THE RESIDENT NEWSLETTER

313 Pine Street

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19106

SPECIAL ELECTION EDITION

ELECTIONS ELECTIONS ELECTIONS

1977-78 Officers and Board of the Society Hill Civic Association - Washington Square East PAC will be elected by you.

Wednesday - May 18 - 8-10 P.M.
Old Pine Street Church

The list of candidates with biographic data is attached. Candidates will be introduced at 8:00 P.M. - Wednesday - May 18.

REMEMBER YOUR MEMBERSHIP DUES APPLICATION FOR 1977-78

MUST BE RECEIVED BY RUTH DUGAN, 237 PINE STREET, BY MIDNIGHT

MAY 15, OR POSTMARKED PRIOR THERETO IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE

TO CAST YOUR VOTE. THIS CHANGE IN PAST PROCEDURE IS

MANDATED BY OUR BYLAWS.

Action items of import to you:

 Redevelopment Authority Board voted to approve a restaurantbar over our favored proposal of 4 single family homes on the Mariner Church site. Members are urged to write letters of appeal to - Mayor Rizzo and

> John Gallery, Director Philadelphia Housing & Community Development Room 201, City Hall Philadelphia, PA 19107

2) Neighbors who want to help rescue the buildings at 710, 714 Spruce Street from demolition by Pennsylvania Hospital call Mrs. Daniel Gensensway, Wa-5-6795.

A word about youth acitivity in Society Hill* and what you can do to help NOW!

Were you aware that for ten years an effective program of football, street hockey, and basketball schedule has existed in Society Hill? Playing as the "Society Hill Bicentennials", boys of all ages, races, religions, and sizes play vigorously at 6th & Lombard, 5th & Washington, McCall's gym, and visiting fields and gyms.

A crisis is at hand which <u>you</u> can help alleviate. If you feel that this neighborhood youth sports program is a good thing, please help by sending a check NOW! Costs of insurance, uniforms, bus rentals, and referees have skyrocketed. Old uniforms and equipment have worn out. And increasing numbers of boys would like to participate - if we can find the money and coaches.

We need a total of about \$2000 to keep going as is, not to mention accommodating new boys. This works out to about \$50 per boy, through shrewd buying and cooperation of vendors. (Other neighborhood and suburban programs budget over \$100 per boy). We've fielded teams totaling over 500 boys between the ages 8 and 16 in the past 10 years. Please help by sending a check for \$10, \$20, \$50, or whatever you can! Checks should be made payable to "SOCIETY HILL FOOTBALL FUND" and sent to Bob Smith, Head Coach, at 234 South Third Street, Philadelphia, PA 19106.

*Some of the neighborhood boys currently playing include Berry, Blumberg, Coyne, D'Amico, Davies, Eisenstadt, Foglietta, Kratchman, Kise, Levinson, Lloyd, Long, Mason, Neidermeyer, Nelson, O'Kane, Osinski, Panciera, Postigo, Rothman, Rosano, Schall, Sells, Veale and Watson.