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All Fools' Edition

Five Cents

Be Routed Through Center

Offers Pretzel Service



Pleased residents appreciate the new "pretzel service" offered by the GCS bus. Starting from the Center, the bus goes up Southway, right on Ridge, then swoops down Crescent, turning right on 'Garden-way. Thence left on Ridge and counter-clockwise around the "North Every other trip the schedule is reversed.

"This way no one knows exactly where they'll wind up when they get on," states Bus Manager Winteringham. "It makes for animated

"We Have No Delinquency Here"

"We have no juvenile delinquency in Greenbelt, no adult delinquency, and no senile delinquency," Police Chief Panagoulis stated this week in an exclusive interview.

"Squawks From The Aux"

(A new column devoted exclusively to the activities of women's clubs in Greenbelt)

The Greenbelt Man's Club Aux

(known until recently as the Greenbelt Woman's Club) dis-cussed the possibility at their last

meeting of a drive a week for Some Good Cause. The ladies finally concluded, "With daily drives already in pro-

gress, we're licked before we start."

The hostess's family ate left-over refreshments for days.

The UPWA Aux met Thursday day to discuss the possibility of a petition a week urging the passage

The ladies finally concluded,

'With daily petitions already in

progress, we're licked before we

A unanimous resolution was passed condemning the refresh-

The Izaak Walton Aux met Thursday to discuss the possibility of a National Week to Conserve

The ladies finally settled for a

"With daily talkfests and gossip

National Save Your Breath to Cool Your Porridge Week.

sessions so well supported," con-cluded the ladies, "How much en-ergy would be conserved on a na-

tional scale, if we all just quit talking. A lot of porridge would be cooled, anyhow."

To carry out the theme of the meeting, bowls of hot cereal were

The American Legion Aux. met Thursday. The speaker was de-licious and the refreshments truly interesting. Tasteful decorations

of after-dinner mints adorned the

cious as could be, and they wore

~ The AVC Aux met Thursday. he speaker . . . ! The refresh-

The speaker . . . ! The refreshments . . . ! ! And the co-host-esses ! ! !

As the speaker ate all the refreshments, the meeting broke up

The hostesses were just as gra-

of Some Vital Legislation.

ments and all the speakers.

Something.

served to all.

the cutest hats.

in a high dudgeon.

"It's pretty tame here. A few skunks, a few brush fires, a few minor accidents. That's all. I'm thinking of running a guide service around town in my spare moments. Mr. Gobbel has given permission for the patrol cars to be used for this purpose."

As the chief spoke, shrill cries were heard across the way as a band of juvenile delinquents, easily identified by large tags bearing their names and addresses, started to demolish the Drop-Inn. The purposeful steps of a hatchet murderer were heard crunching across the parking lot in the general direction of Parkway. A masked intruder ran screaming from an apartment on Crescent Road.

"If you'll excuse me . . . a routine inspection," murmured the chief. "Don't forget, anything you've seen or heard is strictly off the record."

Policeman Flees Laundry Hideout

Tenants of Crescent Road apartments have organized a protective posse as a result of a disturbance occurring this week in one of the basement laundries.

As reported to the Cooperator by an unusually unreliable source, an unidentified policeman roused sleeping residents by crashing into an electric dryer in one of the apartment basements, and was seen to flee on foot in the direction of the police station, pursued closely by a masked figure who had been interrupted while washing some laundry.

By the time the aroused inhabitants reached the basement nothing was to be seen except dryer poles, several recently-laundered masks, and a bottle of bleaching fluid. It is thought that the masks will be of little use as clues to the intruder's identity, as they are of several sizes and shapes.

"Maybe there's more than one intruder," suggested one worried vigilante, "and this one just does the washing for them.'

What Goes On?? Friday, March 28—Joint High and Elementary PTA meets at the firehouse. Topic: "Why don't we keep our children at home and avoid all these extra meet-

Saturday, March 29-Asusual, several affairs have been scheduled this evening. Rival organizations are glar-ing at each other's ticket

Sunday, March 30—Tennis and "Sunday morning at the Legion" for pagans.

Monday, March 31—Ameri-

can Legion and American Veterans Committee to discuss "Common Problems of the Veteran." Neutral spot, near Center, to be decided by joint committee.

Tuesday, April 1 — Baby Sitters Amalgamated to discuss special rates for washing dishes, reading bedtime stories. Gun Club meets Ath-

letic Club at twenty paces. Wednesday, April 2—Gym Night for all those over

Thursday, April 3—Greenbelt Grizzlies to meet the "Caps," Uline Arena, 9 p. m.

Crusades Against **Fellow Travelers**



Judge Thomas Freeman this week called upon Greenbelt to fight "the growing menace of fellow travelers."

"Every time I pick up the Co-operator," snapped the Judge, "I find another prominent citizen has joined their ranks. First it was our mayor and town mana-ger, then Sam Ashelman. Th's has got to stop. With all these fellows busy traveling, community functions are in danger of coming to a halt."

Council Meets To Approve Decision; GCS, Zoning Group Add Their Okays

FPHA General Field Office Director Oliver Winston, in an exclusive interview with the Cooperator yesterday afternoon, announced that the new six-lane super-highway would be routed directly through the town center.

"We here in the General Field Office realized how worried you folks were at the thought of a super-highway going through your backyards, so we thought we'd do you the favor of routing it through your business center. It will do a lot for your town. We always have the best interests of you people at heart."

The Zoning Committee recently The Zoning Committee recently appointed by the Council seemed

Baltimore.'

The Greenbelt Town Council met last night to approve FPHA's announced intention of running the super-highway through the town

"It's about time the Field Office was realizing our civic pride," stated Mayor Bauer. "This will really put us on the map."
Reporter's Slant Noted

A diversion in the meeting was created by the arrival of a Cooperator reporter, who walked in at an angle of approximately 45

"Watch out, your bias is show-ing," Councilman Dunbar stated. The reporter quickly righted her-

Mayor Takes Junket Towards the close of the session an unidentified councilman drew attention to the bulge in Mayor

Bauer's pocket.
"Is it a speech, George?" he asked.

"Haven't you read in the paper about how I take junkets?" quer-ied the mayor. "I used to object to them, but now I take them all the time. I sure did enjoy that one I took to Chicago with you, Jim."

The mayor then fished a pint container from his pocket full of what appeared to be a white rennet dessert. As Councilmen Rogers, Dunbar, Cain, and Morrison looked on, Mr. Bauer found a spoon in his vest pocket and proceeded to eat the junket.

"We beg your pardon, George," stated Mr. Dunbar. "Usually we don't believe a thing unless we see it in the Athletic Club News first."

Push Liquor Store Under Underpasses

The "Committee of 18" this week came up with a scheme for zoning any future liquor stores in the vicinity of the underpasses.
"Greenbelt residents have all no-

ticed how hard the underpasses are for women pushing baby carriages. The grades are terrific. We feel like furnishing mother a chance a little perore sne starts that long uphill trip."

Landscape Gardener Angus Mac-Gregor was in full accord with the zoning committee's plan. "It would encourage more people to go by way of the underpasses instead of cutting across sodded and seeded areas," he said hopefully.

East Plugs Highway Lots Sherrod East, president of the Greenbelt Mutual Housing Associa-

tion, predicted that lots along the super-highway would be much sought-after.

full of approbation, when inter-

rull of approbation, when interviewed, on the score of the new super-highway route.

"It will make our task much easier," was the consensus of opinion among the 18. "There'll be no question now about where the business centers should be located.

We'll really be a "belt" town now, on a belt between Washington and

Sam Going Out For Hot Dog Concession

Sam Ashelman, Greenbelt Con-sumer Services general manager, said he "welcomed the opportunity

created by the new highway of go-

ing after the exclusive right to erect hot dog stands along the right of way."

"There's nothing like a Co-op Red Label hot dog smothered in Co-op Red Label mustard, enclosed

in a hot Co-op Red Label roll, with Co-op Red Label pickles, Co-op

Red Label sauerkraut, and Co-op op Red Label relish on the side," he stated, to a Cooperator reporter

who was so biased she almost fell

East also announced a plan to facilitate the disengaging of separate houses from multi-family units. "So much mud has been slung at mutual housing," he said, "that we

have a considerable stockpile laid up. The tough, adhesive qualities of the local adobe are well-known. It would provide excellent insulation for any unit which is moved out of its original line-up, and would furnish the necessary but-

Free Barbecue Beer And Bingo

President Robert Davenport has announced for the next meeting of the Citizens Association a gala barbecue, with beer and bingo. "It will all be on the house," he remarked.

Upon further questioning Mr. Davenport added that the Association was interested in getting a crowd out so as not to embarrass the guest speakers for the occa-President Truman and J. Edgar Hoover, FBI Director.

Run-Down Theater Has First-Run Pix

According to Theater Manager Linson, he has secured permission direct from Samuel Goldwyn to elevate the Greenbelt theater to "first-run" status. Linson plans to run "The Best Years of Our Lives"

Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, to be followed by "Duel in the Sun" Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. At the same time Mr. Linson announced that beginning Monday, admission to the theater will be free. "The theater is so badly in need of repairs and renovation," he stated, "that we feel it is unfair to charge patrons for frequenting it."

Parents whose children chew candy in their neighbors' ears, or carry on by wailing and shouting, however, will be fined \$5 per of-

This money will be used to defray the expense of a theater nursery where parents can dump their children.

Disarms Hatchet Murderer



Plateau Place housewife snatches a deadly weapon from the of a prowler, who stands aghast at her daring. "I allus knew this grasp of a prowler, who stands aghast at her daring. was a woman's town," he was growling as the photographer snapped

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April Fool!

The staff struggled in vain this year against the temptation of running an April Fool issue. We all suffer from taking ourselves too seriously at times. Here's hoping you all let loose and laugh with us.

We've tried to scatter our shots widely so that no one needs to feel hurt at being left out. We even took cracks

at ourselves, you'll notice.

It's just human nature to forget that the Cooperator is purely a volunteer project. The only guys who get paid are the delivery boys. As the sole town-wide paper, we feel our responsibility to cover the news to the best of our ability. At the same time we get awfully tired of being called on the carpet for minor slip-ups. We stay up till 2 o'clock Wednesday mornings and till midnight on Wednesdays and Thursdays struggling with this tabloid. We worry about it all week, every week.

So you might say this April Fool issue helped the staff

blow off a little steam, too.

Help Wanted-Urgent

We really do feel we owe the Greenbelt Grizzlies an apology. Through a bad oversight, we omitted special mention of their county semi-finals game at the University of Maryland last Saturday.

It seems the boys have done all right this year, and they haven't liked the scanty coverage we've given them.

This brings us back to how badly we need a sports editor, someone to keep an eye on the main sporting events and to nudge us when we go leaving them off the calendar or burying them in inconspicuous places. You don't find volunteer sports editors under every cabbage leaf, though.

We never were the sporting type ourselves. Went in for folk dancing and tumbling instead of basketball. Wouldn't know the difference between a hockey stick and a baseball bat if someone conked us on the head with one. Sorry,

that's how it is, kids.

Cub Pack Meets April

The next meeting of the Cub Pack 202 will be held in the home economics room of the Center School April 2 at 8 p. m. Parents and Cubbers are urged to turn out for this Pack meeting.

B'nai B'rith Elections

The next regular meeting of the B'nai B'rith women of Greenbelt will be held on April 2, at the home of Mrs. A. Mitteldorf, 14-X Ridge Road, at 8:30 p. m. Officers will be elected for the coming year and refreshments will be served.

Contributions for the Supplies Survivors Overseas Clothing Drive will be accepted up to April 10. Anyone having clothes

AVC Membership Drive

The next regular meeting of the American Veterans Committee wi'l be held Wednesday, April 2, at 8:30 p. m. at the home of Samuel Ringel, 13-J Hillside Road. Plans will be made for the coming national convention and for a membership

Hot Old Time Saturday

Old Time Dances are being resumed at the American Legion Home. The first dance will be held Saturday, March 29. ing will be from 9:30 until 1 to the music of Faulconer's Band.

to give may bring them to Mrs. Sam Stutz, 14-Z Ridge Road, or call 5311 for the key to the locker.

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NEIGHBORS

By DOROTHY McGEE

Phone 3667 The crocuses in Mrs. Neff's yard at 3-D Ridge Road did not wait for spring to make their appearance. More than weeks ago they poked their heads up through the ground that was still wet with the traces of the last

Up at the north end of town, in the yard of Mrs. Roy Colburn at 6-T Plateau Place, the brightly colored crocuses, no less lovely for being later, waited until last Sunday to be coaxed into bloom by the

first day of spring.

James B. Kindler, 29-A Ridge
Road left by plane last Friday for
a trip to California, Alaska and

Florida.

Mrs. Frances Miller, 10-B Pla-teau Place, has been enjoying a week's visit from her mother, Mrs. Rose Berger of Philadelphia. Three-year-old Bette Miller parted with her tonsils at a Washington hospital on Tuesday.

A son, Dennis, was born to Mr. and Mrs. George "Pat" Morse, 36-J Ridge Road at Doctors Hospital on March 11. Mrs. John Groger has come from her home in Milwaukee to welcome her new grandson and to visit with baby Dennis' sister, Mary Beth and brother, Bobby.

Clarence Van Deusen with his two sons, of 2-A Ridge Road, left by plane last Friday for California where the family will make its home. Mrs. Van Deusen is staying with her sister in Washington.

Mrs. Sarah Bass returned to her home in Paterson, New Jersey on Wednesday after spending a week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bass, 5-B Park-

There are two new families in number 2 court Laurel Hill Road. We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Philip LaMacchia, former Greenbelters, of 2-F Laurel Hill Road and Mr. and Mrs. Mague of 2-J Laurel Hill Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Burns, 59-H Ridge Road, announce the birth of their third child, a son named Dana Michael at Leland Memorial Hospital on March 18.

Patients at Leland Memorial Hospital this past week have been Mrs. Doris Barnes, 40-F Crescent Road and Mrs. Joseph H. Story, Jr. of 2-H Research Road. Mrs. Story works at the candy counter in the Variety Store.

Eight year old Lenore Rajala, 55-E Ridge Road, entertained at dinner on Monday night. Present were Carol Kenny, Kay Key, Debbie Hull, Sandra Dilno and Len-

ore's brother, Dennis. Mr. and Mrs. John Pack, 11-G Laurel Hill Road had as their house guest last weekend, Glenn Conklin of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., now stationed at the Patuxent River Naval Base. He was a close friend Mr. Pack's during the time the latter served in the navy.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Swann, Jr. of 61-F Ridge Road at Leland Memorial Hospital

on March 21. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Turner of York, Pa. spent last weekend as

the house guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Turner, 2-F Northway. Mr. and Mrs. William Townsend, Jr., of 8-B Research Road, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son and first child, Mark

William, born March 26. Mr. and Mrs. William J. Kellaher, 8-C Ridge Road, announce the birth of a daughter, Marie Therese at Leland Memorial Hospital on March 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Salzman and their son, Gil, of 56-B Crescent Road motored today to New York for the weekend.

An 8 lb. 10 oz. daughter was born March 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hieber, 35-D Ridge Road at the Leland Memorial Hospital. Baby Janet Elaine has a big sis-

ter Marion and a brother, Tommy. Mr. and Mrs. Presley C. Lips-comb of 2-G Research Road are being congratulated on the birth of a son, Jeffery Ray, born March 14 at the Bethesda Naval Hospital. Two months premature,

Community Church

Saturday, March 29-10:30 a. m.—Junior Choir Re-hearsal led by Mrs. Wiksell and

Mrs. Rhodes. Sunday, March 30, Palm Sunday-9:30 a. m.—Church School, Thomas Berry, Superintendent. 10:00 a. m.—Men's Bible Class,

Rolfe Sauls, President.

10 a. m.—Pastor's Class.

10 a. m.—Church Nursery.

11 a m.—Church Worship, welcome to all. Special choral and solo music, directed by Thomas Ritchie, with Mrs. Daniel Neff at the organ. The service will include the Sacrament of Baptism, Confirmation of children and re-

ception of adult members.
7:30 p. m.—Joint Fellowship
Youth Meeting at George and Vir-Neumann's, 71-H Ridge

8 p. m.—Graham Hodges, Promotion Director for the Church World Service Center at New Windsor, Maryland, will speak at an evening program at the center school auditorium. Subject, "Overseas Relief" with special reference to the plight of children.

A short movie, "Seeds of Des-tiny," will be shown during the will be shown during the evening. The movie is recommended for adults only.

Tuesday, April 1— 2 p. m.—Women's Guild will at Mrs. Elmer Goodwin's, 8-K Laurel Hill. Wednesday, April 2— 8 p. m.—Choir rehearsal.

Thursday, April 3— 8 p. m.—Holy Thursday Com-munion. A candlelight service.

Friday, April 4-12 to 3 p. m., Good Friday-"The

Seven Last Words," a continuous service of 7 twenty-minute sections. Sections will be led by the following ministers:

Rev. John McClelland, Silver Spring Congregational Church; Rev. J. Edward Kidder, Berwyn Presbyterian Church; Rev. Eric T. Braund; Rev. Roy H. Stetler, Jr., Cheverly Community Church; Rev. Eldon W. Koch, Berwyn Baptist Church; Rev. Chester Craig, Greenbelt Methodist Church; Rev. William P. Anna, Beltsville Episcopal Church.

People are invited to observe Good Friday by attending a part or all of this service. There will be organ and vocal music in each

section.

Easter Sunrise Service will be held at 5:45 a. m. near center school. Speaker, Chaplain Allan Reed, USN, U. S. Naval Receiving Station, Washington. Music by the Greenbelt Band.

James McCarl, son of Dr. and Mrs. McCarl, now stationed with theU. S. Army in Yokosuka, Japan, where he serves as assistant to a Navy dentist, donated funds for the purchase of a set of flower vases and a brass cross for the church altar, and Warner Sallman's picture, "The Good Shep-

Church Of Jesus Christ Of Latter Day Saints

The Greenbelt Branch has recently been reorganized. The new Branch President is F. Richard Stuart and his counselors are Percy H. Andros and L. Preston Blatter. The Branch Clerk is Jay O. Ander-

On Sunday, March 30, the guest speaker is Elder Milton A. Barlow, formerly of the Washington Ward Bishopric. Special musical numbers have been arranged and everyone is invited to attend. rament Service is held at 6:30 p. m. Sunday evening in the social room of the center school. No collections are taken.

now tips the scales at 2 lbs., 11 oz. and is doing very well.

Patti Plackett is leaving tomorrow for Syracuse, N. Y. where she will spend two weeks with her grandmother who has been in Greenbelt for a month looking after Dickie, Patti's new brother. Mrs. Ben Rosenzweig, with her

sons Ira and Michael, of 4-E Crescent Road, returned home Monday after spending the week-end in New York.

Catholic Church

Sunday Masses: 7:30 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. in the Greenbelt theater; 7 a.m., 9 a.m., 10:30 a.m., and 11:45 at Berwyn.

Confessions: Saturday from 7:30 to 9 p. m. at 10-B Parkway in Greenbelt. Saturday at Berwyn from 3 to 5 p. m. and from 7:30 to

Novena Devotions: at Berwyn every Wednesday evening at 8

Choir practice will be held every Sunday morning immediately following the 9:30 mass.

Lutheran Church

March 29-

2:00 p. m.—Confirmation class meets with Rev. E. E. Pieplow at the home of Mr. L. A. Johnson, 3-L Ridge Road. March 30-

11:30 a. m.—Sunday school class and adult Bible class in the home economics room of the center

1:00 p. m.-Confirmation service in the auditorium of the center a short address entitled "The Cross for Victory over Forgetful-ness." The following young Rev. Pieplow will deliver ness." The following young people will formally join the church: Anna Boteler, Janet Cerwin, Margaret and Vera Garner, Ronald Henderson, Ida Holien, Duane Leifur, Mary Michaud, Caroline Queen, Roland Franklin and Roland Don Taylor, and Ralph Townshend.

8:30 p. m.-Choir rehearsal at the home of Mrs. Holien. April 2

8:00 p. m.—Lydia Circle meeting the home of Mrs. Allen Plitt, 11-C Hillside Road.

Mowatt Memorial Methodist Church

Pastor, Rev. Chester Craig 6007 Baltimore Ave. Riverdale, Md. Union 1658

Palm Sunday, March 30-Church School, 9:45 a. m.; Morning Worship, 11 a. m.; Evening Worship, 8 p. m. Reception of new members at morning service. Cantata at evening service by the Perkins Chapel Choir under the direction of Mr. Hawes.

Week of Evangelism-Services at 8 p. m. each night (From Palm Sunday till Easter Sunday): March 31, Rev. Eric Braund; April 1, Rev. W. Beckett; April 2, Rev. James A. Burris; April 3, Rev. W. W. Sylvester; April 4, Rev. D. W. Justice. Everyone is welcome.

Hebrew Services

The Jewish Community Center announces that beginning this Friday, March 28, and every Friday thereafter, Rabbi Morris A. Sandhaus will conduct religious services Room 201, center school, at

Following services, the Rabbi will give a sermon followed by congregation discussion. The sermon for March 28 will be "The Great Sabbath—Shabbus Hagadol." All are welcome.

Rabbi Begins Work

Rabbi Morris A. Sandhaus began his official duties today under the sponsorship of the Jewish Community Center. Rabbi and Sandhaus and their two children, Carolyn Esther, 6, and Samuel Kenneth, 4 months old, live at 4-H Crescent Road. Rabbi Sandhaus is a graduate of

Mesifta Talmudical Academy, College of the City of New York, Columbia University, and Harvard Chaplain School. He is at present employed as assistant chief of personnel in the Chaplaincy Service of the Veterans Administration. From 1935 to 1944, Rabbi Sandhaus was principal of the Hebrew National Orphans Home in Yonkers, New York, and then became rabbi for the Congregation Sons of Israel of Yonkers.

He entered the U.S. Army in July, 1942, as a lieutenant, and was honorably discharged in January of 1945 with the rank of major. saw service in England, France, Belgium, Holland and Germany.



The GHS boys' and girls' basketball teams will enter the finals for the State Basketball Championship title tomorrow evening, March 29, starting at 7 p. m. at Ritchie Coliseum. Both teams will meet Easton High school teams.

Last Saturday afternoon the GHS teams won the Class C Western Shore Championship at the Maryland University Armory. The Western Shore region includes high schools from fourteen Maryland counties. These games were land counties. These games were also the semi-finals for the State Championship title.

The boys got off to a slow start-last Saturday afternoon but came through in fine style defeating Brunswick High 52-36. Cragin and Benefiel led the scoring for the local team with 20 and 18 points respectively. At the first half the score was 20-16 in GHS's favor. Cragin scored only 2 points in the first half while Benefiel scored 15 of the first twenty points, but Cragin tore lose during the last half of the game, giving GHS its overwhelming lead. The girls finally nosed out the

Boonsboro High gals by a score of 35-31 in an overtime period. Esther Wolfe, 9th grader, was high scorer with 13 points and Jane Johnson followed with 12 points.

Mrs. Cannoles Joins Health Assn. Staff

Mrs. Carroll Cannoles of 3-F Plateau Place is the new nurse at the Health Association.

A graduate of Fairview Hospital, Minnesota, Mrs. Cannoles has been on general duty at Johns Hopkins for the past year. She served in the Army Nurse Corps from Feb-ruary 1945 to March 1946.

Mrs. Cannoles' husband is studying at the University of Maryland under the provisions of the GI Bill

Mrs. Cannoles takes the place of Mrs. Jean Bowlen, who has moved into Washington while her daughter attends Catholic University.

GHS Champs Feted March 28, 1947 GREENBELT COOPERATOR

Paul Linson, manager of the Greenbelt Theater, has invited the GHS boys' and girls' basketball teams to the nine o'clock Sunday evening show. The members of the teams and their coaches Emma

for the past three years, feted the local champs at the Varsity Grill in College Park Tuesday night. Steak and all the trimmings were served the local athletes.

night to celebrate their winning the county championship. Coach Zeldin, Harry Powers, manager, John Mowatt and Leo Slaughter, assistant managers and High School principal Speicher were also pres-

white and the center-piece a miniature basketball court with pasteboard figures of each player in his

Jr. High Girls On Top

Last Friday afternoon, the Jr. High girls won their last basketball game of the season 33-14 against the Beltsville Jr. High girls.

Mabel Vicker, captain, was high scorer with 15 points while Barbara Neher of the visitors followed with 10. The Greenbelt team consisted of Mabel Vickers, Betty Oldham, Mary Jane McWilliams, Beverly Werz, Norma Kerns, Ann Walker, Shirley Morrison, Betty Longanecker, Marie Vickers, Mary Allen, Carol Day and Mary Dindle-

Little Theater **Presents Comedy**

The American Legion Little Theatre has completed casting for its forthcoming production "This Thing Called Love," a three-act comedy by Edwin Burke. Directed by Charles Hutsler, the play will be presented April 7 and 8 at the center school auditorium. Stage Manager Howard Moritz reports that the scenery flats have been constructed and painted.

This Little Theatre movement,

sponsored by American Legion Post 136 of Greenbelt, is meant to be a community activity. Every-one interested in Little Theatre work is invited to participate. Anyone interested in acting is asked to contact Mr. Hutsler 6053, and those interest in props or scenery should call Mr. Moritz.

A benefit evening of table-tennis and basketball has been scheduled for April 5 in the Center gym. Sponsored by the Athletic Club, the proceeds will go to the Rescue

Both AC and Drop-Inn stars will

Labor Zionist Group Meets Saturday Night

Carl Allentuck of Washington will address the Labor Zionist Group of Greenbelt at the home of Dr. A. Kramer, 30-D Crescent Road, Saturday evening, March 29 at 8:30 p. m. His topic will be 'The Underground in Palestine.' An informal discussion will follow everyone.

Easter Egg Hunt

On Easter Monday, April 7, the Recreation Department will hold its sixth annual Easter Egg Hunt. The children of kindergarten age through the second grade will have their hunt from 9:30 to 12 with the third to sixth grades coming down from 1 to 3:30. Each group will meet in front of the swimming pool to receive instructions.

Prizes will be awarded to the child in each group with the most eggs. Prizes will be awarded to the one who finds certain prize eggs, and to the one with the prettiest basket. Egg rolling and egg shelling are again being planned.



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In an exciting game last Thursday night at Men's Gym, the Terps downed the Chiefs to gain first place in the second half of the men's recreation basketball league. This brings them up against the Ironmen, first half winners, in the

Terps Down Chiefs

Greenbelt Loses

To Rockville Girls The Greenbelt Women's basket-ball team lost out in the semi-

finals of the Rockville Invitational Tournament, losing to the Rock-ville girls 36-24. Winners in a pre-

liminary game with the Sherwood team, the Greenbelt Women took

on Rockville, three time before a

victim of the local team, only to

team, and though they didn't suc-

ceed in bringing home a cup, they won twelve of their eighteen

games played.

This closed the season for the

ose when a title was at stake.

championship bout.

Teddy Fox led the scoring with seven baskets and 1 freebie for a total of 15, and Stanley Provost followed with 8. Van Note and Mothershead shared honors for the Chiefs with 7 and 6 each.

Badminton Champ

On Wednesday, March 19, Delor-es Davidson won the champion badminton title of an elimination tournament held during Women's

Gym.

The ladies voted to have a group outing for the last gym session of the season. Those present voted to go to dinner out-of-town and then to a show on Wednesday,

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R. Ely and Jack Zeldin, will be introduced to the audience.

Jack Fruchtman, as he has done

Mrs. Leon G. Benefiel enter-tained the boys' team at her home, 60-B Crescent Road, last Saturday

The color scheme was green and

Buddy Attick Will M. C. Stunt Night

Buddy Attick of the Greenbelt Police will serve as master of ceremonies for the High School Stunt Night which will be held tonight in the elementary school auditorium at 8 p. m.

Organizations participating by presenting skits are "Drop-Inn," Greenbelt Consumer Service, Athletic Club, Greenbelt Theatre Group, Woman's Club, American Legion, Greenbelt Girl Scouts, Berwyn Girl Scouts, and Beltsville Women's Club. The Greenbelt band will perform with majorettes.

Judges for the competition will be Mrs. Wesley Darling, Rev. Eric T. Braund, Mayor George Bauer, John W. McKay of Berwyn and C. A. Logan of Beltsville.

Refreshments will be sold in the social room.

Greenbelt Sale Requires Cash

The cause of the Greenbelt Mutual Housing Association received a blow recently when the House Banking and Currency Committee and the House Appropriation Com-mittee decided that cash should be required for the purchase of any housing units constructed with Lanham Act funds. New Greenbelt is included in permanent war housing affected by this decision.

Dillon S. Myer, FPHA commissioner, announced that he would abide by the recommendation, but pointed out that it would have two harmful effects. It would narrow the field of potential buyers and therefore lower the price which the government could ob-It would work an especial hardship on the present occupants if they wanted to buy their homes and were unable to pay cash.

Over seven hundred dollars has been collected to date in the Greenbelt Red Cross drive under the chairmanship of Mrs. James This means Greenbelt has gone over the quota of \$600, and the results are not yet entirely tabulated.

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Friday, March 28—High School PTA Stunt Night, 8 m., center school audi-

Saturday, March 29-Community Church bake sale, 10 a. m., drugstore. Old Time Dance, Legion Home, 9:30 to 1:00. High basketball teams play in state finals, Ritchie

Coliseum, 7 p. m. Sunday, March 30—Overseas relief meeting for adults, "Seeds of Destiny." Movie, center auditorium, 8 p. m.
Monday, March 31—Special meeting to consider

Board of Directors for Youth Center.

Tuesday, April 1 - Open meeting on anti-labor legislation, Home Economics Room, center school, 8:15 p. m., sponsored by UPWA Auxili-

wednesday, April 2—Easter vacation starts 1 p. m. and ends April 9. Izaak Wal-

number of the suggestions aimed at improving GCS services to the managers of the various departments. The meeting also heard an announcement regarding the Wakefield Dairy which is serving Greenbelt with milk at a lower price than other companies. The Wakefield Dairy furnishes this service through the Potomac Cooperative Federation.

The Sitters League formed by UPWA Auxiliary members reports that the dues which it collected paid for a \$10 CARE package sent to the Varsovie Hospital for Spanish Loyalists in Toulouse, France.

Executive officers were elected the March 6 meeting. Rose Rothchild was re-elected president; Dorothy Spindel, vice-president; Ruth Shifrin, recording secretary; Roslyn Borsky, corresponding secretary, and Helen Salzman, treas-

The Council passed a resolution at its last meeting offering aid to any church group in laying a

ton League, 8:30 p. m., room Russell Nixon Speaks On Anti-Labor Legislation The UPWA Auxiliary will hold an open meeting to rally support against anti-labor legislation currently receiving consideration in Congress. Russell Nixon, national legislative representative of the UPWA, is scheduled to be the principal speaker. The meeting will be held April 1 in the home economics room at the Center school, 8:15 p. m. At the last meeting of the UPWA held March 6, Rachel Garner, consumer aide and dietician GCS, discussed comparative prices at the Greenbelt and neighboring food stores. Miss Garner indicated that she would forward a

Exhibit Next Week Four Greenbelt artists will ex-

hibit their work at the Isadore Parker home, 45-J Ridge Road, the week of April 6. The exhibit will open the afternoon of the sixth at 3 p. m. and will be on view every evening from 8 to 10 till April 12.

Mr. Parker, Ben Abramowitz, Sophie Cohen and Charles Shinn are the artists who will be showing their work locally. The paintings will not be for sale.

Mr. Parker stated that the artists chose to exhibit their works in his home since there are no facilities in town for such an exhibit.

AVC Auxiliary Card Party

At the last meeting of the American Veterans Committee Auxiliary, final plans were made for the bridge and gin rummy party which will be held in the social room of the center school, on Saturday, April 26. Mrs. Martha Fisher is chairman of the party committee, which includes Mrs. May Haut, Mrs. Estelle Dolgoff, and Mrs. Dorothy McGee

and Mrs. Dorothy McGee.

Mrs. Sam Roach was appointed chairman of the welfare commit-

Mrs. Dorothy McGee gave a talk on "Art in the Home" and led the discussion which followed.

Walton League Meets

The Greenbelt chapter of the Izaak Walton League will hold its regular meeting next Wednesday night at 8 p. m. in room 223 of the center school.

Immediately after the meeting the newly organized woman's auxiliary will serve refreshments in social room to members and their wives and friends. Da will follow the refreshments. Dancing

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Mrs. Zuccaro Dies

Anthony Zuccaro, 16-E Crescent Road, died Tuesday, March 18 at Leland Memorial Hospital after a long illness. The funeral took place in Boston, Mass. Mrs. Zuccaro was a resident in Greenbelt since her marriage two and a half years ago. She leaves a husband here and her parents, sisters and brothers who live in

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