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City Council Frowns on Spot Zoning For Greenbelt Road, Ask Widening

The scheduled Saturday morning junket of the Mayor and councilmen, to survey areas about the town which are under consideration for fitting into a "Master Plan" for zoning, failed to materialize. The new bus, which was scheduled for delivery in time for making this occasion for its initial "shake-down" trip, failed to arrive in time.

Kindergarten Parents To Meet, View Play

Parents are urged to attend a meeting of the Greenbelt Cooperative Kindergarten, Tuesday, September 4 at 8:30 p.m. at the Center school, "Scattered Showers", a short play dealing with mother and child relations, will be presented. Instructions will be given for the first day of school and the helping mother program explained. A manual which has been prepared by the teachers, will be distributed. Mrs. Jennie Klein and Mrs. Ruth Bowman have been attending a workshop sponsored by the Prince Georges Board of Education and have gained many new ideas for the coming school year. Both teachers will be present at the meeting to discuss any questions with the parents.

Much new equipment is being purchased before the opening of school on September 10. Several alterations, which city manager Charles McDonald has authorized, are rapidly being completed by the Center school custodian.

Legion Installation Great Dual Success

By Thomas J. Freeman

A Joint installation was held at the American Legion Post 136, Thursday, August 16, for installing officers of both American Legion and Womens Auxiliary.

The head guest speaker was David Bringham, Maryland State Commander of the American Legion. Area B., Commander Prince Georges County Robert Greshner installed the new officers of the American Legion and Mrs. Eunice Ward, Vice President Southern Maryland District installed the new officers of the Womens Auxi-

The meeting was a great suc-Commander LeRoy Mc-Cauley and his fellow officers are looking forward to a bigger, and if possible, a more successful year in 1957.

The highlight of the evening occurred when past commander Nelson Chapman presented a gold watch to "Jake" Hoffman, outgoing commander, for his commendable services rendered during the year 1956.

As of this date the Post membership is 531 members and the goal set for 1957 is the 700 mark. In our last survey of our town, the number of veterans eligible to become Legionnaires was 1500. We hope that those who are not members and who are eligible, will become so in the near future, in asmuch as the services rendered our town of Greenbelt depend upon the membership of our organization. As you know, the most important function of the American Legion is the betterment of our community and our fellowmen. We hope that in 1957 our community and the Legion will become closer and strive together towards this aim.

This reporter is going to try and keep you posted on the achievements and the plans of the Legion activities in the following issues of this newspaper. In this way we hope to make known to the people of our town the importance and the principle for which the American Legion stands.

. The council had expected to pick up first-hand knowledge of the areas involved, and during the tour to have on-the-spot clarifications of joints of a doubtful nature by City Manager Charles Mc Donald, who had arranged for the

However, the council held a twohour session on zoning, during which considerable progress was made toward completion of its recommended "Master zoning plan", despite the inability to make the

Considerable time was devoted to a discussion of the area lying along Greenbelt road, from the juncture of Edmonston road and the city limit. Councilman Hurst insisted that no "spot" zoning be approved for this area, which would permit a "hodgepodge" of cafes, cleaning establishments, residences, and other businesses, which could turn the Greenbelt side of the road into another "Route One." The council went along with this, with but one dissenting vote.

Manager McDonald pointed out that Greenbelt road, since the opening of the new Route 193 alternate to University Lane, has become a major traffic artery. He advised a recommendation to the State Highway Commission for widening the road on the Greenbelt side, which would narrow down any useful depth for the type commercial business which normally fronts a highway of this sort. The council tentatively agreed to this proposal.

Questioned following the meeting regarding public hearings on the completed "Master Plan", Mayor Tom Canning indicated that a carefully prepared public hearing would be called during which detailed and adequate descriptions and explanations, along with visual aids, would enable the citizens to see exactly what had been accomplished. They would then be permitted to voice any objections, makes recommendations or propose changes.

Following the Saturday morning session, the council expressed its liking for the early morning sessions and promptly scheduled another for Saturday, August 25, at 9

McKeldin Proclaims Civil Defense Week

Governor Theodore McKeldin today proclaimed September 9-15 as Maryland Civil Defense Week. The Proclamation reads as fol-

"The maintenance of peace is of paramount interest to the citizens of Maryland.

But while the danger of atomic war remains, the existence of a strong and efficient Civil Defense is essential as an asset to peace and as a necessity in the event of enemy attack.

The strength of the nation's Civil Defense depends upon the state of individual and community disaster preparedness

President Eisenhower has called upon the nation to observe the week of September 9 through September 15 as Civil Defense Week as a means of developing an awareness of the need for general participation in Civil Defense.

Therefore, I, Theodore R. Mc-Keldin, Governor, do hereby proclaim the afore mentioned week as "CIVIL DEFENSE WEEK" in Maryland, and I urge the residents of Maryland to join in this observance."

LAST CALL FOR TALENT

There is still time to enter the Labor Day Festival talent contest. Any type of talent is eligible - singing, dancing, deling, musical instruments, imitation of Elvas Presley. aurobatics, or chicken plucking. Cail Lydalu Palmer at WEbster 5-4542 to submit your entry.

Attention Archers! Move Aimed at Range

There is a strong movement afoot to revive an interest in the sporting art of archery in Greenbelt. About fifteen residents have met several times in recent weeks to discuss ways and means of forming their club and to seek out an adequate area in which to establish an archery range.

Ernie Boggs, 24-F Ridge, a longtime resident, athlete and now long bow enthusiast, is the leg man for the "Merry Men of Sherwood Forest" and has met with several realty groups and more lately with the city manager, Charles T. Mc-Donald. With some committments and a few reservations it is felt that the fenced-in area below the tennis courts near St. Hugh's could be appropriated for use as a most nearly proper shooting range.

Boggs' group has indicated it will establish membership from among local residents with emphasis on family participation, with supervised instruction for everyone. It is hoped to obtain a large number of prospective participants, as only in such concrete manifestation of interest will the tennis court location be made available for archery. Greenbelters please call Boggs at 9500 to register as an interested archer. The Police Station clerk at 2011 will also list names for the project.

"Labor Day Festival" All Set to Go! Beauty, Talent, Parade, Fireworks

By Russ Greenbaum

A mixture of glamorous beauty queens, fireworks, marching bands and majorettes, singing and dancing acts from downtown Washington as well as local talent, art displays, and exciting contests-and all of it free-will be the fare spread before the community during the annual Labor Day Weekend Festival from Friday. August 31, through Monday, September 3.

Featured on all four nights will be a complete stage show at 10 p.m. put on by the Volunteer Camp Show entertainers, a semiprofessional group sponsored by the D.C. Recreation Department. Earlier in the evening, at 7:30 p.m. on Friday and 7 p.m. the other three nights, Greenbelt's own talented residents will hold forth. In addition, on two of the four nights a dancing exhibition will be presented by the Frazier School of Dance.

Meanwhile, the Popularity Contest for the title of Queen of the-Festival entered its final weeks. Three more entries joined the race during the past week, making a total of 11 young ladies contending for the coveted title. The newcomers are Maureen Moore entered by the Boys Club, Jane Garman, the sweetheart of the National Guard, and Ellen Maguire sponsored by the Youth Center.

Iseli In Lead

Maintaining her lead in the competition is Joann Iseli, the entry of the Fire Department and Rescue Squad, with 9,147 votes. Other contestants followed in the same order as last week. In second place is Nancy Kurth, sponsored by the American Legion, with 6.992 votes, Ginger Lagana, representing the Athletic Club, remained in third but moved closer to second with 5,970 votes. Jeriann Weber of the Izaak Walton League with 3,155 votes was running nip-and-tuck with Diane Finley of the Lions Club who has garnered 3,116 votes.

All 11 of the queen candidates will be presented each of the four nights at 9 p.m. in a special ceremony presided over by Joe Diestino. The contestant who receives the most penny votes will be crowned Queen of the Festival on Monday night, September 3. ,

Fireworks

A special added atraction of this year's Festival will be a display of fireworks postponed from the Fourth of July when rain forced cancellation. The display will go on at 9:30 p.m. on Friday, August 31, at Braden Athletic Field behind the Center.

The Labor Day parade will start at 10:30 a.m. at the North End school and swing through town to the Center. Master of ceremonies for the parade will be Dick Mansfield, Washington television star. All local participants should contact M. V. Dutton or Vernon Iseli prior to Labor Day.

A giant square dance has been scheduled for Saturday night of the Festival at 8:30 p.m. Calling the dance will be James Wittbank. On Labor Day a bass fishing contest will begin at 6 a.m. and continue throughout the day until 8 p.m. This event is under the direction of Harry "Pop" Bell.

The gala opening of the Festival will be on Friday at 7 p.m. when the Greenbelt band, the majorettes, and the city counsil will participate in an opening program.

Fire Mystery Solved By Local Policemen

By Claud Wimberly City Manager Charles McDonald has advised that the mystery of the origin of the fire which destroyed the Little League building adjacent to McDonald field has finally been solved. Four youths, none of whom are Greenbelt residents, were implicated.

McDonald had high praise for the Greenbelt police officers who conducted the investigation and finally solved the two-month old mystery. Officer Faulkner was in charge of the case and was ably assisted by officer Joseph O'Lough-

Greenbelt police had leads that pointed to the lads involved but had no definite evidence with which to charge them. Consequently, they were unable to pick up the youngsters for questioning. However, they got a real break when a Berwyn police officer chased the lads into the Greenbelt jurisdiction while they were speeding. Greenbelt police then picked up the foursome, and their suspicions were confirmed when several empty gasoline cans and a siphon hose was found in the car. Further questioning disclosed that they had stolen gasoline from a jeep on the campus of Maryland University.

Turned over to the College police, they denied their previous confession and were subsequently

Greenbelt officers, sensing there was more to be gained from questioning further, managed to get an admission from one of the boys, in the presence of his father, that he was implicated in touching off the blaze that destroyed the Little League storehouse. He then named the other three.

The youths, two of whom are residents of Lanham, and the other of Berwyn have been turned over to the county juvenile authorities. The fourth, who is 19, is currently serving a 3-year term in Hagerstown for his part in another robbery.

A COMMUNICATION

"A Peoples Exhibit"

We are now fast approaching this year's Labor Day Festival. It is time to start thinking and planning for the four-day celebration that will outdo the one of last year.

In my own assigned part for an arts and crafts exhibit, I have already arranged for a larger and better situated area to display work, more awards, and the cooperation of two fine gentlemen for the planning and judging of the exhibit. Donald M. Uhlin, instructor in art at the Greenbelt Junior High school and Gordon C. Lawson, teacher and ceramist-artist join me in arranging the show.

After a talk with Eli Don Bullion of the Festival arrangements

committee, the grassed area in Centerway across from the drug and varsity stores has been set aside to be used as extensively as necessary "Festival Art Exhibit."

This is a people's exhibit and not a professional art show. Therefore it will have a distinct character of its own, other than we usually meet in the District, Baltimore or other cities. An art fair of this kind is strongest in the virtue of directness, honesty, and untroubled sincerity. All people not professionally involved in the plastic arts do some sort of creative work at some time or other. Be it knitting a quilt, huckweaving a scarf, designing and decorating a shoe-box, painting a picture, whittling, drawing, metal work, calligraphy, designing toys or cartooning and picture-collecting the activity is expressive and has a place in our art-fair.

Its success depends on your unhesitating participation. The more personal forms of handicraft, the richer will be the entirety; the more widespread response of entries, the more exciting will be the show. As you see, it will not depend on a few exceptional talents but rather a peoples representation of inventive activity in all forms of art.

We open our town for the four festival days for all the neighboring towns to come and see and we invite all residents of Prince Georges county to join our arts and crafts exhibit.

There is room, a wonderful lawn that is most picturesquely situated and easily accessible, far superior to many other localities for an art fair of this kind. There are the awards and trophies for all classes of work, generously donated by Albert A. Ellerin of the Arts and Crafts Supply Co., 934 New York Ave., N.W. and the help of three professional artists to make your partaking a fruitful and enjoyable one. I am sure that only timidity and uncertainty will prevent the show from having hundreds and hundreds of works. Give it a chance

Meet us on the first day of art fair, Saturday, September 1 at one p.m. on the lawn at Centerway and join in the memorable experience of sharing your creative works with others

To facilitate the management of the affair and to insure the safety of the exhibits, each person will be responsible for his own work during the show, from two till eight p.m. each of the three days, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, September 1, 2, and 3. Each entrant shall keep his exhibit with him and return with it the next day. Bring your own easels and stands or supports for your particular display. There is no one so attentive to the safety and presentation of our possessions as we ourselves.

The awards will be given out on Monday, September 3, at 3:45 p.m. Any question will be answered by me at GR 4-9373, or Gordon Lawson,

GR 3-5426, or Donald Uhlin, R 3-4966. A few people have not yet been given their honorable mention awards of last year's exhibit. I tender my sincerest apologies. If they will call me, I have arranged with the festival committee to present them with their long overdue awards.

Benjamin Abramowitz, Chairman, Festival Art Committee

Northwestern Alumni Meet to Plan Dance

Stanley Pickett, president of the Northwestern Alumni Society, urges all members to attend the August 30 meeting of the group in the school cafeteria at 7:30 p.m.

He especially invites members of the classes of '52 and '56 to take part in planning the Fifth Annual Alumni Dance to be held in November.

"An interesting and entertaining evening is on the agenda" annouces Pickett, "as members of the class of '52 speak o their experiences since graduating from Northwestern."



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Juvenile Delinquency Conference at U. of M.

The newly established Maryland Commission for the Prevention and Treatment of Juvenile Delinquency has announced that it will sponsor the Second Governor's Conference on Juvenile Delinquency on September 10, 11, and 12 at the University of Maryland, College Park. This Conference is one of the ways the Commission plans to complete its broad, statewide blueprint on the problem of delinquency.

The Conference is composed of general sessions and workshop groups. The general sessions are deigned to give Maryland citizens interested in the problem of preventing and controlling delinquency an opportunity to hear nationally known experts on the subject and to emphasize the necessity of road community planning:

The workshops are designed to give citizens, both professional and lay, the opportunity to look at our State and help determine what the problems are and what needs to be done about them.

These workshops, which are planned in the major fields of interest of the Commission, have been planned by the standing committees of the Commission. These committees are Religion, Health, Education, Recreation, Police, Strengthening Family Life, Foster Home and Institutional Care, Juvenile Court, Youth Advisory, Detention, Employment, Community Organization, Institution for Delinguent Children and After Core.

The purpose of the Maryland Commission as outlined by its Chairman, Thomas J. S. Waxter, is to give state-wide leadership in establishing and carrying out a constructive program for the prevention and control of juvenile delinquency. It is not an administrative body; rather, its responsibilities lie in the following areas: (1) fact-finding, (2) looking at existing services, and (3) stimulating the community to find ways of filling gaps in services or procedures.

Governor McKeldin has appointed Mrs. William H. Wood of Blapartment of Sociology, University of Maryland and Dr. William E. Henry, President, Bowie State Teachers College, as members of

the Maryland Commission on Deinquency. Mrs. Wood is Chairman of the Community Organization Committee and Dr. Lejins is Chairman of the Detention Committee. Several other Prince George's County citizens are serving on Committees. Major George Panagoulis, Chief of Police, is working on a Committee studying police services to children. Mrs. William Robie of Forest Heights and Frank Rooney, the Acting Director of the Community Chest and Planning Council, are members of the Community Organization Committee. James Schrum of Lewisdale has accepted appointment on the Religion Committee. Mrs. Clyde Everson of University Park and Dr. Ellen Harvey, Recreation Co-ordinator at the University of Maryland, are working on the Recreation Committee. Dr. Paul Nystrom, Director of Extension Services at the University of Maryland has been asked to serve on the Employment Commit-

Fire Department And Rescue Squad

By Lester Citron

On August 22, the Berwyn Heights Fire Department and Rescue Squad will join with the Squad and Department of Greenbelt in an exercise of cooperation for the mutual protection of both towns. This exercise is an aspect of the system of inter-protection under the Fire Board system for Prince Georges County. Under this system no town in the county is ever left unprotected even though its own equipment is away on call. In such a case, equipment from nearby towns is re-allocated to give needed protection.

Two squadsmen, McLoughlin and Swisher, have recently graduated from the Civil Defense School at Olney, as instructors in light and heavy rescue work.

As of August 19, there were 19 calls made on the ambulance equipment: 9 were for emergency or routine transportation; 1 auto accident, 1 fire call, 1 water accident, 1 maternity case, 6 miscellaneous. Nine calls were made at densburg, Dr. Peter Lejins, De- night. Eight men and 4 women needed help. Ambulance time, 301/2 hours. Ambulance miles, 349. Men answering calls, 62. Man hours, 931/2.

Community Church Eric T. Braund, Robert C. Hull

Ministers Telepone GRanite 3-5846

Sunday, August 26: Morning Worship at 10 a.m. with guest preacher the Rev. H. Oliver Evans, pastor of the English Congregational Church in Bangor, Wales. Church School at 10 a.m. for Nursery, Kindergarten, and Primary, with Nursery for one-year olds at Department Get-Acquainted Party through Adults. 3-4 p.m. Primary Department GetAcquainted Party in the Social Hall, 4 p.m. Carnival Committee will meet in Fellowship Center. 5:30 p.m. Washington Area City-Wide Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship Rally, with the youth of the Evangelical and Reformed Churches in the area participating.

Wednesday, August 29: 7-8 p.m. Kindergarten Get-Acquainted Party, Fellowship Center.

Thursday, August 30: 7:45 p.m. Training Session for Church School Teachers, Social Hall.

Friday, August 31: 7-8 p.m. Junior Department Get-Acquainted Party, Social Hall.

Sunday, September 2: 10 a.m. Promotion Day in the Church

> MOWATT MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH Meeting at 40 Ridge Walter C. Smith, Minister 42-L Ridge - Phone 9410

Sunday, August 26 - 8:30 a.m.-Church School, kindergarten and nursery depts. 8:30 a.m. - Morning worship conducted by Rev. Smith. His sermon is titled "The Deliverance of Evil". This is the last in a series of sermons on the Lord's Prayer. 9:30 a.m. Church

Monday, August 27 - 8 p.m. -Commission on Education meets at Mrs. Richard Corbin's house, 4-G Crescent.

Tuesday, August 28 - 8 p.m. -Meeting of organization of Presidents and chairmen to complete plans for calendar for the year.

Thursday, August 30 8 p.m. Missions Committee meets at the church. 8:15 p.m. - Adult choir rehearsal.

Lutheran Church

Edward H. Birner, Pastor Phone: GRanite 4-9200

Sunday, August 26: 9:45 a.m. Sunday School and adult Bible Class. Classes are held for each age group. 8:30 and 11 a.m. Church Services. Sermon by Pastor Birner.

Monday, August 27: 8 p.m. Men's Club meets at the Church.

Greenbelt 5 Navy 3 In Extra Innings

A, stubborn Naval Air Station team scored three unearned runs in the first inning to force Greenbelt Athletic Club into extra innings, before Greenbelt won 5-3. Our boys made a complete recovery from the first inning jitters and played errorless ball behind the great pitching of Bierwagen. The navy team was held to three scattered hits as Bierwagen recorded fourteen strike-

The Athletic Club fighting an uphill battle scored twice in the second inning and once in the sixth inning to tie the score. In the top of the tenth inning with two out, Greenbelt's Attick unleashed a home-run to deep left field to put the Athletic Club out front. Boyer followed Attick with a double and came in to score on Harbaugh's single, to make the count 5 to 3

The Fort McNair game was postponed and will be played on Labor The Athletic Club plays a powerful Atchison-Keller team on Saturday at Greenbelt. ひしのいしいいいいいいいいいいいいい

BAND MEMBERS

Greenbelt Community Bands

IMPORTANT REHEARSAL

Mon., Aug. 27

Library News

By Marjorie H. Muir

What is a good teen-ager story, To distinguish between the superior and inferior story, one must consider the novel both as literary piece and as a vehicle for the presentation of a problem," says Richard Alm, assistant professor of English and Education at the University of Hawaii.

Dr. Alm presents the following questions to the reader to help him make such discrimination: 1. Is the story one of credible people in a credible situation?

2. Does the story have unique qualities, or is it a repetition of an often-used pattern?

3. Do the characters grope somehow in dealing with their pro-blems, or are their reactions formalized and pat?

4. Is the problem of the adolescent in proper perspection in the novel, or does it loom so large that neither story nor character emerge clearly?

5. Is the stage of maturity of the central character developed naturally, a measure at a time, or is it a magic process accomplished mechanically?

6. Is the reader given some in-

sight into the characters' lives, or must he rely upon superficial sketches?

The books listed are recommended as excellent teen-age literature and are on the shelves of your community library in Greenbelt.

Junior Miss, by Benson Spring Comes Riding, by Cavanna Campus Melody, by Emery Going Steady, b Emery Life with Father, b Day Two on the Town, by Felsen Johnny Tremain, by Forbes A Candle for St. Jude, by Godden The Folded Leaf, by Maxwell The Yearling, by Rawlings Ready or Not, by Stolz Goodbye, My Lady, by Street Hi, to the Hunter, by Stuart Winter Wheat, by Walker

Walk Like a Mortal, by Wicken-

"Turkey on the Table . . . the Year 'Round" is an illustrated turkey bulletin by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. The pamphlet tells the modern story of the turkey, pointing out that the birds are available in sizes to fit, styles to suit, and pieces to please. For a copy, address: Office of Information, USDA, Washington,

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The Long View

"I guess my television is a Democratic set," I told a neighbor, "It performed fine all through the convention last week but broke down completely when the Republican convention started."

"What you should have is a non-partisan set," he suggested.

"No! My friend has one of those," I pointed out, "it was broken down through both conventions. What I want is a bipartisan set so I can view both conventions."

Meanwhile without a television set the kids are learning once again to play games and I'm reading "The Last Hurrah." Life seems very primitive-and I guess more quiet. One of my neighbors asked if I were home last night-he didn't hear my television set. should also like to add that while we are without television Pat has taken to darning my socks. Such is not the case, alas, as my left big toe will testify. But don't worry, we'll be back in the swim again soon, as soon as I can scrape up a down payment for a new set. Of course, by that time Stassen's man might be nosed out by Nixon and I'll miss all the excitement.

Really, without television, a person can't even read the newspapers intelligently-not having seen it on TV he doesn't know what to look for in the paper. The kids can't understand it at all. First, the convention knocked out all their favorite programs, and then knocked off the set. I think the trouble started with Governor Clement's speech, but Sam Rayburn's banging away with the gavel probably contributed, too.

St. Hugh's Sodality Plan Bake Sale

The Sodality of St. Hugh's Chursh, under the leadership of Mrs. Joseph Loftus, recently formulated plans for the season's activities. First on the schedule is a bake sale to be held at the Center on Friday, August 24. Mrs. John M. Ryan, chairman, promises that the sale, which starts at 10 a.m. will feature rolls, bread and home preserves in addition to the usual cakes and pies.

A quick recovery to Mrs. Edward Schurr, 31-D Ridge, who is recuperating after a recent opera-

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SALE: 2-bedroom brick FOR Tile bath, shower, airconditioner included. GR 3-6296.

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REGISTRATIONS still being accepted for the Greenbelt Cooperative Kindergarten. Call Skolnik, 7586 or Justman, 7071.

KELVINATOR Refrigerator For Sale - good condition. \$40. 11-F

FOR SALE: 2-bedroom masonry house. End unit. Garage, tiled bath, shower, air conditioner, large yard, flower and vegetable garden. GR 3-5551.

Hey, Mom and Dad, can you still do the Charleston? Show up the younger generation by entering the Labor Day Festival Talent Contest. Call Lydalu Palmer at WE 5-4542.

SERVICE

COLLEGE PARK, MD.

Our Neighbors

By Elaine Skolnik

The North End Playground ended its summer program with a watermelon feast on Wednesday evening, August 15. About 325 attended the event, and happily ate all the free watermelon they could eat. The first contest was Watermelon relay competition. The contestants ran to pick up a piece of watermelon, ate it and then ran back to the starting line. Winners in the 6-10 age group for girls were Janice McGlothlin, Becky Blythe and Diane Ferguson; in the eleven and over age group for girls, winners were Margie Bowen and Diane Doss. Winners in the 6-10 age group for boys were Jimmy Michael, Larry Evans, and Jack Burton; in the eleven and over age group for boys, winners were Ronnie Sharp, Philip Miller, and Jimmy Weikle. The last races were medleys won by Barbara Ann Hudson and Karrolyn Lawson and Bobby Wilson, Ronnie Newkirk, and Francis Day. The staff of the playground felt

that this successful event was due mainly to the splendid cooperation of city manager, Charles Mc-Donald, who helped organize the events; to the Greenbelt Co-op who donated twenty watermelons, and the many parents who assisted. A special thank you is given to the wonderful Greenbelt firemen who cleaned the grounds after the event. Mrs. Theresa Summerkamp, playground director, Dwight Schlegal, and their staff are to be congratulated on their tireless efforts to give our children a happy summer.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hammersla, 32-Crescent who are the proud parents of a baby boy born August 5.

It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dunaway, 14-A Laurel Hill, Raymond Carroll arrived August 11 and weighed in at 6 pounds 12 ounces. He joins a sister Patricia.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Leasia and their children, 45-H Ridge, have just returned from visiting relatives in Litchfield and Albert Lea, Minnesota. They also spent an enjoyable two weeks at Green Lake, Minnesota.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Wiltbank, 2-H Research, entertained Dr. N. C. Bunch of Bombay, India, last week. Dr. Bunch and Dr. Wiltbank both studied at the University of Wisconsin. The Wiltbanks moved here in February. Little Rachel just celebrated her second

birthday. Nine Almodovar, 8-B Hillside, celebrated her fifth birthday by taking her little guests to the En-

chanted Forest. Natasha Nelson, 47-F Ridge, entertained her many friends at her birthday party last Saturday. This pretty little miss is five years old.

Trying very hard to explain the convention to my daughter and her friends one day last week, one voice, high pitched with excitement, said, "I want Stevenson for President and Vice-President". Another voice commented with impa tience, "Silly, what if he ha move or something like that. Who would get his job."

Mr. and Mrs. John McGee, and their children, 7-D Hillside, have returned from a vacation in Cape Cod and Rhode Island. They were house guests of former Greenbelters, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan at their summer cottage near Newport, R.I. The Sullivans and their three children now live in Braintree, a suburb of Boston,

Going to New York? Be Insured, Warns AAA

Local motorists planning to drive in New York State, were warned today by LeVerne Johnson, D.C. Division, AAA, Manager, that the State has recently adopted a law requiring all motorists driving in New York to have automobile liability insurance.

According to Johnson, the new compulsory insurance law (the only other state with such a statute is Massachusetts) becomes effective October 1. Under its provisions, he said, all motorists driving in the State must be insured for \$10,000 liability for one person in one accident; \$20,000 liability for two or more persons in one accident, and \$5,000 property da-

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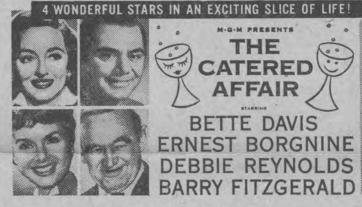
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Tigers Maul Athletics 29-2 To Cop Little League World Series Title

By R. Halnin

The National League Tigers, coached by "Hoppy" Hofstetter, giving his sluggers the hit signal, brought home the first National League World Series Pennant in six years. Taking his cue, he watched five Tiger circuit clouts soar over the fence plus a barrage of thirteen other hits as his team crushed Coach Bud Dean's valiant American League Ahletics 29 to 2.

Louis Caruso and Freddie Braund their coaches will be honored and each hit two home runs and winning pitcher Davey Dalbow got one. Centerfielder Caruso, in addition to his big ones, doubled twice and came away with a four for four record. Twin L. Caruso additionally distinguished himself with a fine defensive performance with three put-outs, the last bringing the crowd to its feet when he made a one-handed back to the fence catch of Athletic Tommy Arensdorf's well-tagged ball for the third out in the fifth. Caruso unquestionably is the outstanding hitter of the Series, with ten hits for twelve times at bat, hitting two homers, four doubles and four singles. Freddie Braund, Tiger firstbaseman, in two previous games had doubled twice in four appearances. In today's game, however, he matched Caruso's eforts with his two homers, doubling, and singling once each driv-

ing in five Tiger runs.

The Athletics got only one scoring opportunity off of Dalbow's seven-hit pitching. In the fifth inning, after Sisco struck out, Marty Walden, Athletic defensive gem centerfielder, got a single, then held to third on Sherman's double being unable to score on a quick throw-in. Davey Arensdorf, versatile Athletic infielder, then got his third hit of the day driving in Walden and Sherman for the only Athletic runs. Athletic Pitcher Kenny Powell, who had shut the door on the Tigers last Sunday in a brilliant relief performance, was unable to continue his mastery and gave way to Tommy Arensdorf in the fourth. Tommy, who, still has a year left to play Little League ball, wasn't able to hold off the roaring Tigers and yielded to Sherman in the sixth. Going in with one out, Sherman held the side down with only two hits, getting Tiger Joe Miller on a fly ball to Powell and James Caruso drove a well tagged ball to centerfielder Walden who continued his great defensive Series performance by making a superb running catch for the third out.

Outstanding performances, in addition to the home run hitters, were turned in by Tiger Dalbow's fine pitching and Phil Miller's catching, Holland and Clarks fine second base and shortstop combination. On the Pepsi Athletics, Walden's outfielding of course, plus Moraz's great catching of three Athletic pitchers, D. Arensdorf's three for three at bat, as well as Powell's and Rimar's handling of infield chances.

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Prince Georges School Registration Aug. 30

Pupils entering Prince Georges County schools for the first time this year will register at their schools on August 30, Supt. William S. Schmidt announced vesterday.

All schools in the county will be poen from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. for the registration.

Those requested to register as first graders and students who have previously attended schools outside the county.

A COMMUNICATION

receive their individual trophies

at the Annual Little League Ban-

quet to be held in the basement of

the Community Church on Sep-

"Not So Much Courage ... As Faith"

I should like to express my deep appreciation for your recent editorial "Courageous Venture" -- it is, of course, gratifying to have one's efforts recognized. Although we do feel somewhat courageous and feel a great amount of pride in the knowledge that we are the first private enterprise in the city of Greenbelt, it is not as much courage as it is our faith in the motion picture industry and the people of Greenbelt. It is our feeling that Greenbelt is deserving of a motion picture theatre comparable in luxury and comfort, quality of pictures and presentation, and in services as offered in the finest theatre.

Our first improvements, installation of the large screen and cinemascope equipment, were done overnight so to speak. The installation of the remainder of new projection equipment was completed last week, and in the next few months the theatre will be completely redecorated, reseated with reclining sats, and will display an ultra modern concession stand for our patrons' enjoyment. These improvements, however, cannot be realized overnight, and it is our hope that our patrons will be patient in the knowledge that we are making every effort to expedite the completion of these improvements for their pleasure and comfort.

Thus far, the people of Greenbelt have been very kind in their response and interest in our improvements and new policy. The motion picture film companies, toc, have been extremely cooperative in an effort to assure the people of Greenbelt motion pictures directly from downtown Washington to play the same as the other deluxe theatres in the Washington neighborhood areas. The first picture presented in Greenbelt directly from Washington was "The Man Who Knew Too Much" which played August 10-13 along with the other deluxe theatres in the area. "Trapeze" will be on our screen starting August 17th for an extended run and at slightly increased prices to meet the competition of these other theatres. It is our intention to play the very finest in motion pictures for the finest audience, and to play them as quickly and consistantly as possible.

We have made the statement that it will not be necessary for Greenbelters to leave Greenbelt for the finest in motion picture entertainment and the luxury and comfort of a modern theatre continue to exert every effort to bring all of this to Greenbelt, but we must ask for everyone's cooperation and patience.

We have advertised our programs and plans extensively in an effort to let the community know what lies ahead in motion picture entertain-ment, and we are extremely grateful to you for your thoughts publicly expressed in editorial form.

We have tried to bring you up to date in our plans and progress, and hope that you will feel these plans worthy of publication Again my warmest thanks to you for your welcome words of en-

couragement and for your support.

JACK FRUCHTMAN

ATTN: BABE RUTHERS!

All 1956 Babe Ruth League players are requested to keep their baseball uniforms for next season if they plan to and are eligible to play in the league hext season. All players who were fifteen years old in the league this summer please return your uniform in clean condition to the Recreation Department office. Please tag all pieces of your uniform with your NAME. Do not return any uniform caps.

Exchange Pastor Talks From Local Pulpit

The Congregational Christian Church for some years has carried on a program of pastor exchange between countries. Each year it develops and branches out. This year an Evansville, Indiana minister, the Rev. Edward F. Ouellette of First Community Church, has exchanged pulpits with the Rev. H. Oliver Evans, pastor of the English Congregational Church in Bangor, Wales. This Sunday, the Rev. Mr. Evans will preach in Community Church at 10 a.m. and will leave for Wales in the after-

As a visiting minister, Evans has spent his three months in Evansville with members of the congregation at First Community Church, living a week at a time with individual families. While in Greenbelt he will be the guest of Dr. and Mrs. James W. McCarl. Evans said he was impressed by the American food - "You Americans eat four times as much as we do!" - the great variety of it, and "the way you mix up things." "Sweets-'savoriees' as we call themwith meats and even with fish and shrimp. You have sort of discarded all conventions in eating that have been maintained in England," he declared.

"It's very much hotter in Evansville than in Bangor - there we consider a temperature of 80 to 85 degrees very hot.'

Evans described his pastorate in Bangor as an "unofficial chaplaincy" maintained mostly for the college students who attend the University of North Wales at

Little Leaguers To See Nats Game

The Greenbelt Little Leaguers, along with other Washington Metropolitan Little League and Boys Club teams, will be the guests of the Washington Baseball Club Friday evening, September 24.

Free admission by uniforms and accompanied by adults, who will be charged only \$1.50 for grandstand seats, they will view the ball game between the surging Senators and Kansas City Athletics.

Representing the Greenbelt LL in pre-game contests will be David Dalbow, Throwing Accuracy and Kenny Powell, Long Ball Hitting.

All those desiring to attend are to be in front of the Swimming Pool in their good conduct and baseball uniforms at 6 o'clock.

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