandall was one man who did. Everyone within miles of East Shannon knew him. In a rough sort of way, he projected every man's idea of the dedicated life of community service.

Jim was a builder and made money "hand-over-fist." He was a free spender and an extravagant "giver" to all worthy causes. He never learned how to say "no" to anyone asking for help.

Crandall had never married. His widowed sister lived with him. His love for children had become a legend throughout the Valley. That's why everyone nodded approval when he adopted two small children. Jim was a man of means, they said, and could give the children every advantage. He was only 55 and the picture of health. However, misfortune was to cut short a full and active life. He fell from a high scaffold while inspecting a building.

The facts of his financial status were gradually brought to light. It would take all of his property to satisfy his indebtedness. He left enough life insurance to buy a modest home for the sister and the two children. Citizens of the community had been discussing ways of helping Jim's survivors. No one thought of Social Security since he left no widow and the children were his by adoption.

This was the picture when Judge Creason asked the Social Security Representative to look into the matter. Our records showed that Jim was insured and since the children had been adopted more than one year prior to his death, the sister is receiving \$106.25 a month for the two five-year old children. When Judge Creason heard this he said, "Social Security is taking up where Jim left off".



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