



Hats Off to the Firs
The Spanaway-Elk Plain Fire Department are indeed fortunate to have civic minded people in their district. Charles and Emma King, proprietors of the Firs, popular chicken dinner inn located in the Elk Plain district, have donated a site to the Fire District on which to build a fire house for the Elk Plain end of the district.

These citizens are to be commended for their generosity in making it possible for the early construction of a fire house at Elk Plain. All the firemen of the department are grateful for this timely gift.

Friday the Thirteenth
Friday the 13th left its scars as John Kuper of Clover Creek can testify. Instead of having "stood in bed," as the portent of the day would warn, John was up and around working hard. His energetic spirit was ill-advised, however, and he caught his right foot between two loads of concrete blocks. Now he is in bed with sprained and torn ligaments.

Five-Hour Report
Bro. Beard, the "trying-to-fly" publisher, now shows a log of five hours. And what a time I've had—but Instructor Hondle, I fear, is ready to toss in the towel on gray-beards like myself. Yet, give the boy credit, for he hasn't really hid in the hangar when he sees me coming.

Up She Goes
The last couple of instruction flights have included lessons in take-off. What a thrill for the novice. Hondle explained all the details carefully before we taxied down the runway and I was ready to let her go and how!

I shoved the throttle in for full power. With a roar we rushed into the breeze. Norm yelled to get the Taylorcraft's tail up, so I pulled back on the stick. Swoosh! We were ten feet off the ground so quick my upper plate snapped at my knee joint. I should have pushed on the stick instead of pulled.

Stalls
After getting 3,500 feet above ground I was introduced to the stall. This comes when the plane loses the necessary flying speed to keep it sailing. You simply keep pulling the nose up, thereby causing the ship to lose speed. At the stall point the kite shudders mightily and down she drops. My friends, you have no doubt felt your stomach rise in a fast down elevator. Well, the first time Hondle demonstrated the stall my stomach not only rose but it yelled "Let me out!" And that big field just abeam Spanaway Lake looked like it was coming up fast to slap me smack in the face. However, it's surprising how soon one becomes used to these maneuvers after a few tries—then it's really fun.

Fair Lesson
Last Saturday the lesson somehow brought us right over the Puyallup fair and while practicing steep turns we could look down upon a great spectacle. We could see the acrobats performing and some fellow on a horse was chasing a poor helpless calf around a field inside the track. One could not help be impressed by the comfortable way in which we reached the grounds and not one traffic tangle encountered. Some day there will no doubt be a landing field next to the fair grounds for the many persons who are looking forward to flying their own ships. In no more than two minutes we were over the Fair grounds from the Forest Grove airport at Spanaway.

Progress
I cannot deny that I have made considerable progress toward that goal of taking the plane solo and have every hope that I will make it some day. All credit must be given to my instructor, Norm Hondle, and also to Wayne Russell who has provided the opportunity for persons in my category to learn to fly. Word is that we will start practicing regularly on take-offs and landings come next lesson time. I must study the CAA instruction book and approach the maneuver with calm. But I'll probably be building up for more gray hairs with a case of nerves. All for nothing, too, because after a few tries it becomes so easy.

H-M-L Auxiliary Party Attracts 40
H. M. and L. Ladies' Auxiliary card party, the first of the season, attracted a group of 40 on September 12, in the Midland Improvement Club hall.

Mrs. Noah Weiss walked off with the door prize, an angel food cake. First and second pinocchio prizes went to Mrs. Nelly Lacy and Mrs. O. Shockley, respectively. Mrs. Allstrom and Mrs. Victor Eshpeter took first and second prizes at 500. Card prizes were new style salt and pepper sets for the first and pots of ivy for second.

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GR 8436 Your news and advertising phone number. All copy must be in Tuesday night for Thursday's Pointer.

P. L. C. Fall Semester Opened Wednesday

BUS SERVICE IS INCREASED

TACOMA TRANSIT GIVES HALF-HOUR SERVICE ON SPANAWAY LINE

Announced at the meeting of the Parkland Community Club last Thursday night was a new bus schedule for the Spanaway line of the Tacoma Transit Company. Through the efforts of the civic committee of the club an additional bus has been added thus giving half-hour service throughout the day. This new service went into effect Monday, September 16, (Continued on Page Six)

PARKLAND PTA FRIDAY NIGHT

First Meeting of Year In School Auditorium At 8:00 P. M.

Parkland parents and teachers will gather on Friday evening, September 20, at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium for the first meeting of the new P.T.A. year. President Mrs. L. C. Klippen will preside at the meeting which will include a reception for the teachers, a talk by Frank O. Sather and music.

Mr. Sather, assistant state land commissioner, will give a short talk on Ref. 127. This is the Timber Resources Bill, dealing with school timber. Since this is the only night meeting before the bill comes up for vote in November, it was felt that parents should be interested in learning about the bill so as to know what they are voting for or against. P.T.A.'s in the state are taking an active part in bringing this referendum before the people.

Music on the program will be furnished by Cleve Wood and Spencer Phipps, Parkland junior high students who will play their guitars and sing several western numbers.

After the introduction of the teachers, a social hour will be held in the school basement with refreshments being served by the ninth and eighth grade mothers.

Parkland Cubs Meet Monday

Parkland Cub Scouts of Troop 33 will have their first pack meeting Monday evening, September 23, at 7:30 in the Parkland school. Cubs, prospective cubs, and parents are urged to come, according to Dr. O. M. Jordahl, chairman of the cub scout committee.

Membership is available to boys who have reached the age of 9 years. Application blanks, which must be signed by parents, will be available at the meeting.

Mr. Ed Perdue, cub scout commissioner for the Rainier District, will explain the cub scout organization, its purpose and program.

Added attractions are games and light refreshments.

The time, 7:30 p.m., September 23; the place, Parkland school basement.

Dean Anderson, Telephone Manager, Explains Situation in Granite District

"Now that the war is over, when are we going to get better telephone service?" is a question frequently asked these days. To supplement announcements made through advertisements, Dean Anderson, manager of the Tacoma office, explained the situation in the South End—in the Granite district especially.

Phones for 267
In Tacoma as a whole 2,700 people are still waiting for telephones and 2,300 want better service—that is either private lines or lines for fewer parties. In Spanaway, Parkland, Brookdale, Midland and all the area covered by the Granite exchange, 267 people have applied for telephones and 72 want better service.

At war's end a year ago 6,300 applications were on file in the Tacoma office and while Pacific Telephone and Telegraph were putting in the new phones, 6,000 more applications came in. The 2,700 people mentioned above are all that remain of that number.

Installations Soon
"Our telephone trucks will become a familiar sight out your way, very soon," Mr. Anderson continued, "when equipment ordered from the Western Electric plant reaches us late in November." On the basis of promised

SCOUTS HOLD HONOR COURT

Bob Bradshaw and Elwyn Nurdyke Will Receive Eagle Awards

Rev. Harrison H. Black, state American Legion chaplain, will address the Rainier Scout District Court of Honor on September 25 at 8 p.m. in Spanaway school which will confer the top scout award, Eagle, to Robert Bradshaw, Troop 34, Spanaway, and to Elwyn Nurdyke of Explorer Post 250.

Public Invited
In a colorful candle light ceremony by Larchmont Troop 42, there will be a mass initiation of tenderfoot scouts from the nine troops in the Rainier District. Parents and the general public are invited to attend this Court of Honor, Frank Sampson, program chairman, urges. He is also district advancement chairman and pointed out that this court, making the two highest awards for the first time, indicates the quality of scouting in the district. He asks that all troops bring as many candidates as possible.

National Figure
A scoutmaster himself once, Rev. Harrison H. Black is a national figure in American Legion circles, being department chaplain for the state of Washington and National Chaplain for the Forty and Eight. He is an accomplished speaker.

Troop 34, Spanaway, of which award-winner Robert Bradshaw is a member, is sponsored by Clover Creek Post No. 118, American Legion. Legionnaire McCabe is chairman of the Boy Scout committee. Explorer Post 250 is sponsored by the Pomona Grange. Jim Phillips is scoutmaster of the Larchmont Troop 42.

ATHLETICS GO TO FRI. HARBOR

ENJOYABLE TRIP PAYS FOR LOSS OF GAME, 11-6, LAST SUNDAY

The Spanaway-Elk Plain Athletics ball club enjoyed a trip to Friday Harbor, Sunday, September 15. This was the last game for the Athletics of 1946. They were the guests of Friday Harbor which treated them to a chicken dinner after the game. While there the club enjoyed a fair, sponsored by Friday Harbor, not to mention the 260-mile trip with a six hour ferry ride through the islands.

Also the club members found the much needed scarce item, soap powder! A buying spree was on. Incidentally, the game was a losing battle for the Athletics, the score being 11-6. Batteries were Thiel and Brammer for Spanaway and Scribner and Spangler for Friday Harbor.

The club wishes to thank all Spanaway and Elk Plain patrons and sponsors who made these 1946 games possible.

PIERCE COUNTY GRANGES WILL BE HOSTS TO STATE OFFICERS

TO CONFER SIXTH DEGREE ON FIVE HUNDRED CANDIDATES FROM WESTERN WASHINGTON AT TACOMA ARMY ON OCTOBER FOURTH

Pierce County Granges will be hosts to Washington State Grange officers who will confer the sixth degree on 500 candidates from several Western Washington counties, including King, Pierce, Kitsap, Thurston, Lewis, as well as Grays Harbor. The degree will be exemplified in ceremonies at the Tacoma Army, Friday night, October 4.

First Since 1932
This is the biggest Grange meeting to be held in Pierce county since the State Grange met there in 1932, Pomona Master Harry Sprunker reported. Candidates receiving the sixth degree will then be eligible for the next and highest grange degree, the seventh, which can only be conferred at National Grange Conventions. This year the convention will be held in Portland, making it possible for local candidates to receive the highest degree.

Rose Drill
One of the most impressive features of the ceremony will be the rose drill by the all-girl team from granges all over Pierce county. The fine presentation of the team is well-known among local granges. Beautifully gowned and in a setting by Decorator Milan Mikich of Gig Harbor Grange, the sixteen girls are expected to present a memorable performance. The rose drill is only presented when the sixth degree is conferred. Mrs. Agnes Johnson of Kirkland, State Flora officer, has charge of the drill.

Also Fifth Degree
On that same day the State Grange officers will hold a school in the Fruitland Grange hall, beginning at 10:30 in the morning. At 7:30 p.m. the McMillan Grange team will exemplify the Fifth degree to permit some candidates to receive the sixth later in the evening.

Team Members
Members on the team presenting the rose drill are Sharon Corbett, Amy Brown, Dorothea Rich and Patricia Howe from Elk Plain Grange; Rosalena Stockton, Doris Stansbury, Frances Hardy, Charlotte Hardy and Lucille McKenny from James Sales Grange; Ruth Otto, Bernice Rinchart, Kathryn Hanson, Elaine Hurst, Mildred Heil and Myra Geddes of Fruitland Grange; and Mary Louise Geise of Waller Road Grange.

In charge of gowns are Catherine Henkel and Mrs. Elmer Stansbury of James Sales Grange. Milan Mikich of Gig Harbor is handling decorations. Drill masters and mistress are Clarence Otto from Fruitland Grange, Mrs. Win Hunt and Joe Mickus from Elk Plain. Magel Litton of Fruitland will provide the music.

Boxes Ordered
Two hundred new boxes have been ordered for the post office but indications are that these will not be available for some time. Ernie Perrault and Paul Ullrich have been added to the post office staff in order to take care of the increase of business and Peterson said he expects to have to add more employees soon. "More people are being served by the Parkland office now than at any time in its history," was the postmaster's comment.

Rural Routes Petitioned
The post office department has been petitioned by a large number of South End residents to have the rural routes for this area originate at Parkland. These petitions are now before the first assistant postmaster general for action, Mr. Peterson said.

SIGN CONTRACT FOR TRUCK

NEW CHEVY CHASSIS DELIVERED TO H. M. L. FIRE CHIEF TUESDAY

Harvard, Midland and Larchmont Fire Department commissioners, Otto Bergman, Robert Hansler and Frank Johnson, signed a contract last Wednesday night with the Howard-Cooper Corporation of Portland through the Tacoma representative, Kenneth Swain, for a fire truck which will be paid for from taxes raised in response to the 20-mill levy voted on in the special election September 3.

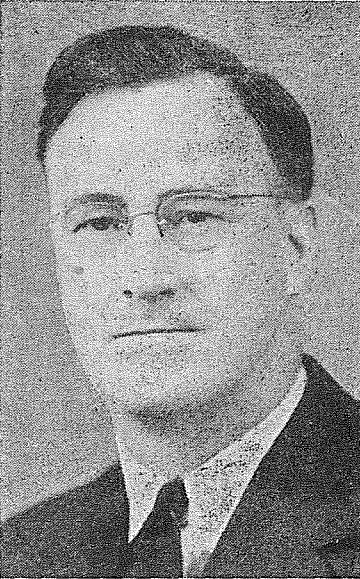
Vote Fixed Bid
In a meeting of the department on September 9 the members voted for a fixed bid—a bid that can't change. The lowest bid received in the call three months ago was that of the Howard-Cooper Corporation.

Cost of the Chevrolet chassis will be between \$2,500 and \$2,600. The pump equipment will bring the total cost to \$9,167.30.

The chassis was delivered to Fire Chief MacPherson on September 17 and was taken to Portland to be built up. The complete fire truck will be ready within 90 days, the Howard-Cooper Corporation promised. The chassis is a 1946 Chevrolet with a two-speed rear axle, vacuum booster brakes, two electrical fuel pumps in parallel.

FAIR EXHIBIT
A Parkland School art exhibit will be featured in the Educational Building at the Puyallup Fair from 4 p.m. Friday afternoon to 4 p.m. Saturday. Work of Miss Eklund's last year's art classes will be shown.

SPEAKER



DR. S. C. EASTVOLD
Officially opening the fall term at Pacific Lutheran College ceremonies were held Wednesday night in Trinity Church, Parkland. Dr. S. C. Eastvold gave an address, "The Only Hope for the World," as the main feature of the program.

TENNIS COURT IS DISCUSSED

Midland Improvement Club discussed installing a tennis court in the Dawson Field, a project recently editorialized in the Pointer, at their meeting, September 9.

Response to the estimated cost of between \$500 and \$700 for the concrete was discouraging but as the discussion developed members became more hopeful. Al Bombardier offered to obtain exact information about the court.

The court would be the first work done on Dawson Field before the Metropolitan Park Board offered to improve the baseball field if the community gave the tennis court the necessary improvement. The Park Board can obtain a priority to get the concrete.

H-M-L MEN TAKE OFFICES

Seattle Fire Department Chief Addresses Volunteer Association Meeting

Dave McPherson and Lawrence Alden of the H. M. and L. Fire Department were sworn in as president and secretary, respectively, of the Puget Sound Firemen's Association meeting, Tuesday evening, September 10, in Auburn. Pat Carol of Sumner was appointed treasurer.

Rein Kehle, former H. M. and L. Fire Chief, now of the Valley City Volunteer Fire Protection District No. 5 of King county, swore in the new officers.

Fire Chief William Fitzgerald of Seattle, honorary member of the association, talked to the members about the authority of the chief in fire districts, the issuing of fire permits, and special campaigns for fire prevention week. On the legal authority of commissioners and chiefs the club will soon hear a talk by a representative of the state attorney general's office.

Members also discussed questionnaires which they plan to send out to fire departments all over the state to secure general information about their organization.

Lake City will be the place for the next meeting. Six members from the Parkland Fire Department and nine from the H. M. and L. department attended.

MEETING POSTPONED

Due to fair week the Suburban Study Club meeting which was to have been held on Monday, September 23, has been postponed until the following Monday, September 30.

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Greetings

The Pointer this week extends greetings to Frank L. Willard and his Parkland Theater which will open next month. At the meeting of the Parkland Community Club last Thursday night he spoke to those present and told of the plans he has to make the movie house the finest suburban plant adjacent to the Tacoma area.

This enterprise will make the Parkland district a center for residents within a radius of quite a few miles, and will bring many new businesses to Parkland.

Community Club Achievement

What an active community organization means to a community was demonstrated last week when it was announced that the Tacoma Transit Company had arranged for daily half-hour service on the Spanaway line.

This matter came up last summer at a meeting of the Parkland Community Club and a committee was appointed to wait upon officials of the bus line to see if better service could be obtained. A very fine spirit of cooperation was displayed by the transit operators and when the need was shown the request was granted.

There are other such betterments which will be tackled by the club and with this one demonstration of what can be done there should be an ever increasing interest in community activities by all those who reside within the area.

College Students Pour In

This week saw over 600 students start the fall term at Pacific Lutheran College, making the greatest enrollment in its history. This is no small increase as the number of students registered is more than double the number ever before entered for any one semester. Naturally with this comes a doubling of activities for the school and this reflects in the business and social life of the entire South End.

Not only is the government spending \$50,000 for G.I. housing but the college itself is spending over a half million dollars for new buildings and many other improvements. All of this spending is bound to be felt, in the business channels of the South End and the large number of students will certainly put many hundreds of dollars into circulation.

Paid Charity

Another good argument for socialized medicine was brought to light by a Seattle union official when he investigated the amount of charity given by hospitals in that city. These institutions have been operating tax free because they have been classed as charitable institutions.

Ten Seattle hospitals during the year 1945 treated charity patients totalling 31/100th of 1 per cent. These ten institutions cared for 29,897 patients of which 93 were charity cases and they paid not one cent of taxes because they claimed to be charitable institutions. There is no doubt that the same situation prevails throughout the state.

Persons who have had any recent experience with hospitals know that the price of care is enormous and a fairly good financial statement has to be furnished before one can be admitted. If these institutions are going to go on being untaxed then some arrangement should be made for taxpayers to get a bit of their services free of charge.

How long the people will put up with the bad deal they are getting from doctors and hospitals today is uncertain, but a great reform in the way of government operated medical protection is in the making. Ample health insurance is surely as important as social security.

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CHURCH NEWS

PARKLAND METHODIST CHURCH
George W. Cooper, pastor
A. Marcus Freeman, Sunday School Supt.

Sunday: Church School, 10 a.m. Worship and preaching service, 11:00 a.m. Sermon topic: "Jesus Standards in Acquiring Wealth." Monday: Young People's Choir practice, 7 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 26, Family Night. Covered dish dinner at 6:30. Music, songs, community singing, games and social entertainment.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
Parkland, Washington
Ernest B. Steen, Pastor

Sunday: 10 a.m.—Sunday School. 11 a.m.—Junior Service. 11 a.m.—Regular worship service.

Tuesday, 8 p.m., meeting of the Brotherhood in the Church parlors.

Wednesday, 1 p.m., Ladies' Aid meets for potluck dinner; 7:30 p.m., Senior Choir.

Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Boy Scouts. Saturday: 9:30 a.m., Confirmation Class; 11 a.m., Junior Choir.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
"Matter" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read next Sunday in all branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

Golden Text: Psalms 114-7. "Tremble, thou earth, at the presence of the Lord, at the presence of the God of Jacob."

The following verse from Matthew is included in the Lesson-Sermon: "Take no thought for your life, what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink; nor yet for your body, what ye shall put on. Is not the life more than meat, and the body than raiment?"

PARKLAND EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Walther C. Gullixson, Pastor

The Church of the International Lutheran Hour Collins Road and Mountain Hwy. Morning worship, 10:30. Sunday School, 9:30.

SPANAWAY COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH
Louis V. Martin, Pastor

HARVARD SUN. SCHOOL
At Harvard 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 2:00 p.m.

LOVELAND SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Loveland Lutheran Community Sunday School will meet at 10:30 a.m. in the lunchroom of the Loveland school.

MIDLAND
Robert E. Logan, Priest
Midland Community Hall
Sunday Mass, 8:00 a.m.
Catechism after mass.

MIDLAND PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Pastor, Arnie Kosmo
Sunday School Superintendent, August Sumiland.

Meets every Sunday in Midland P.T.A. hall at 11 a.m.

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

PRAIRIE MISSION
M. K. Stacy, Supt.
Mrs. J. N. Engebretsen, Asst.

Sunday school, 10:30 a.m.

Prophetic Bible Study, Monday, 7:30 p.m.

MIDLAND COMMUNITY HOME CHURCH
Thure Moberg, Minister

Sunday School, 10 a.m.

Morning Service, 11 a.m.

Bible study and prayer, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Ladies' Circle Wed., at 1 p.m.

Girls' Club Wednesday, 4 p.m.

SPANAWAY FULL GOSPEL TABERNACLE
Stanley R. Weddle, Pastor

Sunday School, 10 a.m.

Morning worship, 11 a.m.

Evangelistic service, 8 p.m.

Christ's Ambassadors, Wed.

SALVATION ARMY SUNDAY SCHOOL AT SPANAWAY

Meets every Sunday at 11 a.m.

Sewing club meets every Saturday at 1:30 p.m. in the old German church. Both are under the leadership of Major Selma Goode.

CLOVER CREEK BAPTIST
Military Road opposite Clover Creek School

S/Sgt. M. A. Duffie, Pastor

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 Thurs., 8 p.m.

LARCHMONT UNION SUNDAY SCHOOL
209 East 96th Street

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. every Sunday.

Boness' Entertain Cornerstone Class

Cornerstone Class of the Clover Creek Baptist Church met on Wednesday night, September 11, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Boness.

After an evening of fellowship, refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. Dunn will entertain the class at their next meeting, September 25.

Clover Creek News

Mrs. Omer E. Roland, reporter

Niece Visits Ezra Heller—Mrs. J. E. Cann of Richmond, Ind., spent the weekend at the Ezra Heller home. She is a niece whom they had not seen since 1929. The past few years she has lived in different parts of the east. At present she and her two sons are in Seattle awaiting transportation to Alaska where she is to meet her husband, Major J. E. Cann. Her sons, Bruce and Jerry, spent Sunday at Mt. Rainier.

Other weekend guests at the Heller home were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Morrow and son David.

Mr. Loren Evans, grandson of the Hellers, who has spent the summer with them, has returned to California.

Visits Brother—Frank Hansen, who is in the merchant marine, spent the weekend with his brother, Aden Hansen.

Mother Ill—Mrs. Lyle Catt, sixth grade teacher of the Clover Creek school, who received word that her mother is ill, is staying with her. Mrs. Harold McCammon is substituting for Mrs. Catt.

See Markstones—Mr. and Mrs. Bud Plew and family were visitors Saturday night at the Harry Markstone home.

Sisters Visit—Mrs. George Mauk spent last Thursday and Friday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Aden Hansen.

Take Killarney Trip—Mrs. Nick Hansen and Mrs. Gene Busby motored to the home of Bill Hansen at Lake Killarney. They brought back some pears.

Baby Improves—Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McGee will be glad to know that their baby, who has been quite ill, is better now.

Breaks Ankle—While at the ball game at Eatonville last Sunday Mrs. Larry Failey had the misfortune to break her ankle.

Baby Boy—Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Holt are the proud parents of a baby boy named Kenneth.

Visit Former Residents—On returning from Castle Rock recently, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Markstone visited at the Charles Graham home at Winlock. From there Mrs. Graham accompanied them to Centralia where they visited her daughter, Mrs. Wallace. Both the Grahams and Wallaces were former residents of Clover Creek.

Chaplain Speaks—Congregation of the Clover Creek church enjoyed a talk Sunday by Lt. William T. Pelphey, army chaplain.

Hammonds Move—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hammond have sold their Clover Creek home to Calvin Burnett and moved Saturday to 110 1/2 East 35th street, Tacoma.

FORMER PARKLANDITE ENTERS COLLEGE

Joseph Hanson, formerly of Parkland, Wash., is enrolled in the Northeast Missouri State Teachers College for the fall quarter.

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State Turkey Crop 20% Less for 1946

Washington's 1946 turkey production is down 20 per cent, according to Arthur Cagle, extension economist at the State College of Washington.

The price for the 1946 turkey crop is likely to be slightly better than the price a year earlier, he said.

Washington's 1946 turkey crop is estimated at 1,310,000 birds, compared to the record production of 1,637,000 turkeys last year. The turkeys in this state are reported to be well developed for this season of the year. Losses this year have been unusually light.

For the nation as a whole, the turkey crop is down 9 per cent, although the cold-storage carry-over is large. Of the western states, Oregon has the largest decrease in turkey production. The Oregon production is down 30 per cent, compared to an average decrease of 24 per cent for all the western states together, according to present estimates.

Cold storage holdings of turkeys for the United States on August 1 totaled 63 million pounds. This is 42 million pounds above last year. The large carry-over into the new marketing season will leave about as much turkey available for consumption this year as last year—4.3 pounds per person, according to Cagle.

"With other meat prices higher, it is likely that turkey prices will exceed those of last year," he said.

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Ladies' Auxiliary To Meet Sept. 24

Young Ladies Auxiliary is meeting for the first time this season at 8 p.m. Tuesday, September 24, at the home of Miss Gladys Carlson, 1902 South "M" street.

Committees for the year will be appointed and plans for programs will be discussed.

Newly elected officers will preside: Miss Frances Scearce, president; Mrs. Ray L. Renwick, vice president; Mrs. John Kellson, secretary, and Mrs. Frank Hanster, treasurer.

Frank Faileys Have Baby Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Failey of Clover Creek are proud parents of a baby girl born on August 17 at the Tacoma General Hospital. She is Lois Elizabeth.

Frank, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Failey, served in the army for 22 months and was discharged on February 23, 1946. He was wounded in Holland and received the Purple Heart.

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WARNS ABOUT SOME SCHOOLS

Need Not Take Civil Service Courses, Declares Postmaster Roy Peterson

Persons interested in learning about or competing in civil service examinations need pay no money to civil service schools, Parkland's Postmaster, Roy T. Peterson, warned this week.

No Connection

Because some schools exaggerate opportunities for employment in the Federal service, Peterson emphasized that no civil service school has any connection whatever with the civil service commission or, for that matter, any branch of the government.

Information for All

No school is given advance information regarding the need for civil service employees, which is not made known to the general public. It is unnecessary to take a course with any so-called civil service school in order to compete in any of the commission's examinations or to learn about them.

Information about examinations for positions in the Federal Government may be obtained at any time without cost from the secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C. Civil Service Commission does not conduct courses and recommends no school. No school can properly promise success in passing examinations or obtaining government employment.

S. A. Outpost Sponsors Movies

Spanaway Outpost of the Salvation Army, No. 2 Corps, is sponsoring educational moving pictures on Friday, September 20, at 7:30 p.m. in the German Lutheran Church. Between films there will be a number of vocal and instrumental numbers by members of the Sunday school.

There will be a Junior Soldiers' meeting at 7 p.m. Friday night. All Junior Soldiers are urged to attend. The public is cordially invited.

The old-fashioned soap-shaker—that small wire basket on a handle which holds bits of soap—is an excellent soap saver. It is convenient for washing up a dishpanful of suds in short order with no waste.

Pre-School Group Meets at Parkland

The first meeting of the Parkland Pre-School in the new semester was held on September 9 in the kindergarten rooms of the Parkland school with forty-two ladies attending.

Speaker for the evening was Dr. Everett P. Nelson of Tacoma, who talked to the group on "Children" and showed interesting slides on children's diseases. Miss Frances Scearce, kindergarten teacher, was a special guest for the occasion.

At the business meeting Mrs. Carroll Judy handed in her resignation as secretary. She is moving with her husband and two young sons to Centralia very soon. Mrs. Esther Seeger was elected to succeed Mrs. Judy by a unanimous ballot.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Carroll Judy, Mrs. Clinton Williams and Mrs. George Rolstad.

Gardipee-Storlie Wedding Saturday

A pretty wedding took place in Parkland Saturday noon, September 14, when Arthur Storlie and Martha Ann Gardipee were united in holy matrimony at the home of the bridegroom.

Rev. George W. Cooper conducted the wedding ceremony in the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar A. Storlie, parents of the groom and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Storlie, the groom's brother and sister-in-law, and their child Geraldine, who also acted as best man and bridesmaid and official witnesses. Ralph and Marjorie Storlie, the groom's brother and sister, and Mrs. George W. Cooper were also present.

The bride wore a black and white street dress adorned with an orchid corsage. Room decorations were gladioli, asters and dahlias.

After the ring service all partook of a sumptuous wedding dinner during which the bride's cake was cut and served. Opening of wedding presents followed.

The happy pair left for a honeymoon in Montana, where they visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gardipee, at Shelby, Mont., and Mr. Storlie's grandmother at Chinook. They planned to visit Yellowstone National Park and a service friend at Havre, Mont.

The bride has recently finished a cadet nurse training course in Great Falls, Mont., and the Indian Hospital in Tacoma, specializing in tuberculosis and cancer.

They will make their home in this vicinity.

Has Wiener Roast For 14th Birthday

Mrs. Goldie Porter gave a party Wednesday, September 11, in her home in Clover Creek for her granddaughter, Nola Ann Rosario, who was just 14.

Guests who enjoyed the wiener roast were Claude and Mary Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Hiles, Mr. Kenneth Miller, Miss Gwendolyn Porter, Letha Rosario and children, Frank Rodriguez, Gil Roxas, Larry Burgos, Larry Dorris and Nina Rosario.

SUFFERS ATTACK OF RHEUMATIC FEVER

Mrs. Orville Banker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cavin of Parkland, was ill with rheumatic heart fever in Madigan General Hospital for a month. She was released from the hospital September 10 and is convalescing with her parents in Parkland for three weeks.

Mrs. Banker, who was married in August, was taken ill two days after her husband left for overseas. Word was telegraphed to him in California immediately and fifteen minutes before sailing time he received a furlough and returned to Parkland and his wife's bedside. He left on September 6 to ship overseas.

White sauce, cocoa, custard and other milk desserts are cooked in a double boiler to avoid high heat which coagulates the protein which sticks to the pan.

MIDLAND NEWS

Margaret Keys—Reporter
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Canadian Trip—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson returned to their 83rd and Portland Avenue home September 10 from a 10-day fishing and sightseeing trip in Canada. Accompanied by friends, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson of Ponders Corner, they motored 500 miles to the Kamloops district in Canada. Their lines pulled in enough trout for their fare. They lodged at Peter Hope Lake Lodge and in Kamloops City.

Daughter Visits—Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Mason of Polk and Knapp Roads had their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McAnn of Walla Walla, with them over the September 7-8 weekend.

Seeking Uncle—Mrs. Florence Kincaid of Midland has been busy on a sightseeing tour of Victoria, B. C., and a three-day trip to Index, Wash., in search of an uncle whose whereabouts have been unknown to the family for 38 years. Mrs. Kincaid accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Shafer, on the sightseeing trip. They greatly surprised the lost uncle, Harry Smith, and his wife when they finally located him in Index.

Johnson Guest—Mrs. Trudy Tribble of Houston, Texas, is visiting her daughter and her husband, Sgt. and Mrs. D. J. Johnson, at their home on 94th and Portland Avenue. Mrs. Tribble arrived in Tacoma September 12 by train.

Visiting Father—Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Norstad and son of New York City are visiting his 96-year-old father at his home, Rt. 4, Box 24. They are also visiting cousins, the Charles Bergs of Midland, after Mrs. Norstad spent a few days in Canada visiting her relatives.

MIDLAND COUPLE'S ENGAGEMENT TOLD

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grubert of South 72nd and Portland Ave., Midland, recently announced the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Doris, to Milton Richard Fisher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Fisher of Puyallup. No wedding date has been set.

The bride-to-be attended Lincoln high school and graduated from Midland junior high in 1943. Her fiancé, in the navy for 18 months, was discharged this month. He is a graduate of Puyallup high school and also attended Illinois and Mississippi schools.

In canning, for a thin syrup, use 1 cup sugar to 3 cups water; for a moderately thin syrup, use 1 cup sugar to 2 cups water; for a medium syrup (for sour fruit), 1 cup sugar to 1 cup water. Bring sugar and water mixture to a boil and boil 5 minutes, then skim.

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Farewell Party For S. A. Leaders

With their departure to other Salvation Army Posts, Major Selma Goodie, Envoy Alivia Brevittz and Lieut. Hays were entertained recently at a farewell party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, Spanaway.

All three were presented with gifts by the Spanaway Home League secretary, Mrs. Everett Ingham. Following luncheon there was a short business meeting. The rest of the afternoon the group sang hymns and took group pictures.

Present were the honored guests and Mrs. Vera Monta, Mrs. Fae Bloieu, Mrs. Alma Carlson, Mrs. Mimi Berger, Mrs. Easter, Mrs. Thorson, all of Tacoma. From Spanaway were Mrs. Decker, Mrs. Eben Nygren, Miss Clark, Miss Sanders, Miss Miller, Mrs. Dean. From Graham was Mrs. Gertie Nygren. Mrs. Lena Shelstad and Mrs. Everett Ingham from Parkland were also present.

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Recent Marriage—Friends and relatives of Wayne Bothwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bothwell of Seventh street, were pleased to hear of his recent marriage to the former Miss Twyla Jean Owens of Kansas City, Kansas.

The couple were married at the Western Highlands Presbyterian Church with a reception being held after the ceremony in the bride's home.

Mr. Bothwell graduated from high school at Wannaford, N. D., in 1939 and moved to Spanaway in 1940 with his family following soon after.

The couple will make their home in Kansas City until Mr. Bothwell graduates from radio school which he is now attending.

First Trip West—Bert Samuel of Fourth street entertained his sister-in-law, Mrs. Ethel Samuel of Pierre, S. D. This being her first trip west, Mrs. Samuel visited all the points of interest along the way. While here she visited her nieces, Mrs. C. A. Lowen of Fort Lewis and Mrs. John Ehly of Tacoma.

Vacation in Vallejo—Miss Evelyn Du Charme returned on Wednesday, September 5, from a vacation visiting relatives in Vallejo, Calif. Evelyn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Du Charme of Henry-Berger Road.

Returns—Mrs. George Higgin, of Fourth street, returned from visiting relatives in Boise, Idaho.

Entertain—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Fowler of First street have had as their guests on September 6, Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman and Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins of Retsil, Wash. On September 11, Mrs. Fowler gave a farewell luncheon for her sister, Mrs. Maite Brown who is making her home in Chicago, Ill. Those present were her sisters, Mrs. Edith MacLean, Mrs. Ralph

Rawley and the hostess, Mrs. Fowler. A sister, Mrs. Esther Manley, formerly of Spanaway and Tacoma, was unable to attend but sent a letter of regret. Mrs. Manley now resides in Sutherland, Oregon.

Texas Guests—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Walker of Pole Line road have as their house guests, Mr. Walker's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Walker of Fort Worth, Texas.

Taking Trip—Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kirby of First street and Mrs. Kirby's sister, Miss Margaret Bailor of Tacoma, are motoring through Montana, Minnesota, North Dakota and Canada on a 6 weeks' trip.

Luncheon Guests—Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Buffington of Jordan, Mont., were guests Wednesday, September 11, at a luncheon held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rhone on Second street. Mrs. Buffington is the former Miss Agnes Leedy of Spanaway.

From Alaska—Edwin Peyton, son of Mrs. E. Kallengberger of Third street, made the trip by plane from Juneau, Alaska, to Spanaway to visit friends and relatives here. He and his nephew, Kip Rohr, are now at Olympic Hot Springs in the Olympic mountains. While here, he will visit his sister, Mrs. Wm. Rohr of Seventh street and Mrs. Charles King of Mt. Highway, Elk Plain.

Loveland Ladies Aid—Loveland Ladies' Aid will convene on Thursday, September 26, at the home of Mrs. Harry Pillsbury at 2 p.m.

Discharged—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Keane of Third street had the honor of having three sons and one nephew serving in the armed forces. They are all discharged now and at home. They are Henry S. Keane, who served six years in the army as an instructor in army camps throughout the country. He attended schools in Wyoming prior to moving to Spanaway in 1942. He was discharged on January 9 and is now attending the Russell Flying School in Spanaway. Robert Keane served three years in the navy in New Guinea and was discharged in May at the Bremerton separation center while holding the rank of storekeeper second class. He graduated from Fort Larnie high school in Wyoming in 1943. Robert is now attending a business college in Tacoma. E. W. Keane served as a private in the marine corps for 13 months and was discharged September 5 at Treasure Island, Calif. He was stationed in San Francisco and San Diego in the postal service. "Corky," as he is known to his friends, attended Kapowsin high school. Clifford Eversull served 2½ years in the navy as a first class coxswain on the U. S. S. Boking. He was discharged from Bremerton in May. Clifford also attended schools in

On P.L.C. Staff



DR. OTILIE TERZIEFF

Dr. Otilie Terzief has joined Pacific Lutheran College faculty to teach French, German and English. Mrs. Terzief earned the Master of Arts degree from the University of Washington and the Doctor of Philosophy degree from the Hanseatic University at Hamburg, Germany. Doctor Terzief was professor of German at the U. of W. during fifteen years.

Wyoming and is now a student at a business college in Tacoma.

Ill at Home—Oliver Smith of 14th street is now convalescing at his home from a recent illness.

Have Baby Boy—Mr. and Mrs. George Schroeder of Sales Road are the proud parents of a son born September 5 at the Tacoma General Hospital. The baby weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces, and was christened Eugene George. He is welcomed home by a sister, Ilene. The Schroeders are formerly of 12th street, Spanaway.

Visitors—Mr. and Mrs. Merle Handy of First street were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fern Cooley, Sunday, September 15th.

Tacoma Visitor—Mrs. Edna Chappel of Tacoma spent Tuesday, September 10, visiting at the home of Mrs. Pete Nygard of Fourth street.

Honored—Mrs. H. Pillsbury of Spanaway was honored on her 69th birthday by a few of her friends spending the day at her home. Those visiting were Mr. and Mrs. M. Kirby of Second street and Mrs. Melissa Slager of Los Angeles, who had been visiting with Mrs. Pillsbury but returned to her home Sunday, September 15th.

Walking Early—Miss Judy Lyn Omat, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. Omat of Mt. Highway, surprised her parents when at the age of 9½ months she began to walk, even if it was just for a short way. Now after two weeks Judy is an old veteran at walking.

In New Home—Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hadman are now at their new home on the Loop Road. They had formerly resided in Seattle.

Visits Relatives—Earl Cooley and sister Edith have returned home from Portland, Ore. Their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Harris, and brother Duane and Robert Murray from Sandy, Ore., returned with them.

Visits Brother—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker have as their guests Mr. Baker's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Stathen of Riverdale, Calif.

Luncheon Guest—Mrs. Alva Schroeder of First street was hostess at a luncheon September 17 in honor of Mrs. W. H. Buffington of Jordan, Montana. Mrs. Buffington is the former Agnes Leedy of Spanaway. Guests present were Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Nancy Holmer, Mrs. E. E. Morgan of Spanaway, Mrs. Jennie Williams, Tacoma, Mrs. Helen Best, Brookdale, the honored guests and hostess, Mrs. Schroeder. Mrs. Buffington was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

Fire Auxiliary To Meet Monday

The Spanaway-Elk Plain Firemen's Auxiliary will meet Monday, September 23, at 8 p.m. at the home of Miss Alice Randall, Third street, on the Lake Road. All members are urged to attend this meeting. Any woman in the fire district is cordially invited to join this civic organization.

HOME LEAGUE TO MEET AT INGHAM HOME

Spanaway Home League of the Salvation Army will meet at the home of Mrs. E. L. Ingham in Brookdale on September 26 at noon.

Luncheon will be served and prayer and a business meeting will follow. Anyone is welcome.

Eating one raw vegetable a day can mean an extra helping of vitamins, for there is less loss of vitamins than when vegetables are cooked.

Eik Plain Notes

By Alice Dorfner

Re-Enlists in Marines—Ray E. Bramemer has re-enlisted in the marine corps (air division) for three years. He is stationed at Sand Point naval air station, Seattle.

In Seattle—Mr. and Mrs. Ben L. Kuper mixed business with pleasure last week by spending a few days in Seattle. Mr. Kuper was attending the Allied Committee of Sixteen of the State School Directors' Association.

Elk Plain School Club Meets—The Elk Plain School Club met on Wednesday evening with 32 members present. The new president, Mrs. T. A. Tibbetts, took charge of the meeting. The main project of the club is the serving of hot lunches to 125 pupils. Donations of fruit and vegetables are being made by parents and friends. Plans were made to can foods in both districts, Elk Plain and Kirby, Elk Plain using the school kitchen for that purpose on Wednesday evening, September 18. A carnival is being planned by the club late in October, proceeds going into the regular fund. The next regular meeting will be held on October third and the teachers are promised a surprise from the mothers. Mrs. Tibbetts introduced the teachers and all were entertained by two moving pictures run off by Mr. Lamb, school principal and teacher. The teachers served refreshments and all spent an enjoyable evening.

Returns From Fishing Trip—Nicholas Kanton returned east on Friday evening from a six weeks' fishing trip. He worked on Captain Adam Ross' purse seine boat Home 11 out of Gig Harbor. They report a very successful season.

Larchmont Scouts Elect Officers—Larchmont Scout Troop 42 opened their season September 12, in the Larchmont Hall. The nine members present elected Charles Berry as scribe and Jim Phillips, Jr., as senior patrol leader. Although active since spring only when the troop was reorganized, it has as committeemen Ned Hubben, E. B. Burnett, William Hagameir, Lester Welch and Morris Johnson. Before the war the troop produced scouts who are now assistant scoutmasters. They are Bill Bowlin, Eagle Scout; Stanley Vernon, Eagle; Ray Welch, Quartermaster Badge; Ed Gunns, Life Badge; and Elroy Burnett, Star Badge. All are former servicemen.

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Gifts were sent by Mrs. Ray Mangas and Mrs. O. R. Burslem. Also present were the Misses Ann Wright, Aletha Smallwood, Agnes Rink, the guest of honor and the hostesses, Mrs. Verle Wright, Miss Lois Rohr and Miss Marjorie Rohr.

The evening was enjoyed by playing games and the opening of many lovely gifts.

Supper was served buffet style from a table over which hung a large parasol and on each plate was placed a tiny parasol.

Miss Wright is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wright and has made wedding plans for October. Her fiancé is James May-cumber.

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With prices of everything inflated today it is especially important that you have something to say about purchases which may run into millions of dollars, and must be paid for by every user of electricity affected. Initiative No. 166 gives you this right. Vote FOR Initiative No. 166.

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COMMITTEE FOR INITIATIVE 166

G.I. Column

VFV—Rodger Lunde Post No. 5052, meets every Tues. night, Sunshine hall, Parkland, 8 p.m.
AMVETS—Clyde E. Barrett Post No. 3 meets Friday, 8 p.m., John Graham home, Parkland.
Clover Creek American Legion Post 118 meets 2nd and 4th Friday at Spanaway school.

AMVETS
 Any veteran, widow of a veteran, or parents of a deceased veteran who want information about terminal leave pay are invited to call Albert Hamilton, GRanite 7047, 509 Cleveland St., Parkland, between five and eight

o'clock evenings and any time on Saturday. Hamilton also takes care of memberships, if desired.

Crippled Girl Has Operation

After three years as a cripple from poliomyelitis, Maebelle Leonard hopes to be able to walk again. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Leonard of Clover Creek who took her to Swedish Hospital in Seattle on September 4 where she was operated upon on September 7.

Her condition is satisfactory and she is now using her wheelchair. She expects to walk without a brace eventually. For the three months she is in the hospital she will continue her eighth grade work.

Special studies by the Washington State Patrol indicate that teen-age drivers have more accidents than any other age group.

Health Officials Caution Canners

Home canners should put up as much food as possible this year, to improve their diets, to help increase the world food supply, and to keep food costs down—but they must be sure to use safe canning methods, according to Claire M. Hartnett, nutrition consultant for the State Department of Health.

"Home canned foods are appetizing, nutritious, and safe if they are prepared properly," Miss Hartnett said, "but they can be dangerous if carelessly or improperly processed."

"Each year there are cases of food poisoning and occasionally some deaths result from eating of unsafely processed home-canned food."

"One of the most important things for the home canner to remember is that meat, poultry, and all vegetables except tomatoes should be canned only by a tested pressure cooker. The bacteria responsible for botulism poisoning can be killed only by the pressure cooker method in these foods, and it is practically impossible to kill them by any other means."

"Another important point to remember is that the boiling water bath method should be used for tomatoes and fruits. The open-kettle and oven canning methods are considered unsafe for vegetables and less satisfactory for fruits."

"Every home canner should study thoroughly, and follow carefully, the methods recommended in official bulletins on the subject. Such bulletins can be obtained at small cost, or free, from your local health department, your county agent, or the U. S. Department of Agriculture."

Community canning centers offer excellent facilities and skilled supervision for canning of foods, Miss Hartnett said.

Jobs Daughters Will Honor State Officers

The September 20 meeting of Bethel 23, Order of Jobs Daughters, is set ahead to September 21 and has been selected by the grand officers in the Bethel, Miss Dorothy E. Lowe, grand librarian, and John C. Lowe, grand treasurer, as honor night for other grand officers of the state.

Those invited are Vidah M. Cox, grand guardian; Gladys Martin, Alice Elmstrom, Marie Granger, Meryl Houghton, Gertrude Dunlop, Reta N. Jungquist, Lula Leyda, Mable Schenck, Grace Jones, Erma Dyer, Evelyn Apple, Allene Houghland and Dottie Gueva. Vernon Teft, associate grand guardian, George Doran, Edward Loesser and Ira Crabtree are also invited.

After introduction courtesies to the grand officers, Bethel and Council members and past Queens and Princesses the following girls will be initiated: Misses Winnie Johnson, Lorana Bietz, Rexine Norton, Korene Royce, Margie MacLaine, Barbara Nord, Edna Scharmann and Barbara French. Decoration will be in charge of Miss Lowe. A late supper will be served by Bethel members assisted by Council members.

Entertainment will be outstanding with selected talent from the Bethel membership. Miss Lois Kidder, Honored Queen, will preside and asks that all Bethel and Council members appear in formal attire, and also extends an invitation to all persons eligible on account of Masonic relationship to attend. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Fern Hill Masonic Temple, 84th and Park Ave.

Baptism Services For Holdener Baby

Baptism services were held for their baby girl, Helen Louise, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thade Holdener, Clover Creek.

Father Berry officiated at the impressive ceremony and friends present were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Holdener and children, Lena and Albert, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bingissen and son, John, and Mr. and Mrs. Kellenberger of Spanaway.

CLOVER CREEK BUS BURNS

While the tank was being drained of gasoline, a Clover Creek school bus caught fire on Monday morning, September 16, and was badly damaged before the flames were extinguished. Children who were waiting in the bus to go to the Puyallup Fair were lead to safety through the emergency exit. None of the 20 were injured.

Because the bus failed to start, Driver Oscar Worthington and Teacher Lyle Catt were having the tank drained. The tank is located near the side exit door and when the gas caught fire the entire right side of the bus went up in flames, the windows, framework, upholstery and tires. The motor was untouched. Although the Spanaway fire department was called the fire was extinguished quickly before the truck arrived. The bus was insured.

The incident had a happy ending for the children who had reached the bus at 9:05 to go to the fair. Mr. Catt hopped in his car to catch the other bus and arranged for the children to see the fair anyway.

Midland Student Plays Accordion

So few young people at high school age have a definite idea of what career they would like to pursue that when a young Midland lady of 17 firmly announces what she plans to do in life, she is rather to be envied.

It is Dolores Soltis who is knocking down to learn all she can about playing the accordion. She was first interested in the instrument when she heard a Scandinavian program on the radio. Because she was so avid about the music her mother and father presented her with an accordion making her, she said, "the happiest girl that ever lived."

After three months' lessons she was asked to play in the Midland orchestra and since that time has been playing for evening meetings of local clubs. This year will complete her fifth year of lessons.

Glenn Beckwith Dies in Seattle

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Beckwith of Parkland attended the funeral for his brother Glenn in Seattle Wednesday, August 28, at 3 p.m. Glenn Beckwith died of heart failure while on a fishing cruise, Friday, August 23. He was 49.

Services were held at Home Undertaking Parlor.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Edna Beckwith, her son, his two sisters, Mary, Mrs. Ed Keller of Tacoma, and Nina, Mrs. Kenneth Fields of Seattle, and his brother James Earl Beckwith of Parkland. He and his wife had been married only three months.

Huge Crop of Late Potatoes Predicted

The prospects are for a 432 million bushels crop of potatoes in the United States this year. A crop of this size would be the second largest on record, according to Arthur Cagle, extension economist at the State College of Washington.

The prospective yield per acre is 158.4 bushels, which is 26 per cent above average.

For the 12 states that lead in the production of late potatoes, the crop is estimated to be the largest on record and 23 per cent above average.

"Washington has had an unusually large crop of early potatoes," says Cagle. "To keep prices from dropping below support levels, the Department of Agriculture purchased about 1,000 carloads. These are being diverted mainly to the manufacture of alcohol. The government purchases of potatoes in this state averaged about \$25 a ton, as the potatoes were mostly number 1 grade."

Red Cross Delegate Will Fly East

Delegate for the Junior Red Cross, John Sager of Sumner high school, will fly to Chicago Friday for a meeting of the Junior Advisory Council. Edith Ackerman, director of Pierce County Junior Red Cross, announced this week.

He was elected chairman of the Pacific area advisory committee and is, by reason of that position, one of five area chairmen composing the national council which plans service for Junior Red Cross members all over the country.

Most berries may be frozen without sugar, but strawberries have better texture and flavor when sweetened with dry sugar, or syrup before freezing.

Forrest-Greenlaw Rites September 5

Elizabeth Lowell Forrest, the daughter of Mrs. A. F. Weaver of Florence Apartments, was married to John Wesley Greenlaw Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Greenlaw of Orchard Hill, in an informal evening ceremony at the Greenlaw home Wednesday, September 5. The Rev. Carl A. Johnson performed the ceremony.

Wears Blue
 The bride, given in marriage by her stepfather, A. F. Weaver, wore a blue taffeta two-piece dress with orchid corsage and blue hat and veil. Her bridesmaid, Miss Lois Lund, wore a gray suit with carnation corsage.

The bride's mother, Mrs. A. F. Weaver, wore a black dress trimmed with pink eyelet lace and flowers in her hair. The groom's mother, Mrs. J. W. Greenlaw, wore a black dress with sequin-trimmed shoulders and a corsage of pink rosebuds and gardenias. Kenneth Pitzler was best man. Mrs. J. W. Greenlaw played the wedding march.

The ceremony was performed before a bank of greens and pink gladioli, flanked by tiers of candles and pink gladioli in white urns.

Receive One Hundred
 A reception for 100 was held in the home after the ceremony. The bridal table was set with an Italian cutwork tablecloth, white candles and white gladioli. Mrs. Weaver cut the cake and Mrs. O. H. Peterson poured.

For the honeymoon to Seaside, Oregon, the bride wore a gray suit with black accessories.

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IN PARKLAND

Tenth Birthday—Mrs. Albert Johnson held a birthday party Saturday afternoon, September 14, for her daughter Barbara who was 10. Guests were 13 school friends.

To Convention—Al H. Tisch, who resides on Cleveland street, will leave Saturday for Los Angeles to attend the convention of the National Association of Employees of Collectors of Internal Revenue. Tisch is president of Local Unit 30 of Tacoma and is chief of the audit section in the internal revenue department. He and five others were selected as delegates and the group will drive to the California city for the 12-day session.

Back to Work—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson and son Norman returned Aug. 29 from a month's vacation in the Midwest. Mr. Johnson has resumed his duties as engineer at Pacific Lutheran College.

Birthday Honored—A group of relatives and friends gathered at the O. J. Stuen home last Monday evening in honor of Elizabeth Stuen's birthday. Her birthday cake was cut and served to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dahl, Mrs. Esther Davis, Mrs. Albert Preus, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Fynboe and Elizabeth, Herman Fynboe, Stanley Dahl, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Stuen, Anita and Elizabeth Stuen.

Purchase Home—Former Parkland residents, the Clarence Lunds, and Mrs. Lund's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Thompson, recently bought a home at Harrison and C streets in Parkland. The Lunds have been living in Enumclaw and the Thompsons have been living with the Harry Sharpes on Clover Creek Road. Mrs. Lund and Mrs. Thompson are daughters of the Sharpes.

Visitor Entertained—Mrs. Hugh Laird was luncheon hostess to a group of friends Tuesday. Honor guest was Mrs. Mildred Laird of San Francisco who is visiting in the Laird home in Parkland. Those attending were the Mesdames Miles Parrott, Geo. Hoskings, Brian Laird, Rose McKay, W. Strong, Otto Damkier, Eric Selden, Nivell Moore, Harry Hitch, T. Swanes and Hazel Henderson.

Guest for Week—Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wold, Rt. 13, Box 242, have had as their guest for the past week, Mr. Wold's brother Heine of California.

Pups for Free—Two mongrel puppies will be given away by Mr. and Mrs. George Buck, Tacoma Avenue and Morton streets, to anyone who wishes them. The mother is a German Shepherd.

Visitors—Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simonsen and son Cliff of Brookdale were Mrs. Mattie Merritt of Tacoma (Clifford's grandmother) and Barbara Jean Leonard, the Simonsens' niece, of Hoquiam. Barbara Jean left for home on Saturday after a week's visit.

ENROLL 661 IN PARKLAND

Students enrolled at Parkland school now total 661—101 more than attended last year, according to Morris E. Ford, superintendent. It is expected that the number will increase before the first of October. The increase is due in part to the acquisition of a new school bus. It was also necessary to hire another teacher, Mrs. Arling Sannerud.

The bus is a 58-passenger Reo and cost \$6,965. It is expected for arrival before September 30 and will follow the state approved route from 102nd Street and Sprague to 102nd and Sheridan, to Sheridan and Sales Road, to Parkland school. A trip for lower grade students and one for upper grade pupils will follow the same route each afternoon.

Because of the large enrollment in the first grade, Mrs. Arling Sannerud was added to the staff. She had previously taught the second grade at Parkland school and spent last year in South America.

Medical Doctor Opens Offices

Raymond L. Knoll, M.D., is opening offices this week at 8234 1/2 Pacific Avenue after first trying to obtain space in a Parkland building.

He comes here after serving for three years in a government hospital in Alaska, having received his training at the medical school in Loma Linda, Calif., and his internship in the Portland Sanitarium and Hospital.

His choice of the South End location was due to his desire to live in a less thickly settled community. Because the mountain is not far away, Dr. Knoll also hopes to be able to indulge his interest in hiking and climbing.

His hours at the new office are from 10 to 12 in the morning and 1 to 5 by appointment. He offers services in connection with the Pierce County Medical Bureau.

8A Grade Wins Membership Prize

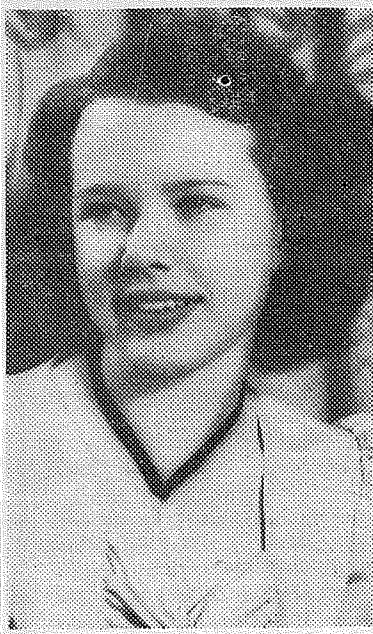
First prize of \$15.00 in the Parkland P. T. A. membership drive was won by the 8A roll room with 246%. Members of the class are Gerald Leap, Eddie Jung, Verna Reichert, Donna Groom, Shirley Nelson, Bob Schibig, Richard Clemons, John Simerson, Dale Frank, John Younce, Kenneth Catchpole, Juanita Smith, Donald Myron, Erle LaVergne and Merle Sherwood.

The sixth grade with 204%, won second prize of \$10.00 while the fifth grade won the \$5 third prize with 122%. Fourth grade ran a close third with 119%.

Teachers for the prize-winning rooms are 8A, Miss Eklund; sixth grade, Miss Rogers; fifth grade, Mrs. Waldron; and fourth grade, Mrs. Turner.

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MISS JANET HAUGE

Last Sunday afternoon, in the Parkland home of Dr. and Mrs. Philip E. Hauge, a number of young friends of Janet Hauge who were invited to tea were greeted at the door by Anita Stuen. Each guest was presented with a small white card which had been hand lettered in gold with the names "Janet and Ralph" to announce the engagement of Janet Cecilia Hauge to Ralph O. Carlson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Carlson of Tacoma. The rooms were decorated with a profusion of roses and late summer flowers.

The lace covered buffet table was centered with a charming arrangement of small flowers in a low glass bowl and at either end of the table tall, white tapers flanked the silver coffee service and a tea service which had been sent home by Colonel Hauge when he was in Italy with the army. Mrs. Esther Davis and Mrs. Lora Kreidler (Janet's godmother) presided.

P.L.C. Graduate
Miss Hauge received her B. A. degree from Pacific Lutheran College last June. She was a member of the Choir of the West, and held offices for the Associated Women Students, the Senior Class, the Viking Club and for her sorority, Delta Rho Gamma.

Enters Training
During the evening neighbors and friends dropped in informally to express their interest and good wishes to the betrothed. No date has been set for the wedding as Miss Hauge is entering nurses training at Tacoma General Hospital and Mr. Carlson is resuming his college work at Pacific Lutheran College after a three-months of service with the marine corps.

Guests present during the afternoon were the Misses Charlotte Swanson, Anita Stuen, Elizabeth Stuen, Marjorie Carlson, Janice Kithelson, Agnes Mykland, Ruth Towe, Vivian Wenham, Georgina King, Vivian Shore, Elizabeth Fynboe, Marilyn Pfeuffer, Ruth Jensen, Charlene Martens, Edna Martens, Beverly Swanson, Avis Hovland, Gladys Hovland, Gertrude Tingelstad, Betty Christensen, Esther Velsvik, Ruth Velsvik, Dorothy Satterlie and Mesdames C. O. Carlson, C. Hanson, Gustaf Anderson, Robert Clark, O. J. Stuen and Esther Davis.

Trinity Brotherhood Meeting Tuesday

The Lutheran Brotherhood of Trinity Lutheran Church will have its first meeting of the fall season on Tuesday at 8 p.m. Dr. Ernest B. Steen will be the speaker of the evening and will use as his subject: "A Night in Harlem." Rev. A. W. Ramstad will lead in devotion. Paul Steen will play a cornet solo.

A cordial invitation is extended to all men to attend. Lunch will be served and a social hour will follow. The following are the officers of the Brotherhood:

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Class activity in reading and spelling was carried on and broadcast over the public address system to the fair-goers.

Bus Service

(Continued from page 1) and will be continued as long as the company feels that patronage warrants.

For the convenience of bus riders the new schedule is printed below:

SPANAWAY-PARKLAND SCHEDULE

Effective September 16, 1946 (Subject to change without notice) WEEK DAYS

Lv. 8th & "A"	Lv. Span.
5:11-14th St.	5:51 A.M.
5:50-14th St.	6:30
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SATURDAY

Lv. 8th & "A"	Lv. Span.
5:14-14th St.	5:54 A.M.
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SUNDAY

Lv. 8th & "A"	Lv. Span.
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P. L. C. Opening

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The science hall is expected to be ready by about January 1, according to contractors, the Geo. Warter Construction Company, in charge of the building. The new gymnasium is in process of erection and it is expected that it will be ready for use shortly after the new year. The Federal government has moved in housing for one hundred veterans. While the buildings were not ready on the opening day of the college, it is expected that they will be ready for occupancy on or before October 1. In the meantime, beds are set up in the library building and in the parlors of Trinity Lutheran Church, taking care of the emergency. The basement of the old gymnasium, which burned down on June 4, has been reconstructed and is in finer shape than it was before the fire. The biology and chemistry departments will be temporarily housed there until the new science hall is ready. It is reported by the President of the College that about \$40,000 worth of furniture for the science departments has been ordered and will be ready for installation when the building is completed.

Football
Coach Cliff Olson reports that about eighty boys have turned out for football and prospects are good for some fine athletics at the college during the fall.

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