

South End Schools to Graduate Classes

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TO GIVE FIRE PERMITS HERE

PARKLAND DELEGATION LEARNS STATE RULES AT INTER-COUNTY MEET

When the new state law becomes effective next month, Parkland and adjacent residents will learn when it is permissible to burn trash from their own marsh rather than from a state representative.

This was explained at an organizational meeting of Pierce county firemen at University Place last week. E. W. Beitz, Clarence Marsh and Fred Danielson represented Parkland at the session.

Beitz explained that other provisions of laws that will be in effect soon permit firemen to assist in saving life as well as property. Under the old proviso a fireman was not allowed to give assistance in saving a life.

Funds accumulated at the end of a year may be retained by the fire district for the purpose of building up a protection fund if commissioners wish. Formerly it was necessary to spend the entire amount appropriated within each calendar year.

It is also possible for districts to merge if residents of the area desire.

A second meeting of the group, which plans to gather periodically to thrash out problems that are of mutual interest, will be held in Summer June 11, Beitz said.

The commissioners witnessed a demonstration of a high pressure fog nozzle at Monday night's meeting by a representative of a concern selling the product. They are still awaiting bids on the new fire truck, he said.

Spanaway Carnival Well Attended

Success of the Spanaway P.T.A. Carnival held May 16 and 17 was attributed to the fine cooperation given by participating organizations, according to Mrs. Matilda Symmons, chairman of the affair.

The booths and concessions sponsored by Spanaway groups were many in number and very interesting in nature.

Outstanding entertainment features were a guitar solo, Miss Diann Bassett; an accordion solo, James Ockfen, Jr.; a shadow play by pupils of the eighth grade. A hilarious one-act play was presented by the teachers and principal of Spanaway school.

No report as to financial intake has been made.

Popular Youth Receives Award

At the graduation exercises of Roy high school, held on Friday, May 23, awards were given for outstanding athletic achievement.

"Bunny" Schwarz, formerly of Spanaway and now living in Parkland, received the citation for sportsmanship demonstrated during his four prep years.

"Bunny" is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schwarz of Airport Road. They recently moved from 7th street in Spanaway, where the youth attended grade school.

Recital to Present Dance Students

Young dancers of ages 3 to 12 will be presented in recital at the Spanaway school on June 4 at 8:00 p.m. Under the direction of Mrs. L. Heath the boys and girls have been dancing for three months.

There will be no admission fee and the public is cordially invited.

Speaker



Dr. N. A. Larson, of Decorah, Iowa, will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon at services Sunday morning in the new Memorial Gymnasium. Dr. E. B. Steen of Trinity Lutheran Church, Parkland, is in charge of the services.

IN PARKLAND

Mrs. Robert Haner, reporter
GRanite 7551

Bride-to-Be Honored—Miss Janis Raymond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burt H. Raymond, whose marriage to Mr. Earl E. Gray, Jr., of Chicago will take place July 11 in Trinity Lutheran church, was guest of honor at a bridal shower held recently at the Tacoma home of Mrs. Ole Wollan. For the buffet luncheon the table was centered with a miniature bride and groom atop a large white cake. Guests were Miss Raymond, her mother, Mrs. Burt H. Raymond, Mesdames Eric Alstad, Mabel Ringmann, Eugene Clark, G. Kirkebo, B. Hoveland, Don Cooney, Roy Virgil, Knute Halseth, Lawrence Kramer, L. S. Larson, Charles Merchant, Conrad Norman, Martin Norman, Richard Bjarne Sagen, Bert Sandve, Norwall Steiro and Misses Betty Ringmann, Joanne Kirkebo, Loreene Kramer, Doris Steiro, Orna Steiro and Vickie Virgil.

Miss Raymond was also a guest of honor at a recent party held for three brides-to-be, the other two being sorority sisters in Delta Delta Delta at the University of Washington, Miss Julie Thomas and Miss Sabra Berge. Hostess was Miss Dorothy Thomas at a tea given at the Laurelhurst home of her parents in Seattle.

New Son—Dale Lynn is the name of the new son born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brown on May 12 in San Mateo, Calif. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Huntington, also of San Mateo and former Parkland residents.

Birthday—Friends of Mrs. C. Wold gathered at her home on A street Tuesday for a luncheon on her birthday. Those bringing good wishes were her daughters, Mrs. John Martinson and Mrs. G. P. Walker, her son's wife, Mrs. Bud Wold and daughter, Sandra; Mrs. Arthur Swindland and daughter, Karen; Mrs. Gus Storaasli and daughter, Maxine; Mrs. H. L. J. Dahl, Mrs. Robert Larson, Mrs. W. T. Storaasli and Mrs. Louise Sales.

Norway Trip—Mr. O. J. Stuen, librarian at PLC, and his daughter, Anita, secretary in the registrar's office at the college, will leave in early June on a trip to Mr. Stuen's native Norway. It will be a real homecoming for Mr. Stuen, who has not been "back home" since he left 48 years ago. In honor of Anita, Miss Janet Hauge (Continued on Page Four)

EX-PARKLAND TEACHER DIES

MISS CLARA A. FOSSEN SUCCUMBS AT AGE 63; TAUGHT IN CO. 38 YRS.

Funeral services were held Wednesday for Miss Clara A. Fossen, 63-year-old former Pierce county teacher, who lived in this community since 1899.

Many residents of Parkland attended classes taught by Miss Fossen during the years she was at the local school. She spent 38 years in the county educational system, teaching at Roy, Eatonville, Weyerhaeuser and many other schools in addition to Parkland.

Miss Fossen was born in Polk county, Minn., and came to Parkland with her parents at the age of 15. She was graduated from Pacific Lutheran academy in 1900 and later earned a B.A. degree at Pacific Lutheran college.

She retired from the Weyerhaeuser school 18 months ago. Surviving are a cousin, Mrs. Charles A. Parsneau of Tacoma, three nieces and six nephews, all in the east. Two brothers and a sister preceded her in death.

The funeral was conducted in Trinity Lutheran church. Burial was in Parkland cemetery.

PIERCE COUNTY TRACK MEET

Parkland Team Victor, Midland Junior High Takes Close Second Place

Parkland Junior High garnered a total of 59 points to win the Pierce County Junior High School track meet held May 17. Midland's team took a close second place with 54½ points. The Orting and DuPont schools trailed with 26 and 13 points, respectively. The new track area on the lower P.L.C. campus was the meet site.

Following are the events, winning times and the placers:

First Class
50-yd. Dash, time 7:6. First, Storaasli, Parkland; second, Hoheim, Parkland; third, Daniey, Orting.

75-yd. Dash, time 10:1. First, Rogers, Orting; second, Storaasli, Parkland; third, Hoheim, Parkland.

Broad jump, distance 13 ft., 4.6. First, Dunham, Midland; second, Rogers, Orting; third, Cope of Orting and Erickson of Parkland.

High jump, height 4 ft., 6 in. First, Storaasli, Parkland; second, Hoheim, Parkland; third, Dunham, Midland.

Pole vault, height 9 ft., 10¾ in. First, Fell, Midland; second, Hummel, Midland; third, Armstrong, Parkland.

Second Class
50-yd. Dash, time 6:8. First, Williams, Orting; second, Steen, Parkland; third, Christenson, Midland.

100-yd. Dash, time 12:7. First, R. Simerson, Parkland; second, Williams, Orting; third, Christenson, Midland.

Broad jump, distance 14 ft., 3.5. First, Christenson, Midland; second, Wiggins, Parkland; third, Braget, Dupont.

High jump, height 4 ft., 10 in. First, R. Simerson, Parkland; second, Steen, Parkland; third, Armstrong of Parkland and Crossman of Midland.

Shot Put, distance 32 ft., 2½ in. First, Drath, Midland; second, Bowdish, Midland; third, Hummel, Midland.

Third Class
50-yd. Dash, time 6:4. First, Fell, Midland; second, Hunt, Dupont; third, Roberts, Orting.

100-yd. Dash, time 12:4. First, Hunt, Dupont; second, Roberts, Orting; third, Fleming, Parkland.

Broad jump, 16 ft., 5.3. First, Fell, Midland; second, Olive, Midland; third, Hunt, Dupont.

High jump, height 5 ft., 5 in. First, Lund, Parkland; second, Dahl, Parkland; third, Graham, Dupont.

Memorial Day Game At Spanaway Park

As a treat to the Memorial Day picnickers at Spanaway Park a special ball game will be played. The Spanaway Athletics will meet the team from Madigan General Hospital, beginning at 2 p.m.

As an extra special feature a band will be on hand to entertain the crowd.

BUSINESS CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY

Parkland Business club will meet at the Indian Inn on the mountain highway Tuesday. Walter Young, president, announced. Heading events on the program is the proposed plan to enlarge scope of the club to include merchants as far north as the city limits. Other items are a report on the fishing derby, summer events and a resume of the work of the Tenino Cutoff association. Reservations are due by Monday noon. Calls may be made to Young by dialing GR. 7559.

PARKLAND SIGN DUE THIS WEEK

Business Club Leader Says It Will Be Up For College Homecoming

The sign advertising Parkland, home of Pacific Lutheran college, is expected to be up in time for homecoming and graduation activities at the college this weekend.

The stanchions are up now and it was expected at press time that the sign itself would arrive momentarily. Walter Young, president of Parkland Business club, said the City Sign company has completed the marker that will be 5½ feet high, 12 feet long, bearing the word "Parkland" in 14 inch letters and "Home of Pacific Lutheran College" in 10 inch letters.

It will be yellow and green, colors picked because they attract the greatest amount of attention, Young said.

MIDLAND NEWS

Mrs. George Turner, reporter
GRanite 7727

Midland W.C.T.U.—The president of the Midland W. C. T. U., Mrs. Luella Engler, announces that the June meeting will be held Monday, June 2, instead of on Tuesday, June 3. It was very necessary to make this change owing to unforeseen circumstances. All members wishing to attend, take the Woodland bus, leaving the depot at 10:15, and ride through to Summit-View; here they will be met with cars and taken to Graham, where the meeting will be held at the home of Miss Freda Myers. Those assisting Miss Myers will be Mrs. Dora Doeskin, Mrs. Nellie Ring, Mrs. Myra Steele, Miss Mabel Plank and Mrs. Luella Engler, who will have charge of the meeting. Arrangements for the July picnic, which will be combined with that of the county will also be planned at this meeting. All members invited.

Leave on Trip—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Berg of Midland have just left on an extended trip through southern California, then on to Minneapolis. They plan to be gone for five weeks. Their many friends wish them a very enjoyable vacation.

Baseball—The Midland men's ball team of the Valley League will play Fife at Dawson Field on Sunday, June 1, at 2 p.m. Two new men have been added to the team. The hot and cold showers should be installed at the field by Sunday. In the game with Orting, which was played on the Orting field, the Midland team won. Hegele was the pitcher and allowed only four hits. Fielding honors in that game went to Marv Scott. On May 24 the junior team played the Roy 4-H Club and won 5 to 3.

Demonstration Club—The Midland Home Demonstration Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Vienhuetzen on 90th and Taylor, June 5, with a 12:30 potluck lunch. Miss Sunnell will be the guest speaker and she will talk on canning and freezing vegetables and fruits.

Cub Meeting—The regular meeting of Cub Pack No. 84 was held May 22 at the Midland Improvement Hall. The meeting began with Den No. 3 presenting the flag. Den stunts followed. Cubs of Den No. 1 gave a "maypole dance." The boys were dressed like girls, in colorful crepe paper dresses and gay little hats. Cubs of Den No. 2 put on a skit entitled "Glorious Whitewashers," from the book of "Huckleberry Finn." Den No. 3 acted out "Kresiak at the Bat," with Robert Bain reading the part. Den No. 6 put on a musical program entitled "Parade of Stars." Also a Hawaiian dance by Claude Smith. Cubmaster George Turner gave the following awards to: Dean Jacot, Bear (Continued on Page Four)

SPANAWAY

Rose Marie Righetti, Reporter
GRanite 8227

Visits—Visiting in Portland, Oregon, Wednesday, May 21, were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Modahl of Fifth street.

Leave—Leaving Spanaway to make their home in Medford, Ore., are Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Robbins of Fourth street.

Ill—Mrs. Harry Pennington is confined to her home on Tenth street by illness. Her condition is much improved at this date.

Convalescing—Joseph Rossich of Ninth street, is convalescing from a recent illness.

Picnic—Enjoying a picnic at Spanaway Park on Wednesday, May 21, were pupils from the sixth and seventh grades of Spanaway school. Teachers are Mrs. Hubert Cook and Mrs. Nina Haagen.

Guest—Miss Cecelia Pfefferle of Lacey, Wash., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Fowler of First street.

Guests—Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kirby for the weekend of May 17 were Mr. and Mrs. Ward La Favor of Vancouver, B. C., Mr. and Mrs. Glen La Favor of Barnet, B. C., Mr. Ed Spahr, Miss Margaret Bailor and Clinton Irwin of Tacoma.

Guests—Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Ataway on 12th street were Miss Delores Goodman and Miss Josephine Weddle of Yakima.

Extended Visit—Leaving for an extended visit at Mobile, Alabama, is Mrs. Ruth Drake of Second street. Mrs. Drake is a sister of Mrs. Ted Wormald.

Return—Mr. and Mrs. Karl R. Marti, 10th street, have returned from visiting his sister, Miss Elsie Marti, in San Francisco, who was ill.

Visits Parents—Visiting for the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold, Extension Road, were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Buchmann (Harriet Eddy) of Shelton.

Guests—Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Herbert, Ninth street, were her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hendricks (Wanda Gammett) and baby son David of McNeil Island.

Vacation—Vacationing for two weeks at Coos Bay, Oregon, are Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mason of Fourth street. While there, they will visit her mother, Mrs. Cora Mason.

Guests—Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Talley, 14th street, is a sister of Mrs. Talley's, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Talley, and a niece, Mrs. Jack Chambers and daughter Myrna of Brooklyn, Wn.

Parents Visit—Visiting indefinitely at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fount Walker, Pole Line Road, are Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hood of Littlefield, Texas.

At Beach—Enjoying the weekend at Copalis Beach were Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Tarpening and children, Lois and Harold, of Mt. Highway, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Satter and children of Military Road.

Anniversary—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Netzel of Mt. Highway were pleasantly surprised on their fifth wedding anniversary on Saturday, May 17, when their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Niesen, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slater, Mr. and Mrs. William Schwanz, Mr. and Mrs. Antone Schwanz and Mrs. Beulah Ballard, congratulated the couple on many more happy anniversaries.

Birth—Congratulations are being received by Mr. and Mrs. George Stephenson Jr., of 98th street (Louise Korsland) on the birth of a daughter, named Linda Louise, weighing 7 pounds, 14 ounces, at St. Joseph's Hospital on May 2. This is their first child and the occasion was doubly celebrated as it was also Mrs. Stephenson's 21st birthday and the father's birthday occurring on May third. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Stephenson Sr., of 7th street, Spanaway, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Korsland of Tacoma. Great grandfather is Mr. Thomas Poulteny of Pittsburgh, Pa. The arrival of Linda Louise is the first grandchild for the Stephensons and Korslands. Mother and daughter are now at home at Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson's on 7th street, Spanaway.

Guests—Enjoying the afternoon on Wednesday, May 23, at the guests of the Garden Club in Seattle, were Mrs. George Schnelle, Mrs. Gene Cecil and Miss Alice Randall of Third street. While there they enjoyed lunch at the (Continued on Page Four)

TENINO SIGN DUE JUNE 15

CUTOFF ASSOCIATION PLANS PICNIC LUNCH AND BIG CELEBRATION

June 15 has been set to celebrate the erection of the Seattle-Tacoma sign which is expected to be directing traffic at Tenino over the mountain highway by that date, Ray Pochel, president of the Tenino Cutoff association, announced.

Mr. Campbell, Tenino merchant who has authorized use of his property at highway 99 and Tenino junction, will be host for a picnic lunch at a nearby lake after dedication ceremonies have been held, H. E. Mobley, member of the executive board, said.

The marker, which will be in red neon letters eight inches high on a backboard nine feet long, is being completed by the City Sign company. A green arrow pointing toward the short cut will be run across the sign.

The cutoff association has also made plans to distribute maps at gas stations, hotels and drive-ins showing motorists the advantages of traveling over the shorter road as against using the traditional highway 99.

They will show that the route is faster, the road from Yelm to Tenino is newly paved and that the state plans to straighten the road from Yelm to the mountain highway within a short time. Hills are smaller and there are less curves over the cutoff road, Mobley said.

Markers will also be posted from Portland to Tenino directing motorists to use the road. Another sign is planned for 26th and Pacific avenue, similar to the Tenino marker. The entire project will run close to \$2,000, Mobley explained.

Parkland Girls Slumber Outside

The Girl Scouts of Parkland gathered at Mrs. L. B. Richardson's home on Clover Lea for a Slumber party last Friday. They played games in the field until dusk. Then they toasted marshmallows over a bonfire. The girls slept in sleeping bags and some in tents.

In the morning they had breakfast consisting of bacon, eggs, toast and milk. The following attended: Grace Hawkins, Georgann Ellington, Gail Kerstetter, Carol Gliden, Beverly Lund, Karen Strait, Joan Hansen, Barbara Whittier, Sharon Ellington, Pat Murray, Nancy Crusan, Mary Ann Richardson, Joan Kittelson, Catherine Sannerud, Barbara Pepper, Karen Taylor, Barbara Bryan, Jackie Colwell, Joan Lucke and Elaine Tiche.

Barbara Jensen, Colleen Stanley, Beverly Chapman and Sharon Scholl are Scout members who were not present.

Ninth Grade Pupils At Midland Sneak

Every year the Ninth grade class at Midland has the privilege of a "sneak day." The class decides where to go and sets the date for the trip.

This year the splendid idea of going to the ocean was accepted.

So early Monday morning about 6:30 all the ninth graders departed in the new school bus with Copalis Beach as their destination.

They arrived about 11:30 with no trouble except one flat tire.

Each pupil took his own lunch and all enjoyed the fun clam digging, wading and eating. The weather was warm and fair but rather windy. No swimming was allowed but many people waded almost up to their necks.

After a hard day they all arrived back at Midland safe and sound at 8 o'clock.

NUMBER IS WRONG! THIEF GETS AWAY!

A Parkland resident reported to the new deputy, Don Knapp, this week that he spotted a thief in the act of stealing his lawnmower from his garage.

He hurried to dial the number that had been previously given in error, and failed to make the party who answered understand he wanted the police.

After fumbling with the phone book to get the correct exchange, the thief was gone—and so was his lawnmower.

The correct phone number is Granite 8660. Knapp is available for emergency calls at any time.

47 TO RECEIVE PLC DIPLOMAS

ALUMNI ACTIVITIES TO HIGHLIGHT THREE-DAY PROGRAM ON CAMPUS

A turbulent year of school activity will draw to a close this week and next for youngsters in the South End district. Snowstorms and cancelled bus runs throughout the winter have made it necessary to delay some in the traditional closing dates, but the end is just around the corner for most children of book-lugging age.



Dr. William L. Young

At Parkland's Pacific Lutheran College, 47 graduates will be issued diplomas at Sunday afternoon commencement exercises in the new Memorial gym. Dr. S. C. Eastvold will hand out the parchments following the main address by Dr. William L. Young of Columbus, Ohio, executive secretary for the board of education for American Lutheran Church. He will speak on "The Four Promises."

Friday through Sunday will be busy days at the college as the alumni reunion will be at its height over this period. Friday night alumni choir of 1927 and 1937 will be featured at a Memorial day choir program in the new Memorial Gymnasium and Saturday afternoon a baseball game and tea sponsored by Delta Rho Gamma will take place.

Baccalaureate service will be held Sunday at 11 a.m. with Dr. N. A. Larson, former missionary to China and at present bishop of the Iowa district of Evangelical Lutheran Church in Decorah, Iowa, as the main speaker.

Theme of the reunion and alumni activities will be "P.L.C. Panorama," to honor the \$1,000,000 building program that has been undertaken by the college in the last three years. The events in the \$275,000 gymnasium will be the first in the new structure.

The public is cordially invited to attend these functions at Pacific Lutheran College.

Graduation at Elk Plain on Tuesday

Miss Anne E. Knudson of the Pacific Lutheran College faculty will speak on "The Third Builder" at the Elk Plain school graduation program. The exercises will be held in the Elk Plain Grange on June 3 at 8 p.m.

Special piano, violin and trumpet music will head the entertainment. Miss Marilyn Ockfen has been named valedictorian and Calvin James Gartain salutatorian.

The names of the graduating students and class officers will be published next week.

Niesen Services Held Saturday

Funeral services were held on Saturday, May 24, at 1 p.m., for Richard M. Niesen, 32, of Spanaway, who was killed on May 20.

Surviving are his wife, June, and daughter Carolyn and son Richard M., Jr., his mother, Mrs. Vera Niesen, a brother, Billy C., and four sisters, Mrs. Marjory Bramsch, Mrs. Veve Tegard and Betty Lou and Vivian Niesen, all of Tacoma. Services were held at Piper Chapel, with Rev. J. J. Ellington. Interment was at Spanaway Cemetery.

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RECIPE OF THE WEEK

PARKERHOUSE ROLLS

2 c milk
2 t sugar
2 cakes Fleischmann's yeast
6 c flour (scant)—high grade

4 t melted shortening (preferably butter)
1 t salt

Scald and then cool milk to lukewarm stage; add sugar and crumbled yeast cakes to milk; add 3 c milk and then beat the mixture until smooth. Add shortening, salt and 3 c flour, stirred till thoroughly mixed. Let stand in covered bowl 2 hours. Then place on bread board; roll to about ½ inch thick; cut with round cutter. Cut each piece almost through the center, brush with shortening, fold over through the middle. Place in tins and let rise about 2 hours. Bake at 450 for 15 to 20 minutes.

The above recipe is from the "Hot Breads" section of the Mary Martha Cook Book, published at Beard Printing Co. by the Mary Martha Society of Parkland Trinity Lutheran Church. Mrs. Hanson, a former Parkland resident, now lives with her husband and three daughters, Constance, Joan and Kathleen, in Kirksville, Missouri, where Mr. Hanson is studying to be an osteopathic physician.

(Note: June brides will appreciate these cook books. Buy them at the offices of the Prairie Pointer, Parkland Light and Water Co., or Trinity Church.—\$1.25.)

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Most Dangerous Man in America?

There aren't many Americans who will say "I believe in every stand the controversial Henry Wallace has taken." In fact, many of his theories have fallen down under the strain of every day living.

But, to say that this former vice president is a menace to the American way of life, that he builds up a hysteria that will cause this nation to buckle at a time of national crisis is to belittle the strength of democracy.

It is a healthy sign that policies of a president are questioned, mulled over and thrashed out in open debate. The serious trouble this nation has encountered in the past has usually resulted from measures that were passed without thorough understanding or interest on the part of the public.

Surely the new deal went too far in the early days of the depression and the Republican majority threw caution to the winds when it had a large majority during the '20s.

Today Republicans have clamored as much as Democrats for \$400,000,000 in aid to Turkey and Greece. Loans or outright gifts to place countries on their feet economically seems like good reasoning if the world as we know it is to survive.

But, to loan money for the purchase of arms that will most surely lead to war seems like a policy Wallace has a legitimate right to question. President Truman came out this week asking for authority to arm and train armies of the Western hemisphere. Is this encouraging the United Nations police force or adding strength to one hemisphere that will eventually face another where England already has agreed to an economic pact with Russia whereby jet planes will go to the Soviet?

This type of thinking doesn't lead to peace here or abroad. Perhaps Wallace is right when he says that American democracy can survive only if the rest of the world attains economic stability.

But, why not give or sell other countries farm machinery, trucks, railroad engines, building material, coal, food and the items that will build up their economy? Isn't it in a strong industrial nation where Communism makes its poorest showing?

Unique in America

Before the war, Pacific Lutheran College, like many another donation financed educational center, was a struggling institution with a handful of students and a worn out main building.

Since Dr. S. C. Eastold took over four years ago there has been an upsurge that well might be called unique in America.

No doubt the war and the demand on the part of veterans for an education has been a great help in his campaign to build the college into a first class institution. But, most other schools have had the same advantages and few have made the strides of PLC.

As the 1946-47 year draws to a close with commencement exercises this week-end it seems a fitting time to pause and look back over the accomplishments.

Between May of last year and May of 1947 three major structures—a gymnasium, science hall and student union building—have been started, with construction plans calling for all to be ready for occupancy by the time school opens in the fall.

More than \$801,000 has been subscribed for a building program that will extend to better than \$1,000,000 by the time it is completed. "Old Main," which has been used for office space, classrooms and dormitory in the past, has had the interior improved and an elevator installed. The library has been authorized for additional work, a \$46,000 sewage disposal system is due soon and a \$20,000 landscape project that will give the campus picturesque, collegiate setting has been approved by the board of directors.

In the future there will be a lake built where Clover creek flows on the lower campus and a girls' dormitory building will be built. Athletic fields have been graded, and will be ready for the fall when a student body in excess of 1,000 will attend.

This is real progress. Parkland residents and those of the South End might, because they "are so near," miss the significance of this undertaking. But, it seems certain that a bigger and healthier PLC will be with us in the future to grow alongside of the town itself.

Tribute might well be paid to Dr. Eastold and the assistants who are so largely responsible for this expansion.

CHURCH NEWS

PARKLAND METHODIST CHURCH

George W. Cooper, pastor
Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
The Women's Society for Christian Service will have a picnic lunch at the home of Mrs. Mary Smith at 12:30 on Wednesday, June 4. Those who wish to ride to Mrs. Smith's home are asked to be at the church at 12, where cars will be waiting.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Parkland, Washington
Ernest B. Steen, Pastor
Saturday:
9:30 a.m.—Confirmation Class.
11:00 a.m.—Junior Choir.
Sunday:
9:00 a.m.—Communion Service.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Junior Service and Regular Worship Service.
Tuesday:
8:00 p.m.—The Trinity Guild will meet in the church parlors. Hostesses are Mrs. E. Antonson and Mrs. A. W. Ramstad.

PARKLAND EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Walther C. Gullixson, Pastor
Sunday:
9:30 a.m., Sunday school.
10:30 a.m., Morning worship.

PRAIRIE MISSION SUNDAY SCHOOL

Denny Lucas, Superintendent
Fred Southwell, Ass't Supt.
Sunday school at 10:30.
Bible study 7:30 Monday night.

MIDLAND COMMUNITY HOME CHURCH

Thure Moberg, Minister
Sunday School, 10 a.m.
Morning Service, 11 a.m.
Bible study and prayer, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.
Ladies' Circle Wed., at 1 p.m.
Girls' Club Wednesday, 4 p.m.

ST. JOHN OF THE WOODS CHURCH

Rev. R. E. Logan, Pastor
Masses, 8:00 and 10:30 a.m., in Midland Community Hall.
Catechism after mass.

MIDLAND PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Pastor, Arnie Komsom
Sunday School Superintendent,
August Sumuland.
Meets every Sunday in Midland P.T.A. hall at 11 a.m.
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

HARVARD SUN. SCHOOL

At Harvard School
Inor Bergstrom, Supt.
Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. every Sunday.
Harvard Sunday School Mothers' Circle meets the first Wednesday of the month at 2:00 p.m.

LARCHMONT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Larchmont Sunday School meets in the Parish house at 9:30 Sunday mornings. Harry Hessert, Superintendent.

CLOVER CREEK BAPTIST

Military Road opposite Clover Creek School
W. C. Rhea, Pastor
Bible School, 10 a.m. George Chessum, superintendent.
Morning worship, 11 a.m.
Youth Fellowship, 7 p.m. (Junior and Senior).
Evening Gospel Service, 8 p.m.
Mid-week service Thurs., 8 p.m.

SPANAWAY METHODIST COMMUNITY CHURCH

"The Church by the Side of the Road"
James White and Raymond McMillan, co-pastors
Sunday school at 10 a.m., Mrs. Gahn, supt.; Mrs. J. Snider, pianist. You are invited to come and study with us.
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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced," is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read next Sunday in all branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.
Golden Text: Matthew 4:10. "Get thee hence, Satan: for it is written, Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve."
The following verse from James is included in the Lesson-Sermon: "From whence come wars and fightings among you? come they not hence, even of your lusts that war in your members? Submit yourselves therefore to God."

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Evelyn Doering Trinity Bride

In a double-ring ceremony performed by Dr. J. P. Pfeuffer on Friday evening in Trinity Lutheran Church, Miss Evelyn Bernice Doering, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard A. Doering, became the bride of Mr. Frank D. McCabe, son of Frank McCabe of Spanaway. The altar setting was enhanced by candelabra and tall baskets of snowballs.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a princess style gown of white moire taffeta with long pointed sleeves, square lace yoke and buttoned bodice. Her fingertip veil was fastened with a seed pearl halo, and her shower bouquet of pink rosebuds, sweet-peas and lily of the valley was carried with a white Bible.

Mrs. William Garrett, matron of honor, wore a pink net peplum gown. The candlelighters, Miss Jean Doering, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Gene Ross, wore similar gowns of pink net and chiffon and carried candles tied with pink rosebuds and sweetpeas. Mr. George Peterson was best man and ushers were Mr. William Tighe and Mr. Gene Ross. Mrs. Harold G. Ronning was soloist and Mrs. G. J. Malmin was at the organ.

Presiding at the reception in the church parlors, the bride's mother wore a gown of aqua crepe and a corsage of pink rosebuds, sweet-peas and stephanotis. Assisting with serving from the long, lace covered table centered with roses and lily of the valley in crystal were two aunts of the bride, Mrs. Russell Doering and Mrs. William Parker, and Mrs. H. B. Brewer and Mrs. Ed Hinderlie. Another aunt, Mrs. B. Brown, cut the wedding cake, and the groom's cake was passed by a cousin, Sharon Doering. Another cousin, Miss Elineor Doering, was in charge of the guest book, and taking care of gifts were Mrs. Richard Meyers and Miss Shirley Brown.

For their wedding trip to Portland, Mrs. McCabe wore navy blue with white accessories. The new home will be made in Spanaway.

Mrs. McCabe is a graduate of Lincoln high school and her husband graduated from Kapowsin high school. He served in the south Pacific for two years and is now located with the navy base.

Harvard-Midland PTA Last Meeting

The last meeting of Harvard-Midland P.T.A. for the year was held at the Midland school last Wednesday with Mrs. Brittain presiding.

Mrs. Eshpeter gave a complete report on the convention she attended in Spokane. A pleasant program was enjoyed with the Girls Nonette singing three numbers. Jay Olds played a piano solo. Darrell Brittain played a trumpet solo, accompanied by Ella Mae Hanson.

Mrs. John Garrow of Collins installed the newly elected officers, following which they were presented with beautiful corsages. She also presented the outgoing president, Mrs. Brittain, with a past president's pin.

A committee was appointed to purchase a combination radio and phonograph for use by the two schools. The money will come from the carnival proceeds. Those on the committee are Mrs. Eshpeter, Mrs. Sullivan of the Midland school teachers, and Miss Norton of Harvard.

The Carnival was reported to be a huge success. Darrell Brittain then played "Taps" at the close of the meeting. The P.T.A. will resume its activities next year with the new officers.

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Shirley Williams - George Vanek Nuptial Vows Said 'Mid Flowers

White lilacs, apple blossoms and narcissi made lovely the improvised altar fashioned before the fireplace for the candlelight ceremony Saturday evening, April 19, which united in marriage Miss Shirley Ann Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Williams of Brookdale, and George J. Vanek, son of Mrs. John Maruna of Spanaway. The Reverend H. N. Svint officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The wedding gown was of ivory satin with a fitted bodice, long sleeves, pointed at the wrist, and a sweetheart neckline. The fingertip veil of illusion and wedding gown held a special sentiment, as they were previously worn by three sisters of the bride. She wore a pearl necklace belonging to her mother and carried carnations centered with a white orchid.

Mrs. Ralph Wright, the bride's sister, was matron of honor and wore blue net. She carried an arm bouquet of apple blossoms, tied with pink satin ribbon.

Mrs. William LaBreck, another sister, lighted the tapers. The flower girl, dressed in pink, was little Miss Jerry Vanek, niece of the bridegroom. Richard Lorenz, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer. Acting as best man was Seaman 1/c Wesley Maruna, brother of the bridegroom.

Wedding music was played by Frank Nurdung at the piano. He also accompanied the songs of Miss Maurine Wade.

The bride's mother was attired in a turquoise dress and the bridegroom's mother wore navy blue. Both had corsages of pink carnations.

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PLC Students Pick Leaders for 1948

Heading the 1947-48 PLC student body will be Walt Kunschak, liberal arts junior, who formerly was president of his class last year and business manager of the 1946-47 Saga, PLC annual.

Melvin Osterli, newly elected vice-president, and Anita Roth, secretary, will work with President Kunschak in the coming year. Richard Haglund, treasurer, and John Nicolai, business manager, will also aid in the handling of next year's student body affairs. Class representatives are Howard Willis, senior; Carl Fynboe, junior; Norman Cromarty, sophomore.

Harold Carlson was elected editor of the PLC Saga, with Grace Elaine Gulhaugen as assistant editor. Vern Fink will guide the financial end of the publication.

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Clover Creek
 Bessie Roland, reporter
 Party—Mrs. H. J. McGee was hostess to a group of neighbors and friends Tuesday, May 20, at a party at their home. Mrs. J. Dunn won the door prize. Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mrs. R. E. Renner, Mrs. H. L. Markstone, Mrs. Fena Elledge, Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCammon, Mrs. Nutzhorn and Mrs. W. Nutzhorn.

Long Walk — Wallace Markstone and Benny Interbitzen completed another Boy Scout requirement by making a 14-mile hike to Lake Louise where they visited Wallace's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Plew.

Home—Miss Sally Jones is back in Clover Creek after living two years at Walla Walla, Washington. She is planning to spend the summer here with her father. Sally spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Omer E. Roland, visiting with Miss Bessie Roland.

Dinner Successful—Folks in Clover Creek are thankful to a large number of people for the aid received in putting on the turkey dinner and play as a hot lunch benefit. They wish to report it was a great success. The following members and committees were of great assistance: Ed O'Neil, cook; Mrs. Ed O'Neil, Mrs. R. L. McCullough, Mrs. Peter McLeod, Mrs. Harry White, Mrs. Roy Renner, kitchen help, with the Clover Creek 4-H Club girls and boys serving; Oscar Worthington, lights and stage; Earnest Johnson, special western music; Mrs. H. M. Baisinger, pianist; Mrs. N. F. Weimer, play chairman; Mrs. H. L. Markstone, director, and Roy Snyder supplied the milk.

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Visiting — Mrs. Cora Barnhart is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Weimer and family.

Injured—Mrs. Lawrence E. Failey, who has been suffering with a back injury, was taken to the Tacoma General Hospital on Monday, May 26. Her daughter, Mrs. Robert Hammond, is taking care of things at the Failey home.

Week-end Guest — Miss Mary Markstone is spending the week-end of May 24 and 25 with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Plew.

Visit Friends—Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Renner and Mr. and Mrs. H. L.

Markstone spent Monday, May 26, with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nunn, formerly of Clover Creek.

Visit Mother—Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Markstone and Wallace motored to Seattle Sunday, May 25, to get Mr. Renner's mother, Mrs. J. E. Renner.

See Parents—Mrs. N. F. Weimer and Mary Ann went to Shelton to visit with Mrs. Weimer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barnhart.

Guest—A guest at the Roland home Sunday, May 25, was Miss Georgia Boleu.

Injured—Norman Weimer cut his hand while on his job Thursday, May 15, and had to have several stitches taken. He went back to work Tuesday, May 20.

Operation—Mrs. John Knabel entered the hospital Tuesday, May 20, where she is to undergo an operation.

To Entertain—Members of the Miracle Book Club are going out to Madigan General Hospital to put on a musical program for patients in Ward 4. The program will be from 7 to 7:30 p.m.

Dinner Guests—Mrs. Alice Gene Snow and son David were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Lucille, Sunday, May 25.

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PIERCE COUNTY SECOND
 U. S. Savings Bond sales figures for Pierce county mounted to \$761,986 in April. Pierce county sales ranked second highest in the state. Total subscriptions for the state stood at \$6,918,480.

KIRBY NEWS
 Mrs. Albert Nelson, reporter
 Phone GRaham 206

Ill—Friends of Mr. J. W. McGee are sorry to hear about his illness and hope he soon will be well again.

Chicken Pox—Larry Plumb is confined to his home with chicken pox.

Ill—It has been reported that Mrs. C. S. Casperson is ill at her home.

Small Fire—Thursday afternoon the Elk Plain fire truck was called to the home of Francis Houcks. Their chimney had caught on fire.

Guest for Night—Dolores Jupiter was an overnight guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Plumb on Thursday.

Son Born—Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller on the arrival of a son, Michael Patrick, born May 24 at St. Joseph's hospital in Tacoma. He weighed 7 lbs., 7 oz. He is greeted by a sister, Virginia, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Johnson.

Celebrate Anniversary—Mr. and Mrs. Ross Plumb were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Christy of Tacoma. They celebrated Mr. and Mrs. Christy's fifth wedding anniversary.

Attend Service—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schulz and Miss Betty Cruts attended the baccalaureate service at Puyallup high school Sunday evening.

Visit—Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Goddard visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jupiter on Friday evening.

In Olympia—Mrs. Celina Chabot visited with her sister, Mrs. Smith of Olympia, over the weekend.

Visit Daughter—Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Stanger visited with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Farley of Tacoma.

To Move—Mr. and Mrs. S. Hawkin have bought the Anderson place and are moving in on June 1.

Visit Sister—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lorenz and sons, Dickie and Donald, visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. Albert Nelson.

Plan Meal—Donald Goddard and Wilfrid Burslem were at the home of their 4-H leader, Mrs. Ross Plumb. They planned a dinner menu which they are going to cook at their 4-H meeting.

Collision—The Mazza cream truck of Orting and a car collided at the corner of Weather Road and Kapowsin-Muck Road Monday morning. The state patrol was on the scene shortly after the collision. No one was hurt.

Elk Plain Eighth Grade Honored—The member of the graduating class were guests of the 7th grade pupils on a picnic held in Spanaway Park on the afternoon of May 22. Arriving at the park about 4 o'clock they first enjoyed a swim in the lake. After the picnic supper was served, the girls and boys had a game of baseball.

Clams — Mr. and Mrs. Ross Sherman, accompanied by Mrs. Doris Crim and daughter Mary Lee, drove to Grayland beach on Sunday, where they dug clams.

Final Meeting of Clover Creek PTA
 The Clover Creek P.T.A. met at the school Wednesday night, May 21, at 8:00 p.m., for their last meeting of the year. Mrs. C. E. O'Neil, past president, was in charge. Among items of business discussed were the hot lunch program and final plans for the play and dinner. After the deficit in the hot lunch fund was cleared up plans were made for the coming year's program.

Mrs. Harry White, new president, and Mrs. Omer E. Roland, 4-H leader, will work together toward planning the canning program sponsored by the Clover Creek 4-H Clubs. Mrs. Fred Bittner, formerly of Clover Creek, now of Tacoma, led the installation ceremonies.

Plans call for a picnic for the school children at Point Defiance on June 3, with treats of ice cream furnished by the P.T.A.

LEGION ELECTS LOCAL MAN



ALGER E. BRAGG

Alger E. Bragg of Clover Creek Post No. 181 at Spanaway was named vice commander of the Fourth District of the American Legion at the spring conference held May 10, in Shelton.

Bragg was a private in the First Cavalry in World War I. He is past commander of his post and the father of seven girls and one boy.

Elk Plain News
 Alice Dorfner, Reporter
 Graham 458.

Bundle from Heaven—A baby girl was born on May 17 to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fox. She weighed 6 pounds, 10 ounces and her name is Rosanne Marie. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fox and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hoffman of Puyallup.

Visits in Centralia—Mrs. Marie Dorfner has returned home after a two weeks' visit with her sister-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Conner, in Centralia. She especially enjoyed a drive south of Chehalis where they viewed the beautiful blooming peonies.

Enjoy Game — Mr. and Mrs. John Ockfen Jr. were guests of friends, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Morphy, on Sunday when they drove to Seattle. They enjoyed the double-header game between the Seattle Rainiers and the San Diego Padres. On returning home they stopped for a picnic lunch.

Returns Home — Mrs. Ernest Schaffert has returned home after a two weeks stay in Tacoma with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schaffert.

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 CARTOON and NEWS

PLAN UNIT TO AID CEMETERY

Spanaway Group Sets Meeting at Cemetery On Friday at 11:00 a.m.

A call was issued this week for residents to organize a cemetery association at Spanaway.

Mrs. Nancy Holmes of Spanaway, chairman of the Spanaway Women's Club, and Mrs. L. Roberts will be in charge of a meeting at 11 a.m. Friday at Spanaway cemetery for the purpose of organizing a permanent organization to "keep the cemetery green."

Their action followed the efforts of the Spanaway Legion post in cleaning up the cemetery last week. They said the improvements "made such a difference that an organization should be formed to follow through periodically the work begun by the Legion."

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Spanaway News

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Country Club and drove to Seabrook to view the rhododendrons now in full bloom.

Firemen's Auxiliary—The Spanaway-Elk Plain Firemen's Auxiliary will meet Monday, June 2, 8 p.m., at Spanaway school. Mrs. Jack Henricksen presiding. All members are asked to attend as

plans will be made for the birthday party to be held on June 13. Due to an error in last week's publication, the Auxiliary will definitely convene at Spanaway School.

Church Views—All members and anyone interested in Church activities are more than welcome to attend Pot luck lunch to be served at the home of Mrs. Louis Symmons on 11th street at 11 a.m.

Thursday, June 5. This meeting will be held under the auspices of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Spanaway Methodist Church. Mrs. William Ghan will preside.

Club Convened—The Friendly Dozen Birthday Club convened recently at the home of Mrs. Robert Manning on Ninth street. Lunch was served at noon to the following women present: Mesdames Catherine Schultz, Oma Peterson, Frieda Ellis, Marie Kanton, Olive Tarpengen, Ethel Woolhouse, Clara Nygard, Doris Omat, Emily Ball, Althea Flannery and the hostess, Mrs. Pearl Manning. The members enjoyed a poem by Mrs. Ellis and a prize for the games was won by Mrs. Woolhouse.

At Home—Now at home for the summer is Robert Hoxie, son of Mrs. Orville Meyer of 12th street.

Injury—William Nissen of 8th street is convalescing from an injury of the left hand, accidentally injured at work six weeks ago.

Cub Committee—The committee of Spanaway Cub Pack No. 34 will meet Wednesday, June 4, at 8 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Haugen of Military Road will act as hosts for the group. One of the items to come up for discussion will be outside pack meetings during the summer.

end at the Burt H. Raymond home when Burt H. Raymond, Jr., returned after two and one-half years spent in the Philippines. Upon arrival in the states, Mr. Raymond met his wife and small daughter, Kristine, in Ontario, Calif., where they have been with relatives for the past several months. They motored up the coast, visiting along the way, and arrived here Thursday. On Saturday the senior Mrs. Raymond's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sholseth, came from Salem, Ore., and a garden supper party was held that evening at the family home. Mr. Jack Dohmann from San Francisco was also a guest. The younger Raymonds will live in Parkland, and upon its completion will move into the duplex being built by Mr. Raymond, Sr.

Two Baptized—Two grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Olson were christened Sunday in Trinity Lutheran church, Christine Ellen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Olson, born April 17, and Royal Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Westby of Dupont, born April 11. Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Olson were god-parents and Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Clair sponsors for Christine Ellen, who wore an interesting christening robe from England. It was made of white satin and lace, originally a wedding dress worn by the baby's aunt, and after re-fashioning has been worn by all the grandchildren in the baby's mother's family, the Tjrell family in Wilbarston, Leicestershire. It was sent from England for the occasion, as were also the white satin rompers worn by Royal Thomas, whose god-parents were Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Totten. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Olson were his sponsors. Gathering at the T. H. Olson home for dinner after church were, besides those named, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Soltis and daughter, Joanne; Miss Marie St. Clair, Robert S. Clair, Earl and Lois Kay Totten, Gail, Norman and Elaine Westby, and Mrs. Alma Coffey.

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was hostess at a going-away party Tuesday evening at her home. Games were played and a gift presented. Guests were Misses Betty Christensen, Agnes Mykland, Margie Carlson, Georgina King, Charlotte Swanson, Helen Blometie, Lillian Langemo, Isabel Harstad, Gertrude Tingelstad, Janice Kittelson, Ruth Jensen and Mesdames Philip E. Hauge, O. J. Stuen, A. Johnson, Gilbert Peterson, Anna Enge, G. Anderson and Robert Clark.

Bridal Shower—In honor of Miss Ingrid E. Martinson, whose marriage to Carl T. Fynboe will take place in Trinity Lutheran church on Sunday afternoon, June 8, Mrs. Philip E. Hauge and Mrs. Gunnar J. Malmin gave a bridal shower Thursday evening at the Hauge home on Thurman street. Games were played telling the story, musically, of how the couple met. Iris and Cecil Brunner roses centered the table from which a buffet lunch was served. Besides the guest of honor, those present were Mrs. Carl S. Fynboe, the groom's mother; Mrs. Burt Raymond and her daughter Janis; Mrs. J. P. Pflueger and daughter, Marilyn; Mrs. O. J. Stuen and daughter, Anita; Mrs. J. U. Xavier and daughter, Mrs. Robert Clark; Mrs. Bernard Olson, Mrs. J. M. Salater, Mrs. Harold Ronning, Mrs. H. J. Leraas, Mrs. A. W. Ramstad, Mrs. Clifford Olson, Mrs. Jennie Palmer and daughter, Mrs. Monty Hedlund, Mrs. L. Rasmussen, Mrs. E. Tingelstad and daughter, Gertrude; Mrs. E. M. Antonsen, Mrs. E. M. Akre and the hostesses, Mrs. Malmin, Mrs. Hauge and her daughter, Janet.

June 9 Wedding—The marriage of Miss Isabel G. Harstad to Mr. Luther O. Watness will take place Monday evening, June 9, at Ballard First Lutheran church in Seattle.

Son Returns—A joyful family reunion took place this past week-

Visits United Nations Headquarters—Merle Pflueger, who is getting a Master's degree in music at Columbia University this summer, went with a group of students through the United Nations headquarters recently, and participated in the taking of movies which will have a world-wide distribution. Merle is also a member of a Lutheran choir on the Columbia campus which appeared in Philadelphia last week.

Track Meet—Coach Clifford O. Olson, Dr. J. P. Pflueger and Marv Harshman accompanied PLC track and tennis teams to the Winco League meet at Ellensburg last week.

Luncheon Guests—Guests of Miss Rena Jernstad at luncheon on Friday were Mrs. John Fister of Tacoma, Mrs. H. L. Dahl and Mrs. E. B. Steen of Parkland.

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badge, Gold and Silver arrow; Robert Bain, Bear badge; Freddie McPherson, membership card, Bob Cat pin; Claude Smith, Lion badge, Gold arrow; Donald Kreshak, Bear badge; Edward Willis, Bear badge; Byron Gilman, Bear badge; Allen Slakset, Bear badge. A membership card was given to Chairman Ed Chalberg. Colors were retired by Den No. 3. Refreshments were served by Den No. 1.

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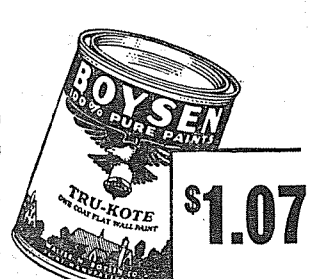
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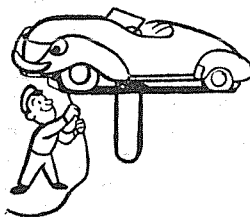
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