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Five Cents

Big Fireworks Display Scheduled For Fourth

"Equal if not better than last year's display," was the prediction of Tom Snoddy, president of the Fire Department and Rescue Squad, concerning the 1959, 4th of July Carnival, Parade, and Fireworks display. Extending over July 2, 3, and 4, from 6:30 on, will be pony rides, bingo, ferris wheel rides, carnival refreshments, and assorted kiddie rides. Splash parties, Friday, July 3 and Saturday, the 4th, at 9 p.m., will be held at the Greenbelt pool.

Gigantic and colossal fireworks will light up Braden Field starting at 9:15 p.m. Special ground displays, such as battleships, airplane battles, donkies, spinwheels, and flags, which highlighted last year's show, will be featured again. Aerial fireworks will also be shot up over the field by the Greenbelt Fire Department.

Sergeant Auston Green of the Greenbelt Police Department will act as parade marshal for the bands, drill teams, majorettes, drum and bugle corps, and floats that will appear in the 4th of July parade. The parade will begin at 11 a.m. from the North End and proceed through Greenbelt down to the Center.

60 At Jaycees Banquet

On the evening of June 20, approximately 60 members and guests of the Greenbelt Chapter of the Jaycees held a banquet-meeting in the Community Church. Dinner was served by the ladies of the church, followed by interesting talks by Guest Speaker Dave Rogers, State President of Maryland; Mayor Thomas J. Canning; and Charles T. McDonald, City Manager. The banquet was followed by a splash party at the pool.

The U. S. A. Jaycees' Charter and the International Charter were presented to the president and the chapter by Jim Rogers. The Jaycee's Banner was presented to the chapter by Fred Novack, of the sponsoring chapter in Beltsville.

All the speakers emphasized the fact that in order for the Greenbelt Jaycees to succeed in their mission, it would be necessary for all eligible men in the age brackets of 21-35 years of age to join the organization and assist in completing its planned program. A meeting will be held on Thursday, June 25, at the city offices at 8:30 p.m. All interested persons are welcome to attend.

NEW BUS SCHEDULE

As of June 22, the Greenbelt bus will be running on a new schedule. Copies of this schedule can be obtained at the city office or from the bus driver. The Greenbelt bus will not run on July 3 and 4.

"Cherry Bomb" Thrown At Pool Injures Three

Three teen-age girls were injured by a "cherry bomb" firecracker that was thrown by an unidentified person at the swimming pool last Saturday night. All three victims were given anti-tetanus shots and one of the victims required treatment at a hospital. All suffered burns and skin punctures.

The girls were attending a weekly "splash party" at the pool with about 100 other citizens. It has not been determined whether the fireworks were thrown from outside or inside the pool. Officer Paul Reamy and recreation director Warren Leddick were present when the incident occurred, but could identify neither the thrower nor the direction from which the bomb was thrown.

Police Chief Jim Williams, Reamy and Leddick have been conducting an investigation but have not been able to determine the identity of the thrower. Williams stated that the firecracker is a type made of gunpowder, and had it gone off at a different level might have blinded its victims. He reminded citizens that possession or use of fireworks is forbidden by law in Maryland, and violators can be fined \$50. Sale of fireworks in Maryland is subject to a \$200 fine.

Eligibility For City Voters Clarified

Clarification concerning voter eligibility in the forthcoming city election on September 15 has been offered by City Clerk Winfield McCamy. To be eligible to vote in the Greenbelt election, you must, of course, be a citizen of the United States. You must also have resided continuously in Maryland for a period of one year, and in Greenbelt for six months. It is not necessary for you to be a registered voter in Maryland for you to be eligible to vote in Greenbelt.

If you are not already registered to vote in Greenbelt, you may register at the City Clerk's office between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. on any day. Special evening hours for registration will be announced later in the summer.

Vacation Bible School Holds Parent's Night

The Vacation Bible School of the Greenbelt Baptist Church will hold a Parents' Night on Thursday evening, July 2, at 7:30 p.m. The program will begin with the children marching into the chapel sanctuary, led by two junior boys carrying the American and Christian flags. A joint worship service will be held, followed by participation of each department in singing, relating stories or quoting Scripture. Parents will then go to each department room to see the hand work the children have made.

Attendance on Monday was 206, on Tuesday 217 were present.

On Sunday, June 28, during the morning worship service at 11 a.m., the pastor, the Rev. Glenn W. Samuelson, will preach on the subject, "Anointed by God." There will be a baptismal service during the 7 p.m. evening worship service. The message is entitled, "Interruptions and Opportunities."

Control Of Mosquitos

For the second consecutive year the city of Greenbelt is participating in a mosquito control program offered by the state through the University of Maryland. Available on a voluntary basis to any community in Maryland, the program costs participating municipalities \$300 for the entire season. This consists of the high pressure spraying of trees and shrubs at approximately two-week intervals.

The particular type of spray being used in the program acts to control the adult mosquito only, Albert S. Attick, Director of Public Works, has pointed out. Mosquitos alighting on leaves which have had the spray treatment are killed by poisons in the residue remaining on the leaves. Spraying of ponds, swamps, and mud holes for control of the larvae and eggs is not included in the present program.

Since many inquiries have come into the city offices concerning the possible dangers of exposure to the spray, Attick wishes to inform the public that the spray is quite harmless to human beings. It is not necessary to remove clothing from the line. Although breathing the fumes is not dangerous, exposure may cause a slight, brief irritation of the eyes, he pointed out.

The spray truck follows a route mapped out by the city department of Public Works. Merely by calling the city offices, any Greenbelt resident whose area is overlooked may request that area be sprayed.

"Jamaica" Scheduled Next At Music Circus

"Jamaica," the recent Broadway smash hit, begins its first engagement anywhere since concluding its marathon New York run, when John A. Schaefer presents the exotic Caribbean song-fest as the second attraction at his Rosecroft Music Circus for two weeks beginning Tuesday, June 30. Abbey Lincoln, meteoric night club and recording sensation, stars in the E. Y. Harburg — Harold Arlen — Fred Saisy musical which will play through Sunday, July 12.

"Du Barry Was A Lady," starring Bert Lahr, the current attraction at the Music Circus on the grounds of the Rosecroft Raceway in Oxon Hill, Md., plays through Sunday evening, June 28.

Assuming the lead in the saga of Caribbean zest, Miss Lincoln will sing the popular "Savannah," "Ain't It the Truth," "Push the Button," "Napoleon" and "Take It Slow, Joe."

Featured in the cast of the tropical tune fest are Bertice Redding, Musa Williams, Hugh Bryant, Dennis Gurney, Ian Weeks, Francois Nesbitt, and featured dancers Alvin Ailey and Sally Neal from the original New York production.

"No Changes Planned," Says GCS, New Purchaser Of Shopping Center

Greenbelt Consumer Service, Inc., is as surprised as anyone to find itself the new owner of the city's shopping center. Samuel Ashelman, Jr., General Manager of GCS, revealed that it was decided to make only a "reasonable bid," which turned out to be the highest price submitted at the lightly attended public auction held at the center on Monday afternoon, June 22.

No firm plans for the future of the shopping center have been set by G.C.S. At present there will be no changes of any kind in the leases of the stores, nor does G.C.S. plan to control the type of businesses coming into the shopping center, Ashelman said.

One of the main concerns that impelled G.C.S. to bid on the property was the fear that a new owner might build additional stores without properly allowing for additional parking. This same possibility caused City Manager Charles McDonald to express satisfaction that G.C.S. has purchased the center. Ashelman indicated that G.C.S. may deed some of its newly acquired land to the city for a permanent parking facility.

Ashelman emphasized that G.C.S. is not in the real estate business and that the purchase of the stores and land totaling four and half acres is not a departure from previous policy. No new construction is planned by G.C.S., and it is anticipated that later an attempt will be made to find an investor to take over the property and lease it back to G.C.S.

The shopping center was originally purchased from the government by the Gilbert Realty Co. of Philadelphia in 1955 for \$444,444. It included the gas station, which has since been purchased by the Tidewater Oil Company, and a parcel of land which has been sold for the construction of two apartment houses. It also included the firehouse. This building when vacated by the fire department for its proposed new building, is slated for purchase by Abraham Chasanow, whose legal office and Greenbelt Realty Co. are located in the rear of the building. He has announced plans to turn the building into offices, including the expansion and modernization of his own offices.

Chasanow, who was the local agent for Gilbert Realty, stated that Gilbert placed his property on the auction bloc because he has been disappointed in the revenue. Gilbert was also disheartened by other problems which prevented him from developing the center as planned, Chasanow noted.

Ashelman pointed out the importance of the shopping center in view of the rapid growth of Greenbelt and the Greenbelt area. He said "Some 200 new housing units are now under construction, with more to come. The new Space Agency Facility just east of town will create a need for enlarged commercial facilities. Greenbelt is booming and its commercial facilities must be planned with this in mind."

At the time of the sale, the Post Office Department confirmed that it has agreed to lease larger quarters in the center adjacent to the Ben Franklin store. This will make the present post office area available for additional retail or service operations.

The city council

will hold

a

special meeting

Monday, June 29,

8 p.m. in the

city offices

City Rules On Burning Of Trash Made Clear

Permits to burn trash and leaves in their yards can be obtained from the city police by residents of Lakeside, Woodland Hills, and the new Lakewood development. Residents in GHI homes cannot burn anything in their yards, according to Chief of Police Jim Williams, since their land is not considered private property. Another factor is the close proximity of the GHI homes compared to the detached homes in the private developments.

Home owners eligible for permits must have a city police officer inspect the trash or other material to be burned before the permit is issued. The site of the fire must be well away from houses, and the wind and weather must be suitable.

A permit must be obtained each time a home owner wishes to burn, refuse. Residents complying with the above limitations should call the city police office to arrange for an inspection.

Notice To Residents of Greenbelt

The hedges surrounding dwellings supervised by GHI will be sprayed June 30 to July 2.

Please do not hang clothes or park cars within 20 feet of the hedges.

In event of bad weather the hedges will be sprayed the following week.

GARDEN PEST CONTROL

Mogel Addresses Lions Group In Baltimore

Robert Mogel, 45-T Ridge, a District fireman and member of Greenbelt's Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad was the recipient of an award at the Maryland State Firemen's Association Convention in Ocean City last week. The State Fire Prevention Committee awarded third prize, in the form of a plaque, to Mogel as the man who has done the most for fire prevention work for his community for the year 1958-1959.

All-Star Game

On Sunday, June 21, the Greenbelt Little League held its eighth annual All-Star Game. The American League defeated the National League by the score of 9 to 0. Outstanding players for the American League were David Snyder, who got 3 hits for 3 times at bat; George Moraz, who had 2 hits for 3 times at bat and also made a spectacular catch in right field; and Bobby Emmert and Ray Hudson, who both hit home runs. For the National League, Wayne Palmer and Ronnie Newkirk were the only ones to get a hit off of the pitching of Mark Gerring, Ray Hudson and Bobby Emmert.

All of the 30 boys participating in the game were awarded All-Star medals by Little League Commissioner Bill Clark.

Regular Little League games are scheduled for 6 p.m. at McDonald Field every night.



MYSTERY PICTURE NUMBER II—Girls and goats in Greenbelt—who were they? When was this picture taken? The News Review would like to know, as part of our project of identifying and filling old picture cuts. If you can tell us about this picture, won't you please drop us a line or call us at the office on Tuesday night, or you may call Mrs. Beauchamp, GR. 4-6182.



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Challenge For Pet Owners

Many residents of Greenbelt will be watching with interest the developments in the pet issue arising from the recent formation of a special GHI committee to define what constitutes a "nuisance" as related to dogs and cats. At the time of the greatest controversy over the issue, those advocating the withdrawal of the corporation's ban against pets were particularly voluble in their promises for "responsible" maintenance of their pet animals. Those opposed to any changes in the ban were concerned—not for those pets who would be responsibly cared for—but for those they feared would be allowed to run loose.

Since the recent court decree removing the corporation's ban, there have been three instances in which children have been bitten by dogs. Numerous other incidents—largely unreported—in which dogs have constituted a threat and a worry to neighborhood children have also occurred.

Assuming the pet owners meant what they said about responsibility in the care of their dogs and cats, they should now accept the challenge afforded by the new special committee of the corporation and volunteer their services to help in setting the bounds within which that responsibility lies.

RECREATION BUILDING

To the Editor:

Your editorial on Community Building Facilities is a reminder that a decision on a basic question affecting the community was taken without affording the people of Greenbelt an opportunity to vote on the issues involved and raises the question of whether the people will be consulted before any decision is made on any new recreation building. County restrictions on the use of the Center School building could have been foreseen. The situation can still be reviewed in the light of recent developments.

Possibly adults comprising various groups will be left to shift for themselves unless adequate provision is made in the new recreation building. It would seem that now at last serious consideration should be given the question of whether substantial public funds should be expended on a recreation building exclusively for juveniles or whether a recreation building should be built to take care of all community needs. Also it would seem that the people of Greenbelt should be invited to submit their views on any proposed recreation building before any irrevocable decision is made to erect a building for juveniles only.

In any event the people should be fully consulted and given a meaningful opportunity to participate in determining what kind of recreation building should be erected, the amount of public funds that should be expended on it, and what use may be made of it. In the circumstances is it not a waste of public funds to expend substantial amounts on recreation facilities that do not meet the needs of the community or that might, as your editorial suggests, result in later spending substantial sums for additional recreation facilities?

It might have been better to keep what we had.

B. J. Bordenet

Lutheran Confirmation

Adult confirmation services were conducted at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 22 Ridge, on Sunday, June 14. Received into church membership at that time were: Miss Nancy Cilcher, Mrs. Jo Anne Trumbule, Mrs. Jean Whittaker, Paul Manchak, Warren Millard, Larry Paulus and Harold Twigg.

Received into church membership at an earlier date through a confirmation service were the following members of the Junior Class: Carlene Brown, Jeanne Carriere, Linda Graves and Mary Trumbule.

WHEN THE SIREN BLOWS

By Rita Fisher

First off, let me say, when the time came for me to make my trip to P. G. Hospital, I did not let the siren blow. I am happy to say I went in my own car, driven by my husband. I did not feel it necessary to call the men from their homes to use expensive equipment when my own car was available.

Our siren has called out our fire fighting equipment a number of times in the past week or so. In the matter of fires, there was one brush fire, a dump fire and a minor car fire. The brush fire was minor and occurred on June 13 with 12 men answering the call. Eight men responded to the dump fire on June 16. On Monday evening, June 22, the siren blew and twenty men showed up at about 11:30 p.m. in answer to someone's request for help. It was a minor car fire in Lakeside (Jimmy Panagoulis's custom job) and taken care of easily, but it's reassuring to know our boys are ready when called for. On June 14 the fire siren called the men in answer to a report of an automobile accident on the parkway involving four cars. The Rescue Squad was happy to report the only bodily injury involved was a scraped knee. Lucky people!

The Rescue Squad was a bit busy lately. It reported delivering three maternity cases to hospitals, three routine transportations and three emergencies to hospitals.

The Fire Department received a check this week as donation to thank our boys for their assistance when her small son cut his hand on a broken milk bottle while in Greenbelt. This lady is from out of town. Our Rescue Squad administered first aid and carried the child to the hospital where stitches were applied to the injury.

A safety note at this time as a word of warning especially to youngsters wearing the very popular Japanese-type slippers which are held to the foot by a strap between the toes. These are not very safe when riding two wheel bicycles for one thing. My own child suffered a slightly fractured toe by not being able to properly grip the pedals. We have heard of other children who have lost control of their bicycles for the same reason and suffered cuts and bruises. I, myself, slipped down an incline while wearing the same type of slipper.

Mogel Given Award

The Lions Club of Baltimore, a group of over 200 men, honored Robert Mogel, 45-T Ridge, by inviting him to be guest speaker at a luncheon at the Park Plaza Hotel in Baltimore on June 23. The Governor's Committee on Keep Maryland Beautiful invited Mogel to talk about the Greenbelt Clean-Up campaign and its use of Sweep. Mogel showed color films illustrating how Sweep was used in various ways to attract attention and arouse interest.

RECORD IS BROKEN

Dear Boss:

What does one say when a guarantee does not work out? At 12:30 a.m. on Saturday, June 13, the Fishers broke a long-standing News Review record. Instead of the "guaranteed" boy, we got a girl! But honest, boss, we wouldn't trade her for the world now that she's here.

She's a typical Fisher all the way. Short, fat and healthy. She weighed in at 8 lbs. 15 oz. and was 20 inches long. And she looks just like her daddy. (His comment: "poor kid.")

In case you're interested in how things happened here's the story. We made our first trip on Friday morning at about 3 a.m. but it seemed as tho we were a little too soon. I was discharged at 1 p.m. and returned to the hospital the same evening at 9:30 p.m. This time I wanted to be sure so I called up a friend who was a nurse and also a neighbor. I just didn't want to make another false run if I could help it. But things were what they seemed to be, and so the Fishers have their fourth girl-child and the News Review's record is broken!

Sincerely yours, Rita Fisher

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Lots of things to be done before you start.

Such as:

1. Stop milk and newspaper deliveries. Ask a neighbor to keep advertising circulars off your porch.
2. Don't lower window shades—this is a tipoff for burglars. And make sure someone mows your lawn while you're gone—several inches of grass is a sure sign you're away from home, too.
3. Tell the post office to hold your mail, or arrange delivery to a neighbor.
4. Lock windows and doors. Don't forget basement windows and the coal chute.
5. Tell the police how long you'll be gone and where you can be reached in an emergency.
6. Shut off gas and water at main valves. Electricity can be shut off at the master switch, unless the freezer or refrigerator is to be left on.

And from the National Safety Council comes these tips on what to do before you leave on vacation:

1. Have your car serviced thoroughly. Give special attention to light, brakes, tires, steering and windshield wipers.
 2. Take a flashlight along for use in emergencies. Equally handy: a "trouble light" that can be plugged into the cigarette lighter receptacle.
 3. Make sure you take along necessary equipment for repairing a flat—spare tire (is it inflated?), jack and tools.
 4. Put a first-aid kit in your glove compartment—and be sure the contents are not stale or missing.
- One additional Council suggestion:
- "Start early on your vacation, and don't plan to drive too far in a day. Make this a vacation you'll really enjoy."

Intermediate Baseball

The Greenbelt nine of the Intermediate League suffered their second loss of the season when Laurel edged out a 3-2 win on June 19. Errors contributed to the defeat as the Greenbelt team gave up three bases on mis-cues, while the opponents allowed only one.

Adelphi-Lane Manor was trounced by the Greenbelt team on June 22 proving that the home team could rebound quickly. The home team played errorless ball for 5½ innings, at which time the Adelphi coach called the game. Bob Racklec was the winning pitcher, and Kirk McCauley led the hitting with a perfect day at the plate, going 2 for 2. The final score—Greenbelt 13, Adelphi-Lane Manor 1.

Tuesday again saw Greenbelt on the top of one sided score as they white washed University Park 15-3. Al Moraz, Tom Hall and Phil Miller combined to drive in ten runs for the home team, while Bill Willis posted the win.

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Danish-Koslow

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Our Neighbors

By Elaine Skolnik, GR. 4-6060
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lagana, 18-H Ridge, proudly announce the birth of a son. Mark Allan arrived on June 10, weighing 7 lbs. 12 oz. His grandmother, Mrs. Dorothy Reamy, lives at 14-E Hillside.

Houseguests of Dr. and Mrs. James W. McCarl, 9 Forestway, were Dr. and Mrs. Carlos Ruiz Agulor of Guatemala City, Guatemala. Dr. CcCarl and Dr. Agulor very recently attended the 35th anniversary reunion of their graduation from the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery in 1924. Dr. McCarl was chairman of the event.

Eleven-year-old Patricia Bartholf, 14-Q Laurel, planned to Long Beach, Calif., on Monday to spend the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bartholf.

Seen around Greenbelt last week former residents, Mrs. Beverly Carter and her children, Amy and Paul. The family, now living in Watertown, N. Y., are here while Robert Carter attends the national convention of librarians in Washington, D. C.

When Janie Beale and Dolores Merritt took Sophie Abramovitz, 2-H Northway, on a picnic last Thursday, a bevy of young ladies invaded the Abramovitz garden and busily decorated trees and shrubs with balloons and ribbons. Upon Sophie's return, everyone shouted "Surprise"—the occasion—a farewell party. The Abramovitzes are moving to N. Y. at the end of the month. Hostesses were Annette Roberts, Susan King, Judy Bragonje and Bonnie Boykoff. Invited guests were Barbara Chotiner, Naomi Baron, Eileen Ryss and Juanita Yates.

The Cubs of Pack 202 went to Andrews Air Force Base last Saturday. They inspected airplanes and examined the latest in pilot's gear. The boys were invited to eat lunch in the mess hall, and each was given a plastic plane as a remembrance of their visit.

Visiting the Edward Schurrs, 31-D Ridge, are their daughter, Bernice and her husband, Herbert Ezeziel and children, Michael, Jonathan and Judith of Dayton, Ohio. Mr. Schurr's mother, Mrs. Herbert Schurr of N. Y., is also visiting. David Schurr has left for Boeing Air Field, Seattle, Wash., where he will remain during the summer months.

Mrs. Ann Hoff, 71-E Ridge, leaves on Sunday for Yale University, where she will attend the Summer School of Alcohol Studies. Ann, a nurse, is Instructor of Patient and Visitor Education at the Glen Dale Hospital.

Friends and neighbors of Mrs. Florence Ewing, 1-C Gardenway, wish her a very, very happy birthday. Mrs. Ewing celebrated her

89th birthday on Tuesday, June 23. Birthday greetings to Allen Gering, 3-A Gardenway, who had his tenth birthday.

Ten boys from Boy Scout Troop 746 went to their Scoutmaster's farm just outside of Paw Paw, W. Va., for a week's stay. Accompanying them were their Scoutmaster, Mr. Cousins and the assistant Scoutmaster, Harold King. Visiting for a few days were Leonard Wertz and Richard Stover. The boys lived in tents and really roughed it. They cooked for themselves and carried their allotted 10 gallons of well water up a mountain every day. Many of the boys completed part or all of their requirements for First Class. Needless to say, they had a marvelous time.

And don't forget to: Register now for the September election.

So you can have a voice In the selection Of the candidate of your choice. Army Pvt. David L. Fern, 21, whose wife, Nina, lives at 6608 Allegheny Avenue, Takoma Park, Md., recently arrived in Germany and is now a member of the 4th Armored Division. A demolition specialist in Company D of the division's 24th Engineer Battalion in Furth, he entered the Army last December and completed basic training at Fort Hood, Tex. Fern, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence P. Fern, 24 Woodland Way, is a 1956 graduate of High Point High School.

Army 2d Lt. William A. Denson, 26, son of Mrs. Bettie Denson, 13-C Hillside, completed the 17-week primary flight training course June 2 at Camp Gary, Tex. Lt. Denson received training in contact, instrument and night flying. He is a 1950 graduate of Greenbelt High School and a 1958 graduate of the U. S. Military Academy at West Point, N. Y.

POOL HOURS
Starting June 15

WEEKDAYS
12:00 Noon - 4:30 P.M.
5:30 P.M. - 8:30 P.M.

SAT. & SUN.
1:00 P.M. - 5:30 P.M.
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The Long View

By Al Long

"Once upon a time there were three little pigs, a Yorkshire, a Hampshire, and a Berkshire." "Hold on there!" interrupted my South Carolina friend, "One of them pigs is a black pig and the other one a high yaller! You can't have them even going around together, let alone having the black one win."

"Well then how about, once upon a time there were three little pigs, a Yorkshire, and two Durcos?" "Don't go so fast!" he complained, "What color is a Durco pig?" "Sort of reddish brown" I explained, "Ho! Ho! No you don't," he snorted "Them is Indian pigs. I don't like them mixing with white ones either."

"Maybe we shouldn't use regular pigs," I suggested, "How about once upon a time there were three Guinea pigs." "What color?" he suspiciously.

"I don't know exactly. I think some of them are all white."

"Yea, but I don't think we should use foreign pigs like them. That's bad, too."

"Well then I'll change it." I agreed, "Once upon a time there were nine little pigs, three Yorkshire for white kids. Three Berkshires for colored kids and the Hampshires for the mulatto kids. How's that?"

"Well, I dunno," he thought seriously, "maybe you better make it twelve pigs and throw in three Durocs for the Indian kids."

"OK then that's how we'll write it. That will please everyone and we'll sell lots of books."

"Say, I just thought of something" he said, "What color wolf is you going to use. It should be a white wolf I think."

"But," I pointed out "would a white wolf be going around blowing down pig houses? And if he did would it be proper for a white wolf to blow down Berkshire pig houses, and so on? Maybe we better forget the three little pig story and write something else."

Lutheran Bible School Holds Closing Program

The Vacation Bible School of Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 22 Ridge will present a closing program at 7:30 p.m. tonight, at the church. The Rev. Arlo Nau of Annapolis will be the guest speaker.

The Rev. Edward H. Birner, congregation pastor, is spending the week at Lakeland, Fla., as staff member of the Advanced Lutheran Service Volunteer School, an organization devoted to the training of the youth of the church. Robert Trumbule is acting as Vacation Bible School superintendent in Birner's absence.

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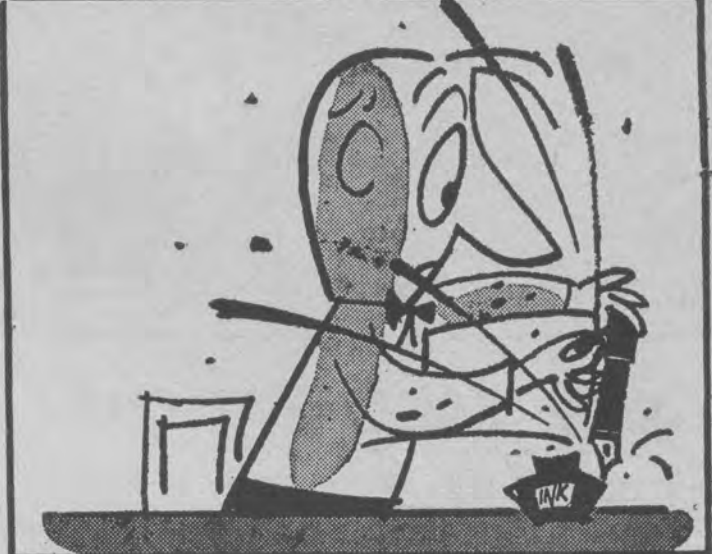
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Those Living Behind Locked Doors

by Rita Fisher

I couldn't let my column go unwritten this month even though I was unable to go to St. Elizabeth's hospital to visit the ladies of Ward CT6. I have obtained some information as to what happened at the monthly party given by our Greenbelt ladies.

The most exciting news to me concerned Miss T. This is a woman who wanted no part of us in months past. This is the woman who yelled at us for coming, who said we had no right to annoy her, who said there was no God. And yet this is the same woman whom I had managed to become a friend to, who started playing Bingo with us, told us about herself, came out of her shell and sat around with the rest of the group. The nurse has told us that Miss T. was even attending her church again. The news came to me this time by Mrs. Bernice Mixon, who is in charge of our group, that Miss T. is no longer a patient in Ward CT 6, behind locked doors. She now is in what is known as an outside ward, that is, unlocked doors. She can leave the ward freely anytime. Of course, confinement is still within the gates of the hospital grounds but she's improving in the right direction. We do not claim to have cured this woman but we do feel that we may have helped to show her the way.

Mrs. Mixon also told me about two of our regular "sitters" (those who usually sit and do not participate) who did play Bingo and start to show an interest in our being there. The one woman who always sat by the door, head down, hands unmoving, was urged by a nurse to play Bingo and she did. Her hands moved slowly to cover the numbers called and she pointed to the prizes she desired when she was eligible for one. Credit should go to the nurse who helped her but also her decision to try to play was gratifying. Another sitter played for the first time and after taking three prizes felt hesitant about the fourth because she didn't want to appear greedy. A minor thing, yet we feel that this is also a step up because the woman is opening her thoughts to a sensitive reaction.

Due to the fact that little Lori Elizabeth Fisher chose to be born on June 13 of this month, I myself was unable to go with the women. Nine ladies made the trip including a certain woman who is a Greenbelter and whom, I'm sorry to say, is leaving for her home in Japan on the 10th of July. This is Mrs. Hisako Soma. She thrilled the patients with her paper work and entertained in many ways. She talked with the women, helped them pick prizes and just won many friends by her visit. Her help was greatly appreciated by everyone. A personal "thank you" Hisako.

Refreshments were served and included the favorite, homemade nut bread sandwiches, candy, punch and coffee. Now coffee may not seem like a treat but from the comments made, it's well received by those living behind locked doors.

Recreation Review

By Warren Leddick

Men's Softball League Standings	W	L
St. Hugh's	8	1
Athletic Club	7	2
L&N Market	4	3
Community Church	2	5
Methodist Church	2	5
Co-op	1	8

With the first half of the league coming to a close, the Co-op team broke into the winners column with a victory over the Community Church. After trailing 11-2 the Co-op team came back in the sixth and seventh innings to win 12-11. John Huffman of the Community Church team belted his second home run of the season. Before a large crowd on Tuesday night St. Hugh's moved into first place by beating the Athletic Club 13-9 in a see-saw battle.

Arts and Crafts Summer Session: Registration will take place on Monday at 9 a.m. in the center for Arts and Crafts classes. Classes will be held regularly on Mondays and Wednesdays in the park area behind the Co-op market from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Registration will take place on Tuesday at 9 a.m. at the North End School for Arts and Crafts. Classes will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at the school from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Special activities will be held on Fridays to include both groups.

Instructors for the classes will be Evelyn Boggs and Charles Bookstrom.

Tennis Lessons: A tennis program is in the forming, but we need an instructor. If you have ever instructed in tennis and would be interested in working part-time this summer, please contact the recreation department. We would like to hold classes during the day for boys and girls. Phone GR. 4-2011.

Babe Ruth League: In a wild high-scoring game at Braden Field on Tuesday morning Dannie Moore's Co-op team kept its winning streak by defeating the previously unbeaten Fire Department team by the score of 15-10. The game was climaxed by Dannie Moore's three hits and Timmy Moore's three RBIs.

The Co-op team is now favored to take the first half, which will earn them the right to play the Northern Virginia Babe Ruth League Champions on July 4 at Braden Field.

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surpassed soon. Nearly everyone who subscribed last season has renewed—proof, no doubt, that Washington is both a discriminating and an opera-conscious city!

The season just concluded, with productions of "The Marriage of Figaro," "The Rake's Progress" and "Falstaff," was, artistically, the most successful to date. In the three years since it was organized, the Opera Society has built a national reputation based on the high quality of its productions.

If you want to subscribe for next season, call the Opera Society at RE. 7-0700. Three outstanding operas are scheduled—Mozart's "Don Giovanni" October 1, 3 and 4; Verdi's "Otello" November 19, 20 and 22; and Debussy's "Pelleas et Melsande" January 22, 24 and 25. Season subscribers receive a 10% discount on the price of individual tickets. They are also assured of the best possible seat locations by ordering tickets now.

Babe Ruth League

By Richard Moss

This year the Babe Ruth League baseball program promises to be an exciting one. Greenbelt's league consists of four teams: Bowling Center, Joe McNally captain; Co-op, Dennis Moore captain; Pharmacy, Bill Willis captain; and Rescue Squad, Paul Hyland captain.

As the week progressed, it became apparent that Co-op and the Rescue Squad are the teams to watch. Each team has an excellent pitcher, Dennis Moore for Co-op and Bob Radcliff for the Rescue Squad. Moore's team lacks a good catcher since Tom Hickey left. David Dalbow does the catching for the Rescue Squad.

The week's games all lead up to Tuesday's play-off for the first place position, between the Rescue Squad and Co-op.

Here are the results of games prior to that:

Rescue Squad 3, Pharmacy 1; Co-op 9, Bowling Center 8; Rescue Squad 6, Bowling Center 1; Co-op 8, Pharmacy 2; Bowling 5, Pharmacy 4.

Tuesday's game was high scoring, slow moving, and three hours long. Co-op led all the time, usually by a large margin, but once only by two runs. The final score was 15 to 10.

The league already has developed some individuals possessing adroitness in their positions. Kenney Powell has pitched a no hit ball game. Dennis Moore and Terry Murray lead in strikeouts, with fourteen and twelve respectively. In batting, Dennis Moore easily leads with a .500 average.



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