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Council Authorizes Left Turn From Centerway Into Co-op Lot

By Mary Louise Williamson

City council at its regular Monday night meeting voted 3-2 for a left turn from Centerway into the Co-op parking lot, and 3-2 to make a study of the role of the Personnel Board to the council.

The left-turn decision is a reversal of the position held by the Advisory Planning Board that the dangers involved are greater than the advantage to the driving shopper. Center businessmen Abe Chasanow and Charles Walton strongly suggested that Center businesses have suffered for lack of convenience of the left-turn in question.

Mrs. Rita Fisher proposed a plan which would route traffic into the east parking lot from both Centerway and Crescent and would exit all traffic onto Parkway rd. Champion noted that this plan had been turned down by the Advisory Planning Board because of the truck traffic which would have to use the residential Parkway rd. Phillips moved to allow the left turn, the motion was seconded by White and passed 3-2 with Champion and Canning voting no.

Personnel Board

Council accepted the resignation of William Rowland, 5 Greenway, from the Personnel Board. It was noted that two more vacancies on the Board will occur in May. Goldfaden moved to make a study of the role of the Personnel board to council before appointing a replacement for Rowland. Champion objected stating the charter spells out that the Board determine its own role. On a roll call vote Goldfaden's motion passed 3-2 with Councilmen Canning and Champion voting no. Mayor White expressed the majority opinion saying the members of the Board had felt there were some "gray" areas that needed clarification and that council should study the situation. Champion noted that this very problem is now under thorough study by the Board and that they would best be aided by having their full complement of five members as soon as possible. Champion then "in accordance with the Charter" placed on next meetings agenda the appointment of a replacement to the Board.

Recreation Advisory Board

Bud Dean, Chairman of the Recreation Advisory Committee, read the report of the Recreation Advisory Committee concerning the "Relationship of the RAC to the Teen Club Program." Council accepted the report and placed it on the agenda for the next meeting. Prior to that meeting council will meet with members of the R.A.C. to discuss possible changes in resolutions and ordinances concerning the Teen Club Advisory Board.

Swimming Pool

Manager Giese, in his report to council, gave a series of recommendations concerning swimming pool rates and repairs. With some minor changes in the rates increased, council accepted the manager's recommendations. New rates will be: resident adult \$.75, resident child \$.40, non-resident adult \$1.25, non-resident child \$.75, family plans unchanged.

These increases, based on last year's figures, should provide an additional \$1125 in income. The remainder of the report concerns planning for renovation of the pool and methods of financing such renovation. The manager suggested the present rate of income could cover a ten-year loan for the roughly \$30,000 it may cost. Council directed Giese to go ahead with renovation ideas.

Prepaid Taxes

A letter was received from Royal D. Brashears, General Manager of Greenbelt Homes, Inc. requesting a discount or refund on prepaid taxes. By prepaying the taxes,

GHI is giving the city funds which it could otherwise invest. The receipt of these funds reduces the amount of money which the City must borrow in anticipation of tax revenues for which the city must pay interest.

Councilman Dave Champion noted that last November the city treasurer was directed to study the situation and see what other Maryland municipalities are doing in this regard. Champion also noted that discounting prepaid taxes would be a radical departure from standard procedure.

Councilman Ben Goldfaden suggested that the Manager and City Treasurer work out their recommendations and report to council by budget time.

Petitions and requests from citizens all concerned street lights, 48 court Ridge and 9 court Ridge both requested placing of a street light in each of their service courts. Mr. Singer, a resident of Laurel Hill, reported to council that a walk of the inner walkway from North End School to the Center showed 13 street lights of which only three were lit. Council directed City Manager James Giese to look into the situations. (Citizens should report directly to Pepco any off street lights not lit.)

Lakecrest Sidewalks

The developer of Lakecrest subdivision requested a waiver to allow him to build a sidewalk along the upper side of Lakeside Drive extended where he felt it was not required by a city ordinance. The developer felt a side walk along Lakeside would be of greater safety value than in the four cul-de-sacs for which the ordinance does require sidewalks.

Council felt it questionable as to whether or not sidewalks would be required on both the north and south sides of Lakeside. City manager Giese was directed to make further study and bring his recommendations to council.

Miscellany

Champion introduced for first reading an ordinance authorizing the disbursement of funds from the Special Public Building Construction Fund to pay for the preparation of preliminary plans by the architects of the municipal building.

A resolution was passed to transfer funds from Other Executive Salaries Account to Planning and Zoning for the preparation and reproduction of a current city map.

A petition for construction of a basketball court for the Lakewood and Woodland Hills area was discussed and turned over to the city manager for final decision on location of the court.

St. Hugh's Drama Group

St. Hugh's CYO Drama Workshop will present two one-act plays at the Greenbelt Youth Center this Sunday at 3 p.m.

The first play, "The Prettiest Girl in Town", parallels the story of Cinderella - with the heroine, Rhoda Trueblood, vying with her relatives for the attention of Prince Charming. The cast includes Mike Loftus, John Haslinger, Mary Canning, Mary Barcus, Carol Hahn, Rick and Kris Skillman, Tim Hadenfield, and Marilyn Morris.

The second play, "Brigid and the Parade" is a short dedication to the Irish and St. Patrick. In the cast are Janie Brooks, Lorraine Alexander, Marianne Hill, Margaret Wiser, and Carol Hahn.

Tickets can be obtained by calling Rick Skillman, GR 4-9428.

WHAT GOES ON

Thursday, March 7, 7:45 p.m., GDC Board meeting: GHI Office.

Thursday, March 7, 8 p.m., Lakewood Citizen's Association meeting; Firehouse; Guest Speaker - Mr. Giese.

Friday, March 8, 8:30 p.m., Duplicate Bridge; Co-op hospitality room.

Thursday, March 14, 7:45 p.m., Regular GHI meeting.

Million Dollar Replacement Bill Foreseen Facing GHI

Two reports received last week by the Greenbelt Homes, Inc. board of directors forewarned of a critical repair and replacement problem facing the housing corporation. General Manager Roy Brashears, in a report dealing with contingency reserves, cited a list of anticipated replacement items that could cost the corporation an estimated \$1,000,000 within the next few years. A report of the maintenance committee emphasized the deterioration of the plumbing in the frame homes and recommended that the maintenance, management, and finance staff make a comprehensive survey of replacement needs and costs and prepare a definite plan for making and financing the replacements.

Brashears listed the following critical items and the estimated costs of replacement:

Water and heating lines	\$750,000
Flat roofs (brick)	70,000
Roofs (frame)	30,000
Roofs - garages	20,000
Fuel tanks	70,000
Flue and refractors (brick)	60,000
	\$1,000,000

He suggested that a funded reserve account be established for each of the above projects. He pointed out that the present contingency reserve account, which is not earmarked for specific projects, now totals only \$189,800.

He suggested that a priority schedule be set up for these projects after reviewing the costs and degree of urgency and that amounts be transferred from the contingency account for these specific projects. In this manner, he said, members will have a better understanding of what the contingency reserves are for and the corporation will have a better idea of how much in monthly charges will be needed for building up the reserves.

Local Twirler Named Champ

Pat Newkirk, aged 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roland E. Newkirk, 20-G Hillside, was named the All-State Junior Champion, at the Fourth Annual George Washington Twirling Tournament held at the Washington Coliseum on February 23. Only state winners were allowed to vie for this coveted award sponsored by the National Baton Twirling Association.

Pat, a ninth grader at Greenbelt Junior High, is a member of the College Park VFD Majorette Senior Corps, which captured first place. She recently performed with two fire batons, at half-time ceremonies at the Maryland-South Carolina Basketball game.

Brautigam Takes D. C. Post After 16 Years At Bank

After sixteen years of service with the Suburban Trust Company in Greenbelt, Henry Brautigam is leaving his post as manager to accept an appointment at the Federal Housing Administration in Washington, D. C. He will serve in a supervisory capacity with the Insurance Claims Division, where his concern now will be with the Government's side of the FHA loan process.

GHI 4-Man Bloc Forces Filling Of Vacant Position on Board

By Al Skolnik

Bernard Bordenet was named at last Thursday's meeting of the board of directors of Greenbelt Homes, Inc. to the board vacancy created by the resignation of Ed Peters. The position was filled, although three directors requested that the election be delayed until all eight board members could vote on it.

The election of Bordenet was unusual in that, on previous occasions when the board chose to fill a vacancy in its ranks, it selected a person from the list of candidates who were also-rans at the last GHI election. Bordenet, who served on the board in 1953-54, was not a board candidate at the last election, although he was elected to the audit committee. (His election to the board automatically removes him from this committee.)

Prior to the vote, GHI president Harry Zubkoff stated that director Ed Burgoon was unable to be present as he was sick in bed with the flu. He asked out of courtesy to Burgoon that any voting be deferred until the next meeting on March 14.

Directors Frank Lastner and Henry Brautigam supported this view. They added that they interpreted the agenda to mean that the board would consider at this meeting only whether it should fill the vacancy, with elections if decided upon held at another time. Lastner expressed his view that the vacancy should not be filled at all

since a regular board election was only 2 1/2 months away.

However, directors Bill Helm and Joe Comproni, speaking for the opposing slate, felt that the membership was entitled to the services of a full 9-man board for the remaining period before the elections. Bordenet's name was placed into nomination by Comproni and director Joe Cherry later placed Joe Fitzmaurice's name also into nomination.

Lastner then moved, seconded by Brautigam, that the nominations be kept open until the next meeting and that the voting take place at that meeting. Lastner said he was not prepared to place any names into nomination, since he didn't expect there would be a vote at this time.

This motion was defeated by the unanimous vote of the Helm-Comproni-Cherry-Morrison bloc. The voting then proceeded after a short recess. Bordenet was selected by secret ballot, and the vote was unanimous.

In a statement later issued to the News Review, Zubkoff said that the Lastner-Brautigam-Zubkoff bloc had not expected a vote that night and were not prepared to nominate any candidates. However, during the recess they had decided for the sake of unity to support the candidate who was obviously the first choice of the majority present.

By-law Changes

The final recommendations of the by-law committee were presented by committee chairman Charles Schwan. A special GHI board meeting was set up for tonight, March 7, to discuss the by-laws.

Among the more interesting proposals made by the committee was a requirement that no item of business be finally acted on at the meeting at which it is first introduced if at least two members request that final action be postponed until the next meeting. Another was the spelling-out in the by-laws of the maximum amounts that could be used by the board for civic and community purposes (\$600) and for planning of new construction or housing projects without prior membership approval (\$1,500). The committee also suggested that the audit committee include among its functions the review and evaluation of the management of the corporation.

News Review

Rent Committee Chairman Helm reported to a special meeting of the Greenbelt Development Corporation on a proposal received from the News Review. The newspaper stated that because of its gratitude for the donation of basement space by GHI (through its wholly-owned subsidiary GDC), it was agreeable to making a specified amount of free advertising space available to GHI during the coming 12 months, in addition to the regular paid GHI ads. It suggested that the News Review editor and GHI manager get together to work out the details, including the type and size of free advertising that would be most suitable to GHI.

Helm commented that this proposal sounded reasonable, but that his committee had not time to review it. He suggested that the matter be held over to the next meeting. A special GDC meeting was then scheduled for tonight at 7:45 p.m., to precede the special GHI meeting.

Tid-bits

Jefferson National was awarded the group creditor's life insurance for the sales refinancing program. . . . The board heard a presentation by John Perreca of Connecticut General Life Insurance Company on the mechanics of pension plans. . . . The board approved an expenditure of \$7,412 for the Backhoe loader, some \$1,600 less than anticipated. . . . Donald McCaughy, chairman of the standards and improvements committee, made a plea for additional members for his committee.

City Acts to Improve Situation on Lakeside

City manager James Giese told the News Review this week that the city has taken action to correct and prevent the recurrence of the nuisance caused to residents of Lakeside by the construction of homes for the new Lakecrest addition. A letter from Mrs. Betty Jane Moore of Lakeside published in last week's issue called public attention to the street "clogged with parked cars," the dust and mud on Lakeside, "yards full of beer cans" and other trash, and the "hazardous driving" by construction workers.

Giese said that even before the letter was published the city had taken care of the trash and parking problems. A more difficult problem was the thick layer of mud and dust deposited on the portion of Lakeside adjacent to the new development. Giese said that this was finally solved by the fire department hosing down the street. He commented that precautions had been taken in the beginning by the city but admitted that the situation had been allowed to get out of hand.

The city police now regularly check the area to keep things under control. For example, a city policeman noting a large truck in the construction area made certain that workmen hosed down the tires of the truck before it left the area and moved on to Lakeside.

Giese noted that there will continue to be problems and that the police, unable to remain on continuous duty there, cannot prevent all violations. However, he indicated that the city would see to it that the matter did not again get out of hand.

Charles Walton Wins Citation From Legion

Charles Walton, owner of the Greenbelt Theater, was awarded the American Legion Citation for Meritorious Service by Commander William McBride of Post 136 on February 21.

McBride praised Walton for the many services rendered in behalf of the Legion's Child Welfare Program. For a number of years, Walton has donated his theater for the purpose of collecting cans of food to be used in baskets for the needy at Christmas time. The cans of food were the admission price for children to see a movie.

Walton told the group gathered at the Legion hall that he could fully understand the meaning of the baskets of food. In 1952, after a long stay in the hospital which cost him thousands of dollars, he was financially unable to provide his family with the special treats expected at a Christmas dinner. It was at this time that a basket of food was donated to his family.

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"TORTUOUS REASONING"

To the Editor:

Your correspondence columns carried a letter from Mr. William Helm in a recent issue in which he attempted to defend his indefensible position concerning the News Review by resorting to the completely discredited methods of taking words out of context, distorting meaning and then resting his case on his own tortuous reasoning. I should like to try to set the record straight at the very least. While Mr. Helm has apparently made up his mind and refuses to be confused by the facts, perhaps he may get the point.

The term "without profit" as used in my letter and the term "non-commercial" were neither glittering nor generalities. I stated that "the News Review was established to provide a community service without profit accruing to any member of the staff or member of the Greenbelt Cooperative Publishing Association, Inc." No rational person could possibly interpret this as a "generality" — "glittering" or otherwise.

I asked, further, what was GHI's "standing charge for non-profit making, non-commercial enterprises using basement space in GHI-owned apartment houses." Can any objective individual call this a generality?

Next, Mr. Helm, in an apparent desire to reduce everyone to what he apparently thinks is his own low level of human nature, depends on obviously faulty recollection concerning my recent campaign for the GCS Board of Directors. He "seems to recall" that the News Review gave me "favorable front page publicity" in my campaign. The publicity I received was not "front page." Of course, any candidate for any position considers any publicity as being helpful—in that sense it was favorable. My publicity consisted of a letter to the Editor of the News Review and the purchase of advertising space. My campaign was not managed by a Director of the News Review, as he "seemed to recall."

While I admit to being subject to a host of human frailties, I cannot accept Mr. Helm as my mentor in the field of either philosophy or religion. If, on the other hand, he is to continue to seek the support of the people for his various expeditions into the economic and political life of this community I would hope that he would be able to demonstrate a somewhat higher level of human aspiration and motivation than that which he so dogmatically assigns to all others. Leadership without standards is rank opportunism and an opportunist needs to serve no one but himself. I would hope that Mr. Helm is a better human being than he has obviously given us reason to believe.

Albert K. Herling

Weber - Carner

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar M. Weber, 18-P Ridge, announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Louise, to James Marshall Carner, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Carner of Mishawaka, Indiana. Helen is a senior at the University of Florida and is a member of the International Students Organization and Florida Anthropology Club. James is studying engineering at the University of Florida. An August wedding is planned.

High Point High Points

by Naomi Baron

Artistically speaking, High Point is out on top. The credit is due to Brent Moffett who placed first in the senior division of the Prince Georges Maryland Federation of Women's Clubs art contest. Brent will now continue on to the state level, competing for an art scholarship.

The newest organization at High Point is none other than a bowling team. Already it has entered in interscholastic competition.

Some needy European child will be especially pleased with the successful drive the Student Council recently sponsored to raise money for a war orphan. Over \$210 was collected.

The first of two all-important nights is almost upon us — it's Faculty Follies, the sheer entertainment portion of Blue and Gold. Faculty Follies will be held tomorrow, Friday, March 8, while Court Night is one week off, March 15. Get your combined ticket for these events today!

"Exhausted" perhaps best describes the juniors who took the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test. The three-hour exam was administered March 5.

A concert and contest mark next week's schedule for the High Point Concert Band. Following a program for the student body on March 12, the band will participate in the County Music Festival to be held March 16.

The Police Blotter

An out-of-town citizen reported to the Police Department on Saturday morning, February 23, that he had been responsible for an accident which had caused extensive damage to a vehicle parked near 59 Ridge during the night. The accident was first thought to be a hit and run case but the citizen claimed that he had passed the information on to a bystander at the time of the accident. He informed police that his insurance would pay for repairs to the damaged car. No charges were placed.

Also on the 23rd of February, a young boy and his mother reported to police that they had found a fully equipped doctor's bag in a wooded area adjacent to the Baltimore-Washington Parkway. Officer Paul Reamy investigated, and contacted a physician whose car had been stolen from the parking lot at Prince Georges Hospital about two months ago. The physician identified the bag as having been in the car at the time of the theft. The contents of the bag, including all the instruments and drugs, were still intact.

The driver of a vehicle on Kenilworth was stopped by officer Reamy and the driver was charged with speeding at 40 mph and driving without a permit. A check was made with Metropolitan and Virginia State Police to see if there was a lookout for the car. The replies were negative at that time, and the man was released on \$200 bond.

However on March 1, the Metropolitan Police notified Greenbelt that they had received a direct wire from Bedford, Virginia, listing as stolen the vehicle used by the speeder. The speeder's car, being held here, was stolen on February 20 but had not been put on an area-wide lookout at that time. The suspect was picked up on March 1 by Metropolitan Police on other charges and immediately turned over to Bedford authorities, who charged him with unauthorized use of a motor vehicle.

Nursery Sponsors Talk On Montessori Method

Mrs. Rosanne Marshall will speak on the Montessori Method at a meeting of the Greenbelt Nursery School on Monday, March 11, at 8:15 p.m. at the fellowship hall behind the Community Church. In the Montessori approach, the child's education is largely self-acquired, and his interest is sustained by his feeling of accomplishment and by his pleasure in working at and with the things he likes. The child chooses what he wishes to learn from a number of learning tools provided by the teacher.

Mrs. Marshall was trained in elementary education, and taught in Philadelphia. Her interest in educational methods was sharpened by the birth of her four children, and she joined a Parents' Study Group to learn about the Montessori Method. She uses this experimental approach at home with her children, and reports that it has been very successful. Her two older "learned to read easily" at the age of four.

Mrs. Marshall will bring typical Montessori materials with her to illustrate her talk, which will be followed by a question-and-answer period. The meeting is open to the public.

Applications are still being accepted for the fall term at the nursery school. Children aged 3 to 5 are eligible. Applications may be secured at the meeting or by calling GR. 4-8998.

Little League Contracts

The managers of the Greenbelt Little League announce that on Saturday, March 9 from 10 to 12 at the Youth Center 1963 contracts for the Little League will be given out. Contracts must be returned accompanied by a photostatic copy of the boy's birth certificate. Managers will be on hand to assist in handing out contracts and/or information.

Mrs. Wyatt at Workshop

Mrs. Janice Wyatt, wife of the Reverend Kenneth E. Wyatt of the Greenbelt Community Church, will be among the participants at the first Curriculum Interpretation Workshop, sponsored by the Division of Christian Education of the United Church Board for Homeland Ministries on March 6-9, at Camp Hanover near Richmond, Virginia.

The Greenbelt Community Church

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WEEKDAY KINDERGARTEN



Recreation Review

by James A. Wooldridge

The Teen Club has been enjoying Friday night programs of self improvements. Last Friday, the Mar-riam's School of Modeling presented a program of modeling for the Teen girls. Roller hockey was demonstrated for the boys in the gym.

Another Family Fun Day will be held Sunday, March 17, from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Youth Center. All Greenbelters are invited for an afternoon of movies, games, and roller skating.

The second session of ballet and pool registration will be held within the next few weeks. Watch this column for further information.

Do you play a musical instrument? Would you like to play in a band? Come to the Youth Center on Monday nights at 8 p.m. and join our Greenbelt Band. Mr. Frank Carle is the conductor.

Also on Monday nights, Men's Gym from 8 to 11 p.m. Tuesday nights are devoted to Women's Slimnastics from 8 to 11 p.m. Those interested in working off a few pounds are invited.

We would like to take this time to thank all the parents who have helped in our Teen Club Program. It is our sincere hope that you have enjoyed chaperoning as much as we have enjoyed having you with us.

For further information concerning the recreation programs, call 474-6878 between 12 noon and 5:30 p.m. and from 7:30 to 10:30 in the evenings.

Rev. Maack at Holy Cross

Pastor Roy Maack of Trinity Lutheran Church, Mount Rainier, will conduct the Lenten Service at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 22 Ridge Road, Greenbelt, on Wednesday, March 13, at 7:30 p.m. His lenten sermon will be, "Live With the Lift of His Life".

The Rev. Edward Birner of the Greenbelt Church will be preaching that evening at Bethany Lutheran Church, Groveton, Arlington, Virginia.

IT'S THE LAW

City Ordinance #375, Section 2a states as follows: "It shall be unlawful to park any auto, truck or other vehicles, on any grass shoulder of a roadway or any grassed area or on a recreation playfield or park area except in such areas designated for parking."

City Ordinance #375, Section 3a states: "It shall be unlawful to park any auto, truck or other vehicle within 25 feet on approach side of any intersection crosswalk and stop signs and within 10 feet beyond same or within 10 feet of either side of fire hydrant."

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Good Seed You Must Sow Or Crab Grass Will Grow
by Clayton C. Werner
Asst. County Agent

Are you patiently waiting for the warm balmy days of spring to start your spring lawn program. If you are, don't. Now is the time to be considering what type of lawn seed you will buy. Spring seeding should be done around George Washington's Birthday, February 22, if you can get on the ground. If there is snow on the ground, put your seed in as early as possible afterward.

When buying grass seed, make sure that you read the label carefully. Some of the desirable grasses that you should look for are: Kentucky Bluegrass, Merion Kentucky Bluegrass, Chewings fescue, Pennlawn fescue and Creeping Red fescue. Grass mixtures that contain Kentucky 31 Tall fescue and perennial ryegrass, Domestic ryegrass, Timothy, and Orchard grass, to mention a few, should be avoided.

All packages of seed will have an analysis label which will tell you what the mixture contains. Look for this analysis label, and avoid being swayed into buying packages that contain coined phrases such as "Atomic Energized", "Quick Grass", "Green Magic" etc. These phrases can trick you. Don't be fooled. The analysis label is your only protection. Read it carefully and know what you are buying.

Our Neighbors

by Elaine Skolnik - 474-6060
Friends and neighbors of Mrs. Albert Nuzzo, 12-G Ridge, will be delighted to learn that she is home from the hospital.

The Safety Patrols of Greenbelt enjoyed a tour of the FBI building last week.

James F. McGlothlin, Jr., Naval Aviation Officer Candidate, son of Mr. and Mrs. James F. McGlothlin, 14-W Ridge, is attending the Naval School of Pre-Flight at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Florida. Upon completion of the 16-week course, James will be commissioned as ensign in the Naval Reserve and enter basic flight training.

Happy-happy birthday to Laurie Marceron, 9-Q Southway, who celebrated her second birthday.

Birthday greetings to David Mongelli, 45-G Ridge, who was three years old.

A speedy recovery to Joseph Haslinger, 11-N Ridge, who is in the Bethesda Naval Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. De Simone of Greenbelt are honeymooning at the Homestead, located high atop the Virginia Alleghenies.

Carole J. Pines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Pines, 7-E Crescent, has been named to the Dean's List of outstanding scholars for the first semester at Simmons College in

Boston, Massachusetts. Carole, a graduate of High Point, is a junior in the School of Social Science and has been active in the Modern Dance Club at Simmons.

Concert in Beltsville Sunday

Gilbert Mitchell will conduct the Agriculture Symphony Orchestra at the Plant Industry Station Auditorium, in Beltsville on Sunday, March 10, at 3 p.m. The featured work on the program will be Beethoven's Piano Concerto No. 3 in C Minor, performed with the orchestra by Alex Fiorello.

Alex Fiorello made his debut as soloist with the Philadelphia Orchestra. Later, while studying with such masters as Vladimar Horowitz and Victor Babin, he received many awards for his musical ability. He holds a Bachelor of Music degree from the Philadelphia Musical Academy.

Purim Programs at JCC

The Jewish Community Center of Prince Georges County will hold Purim services on Friday, March 8, at 8:15 p.m. Rabbi Morris Gordon will officiate. An Oneg Shabbat will follow.

A Purim party has been arranged for Saturday evening at 8:30 p.m. and on Sunday, the Youth School will have a Purim program starting at 10:30 a.m. Members and friends are invited.

Troop 746 Sweeps First Aid Honors

Troop 746 entered two teams in the First Aid Skill Derby and came up with the TWO HIGHEST SCORES made. Both teams scored over 280 out of a possible 300 points.

The Troop was awarded a plaque and ribbon and five medals were presented to each member of the first team. Eagle Scout, Richard Wertz, 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wertz, 13-U Hillside, was awarded a plaque for his service as instructor of the two teams. He was recognized as the outstanding First Aid instructor in Prince Georges County First Aid Skill Derby for 1963. Wertz holds the Scouting First Aid Merit badge, the Scout Lifesaving Merit badge, and is an instructor for the Scout troop #746.

Members of the First Place Team are Donald Pecor, Captain, Jeff Rossen, Ron Kolbe, Jerry Weiner and Michael Porter.

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Lakewood Group to Hear Giese on Future of City

City Manager James K. Giese will be the featured speaker at the Lakewood Citizen's Association meeting to be held on Thursday, March 7, at 8 p.m. at the firehouse. Giese will speak on "Greenbelt, Today and Tomorrow."

The agenda will include consideration of the following topics:

- Membership of Lakewood Citizen's Association in the Prince Georges' County Civic Federation
- Planting new trees in Lakewood
- Nominating committee
- Lakewood reporter for the Greenbelt News Review.

Antique Car Show Slated

The Greenbelt Businessmen's Association has announced plans to hold a gala Antique Car Show in Greenbelt on Sunday, April 28.

Henry Davis, owner of Kay Dee Furniture Co., in charge of the affair, has been making arrangements to have about 50 antique automobiles on display at the Center Mall on the afternoon of that day.

The show is being held in conjunction with the fact that the Greenbelt Shopping Center is believed to be the oldest planned community shopping center in existence.

AAUN Discussion Series

A series of discussions entitled "Great Decisions . . . 1963" is scheduled to be held by the local unit of the American Association for the United Nations. The first discussion on "The Common Market—Blueprint for a New Europe" will open the series on Monday, March 25.

Seven more discussion meetings will follow, to be held on the second and fourth Mondays of the month. Other topics to be heard will be on Red China and the USSR, Algeria, Spain, India, Laos and Vietnam, Alliance for Progress, and the Problems and Prospects for Peace. The discussion program is sponsored nationally by the Foreign Policy Association, a nonpartisan education agency.

The time and place of the discussion series will be announced later.

Meeting of Folk Music Guild

The next regular meeting of the Washington Music Guild will be held on Saturday, March 9, at 8:30 p.m., in the auditorium at the Prince Georges Plaza Shopping Center. The featured singer is Tossi Aaron, a frequent performer at many of the Philadelphia and New York folk music clubs who has also made several recordings.

Winners in 4-H Contest

"Speak For Yourself" was the motto for the 1963 4-H public speaking contest, held at the First Methodist Church of Hyattsville, on February 23, at 1:30 p.m. First place and champion of the junior boys division was Chris Linstrom. Second place winners were: Linda Simonson, Laura Simonson, and Elise Geller. The contest winners in the different counties, will compete against each other at the district public speaking contest to be held at a future date.

Woodwind Trio at Adelphi

On Sunday evening, March 19, at 7 p.m., the Paint Branch Unitarian Church will present a special concert of woodwind trio music at the historic Adelphi Mill, 8402 Riggs Rd., Adelphi, Md.

The trio, consisting of Edmond De Mattia, oboe, Russell Landgrade, clarinet, and Harold Griswold, bassoon—all members of the United States Navy Band have planned a varied program of both traditional and contemporary works, featuring the music of two French composers, Jacques Ibert and Jean Francaix.

"Follies" Rehearsal Sunday

The next rehearsal for the satirical review, "The Follies of Green-

belt" to be presented at the Twin Pines annual meeting on Tuesday, March 26, will be held on Sunday, March 10, at 2 p.m. at 1 Lakeside. The review will consist of a series of sketches taking off on well

known local organizations. Male actors are particularly needed to fill out the cast. Those desiring further information should contact Mrs. Ellen Linson, director of the show, at 474-6981.

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We made 608 calls in 1962 which is 50 more than made in 1961. We drove 8,232 miles on these calls. Our men volunteered 1,695 hours of their time to help you.

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I earnestly ask your support to enable us to continue doing our job. Everything goes into equipment and supplies to help us serve you.

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