# GREENBELT



# COOPERATOR

Greenbelt, Maryland

## **Little Contest** In Primaries

In next Tuesday's state primary elections 325 local residents will be able to go to the polls, although lack of opposition for most offices may discourage many from voting.

At the new Greenbelt polling place, located in the Legion House just south of town, 37 new registrations were recorded Tuesday. Registrations will be open again before the general elections in November.

Heavy Democratic Vote

Greenbelt as well as Prince Georges County is heavily Demo-cratic, with 288 of the local reg-istrations recorded as Democrats, 27 as Republicans and 10 as inde-

pendents.

For the Democrats the primaries next Tuesday will offer little contest. Gov. Herbert O'Conor is unopposed for the Democratic nomination. Only in selecting a congressional representative from the 5th Maryland district is a fight provided. The incumbent, Representative Lansdale G. Sasscer of Upper Marlboro, is running against Ned Waters, a union labor supporter from Berwyn, and Dr. Charles Klemm of Mt. Rainier, who is running for his ninth try at the job. at the job.

No Opposition

Without challenge are the Democratic candidates for State attorney general, the five delegate seats which Prince Georges County has in the Maryland House of Representatives, State Senator from this county, the five county commissioner positions, three judges for the Circuit Court, judge of the Orphans' Court, county treasurer, and the registrar of wills

The Republicans completed their slate only this last Monday.

### Ice Cream Social. Music and Clowns. To Raise Band Cash

An ice cream social with band music and frolicing clowns as feature attractions is to be held on the south lawn of the Elementary School, Sunday evening, September 6.

The first piece of cake and dish or cone of ice cream, 10 cents and 5 cents respectively, can be obtained at 5 p. m., it is stated by Mrs. Lydalu Palmer, head of the ice cream committee. Mrs. Palmer advises an early arrival, "for not only would a good program be missed but every Greenbelter must be sure and get that dish of ice cream and cake before 7 p. m.'

Hartford S. Downs expressed the hope that all Greenbelt will turn out for the big occasion rain or shine. If the weather man is un-cooperative the social and the program of fun and music will be held inside the Auditorium. The proceeds of the social are to be used for securing 17 additional uniforms for the local 65-piece hand directed by Poul Court band, directed by Paul Garrett.

This is the first event of this kind to be held in Greenbelt. There will be no admission charge; all revenue will be derived from the sale of ice cream and

Next Wednesday's concert by the Greenbelt Community Band will be the last of the season in the current series of block concerts. The music will be presented in the early evening at the shopping center. J Block was the recipient of last Wednesday's presentation.

## Voters Here See Greenbelt Softballers Do It Again



Players who helped Greenbelt to its third Prince Georges County championship in four years, reading from left to right: Standing, Emmett Dennard, Al Bowman, Ray Taylor, and Murray Krasnor. Middle row, Bill Blanchard, Ben Goldfaden (manager), Eddie Trumbule, Paul Barnhart, Bill Moore, Curt Barker, and Art Foster. Seated, Jimmie Kitchen (mascot), Johnny Frank (scorer), Dickie Haas (bat boy). Players not in the picture are: George Bauer, Bob Marack, Bill Klepser and Bennet Beale. —Photo by Kasko

### \$300 in Bond Sales **Open Theatre Drive**

Four-year-old Barbara Dawson Four-year-old Barbara Dawson bought a \$50 bond from Town Manager Roy S. Braden as the nation-wide sale of war bonds in moving picture houses opened at the Greenbelt Theater Tuesday night. A total sale of \$300 in bonds and stamps was reported by Mrs. William Kinsley, who presided over the table in the lobby. \$75 of this sum was contributed by the American Legion Postfunds from the sale of the World War I tank which guarded the Legion House before it was sold for scrap last month.

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Citizens who had signed applications in the lobby before the first showing of "Mr. V", were paged to step up to the theater stage to receive their bonds from Mr. Braden. This group included Louise Steinle, Tom Ricker, and Frank Lastner.

Mr. Braden. introduced by

Mr. Braden, introduced by theater manager Jack Fruchman, encouraged everyone to support the men in service by purchasing bonds, and pointed to the splendid record set by the Management Office, whose members have pledged almost 100 per cent to spend one tenth of their salaries on honds. The town employees on bonds. The town employees are now being canvassed, he said, with indications of an even higher percentage pledged. "You saw the 'heil Hitlers' in the picture", he added. "Such a thing could happen here. We free men must do everything in our power to prevent it."

The ceremony opened to the (Continued on Page 3)

#### Swim Pool Closing **Labor Day Evening**

The swimming pool will close for the summer on Labor Day evening. People who still have tickets had better trek on down and grab of a few more sun-beams, as it is a long time until next May, recreation officials warned. The pool will open at 9

a. m. tomorrow, at noon Sunday, and at 11 a. m. Labor Day.

Last month's attendance at the pool fell off to a mere 9,248 people. Bad weather was the

apparent reason. Boating and fishing at the Lake will be discontinued on September 15. These sports have been very popular recently in spite of inclement weather.

## **School Problems Grow Worse As Students Enroll**

With more than 200 new stu-

With more than 200 new students already registered Greenbelt still has no concrete evidence of early relief for its crowded schools. A record enrollment is already conceded.

All high school and elementary school classes open next Wednesday for old and new students alike. Yesterday's registration was for new students only. Kindergarten registration is scheduled for Tuesday morning. September for Tuesday morning, September

Alice Hitchcock will be Alice Hitchcock will be in charge of the kindergarten, with Mrs. Seigworth, Miss Bloomster, and Mrs, Orban teaching the boys and girls who are five years old, or who will be that age by January 1, 1943. Kindergarten registration will be between 9 and 12 a. m. at the Elementary School.

Contract Awarded

Although Federal Works Ad-

Although Federal Works Administration has announced the awarding of contracts for construction of a new elementary school and for an addition to Greenbelt High School, actual construction of the school, actual construction of the school, actual construction of the school and school actual construction. struction has not yet started. Approval from the War Production Board is now being

duction Board is now being awaited.

"A decision is being expected momentarily," Town Manager Roy S, Braden told the Cooperator Wednesday night. "We had expected to have the new school open for the spring term and we are still counting on that, but the time is becoming very short."

Meanwhile difficulties between Prince Georges County officials and FWA have cropped up over the question of funds for school maintenance.

maintenance.

Ever since last April county officials have been seeking to reach an agreement with the FWA concerning the payment to the county of a sum equivalent to taxation of the new homes.

All efforts have been unsuccessful thus far. Thomas W. Baxter, county supervisor of assessments, said Tuesday he planned to write to the FWA to arrange for another meeting shortly.

According to Superintendent of Schools Nicholes Orem to provide

Schools Nicholas Orem, to provide facilities for 200 additional school children in Greenbelt would cost the county \$1,200 a month, at the rate of \$6 per child.

## Labor Day Dance In Center Is Free

Something new under the stars and moon and it's time for Greenbelt to dance in tune.

Director Ben Goldfaden announces that the Recreation Department is sponsoring street dancing to the latest recorded music. An amplifying system will be set up in Roy S. Braden's office window, overlooking the concrete plaza of the Shopping Center, over which will blare the juke music.

According to Mr. Goldfaden

According to Mr. Goldfaden, "There seems to be a need for this sort of recreation in these times of long working hours and the need for economizing on spending for pleasure." The dances will be free.

The weekly street dance prom-Ine weekly street dance promises to be quite an innovation for Greenbelt, and interest in it should be comparable to the Constitution Avenue dances in Washington a couple of years ago, supporters of the plan believe.

Paul Malasi will probably have to hire a helper in the shoe repair shop as the concrete dance floor will definitely not be waxed.

The first dance will be held from

8 to 10 p.m., Labor Day, weather permitting. Due to expected enthusiasm from the younger people the dances will probably be held on Fridays or Saturdays after school starts.

Young and old jitterbugs and jive artists, zoot suits or not, are cordially invited to be in on this concrete rug cutting affair.

#### "Less Talk-More Play" Is G. C. A. Meeting Plan

An inovation evolving from the past three meetings of the Citizens Association executive committee, that of presenting enter-tainment at regular membership meetings will have its inaugur-ation at the first meeting of the season, September 14.

At a meeting August 27, in addition to presenting reports as to success in obtaining talent for to success in obtaining talent for this purpose, the committee decided that the form of the Association meetings would be changed entirely, with the business meeting limited to about an hour, and all business to be brought up by committees handling the matters in question.

## **Adult Classes** Open Sept. 14 For Residents

Ten classes are to be offered in this autumn's adult education program when registration opens Monday evening, September 14, and others may be added if there is sufficient demand.

Mrs. Mary Jane Kinzer, supervisor of the town's - adult education, points out that classes will be concentrated on Monday and Wednesday evenings this year, some meeting in the Elementary School and others in the High School.

#### Classes Are Free

Some of the courses will be of-fered free of charge, while a small fee will be required for others.

Subjects available are listed be-low together with the place:

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Home mechanics, shop, high school; nutrition, home economics room, elementary school; pottery, 21 Parkway; public speaking, room 123, elementary school; sewing, home economics room, elementary school; shorthand 1 and 2, typing room, high school; Spanish, room 222, elementary school; standard first aid, room 123, elementary school; typing 1 and 2, typing room, high school; woodwork, shop, high school.

Other courses will be provided

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Other courses will be provided if as many as 15 persons ask for them. Residents who desire particular subjects not already listed should notify Mrs. Kinzer. Classes in mechanical drawing, radio construction, and similar work are being offered at the Hyattsville and the Bladensburg High Schools and the University of Maryland where the necessary equipment has been installed. Information on these courses is available on request.

Starting at 7:30 Registration for all classes will be 7:30 p. m., a week from Mon-day, in the rooms listed in the schedule above. Classes thereafter will meet Mondays and Wed-nesdays from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m.

Although the town's population Although the town's population has nearly doubled within the last year Mrs. Kinzer does not expect a large increase in adult education enrollment for the coming term. "More people are working this year, and they are working longer hours," she explained. "Many of those who would like to take study courses will be just too tired, but we want to keep the program going for all those who can find the necessary time."

## Beer, Crabs Ready For Tomorrow Night

For \$1.25 plenty of beer and crabs will be available tomorrow night, September 5 at the Legion House on the Glendale Road. The beer and crab feast is an annual affair of American Legion Post

There will be dancing and a program of entertainment in addition to food and drink for those who attend. The opening time is set for 5 p. m., Commander Virgil Estes says.

#### Freeman Wins Legion Job

Thomas R. Freeman, well known local Legionnaire, was elected to the State executive board of the American Legion at the convention held by all Maryland units of the organization in Cumberland last week.

Seven Greenbelters attended this convention and the sessions of this convention and the sessions of the Maryland American Legion Auxiliaries held concurrently. Comdr. Virgil Estes and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gray, Lam-bert Brazina, and Mr. and Mrs. Freeman attended the meeting which lasted from August 25 to 29 inclusive to 29 inclusive.

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#### While Mother Works

There was a time when we frowned at the idea of working mothers in Greenbelt when the father was already providing a livelihood for the family. We wanted the mothers to be with their children. Now conditions have changed, and every mother who can be spared from the kitchen is needed for the office or the workshop.

This brings a shift in the town's fundamental needs. Most important institutions now are schools and nurseries. This fall our school facilities are inadequate. And our only nursery is the little part-time one organized by local mothers to accommodate 15 little boys and girls.

We need a day nursery. It is not something that we would just like to have. It is essential if the mothers here are going to work. And the mothers will have to work in order to meet the labor supply demanded by the increase in production—and to replace the men who are called into the armed services.

Mrs. Kinzer and the Town Administration staff are to be complimented in acting promptly to secure funds which seem to be available for the building, equipping and staffing of day nurseries in defense home areas. Too many things—the hospital for instance—have slipped through our fingers for want of energetic measures.

Already the response from questionnaires turned in to the Administration Office show sufficient interest to merit serious attention for Greenbelt's request. Additional questionnaires should be submitted at once by those families interested, so that our application can be well-based on a complete description of our authentic needs.

### Rationing Convenience

We note that in Montgomery County the rationing boards will now stay open one evening a week. This makes sense to all of us who have wasted precious gas, rubber, and working time running back and forth to Hyattsville and Bladensburg these recent months.

In theory only those employed at essential war work can have extra allotments of gasoline and tires or retreads, but the rationing boards in Prince Georges County maintain the usual 8 to 5 o'clock hours, closing at noon on Saturday. The only way those entitled to extra ration benefits have been able to apply for and secure their needs is by taking time off from that essential job they are supposed to have.

We know of one Greenbelt applicant for gasoline who is employed at a war plant in Virginia. His hours are such that the ration board has not yet opened shop when he goes to work in the morning, and has already closed up when he comes home at night. Not knowing the hours or even the location of the board he stopped by the County Service Building three times, was toold to go to the Bladensburg School, then made a special trip on leave from work to the school only to find that the books were given out there but application blanks were to be obtained at the County Service Building. By the time he reached that building the board had gone home for the day. All in all he made six trips, three requiring time off from work and special trips which used up six gallons of that preciouos gasoline which the rationing was to conserve.

Now we are more accustomed too the arrangements. We know the ropes and can take a few short-cuts, but the hours of the board is still inconvenient for most of us who work. This is war and we do not expect everything to be perfect. We are not criticizing the rationing program. We approve of it as the democratic way to see that every one has a fair share of the scarce goods during the war. We want to see rationing extended to some of the other hardto-find commodities. We do see a need, however, for taking a few kinks out of the arrangements which have been provided. All possible steps should be taken by Federal and local authorities to see that the rationing system is put into operation with widespread publicity on the hours and location of the boards, as well as procedure for application, and the system should be designed for the convenience of the consumers, not the convenience of the rationing board.

## Morning Air Raid Test Finds Local Corps Working Smoothly

By PHIL WEXLER
The air-raid test in Greenbelt

last Tuesday morning was another feather in the cap of our Defense Corps, all units reporting: "No incident . . . everything going along fine." People on their way to work, and all cars, were stopped immediately. Residents outside their homes went into the stores or into nearby homes. It's a nice way to get acquainted and meet some of your neighbors—or is it? All wardens were at their posts—or so I heard, but the raid definitely showed the need for more fire and police help during daytime raids Many residents expressed the opinion that the raid might have een more fruitful to O. Washington had it been held during the late afternoon when people were returning from work inple were returning from work instead of during the early hours of the morning. Well, folks, let's mark that up to experience and let it go at that. After all, the O. C. D. is trying to determine the weaknesses of the civilian defense organization so that corrective measures may be taken to insure proper ures may be taken to insure proper protection in times of actual emer-gency. Our cascade telephone system inside Greenbelt, established to contact necessary officials of the Defense Corps, works like a charm. All chiefs were notified and were ready at their posts when the actual "alarm" did sound. The Medical Emergency Service has estab-lished a bulletin board with remov-able pegs for members of that unit to indicate their presence on duty,

or whereabouts at all times.

Blood Bank
People interested in contributing to the Blood Bank in Washington are requested to make appointments sooner, as Mrs. Harris has to notify the Hyattsville Motor Corps in advance regarding the number of residents going in. Another thing: trips to the Blood Bank will be made at intervals of two weeks, from now on, in order to save gasoline and rubber.

After some haggling and contradictory reports, O. C. D. has finally announced that it favors the "jet" method of fighting bombs rather than the "spray." New instructions read: (1) Bring fire fighting equipment to the scene as soon as bomb strikes; (2) Shoot jet of water on bomb and take cover while doing this for there will probably be a burst of flame and scattering of molten metal caused by force of the jet; (3) Use jet quickly to put out remains of bomb and incidental fires caused by it; (4) Be certain all fires are out before you leave the scene; (5) Use coarse spray only where scattering of metal must be avoided—e. g., if bomb falls near inflammable materials, and (6) Use sand only if a bomb falls where it is not likely to start a fire, or if water is not available.

Women's Clubs Help Defense

Women's Clubs Help Defense The Women's Club will have a table in the food store beginning next Wednesday, September 9, in order to receive all applications for registration for civilian defense work here in Greenbelt that have not been turned in as yet. All people interested are requested to make sure that their applications are turned in that week. This will enable us to get the whole corps moving toward proper training.

#### Defense Classes To Start

Mrs. Mary Jane Kinzer, in charge of the adult education program, has announced classes in defense training for the near future. A nutrition class for new students will meet every Monday and a Red Cross first-aid class for beginners will meet every Wednesday. All interested will please get in touch with Mrs. Kinzer at the administration office during the day. Further details concerning these courses and others sponsored by the adult education department can be found elsewhere in the Cooperator. Comdr. Rysticken announces specialized courses for each defense unit to begin in the very near future will be compulsory for each member of the unit who has not, as yet, received such training.

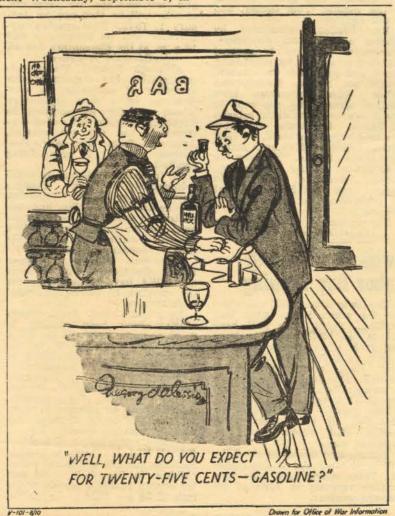
Mass Meetings Planned for Corps
A plan is now being formulated whereby all defense workers in Greenbelt will be able to attend a mass meeting about once a month to discuss our defense work in general. General instructions and specific explainations to defense workers and to any one of the general public who may care to attend these meetings, will be given regarding the methods used in defense work and the means of personal and public protection employed in times of raids.

New Appointment to Corps
Mr. Thomas Jeffries, general
manager of the Greenbelt Food
Store, has been appointed chief of
communications of the Defense
Corps. His duties will be to receive and relay messages to and
from the county defense boards
and control centers. He will also
receive messages from the air-raid
wardens in Greenbelt via the hand
phones soon to be exhibited and
tested—and will, in turn, pass
these messages to the controller
who will dispatch men and equipment in coordination with Defense
Corps chiefs.

"It Ain't What You Wear..."

It's the way that you wear it—
that seems to be bothering the
Navy Department concerning
clothes for its WAVES. The Navy
seems to be content in regulating
the clothes of the Women's Auxiliary Volunteers—that can be seen
and whether a WAVE wears a
silk girdle or cotton underwear,
sleeps in pajamas or a night gown
depends upon her personal desires
—and whether she thinks she will
look good in them.

Put your rookie dollars to work. Buy War Bonds and Stamps.



#### Community Church

The Reverend Wilmer Pierce Johnston has returned from his vacation and will occupy the Community Church pulpit again Sunday morning. His sermon subject will be "The Quest For Life". The reorganized choir, under the leadership of the new director, Walter Slocomb, Jr., will furnish the music.

The Junior Church, after a lapse for the summer, will begin again. All members of the Junior Church are requested to be present.

The Church School will meet at 9:30 a, m. All children of the community are invited to attend. Classes are provided for all ages, with four classes for adults.

Sunday evening at 8:30 the finance committee will meet at the Pastor's study at 8-B Parkway.

Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 p. m. the Women's Guild will meet with Mrs. Orville Slye at 6-T Hillside Road. At this meeting final arrangements will be made for the annual meeting dinner to be served in the Elementary School at 6:30, September 24. "All members and friends of the church are invited to attend this meeting." Mrs. D. Neff, the president, said.

Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. the regular midweek service will be held. This meeting is held partly for the benefit of those who cannot attend the regular Sunday

morning services.

Rev. Johnston, in his annual visits to the membership of the church will call the week beginning September 6, upon those members living on Westway and on Crescent Road between Westway and Southway. Those members of the church who live in this vicinity may expect a call from Mr. Johnston some evening between 6:30 and 9:30.

### Hebrew Congregation

The Hebrew Congregation will hold its services tonight and hereafter in the social room of the Elementary School instead of the music room inasmuch as the musi room is being converted into a class room.

a class room.

Final plans for High Holy Day services will be announced tonight and the first of a series of planned programs of entertainment will be introduced tonight. Refreshments will be served, and the evening will be climaxed with a drawing for a door prize donated by one of the members of the Congregation.

## To the Editor---

Protesting The Chimes

To the Editor:
Please print the following open
letter to the Rev. Irving D.

This is an official protest against the unwarranted noise emanating from the school house every Sunday morning, and as respectfully as possible under the circumstances, I request that this disturbing of the public peace

Some weeks ago I telephoned your residence and ventured the opinion that this clarion invasion of the privacy of a man's home served to deprive him of much needed rest; for who can sleep with that monotonous dong, dong (scale higher) dong, dong, (one lower) dong, dong, (repeat), ad infinitum. You led me to believe that the "chimes" would be at least softened in tonal quality. At the same time you expressed considerable surprise that a protest should be forthcoming, stating it was the first of its kind.

I doubt this. But if it be true then I am unique. But even in these times the minority should be considered.

At any rate more than one here in Greenbelt works late at night. And like myself, many serve as aircraft spotters on the roof, voluntarily breaking their precious rest for the public good. To these people Sunday morning is a day sacred—for rest. If an outside agency violates the privacy of these one in seven mornings, breaking and entering as it were, uninvited, unasked, into a man's own home, then this outside agency is naturally resented.

breaking and entering as it were, uninvited, unasked, into a man's own home, then this outside agency is naturally resented.

If then, you say the noise is for the benefit of those who are up at the crack of dawn (after a good full night's sleep), anxiously awaiting the bells that will send them into the chapel—well, if this be so why not restrict the noise within the chapel for the sole benefit of those who want

After all, Sunday is the Lord's day, and not for Man to disturb.

—Joseph R. Fitzpatrick

## OUR

By SALLY MEREDITH

Next week brings school again, with changed household schedules

with changed household schedules for the rest of the year.

Happy birthday to you: Ann Vachon, who celebrated her fourth birthday Tuesday, with many of her little friends "partying" with her.—Herbert Cooper, who also celebrated his fourth birthday, Monday, with a party at the lake. Eight little guests helped clean up on cake, jello, sandwiches, et cetera, and I hear the ducks had quite a feast, too.

cetera, and I hear the ducks had quite a feast, too.

Rev. Wilmer Pierce Johnston returned from his month's vacation in Virginia. At Delaplane, Virginia, he delivered a sermon, as he has done annualy since the first sermon he ever preached. When he made his regular weekly visit to the Cooperator office. Rev. visit to the Cooperator office, Rev. Johnston introduced Walter Slocomb, Jr., who is to be the new Community Church Choir director.

(See Community Church News.)
Mrs. James R. Johnston, 14-D
Ridge Road, recently entertained
co-workers of the Soil Conserco-workers of the Soil Conservation Service, an organization that is contributing much to the war effort at the Beltsville Research Center. Included in her guests were Marjorie Warren, Jacqueline Collier, Lucille Kantzler and Irene M. Lewis.—Returning with the Abraham Chasanows from Chicago Sunday were Mrs. Claire Warner and Patsy Dunbar. Claire Warner and Patsy Dunbar.
Mrs. Warner left to return to
Philadelphia Tuesday, via Washington and Baltimore, in both of which places she plans to visit

Bob McClary, former Cooperator staff member, arrived from Oregon this week to visit his aunt, Mrs. Clara Martin.—Mrs. Harry Polakoff's sister, Miss Rhoda Gold-berg, is here for two weeks from New York.—Bill Kinzer returned this week from the summer's vacation he took at a New England camp. I hear that while there he climbed Mount Marcy.—The Philip Wexlers expect to be visited this weekend by a friend from New York, William Galaga.—Mrs. Freeman Morgan has just returned to her home at 2-A Ridge Road after a 2½ month visit with relatives in Michigan.—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ricker are in New York for a few days of vacation.

Greenbelt has everything! Now it's a night-blooming cereus. The Al Arnesses have one that bloomed Monday night. It would be just my luck, if I had one, to sleep while the thing bloomed.

Thought for the Week Department: Let's make every week a

ment: Let's make every week a \$300 week in the theater's War Savings Bond sales. The men who are witnessing and experiencing death in less safe spots of the world would be glad to know that we're helping to buy tanks, planes and guns to make the whole horrible affair cease a little sooner.

### One Year Ago

(From the Cooperator of (From the Cooperator of September 5, 1941)
Greenbelt's third annual Town Fair drew 3,000 visitors; the Garden Club won the trophy for the best exhibit, and David R. Steinle took top honors for the most beautiful home grounds in town.—Greenbelt voters approached the Town Council elections with a choice of 14 candidates.—A Cooperator inquiry into the construction of the new defense construction of the new defense homes showed that many corners were cut in an effort to lower the costs to \$3545 per unit compared with \$5400 per unit for the orig-inal houses built here.—The Folk Dancers squared off for the begin-ning of another season.—Music boomed as the Feeder Band opened registrations, and plans for a stringed orchestra were an-nounced.

#### Red Cross Swim Awards Presented To Beginners

In the last group of swimming classes of the year at the pool 28 boys and girls won certificates.

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Swimmers certificates go to:
Fred Reed, Dick Meyers, Harold
Slusserr, Billy Turner, Sumner
Cragin, James Carneal, Paul
Strickler, Kaywin Knox and
Bobbie Richardson; intermediate
awards wil be given to: Conrad
Roland, Leon Coggin, Allen
Arness, Paul Lung, Joan Therrell,
Helen Ritter, Harvey Ritter, Billy
Neff, Roland Taylor, Nancy Moore,
Ruth Arness and Noel Merrian;
while the following beginners will
receive awards: Mary Ruth Megill, receive awards: Mary Ruth Megill, Betsy Hartley, Janice Grimm, Patsy Kling, Patsy Keck, Jack Campbell, and Ronald Taylor.

## Stanleigh Inn NEIGHBORS Edges Shamrocks Tourney; Bow 2-1 5-4; Picco Stars

Riverdale, August 30-The Riverdale, August 30—Ine Shamrocks can not seem to break away from losing habits and suffered their third straight league loss, when they bowed to the big, likeable, lefthanded Johnny Flynn and his Riverdale cohorts, 5 to 4.

Joe Todd had a miserable day behind the plate, and his inability to field his position was a bitter

to field his position was a bitter handicap to his mates. The fighting little receiver was in no fit shape to play. He was suffering from a severe cold that should have kept him abed.

Flynn struck out 12 Shamrocks, the first six he faced, and gen-erally hurled fine baseball. He was just a shade better than Ernie Boggs, who fanned seven and walked three. Both flingers gave up four hits. Among them were two doubles off Boggs and a screeching three run homer off

Flynn.

Picco Socks Homer

Stanleigh Inn scored first and, up to the sixth inning, had a 5 to 1 lead. At that point the genial Doctor Flynn walked Wayne Davis, with one out; pitched a pretty single to Bill Moore; and served up one that Skipper-Johnny Picco liked well enough to blast. Picco liked well enough to blast far over the car tracks in left field for a home run. From there on the Shamrocks never got to first base.

Two former high-grade minor leaguers, Harry Bassin and Fred "Knocky" Thomas, jumped on Boggs for Stanleigh Inn's extra-

Good Fielding Picco played a grand game at third base, handling eight chances. His throwing arm need not apologize to any in the league. Bobby Lewis filled in ably for Jerry Geyer at shortstop. His best play was when he dashed into short leftfield to haul down Blair Hamel's near "Texas leaguer" and turned it into a double play with a long throw to first base.

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Greenbelt ABR H PO A Lewis, ss.
Andrus, cf. 3 0 0 0
Davis, 2b. 3 1 0 0
Moore, 1b. 4 1 1 14
Picco, 3b. 4 1 2 0
McDonald, lf. 4 0 0 0
Todd, c. 2 0 0 7
Labukas, rf. 2 1 1 0 Labukas, rf. Zerwick, rf. Boggs, p. \*Breed

TOTALS: 30 4 4 24 14
\*Batted for Todd in the ninth.
Stanleigh Inn AB R H PO A Thomas, c. 4
Braddock, ss. 3
Goode, 1b. 4
Bassin, cf. 4 Dansb'er, 3b. Aquilino, lf. Cohill, lf. 0 Hamel, 2b. 0 0 Flynn, p.

TOTALS: 29 5 4 27 11 001 003 000-4 Greenbelt Stanleigh Inn 010 220 00 x—5
Runs batted in—Boggs, Picco
3, Bassin 3, Bassin and Dansburg-

er scored on errors in the 4th in-ning. Two base hits—Thomas, Bassin, Home run—Picco. Stolen bases — Braddock, Aquilino.
Double plays—Lewis to Moore,
Hamel to Thomas. Left on bases— Greenbelt 4, Stanleigh Inn 3. First base on balls—off Boggs 3, off Flynn 4. Struck out—by Boggs 7, by Flynn 12. Wild pitch—Boggs. Passed balls—Todd 2. Umpire-Baker.

\$300 In Bonds

(Continued from Page 1) strains of "God Bless America" as two Legionnaires and two sailors, who symbolized all Greenbelt men in the service, marched down the aisles with the colors and formed a guard of honor at each side of the stage. Virgil Estes, Lambert Brezina, Charles Dunbar and William Nyhoff were aboven. and William Nyhoff were chosen for this assignment. Playing of the National Anthem concluded the bond sale ceremony.

## Reps Out of City To Surf Club Ten

Washington Softball Stadium, August 28—Our Prince Georges County league champs were elim-inated from further play in the Washington Softy tournament by the Surf Club ten, which club has now beaten the Reps four times now beauth this season. Tough Loss

Curt Barker pitched spendid ball for the second night in a row and well deserved better fate. He held the favored Surfmen to but five hits in the eight inning fiasco. Ironically the winning run romped home while Barker was throwing

Aquilino out at first base.

Bill Blanchard, with a well hit triple, and Ben Goldfaden, who banged out two hits, were the offensive stars for Greenbelt.

Greenbelt ABR H PO A E Blanchard, 2b. 3 0 1 3 2 0 Krasnor, ss. 4 0 0 1 0 0 Moore, 1b. 2 0 0 12 0 1 Krasnor, ss. 4 0
Moore, 1b. 3 0
Goldfaden, 3b. 4 0
Taylor, sf. 3 0 Barker, p.
Foster, rf.
Bauer, cf.
Barnhart, lf.
Bowman, c.
\*Dennard 0 2 1 0 0 4 2 0 0 0 0

\*Ran for Bowman.

Surf Club AB R H PO A
Baldwin, cf. 3 1 1 1 0
Boswell, rf. 0 0 0 1 0
Cooksey, rf. 2 0 0 1 0
Zanelotti, ss. 3 0 1 1 2
Walsh, lf. 3 0 1 0 0
Harrell, sf. 3 0 0 9 0
Harrell, sf. 3 0 0 0 1
Larrick, 3b. 3 1 1 0 1
Collins, 2b. 2 0 1 0 2
Gelbert, c. 2 0 0 5 0 Gelbert, c. Aquilino, c. Bluhm, p. Sullivan, p. 0 0

5 24 TOTALS: 28 2 Surf Club Greenbelt Runs batted in —Boswell, Aquilino, Bowman, Two base hit—Larrick. Three base hits—Blanchard, Baldwin. First base on balls

—off Barker 1, off Bluhm 4, off Sullivan 3. Struck out—by Barker 2, by Bluhm 3, by Sullivan 8. Left on bases—Greenbelt 12, Surf Club 4. Winning pitcher— Sullivan. Umpires—Malm and Silverman.

#### Swimming Meet Closes

Pool Classes for Summer The swimming meet held at the pool last Friday was the last event for the children who were the swimming classes all

summer. Donald Brewer and Harry Benefiel were applauded for their fine fancy diving exhibitions. Joe Lewis, Rene Ward, Frank Sipes and Sumner Craggin drew hearty laughter for their many and various comic dives.

Defense stamps were awarded the winners on a basis of points.

the winners on a basis of points they scored.

Special attraction before the meet was run off was the under-water swimming of 9-year-old Conrad Roland. The youngster navigated the width of the pool submerged.

Results of the meet are listed

below:
Beginners' Class—Barbara Le-

Beginners' Class—Barbara Lehan, 6 years, 5 points; Joan Moore, 8 years, 3 points; Shirley Morrison, 9 years, 1 point; Mary Louise Moore, 9 years, 1 point; Mary Louise Moore, 9 years, 1 point.

Intermediates—Conrad Roehing, 9 years, 10 points; Noel Meriam, 8 years, 6 points; Paul Lung, 9 years, 2 points.

Swimmers—Barbara Runyon, 9 points; Doris Lehman, 8 points; Nancy Nagle, 5 points; Marie Sansone, 5 points; Rene Ward, 10 points; Sumner Craggin, 8 points; Harry Benefiel, 5 points; Paul Strickler, 10 points; James Herbert, 7 points; Buddy Belton, 7 points; Frank Sipes, 6 points; Mahlon Eshbaugh, 13 points; Le Grand Benefiel, 11 points; H. M. Goode, 3 points. Goode, 3 points.

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## Reps Trounce G. P. O. Barker, Blanchard Spark 9-3 Victory

Washington Softball Stadium, August 27—The Reps spotted the Government Printing Office Bind-ers to three runs in the first frame and then proceeded to bind up the Binders in subsequent innings, finally winning 9 to 3.

Blanchard Gets Four Each Rep hit safely once, with the exception of Murray Krasnor, while Antelope Bill Blanchard was blithely running out four straight bingles, one a triple.

After his shaky start, Curt Barker settled down in stingy manner and hand-cuffed the Binders all the way. He struck out an average of two men an inning and walked four while giv-ing up but five hits.

Greenbelt AB R H PO A E Blanchard, 2b. 4 1 4 0 0 0 0 Marack, If. 3 1 1 0 0 0 Moore, 1b. 2 1 1 6 0 0 Goldfaden, 3b. 3 1 1 0 1 0 Taylor, sf. 0 Barker, p. Krasnor, ss. 3 0 3 1 0 Foster, rf. 0 Bauer, cf. Bowman, c.

TOTALS: 28 9 12 21 G. P. O. AB R H PO A
Caponiti, 1b. 3 1 1 7 0
Henderson, 2b. 1 1 0 0 2
Heller, 3b. 3 0 0 2 1
Robinson, sf. 3 1 2 1 0
Annan, rf. 2 0 1 1 0
H. Tomas, cf. 3 0 0 1 0
F. Tomas, lf. 2 0 0 1 0
Tillev. ss. 3 0 1 2 1 F. Tomas, 12.
Tilley, ss. 3 0 1 2 1
Robertson, c. 3 0 0 2 1
Robertson, p. 2 0 0 1 2
Rossler, p. 2 0 0 1 7 TOTALS: 25 3 5 18 7

G. P. O. Binders 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 Greenbelt 0 2 2 2 3 0 x 9 Runs batted in—Marack, Taylor 2, Barker 2, Goldfaden, Blanchard 2, Robinson 2, Annan. Two base hit—Tilley. Three base hits—Blanchard, Robinson. Sacrifices—Marack, Moore, Taylor 2. Double play—Moore (Unassisted) First base on balls—off Barker 4, off Roesler 0. Struck out—by Barker Roesler 0. Struck out—by Barker 14, by Roesler 1. Umpires—Clark and Davidson.

#### Shamrock **Batting Averages**

Name	AB	R	H 2	ь	36	H	Rb	i AV
Moore	78	13	29	3	1	0	22	.371
Zerwick	35	9	13	2	1	0	7	.371
Geyer	65	11	21	1	0	1	11	.32
Davis	81	11	26	2	2	0	15	.32
Barker	40	8	13	1	0	0	5	.32
Goldf'n	70	9	22	3	3	0	10	.314
Lewis	47	9	14	0	1	0	5	.298
Boggs	82	14	24	3	1	0	9	.293
Picco	28	3	8	0	0	1	8	.289
Breed	54	6	14	3	0	0	11	.259
Andrus	79	18	20	3	2	0	10	.253
Todd	70	4	17	0	0	0	10	.243
McDon.	62	13	12	2	0	0	4	.194
Labukas	20	5	3	0	0	0	2	.150

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## **Blanchard Wins**; **Rest of Tourney Nearing Finals**

The men's singles portion of the Greenbelt Recreation Depart-ment tennis tournament is finished. Bill Blanchard successfully defended the title he has held since Greenbelt began playing tennis four years ago.

The rangy, blond speedster had little difficulty in reaching the finals, disposing of such players as Freeman Morgan, Wallace Sherertz, and Paul Hennessey. The latter pair were able to get but one game a set in their matches.

Meanwhile Cliff Pierce was trimming Leroy Clark, Sol Lebo-witz, and Ben Goldfaden to earn the right to oppose Blanchard. Top-Notch Tennis

The champ started fast, running up a 5-1 lead in the first set. Cliff Pierce dug in at this point, and put on display some of the finest tennis ever seen locally, to take a 6-5 advantage. Mr. Blanchard wasn't to be denied though, and copped four of the next five games to win 9-7. next five games to win 9-7.

The second set pretty well followed service until they reached a 4 all deadlock, when Cliff's serve was broken and Bill took his own to win 6-4, game, set, match, and tourney.

Other singles matches found Paul Hennessey trimming Steve Comings 7-5, 6-0 and Ben Gold-faden on the long end of 6-2, 6-3 scores against Joe Sheriff. These victors were the semi-finalists heaten by Blanchard and Pierce beaten by Blanchard and Pierce respectively. Leroy Clark and Paul Hennes-

Leroy Clark and Paul Hennessey earned the right to play the Joe Sheriff, Bill Moore tandem in the semi-finals, men's doubles by beating Steve Comings and Wallace Sherertz 2-6, 6-4, 6-3. Bob Porter and Cliff Pierce defeated Art Plackett and Sol Lebowitz 6-1 and 7-5

6-1 and 7-5.

Jean Burton was beaten 6-2 and 7-5 by Lucy Sherertz, who will play Marion Moore for the right to meet Ann Martone in the

Ora Donaghue and Ben Gold-faden were beaten by Jean Burton and Paul Hennessey, after Burton and Paul Hennessey, after vigorous play, 8-6, 1-6, and 8-6. Lucy and Wallace Sherertz proved too steady for Marion and Bill Moore and won 6-4, 3-6 and 7-5. Lois Bowman and Bill Blanchard won by default from Steve Comings and Pat Wurl.

Tomorrow, Sunday and Labor Day should wind up the tourney, or at least determine finalists in the remaining three divisions.

#### FIFTH ANNIVERSARY

Greenbelt will celebrate the fifth anniversary of its existence in October. The first family to move into town, the Julian M. Ashleys, left just two weeks ago.

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## **Beltsville Show Welcomes Local Garden Experts**

Gardeners who last week mourned the demise of Greenbelt's annual Town Fair can now smile again and begin selecting choice vegetables and prize flowers for the third annual Beltsville Grange Flower and Vegetable Show. Tuesday, September 8, is the date for the show which will be held in the Beltsville Grange Hall on the grounds of the Experimental Farm.

The Greenbelt Band will the selection of t

The Greenbelt Band will play as an attraction on the program. Cars are needed for transportation of the players and their instru-ments. Any drivers volunteering may phone Linden S. Dodson or meet at the Elementary School Tuesday at 7:30. The cars will make the three-mile trip in a

There will be cash prizes awarded for choice vegetable and flower exhibits. Entries may be made upon arrival at the door of the Grange Hall at 7:30 or shortly thereafter.

The hall, a white structure with green trim, may be reached by following the Beltsville Road which runs off of Edmonston Road past the Greenbelt Disposal Plant, and bearing to the right in approaching the first buildings of the Experimental Farm.

#### Trail Riders Enjoy First Two Outings

A riding club, The Indian Creek Trail Riders, has been organized Trail Riders, has been organized to provide company for those interested in riding and to maintain and extend trails, Linden S. Dodson, 2-G Gardenway Road, announced this week. This club represents a new activity open to residents of Greenbelt.

The club has already held two rides and now has a membership of 11. The first ride was held Sunday, August 23 and the second the following Sunday. Members meet at the High School at 4 p. m. every Sunday and the rides usually take about 2 hours, though a ride to the Patuxent River—about 16 miles—is being planned. about 16 miles—is being planned. Most of the trails are between Good Luck Road and Beltsville.

Good Luck Road and Beltsville.

Each male member of the club has volunteered to maintain a mile of trail, clearing underbrush and blazing extensions. This work may be done by the member himself or he may hire it done.

Mr. Dodson and S. Russell Whipp of Beltsville are the co-chairmen and Mrs. F. Motherhead of Berwyn is the secretary-treasurer. A leader is selected for each ride, to choose the trail and set the pace. Membership is open to anyone who rides and pays quarterly dues of \$1.50.

Hunt up your boots and saddles!

#### Picco Supervises Archery For Young Enthusiasts

Boys and girls have been enjoying archery all summer, under the instruction of Mr. Johnny Picco, Recreation Director Ben Goldfaden reports. The big ringed target has been set up almost daily, except during the ferquent bad weather spells, with the boys and girls alternating days at Robin Hood's sport. Robin Hood's sport.

It was recently decided by the

Recreation Department to sponsor a tournament for the youngsters. As this paper goes to press Batty Bell and Franklyn Sipes are outscoring the following bow and arow artists: Mary Cashman, Helen Ward, Virginia Gomo, Patsy Sherertz, Martha Likens, Frank and George Bauer, Harry and Le Grand Benefiel, Mahlon Eshbaugh, Junior Cashman, and Buddy Belton.

Girls are shooting at 10 a.m. Recreation Department to sponsor

Girls are shooting at 10 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, while the boys toe the mark every day at 1:30 p. m.

## **Classified Ads**

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#### New Handball Doubles Series Starts Sunday

Interest in the recent handball singles tourney, which crowned Dave Goffen champ, ran so high that plans have been drawn up for a series of games involving twoman teams.

There are sixteen doubles teams entered. They are divided into A

and B sections, eight teams each. The team in each section, which has the highest win percentage after playing all seven of its opponents, will play off for the doubles title.

Sunday morning will find the following named handballers playing: Perlzweig and White vs. Barnett and Durry, Grable and Tretter vs. Terkeltaub and Tivin, Luboff and Trattler vs. Carson

and P. Wexler, Eisner and Machiz vs. Feig and L. Wexler in Section A games. Markfield and Steinman vs. Fleisher and Weinerman, Quinn and Black vs. Di Janni and Berkofsky, Knott and Tepper vs. Goffen and Loeb, Polakoff and Chinitz vs. Weiner and Schaeffer in Section B games.

Put your rookie dollars to work. Buy War Bonds and Stamps.

#### Choir Rehearsal Called

The first Community Church choir rehearsal of this season will be held at the home of Lt. W. R. Neblett, 1-C Southway Road, at 8 p.m., Friday, September 4. All former members are urged to be present so as to start the season off right. Any one interested in joining the choir, is requested to contact W. J. Slocomb, 5-D Parkway Road, or call Greenbelt 6251.

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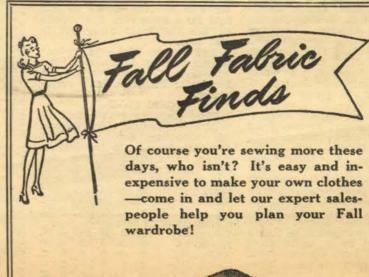
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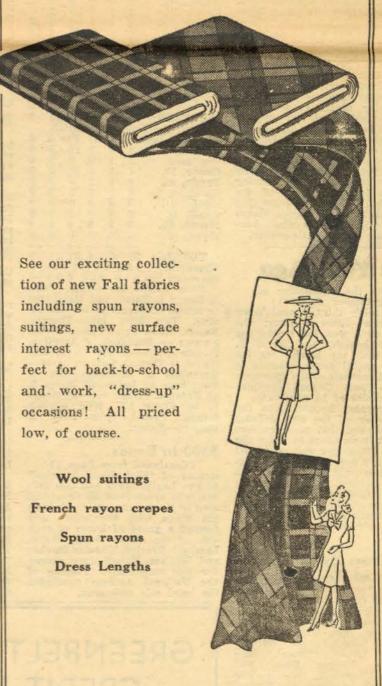


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