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Do It Today!

Adult clothing, children's clothing, infants' wear, sheets, pillow cases and bedding are badly needed by the Vanport refugees.

The women of the Parkland fire department's auxiliary have taken on the task of gathering together such supplies for the flood victims. They need the cooperation of all residents in this area if they are going to render effective aid.

Round up all such articles that you might have and take them to Smith's Grocery Store on the Mountain Highway. Do it immediately—today. The refugees need help now—not next week or the week after.

Don't put it off, do it today.

Summer Programs

School's out for more than 2,000 South End children this week, which means they'll have lots of time for swimming, picnic hikes, bike rides and the like.

But it also means that they'll have a lot of spare time—spare time that often begets mischief.

For this reason, Parkland should be grateful for the supervised recreational plan which is being sponsored by the state, school district and PTA.

As the program includes everything from ping pong to swimming, it will have some interest for almost every Parkland child, and is designed to keep them busy during each week day and evening.

The children will be under the supervision of Paul Larson, who also had charge of the program last year.

Another program is already in operation in Tacoma which is also designed to help youngsters spend their spare time profitably. This is the Civil Air Patrol program, of which Capt. A. E. French of Parkland is the squadron commander. While this is a Tacoma organization, French is trying to get enough junior CAP members from Parkland to establish a flight in this area. Except for the uniform, there is no cost to the youngsters and he or she must only attend the meetings every Friday and carry the CAP card to be a member.

Students are taught military discipline and drill, meteorology, navigation, radio code, radio telephone, first aid, and have basic training in instruments and aircraft.

Both programs are well qualified to direct the summer activities of the children.

KIRBY NEWS
Mrs. Albert Nelson, reporter
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Attend School Picnic—Those attending the Elk Plain school picnic, held at the Elk Plain school May 31, were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cruits and daughter Beverley, Wesley Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Plumb and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Golden Smallwood and children, Mrs. L. Betchard, Mr. and Mrs. Manley Shook and children, Billy and Helen Erickson, Mrs. Albert Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jupiter and family, and Mr. Martin Vossnick.

Time Changes—The Bible lectures that are being held at the Kirby school on Sunday evenings starts at 8 p.m. now, instead of 7:30 p.m.

Bookmobile Schedule—The Pierce County Bookmobile has changed its time to 2:15-2:30 p.m. at Albert Nelson's, June 1-15, July 6, 20 and August 3, 17.

Visitors—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hanson and granddaughter of Puyallup visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson on Wednesday.

Attend Recital—Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cruits, Beverley, Betty Cruits, Billy and Helen Erickson, Wesley Woods and Mrs. Albert Nelson attended the piano recital of Emmy Colton held at the Trinity Church, May 31. Those taking part were Helen Erickson and Beverley Cruits.

Ill—Friends and neighbors are sorry to hear about Art Crati's illness and hope he will soon be on the way to recovery.

Seattle Visitors—Mr. Henry Dammel and Mr. and Mrs. R. Borden and daughter of Seattle were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lorenz on May 23.

Attend Funeral—Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Stanger attended the funeral of Mr. M. Anderson, which was held Saturday at Aberdeen.

Visits Parents—Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gooch of Tacoma visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson, on Sunday.

Visit—Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Stanger visited at the home of Mrs. Stanger's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Olson of Clear Lake, Monday.

Triple Birthday Party—A triple birthday party was held honoring Ray Funk, Mrs. Charles Raymer and Walter Funk, May 22, at the home of Miss Thelma Funk. A lovely lunch was served by the hostess.

Dinner Guests—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson and grandchildren were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nelson of Tacoma, Saturday.

Better—We are all glad to see Mr. Casperson is again all right after being hurt last week.

Sunday Visitors—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Price visited at the home

of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Stanger on Sunday.

Guests—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Farley were guests at the home of Mrs. Farley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Stanger.

Good and Bad News—We are glad to hear Mr. and Mrs. W. McGee are better, but sorry to hear Mrs. Dora Stanford (Mrs. McGee's mother) is not well.

Son Married—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jupiter announce the marriage of their son Donald L. Jupiter to Miss JoAnn Wellian, May 29. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Plumb were best man and matron of honor.

Attend Graduation—Mr. and Mrs. Ross Plumb and family attended the graduation of Kapowin high school on Friday, May 29.

HARVARD NEWS
Mrs. Alice Smith, Reporter
GA. 7802

Ill—Mrs. Jimmy Estep of 80th and Golden Given Road has had the flu. She is up and around again feeling better.

Visits Parents—Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hobbs and family of Gig Harbor were visitors last Monday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elbee Hobbs.

Texas Visitors—Visiting at the home of Mrs. Nora Dawson are Kate Young and her sister, Ola Fae Harris. They are from San Antonio, Texas.

Bathing Beauties—The "Bathing Beauties" of the "Gay Nineties Revue" held their first practice for the revised production which will be shown for the Madigan patients June 16.

Club to Meet—The Harvard Improvement club will meet at 8 p.m. June 9 in Harvard school. There will be a door prize as usual. Cards will be played after the meeting. Mr. Monnett won the door prize last month.

Buy Grocery Store—Mr. and Mrs. Allan Silvernail of 80th and Golden Given Road have bought a grocery store in the Oakland Addition. They moved last Sunday.

Sell Home—Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Haney of 72nd and Wilkeson have sold their home to Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Simpson. Haney's will be moving to Lake Louise.

Motor Trip—Motoring around the "Loop" over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Walt Olsen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wehrkamp and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henson.

Sunshine Club—The Sunshine Sewing club met May 27 at the home of Mrs. Lola Beshaler. Hostesses were Mrs. Margaret Crouch and Violet Kennedy. A baby shower was given for Mrs. Marveen Doehring. Bingo was played. The next meeting will be June 10 at the home of Mrs. Leona Morris. Mrs. Lola Steel and Marveen Doehring will be hostesses. That will be the last meeting until fall. There will be election of officers at this meeting.

Fishermen—Ray Hobbs and William Robinson spent the holidays dangle baited hooks in Silver lake.

Color Blind?—Bill Ames' truck didn't change colors. He bought a different one.

Visit Westport—Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Drath, Pat and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Smith went to Tokeland and Westport Monday.

SPANAWAY
Mrs. Marie Jensen, Reporter
Phone GRanite 6560

Baby Boy—Mrs. Robert Meyers returned home last week with her new baby. The boy was born May 19 at Tacoma General Hospital and he has been given his father's name. He is the first grandchild of Mrs. Marion Meyers.

Scouts Paper Drive—Spanaway Senior Scout Troop No. 134 is still picking up papers on its paper drive. The purpose of this drive is to pay for new uniforms. So, if you have any papers to give call either GRanite 6145 or GRanite 8369 and it will be called for.

Visit in Yakima—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Funkhouser and family of Extension Road visited for the weekend in Yakima.

Day in Olympia—Mr. Milton Slater of 12th street spent Thursday in Olympia.

Firemen's Auxiliary—The Spanaway-Elk Plain firemen's auxiliary will meet June 7 at the Spanaway school for their regular business meeting. Hostesses for the evening will be Evelyn Corbett, Erdine Christlaw, Bernice Dillingham, Frances Dorfner, Ida Dillwo and Bertha Feddersen. This is the last meeting of the season.

Son Born—Mr. and Mrs. George Willette are rejoicing over the birth of a son in Tacoma General Hospital, Friday, May 21.

To Bremerton—Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Parlowski and family of Eighth street spent the weekend in Bremerton visiting friends.

Fire Department Called—Thursday the fire department was called to the home of Mrs. Andy Quallin on Henry Berger Road. An overheated oil burner caused the fire, but no damage was done.

Visit in Shelton—Mr. and Mrs. Neal Slater and family of Mt. Highway, and S/Sgt. and Mrs. J. A. Jensen of Henry Berger Road visited in Shelton Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Slater.

Condition Unchanged—Clifford, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bradshaw of 12th street, is convalescing at his home from rheumatic fever. His condition remains unchanged.

Returns from Vacation—Mrs. Charles Fosterling of Ninth street has returned home from a three weeks vacation. She visited in Indiana and Michigan.

Parents Visit—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Polom of Tacoma spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bradshaw and family. They are Mrs. Bradshaw's parents.

Junior Audabon Society—The Junior Audabon Society, of which Mrs. Harvey Bradshaw is president, spent a day recently in Seattle at the National Museum to see and study birds. The follow-

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ing members attended the study: Pete Bubacher, Eldon McClure, Kenneth Behling, John Melnor, John, Ronnie and Linda Bradshaw.

Guests—Mr. and Mrs. Al Benston of Puyallup spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horton Mathus on Buck's Road. The Benstons are former Spanaway residents.

Music Festival Held at Spanaway

The Spanaway school band, under the direction of George Barras, and the boys' and girls' glee club under the direction of Mrs. Elsie Pease, first grade teacher, participated in a musical program held at the school May 26.

A display of outstanding hobbies of students from the fifth grade up was shown to the parents. It included drawings, model airplanes, and collections of rare and unique dishes and perfume bottles.

COMMITTEE MEETING

A committee meeting of Spanaway Cub Scouts, Pack 34, will be held at 8 p.m. June 4 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Newell.

AT WORMALD'S—Straw hats, yard goods, graduation cards, bathing suits, baseball caps, Tee shirts, athletic socks, Ted's Variety Store, Mt. Highway at Spanaway. (Adv.)

Thirteen Granges Attend Gavel Meet

Thirteen county granges attended the gavel meeting held at the Elk Plain Grange hall May 21 when the Elk Plain Grange presented the grange smoother to the Clover Creek Grange.

Entertainment consisted of a community sing, a talk on education and a female quartet as well as other stunts.

A special train bound for the state grange convention in Spokane will leave from Tacoma, stopping only in Seattle, it was announced. Further details may be secured from the subordinate master.

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