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## Neil Thomas Elected Business Club Head

Mel Pedersen, Mrs. V. R. Selle, Mrs. J. E. Beckwith, Elmer Beard, Forrest Leonard Also Are Voted Into Office

Neil Thomas, owner of the Clover Creek Market, was elected president of the Parkland Business Club at their meeting Dec. 2.

Other officers are as follows: Mel Pedersen, general contractor, vice president; Mrs. V. R. Selle, Parkland Fuel Oil and Service Station, recording secretary; Mrs. J. E. Beckwith, Gladiator Service Station, corresponding secretary; Forrest Leonard, Blue Spruce Motel, treasurer; Elmer Beard, Beard Printing Company, three year term on the board of directors, to serve with R. E. Pochel of the Pochel Distributing Company, and Iver Johnson of the Johnson and Anderson Grocery Store.



### Parkland Hour

Morris E. Ford, superintendent of the Parkland school district, will be the guest speaker on the Parkland Hour this week and will discuss the forthcoming school election in the Parkland area.

The Parkland hour is broadcast every Friday at 10 a. m. over station KTBI.

### Thank You

Mr. and Mrs. George Garrison of Sales Road wish to thank all their friends and neighbors who helped them and their family when the home burned last week.

### Popular Records

Parkland residents who have a flare for popular music will now be able to buy records in their own community. The Parkland Radio and Record Shop was recently opened on Garfield street by Harvey G. Vadika of Montana and Dean L. Jackson of Tacoma. The shop features popular records, radio repairs and Philco radios.

### Profitable Hobby

Two more Parkland residents have made their hobby a paying proposition. Mrs. Theresa Jacobus and Mrs. Pauline Stanley, both of Golden Given Road, have long been making candy as a hobby. Recently they organized the T and S Candy Company, specializing in divinity, fudge, and lemon delights. Starting their sales in the Coffee Cup Cafe in South Tacoma, they now sell packages in various grocery stores in this district. The women are making and packaging the candy in their own kitchens at present but hope to do their business on a larger scale when equipment becomes available. Their business has been largely wholesale, but they also take retail orders.

## Improvement Club Elects New Officers; Talk Traffic Signs

New officers were elected at the monthly meeting of the Midland Improvement Club, Dec. 1.

They are Floyd Ayers, president; Mrs. E. A. Brittain, vice president; Mrs. Victor Espheter, secretary; Louie McArter, treasurer. Al Bombardier was reelected for a three-year term as trustee.

The need for a traffic sign on 84th and Portland Avenue was discussed at the meeting and it was decided to write a letter to the county commissioner to get a caution light on Portland Avenue and a stop light on 84th street.

It was also decided to request a school zone sign from the state highway department and voted to buy two "Suzie Q" signs if the Midland school board and the P.T.A. will also buy some.

The club will meet the first Tuesday of every month starting in January instead of the first Monday as the school board meets on the latter date.

## Telephone Company Business Office Changes Location

The telephone company business office moved to its new location, 734 St. Helens, in the Medical Arts Building, last weekend.

D. C. Franklin, district manager for the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company, said that a normal volume of people were visiting the new office. He said that every effort is being made to notify everyone in Tacoma through newspaper and radio advertising of the new location of the telephone business office.

The telephone company business office was formerly at 757 Fawcett, but all available space in the four-story telephone building is required for the installation of additional telephone equipment to meet the increased demands for telephone service here.

The new telephone company business office location is a more convenient one for most Tacoma and the new quarters, modern in every respect, provide expansion room for business office personnel that was badly needed, according to Franklin.

## Fire Department Elects Officers

The annual election of the Parkland Volunteer Fire Department was held Dec. 1.

The following officers were elected for 1948: Lewis Duffey, president; Haley Peterson, vice-president; Morris E. Ford, secretary-treasurer; Ernie Skance, publicity and historian. The board of trustees include: Harry Beitz, 3-year term; Robert Haner, 2-year term; and Arnold Ellingson, one year term.

"Woody" Cline was installed as a new member of the volunteer organization at the Nov. meeting.

## It Happened In Parkland . . .

Mrs. Robert Haner, reporter GRanite 7551

**Weekend Visitors**—Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Walters and their two children visited Mr. Walter's cousin, Mrs. Pearl Elliott of Sales Road, over the weekend.

**Thanksgiving in Bellingham**—Mrs. Anna Arthur spent Thanksgiving in Bellingham visiting her daughter.

**Visits Sister**—Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Engbretsen visited Mr. Engbretsen's sister at his mother's home in Tacoma. His sister is from California.

**Holiday Guests**—Thanksgiving and Christmas are reserved for families, and many were the gatherings of friends and families in Parkland for the first of these holidays.

**Portland Guests**—Guests of Mrs. Oscar Hovland and daughter Gladys on Thanksgiving and for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Skovgard of Portland.

land. Also included for Thanksgiving dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Merle Loop of Seattle, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bowles of Parkland.

**Four Generations**—Four generations were represented at dinner on Thanksgiving Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Totten. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Richmond, Mrs. Thirza Hendrix and daughter Noel, Mrs. Mildred Winter, all of Snoqualmie; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Totten and daughter Merryly, and Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Richmond, all of Seattle.

**Guests**—Welcomed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Olson on that day were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. St. Clair and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Soltis and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Olson.

**Thanksgiving Guests**—Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Binkley were Mrs. A. C. Binkley and Miss Betty Jean Binkley.

**Weekend Guests**—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pelela (Ardis Severson) and sons of Belfair spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Severson, remaining over for the rest of the weekend for the christening of their youngest son, 2½ months old James Ross, at Trinity Lutheran Church. Dr. E. B. Steen officiated. Co-sponsors were the child's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Severson, and an aunt and uncle, Miss Shirley Severson and Mr. Lyle Severson.

**Entertain in New Home**—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Snyder were hosts at dinner on Thanksgiving Day in their new home on Thurman street with the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Alvin H. Puett and daughter Carol Ann, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roberts and daughters Phyllis and Patri- (Continued on Page Four)

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## Dead or Alive

Have you seen Spot? Spot is a black and white Boston Bull Terrier belonging to Mrs. Joseph Enge of Parkland. The 14-year-old dog has been missing since Thanksgiving eve and was last seen in front of the Trinity Lutheran Church in Parkland. He was wearing a black collar with silver buttons.

His anxious mistress is awaiting word of her dog and wishes anyone who has seen him, either dead or alive, to contact her at GRanite 8611.

## TO DEDICATE MEMORIAL GYM

PRISIDENT ALLEN OF U. OF WASHINGTON WILL BE SPEAKER

Pacific Lutheran College's new Memorial Gymnasium will be dedicated at 8:00 p.m. December 5, when the Lute cagers meet the University of Washington Huskies.

Dr. Raymond B. Allen, president of the University of Washington, will speak at a short dedicatory program preceding the game. Others participating in the program include: Dr. H. L. Foss, president of the college board of trustees; Dr. S. C. Eastvold, PLC president, and Cliff Olson.

The spacious gym, built at a cost of \$250,000, will accommodate crowds up to 2400. Everything a modern gym should have is incorporated in the new structure.

This includes three dressing rooms for the athletic teams, offices, classrooms, a public address system, a sound-proof radio room, a laundry, an electric scoreboard, and a training room.

The Memorial Gymnasium is named in honor of the former PLC athletes who gave their lives in the service of their country. It is a gift from the citizens of Tacoma. Cliff Olson, Pacific Lutheran athletic director, serves as chairman for the fund-raising campaign. Mr. John S. Baker of Tacoma is the honorary chairman.

Accommodates 2400

The membership book will be opened. Each person must be a signed member to be in a position to vote in the January election of officers.

## County Basketball League To Be Held In Memorial Gym

The Pierce County High School League is again knocking the lid off the basketball season with its ninth annual Jamboree. Scheduled for 7:45 Saturday night, December 6, the jamboree will be held in the new Memorial Gymnasium at Pacific Lutheran College.

All members of the eight-team league will unveil new editions for the 1947-48 hoop season. Each team is to play two eight-minute quarters, against an opponent selected by lot, giving fans ample opportunity to see some fast action as well as a look at their favorites.

Representing the East side in the Jamboree are Fife, Federal Way, Orting, and last year's champions from Eatonville. Opposing teams on the West side include Kapowsin, Peninsula, Roy, and Yelmu.

## Mary Martha Society Will Install Officers

The Mary Martha Society of Trinity Lutheran Church will meet on Monday evening, Dec. 8, at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. E. B. Steen, with Mrs. Lester Knutson and Miss Lillian Langemo the assisting hostesses. A Christmas program has been planned with group singing of Christmas Carols.

A candlelight installation of new officers will be conducted by Mrs. Steen. The officers for the coming year are Miss Lillian Langemo, president; Mrs. I. M. Ulberg, vice-president; Mrs. S. O. Storaasli, recording secretary; Mrs. M. G. Bump, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Gus Anderson, treasurer.

## Local Woman Dies After Heart Attack

Miss Jessie Phipps of Rt. 13, Box 218, died suddenly Monday following a heart attack.

Miss Phipps, formerly of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, has been employed by the Larchmont Furriers as a saleslady since 1939. Surviving her are a sister, Mrs. Ray Cuff, and a brother, Tom Phipps, and a cousin, Miss Agnes E. Brenner, all of Tacoma.

## Sales Road Home Destroyed by Fire

Fire, caused by a defective chimney, destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Garrison of Sales Road last week. The couple and their three children escaped injury in the blaze and some clothing and furniture was saved.

The fire occurred at 9 a. m., Nov. 25. Fire trucks from Tacoma and the Parkland Fire department answered the call.

## Spanaway Supports Union High School

Board Will Ask Residents to Vote On Millage Election, Location for Proposed Building, and State Aid

Striving to get a high school for their youngsters, Spanaway residents came out in favor of building a Union high school at a rally sponsored by the Spanaway Progressive Community Club, December 2.

Spanaway, Clover Creek, Lacamas, and Elk Plain were organized into a Union high school district seven years ago but never operated a high school.

A high school in operation this year would have had 400 students in attendance and it is estimated that 500 would be in attendance within a year, according to Robert Lee, chairman of the Union high school board.

## Group to Present Christian Drama At Clover Creek

The Clover Creek Baptist Young People are presenting a Christian drama, "Follow Thou Me," at the Calvary Baptist Church in Tacoma, December 5, and also at the Clover Creek school Dec. 7.

Those in the cast include: Wanda Fix, Nancy Boness, Richard Boness, Elmer Fromm, Harley Malyon, Bettie Cruts, Elsie Keene, Harold Fromm, Bessie Roland, Carolyn Rhea, Bob Parr, Don Reichert and Georgia Bolieu.

William Clyde Rhea is the director while Mrs. Lester Cruts and Albert Carlson are the promoters. Dorothy Bolieu and Beverly Cruts are in charge of lights.

Celora Cope is the soloist and members of the sextet are Don Reichert, Elmer Fromm, Harold Fromm, Richard Boness, Harley Malyon, and Bob Parr. Alberta Carlson is the pianist. Richard Boness, Wanda Fix, Celora Cope and Carolyn Rhea have charge of the makeup.

The group presented the play at the First Baptist Church in Sumner, Nov. 30.

## Legion Sponsors Community Sing

Clover Creek Auxiliary 118 of the American Legion presented three acts at the Community Sing program held at the American Lake Veterans Hospital, Dec. 3.

Some 300 to 400 patients at the hospital were entertained by the program at which each district assisted.

Plans for the program were made at a banquet of the 4th district American Legion Auxiliary Rehabilitation conferences held at Dittmore on Nov. 21. Among those present was Mabel Hart, rehabilitation chairman of the Clover Creek Auxiliary Unit.

The Unit will also contribute and wrap many gifts for the Gift shop at American Lake. The purpose of the shop is to give every patient the privilege of selecting a gift for any member of his family. The Legion will also address and mail the packages free of charge.

## Parkland Pre School To Meet Monday

The Parkland Pre-School will meet at 8 p. m., Dec. 8, in the kindergarten room of the Parkland grade school.

The speaker for the evening will be Miss Anna Marn Nielsen, whose subject will be "Preparing the Preschool Child for School."

The remainder of the evening will be spent singing Christmas Carols, and wrapping gifts for the kindergarten children. All members are asked to bring Christmas wrapping materials.

The hostesses will be Mesdames Alvin Hawn, George Skarapan, O. H. Torgeson, and Elizabeth McIntosh.

## Legion Sponsors Series of Parties

The third in a series of six dances sponsored by the American Legion of Clover Creek Post No. 118 of Spanaway will be held at 9 p. m., Dec. 6, in Polish Hall at 30th and R streets.

Ozzie Olson's five piece band will furnish the music for the Hardtimes dance. Bingo and other entertainment will be offered for those who don't wish to dance. A door prize will be given away.

Staff Sergeant Jens Jensen is dance chairman while Bill Preston has charge of the social room. Irma Long, Amy Wormald, Marie Jensen, Mabel Hart and Freda Hartman, all members of the auxiliary, are on the refreshment committee.

Tickets will be sold at the Polish hall, and all proceeds go to the building fund of the legion. The public is invited.

## A School Child Knows This

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**Protect Your Home**

The annual Christmas Seal Sale campaign which now is conducted throughout our nation stemmed from an idea of a post office official in 1905.

Jacob Riis, a writer and public benefactor of that generation, was greatly impressed by the experiment and wrote an article advocating the adoption of such a plan in this country. The idea was put into action by Emily Bissel who raised \$3000 for a tuberculosis hospital for children. Christmas seals have been sold annually since that time to raise funds to combat this disease, the fight against tuberculosis has had the wholehearted cooperation of the public at large and the fund to fight the disease is showing such results that doctors believe that it may be eliminated in America in the future.

Buy Christmas Seals now and help protect your home from tuberculosis.

**New High School Needed**

South End children need a new high school! Nearly 500 high school students from the Parkland, Midland and Collins School districts are now attending schools in Tacoma, Clover Park, Roy, and Puyallup. And if present population trends continue, it is estimated that in 10 years there will be nearly 1000 students from these districts attending schools in other areas.

The chance to get the high school is now here. Olai Hageness, county superintendent of schools, has announced that an election will be held in the near future in those three districts to vote on the proposal of a high school. But unless each and everyone in these districts gives their support, there will be no high school for our children.

An election was held once before, in January, but the proposal was defeated when the Central Ave. district which was also included at that time voted it down. The support of each district is needed for the proposal to pass. Let's see that it is not defeated again. Let's make sure our children get the high school they need.

**Last Chance**

Parkland residents better turn out for the next meeting of the Parkland Community Club to be held at 8 p. m., Dec. 11, in the Parkland school. It will be their last chance to sign the membership book.

Unless they are so registered, they will not be able to vote in the forthcoming election of officers. As nominations of officers will be accepted from the floor, it is doubly important that residents attend that the new officers may best represent the wishes of a large portion of the community.

Community Club officers act as the representative of Parkland and it is important that the men chosen be worthy and capable of their position.

Let's have everyone who can turn out for the meeting.

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**MIDLAND NEWS**  
 Bee Brittain, Reporter  
 GR. 8231

Dinner—Mr. and Mrs. Victor Eshpeter, their son Vicky and daughter Sharon, Mr. Clayton Stranberg of 98th street spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Boss, parents of Mrs. Eshpeter and Mr. Stranberg, on McKinley Avenue. Besides being Thanksgiving, it was also a family reunion. There were twelve present.

P.T.A. Meeting—The next regular meeting of the Harvard-Midland P.T.A. will be held at 2 p.m. Dec. 17 at Harvard. The pupils of Harvard will furnish the theme for the program. Mrs. Chet Robinson and Mrs. Silvernail are the room mothers for the day, so anyone having children in the first and second grades please contact either of the two room mothers.

Council Meeting—The Pierce County Council of Parents and Teachers will hold their Christmas meeting at the University Place School on Dec. 4. Anyone wishing to go please call GRanite 8644 or GRanite 8231. Let us have a large turnout this time.

Guests—Dinner guests at the William Foster's for Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Carlson and their son. Later in the evening other guests came in and an enjoyable evening was spent in playing cards.

Recuperating—Friends of Mrs. Noel Bain will be glad to hear that after a week in bed with the flu she is now up and around although still too weak to be out.

Thank You—The Midland 4-H girls and their leaders wish to thank all the members of the community and their mothers who worked so diligently to make their Achievement Day program a success.

**KIRBY NEWS**  
 Mrs. Albert Nelson, reporter  
 Phone GRaham 206

Thanksgiving Guests—Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Tinius were dinner guests at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bottomley, in Seattle on Thanksgiving day.

Returns to Georgia—Cpl. Bob Gardner left Monday for Fort Banning, Ga., via plane, after having a month's furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gardner.

Hurts Eye—Mr. E. Parkham had the misfortune of hurting his eye while working in a saw mill.

Thanksgiving Guests—Mr. and Mrs. Ross Plumb and sons Terry, Jerry and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. L. Plumb of Tacoma, Miss Joann Williams and Mr. Martin Vusick were Thanksgiving guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jupiter.

In Seattle—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Florenz and sons Donald and Dickie spent Thanksgiving in Seattle.

Yakima Visitors—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Paulson of Yakima, Wash., and son, Harvey Paulson of Kennewick, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson on Saturday.

Hurts Hand—Bob Jupiter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jupiter had the misfortune of running a needle in his hand. Mrs. A. S. Lathrop rushed him to the hospital in Puyallup. Hope it doesn't prove too serious.

Wedding Anniversary—Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Gooch visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson, on Nov. 23, it being her parents 26th wedding anniversary.

Visits—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lorenz and son Ricky of Parkland visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson on Tuesday, Nov. 25.

Edgewood Visitors—Mr. and Mrs. George Ulvang of Edgewood, Wash., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Tinnius on Monday evening, Nov. 24.

Auxiliary Meets—The Rebekah auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Dorthoy Roberts with Miss M. Martin and Mrs. Ray Carlson assisting. Those attending were Mrs. Thelma Fairbanks and son David, Mrs. Victor Anderson, Mrs. B. Boster and daughter, Mrs. Helen Danley, Mrs. Elsie Saunders, Mrs. Oma Green, Mrs. Lilas Whitford, Mrs. W. Huff, Mrs. Albert Nelson, Mrs. Effie McGee, Mrs. May

**Clover Creek**  
 By Bessie Roland Reporter

Make Purchase—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rowe have purchased the place on the corner of Waller and Military roads which was owned by Mrs. John Kuper.

Weekend Visitor—Ronald Darsen of Puyallup spent the weekend, Nov. 29-30, with Wessel Kuper.

Thanksgiving Guests—Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kuper were Mrs. Hannah Shervin, Mrs. Christine McCarty, Mrs. Fena Elledge, and Mr. and Mrs. John Kuper and sons George Allen and Wessel Kuper.

Son Visits—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunn and son Ted motored to Seattle Nov. 2 to get their son, Pfc. Jack L. Dunn, who came in from San Diego. He was assigned to the U. S. S. Princeton and as it was in Seattle he came from San Diego via train. He shipped out again Monday.

Guests—Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Clayton of Seattle spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunn on Wednesday, Nov. 26.

Dinner Guests—Mr. and Mrs. Jack L. Dunn and son Ted and Nadine Kratochvil of Summit were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mathison of Lakewood Center Wednesday, Nov. 26.

Thanksgiving Guests—Thanksgiving dinner guests at the Earl Meyer home were Mr. and Mrs. Nick Evasco and daughter Sylvia Sue, Mrs. Jimmie H. O'Brien and Mr. and Mrs. Freiman Meyers and family.

Thanksgiving Guest—Maxine Smithlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Smithlin, was a dinner guest Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Meyers.

Fly to Ellensburg—Don Smithlin, accompanied by Joe Entus, flew to Ellensburg, Nov. 19. Due to bad weather they had to leave the plane there and return by bus.

Dinner Guests—Thanksgiving day, Mrs. Bessie Snyder, Mrs. Evelyn McKeown and son Robert Jon were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Boness and family.

In Olympia—Sergeant and Mrs. Fred W. Boness were dinner guests of friends in Olympia on Friday night, Nov. 28.

Buy House—A house purchased from Letha Roario by Richard Boness was moved onto his acreage, which he recently purchased from his brother, Fred W. Boness. The acreage is across from the Smithlin's on Military Road.

Thanksgiving with Family—Leona Sweet, who makes her home with Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Boness, spent Thanksgiving day with her mother, brothers and sisters who live in Buckley, Wash.

Visits St. Leo's—Nina Jane Boness visited at the St. Leo's school Friday, Nov. 28. She and Delores Smithlin went ice skating at the Ice Palace after school.

Motor to St. Helens—Mr. and Mrs. Omer E. Roland, Edward, Omer and Bessie and Paul Nichols motored to St. Helens Wednesday evening, November 26, to spend Thanksgiving with Paul's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Vance McManigal and family.

Bowden, Mrs. Mande Caper, Mrs. Ray Carlson, Mrs. M. Daniels, Mrs. M. Novak, Mrs. Beth Norman, Mrs. T. Borgart, Mrs. M. Jorgenson and daughter Carole. The next meeting will be held at the lodge hall on Dec. 23. It will be the Christmas party.

Celebrates 25th Anniversary—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reece and son, Gordon, of Port Orchard, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bolen of Tacoma visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lindbergh. They helped their parents celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. S. Lindbergh of Olympia, Wash., were also present for the anniversary.

Visit Mother—Billy and Helen Erickson spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. D. E. Gooch of Tacoma.

Thanksgiving Guests—Those having Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson were Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gooch, Mr. Ralph Nelson and Mr. Emil Nelson, all of Tacoma.

Visits Parents—Mr. and Mrs. Hyle Fairbanks and children and Mr. and Mrs. Van Den Elzen and son Jack spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. Anderson.

**Spanaway Pupils Publish Newspaper**  
 Pupils of the Spanaway school published the first issue of their newspaper last week.

The paper, called the "Spanaway Tattler," is complete with news from each classroom, community news, original articles written by the students themselves, and even a gossip column headed "Snoopy Sal."

Jeanine Spencer, eighth grade pupil, is editor of the paper, while Lois Hall of the seventh grade is assistant editor.

**CHURCH NEWS**

**TRINITY LUTHERAN**  
 Parkland, Washington  
 Ernest E. Steen, Pastor  
 Senior Choir, Wednesday, 7:30.  
 Boy Scout Troop No. 33, Thursday, at 7:15 p.m.  
 Confirmation Class, Saturday, at 9:30.  
 Sunday School at 10.  
 Junior Service at 11.  
 Regular worship service at 11.  
 Junior Choir, Saturday, 11 a.m.  
 Communion, Sunday, 9 a.m.  
 Service at 9 p.m., Sunday school teachers and officers Christmas social.  
 Junior Guild, Tuesday at 8 p.m., home of Mrs. E. E. Steen, Circle No. 5, Tuesday at 8 p.m., home of Mrs. M. Hoffman.  
 Girl Scout Troop No. 100, Wednesday at 8:15 p.m., in Church parlors.

**PERN HILL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 South 86th and "G" Streets  
 E. W. Jedyard, Pastor  
 Bible School, 9:15 a.m. Classes for all ages. Mrs. Norman Swenland, superintendent.  
 Worship at 11.  
 Evening Service, 7:30.  
 Wednesday at 6:45, B.Y.P.U.  
 Wednesday at 7:30, studies in the Book of Hebrews, and Prayer.

**SPANAWAY FULL GOSPEL TABERNACLE**  
 Stanley E. Weddle, Pastor  
 Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
 Morning worship, 11 a.m.  
 Evangelistic service, 8 p.m.  
 Christ's Ambassadors, Wednesday.

**ST. JOHN CHURCH OF THE WOODS**  
 Rev. R. E. Logan, Pastor  
 Masses, 8 and 10:30 a.m., in Midland Community Hall. Catechism after Mass.

**MIDLAND PENTECOSTAL**  
 Arnie Korman, Superintendent,  
 Sunday School Superintendent,  
 August Sumuland.  
 Meets every Sunday in Midland P. A. hall at 11 a.m.  
 Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

**HARVARD SUNDAY SCHOOL**  
 Inor Bergstrom, Supt.  
 Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. every Sunday.  
 Harvard Sunday School Mothers' Circle meets the first Wednesday of the month at 2 p.m.

**LARCHMONT SUNDAY SCHOOL**  
 Larchmont Sunday School meets in the Parish house at 9:30 Sunday mornings. Harry Hesser, Superintendent.

**CLOVER CREEK BAPTIST**  
 Military Road opposite Clover Creek School  
 W. Greck School  
 Bible School, 10 a.m. George Chessum, superintendent.  
 Morning worship, 11 a.m.  
 Youth Fellowship, 7 p.m. (Junior and Senior).  
 Evening Gospel Service, 8 p.m.  
 Mid-week service, Thursday, 8 p.m.

**SPANAWAY METHODIST**  
 "The Church by the Side of the Hill"  
 James White and Raymond McMillan, co-pastors  
 Sunday School at 10 a.m.; Mrs. K. Blosser, sup't.; Mrs. J. Sneider, pianist. You are invited to come and study with us.  
 Church service at 11 a.m. Mrs. O'Vera, pianist. Scorned by the pastor. We extend you a very cordial welcome. Our aim is friendliness and brotherhood.  
 Youth Fellowship at 6. Interesting lessons.

**MIDLAND COMMUNITY HOME**  
 Thure Mohrberg, Minister  
 Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
 Morning service, 11 a.m.  
 Bible study and prayer, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

**PARKLAND METHODIST**  
 George W. Cooper, pastor  
 Sunday: Divine Worship and preaching, 11 a.m.; Church School, 10 a.m.

**PARKLAND EV. LUTHERAN**  
 Walther G. Gullikson, Pastor  
 Sunday: 9:30 a.m., Sunday school, 10:30 a.m., Morning worship.

**PRAIRIE MISSION SUNDAY SCHOOL**  
 International  
 Denny Lucas, Superintendent  
 Fred Southwell, Asst. Supt.  
 Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.  
 Bible Study in the book of Philipians at 7:30 Monday night, with Mrs. Charles Knautz teaching. Come and bring a friend.

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**PARKLAND THEATRE**  
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 Spencer Tracy, Richard Greene, Nancy Kelly, Walter Brennan and Charles Coburn  
 "OUT CALIFORNIA WAY"  
 Monte Hale - Adrian Booth  
 Sunday & Monday, Dec. 7, 8  
 "I'LL BE YOURS"  
 Deanna Durbin, Tom Drake and William Bendix  
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# Elk Plain News . . .

**Alice Dorfner, Reporter  
Graham 458**

**Settle Here**—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Curtis have moved to Elk Plain from Oklahoma, their new address being Box 348, Route 1. Spanaway, Wash.

**Receive Word**—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Howe received tragic word that Mrs. Howe's son, Leonard Klingenspeel, has passed away somewhere in the South Pacific while serving with the U. S. Army.

**Cycle Accident**—John Boyce of Elk Plain received a fractured arm and several other minor injuries in a motorcycle accident. He spent a short time in the Marine Hospital in Seattle.

**Turkey Feed**—Mrs. M. A. Fer-

guson prepared a lovely Thanksgiving dinner for Mrs. Thiel and children, Helen, Betty, Joe and Art; and Mary, Jack, Gary, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Ockfen, who were guests at the Ferguson home.

**Has Birthday**—A group of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Thiel to celebrate the birthday of Elmer Thiel, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Thiel, on Sunday, Nov. 23. Those present were Ed, Betty, Helen and Joe Thiel; Jimmie Nist and Linda; Miss Violet Beckman. Mrs. Margaret Ferguson, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thiel.

**Visit in Raymond**—Mr. William Hemholtz and son Ernie motored to Raymond, Washington, over the weekend to visit with friends.

**James Wilson Passes**—Mrs. Margaret Ferguson received word that her brother, James Wilson of Kewstoke, B. C., passed away while at work.

**Daughter Is Hostess**—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Corbin of South Tacoma served a thankful and plentiful dinner to the parents of Mrs. Corbin, Mr. and Mrs. Spleen of Elk Plain on Thanksgiving Day.

**Thanksgiving Dinner**—Mrs. Flora Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Castle, and Dave Caspers, recently discharged from the service were all present when Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Castle Jr., served a wonderful Thanksgiving dinner.

**Visits Over Weekend**—Mrs. Flora Thornton, mother of Mrs. E. W. Castle, visited her daughter over the weekend. Mrs. Thornton returned to her home on Sunday morning with the Castles to attend church at the First Methodist in Tacoma.

**Leaves for Detroit**—Mrs. Toni Edwards of Elk Plain left for Detroit, Michigan, Friday, to join her husband. The Edwards plan to stay in Detroit.

**Meeting**—Elk Plain Gleaners meet on the eve of Dec. 9 at the home of Mrs. T. A. Tibbetts. Each member should bring a gift for the party.

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# HARVARD NEWS

**Mrs. Alice Smith, Reporter  
GA. 7802**

**Recuperating**—Mrs. Arra Duncan is recuperating at her home on 86th and East D street after an operation.

**Thanksgiving Guests**—Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Drath and family, and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Smith and family were dinner guests at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Drath of East 84th and McKinley Avenue, on Thanksgiving Day.

**New Owner**—Russell Holmes is now the owner of the grocery store on 84th and Portland Ave.

**Sixth Birthday**—A birthday party was given for Rex Silvernail at his home on his sixth birthday. Games were played and lunch was served. Those present were Helen and Lloyd Marvick, Donald Larsen, Brian, Lea Mae and Sharon Brackenberry, Cheryl Ames, Bernice and Delores Robinson.

**Home on Leave**—Bill Beshaler was home on two weeks leave from his Florida base. He will be discharged from the navy about January first.

**Sunshine Sewing Club**—The Sunshine Sewing Club met at the home of Babe Crawford. After lunch the regular meeting was held, then a stork shower was held in honor of Mrs. A. Jordan. The afternoon was spent playing games. The next meeting will be Dec. 27, at the home of Maxine Williams on East 72nd St.

**23rd Anniversary**—Mr. and Mrs. Herb Kennedy of 80th and Wilkeson Road, celebrated their 23rd wedding anniversary on Thanksgiving day with a family dinner. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Blanchard (Violet), Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hartman (Virginia), Donna, Herbert, Marlene, Sally, Larry Kennedy, and grandson Joe Jr. Many nice gifts were received by the couple.

**Aunt and Uncle Visit**—Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bert Vaughn, of 84th and Golden Given, are Mr. Vaughn's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. I. Skidmore, from Bellingham.

**In Minneapolis**—Ruby Strand is in Minneapolis, Minn., visiting relatives. She will be there for a month.

**Thanksgiving Dinner**—Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Shipton had Thanksgiving dinner at home for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Shipton and children Donna and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. G. Puckett (Gloria), Mr. and Mrs. C. Springer, Mrs. Viola Brownell from Puyallup and Carol and Lorraine Shipton.

**Buy Farm**—Mr. and Mrs. O. Tipton have bought a farm in the Ohop valley. They formerly lived on 74th and East L St.

**1st Birthday**—Sharon Jean Emery celebrated her first birthday at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Kennedy. She received many gifts, including a package from her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. G. Chisholm in Brockton, Mass. Helping her celebrate were her great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. C. Blanchard, Herbie, Sally, Larry and Buster Kennedy, and Bud and Del Kennedy, and Pat Steidel.

**Visitors**—Visiting the William Ames family on East 80th St. were Mrs. Louis Picard, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Arms and daughter Bobby and Bud Picard from Omak, Wash., Mrs. Lawrence Morris from Brewster, and Mrs. Wilbur Ians and daughter Hazel, from Seattle.

# NEWS of SPANAWAY

**Rose Marie Righetti, Reporter  
GRanite 8227**

**Guests**—Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Salley of 4th street is Mrs. Salley's daughter, Mrs. Donald Lavine and son Roger and her son, Mr. Howard Johnson, all of Yakima. Mrs. Salley returned with them for a week's visit.

**Iowa Guest**—A recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wall of 10th St., was Mr. Wall's father, C. J. Wall of Northrock, Iowa.

**Week's Visit**—Mrs. Frances Cleveland of Loop Road spent a week in Tacoma at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Esther Vanderflute recently.

**Twin Boys**—Proud parents of twin boys born Nov. 22nd are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Newman of Tacoma. Little Thomas weighed 6 lbs., 12 oz. at birth and John 7 lbs., 4 oz. at birth. They were born in Tacoma General hospital. The Newmans are former residents of Spanaway and have three other children, Harry, Dickey and Maralynn.

**Dinner Guests**—Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reiter of 12th St. on Thanksgiving were their son and family, Mr.

and Mrs. James Reiter and Leota and Eileen of Spanaway, Mr. and Mrs. H. Magnuson of Bremerton and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kreger of Eatonville.

**Guests**—Visiting their daughter, Mrs. Duane Morrison of Mt. Highway are Mr. and Mrs. Ted O'Neil from Sage, Wyoming. This is Mr. O'Neil's first visit in 29 years. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Perkins.

**Called by Death**—Mr. and Mrs. Al Hart were called to LaCross, Wash., by the death of Mrs. Hart's brother, Oscar Huffman. Burial was in Klammath Falls.

**Dinner**—Enjoying Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henriksen of Lake Front Road were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tenata and sons, Jerry and Alden of Tokeland, their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Henriksen of Tacoma and Gay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henriksen.

**In Seattle**—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee and son John and Mr. and Mrs. William Lee enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Reynolds of Seattle.

**In Chicago**—In Chicago for an indefinite visit are Ray Freichs and Carley Jergens of 2nd St.

**In California**—Mr. and Mrs. Merle Handy and Mrs. Emma Simmons of 3rd St. are visiting indefinitely in Los Angeles, Calif.

**Returned**—Mr. and Mrs. Leo Snakenburg and daughter Della have returned to their home in Keswick, Iowa. Mrs. Snakenburg will be remembered as Vertrice Justice.

**Trip**—Mrs. Carolyn Overaa of Berger Road and Mrs. Oranda Sanders of Tacoma have returned from a 7 months trip to England, Norway, Scotland and Sweden. Mrs. Overaa is now visiting in Tacoma at the home of her mother, Mrs. Henry Hartley.

**Moved**—Mr. and Mrs. Harold LeMay are now at their new home on Washington street in Parkland.

**Dinner Guests**—Thanksgiving guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fern Cooley of Olympia were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nygard and daughter Janelle of 4th St. and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lane of Seattle, former residents of Spanaway.

**P. T. A.**—Members of Spanaway P. T. A. are urged to attend the convention at University Place on Thursday, Dec. 4, in order to win the attendance cup. Registration at 9:45 with good speakers throughout the day and a Christmas program.

**Diner Guests**—Thanksgiving guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Modahl were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pitcher of Tacoma, parents of Mrs. Modahl and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richman of Tacoma.

**Back to School**—Shirley Gammett, daughter of Mrs. William Herbert, 9th St., has recovered from a serious illness and is resuming her studies at Roy High School.

**Home**—Home for the holidays was Mr. Louis Symmons of 11th St. Mr. Symmons is employed at Richland, Wash.

**Visitors**—Visiting here from Seattle were Mr. and Mrs. Les Miller and children. While here, their daughter Dee visited at the home of her school friends, Miss Esther Swanson and Miss Moyle Packard.

**Bookmobile Club**—The Bookmobile Club will stop at 3rd and Pacific Ave. on Thursday, Dec. 4, from 4 to 4:30 p. m. All book lovers are urged to attend for their reading material at this date.

**Leave Spanaway**—Captain and Mrs. Howard Wilson and family are now at their new home in Tacoma. They are former residents of Loop Road.

**Dormitory Auxiliary Will Hold Annual Christmas Tea**

The annual Christmas Tea of Dormitory Auxiliary No. 2 of Pacific Lutheran College will be held in the lounge of the new Student Union building from 4 to 8 p.m., Dec. 7.

A Christmas program of music has been planned for the tea hours. This will include electric guitar and vocal numbers by Diane Bassett, piano selections by Ruby Stausacher, vocal selections by Rudy Martin, cello numbers by Charlotte Bergaust, accompanied by Mrs. Allan Holmes, and vocal duets by Helen Ramstad and Dick Svare.

The Mesdames Harold Keller, C. S. Fynboe, Frank Grattias and R. L. Renwick will pour at the tea. The committee in charge of the affair is as follows: Mrs. Harold Peterson, decorations; Miss Ann Langlow, tea table; Mrs. Alvin Jacobs and Miss Jerry Hohenhouse, refreshments.

Miss Nora Olsen, president, and Mrs. Morris Ford, vice president, will welcome members and their guests.

**Guild to Sponsor "Why Chimes Rang"**

A play, "Why the Chimes Rang", coached by Miss Anne Knudson, and a program of music by the Trinity Lutheran Church Choir will be sponsored by the Trinity Guild at 7:30 p. m., Dec. 7.

Mrs. Philip E. Hauge is general chairman, Mrs. Carl Colton is in charge of costumes and Mrs. Clifford A. Olson is music chairman.

Speaking characters in the play are David Roe, David Steen, Paul Reigstad, Mrs. Arnold Ellingson, Miss Lillian Langemo. The Choir, under the direction of Mrs. Olson, will sing excerpts from Handel's Messiah.

Mrs. Gunnar Malmin will play a prelude and an offertory. Gifts received from the processional offering will be sent by the Trinity Guild to the Parkland children's home in Everett, the Josephine Old People's Home in Stanwood, and the Seamen's Mission in Seattle.

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**Move to Parkland**—Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Molden have moved to their new home in Parkland.

**Confined to Hospital**—Mr. Joe Hardesty is confined to the Madigan General hospital for a few days.

**Confined to Home**—Miss Lou Ella West is confined at her home with strep throat.

**Congratulations**—Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Goodman Jr. are the parents of a baby girl born Nov. 29. Welcoming Candace Verdine at home is her brother Chris. Proud grandparents are Mr. J. C. McCabe of Brookdale and Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Goodman Sr. of St. Paul, Minn.

**WOMEN'S CLUB TO MEET**  
The Women's Club of the Evangelical Lutheran Church will meet at 8 p. m. Dec. 4, at the home of Mrs. W. Perkuhn.

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# G.I. Column



## BINGO PARTIES

This is the announcement you have been waiting for. Bingo parties of the Rodger Lunde Auxiliary are in full swing and the next party will be held Tuesday evening, Dec. 9, at 8 o'clock, in Sunshine Hall, located on Tacoma Avenue one block west of Sales Road. Let's all get together and get acquainted with our neighbors. Entertainment and free lunch will be served by the Post.

To all Comrades, here is a Christmas idea: If you happen to be one of those V.F.W. members who wants to do something to help make the V.F.W. a greater force for veteran welfare, give your organization a Christmas present of one new member. The procedure is simple. Obtain a membership application blank from your Post Adjutant. Sign up that young veteran who lives next door, or that co-worker who has been promising to join the V.F.W. as soon as he "gets around to it." Be at his side when he goes to the next Post meeting to take his obligation. Introduce him to the other members of your Post. Help make him understand that he is enjoying a privilege that neither money, power nor influence can buy. Act on these suggestions and you will have the inner satisfaction of knowing that you are doing your bit to assist thousands

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Four generations were present at the 66th wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene C. Dennis held at the home of their daughter, Mrs. H. H. Tompkins, of Orchard Hill in Spanaway, Thanksgiving day.

The Dennises were married in Iowa on Nov. 30, 1881 and moved to Grays Harbor in 1908 where Dennis became the publisher of the "Elma Chronicle." He had formerly published the "Frederick Free Press" in Frederick, South Dakota.

They have lived in the Spanaway area since 1927.

The Dennises have another daughter, Mrs. Lucretia Blair, of Vancouver, Washington, a son, Ralph J. Dennis, of Wauna, Washington, seven grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis are both life members of the Masonic Eastern Star Lodges.

## Y. L. A. WILL HOLD CHRISTMAS MEETING

The Y. L. A. of Parkland Methodist Church will have their Christmas meeting at 8 p. m., Dec. 9, at the home of Mrs. W. C. Gregory. Mrs. Robert Berntsen will be assistant hostess.

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## POST MEETING

Members of the Rodger Lunde Auxiliary No. 5052, V.F.W., were entertained at their regular meeting on Nov. 18, at Sunshine Hall, with songs by the members of Parkland grade school Glee Club, directed and assisted by Mrs. M. Hogberg at the piano.

The program included vocal selections, with guitar and piano accompaniment by Bob Markholt, Kenneth Bartle and Bob Nelson; also several lively accordion and guitar selections by Bob Fleming and Spencer Phipps.

The next regular meeting of the Rodger Lunde Auxiliary will be at 8 p. m., Tuesday, Dec. 16, at Sunshine Hall.

## Parkland Personals

(Continued from Page One)

Supper guests also included Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ninnan and Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Baylis.

**Thanksgiving Guests**—Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Marsh were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Loraas and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Keister.

**Dinner Guests**—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gates and son Richard were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nelson and family.

**Family Gathering**—Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Ramstad entertained at a family gathering on Thanksgiving Day, and their guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Ramstad of Seattle, the J. N. Reed family of Parkland, Miss Helen Ramstad, and the Misses Mamie and Janna Ramstad of Tacoma.

**Family Reunion**—Another large family reunion in Parkland was held on Thanksgiving Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beitz, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Beitz and son Gerald, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Beitz and children Janet and David, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beitz and son Ronald, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beitz and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Beitz and children Carol and Kenneth.

**Family Reunion**—Twenty-eight guests, all sons, daughters, and grandchildren, gathered at the home of Mrs. Anne Knutzen on Thanksgiving Day. They were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Knutzen and Marjorie and George, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Knutzen and Gilbert, Bruce and Larry, all of Port Orchard; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knutzen and Richard, Adrian, Naomi and Karen, of Canby, Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. Vern Knutzen and Diane and David, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Knutzen and Grace Ann, all of Burlington; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wilkinson and Leslie and Georgia Ann of Lyman, Wash., and Miss Grace Knutzen of Parkland. Movies of the entire group were taken in the evening, to be shown at future family gatherings.

**Five Day Visit**—Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Leonard had the pleasure of welcoming Mr. Leonard's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wible of Topeka, Kansas, on Monday of last week, for a five day visit.

**Former Schoolmate Visits**—Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Olson of Dent, Minn., are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Webster for over the holidays. The Olsons and the Websters were schoolmates together.

**Celebrates 86th Birthday**—On November 9, Mr. C. C. Marsh celebrated his 86th birthday, and many members of his family, children and grandchildren, called to wish him many happy returns of the day. Mr. Marsh is a long-time resident of Parkland, having lived on Johnson street since 1926.

**First Grandchild**—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Freet of Parkland are welcoming their first grandchild, little Catherine Marie Freet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Freet of Tacoma, who was born on November 22, at the Tacoma General

Hospital. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gilstrap of Tacoma.

**New Resident**—Miss LaVerne Gill of Norman, Oklahoma, arrived on Saturday to make her home with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ellingson. She will complete her senior year at Clover Park high school.

**Weekend Guests**—The Misses Mildred and Harriet Edmondson of Seattle were weekend guests of Miss Whipple Leonard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Leonard.

**Dinner Guests**—Rev. and Mrs. Fred Theuer and daughter Florence were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Pflueger on Monday evening.

**Thanksgiving Guests**—Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Olson were Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Olson and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wroth and son, and Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Ulberg and children.

**Attend Pear Bowl Game**—Mr. C. O. Olson and Dr. J. P. Pflueger attended the PLC-Southern Oregon game at the Pear Bowl in Medford on Thanksgiving Day. The members of their families and the A. L. Soine family enjoyed their Thanksgiving dinner at the Pflueger home, and listened to the game over the radio, as did a good share of other Parklandites.

**House Guests**—Mrs. F. Hope Braadfladt and son Paul of Sacramento, Calif., were house guests of Prof. and Mrs. Kelmar N. Roe from Tuesday through Friday of last week. Mrs. Braadfladt came to spend Thanksgiving with her sons, Halvor and Walter, who are attending PLC, and who also were Thanksgiving Day guests of the Roes.

**Congratulations**—Mr. and Mrs. Byron J. Bryson are the proud parents of a baby son, William John, born Nov. 28. He is being welcomed by a brother, Bobby, and a sister, Anne Marie. The maternal grandmother is Mrs. Marie Fieve of Tacoma and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bryson of Unity, Saskatchewan, Canada.

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Social Calendar of the Week

- DEC. 4—Junior Community Club 7:30 p.m. at Parkland School.
- DEC. 4—P. T. A. Convention at 10 a. m. University Place, Tacoma.
- DEC. 4—Women's Club of Evangelical Lutheran Church at 8 p. m. at home of Mrs. W. Perkuhn.
- DEC. 4—Reading Club of Trinity Lutheran Church at 8 p. m. at home of Mrs. S. C. Eastvold.
- DEC. 4—Business meeting at the Clover Creek Baptist Church.
- DEC. 5—Sunshine Club at 6:30 p. m. in Sunshine Hall.
- DEC. 5—Rainbow 4-H at home of Mrs. Lester Critts.
- DEC. 5—"Follow Thou Me" at the Baptist Church.
- DEC. 6—Clover Creek Post of American Legion Dance at 9 p. m. in Polish Hall.
- DEC. 6—Youth Rally at 2 p. m. in Spanaway Community Methodist Church.
- DEC. 7—Christmas Tea of Dormitory Auxiliary No. 2 from 4 to 8 p.m. in Student Union building.
- DEC. 7—Trinity Guild musical program in Trinity Lutheran Church, 7:30 p.m.
- DEC. 7—"Follow Thou Me" at Clover Creek School.
- DEC. 8—Mary Martha Society of Trinity Lutheran Church at 8 p. m. in Mrs. E. B. Steen's home.
- DEC. 9—Farmers Educational and Co-op Union at 8 p. m. in Midland Improvement hall.
- DEC. 9—Women's Missionary meeting at Clover Creek.
- DEC. 9—Elk Plain Gleaners at home of Mrs. T. A. Tibbete.
- DEC. 10—Harvard Improvement Club at 8 p. m. at Harvard School.
- DEC. 11—Parkland Junior Community Club at 7:30 p. m. in Parkland School.
- DEC. 11—Parkland Community Club at 8 p. m. in Parkland School.
- DEC. 5—Clover Creek Grange at 8 p.m. in Grange hall.

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