

GIBBONS GROCERY

Spanaway - GR 7512

SPECIAL PRICES
For Friday, Saturday, April 4, 5

EGGS, AA lge. white	doz. 55c
BUTTER	lb. 69c
BABY FOOD	2 for 13c
Clapps, Heinz, Standby	
CRAB MEAT	can 53c
Royal Red	
Hershey Choc. Syrup	13-oz. tin 13c
WAFFLE SYRUP	43c
WESSON OIL	qt. \$1.02 -- pt. 52c
MAZOLA OIL	qt. \$1.03 -- pt. 53c
Jumbo Milk Shakes	15c
Pineapple Sundaes	15c

We Feature Carnation Ice Cream
CANDY — ALL KINDS

EASTER EGGS Societe Pinkies Full of Eggs **35c**

JOE'S SELECT MEATS

HAMS, half or whole	lb. 69c
Pure Ground Beef	lb. 41c
Rib Steak, grade A	lb. 53c
Beef Roast, grade A	lb. 43c

Elk Plain News

Alice Dorfner, Reporter
Graham 458

Basket Social—The School Club is holding a basket social on April 12 in the Grange hall. There will be coffee served. All interested in the school are urged to attend as the proceeds will go into the hot lunch fund. Dancing and Bingo will round out the evening.

Sister Visits—Miss Grace Barkdoll of Portland, Oregon, is visiting with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harthy Bonnell.

Saturday Evening Guests—Mr. and Mrs. Karl Mitchell and daughter of Rainier were guests of the Lyman Ross home on Saturday evening.

Guests from Tacoma—Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bonnell were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Berka of Tacoma.

Mother Visits—Mrs. Pearl Tibbits and her grandson Michael have had a very pleasant few days in Elk Plain visiting with relatives.

Work Day at Grange—At the last Grange meeting it was decided to make a work day of March 30. Despite the rainy day there was a good turnout of ambitious members. A potluck dinner was served. An excellent start was made toward papering the hall.

4-H Boys—The 4-H boys have divided their group into six pairs of members and are practicing baking with the idea of entering their projects in the Puyallup Fair. The prize consists of a din-

ner at the Winthrop Hotel and a cash prize. The winners are to be entered in the State Fair.

Visits Niece—Mr. Thatcher recently visited in Seattle with his niece.

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Be courteous on the highways, it means safety.

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Be a good scout, drive safely.

CLASSIFIED ADS

OIL HEATING SERVICE. All makes repaired. Oil heaters for sale. Prettyman Heating & Oil Service, GR 7694. Quick service. 12tf

FOR SALE—Large cabinet 11-tube Majestic radio in good order, \$55.00. Mrs. Mayme Eaton, East 8th street, third house on right, Spanaway. 30c

MYRTLE'S BEAUTY SHOP at 706 Lafayette St., Parkland. Ph. GRanite 4679 for appointments. 28tf

SEPTIC tanks pumped, contents hauled away. Established business. Phone GA 1986 or GA 9794. 29tf

CARPENTER remodeling, large or small jobs. Gene Russell, 707 Hendricks St., Parkland. Ph. GRanite 7036. 23tf

WELLS DRILLED and pumps on a F.H.A. loan. 3 years to pay. Einar Thorsen, Rt. 7, Box 437, Tacoma. GR 8707. tfe

BULL AND BOAR SERVICE. Delivered. Registered Guerneys no extra charge. O. L. Myers, Rt. 1, Box 220-D, Spanaway. Phone GR 8636. tfe

EXPERT FURNITURE REPAIRING and finishing—cupboard doors and drawers. Suburban Woodworking, 9643 Pipeline Road near 96th and "A." GR 8662. tfe

USED cars wanted. DEAD or ALIVE. If we don't get some good used cars we will have to close our place of business. Cash in 5 minutes. Highest prices. Ken Rowe Used Cars, 96th and Pacific. GRanite 8613. 28tf

A. B. ELECTRIC RANGE, used 3 months, new condition; Halls Company 50-lb. ice box, solid oak, porcelain lined, in fine shape; wood and coal steel Montag range with coil, ivory front and back, first class condition. Phone GR 7313. Lafayette and "G" Sts. H. S. Kleve. 30p

FOR RENT—16 MM silent and sound cartoons, shorts, features, projectors. GRanite 7360. 19tf

NEW and used pumps for sale. For service call after 4 o'clock or Sundays. Einar Thorsen, GRanite 8707. tfe

FOR papering, painting and kempting, call GR 7231 or GR 7496. Free estimates, reasonable. 19tf

WELL DRILLING—Electrically welded joints and all work guaranteed. Call or write E. J. Webber Well Drilling Co., Rt. 3, Box 841. GRanite 7211. 19tf

TRACTOR work, plowing, harrowing, etc. Call GRanite 7787, Rt. 7, Box 532, Elvis Simon. tfe

ROOFING—New roofs now applied. New material now on hand. Roof repairs. 12-month terms on new roofs. Phone GRanite 7857. tfe

GRAVEL for driveways, etc. Reasonable. Veteran War II. Call GR 7202 or GR 8733. 30tf

FOR SALE—Half or whole hogs, dressed. Call GR 8578 for further information. 30p

PLOWING, discing, lawns leveled, back-filling and scoop work. Ray Gogan, GR 8842. tfe

VANITY—Walnut veneer, 3-way mirror. A bargain you can't afford to miss. Soine's Shoppe, across from P.L.C. 30c

WILL TRADE small 3-bedroom home at Silver Lake, 21 miles from Seattle, 7 miles from Everett, value \$5,500, for home in or near Tacoma. Ph. GRanite 7100 before 4 p.m. 23tf

EXPERT typing done; figures a specialty. Call GR 8110 or bring to corner 98th and Park Ave. 30c

FLOOR SANDERS, HOUSE JACKS for rent. Brookdale Lumber Company. Call GRanite 8362. (Adv., 27tf)

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Midland News

(Continued from Page One)

Hospital, was baptized by the Rev. Father Logan at 3:30 in the afternoon. Godparents were the baby's aunt and uncle, Elaine and Richard Brunner. Little Patrick is being welcomed home by two sisters, Beverly Ann and Marlene, and two grandmothers, Mrs. Bertha Brunner and Mrs. Anna Corrigan, both of Tacoma.

Ill—Joe Shepherd of Midland is reported very ill in the Pierce County Hospital. He is due to have an operation.

Club Meets—The Harvard Improvement Club is having a meeting in the Harvard school on April 9 at 8 p.m. Newly elected officers are Lloyd G. Olson, president; Frank Gural, vice president; Mrs. Olive Huston, treasurer, and Mrs. George Neiser, secretary. Refreshments will be served at this meet-

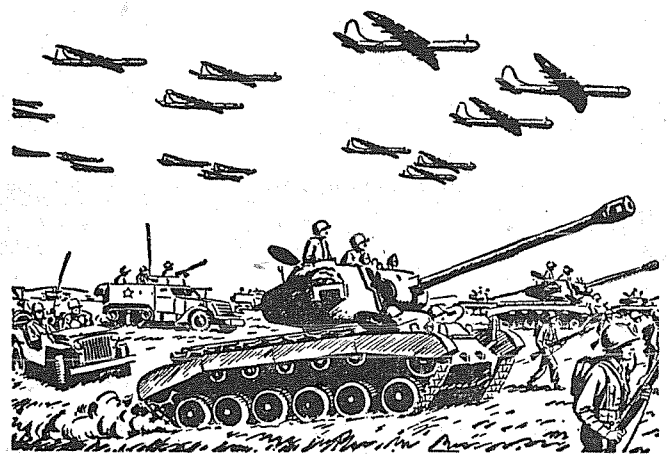
ing and the public is cordially invited.

Returns—Carlton Smith has just returned home after spending ten months overseas. He is the husband of Mrs. Loretta (Peterson) Smith. They are living with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson on Harrison street. He has been in the navy for 8 years, most recently being stationed in Pearl Harbor. Smith is from Delaware but they are planning to make their home in Tacoma.

All-Fools Party—The Ladies' Auxiliary to the H. M. and L. Fire Department had an April Fool's Day party for the firemen in the Improvement Club hall on March 30. Party games were played. Those on the committee were Mrs. Lois McArtor, Mrs. Vic Eshpeter, Mrs. Alex Kreshak, Mrs. Noel Bain, Mrs. Eugene Brittain.

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Alcohol belongs in your radiator, not in your head.



ON ARMY DAY, APRIL 7TH, ASK YOURSELF:

"WHAT AM I DOING FOR PERMANENT PEACE?"

What will you do for your country? You can take a full-time job at good pay in the Regular Army. Or, you can join other young men in your community in your local National Guard unit. If you are in college, you can get your training and Reserve Officer commission in the R.O.T.C. Or, if you have served in the Army, you can resume your military training and have your former grade or rank in the Organized Reserve Corps.

• If you believe in America, you'll believe in your new Regular Army

and its civilian components. You'll feel a certain tingle of pride—to know that others depend so much upon you, and envy you the inspiring fellowship you enjoy.

• In the Regular Army you can have excellent training in valuable skills or trades. All your necessary expenses are cared for. You get travel, adventure. And after 20 years you can retire at half pay for the rest of your life and on up to three-quarters pay after 30 years of service! Get full details about all the advantages of Regular Army enlistment at your U. S. Army Recruiting Station.

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APRIL 7-12

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Why Increased Telephone Rates are Needed Now

The responsibility of furnishing telephone service in Washington carries with it an obligation to meet the service demands of a progressive, rapidly growing state.

We have applied for statewide increases in rates in order that we may be able, in view of rising costs, to continue to furnish adequate and dependable service. Our proposal includes, for many communities, extensive service changes, in order to meet the public need for an ever-improving service.

Present local rates were set more than 20 years ago.

Charges now being made for local telephone service in Washington are based on rates established between 1907 and 1924 in the light of conditions then existing. Today these rates are inadequate and have been for a number of years.

Telephone costs have more than doubled since 1940 alone.

Although our business in Washington has grown and revenues have increased substantially in the last six years, costs have gone up even faster. Payroll has almost tripled, due to more employees and higher wages. Equipment, materials, supplies of all kinds . . . in fact, the cost of nearly everything required to bring you telephone service has increased

tremendously. As a result, present rates are entirely inadequate to meet rising costs and to carry through our current program of service improvement and expansion in Washington. Last year, our earnings in this State had dropped to the lowest return in 30 years.

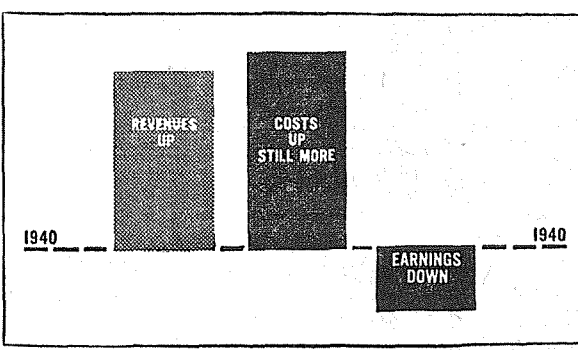
An even better service is on the way.

We are already working on a huge construction program to keep pace with Washington's growth. Many improvements are coming . . . expansions into many new areas are in full swing. We're on our way to bringing you a better, more extensive service than ever before.

It is estimated that this expansion program will cost \$25,000,000 in 1947 alone.


We have tried to make ends meet, but costs have risen to a point where more money is now essential. You can be certain that we are asking only enough . . .

- To continue good wages and working conditions for our employees . . .
- To bring a reasonable return to the thousands of people who have invested their savings in the business . . .
- To insure an ever-improving telephone service—the finest in the world—for you.



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