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By Clarence LaCrosse

I had the pleasure of attending one of the South Tacoma Business Club meetings this past week, thus getting a first hand knowledge of how that progressive club operates and why it is so well-attended. It didn't take long to figure out that their members attend because they have a good time in so doing. No one forces or begs them to attend. Programs are made so interesting that no one would think of not attending. Then too, it is a bit more informal than our own Parkland Club.

Speaking of our Parkland Business Club brings us to mind that the last meeting was one of the best ever experienced by the club. Membership was out in good number. The speaker, Walter West, of the Better Business Bureau, gave us an interesting insight into many of the rackets prevailing in the area at present. Warned as much as we are regarding these high-pressure type of salesmen selling everything from College Degrees to anti-tooth paste, we still fall prey to their racket of selling a worthless product at a higher than market price.

President Don Eastvold has promised that the spark which is now prevalent in the club is to continue. You can't afford to miss a single meeting of the Business Club in the future.

Our Apology

To Scout Queen Carol, who won the recent ticket-selling contest for the American Legion thus making her Scout Queen. Our over exuberant remarks regarding one of her attendants was in no way intended as a personal remark regarding herself. Sometimes our liking for a cause or person overcomes good judgment. Thus we learn.

Midnight Oil

All of us here at the printing plant have been burning some midnight oil these past weeks working on the College Annual but we note that there is still a busier person working even after we are finished. That person is Jack Quill, who puts in a lot of hours he never gets paid for in order to keep the Parkland Post Office up to the high standard of service it has maintained under his leadership. Working under difficulty since the Post Office Department has made drastic changes in its service and policy, Jack has done a good job with a result that few people in Parkland have had cause to notice some of the changes in policy which the Tacoma people have cause to complain about.

Sheriff Patrol Noticeable

After shaming the Sheriff's office into action we have noticed more activity in the Parkland area lately. Watch your speed along side streets and Park Avenue because you will be caught sooner or later and with a vengeance to repay. Of course if you time your doings right you can be reasonably safe because our sheriffs do eat and quite often and lengthily at varying establishments along the highway, namely Park-n-shop and the Bungalow.

Golf Report

No time for golf this week thanks
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Planning Group Doesn't Do Any Planning, Member Says

By C. V. MUNSEY

(Mr. Munsey is one of the six members of the County Planning Commission. However, in this article written for the Times, he charges that the commission isn't doing enough constructive planning.)

The Pierce County Planning Commission has been organized and operating for nine years, but if you are not familiar with its activities, think nothing of it! It can, however, be used to advantage by communities and property owners if they will seek out the ways to make use of it.

● If a neighborhood desires to be a neighborhood of nice homes and more or less uniform buildings, apply to the Planning Commission.

● If a neighborhood wants a limited commercial activity, apply to the Planning Commission.

● If a neighborhood wants to bar objectionable activities, apply to the Planning Commission.

● Any area in the county may be zoned if the property owners desire to have it done.

This writer learned that the Planning Commission had nothing to do

with the well-planned 10-year road program being considered by the county commissioners now.

Don't go to the Planning Commission to find out:

(1) What are the agricultural capacities of our county and could we help support another 40,000 population increase in the next ten years?

(2) What is the drainage situation in the county and what could be done about it?

(3) What are the possible sources of employment for an extra influx of population within the next ten years?

(4) Do we need a new courthouse and could we get one?

(5) What are the recreational attractions in our county that we may enjoy our share of the \$123,000,000 spent in our state by tourists each year?

(6) What could be done to aid small towns and communities in the county, or don't they need aid?

(7) What should be done to make our main highways more attractive?

(8) Do the young people of our schools and colleges know of the future plans of our county?

(9) Are there other planning commissions in the state and what do they do?

Pierce County is a good county to live in, and many tourists pass through it, but we all want to make it better.

FIREMEN HOPE TO FINISH HALL

Free cats! That's what the Summit-Woodland-Collins auxiliary is offering to all men who can be on hand at the fire station this Sunday.

All are urged to come out and help the S-W-C firemen finish the new building. A good turnout on Sunday should just about do it. Get together with the folks in your neighborhood and make up a work party.

The building belongs to the community, and the sooner it is finished, the sooner it will be available for community activities. The second floor is to be a big hall and kitchen, ideal for many functions.

The auxiliary members will be grateful if enough men show up so they have to scramble around to feed them.

The firemen used every free day last summer to work on the structure so sleepers could use it this past winter. Now they want to finish it quickly so they won't have to spend the rest of the summer on the project.

One of the reasons the firemen would like to complete the building is because they plan to hold a gigantic carnival and fair on Friday, June 9. They urge everyone to remember the date.

YOUNGS ENTERTAIN EX-PARKLAND PAIR

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Young this week have been Captain and Mrs. E. G. Carter, who have just returned from a two-year stay on Guam. The Carters previously lived here while he was stationed at McChord Field. They are now on their way to Michigan.

Joining to entertain the Carters last Thursday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Karman, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown, Dr. and Mrs. Burton Ostenson, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sanders, Mrs. Elvin Akre, Miss Mary Jane Blaser, Dan Cody and Robert Hager.

GRANGE INVITES PUBLIC TO RADAR DEMONSTRATION

The public is cordially invited to open house at the James Sales Grange Hall next Thursday, June 1, at 8:30 p. m.

Highlight of the evening will be an hour-long radar demonstration by the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co.

KIWANIS SPEAKER

Speaking this noon to the Kiwanis Club of the Parkland Area, meeting at Trinity Lutheran Church, is Chaplain Louis White of Ninth Infantry, Fort Lewis.

Legion, VFW Plan Memorial Day Service

In honor of the departed comrades who made the supreme sacrifice for the preservation of the American way of life, Parkland American Legion Post 228 and Veterans of Foreign Wars, Robert Lunde Post, under the direction of their respective commanders, Jack Quill and Troy Nighswonger, extend a cordial invitation to all residents of this area, especially all veterans and their families to join with them in a Memorial Day service.

The service is to be held at 11 a. m. Tuesday at the Parkland War Memorial, directly across from the Parkland grade school on 121st Street. All gold star mothers will be honored guests.

Dr. Ernest B. Steen will deliver the invocation and Charles Martin will sing an appropriate number in memoriam of the occasion.

Vice-commander Walter Fritz will be in charge of the colors and color guard and Adjutant Sam Fife will be in charge of the firing squad. The program will be of 30 minutes duration.

How long does a man have to live as a neighbor before he can have the respect of his neighbors? Mr. E. J. Reed is an old timer, having settled in these parts on the prairie to the east with other older pioneers in the eighties. He has had time enough to thorough explore and settle as he chose. Spanaway is his home and one of his most loved camping grounds, years ago. Who could do much better? Can the commissioners do any better?

Now getting back to our original discussion, why haven't the Water District Commissioners informed the people concerned, how much the interest would amount to, the ever present depreciation that amounts to a very large figure? Why didn't they tell those attending the meetings that the average operating expense would be close to \$7,000.00 per year which would require nearly 200 water services at \$3.00 per month to come near balancing that figure.

The commissioners say that the

Tot and Mother Narrowly Escape From Cesspool

Ever wondered how it feels to plunge head-first into a deep and murky cesspool?

Just ask Mrs. Don Fisher of Parkland, who had this experience last week and still doesn't know how she got herself and her two-year-old daughter out of the quagmire. As a result of the shock, Mrs. Fisher two days later gave birth prematurely to a five-pound son. Doctors are surprised that he survived the near-calamity.

The excitement at the Fisher place, located on 115th Street near McChord Field, started when the two-year-old girl sank into the ground as she frolicked in the back yard.

Faint cries, something like the meowing of a kitten, aroused the mother, who was in the house at the time.

Rushing into the back yard, she was aghast to see a gaping hole where there had been a level lawn a couple minutes before. Gazing down, she could see the face of her daughter barely sticking above the sewage.

At this moment, more of the dirt walls caved in, hurling Mrs. Fisher head-first into the cesspool on top of her child.

She still can't explain how she saved herself and the tot. "God must have had His arms around me," she commented. She remembers that she had thrown the girl up in the air several times before it landed safely on the bank.

The Fishers recall now that when they bought the house last December, they were told that it had a 1,000 gallon all-cement septic tank.

IBSEN PLAY AT PLC THIS WEEK

"A Doll's House," famous social play written in 1879 by Henrik Ibsen, will be staged by an all-college cast in the PLC Student Union this Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights.

A unique feature of the casting is the double-casting of three roles because of the equal abilities of those who tried out. Straws were drawn for the nights which these individuals are to appear.

Enacting the part of Dr. Rank on Friday will be Morry Hendrickson, while Don Graham will play the part on Thursday and Saturday. Likewise, Bob Ericson and Dick Svare will share the role of Krokstad. Lee Bishop will play the part of Anna on Saturday, and Beverly Wigen will take the role on Thursday and Friday.

Others in the cast are Stan Elberston, Joyce Taylor, Marguerite Eastvold, Katherine Reule, Phil Thorliofson, and three children, Margaret Ronning and Jim and Paul Olsen.

Student director is Philip Falk. Andy Worley is stage manager, Jon Ericson, business manager, and Howard Shull, technical stage adviser.

The play revolves around a home in which the housewife is seeking individual rights in a social world rather than being a "doll in a doll's house." She finally leaves her husband and children to go into the world and live her own life as an individual.

Refreshments will be 85 cent for adults and 50 cents for students.

Spanaway Rebels Bite Back; Say Water Plan Too Costly

By the "Lake Park Club"

Your article about the Battle of the Spanaway Water District shows that you are still injecting the Parkland Times into a squabble that you know little or nothing about.

We are violent foes of the brazen promotion scheme which will put assessments on some individuals as high as \$1,200.00 plus interest, over a period of twenty years amounting to approximately 50 per cent.

Quite a number of residents of the lower income group will be forced to give up their homes, being unable to pay assessments and this grotesque amount of interest and other incidental taxes due to the lack of revenue.

The Lake Park Club was formed for the purpose of fighting this type of brasserie promotion, but after this is over, we will pay attention to real improvements.

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228 To Get Diplomas At College This Sunday

This Sunday will mark the culmination of college studies at PLC for some 228 students. Commencement exercises will take place in the gym at 3:30, with Dr. Harry Newburn, president of the University of Oregon, delivering the address. Ninety-two students will receive degrees in liberal arts, 115 in education and 21 will complete their fifth year for high school teaching.

Baccalaureate services will be held at 11 a. m. Sunday morning. The Rev. Konrad Koosman of San Marino, Cal., will give the sermon. In the afternoon, he will receive an honorary doctor's degree.

Members of Pacific Lutheran's graduating class include the following from Parkland and Spanaway:

Walter Dingfield, Edward Flatness, Larence Hauge, LaMonte Hedlund, Helen Ramstad Killo, Marilyn Pfueger, Richard Svare, Jesse Thompson, Jay Zimmerman, Jerrol Enge, Robert Giles, Bob LeRoy, Charlotte Mykland, Evangeline Ordahl, Robert Tuttle, Calvin Watness, Carl Fynboe, Clifford Korsmo, Donald Williams, Vera Ferguson, Carl Munsen, Jacqueline Munsen, Walter Sahli and Georgina King.

LAST MEET OF YEAR FOR CUB PACK 33

Cub Pack 33 of Parkland will hold its May Pack meeting Friday evening in the basement of the Parkland school, 7:30 sharp.

The theme for the meeting will be "Things That Go." Two airports, constructed in sections by the Cub dens, will be laid out. Miniature racing cars, assembled by the boys and their dads, will race against each other.

Applicants for membership in Pack 33 will be initiated, advancements in rank made, and a graduation ceremony conducted during this last meeting of the school year.

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—TRAV DRYER.

Doze Site Of Library Building

The site of the proposed new Parkland library was bulldozed Saturday morning in preparation for the erection of a \$6,500 brick veneer building as soon as possible.

Exact date for construction to begin still hinges directly on the success of the financial drive now being conducted by the Parkland Community Club.

The campaign began with a boom on April 15 but has since sunk back into the doldrums. It is set to bounce back into the spotlight within the next few days when an army of men will scatter to every nook and cranny of Parkland to accept donations from all who haven't yet been contacted.

The amount already collected stands at about \$2,500 according to Clinton Williams, chairman of the appeal. This leaves \$4,000 yet to be accumulated.

The bulldozing last Saturday was donated by V. R. Selle of Parkland Fuel Oil and Service. Three trees were removed. Several other oak trees were left to give the library a park-like setting. The building site is on 119th Street, just west of Pacific Avenue.

When the building is completed, Parkland will have one of the finest libraries of any unincorporated community in the county. Statistics prove the need. The Parkland station, now housed in the schoolhouse, circulated more books than any other station of the county library last year, and the circulation is increasing every month.

Rocky Ridge Ladies To Remodel Center

Ladies of the Rocky Ridge Community Club held their regular monthly session at the home of Mrs. Thomas Benston and Mrs. David Benston on Wednesday.

Plans for the renovation of their new community center were discussed and arrangements for the annual Father's Day dinner were made. This year's dinner will take place at the Gaul Turkey Farm. Tickets will be sold in all communities in the area.

Mrs. Florence Allen from the county extension office, gave a talk and demonstration on the freezing of asparagus and turkey.

DOCTOR RETURNS FROM MIDWEST

Dr. Albert Smith of Parkland Health Center, and his sister, Anna May, have just returned from a two-week trip to Kansas City, Mo., where they visited their mother, one sister, two brothers, and several cousins and other relatives.

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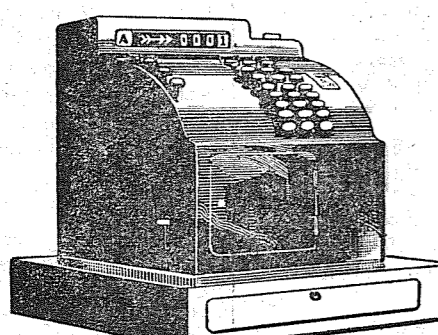
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MRS. McLELLAN TO CALL SQUARES

Calling square dances at the Spanaway Community Club shindig this Saturday night will be Mrs. Don McLellan, one of the better lady square-dance callers in the county. Laura's style is unique and it is fun to watch her as she moves rhythmically with the music.

Square dances are not the only feature. The waltz quadrille has fast become a favorite. The dance will take place at Metropolitan Hall, with everyone invited.

Prairie Flower Garden Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Park Shaw, 902 South Sheridan, Tacoma, Friday, June 2.

The group plans to tour Wright Park to study the beautiful flowers and shrubs now in bloom.

At the firemen's auxiliary social card party last Friday evening, Mrs. Oliver Omat won first place, Mrs. Harry White copped low honors, and Mrs. Ted O'Neil took the door prize.

The seventh birthday of Delores McAtee was a happy occasion when 19 little girls came after school last Friday to play games and munch on birthday cake and ice cream. Delores, of course, is the daughter of the Chet McAtees.

Pre-school and P-TA ladies attending the farewell dinner for county P-TA president Mrs. A. W. Millard, included Mesdames John Newell, Oscar Haugen, William Walin, Kenneth Reeve, Lawrence Beckman and Chet McAtee.

New officers and chairmen of Spanaway Pre-school who gathered at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Reeve last Tuesday were Mesdames Galen Prine, L. O. Frykholm, Doyle Cox, Ethan Nelson and Oliver Omat.

Miss Wilma Righetti was pleasantly surprised on her 18th birthday with a special dinner. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Salter, Mrs. Ida Dellwo, and host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. William Righetti. Callers later in the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Harry White and Mrs. George Cloyes and her son and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McClure and family have sold their home and are moving to Spanaway.

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STATE OF WASHINGTON TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: YOU AND EACH OF YOU are hereby summoned to appear within sixty (60) days after the date of the first publication of this summons, to wit, within sixty (60) days after April 27, 1950, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled court and answer the complaint of the Plaintiffs, and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned attorney at his office below stated; and in case of your failure to do so, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demands of the Complaint, which has been filed with the Clerk of the said Court.

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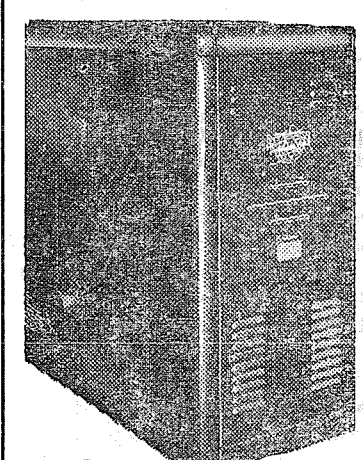
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Couples To Fix Up Cabin At Heights

Members of the Couples Club of Parkland Methodist Church will gather at the church at 10 a. m. Memorial Day to be set out on a work-and-play expedition to Epworth Heights, overlooking Redondo Beach.

The Parkland Church has a cabin at the camp, but it hasn't been used for several years and has fallen into disrepair. The couples plan to put the cabin back into usable condition for the summer.

All members and friends of the club are invited to bring a basket dinner and join the expedition.

Three Generations Are Honored At Collins

Three generations of Holdens were feted at Collins P-TA's Mother's Day tea last Wednesday. Corsages were pinned on Mrs. Ada Holden for being the oldest great-grandmother present, Mrs. James Bibby, the youngest grandmother, and Mrs. William Simons, the youngest mother.

Also receiving corsages were Mrs. George Burkhart, youngest great-grandmother, Mrs. Theresa Jurach, oldest grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Bishop, mother with the youngest baby present, and Mrs. Rosa M. Coffman, mother with the largest family.

Stanley Floyd played violin selections, accompanied by Gail Beauchamp. A member of the Tacoma Writers League and Manuscript Club recited some of her poetry about mothers. The Franklin Pierce Mothersingers sang several numbers, and Mrs. E. W. Purdue played piano selections. Mrs. Lyle Parker announced the program.

Justice of Peace Announces Sessions

Parkland's new justice court will hold its sessions in an office of the Blue Spruce Motel on Pacific Avenue at 128th Street, Justice Louis Innerarity revealed this week.

Hours will be 7 p. m. on Monday, Friday and Saturday, and 2 p. m. on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. At other times and on Sunday evenings, Innerarity can be contacted at GR 7313, the office of Attorneys Eastvold and Hicks in the National Bank of Washington building.

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PLC's senior class, 225 strong, invites local residents to join them Friday morning in the college's first annual observance of Senior Day. The affair will be initiated at 9:30 with a program in the gym, preceded by an academic procession of gradu-

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ates down the hill from the upper campus. The program will include the presentation of the class, an oration by Lloyd Clevon, and musical numbers by Duane Fods, Lowell Woltheuter, Helen Killo, Vangie Ordahl, Jean Hesla, Mahlon Read, Al Kluth and Dick Svare.

Afterwards will be traditional activities, including an academic recessional, planting of a class bush next to the Student Union and the hiding of the shovel somewhere on the campus to be found by the juniors.

"This grown a word of course for writers to say, This critical age, as diviners say, This sinful age."—Swift.

PARKLAND BUSINESS CLUB GETS LOWDOWN ON RACKET SCHEMES

One of the most successful sessions of the Parkland Business Club was held last Thursday at the Alnor Cafe, President Don Eastvold presiding. The business club has had its ups and downs in the way of interest and attendance, however, this meeting had both the attendance and the interest present. Every person attending was cognizant of the fact that there was a need being filled very efficiently.

New Members Introduced
New members introduced to the club included Roy Krause of Home Gas Company, J. Castleman, who has just opened an insurance agency here, Mrs. Magdanz, Magdanz Lumber Co., Mr. Blanning, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher, Fletcher's Market, Mr. Doen, Wesley Studio. Each was well received and promised to continue attendance.

President Don Eastvold appointed J. Brown as chairman of program committee for the next meeting to be held June 15. Chairman for this past program was Jack Quill.

Walter West Main Speaker
Highlight of the meeting was the main address of the evening given by Walter West of the Tacoma Better Business Bureau. Speaking with the knowledge of the subject well in hand Walter dealt with the subject "Rackets that Bloom in the Spring." This subject as you can determine was about the many rackets and high pressure selling schemes which run rampant especially in the spring of the year.

It was very forcibly brought to the attention of the business men present that there are many types of rackets which present a pitfall to the business man and the individual. These rackets are run mostly by ex-con men or people of like association. It would take pages of type to mention all the schemes and companies involved in these shady dealings however we will cover some of the more prevalent.

Of special warning to women and household are the yearly trek of the Aluminum Wear, etc., salesmen and high pressure individuals who sell probably good products but at a terribly high price and with such scheming devices. You will be much safer to say no and buy your goods from your local merchant, who will back his product. After these pressure men sell you a product you have no guarantee that you will ever see him or his product again.

Along this line is the fancy French Hosiery salesman who will soon be knocking at your door. Don't listen to his sheer tale as it will only be another runner in his line of allure.

Of course you have the most beautiful baby in the world. We all have, but don't let some high pressure salesman talk you into taking his or her picture for some publication or contest to determine the most beautiful baby in your city. The prize will probably be a chance for a career in the movies or some equally interesting bait. You will be only a sucker, warns Walter West and he

should know, it is his business to keep you posted on such individuals and their crooked schemes.

Watch the Termite Extinguishers
One of the most prevalent schemes and one which is apt to cost you money is the one about the man who will tell you your home is infested with termites, etc. In fact it is so bad it might fall down any time. For a very nominal fee he will get rid of all these little "Terrible Terry, the Termites" for you. Don't you believe him. A cheaper and more effective way would be to call you "bug man" at the Experiment Station in Puyallup.

Paint and Roofing Frauds
If your barn needs a new paint job by all means get a good can of paint and hire a good painter or do it yourself, or hire a reliable contractor because if you listen to some itinerant salesman and let him do the job for you chances are that you will pay a good price for a good job of white-washing. Not all soliciting salesmen are crooked or out to beat you but as Mr. West warns us, your chances are not very good of coming out ahead.

One of the most lucrative and the most fallen-for rackets existing today is the roofing one. Probably you have already been contacted by at least several different firms wishing to sell you a new roofing job. Your chances of coming out even on a deal of this kind are not very good it is pointed out. By all means don't let anyone of a high pressure calibre talk you into signing a bunch of papers with a lot of fine print. Let your husband look at it first and then before he signs it let at least two lawyers read it. That is stretching the point a bit, however, Mr. West explains that there are hundreds of people getting stung every day by letting such people talk them into doing a roofing or painting job for them. If there is a bit of doubt about the company with which you are doing business by all means call the Business Bureau and check. It will save you money.

Phone Contacts
More and more unscrupulous firms are relying on the phone and a pretty voice to talk the housewife into buying something which should never be bought. Say NO to these phone calls which require you to pay money when the merchandise is delivered or some other plan. There are many of them and most of them are phonies.

That was the gist of the business club meeting. Such warnings and evident attempts at fraud make us only more conscious of the fact that "It Pays to Shop at Home."

Will Convert Barracks Into Church Building

Elk Plain Community Church board held its monthly meeting last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Rich.

The problem of raising money to renovate the Army barracks now owned by the church into a temporary church was discussed. Sunday School vacancies were also discussed.

This Sunday will be Rev. Harold Wagner's last in the pulpit of the Elk Plain Community Church. Rev. Wagner and his family are returning to Sunnyside for the summer. Next fall he will begin studies at Chicago. Rev. Lew Brown will be the new minister at Elk Plain.

The annual Elk Plain school picnic will be held May 30 on the school grounds. Chairman for this event is Mrs. Ross Plumb. Games and races will highlight the day's entertainment.

The Grange of Elk Plain is sponsoring a box social tomorrow night at the Grange Hall. A prize will be awarded for the best decorated box. Dancing will follow.

Regular meeting of Elk Plain Grange is set for tonight at 8:30 in the Grange Hall.

Mrs. Erickson Picked By Kapowsin P-TA

Mrs. Fred Erickson was chosen president of Kapowsin P-TA. On her cabinet will be G. J. Fauske, first vice-president; Mrs. Ed Voss, second vice-president; Mrs. Walter McGee, secretary; and Mrs. J. Rich, treasurer.

The next meeting will be held this Thursday night in the high school gym. Mrs. Markham has charge of the program, the theme of which will be health. One of the sidelights will be modelling by the Thrift ladies of styles at the turn of the 20th century.

GIRL SCOUTS ON ALL-DAY OUTING

Girl Scout troops of the Parkland, Spanaway and Collins districts joined with troops from the Stewart district last Saturday for a day of "outing in Scouting" last Saturday at Wapato Park.

The program started with the raising of the flag by Mrs. John McCaffery's troop 104. The Brownie promise was led by Mrs. Wilbur Roberts' troop 131. There were demonstrations of different types of outdoor cooking, including one of tinned cookery by Mrs. Paul Bondo, district chairman.

Mrs. Rufus Harvey and Mrs. Roberts of Parkland were in charge of the intermediate and Brownie groups respectively. Mrs. V. E. Myers, also of Parkland, was in charge of the "Brownie Fly-up," a ceremony which takes place when a Brownie reaches the age of 10 years and is ready to become a Girl Scout.

Many of the troops awarded badges to their girls. Mrs. Neil Gaiser's troop awarded curved bars to Grace Hawkins and Rosalie Rosso.

From the suburbs who were present for the day were: Parkland, Mrs. Alan Smith, 39, Mrs. Gaiser, 100, Mrs. Bondo, 90, Mrs. McCaffery, 104, Mrs. Roberts, 131, and Mrs. Einar Jacobs, 137; Spanaway, Mrs. Van Alstine, 164, and Mrs. Alice Prettyman, 111; Collins, Mrs. H. Nuabaum, 29, and Mrs. Lyle Parker, 33.

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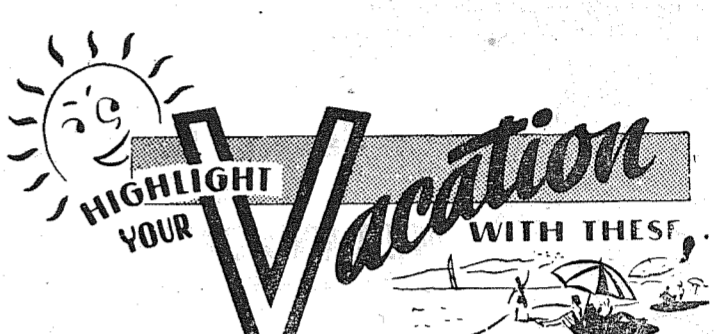
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- A word that is a subject of discourse
- A kind of literature
- To strike lightly
- To increase
- Ectoderm (abbrev)
- Toward
- The first word of a telephone conversation
- Young Men's Renunciation (abbrev)
- Exist
- Ancient Egyptian sun god
- Auricle
- Suffix meaning "like"
- Roman numeral
- In the same place
- Supple
- Exclamation of pain
- Toward
- Decliter (abbrev)
- To lament audibly
- Latin form of the verb "to be"
- Chemical symbol for tellurium (abbrev)
- Continent (abbrev)

DOWN

- New Zealand flightless bird
- Within
- Public conveyance (abbrev)
- A kind of infinitive the correct speaker avoids
- Roman numeral
- Scans
- To rest
- A mental impression
- A diving bird
- Exist
- What an adjective does
- The thing (legal)
- Yelps (slang)
- To send forth
- A kind of word or expression
- An imitative word suggesting a sudden drop
- Has been transferred, to paper
- Scottish "have"
- Lubricate
- Public notice
- Authoritative statements
- Revolutionary Rhyming Master (abbrev)
- Prefix denoting "toward"
- Given verbally
- Neuter Noun (abbrev)
- Gear tooth
- Combining form meaning "wide"
- A person's supply of words
- A drunkard
- To absorb words through the eyes
- Prevaricator
- A Date in March
- To prosecute
- Anger
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- College degree

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BUNYAN CLUB FISHES AT OHOP; HARVARD CLUB MEETS TOMORROW

You were doubtlessly sound asleep at 3 o'clock last Saturday morning. But for 23 Midlanders, an eventful day was already underway. Fourteen boys, one girl and eight men gathered at 3 a. m. at Midland Hall for breakfast, which started a day's outing sponsored by Paul Bunyan Sportsmen's Club. Chef Spalt Wartenbe served a breakfast of hamburgers, doughnuts, cocoa and coffee, after which the party left for Ohop Lake.

Taking the youngsters out were Goodwin Moe, LeRoy Wright, Herbert Shovlain, Bill Squires, Terry Lezzari, Bob Bostrum, Louie Flann and Roy Calvert.

Everyone caught some fish, but those winning the prizes donated by the owner of Ohop Lake resort were, Ronnie Turner, 15-inch rainbow; Bill Turner, 14-inch rainbow; Ed Whitley, 11-inch rainbow, Don Squires and Ronny Ray, 10-inch trout; and Karen Strait (who was the only girl), nine-inch trout.

Other on the junket were Robert Bain, Bill Brechbiel, Monte Snyder, Albert Robbins, LaVerne Carver, Kenny Randler, Gary Ellingson and Doug McLeod.

Harvard Improvement Club will meet this Friday evening at 8 p. m. at the Dawson Fieldhouse with chairman Harold Olson presiding. Hostesses for the meeting will be Mrs. Erwin Smith and Mrs. Olive Huston. Dr. George Nace, director of the Metropolitan Park District, Floyd Owen, Park District superintendent and Les Hudson, county commissioner of the first district are all receiving a great vote of thanks for the parents and children interested in the Dawson Field for the wonderful improvements that are now being done at the field. Anyone driving by the field can surely appreciate the beauty the park now adds to the community.

The Harvard-Midland P-TA met last Wednesday evening in the school gym with Mrs. Clarence Johann presiding. Mrs. Ernest Ripoli presented

the association with the record book and three awards which it won, one from county and two from state conventions.

Mrs. Johann introduced and presented the newly elected officers with lovely corsages and boutonnières. Mrs. John Gorow of Collins, the new president of the Pierce County Council of Parents and Teachers then graciously installed them as the officers of Harvard-Midland for the 1950-51 term. Those taking office were Mrs. Raymond Ellison, president; Mrs. Fred Rousseau, first vice president; Mrs. Robert Sharpe, second vice president; Mrs. David McPherson, secretary, and Albert Reihls, treasurer.

Mrs. Gorow also presented the group with an award of 20 per cent gain in membership and a second award for having attained the goal in membership set for them by the state office. Perry Keithly, principal of the Harvard-Midland schools then presented Mrs. Johann with a past president's pin and thanked her for her service for the past two years. George Barras presented the orchestra in several selections.

It was voted by the group to finance the participation of two of the members in the Summer Workshop which is to be held at PLC during July. Mrs. R. V. Simpson was appointed as chairman to assist with the grade school's last-day picnic while the room mothers, Mrs. Howard McFarland and Mrs. Louis Wier, will be in charge of the picnic at the Harvard school.

Beverly Corrigan and Carol Fredrickson, members of the Senior Girls 4-H of Midland, were guest demonstrators at a meeting of the farm bureau, Monday, in Puyallup. Beverly gave an illustrated talk on "How to use the Buttonhole Attachment" and Carol a method demonstration on "How to Make Baking Powder Biscuits." Both girls won free trips to county camp with these demonstrations at the recent district contest.

The next regular business meeting of the Senior Girls 4-H will be held Tuesday, June 20, at the Midland Improvement Club Hall. This meeting has been postponed from the regular meeting date for June. Invitations are being extended to mothers of 4-Hers to attend and special invitations have been extended to the Junior Girls 4-H and their mothers to attend.

ALONG THE STREET

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to the many good business people in this area, who support our locally and home owned printing plant which can print anything you need in the printing field. We were just too busy to play golf. Thanks for your patronage of home enterprise. Incidentally, some of you good folks have asked about the name La Crosse Printing Company and The Parkland Times, whether or not they were two businesses or not. No the two are one. The difference in name is merely to identify the printing plant from the paper proper. As it stands the La Crosse Printing Co. owns and publishes The Parkland Times.

Photo Contest Coming

Amateur photographers, watch this paper for news of the big photo contest soon to appear, sponsored by Quality Photo Service and The Parkland Times. This will be a chance for every amateur photographer in the area to participate. It will be fun for all, and it will be LOCAL.

BENSTON LADIES SLATE SMORGASBORD SATURDAY

Come out to the Country Strye Smorgasbord this Saturday, May 21, at the Benston Grange Hall from 2-6 p. m. Smoked and roast turkey, ham, baked salmon, lutefisk, lefse and other Swedish food will be served. Mrs. Fred Kronquist, home economics chairman of the Grange, will be in charge. Prices are \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for children.

The Brookdale 4-H Club had its tea party last Saturday at the home of Kathleen Fox.

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The young lad we mention is 10-year-old Paul Bastin, a member of Mrs. Kosmo's fifth grade at Midland School. Paul has sung in many Church and school programs and a few weeks ago, he won a weekly contest in the Roy Gordon "Search for Talent" at the Temple Theatre.

Only recently Paul joined Edgar Johnson's troupe that entertains at different military bases each week. He has sung at just a few of these programs for our service men, but, he has been enthusiastically received and answers many calls for encores each performance.

We feel that this small boy has his feet firmly planted on the ladder of success and has a God-given talent great enough to carry him far towards the top. Paul has been hailed by many as a "budding Bing Crosby" and that is sweet praise for Bing is his ideal.

Tacoma is the home town of many celebrities in the world of entertainment and we feel confident that this little boy with his great big beautiful voice may well be one of its scintillating "Stars of Tomorrow!"

POUNCE DOWN ON DUMPERS

County officials are cracking down on people who dump their garbage along rural roads. Recently, a man was forced to pick up every speck of refuse he had dumped on Spanaway's Shepherd-Simons Road after an inspection of the garbage had revealed his identity to the officers.

Solution to Crossword Puzzle

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GOLFING LADIES ELECT MRS. JOHN RICHARDS PREXY

The Parkland Ladies Golf Club met last Wednesday. Mrs. John Richards was top scorer. After play, there was a luncheon session and election of officers.

Elected were Mrs. Richards, president; Mrs. Helen Johnson, vice president; Mrs. Ruth Thomas, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Ella Olson, eclectic chairman; and Mrs. Myrtle Plueger, publicity chairman.

Many local music-lovers are looking forward to the sonata recital to be presented by Carl Svedberg, pianist, Gordon Epperson, cellist, and Raymond Vaught, violinist, at Weyerhaeuser Hall, 401 Broadway, Saturday, June 3, at 8:30 p. m.

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New Store Hours—8 A. M. to 7 P. M.
For Nationally Advertised Brand Foods and the Best in Produce
As Always—Strictly Cash—Consequently You Pay Less
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DARIGOLD MILK . . . 10c	TALL CAN SUGAR . 89c
ARMOUR'S TREET . 27c	GOLDEN WEST COFFEE 59c
TOP QUALITY, LIGHT WEIGHT BROOMS \$1.19	GHIRADELLIS MILK CHOCOLATE 47c
KOOL-AID 6 for 25c	Fruits and Vegetables Always Top Quality
HI HO CRACKERS 25c	FRESH CORN 5 for 29c
MIRACLE WHIP pt. 19c (With Red Flap From Package)	No. 1 SHAFTERS . . . 10 lbs. 33c
HUNT'S CUCUMBER CHIPS, 12 oz. 13c	FLORIDA WHITE GRAPEFRUIT lb. 9c
HUNT'S PEACHES 4 cans 49c	LETTUCE lb. 12c