



By Clarence La Crosse

F-P SCHOOL DIST. CALLS MONDAY TOWN MEETING

By Morris E. Ford

A Town Meeting for all legal voters of the Franklin-Pierce School District No. 402 has been called for Monday evening, Feb. 19, 1951, at 8 p.m. at the Parkland school. Two propositions will be brought before this meeting.

First—The purchase of a site and the construction of an elementary school.

Second—An exchange of property at the high school site.

When considering Proposition No. 1 it should be noted that no additional money will be needed. You will recall that 15 mills for building fund purposes was voted last year. A part of this money will be used in purchasing the site. The building is to be financed by Federal funds. In case such funds are not secured, it would, of course, be impossible to build at this time.

Proposition No. 2 is simply the exchange of land in order to square up that part of the high school site upon which we expect to build. This exchange would give us approximately 363.8 feet more frontage on Van Buren Street (Portland Avenue Extension), making an area approximately 1042 feet by 1037 feet available for building. (Without this change the area would be 1042 feet by 674 feet).

In return for this frontage the District would give the Home 150 feet fronting on Van Buren Street to the north of the brick home, plus sufficient back land to complete the deal. Expressed in acreage, the District would exchange 1.76 acres for 1.55 acres.

(Editor's Note: See also legal notice elsewhere in this issue).

Harvard Church Leads Clothes Collection For Korean People

Realizing the acute need for warm clothing among Korean people, the Harvard Covenant church, 84th St. and Portland Ave., is gathering such items to be sent at once.

All types of clothes are needed except ladies' and men's hats and ladies' nylon hose. Articles of greatest worth are heavy coats, warm underwear and children's clothes of all kinds. Washable clothes should be clean, but not ironed, due to tight packing for the conservation of space. If suits, dresses and coats are not extremely soiled, they need not be cleaned.

Dr. Bob Pierce, vice-president of Youth for Christ International, informed a Tacoma audience last week that 157 tons of clothes have been sent to Korea, but that ten times that amount is still urgently needed.

"Every reader is hereby requested to go through the clothes closets in his home and take the articles of clothing which can be spared to the Harvard church." (Continued on Page Four)



ADVANCED FIRST AID—Grouped around Dr. Albert Smith at one of the advanced first aid classes are (left to right around the table) Mr. and Mrs. Burton Ostanson, Mrs. John Skwirut, Dean L. O. Eklund, Bill Hampton, Herman Simpson, Mrs. Alfred Seaman, Lester Storastie, Dr. Glenn Greuell, Dr. Smith and Mrs. Quincy Carrell with her back to the camera. Not shown are Wes Benson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lott.—(Times Photo).

Drainage Districts As Solution? COUNTY TO STUDY CLOVER CREEK

Too many "bottle-necks" along the course of Clover Creek on its way to Steilacoom lake is one of the major reasons for the inundation in the Brookdale-Clover Creek area. Commissioner Harry Sprinker said this week.

He said that the county commissioners and engineers will survey the whole creek and present their findings to the people, along with the estimate of the costs involved for its correction. Drainage Districts?

Sprinker felt that a possible creation of a drainage district in these lowlands would help keep excessive water off property located along Clover Creek.

Regards the 110th to Sales road "swamp" near Pacific Ave., the formation of a North Parkland Drainage district was started in March, 1950, but after the petition stage, the movement died for lack of a plan to accompany the petition presented to the commissioners, Sprinker recalled.

The commissioner emphasized that without a plan, the county could not do much towards the creation of a water drainage district.

Bill in Hopper
A state-wide bill is before the legislature at the moment, Sprinker continued, whereby those in the higher land will contribute to maintaining the natural drainage courses in the state.

Sprinker felt it fair that property owners on high land contribute, since a good part of the water does flow from the high to the low areas.

31 Make Spanaway School Honor Roll

Thirty-one students were announced on the honor roll at the Spanaway school, as follows:

Eighth grade—Joy Barsotti, Kathleen Corbett, Wanda Guinn, Bonnie Bruner, Margaret Vincent, Wesley Lovass, Vivian Frame, Shirlee Keevey, Ellen Yeager, Beverly Smith, Anna Maye Lion, Wandajoy McLellan, Larry Haugen, Sally Summer, Dale Cooley.

Seventh grade—Donna Clark, Howard White, Arnold Von Clasen, Lynn Weaver, Ronald Doyle, Sandra Splane, Judy Hoag, Monte Weddle, Myrna Dean, Mary Lou Williams, Thomas Whitteley, Iris Bromgard, Judy Everett, June Holmes, Louise Thomas, Beverly Parlacoski, and Floye Ames.

Sixth grade—Allen Cantrell, James Dean, Mickey Hamlin, Lee Huston, Eddie Lonergan, Paul Newbury, Jimmy Thornton, Joan Clink, Marlene Kent, Carolee Lion, Karen McAninch, Judith McKinnis, Susanna Wharton and Byral Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Seaman Honored by Rhodes

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred E. Seaman were two of four persons who received the coveted Rhodes Post certificate of merit award at last week's Rhodes meeting.

It was the first time that a married couple received the award together. The field of selection covered the American Legion's 4th district, which includes Olympia and Tacoma.

Mr. Seaman received his award for his meritorious service in scouting and Mrs. Seaman for her work in Parkland's civil defense.

SARAH AMANDA XAVIER, a trained nurse, died Feb. 6 at her home in Parkland. Miss Xavier, 72, had made her home with a sister, Mrs. Ella W. Xavier. Besides Mrs. Xavier, she is survived by two other sisters, Mrs. A. O. Aasen and Mrs. Henry Rasmussen of East Stanwood, and four brothers, John W., PLC faculty member, Waldemar and Paul of Seattle and Henry of Alaska. Services were held last Saturday.

Parkland Merchants Sponsor "Jackpot," Beginning Feb. 16

KIWANIS HONOR SCOUTS AT MEET

International Boy Scout Week is not going to pass without being honored by Kiwanians of the Parkland club. While the actual week set aside for honoring scouts is past, the club is to have a speaker in the way of Mr. Herb West, regional Boy Scout director, at its next meeting, this Thursday.

Mr. West will talk on the theme, "Boys Today, Men Tomorrow." Several scouts from this area will be present to listen things up a bit, according to Rufus Parker, program chairman for the group.

Due to the fact that the Kiwanis club participated in the annual Community club banquet last week, this meeting and speaker was held over.

Boy Scouts to Begin Collecting Old Paper

Save old paper, the Boy Scouts will be after them soon.

Housewives were this week asked to hang on to old magazines and newspapers. Parkland and all Pierce county Boy Scouts will begin a paper drive on Saturday, Feb. 24.

The drive is for \$500, with which a 10-ft. Statue of Liberty will be purchased for the State Historic museum in Tacoma.

Ponder Parkland Problems COMMUNITY BANQUET BIG SUCCESS

Nearly 400 Parklanders mingled last Thursday evening at a community banquet. And as they shuffled out into the downpour, they were thinking . . .

They were thinking about education's fight down in Olympia, about drainage problems, about civil defense plans and purposes, about the new library's struggle for completion . . . they were thinking . . . and they were feeling the feeling of belonging.

Cause for Concern
Speaking on civil defense, Sgt. J. E. Baker, assistant to the state director of civil defense, generally outlined the objectives and progress, then went on to stress the need for wholehearted, individual participation in the local CD program.

"We have cause for concern," Sgt. Baker told the gathering, "but we have no cause for alarm."

The featured speaker explained that the basic plan of civil defense is survival. That we should be thoroughly trained and oriented on what to do if an emergency should arise. Too, that we must keep on producing after a bombing, for, as he put it, "We won the last war by our ability to produce."

"We Want to Think"
While citing the "good job" done in this locality, said he:

"We want to keep on training . . . We want to keep hammering . . . There's a lot of responsibility . . . What part have you played? Have you offered your services? We like to think about these things . . . We want to think . . ."

He said the federal level is taking care of the administrative; the state, the coordinating, and the local level given the backbone task of actual operation—each individual having a job to do.

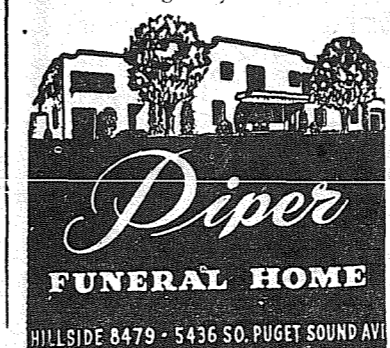
Community Spirit
Three other guests, Mayor John Anderson, Donald Eastvold and Herb Socolofsky, spoke briefly. In the order of introduction:

Socolofsky, as president of the Kiwanis club of the Parkland area, volunteered Kiwanis help to the Community club in any project or in any way.

Anderson, speaking for 30 seconds, "as recommended by his wife," showed praises at "Man of Year" Eastvold and Parkland for taking the glory away from his "little city up north."

Eastvold said that the banquet is a testimony to the community's spirit. As Senator from this district, he invited ideas and contributions from the people.

Two other guests, Gordon Brown,



With more than 85 per cent of the Parkland merchants participating, a gigantic "business incentive" program begins tomorrow, Feb. 16. Known as the Merchants "Jackpot," more than \$3,500 in free prizes will be given.

Heading the list of prizes will be a new 1951 Buick sedan. Many other valuable prizes will be offered as the program progresses.

Sponsored by the Parkland Business club, over 70 merchants and other participants have pledged to support the effort to make Parkland a shopping center.

To become eligible to win the Buick and the other prizes, residents must shop with the participating Parkland merchants.

There are no hidden requirements.

Business Club Meets Tuesday Nite, Feb. 20

Parkland's Business club will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 20, in the parlors of Trinity Lutheran church, Club President Jack Brown announced this week.

The meeting date was changed because their regular Wednesday date conflicts with Lenten services.

Harvey Dahlin, display manager at Weisfield, will be the featured speaker. He will offer window display suggestions.

necessary, no tickets, or coupons to buy and no contests to enter. Shoppers are urged by the sponsors to investigate this "unusual plan" and to be a part of a "worth-while civic undertaking."

Parkland's Library Ready for Use In One Month—Kreger

Parkland's library will be ready for use in one month, Roy Kreger, past president of the Community club, said this week, when asked by The Times for a date.

Kreger stated that all the material is ordered and that all the carpenter needs to do now is to put up the shelves. Floor covering will follow after that, with Frank Lott donating his time to lay the tile.

As for the outside of the building, Kreger felt that that should be a summer project.

Besides the 1,000 books being donated by the Pierce county library, the Parkland library will also receive selected reference books from John U. Xavier, retired PLC professor and pioneer Community clubber.

Another large donation, Kreger announced, was received last week in the form of a paid bill. Frank Gratas graciously wrote-off the labor and material charges for the foundation.

Parkland School Notes

By Grace Hawkins (Special Reporter)

Our Parkland Varsity is having a swell season, having won every game played. Among their victims were Dupont with a score of 46 to 28, Marymount with a score of 32 to 17, and Midland with a score of 36 to 16.

The starting lineup includes Delmar Brittain, Dale Hruby, Doug Smidt, Leonard Little and Bob Southwell. The varsity team's on the top of the league.

Parkland Midgets haven't had as good a season as our varsity, losing two out of the last three games played. They lost to Dupon and Midland, won from Marymount with a score of 22 to 20.

The starting lineup includes Dave Berentsen, Johnny Richards, Jim Van Beck, Jimmy Owens and Ronny Colton. The Midgets are third in the league. Friday, the Parkland teams will play five in the Parkland gym.

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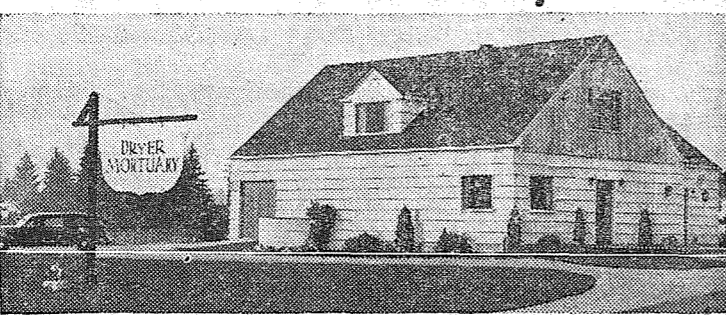
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(The following address was made by Henry Ford II, president of the Ford Motor Company, at the annual convention of the National Farm Bureau Federation in Dallas, Texas, on Dec. 13, 1950. With the permission of the Ford Motor Company we re-print the summary closing from his address.)

Today the United States has become the Arsenal of Hope of the One World in which we now all live. Hundreds of millions of people look to us—their only hope.

These are dangerous times. It would be folly to sit back and say blandly, "everything is going to be all right." Everything is going to be all right—but only if we make it so. We cannot afford the luxury of business and politics as usual—of being just farmers and stockholders and managers and union members, each jockeying for special advantage in a highly competitive world. We've become once again—as we have in every other national emergency—Americans together, a nation of resourceful, free human beings, bent on justifying once more our confidence in ourselves and the faith of hundreds of millions of others in us.

The essence of our problem as the Arsenal of Hope for the world is production—greatly increased production for peace as well as the defense of a free world. "Only the productive can be strong, and only the strong can be free." We know what our secret weapon is—the infinite resourcefulness, the infinite creativeness and productive abilities of 150 million free human beings, acting together toward a common goal.

If a tough, long-term production race is our problem, let's face it frankly and not try to kid ourselves. Let's organize ourselves to achieve that great goal. Let's ask government to call the signals—but call them loud and clear and keep us up-to-date on the score—so that we know what is expected of us. And let's get on with a job we know how to do better than anybody else in the world.

We are not expected to be supermen, just free men. We can do the job better—any job—because we are free men.

Our difficulties and dangers as a nation are no greater today than other generations of Americans have faced and overcome. We have a big chore ahead of us—but, with the help of God, we can do it. We can make good as the world Arsenal of Hope.

REUBEN MAURY, chief editorial writer, New York Daily News: If we don't all hang together—don't sink our major differences and our creed, race and economic prejudices so as to concentrate on the struggle to bring world Communism's tragic dupes into the sunlight of truth and liberty—then we are more than likely to hang separately, and in many cases painfully.

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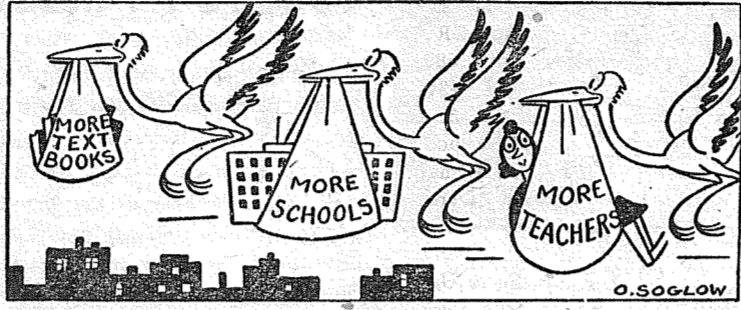
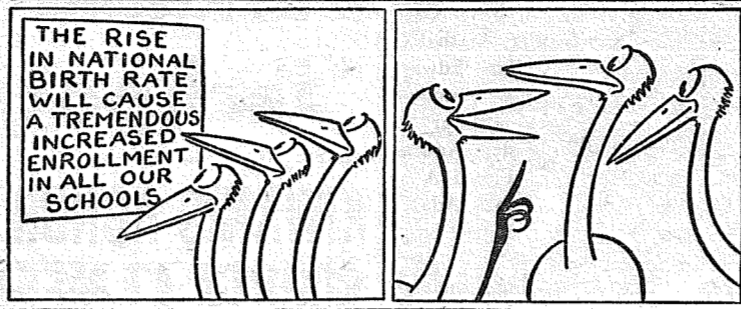
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To Mr. and Mrs. Jean Horn, 770 So. 96th, a son, Jan. 22, at St. Joseph's hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. John King, Spanaway, a daughter, Jan. 23, at St. Joseph's hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Merle Mickelson, Rt. 7, Box 221-Z, a son, Jan. 24, at St. Joseph's hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. William A. Guske, Spanaway, a son, Jan. 25, at Tacoma General hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bredeson Sr., 853 So. 96th, a son, Jan. 27, at St. Joseph's hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter I. Trent, Parkland, a daughter, Jan. 28, at Tacoma General hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ragnor W. Fagerness, Rt. 7, Box 656-K, a son, Jan. 30, at Tacoma General hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Doyle, Rt. 3, Box 552-A, a daughter, Feb. 3, at Tacoma General hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lindell H. Schrawyer, Rt. 7, Box 19, a daughter, Feb. 3, at Tacoma General hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Gray, Rt. 4, Box 996-B, a son, Feb. 5, at St. Joseph's hospital.

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It is a Founders' Day Pageant with music and touches of comedy that will make it "unusually entertaining." Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lynd are the narrators, assisted by members of Boy and Girl Scout and Explorers troops.

Many members of the P-TA are participating and the Franklin-Pierce Mothersingers, under the direction of Mrs. Clifford Olson, and a Dads' "barber shop" quartet are to be featured.

A life membership pin will be presented to an outstanding member by Mrs. Stanley Rosso. There is an element of suspense in that the name of the recipient has not been announced.

There will be a social hour after the program with Mesdames Morris Ford and Edwin Nelson pouring and Mrs. W. W. Cline, junior past president, cutting the "birthday" cake.

All past presidents and their husbands are especially invited to attend.

The following fifth grade teachers are in charge of decorations: Mr. Jack Motteler and Mesdames Pearl Clothier and Virginia Johnson. In charge of refreshments are the Mesdames W. W. Tramm, Otto Jopp and Art Smith, all room-mothers.

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Mrs. A. W. Ramstad of Parkland, president of the Pacific District Women's Missionary Federation, will report Thursday, Feb. 15, to the women from the Evangelical Lutheran church on the national board meeting held in Minneapolis.

The Pacific Northwest women will meet at PLC in a district board meeting and workers' conference.

Mrs. Ramstad will bring information from the national meeting to the district officers and secretaries. Also on the agenda will be the planning of the W.N.F. district convention to be held in Everett in June.

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No. 111601
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
BETTY JEAN CATLETT, Plaintiff,
vs. JOHN JACOB CATLETT, Defendant.

THE STATE OF WASHINGTON, To the said JOHN JACOB CATLETT, Defendant:

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 the 15th day of February, 1951, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled court and answer the Complaint of the Plaintiff and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned attorneys for the Plaintiff at their office below stated, and in case of your failure so to do judgment will be rendered against you according to the demands of the complaint which has been filed with the Clerk of the said Court.

The purpose of the above entitled action is to obtain a divorce on the ground of burdensome homelife and to recover temporary support money together with attorney's fees and costs.

PETER L. STERBICK,
Of Sterbick & Sterbick,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF PIERCE.

No. 111669
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
MYRLE P. Dehm, JR., Plaintiff, vs. JOAN ELIZABETH LESLIE CABRAL DEHM, JR., Defendant.

STATE OF WASHINGTON TO THE SAID JOAN ELIZABETH LESLIE CABRAL DEHM, JR.:

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 the 25th day of January, 1951, and defend the above-entitled action in the above-entitled court, and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, 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 demand of the complaint, which has been filed with the clerk of said court.

That the cause of action herein is for the final Decree of Annulment of the marriage relationship of the above named parties to this cause of action, on the ground of the previous existing marriage of the above named defendant to former spouse or spouses, without legal decree of divorce or annulment.

KENDALL O. HALVORSEN,
Attorney for the Plaintiff.
Office and Post Office address:
P. O. Box 356
215 Garfield St., Parkland, Wash.
Date of first pub.: Jan. 25, 1951
Date of last pub.: March 1, 1951

LEGAL PUBLICATION

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 52003
In the Superior Court of the State of Washington for the County of Pierce.

In the Matter of the Estate of WALTER R. COTTEN, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed and has qualified as Executrix of the above entitled estate; that all persons having claims against said deceased are hereby required to serve the same, duly verified on said Executrix or her attorneys of record at the address below stated, and file the same with the Clerk of said Court, together with proof of such service, within six months after the date of first publication of this notice or the same will be barred.

Date of first publication: Feb. 8, 1951.

ANNA L. COTTEN,
Executrix of said Estate,
Spanaway, Washington.
EASTVOLD & HICKS,
Attorneys for Estate,
P. O. Box 728,
Parkland, Washington.

NOTICE

TOWN MEETING
FRANKLIN-PIERCE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 402

Notice is hereby given that a Town Meeting of the legal school electors of School District No. 402 of Pierce County, Washington, will be held at the Parkland school in said district on the 19th day of February, 1951, beginning at the hour of 8:00 p.m. of said day, for the purpose of determining:

1st. Shall the Board of School District No. 402 acquire a site and construct an elementary school building at the northeast corner of Sheridan Avenue and Airport Road. This property described as:
Beginning 80 ft. south thence 150 ft. west of the northeast corner of the west 1/2 of Government lot 2 in Section 8, Township 19 North, Range 3 East, W.M. for the true point of beginning, thence south 234.84 ft., thence west 50 ft., thence south 230 ft., thence west to the east line of Sheridan Avenue, thence north to south line of 112th Street (Airport Road), thence east 450 ft. to the point of beginning.

2nd. Shall the Board of School District No. 402 exchange approximately 1.76 acres described as follows:

Beginning at a brass plug on the center line of the Wilt-Hegele extension and on the east line of Van Buren Street, said brass plug being on the section line between Sections 3 and 10, and 1472.48 feet west of the southeast corner of Section 3, Township 19 North, Range 3 East of the Willamette Meridian; run thence west 70 feet to the west line of Van Buren Street; thence north along the west line of Van Buren Street 1038 feet; thence west parallel with the north line of Wilt-Hegele road 185 feet for true point of beginning; thence continue 152 feet; thence north parallel to the west line of Van Buren Street 322 feet; thence east parallel to north line of Wilt-Hegele road 337 feet to the west line of Van Buren Street; thence south along the west line of Van Buren Street 150 feet; thence west parallel to the north line of Wilt-Hegele road 185 feet; thence south parallel to the west line of Van Buren Street 172 feet to point of beginning. Containing 1.76 acres, more or less. Also 20 feet Easement for road purposes over the south and west boundaries. For approximately 1.55 acres described as follows:

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V.A. Explains Rules On Loans for Widows

The date a serviceman dies has no bearing on the eligibility of his widow for a G.I. loan under the Housing Act of 1950, Veterans Administration ruled this week.

The Act entitled unmarried widows of those who died either in or after service, from service-connected causes, to the G.I. loan benefits for which their husbands would have been eligible had they lived.

There had been some doubt as to the eligibility of a widow whose serviceman husband died after July 25, 1947, the end of World War II for G.I. Bill purposes. Today's ruling, Administrator's Decision No. 864, dispelled that doubt.

In effect, it means that the widow of a serviceman who has had the required World War II service and who is killed in Korea may be entitled to a G.I. loan.

Also, a widow would be entitled if her husband died from service-connected causes at any time in the future—so long as she applies before the end of the G.I. loan program on July 25, 1957.

MEL PEDERSEN, national director of Home Builders association, returned last week from Chicago, where the association held their convention, Jan. 21-26. Pedersen has his office in the Parkland Theatre building.

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This week's winners, drawn at random, are as follows:

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A. J. Hall, Rt. 3, Box 839-B.
M. S. Monson, Box 302, Parkland.
Sam Rush, 10511 So. A St.
M. I. Ryan, Rt. 7, Box 656.

Congratulations, winners! Come down this week to The Parkland Times office, old chapel building on the PLC campus, and claim two tickets apiece.

If you cannot come in person, you may send someone with proper identification. The Times office is open from 8:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. Thursday and Friday and between 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. on Saturday. (Winners lose claim to these tickets after 4 p. m. Saturday.)

County P-TA Council Board Meet Tuesday

The board of the Pierce County Council of Parents and Teachers will meet Tuesday, Feb. 20, at 11 a. m. at the Youth Center of the Tacoma Council of Churches.

A wind-up of all of the Council's affairs for the year will be attempted at this time. All board members are urged to attend.

E.P. Attendance Down

Attendance at Elk Plain has been cut approximately 18% by the illness of pupils with measles and scarlet fever the past two weeks.

Miss Merle Connell has been busy visiting the homes where illness has been.

WISCONSIN CLUB will meet on Sunday, Feb. 18, at 6 p. m. Potluck supper will be served in the basement of the Odd Fellows temple, Sixth and Fawcett.

MIDLAND NEWS

By Mrs. Clarence Johann

February is Founders month in the National Parent-Teachers association and in all of the locals all over the country observances are made of this occasion. When Harvard-Midland P-TA meets at 8 p. m. next Wednesday, Feb. 21, at the Midland school, Mrs. Fred Rousseau will present a program honoring past presidents of this local.

Mrs. Raymond Ellison, president, has appointed four persons to serve on the library committee along with those from the Improvement club.

Serving from the P-TA will be the Mesdames Fred Rousseau, David McPherson, George Turner and Mr. Edward Jackson.

Further plans for the library will be announced at this meeting as the committees will have met in the meantime. George Magee Jr., health education secretary for the Tuberculosis Association in Tacoma will speak and show a film.

Hostesses for the February meeting will be the mothers of the rooms of Mrs. Ida Nelson and Mrs. Shirley Johnstone, under the supervision of Room-mothers Mrs. D. Angemeir and Mrs. Frank Moore.

Bake Sale Saturday
Mrs. Russell Malray, finance chairman of the Harvard-Midland P-TA, announced that the first in a series

Elk Plain News

By Amy Brown
Elk Plain Reporter

There will be a meeting of the Elk Plain Community church board on February 21 at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Lew Brown in Tacoma.

The Elk Plain Teen-agers will have their regular dance February 17 at the Elk Plain Grange hall. This is on a Saturday night.

The Elk Plain teachers attended a Bethel district teachers' meeting Feb. 12 at Kapowsin grade school. The special speaker was Miss Anne Knudsen of the PLC faculty, who gave a talk on the teaching of English. The Kapowsin grade teachers served refreshments.

Don't forget the meeting tonight, Feb. 15, at the Kapowsin gymnasium to discuss the annexation of part of the Bethel district to Orting. All those interested in this move should be present since it is an important meeting.

Elk Plain grade school has a cadet teacher in the 7th and 8th grades this semester. He is Thane Eckler, from PLC.

of baked food sales will be held this Saturday, Feb. 17, at the Midland Food Center.

These sales have been planned as the financial project for the year and everyone is urged to lend a hand.

Rooms taking part in this first sale are kindergarten, Mrs. Oscar Holmdale, room-mother; Ruth Rogers, second grade, and Mrs. Edward Ganey, room-mother; Floy Mitchells, fourth grade, and Mrs. Arthur Lindstrom, room-mother; Wesley Anderson, sixth grade, and Mrs. Floyd Ayers, room-mother; and Elithe Adams, eighth grade, and Mrs. Ervin Smith, room-mother.

Anyone desiring their donations picked up before the sale may call Mrs. Fred Rousseau, GR. 7605; Mrs. Robert Sharpe, GR. 5891, or Mrs. Oscar Holmdale, GR. 4360.

Those working on the sale will be the Mesdames Clarence Brechbiel, Florence Kincaid, Thomas Oaks, Edward Nixon, Floyd Ayers, Lewis McArthur, Roy Christensen and Andrew Christensen Jr.

Morris Ford Urges
At a meeting last week, presided over jointly by Improvement club president Robert Clinton and P-TA president Mrs. Raymond Ellison, approximately 100 persons were urged by Morris Ford, Franklin-Pierce school district superintendent, to write to their congressmen in an effort to halt the proposed cutting of the school budget appropriation.

Fifty-three registered voters signed a resolution adopted by the Improvement club which was sent to the chairman of the appropriations committee. About forty others signified willingness to write letters directly.

Another joint problem of the Improvement club and P-TA is the proposed library for the Midland area. Robert Haglund, teacher at the Midland school, discussed this and answered questions.

The Improvement club voted \$25 to a fund for shelving materials, paint, etc., in an effort to get an immediate start in refurbishing (to freshen, to brighten) the Midland school's lunchroom. A committee from the Improvement club was also appointed to work with a committee from the P-TA on the library.

Those named to this committee were the Mesdames Mike Hansler, Robert Sharpe, Clarence Johann and Mr. Floyd Ayers.

During the coffee hour, \$17.25 was collected for the library. Before the close of the meeting a film on the necessity of annual chest x-rays was shown by David McPherson.

Altar Society Meet
Members of the Altar Society of St. John of the Woods parish met at the home of Mrs. John Mikulich on Bingham road last Thursday at noon. Mrs. Frank Couture, president, presided over the business session.

Plans were made to hold a food sale on Sunday, Feb. 18, after both Masses. The Mesdames Larry Cleary, Thomas Dolle and Elvin Bombardier were appointed in charge.

It was also decided to have their annual Talent Show and Social for St. Patrick's Day to be held at the Midland community hall, Friday evening, March 16.

The Mesdames Joe LeMieux, C. Kusek and Edward Sonneman are heading the ticket committee with the Mesdames Elvin Bombardier, Robert

Reding and James McCarthy taking charge of the talent. Other committees will be appointed later.

Mrs. Katherine Logan was welcomed back from her recent airplane trip and vacation to California with her daughter.

A lovely luncheon was served to those members attending the meeting by the hostess and her committee which included the Mesdames John Salter, Viola Townsend, Blanche Miller, Earnest Paul and Louis Hoffman.

Miss McClatchey Weds
The home of the Rev. John Cox was the scene Friday evening of the wedding of Miss Violette McClatchey and James Adams.

The bride wore a navy suit with corsage and was attended by Miss Kay Garrett. The best man was Harold Anderson.

Other guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor, parents of the bride; Hazel McClatchey, sister of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ayers.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents for relatives and close friends. The couple left for a weekend trip to Bellingham and will return and make their new home in Midland.

Last Tuesday evening Mrs. Floyd Ayers entertained with a shower at her home for the bride-elect. The evening was spent at games with prizes going to the Mesdames Peter Tefre, Roy Taylor, James Hartley and David McPherson.

Other guests present were the Mesdames Floyd Davis, George Turner, Albert Bombardier, Victor Eshpeter, Ralph Taylor, Clarence Johann, the honor guest and the hostess.

Big, Small Party
The attendance was small at the Dawson Recreation club's bingo party last Friday evening, but the good time enjoyed by all was big.

The prizes had been provided by the teen-agers' parents, so the expense of the party was held at a minimum. The Recreation club officers wish to extend a sincere thank you to the parents who did come out in an effort to make the affair a success.

Mrs. Lind Entertains
Mrs. George Lind Sr. entertained last Tuesday at a luncheon in honor of Mrs. William Simmons of Long Island, N. Y. The occasion was a get-acquainted party for Mrs. Simmons, whose son Gilbert's marriage to Miss Norma Ann Brott of Midland was solemnized last Saturday evening.

Guests present at the luncheon were the Mesdames Russell White, Ray Sherman, Winter Burnett, Richard Johnson, Lee Baldassin Sr., George Lind Jr. of Everett, Elmer Brott, mother of the bride, and the hostess.

Valentine Party
The Dawson Teen-agers are planning their Valentine party for this evening at the Dawson fieldhouse. Among those chosen to work on the committees are Joyce Snyder, Carol Frederiksen, Joan Lord, Heather Ranger, Vicky Eshpeter and Ronnie Turner.

Cupcakes will be furnished by the committee with the Recreation club supplying the pop.

Lucky Insurance Man
Last week while in Olympia on business, John Wadhams of Midland inserted a nickel in a parking meter and received a penny in change. This was the beginning of a series of good luck.

Last Friday evening a friend presented him with two tickets to the Lincoln Day banquet at the Masonic temple in Tacoma, where Gov. Arthur Langlie was the guest speaker.

Then in last week's issue of The Parkland Times the Wadhams were the lucky winners of two tickets to the Parkland Theatre.

Mrs. Baskett Honored
Mrs. George Baskett was honor guest last Tuesday evening at a stork shower at the home of Mrs. V. R. Simonson. Mrs. Paul Turosik assisted Mrs. Simonson with the party. They are both sisters-in-law of Mrs. Baskett.

Among the guests present were the Mesdames Steve Baskett Sr., Steve Baskett Jr., Mike Baskett, William Bortle, Nels Swolgaard, Alma Gemmell, Marie Drahn, Catherine Barrett, Hattie Wald, W. R. Kutcher, and M. L. Watson.

Call for More Firemen
A call is going out from the Har-

S.E. Tacoma Water's Annual Meeting Flops

Because only 20 of the 1343 customers of the Southeast Tacoma Mutual Water Company attended the annual meeting held Feb. 6 at the Midland hall no business was conducted, Carl Taylor reported this week.

The board of trustees now have to call a special meeting, he said, since the 20 attending did not make a quorum (by-laws call for an attendance of 30).

Taylor said it was "discouraging," especially because he worked many nights getting the financial report ready.

ward-Midland-Larchmont fire department for 25 auxiliary firemen. This is a wonderful opportunity for more men to be of service to their neighbors and themselves.

Last Monday evening Fire Chief Charles J. Eisenbacher of Tacoma spoke to local firemen on Civil Defense and urged their chief, Dave McPherson, to have standing by in an emergency trained auxiliary firemen.

These men may report at the fire station on Sundays at noon or call Chief McPherson for further details. Also on the Civil Defense theme

will be a meeting Wednesday, Feb. 21, at 8 o'clock at the fire station of all zone workers, department heads and defense coordinators. Frank Gural, local defense director, has promised to have Gus Partridge, the Pierce county coordinator, at this meeting.

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SPEAKING OF SPORTS

Speaking on Brotherhood Week, Frank Leahy of Notre Dame exclusively wrote The Times the following message for publication: "Brotherhood, which is apparent in all facets of American life, is nowhere more apparent than in the sports world. There is nothing more democratic than a football summary or a baseball box score."

"In these only the record is printed—not the social prestige (or lack of it) of the individuals involved, not the standing of the player's family, but only what the contestant did in competition. Brotherhood is something that is part of the sports creed. It is something that is taken for granted."

While Hank Greenberg of the Cleveland baseball club wrote: "We in Cleveland have adopted the motto that ability counts, not race, color or creed. It is only natural, therefore, that the Cleveland Indians led the way by judging players on performance only."

"Our daily line-up includes two Irishmen, an Englishman, a Scotsman and two Mexicans, Protestants, Catholics and Jews, Negroes and Whites, and all Americans who work and play together in perfect harmony. This speaks for itself..."

Greenberg points to such players as: Roberto Avila, Ray Boone, Lawrence Doby, Luke Easter, Mike Garcia, Jim Hegan, Bob Kennedy, Dale Mitchell and Al Rosen.

Bethel high school is doing a complete about-face in athletics. Its magnificent football team smashed through their league schedule undefeated. That was last fall, but now with casaba in the breeze, Bethel's hoopsters were oh-and-8, the last we looked at the standings...

Parkland Merchants, the local basketball team, was cinched at least for a tie for fifth place in the annual Pierce county AAU tourney, at the time of this writing. If they won over the Generals Monday and won Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, they will be in the finals. Already with one defeat, another loss knocks them out. Yet, the PLC boys have done admirably in the tourney, pulling several upsets.

Harvard Church

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Harvard Covenant church, where they will be bundled and shipped to Korea. As the need is so pressing, do not put it off. Do it today," Pastor Robert Bodin said.

CHURCH FAMILY DINNER
The first all-church family dinner will be held this evening at the Harvard Covenant church at 6 o'clock. Arrangements are being made potluck style.

Plans for the completion of the organizing of the new church congregation will be fulfilled in the election of trustees, deacons and deaconesses to serve for 1951.

Following the dinner will be an informal time of singing and Christian fellowship.

The pastor will introduce a new mid-week Bible study in a New Testament book. This dinner is for the entire church-family, and members are particularly urged to be present.

The "77 Couples' Fellowship," which is Harvard's young married couples' group, will meet on Friday evening at 7:45 at the home of the Stanley E. Anderson's, 4319 East E street, for their annual Valentine party.

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PLC CHORUS ON TOUR FEB. 20-25

One-week tour of Washington and Oregon cities will be taken by PLC's Chorus. From Feb. 20 to Feb. 25, Prof. Gunnar J. Malmin will take the 60-voice group to Aberdeen, South Bend, Astoria, Cathlamet, Portland, Silverton, Corvallis and Eugene.

The group is a "training school" for the senior choir known as "Choir of the West."

The first concert will be given in Our Savior's Lutheran church in Aberdeen on Tuesday, Feb. 20.

Wednesday afternoon the group will sing for an assembly at the South Bend (Wash.) high school. In the evening they will give a concert in Astoria, Ore.

Thursday afternoon, Feb. 22, they will sing at the Puget Island church, Cathlamet, Wash., and that evening they will give a concert in Portland's Central Lutheran church.

Friday evening, Feb. 23, they sing in Calvary Lutheran church, Portland, followed by a Saturday night engagement in Silverton.

Two concerts are slated for Sunday, Feb. 25. In the afternoon they sing in Corvallis, Ore., and that night they are in Dancho church, Eugene.

Along the Street

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um of 30 is required, the meeting was cancelled due to too much... water, of all things, for a water company.

Weekly Grunt and Groan Contest
Well, now that it is eleven o'clock and the weekly wrestling contest is over, I can settle down and finish this... What a groaning affair. If only once one of the wrestlers actually kicked or hit the other as hard as it appears on TV the poor guy would be out for the rest of the week. It does make a good show, though... and how the fans love it. Anyway, I wouldn't want even one of those love-taps... No siree.

Well, enough of this prattle for this week. Now if my boy and I can just talk Ruby into getting us a little lunch before we race off to bed we will be happy... A Dagwood sandwich should do.

Central Ave. P-TA Honors Its Founders

Central Avenue P-TA will observe Founders' Day, Wednesday, Feb. 21, by honoring their past presidents. Mrs. Arlo Morton is in charge of preparations.

Mrs. Arlo Sannerud and Beverly Keller will present the first and second grades in a short musical program at 1:45 p.m.

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NOTICE is hereby given that Amanda Haugen Volden, executrix of the estate of RENA JERNSTAD, deceased, has filed in the office of the Clerk of said Court her Final Report and Petition for Distribution, asking the Court to settle said report, distribute the property to the persons thereto entitled and to discharge said executrix and that said report and petition will be heard on the 13th day of March, 1951, at 11 a.m., at the court room of the Probate Department of said Court, at which time and place any persons interested in said estate may appear and file objections thereto and contest the same.

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ROBT. L. DYKEMAN,
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Spanaway News

Spanaway pre-school met last Wednesday at the school for their annual Founders' Day program. After the impressive candle-lighting ceremony in which Mrs. Cliff Anderson gave the Founders' Day message, the president, Mrs. Kenneth Reeves, presented a corsage to Mrs. George Walker, first president of the group.

Mrs. Walker gave an interesting talk about the first kindergarten and showed snap shorts. Mrs. Chet McAtce, past president, also received a corsage.

Mrs. Reeves presented the attendance cup which had been won by a group attending the Pierce County P-TA convention in Edgewood.

The meeting was turned over to Mrs. Lawrence Beckman, who introduced Mrs. Ruth Michleson from PLC, who spoke and showed the film, "Human Growth." A lovely Founders' Day cake centered the table and the Valentine motif was carried out.

Hostesses were the Mesdames Eugene Breseman, Oliver Omat, Arthur Pictz, Merle Handy, Harold Welton, and Hayden Stewart.
Dimes Net \$41.83
March of Dimes chairman for Spanaway, Mrs. Louis Symmons, announced that \$41.83 was collected from the clever "little iron lungs" placed in all local stores. She wishes to thank those who helped.

Fire Ladies Play Cards
Spanaway volunteer firemen's auxiliary will hold a public card party at 8 p.m., Friday, Feb. 16, at the fire hall. Pinochle and 500 will be played, with door prizes given. Fifty cents admission will cover luncheon.

Hostesses are the Mesdames Robert Steidel, Robert Rhone, E. W. Senff, George Stephenson, Louis Symmons, William Righetti, George Schnelle, and Miss Alice Randall.

Loveland Meeting
Loveland Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. George Schnelle, 2 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 22.
Having Wonderful Times
By all reports, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kirby are having a wonderful time on their trip to the East and Canada.

Recovering
Glad to hear Mrs. George King is out of the hospital and now recovering at home. She underwent a serious has been on the sick list.

Happy Birthday
On Feb. 6 classmates of Darlene Breseman were guests at her eighth birthday party given by her mother, Mrs. Eugene Breseman.

Her birthday cake was decorated like a circus and Valentine motif was carried throughout the decorations and favors.

Wishing Darlene a happy birthday were: Lorinda Green, Pamela Cleveland, Gloria Jean Krumpus, Ethelene Newell, Jeanette Leedon, Rita Fredricks, Delores McAtce, and Donna Russell.

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High School Okeyed
Superintendent Morris E. Ford's announcement of the approval of the Franklin-Pierce high school's preliminary plans by the State Board of Education was greeted with a spontaneous, long and loud applause from the group.

Ford, speaking after the installation of the new Community club officers (under new business) urged residents to write to their state senators and representatives to grant in full what the schools are asking in Olympia.

He spoke not only for this (F-P) district, but for all the school districts and presented "unstretched" figures to support his convictions.

(Editor's Note: Town Meeting and F-P school district propositions are found elsewhere in this issue).

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Tuberculin patch tests, numbering 1899 plus 75, were taken by students and teachers in the Franklin Pierce school district. Mrs. Dolores Schmechel, R.N., announced this week. The tests were given as a preliminary to the free chest x-ray program which will not be completed until Feb. 21.

The patch test shows if the subject has been exposed to someone with the disease and is a helpful factor in finding undiagnosed cases of tuberculosis.

Midland, Central Avenue and Collins schools were offered the tests last Monday.

Drs. P. E. Bondo and Clayton Haberman "read" the arms of all the subjects. Patches were removed last Wednesday and read last Friday. This procedure was followed at all of the above schools. Parkland school was completed a week before these.

Nurses who assisted Mrs. Schmechel in applying patches were Mrs. Raymond Ellingson and Mrs. William Chambers.

P-TA members assisting at Midland were the Mesdames Frank Moore, George Turner, Clarence Johann, William Hiller, Stan Lipke, Edward Jackson, C. Melvin McKinney, Herschel Payne, Marvel Holmes, Robert Conner, Robert Sharpe and Fred Rousseau.

P-TA members helping the nurses at Central Avenue were the Mesdames Emil Ripoli, Rollo Westby, Albert Ward, Robert Nalley, George Wangelin, Casper Irish, Chester Larson, Ranghill Peterson, Edwin Andrews, Henry Van Beck, Pete Svith and

V. E. Redmond.

At Collins school the following P-TA ladies assisted: the Mesdames Clinton Riis, A. O. Anderson, Eunice Anderson, E. C. Cardey, Frank Madden, John Gorow, Harold Haase, Charles Holman, Gilbert Baker, Ellsworth Campbell and Vonan Curtis.

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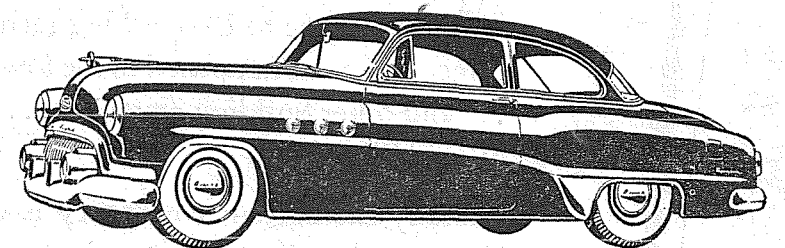
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