



The City Desk

by Charles T. McDonald

At the council meetings the city clerk plays a very important part, recording the minutes of the meetings, the expression and votes of each of the councilmen on all motions, ordinances and resolutions. The minutes of each meeting are presented for approval at the following meeting. They are then recorded in the official records and signed by the Mayor and the city clerk and the official seal affixed. Separate books are kept for recording the minutes, ordinances and resolutions.

Ordinances and resolutions are required to be introduced for first reading at one meeting and carried over to a subsequent meeting for final action unless by suspension of rules agreed to by not less than four members of Council.

DEPARTMENTAL NEWS — 4 —
Public Safety: Officer Al Nuzzo has presented his resignation from the department to accept a position with the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company. He will be replaced by Mr. James Williams, of 49-D Ridge Road.

Public Health: The clinic closed March 25, because of the State holiday. It will be open again Tuesday, April 1.

Recreation Department: All physical culture programs will be held outside (weather permitting) for the spring and summer. The paved basketball court at Braden Memorial Field has been getting some heavy play over the weekend.

Public Works: Street patching and work at the Lake Park have been receiving most of the attention of the public works men this past week.

Bus Operation: The bus operated on Tuesday in spite of the fact that it was a municipal holiday. The rule for not operating on holidays applies only to such holidays as are observed by Federal Government employees.

Minister of Music To Settle Locally

Miss Elizabeth Goetze of Baltimore has been secured by Community Church to serve as Church Secretary and Minister of Music for the coming year. Miss Goetze began her duties at Community Church this week and will take up residence here within the near future.

Miss Goetze is an alumna of the School of Sacred Music, Union Theological Seminary, New York City, and has served three years as organist for the Navy Chapel in Washington during the war, and four years as Secretary and Minister of Music in Methodist Churches of Richmond and Suffolk, Virginia.

Give It Back to the Indians

Judging from the results of last night's housing meeting, it would seem that GVHC is intent on discovering how difficult, devious, and dubious the sale of Greenbelt can be made. We are referring to the stipulation that the 800 people needed to initiate the sale be drawn entirely and exclusively from Greenbelt residents. We can find no justification for this requirement.

The issue is no longer whether Greenbelt is to be sold. The issue is: to whom. Here there seems to be two choices: Greenbelt will be sold either to a mutual company or to a private company. There is no question of a small number of residents forcing the rest of us to buy. The only question is: to whom shall we pay our money. The distinction between residents and non-residents seems fundamentally a snobbish one and reflects an aboriginal suspicion of outsiders.

We favor the sale of Greenbelt to a mutual group. We believe that the residents should be given the first chance to join, and that membership be open to all after an appropriate interval. The only effect of artificial membership limitations such as the action taken last night will be to make it more probable that Greenbelt will be sold to a private company.

Invitational Tourney Brings Ace Gagers Here

by Robert C. Lindeman

The second annual Greenbelt Invitational Basketball Tourney will be held in the Center school gym beginning April 3, and will bring the outstanding amateur basketball teams in the Washington area to Greenbelt.

Last year's tournament was won by Arcade Pontiac who defeated Cavalier Liquors in a closely fought game. Each of the entrant teams in this tournament is permitted to augment their rosters by the inclusion of 3 collegiate or high school stars, so that Greenbelt residents will be in a position to see the best brand of basketball available in this area.

Two All-Star teams will be picked at the conclusion of the tournament by the Tournament Board, which consists of L. Clay, C. Cockill, S. Provost, R. Suessle, W. Smith, and Bob Lindeman.

A schedule of the games and a list of the outstanding players will appear in the next issue of the Cooperator.

16 Teachers Answer Queries in PTA Panel

Some 150 parents attended the center PTA Teachers Panel in the Social Room last Tuesday night.

With principal Mrs. Elizabeth Fugitt presiding, the 16 teachers in open council on stage explained their various reactions to the questions previously submitted on forms sent home from the school. Most questions fell into one of the three categories of "skills," such as reading and writing; "TV" and how it may affect children; and "grouping" which included phases from the two-class system prevalent in Greenbelt's schools to facilities for exceptional children.

Parents showed concern over academic standards, how they ought to help their children and to control TV difficulties in their homes.

Most of the answers, despite variations, were based on the tenet of individual development of each child seeking his own level.

Reached at her office yesterday, Mrs. Fugitt commented on the "many different ways these problems are discussed in our school." Personal conferences and class meetings are examples she cited. "The audience, however, was wonderfully attentive," the principal remarked.

During the business meeting preceding the panel it was announced that health check-ups had been delayed this year because the city's doctors have been unable to find the time for them during the past months of widespread illnesses.

According to Mrs. Janet Parker, See **TEACHERS**, Page 4

What Goes On

Center PTA - Eb 'n Ely Square Dance, Friday, March 28, 8-12. Center Auditorium

Greenbelt Band & Majorettes - Boys' Club Night, Saturday, March 29, 7:30 p.m., Center Auditorium. All members to be present in winter uniforms at 7 for instructions.

Community Church - organ music by Miss Elizabeth Goetze, Sunday, March 30, 5 p.m.

Cub Scout Pack 229 - Monday, March 31, 7:30 p.m., Center Social room.

Northwestern PTA - Wednesday, April 2, 8 p.m., school gym. Nominating committee elections.

National Council of Jewish Women - Wednesday, April 2, Panel discussion, "Recent UN Meetings Held in Paris"; Nominating committee report

CONSTABLES CORNER

By David Reznikoff

Two Branchville teen-agers, 12 and 13 years old, broke into the junior high school principal's office this week and stole \$50 from the safe. After breaking a window to gain access to the outer office, they found keys to unlock the inner door. One of the team bought a .22 rifle, and the rest of the haul was spent by both on "knickknacks." At this writing the young offenders have been turned over to juvenile authorities after apprehension by the combined efforts of the police department and the school authorities.

Ten year-old William Steel, riding his bike without lights, ran into a car in front of the police station last week. Dr. William Eisner's diagnosis revealed no injury, after Officer Nuzzo and the Rescue Squad rushed the boy to his office for emergency treatment.

A slap-happy sparrow who took lodging in the chief's office refused to leave custody last Tuesday despite repeated efforts by Panagoulis and visitors to evict him.

By David Reznikoff

Monday was a busy day for the police Department, which was kept occupied hunting for 30 caliber shells a self-styled 11-year old lone ranger was handing out at the center. This youngster dipped into his father's ammunition supply and passed the cartridges on to his friends.

The police have recovered most of the shells, some just as they were being pried apart (a dangerous practice even for experts) by small boys.

The police department suggests parents question their children to find out if they have any of the shells and see that they are taken to the police station.

"Lost" but "not lost"

Eight year old Ronald Shotwell of 14-D Laurel Hill Road gave his parents and neighbors a scare by leaving his home at 3 o'clock and not showing up till nearly 9. Ronald had gone to visit a friend, liked his visit so much he stayed for supper, and since there wasn't a phone in the home did not call his parents. The boy said he didn't realize how late it was. (A watch might be in order for Ronald.)

Lost and Found

Have you lost a money box with 1,000,000 hairpins, jewels, fountain pen, sock for left foot, glove for right hand, the other half of anything. These and many other cherished treasures will be on display at the police station this Friday after 4 p.m.

Please come and claim your possessions - "no rewards solicited."

GVHC Votes For All-Residential Quota Debate Delays Contract Discussion

By Ralph and Carolyn Miller

Eight hundred Greenbelt residents will have to deposit \$100 by April 30 to insure the purchase of the community by the Greenbelt Veterans' Housing Corporation.

This stipulation as well as a directive to the board to attempt to renegotiate the sales price with Public Housing Administration were voted last night at a membership meeting of GVHC attended by over 500 residents, with a voting attendance of 223.

In addition, the members established a priority system for transfer from one unit to another.

Meeting Next Week

Not considered because of lack of time, although announced as the main purpose of the meeting, was the contract between KVHC and the member-buyers. As adoption of the contract is necessary before deposits can be received, another membership meeting will be held next Wednesday, April 2, at 8:15 p.m. in the Center school auditorium.

Lively debate followed the board's recommendation that two-thirds of the required 800 members making a good-faith deposit by April 30 be Greenbelt residents. (Under the terms of the option to purchase Greenbelt, GVHC is required by PHA to obtain 800 paid-up applications for purchase by April 30, 1952. According to Public Law 65, 81st Congress, which governs the sale of Greenbelt, these applications do not necessarily have to be from residents of the community.)

Presenting the board's view, president Mike Salzman said that with less than 533 resident families supporting the mutual plan, the board would favor dissolving the corporation.

During discussion member Abe Chasanow stated that in his opinion a vote for the motion requiring a quota of 800 residents would increase the difficulties of securing the good-faith money and might therefore close the door on a mutual purchase by Greenbelt residents.

92-84 Vote

Several proponents of the motion said in effect that if 800 residents did not want to participate, the mutual plan was insufficiently supported by the city's residents and therefore could not represent the will of the majority. By a vote of 92 to 84 the meeting established the requirement that the 800 depositors be Greenbelt residents.

In presenting a motion directing the board to try to renegotiate with PHA for a lower sales price, Long included a request that residents of 10 years in Greenbelt should not be required to make the down payment. Considerable discussion ensued as to whether the need for excuse from down payment was more necessary to an old or new resident, and whether an old or new resident was a better financial risk. An amendment modifying Long's suggestion by reducing the tenure to five years for excuse of down payment (which would of necessity result in a higher monthly charge) was defeated. Passed was the directive to renegotiate for a ten percent cut in the sales price. Salzman said that efforts had been made by the board to get a lower price but that a motion from the members might give "some leverage."

Priority System

A priority system was adopted based in principle on the date of joining the housing corporation and the date of payment of the good-faith deposit, fulfilling the promises made in past years to charter members. Under the approved set-up if a member desires to buy a house other than the one he is living in he has priority for that unit if he is a charter member. See **GVHC**, Page 2

Police Cite Dangers Of BB Guns, Air Rifles

According to the D. C. blindness prevention society, 26 persons were hospitalized because of eye injuries from BB guns since January 1950, and since Christmas 10 persons have lost the sight of an eye as a result of accidents involving these weapons.

The Police Department here in Greenbelt has issued warnings against the irresponsible use of BB, or air rifles. Chief Panagoulis says "we have been fortunate in not having serious accidents, although there have been several close calls and much property damage." He recommends that parents think twice before purchasing air rifles for their children.

According to a town ordinance it is illegal to discharge an air rifle anywhere within the incorporated limits of Greenbelt and the chief has instructed his officers to confiscate the gun of any one caught shooting in yards, wooded areas, etc. Only at the gun range is firing permissible, and arrangements must be made with the police department in advance.

The department is considering sponsorship of a junior BB club as a safety measure, and would like to hear from parents and organizations interested.

Women Voters Plug Pre-Primary April 1

The League of Women Voters of Prince George's County is distributing circulars this week throughout the county calling attention to the pre-primary registration day, April 1, at which time all polling places will be open from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Anyone who is a citizen and who has lived in Maryland one year and in this Congressional district 6 months by November 4, 1952, can register now and vote. The circulars also contain a list of all the voting precincts and polling places. Primary election day in Maryland is Monday, May 5.

The League, a non-partisan organization, is planning a pre-primary candidates' meeting April 28—the first for a county organization—in the American Legion Hall in Cheverly at 8 p.m. Invitations to speak have been sent to all Republican and Democratic Congressional and Senatorial candidates for this district, according to Mrs. Kenneth Gilbertson, publicity chairman.

Other pre-primary activities of the group include two radio programs on voters service scheduled March 29 and April 12 over WGAY, at 12:15 p.m. The first will stress registration requirements and the second will be on the subject of how delegates are chosen to state and national political conventions, with Martin Moser, political science lecturer at the University of Maryland, as guest speaker.

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Coming of Age

Coming of age brings with it certain privileges as well as responsibilities. For all citizens who have reached the age of 21 recently, electing candidates to public office is a privilege. The shouldering of the responsibility for good government is a right that exists only in a free democratic government.

As a new citizen, exercise your right to assume responsibility, and protect your privilege of determining who shall represent you in your government.

Anyone who will become 21 before the general election on November 4, 1952 may register Tuesday, April 1 from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. at the fire station, and may vote in the preceding primary election.

If you are a citizen; have lived in Maryland for 1 year, including 6 months preceding election time in this (the 5th) Congressional district; and do not vote in any other state, YOU MAY REGISTER HERE.

Citizens, new and old, just under and all the way over 21, are being called to the most powerful army our country has: the army of voters.

Letters To The Editor

Greetings for Dr. Self

The approaching holiday season has turned my thoughts to a former resident of Greenbelt whose sympathy and sincerity was liberally extended to all the patients he served, and who is now—as he lies in a hospital bed—in need of the same human warmth that marked his personality—Dr. William O. Self. I am sure there are many Greenbelters who share my feelings about Dr. Self and would like to join with me in contributing to an Easter remembrance for him.

Any contributions should be given to Mrs. Lloyd Nelson, 45-L Ridge, his office nurse or myself at 19-E Hillside.

Hans Jorgensen

Conflict . . . ?

It has been said - by some - that one cannot be loyal to the Cooperator and to GCS both. By some strange kind of reasoning, if you work on the paper then it automatically follows that you are opposed to the Board. Let me say to the people who started this myth - and to those who perpetuate it - that in my opinion it is pure nonsense.

The basic purpose of the newspaper is to present the facts and the truth to the public. The basic purpose of the Board should be to measure the public's reaction to the facts and the truth - and to make policy decisions in accordance with the membership's wishes. In my dual position as a GCS board member and as a Cooperator staff member, I intend to bring before the public as many facts as possible regarding the problems confronting our business. And I earnestly believe that the members will make their wishes known to the Board, so that our decisions can truly reflect their desires.

Harry Zubkoff

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shotwell of the 14 Court of Laurel Hill wish to thank all their friends and neighbors for helping in the search for their son, Ronnie, who was missing Monday evening.

THANKS

Please accept our apologies for this late acknowledgement of the \$90.00 gift to Children's Hospital of the District of Columbia.

Bill Gold sent us the check January 4th of this year but because of the absenteeism due to illness and so many daily tasks which are a must, we were unable to acknowledge this fine gift until today.

We are very appreciative of the efforts put forth by the children on "beggar's night" and are grateful too for the work which was done by the adults. Certainly the entire project involved a great deal of effort and the administrative staff of Children's Hospital wish to thank each and everyone of the participants for their part in this contribution.

With all good wishes,

Sincerely,

Florence Dina Scott,
Director
Public Relations Office

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ber; if two charter members want the same unit and became charter members on the same date, the date of payment of the \$100 deposit will be the deciding factor.

It was explained by Salzman that if the member buys a house other than the one in which he is living, he makes his down payment and monthly payments on the house he wishes to buy and pays rent on the one in which he lives until the other house is vacated and he can move in.

Ruled out of order was a motion by Long that the Board be directed to act as agent to negotiate the sale of Greenbelt on the basis of the smallest possible unit (by heating systems) - in effect, to sell to a large number of small cooperatives.

Chasanow said that the charter prohibited the corporation from acting in such a capacity, reminding Long that he, Chasanow, had written it.

No action was taken to cut the monthly payments by almost five dollars by transferring most of the maintenance and repairs of the units from the corporation to the home-owner. A detailed description of the methods used to determine charges was presented by Long at the beginning of the meeting.

Boy's Club Activities

By Lee

Our basketball teams continue their winning ways. The Midgets defeated Green Meadows 41 to 14 Tuesday, March 18; Brown was hi with 15 and Taylor 8. Our Juniors defeated Green Meadows same evening 51 to 27, Mike Cockill hi with 24 and Knott 9. No game reported for the Intermediates this week. On the 18th the Seniors defeated Beltsville 45 to 19; Bill Moore was hi with 19 and Dutter 12. On the 21st the Seniors ost to University Park, 26 to 24, Dutter was hi with 10 and R. Taylor 8. The 22nd the Seniors defeated Takoma Park 63 to 29, Johnny Huffman was hi with 18, Dutter 15 and Frady 13. The basketball boys are a real credit to their coaches and the Club for their hard work and showing made this season.

Coach Woody Page and his Boxing Boys have been doing an excellent job this season. The Greenbelt Team won the County Championship. Fourteen boxers of the Greenbelt Boys Club reached the Semi-finals of the Junior Golden Gloves Tournament in Washington; five of these boys have reached the finals and will now box for the Washington Area Junior Golden Gloves Championship in their weight and class. They are Bill Page and Gordon Page at 65 pounds who will box each other for the championship in that weight in the open class, Joe McNally in the 55 pound class, Charles Shipley in the 50 pound class and Jason Page in the 45 pound class. I will be able to give you the results of the finals in the next issue. Page and his assistant Robey have done a wonderful job with these boys and deserve a big hand.

Boy's Club Special

The season's opening practice session for this year's MIDGET Baseball team will be held at BRADEN FIELD at 2:30 p.m. this coming Sunday, March 30. Any boy 12 years old and under who desires to try out for the team should report to Coach Caldwell Baker. This session will not be held if it is raining.

Baseball Season Is Fast Approaching, Boys. Lee's column will inform you about the first practice.

1952 Red Cross Drive Aims For 1952 Quota

Despite the slow start due to illness, community co-chairmen Joseph Wilkinson of the American Legion and Mrs. Charles Orleans of the Homemakers' and Woman's clubs, feel certain that the 1952 Red Cross drive in Greenbelt will meet the \$825 quota.

Other organizations participating in the drive, so far, are the Methodist Women, the National Council of Jewish Women, the St. Hugh's Women's group, the Truman Riddle Navy Wives, the Community Church Guild. The chairmen suggest that any organization wanting to help may contact Mr. Wilkinson, Greenbelt 7733 or Mrs. Orleans, Greenbelt 3231.

Brotherhood

According to chairman Ruth Bowman a total of \$22 was contributed by organizations to the Brotherhood Committee. Expenses for refreshments and publicity were \$6.16, and the balance of \$15.84 was sent to the National Conference of Jews and Christians, Inc.

COMPLAINT

With two mobile vehicles, six full time paid police personnel, and five part-time paid police personnel, I believe that there is too much tampering with cars, especially in one garage area.

Why couldn't one policeman patrol this spot and break up the long list of pilfering, tire and wheel removal, battery removal, etc.?

(Name Withheld)

HEBREW SERVICES

Rabbi Seymour Zahn

Friday, March 28 - Lay Services will be conducted by Mr. Benjamin Rosenzweig in the Social Room of the Center School at 8:30 p.m. Candlelighting - 6:13 p.m. Portion of the Week - 'Vayikra' - Leviticus 1:1 - 5:26. Readings from the Prophets - Isaiah - 43:21 - 44:23.

Because of other commitments Rabbi Seymour Zahn has resigned as Religious Director of the Jewish Community Center of Greenbelt, and will return to New York.

COMMUNITY CHURCH PROTESTANT

Eric T. Braund, Minister
Telephone 7931

Thursday, March 27 - 8 p.m., Cloister Choir Rehearsal, very important. Friday, March 28 - 7 p.m., Cub Scout Meeting. Sunday, March 30 - Church Worship as follows: (Church Nursery at both 9 and 11 a.m.) 9 and 11 a.m. The fifth in the series of Lenten sermons on "The Teachings and Ministry of Jesus" by Mr. Braund; the topic for this Sunday is "Jesus deals with Triumph and Disaster; Selfish Men and the Cross." 9 a.m., Primary Dept. 9:50 a.m., Juniors and Intermediates through adults. 11 a.m., Beginners Dept. 3 p.m., Pastor's Class for boys and girls, in Church Study. 5 p.m., 45 minutes of Organ Music by Miss Elizabeth Goetze, Secretary and Minister of Music. Next Sunday, Palm Sunday - Sacrament of Baptism, Confirmation of boys and girls, and Reception of new members.

ST. HUGH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Victor Dowgiallo
Phone 5811

Saturday: Confessions, 3 to 5:30 p.m. for children, 7 to 9:30 p.m. for adults.

Sunday: Passion Sunday, Masses, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 11 a.m.

Wednesday: Novena services, 8 p.m., followed by Stations of the Cross and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Thursday: Stations of the Cross at 2 p.m. for school children and their parents.

Baptisms: Sunday, 1 p.m. Anyone wishing to have a baby baptized should notify Father Dowgiallo beforehand.

MOWATT MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

C. R. Strausburg, Minister
Phone 4987

Sunday, March 30 - Sunday School at 8:45 and 9:45. Classes for all age groups. Morning Worship at 11. Sermon by the Pastor. Baptisms of children and reception of new members.

Greenbelt Lutheran Church

Edward H. Birner, Vicar
Telephone 3703

Friday, March 28 - 8 p.m., The Lydia Guild meets at the home of Mrs. Lyman Henderson, 6706 40th Ave., Hyattsville. Sunday, March 30 - 9:45 a.m., Sunday School and adult Bible Class. Classes are held for all ages. Color slides depicting the Institution of The Lord's Supper will be shown this Sunday. Raymond Carriere, Superintendent. 11 a.m., Church Service. The text for this morning shows the Christian the real price of his ransoming. Services are held in the Center School. Visitors are always welcome. The nursery is under the supervision of Mrs. Carriere and Mrs. Hindle. Wednesday, April 2 - 7:45 p.m., The mid-week Lenten Service is held in the Social Room of the Center School. The vicar will preach on: Behold the Lamb - Crucified. Special violin music by Mr. Henderson precedes this service.

JCC Elections, Films

At its annual election meeting on Saturday, March 22, the Jewish Community Center elected the following officers for 1952-53: president, David Fisher; vice-president, Lawrence Miller; treasurer, Lillian Stutz; financial secretary, Murray Ryss; corresponding secretary, Norman Granims; recording secretary, Sally Brandon.

Four vacancies on the Board of Trustees were filled by Morton Berroza, Elliott Gelberg, William Levsky, Kalman Tillem.

After the elections, color films were shown of those in costume at the Purim Ball and of the children at the Sunday School Purim celebration.

Elliot Bukzin reported on the current mutual housing situation.

Cub Pack 229 Meets Monday

Cub Scout Pack 229 is conducting a bake sale April 5 under the direction of Mrs. Curtis F. Barker, 1-A Crescent Road. The treasury is depleted and mothers of boys who will be eight next year and eligible for Cub Scouting as well as present members are welcome to contribute and may contact Mrs. Barker at 2091.

This month's pack meeting will be held on Monday, March 31 at 7:30 p.m. instead of the usual Thursday meeting date in the Community Building Social Room.

Scouts Qualify As Nurse's Aides

Through the cooperation of LeLand Memorial hospital 15 Senior Girl Scouts completed preparatory training for nurse's aides, which involves 18 hours of volunteer work. Instruction was given by Mrs. Hester Wolf, R.N. The following girls from Greenbelt were among the group: Linda Maffey, Harriet Riley, Patricia Parker and Joyce Elder from Troop No. 85.

Holy Week - Easter Schedule St. Hugh's Catholic Church

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GOOD FRIDAY

Morning Service with VENERATION of Cross at 8:30 Three Hours' Silence and Prayer from 12 to 3 STATIONS of the Cross at 2 for everybody. Also at 8 Veneration of the Cross all day in church.

HOLY SATURDAY

Blessings begin at 7. High Mass at 8:30 to be sung by our Senior Choir. Easter Water after Mass.

CONFESSIONS

Wednesday 4 to 5 - 7 to 8 - After Services at night Friday, 3 to 4 - After Services at night Saturday, 3 to 5:30 - 7 to 9:30 by Priest - Visitor

EASTER SUNDAY

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LAVORIS MOUTH WASH	20 oz.	Reg. 79c	63c

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Prices effective thru Sunday, March 30

Your CO-OP DRUG STORE

Shopping Notes & Customer Values

Supermarket

Probably one of the best consumer buys of the winter is frozen orange juice. A tremendous Florida crop has now brought the price down so low that manufacturers have trimmed their own margins just to move the juice on the market. How long the price will remain low depends on just how long it will take the industry to get off its knees.

Variety Store

Opening of the new men's wear department will be announced very soon. Everything from a size 6 boy's undershirt to a size 46 men's shorts. If you have been looking for something to take the hardness out of those wooden chairs, why not invest 98c in an attractive vinyl plastic chair cushion. Don't forget any livestock you have around the house. The pet department has everything from catnip to flea powder — yes, parakeet seed, too.

About this time rugs are so dirty that they are often mistaken for the floor. Just out on the market now is a new magic cleaner called Glamorene. It has been written up in Reader's Digest. Not a powder, liquid, foam or soap, come in and buy a jar and find out what it is.

Sheer nylon blouses for that new spring suit — \$3.98. It doesn't cost anything to watch the temperature rise. Thermometers from 25c on up. Let's move into the garden now. Lawns can use a little sheep manure. It is as low as 25c a bag. Not too late to apply lime either - 50 lb. bag for only 69c.

Prices effective through March 29. Store hours: Mon.-Fri., 10 a.m. - 9 p.m.; Sat., 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Sun., 12 noon to 4 p.m.

CO-OP SUPERMARKET

New Sunday Hours 12-4

SLICED BACON lb. 39¢

U.S. Choice **Chuck Roast lb. 69¢**

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Danish Visitors Find GCS Finest

Eleven representatives of Danish business organizations were the guests of Greenbelt Consumer Services on March 24. The group, sponsored by the Office of International Trade, U. S. Dept. of Commerce, is in this country to make a study of self-service store operations, particularly those practiced by American supermarkets.

Co-ops in Denmark, it was learned, handle roughly 20% of the retail food trade. However, both Co-ops and independents have been slow to adopt the principles of self-service. As explained by Kaj Nielsen, group leader, material shortages have been one handicap in constructing large modern stores. An unusual Danish law prohibits meat from being sold in the same store along with the other food staples. The third problem is transportation. Although Denmark enjoys a high standard of living, only a small percentage of the people have cars.

Mr. Laursen, one owner of an independent store, said that in all of Denmark, there are not more than one or two food stores comparable in size to the Greenbelt market. Other members of the group which has already visited



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several New York chains, and many in the Washington area, commented that they had yet to see any stores "finer" than those operated by the Greenbelt Co-op.

The largest Co-op in Denmark, according to Mr. Nielsen, is in Copenhagen, operating about 250 stores in the city's 13 districts.

All Boy's Club Night

At 7 p.m. sharp activities start. The place, Center School Gym. The event, "ALL BOYS' CLUB NIGHT," the annual event dedicated to all boys in all the various activities of the Club. All of the Club's athletic activities cannot be represented at this time so the current sport basketball takes the spotlight and there will be plenty of it, as well as a zany game between the coaches and members of the Board of Directors of the Club, plus the Band and Majorettes. Come on down and help the boys celebrate their night and have yourself a good time in the bargain.

TEACHERS from page 1 PTA president, months of planning preceded the meeting, which proved to be "a good idea" despite emphasis on familiar problems.

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Swedish Speaker at PCF Luncheon

On Tuesday, April 1, The Potomac Cooperative Federation will hold a luncheon meeting at 12:30 p.m. in the YWCA in honor of Svenn Bloomquist, who is an authority on the cooperative movement in Sweden.

As tour director for the Swedish Cooperative Travel Agency, and former employee of Swedish Retail Co-ops, Bloomquist will talk and show films and slides covering co-ops throughout his country, as he has been doing from coast to coast in the United States.

Luncheon reservations may be obtained from the Potomac Cooperative Federation, Republic 1078.

Magazine Comments On GCS Enterprises

By George C. Reeves

Greenbelt's cooperative shopping center is mentioned in the March 1 issue of *Business Week*, in an article entitled: "Retail Co-ops: Can They Make Good?"

After recounting some of the vicissitudes and setbacks encountered by the cooperative movement in the United States, chiefly due to amateurish and small-scale efforts, the writer of the article cites Greenbelt and the new Takoma Park supermarket and super-drug store, among others, as examples of successful urban cooperatives on a larger scale. The article concludes with a statement from "one cooperator (who) summed up the new approach": "Co-ops have a place if they understand that they have to win their way not as cooperatives but as stores."

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