

Recognition Banquet Planned Community **To Honor Pierce Board**

community-wide recognition banquet honoring the Franklin Pierce School Board is being planned for the evening of February 3, Co-chairmen Harry Sprinker and Dayle Collison announced during a luncheon

Saturday at Barlos. Franklin Pierce directors were named "The Out-standing School Board of the Year" earlier this month by the Washington State School Directors Association.

Collison, president of the sponsoring Parkland Business Club and Harry Sprinker, chairman of the Pierce County Board of Commissioners, are heading the committee to work out details of the program. Although they said the program has not been com-pletely finalized, they indicated a well-known speaker would head the entertainment.

In telling the committee of the accomplishments that led to the honor, Dr. E.E. Hill lauded the composition of the board. Each member by occupation or prior education has made significant contributions to education in the district, he stated.

The Franklin Pierce Board worked as a team to solve the knotty problems many district directors would get hung up on," he stated. Franklin Pierce, due to low assessed valuation, has one of the lowest income per student ratios of any school district in the state.

It is a rare honor when our local school board is named the top board out of the state's 390 school districts, and we who live in the Franklin Pierce District are justifiably proud of this accomplishment, Collison said. The Parkland Business Club is sponsoring the banquet to give residents an opportunity to turn out the personally congratulate their board. School board members serve without pay and often receive little or no recognition for their work, he stated.

It is expected that Pacific Lutheran University facilities will be utilized to house the no host banquet. As of press time, ticket prices had not yet been determined.

The five member board is made up of Wilbur Roberts, Herb Gelman, Harold Sherry, Jo Anne Mat-son, and Dr. Walter Schnackenberg. Members will be officially invited at their January 14 board meeting.

Helping Hand Extended **By Bethel Schools**

When a recent fire gutted the home of the family of the Earcle Duckworth and destroyed most of the family belongings, the response of the community was immediate and very much in the spirit of Christmas. Within hours after the fire at Rt. 2, Box. 2805, Spanaway, the neighbors had made contributions.

The next day, according to Mr. Sam Green, Principal of the Bethel Junior High School school mates of Mavis Duckworth had started the ball rolling. Friends of Mavis, who attends the junior high school had decided to do something. The be-gan voluntary contributions

and in a single morning had collected \$385.00. The student council voted to donate surpluses from two student body accounts to the fund which soon swelled to \$500.00. Tuesday afternoon Student Body President Randy Compadore turned a check for the \$500.00 to Mr. Green who delivered it to the Duckworth's.

On the heels of the gift from the Junior High Student Body came action from the students and staff of Thompson Elementary School. Notices were sent out and contributions of clothing (to replace that which was burned), ten boxes of groceries, and a

Administrator, **Teacher Of Year** Announced By FP.







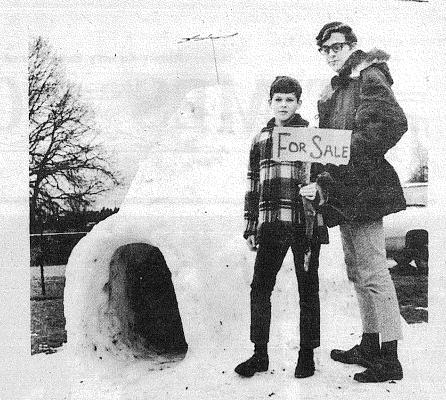
Ruthmarie Tennent

An elementary school prin-cipal and an elementary school teacher have been named administrator and teacher of the year by the Franklin Pierce Education Association.

Paul Larson, Principal of Parkland Elementary School, was named administrator of the year. Named as teacher of the year was Mrs. Ruthmarie Tennent, a pre-academic teacher at Midland Elementary School. Mr. Larson, a life member

of PTA, is a charter member of the FPEA and has been in the Franklin Pierce district longer than any oth-er administrator. He also is a member of the Washington Education Association, National Education Association and the State and Na-tional Principals' associations.

He is a graduate of Pacific Lutheran University and check for \$70.00 were placed in the Duckworth's hands. The Duckworths, who are living in camping trailers, are hoping for early revovation of the house and thank-ful of the Christmas spirit of their neighbors and fellow students.



PARKLAND IGLOO. James Denmark, 12, attempts to place a for sale sign in front of an igloo he and his brother Steve 18, constructed from weekend snow. Fully equipped with a color TV antenna and wall-to-wall snow, the pair quipped that the structure might help relieve the current housing shortage. James, who was the master planner, said the project took 5 hours to build. The brothers are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Denmark, 12115 Spanaway Loop Drive.

has also studied at the Uni- 5th Turn Lane versity of Washington.

Tennent has taught Mrs. school for 26 years. 17 of which have been in the FP district. She now works with special classes of handicapped children.

A graduate of Pacific Lutheran University, she has also done graduate work at Central Washington State College, University of Puget Sound and Pacific Lutheran University University.

Mrs. Tennent is a member of the National Education Association, Washington Education Association, Franklin Pierce Education Associa-tion, Council for Exceptional Children, Division of Mental Retardation, National Association for Retarded Chid-dren, Washington Associa-tion for Retarded Children Tacoma-Pierce County Asso-ciation for Retarded Children and the Pierce County Mental Retardation Coordination Council.

Also nominated for admin-istrator of the year were Lyle Catt, Clint Richardson, Robert Haglund, Leo Gaume and Les Stroaasli.

Other nominees for teacher of the year included Le-Roy Bendix, Dick De Jar-dine, June Walter, Eleanor Rygmyr, Bill Patton, Elizabeth Sullivan, Russ Fulker-son and Bruce Moeller.

PLU Registration

Advance registration for spring semester late after-noon and evening classes is underway at Pacific Lutheran University, Charles Nelson, university registrar, announced Wednesday.

To Be Advertised

Bid advertisements should be ready for January on Pa-cific Avenue's two-way left turn project with actual work starting next spring, Citate Depresentation Tod State Representative Ted Bottiger was advised in re-

sponse to an inquiry he made earlier. Final design work is now being completed and will be ready for forwarding to Headquarters in about two weeks. After a review and pre-advertising action, which normally requires 4-6 weeks, the project should be ready for advertising in the middle of January, 1969.

This project consists primarily of asphalt surfacing and because of adverse weather conditions this winter, it will very likely not be physically possible to per-form the paving until next

F.P. Starts Adult Ed

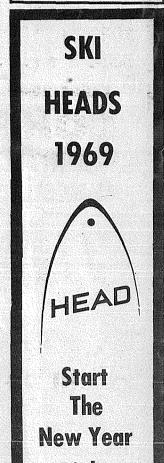
Session

High school classes for credit begin their second session Jan. 6 in the Franklin Pierce adult evening program. The classes are those

which are required before a person is considered qualified to receive a high school diploma. In addition, a basic education class for foreign born adults will also begin on that date.

Early Deadline Next Week **Because of New**

Year's Day, The **Times Journal Will** have a Monday deadline next week. **Delivery day will** remain Thursday.





EARCLE DUCKWORTH, Route 2, Box 2805, Spanaway, was visited by Santa's helpers in the form of Bethel Elementary and Junior High students last week who delivered cash and some 10 boxes of groceries. Thompson Elementary School children collected groceries, clothing, and gift items, and raised about \$70 cash. The Bethel Junior High student body turned a check for \$500 over to the Duckworths.

Has Daughter

Sandy Ingram

Sandy Ingram, Times Journal news editor and wife of Robert J. Ingram, 1017 South 113th, became a mother 10:30 a.m. December 21 at Madigan General Hospital

Mrs. Ingram is expected

to return to her position with the Journal sometime in February. In addition to the new daughter, the Ingrams have a 3 year old son Gary. The father is on duty with the Air Force at McChord AFB.

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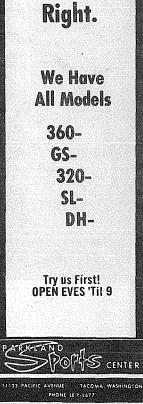
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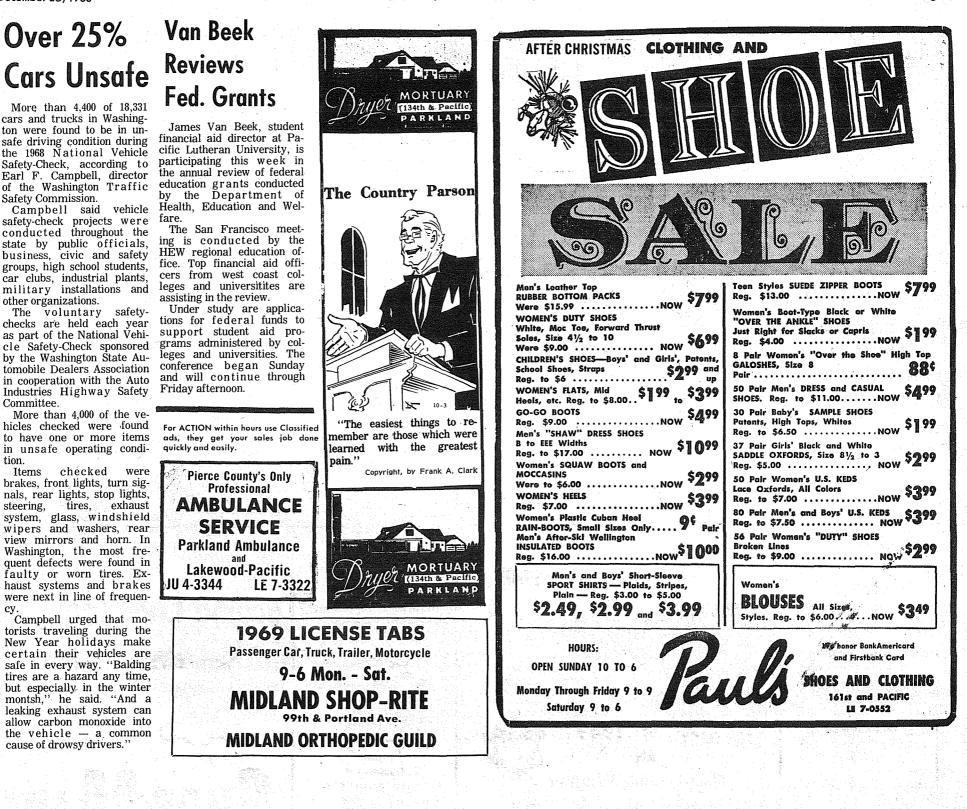
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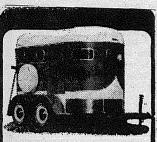
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Suggestions Parkland District families

who have relatives stationed in Vietnam were advised by the telephone company to-day to plan ahead if they wish to talk with loved ones during the approaching holiday season

'In most instances it is easier for a serviceman to call home than for his family to try reaching him in Vietnam," said Norm Olsen, Pacific Northwest Bell manager

More than 38,000 calls were completed between the U.S. and Vietnam last year, four and a half times as many as in 1965, he said. But most of the calls, he added, were completed from the Vietnam end, rather than from the U.S., because of the difficulty of locating servicemen when calls come

in from the states. "Every effort is made to locate the serviceman when a call is received in Saigon but it is much more practical for the serviceman to place the call on his own when he is able to do so, he said.

Travel restrictions and curfews imposed in Saigon

1969 Salmon **Regs Adopted**

Sport fishing regulations for 1969 have been adopted by the Washington State Department of Fisheries, Director Thor C. Tollefson announced today. Most of the changes from

1968 regulations are de-signed to provide more op-

in the past have complicated the task of locating servicemen, he explained. For this reason, he said that when a call is made to Vietnam, it is important for the caller to have the servicemaan's unit, his APO number, and, if possible, a telephone number where he can be reached.

The speed of handling a call to Vietnam depends on the volume of calls pending at the time and availability of the serviceman on the Vietnam end, he said. Calls originating in Vietnam, he added, are handled on a "first come, first served at the various telebasis phone centers established for servicemen.

portunity to catch hatchery produced salmon in freshwater, and to protect a Puget Sound pink (humpie) run that is expected to be critically low.

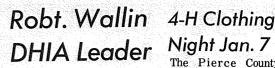
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Some of the new regulations are the direct result of suggestions made by the public at a hearing in Olym-pia last Saturday (December 14). These include the provision of more fishing area on the Green River in King County, a liberalized bag limit on the Puyallup River, and elimination of the weekly closure for personal use smelt jiggers in Puget Sound. Also a result of the public hearing, some areas of the Skagit River original-ly scheduled for complete closure will be closed for the taking of pink salmon

only Other liberalized regulations will open new areas of Cowlitz County's Green and Toutle rivers for taking hatchery-produced coho with single hooks only; and will expand fishing areas on the Cowlitz, Elokomin and Grays rivers and permit taking of jack chinook salmon from the Elokomin, Grays, Kalama and Toutle.

The Puget Sound pink run endangered by flooding of spawning areas in 1967 will be protected by improving temproary restrictions on the Dosewallips, Nooksack Skagit, Skykomish, Snohomish, Snoqalmie and Stilla-guamish rivers. The Dungeness, Elwha and Nisqually rivers and Morse Creek will be closed completely to salmon anglers

Other regulations will pro-hibit cutting off heads or tails of salmon where a size or weight limit is imposed and will move the 16-inch minimum size boundary ap proximately five miles west to Low Point at the mouth of the Lyre River.



The dairy herd of Robert Wallin, Orting, is the leader in the Pierce County DHIA summary for the month of November, announces Coun-ty Agent Eddie Thomason. Wallin's herd of 124 Holsteins averaged 1515 pounds of milk and 56 pounds of butterfat per cow.

Honor roll leaders for cows completing lactations in November are: 2 year old — No. 315, a grade Holstein, owned by Pete DeVries, Ort-

ing, with 14,409 pounds of milk and 633 pounds of but-terfat; 3 year old — Karen, a grade Hostein owned by Fred Krapf, Graham, with 20,810 pounds of milk and 885 pounds of milk and 885 pounds of butterfat; 4 year old — No. 7, a grade Holstein owned by Wilcox Farms, Roy with 22,505 pounds of milk and 851 pounds of butterfat; 5 to 10 year old — W. Bird, a grade Holstein, owned by James Hartley, Graham with 17,912 pounds of milk and 819 pounds of butterfat; and 10 years and over - No. 112, a registered Jersey owned by Cloverleaf Farms, Orting, with 13,060 pounds of milk and 670 pounds of butterfat.

Testing and calculation of records was supervised by Washington State University. Local supervisors are Roy Hartschorn, Orting, and Del-mar Price, Spanaway.

Night Jan. 7

The Pierce County 4-H Clothing Recognition Night will be held Tuesday, January 7, 1969, at 7:30 at the Public Utilities Auditorium. 4-H girls, their mothers and leaders are invited to attend.

The program will include a style show by all junior clothing members. Also modeling and the 1967 and 1968 trip winners to the State 4-H Conference in Pullman and the Washington State Fair in Puyallup.

REO Flag Presented

The Honorable Floyd B. Hicks presented an American flag to Mrs. Audrey L. Kirk, Executive Director of Rural Economic Opportunity, Inc.

It was at Congressman Hicks' request the flag was sent to him especially for R.E.O. Accompanying the flag at the presentation De-cember 6, 1968 was a certificate stating that this flag has been flown over the Capitol Building in Washington. D.C

Rural Economic Opportunity, Inc., commonly known as REO, is a delegate agency of Tacoma Pierce County Opportunity & Development, Inc., serving people in the rural and suburban areas.



Tacoma Livestock Market Report for Thursday, Dec. 19.

Due to the holidays and weather conditions we report a short sale - 274 Head of Cattle, 10 Hogs, 17 Sheep and 3 Horses. However we will continue with our regular weekly Thursday sale. Since the Market is holding steady a good sale is

Choice Veal up to	\$40.00 cwt
Good Steer Calves up to	28.50 cwt
Heavy Bulls	
Best Slaughter Cows	18.00-19.25 cwt
Heavy Hol. Steers	
Light Hol. Steers	
Hol. Feeder Calves	90.00.94.00

All Dairy Cows and Heifers selling good. One special consignment this Thursday of Hol. Heifers (both open and Springers). This Sunday, Dec. 29th we will hold our monthly Horse Sale. Monday Jan-uary 13-1969 we will hold our monthly Dairy Sale. We look for a good consignment of Dairy Cattle for 2 Box 2330, Spanaway, Wash. Phone: VI 7-7567 or VI 7-7518.



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John Ericksen **Campus Editor** Announced

John Ericksen, a junior from Issaquah, has been named editor of the Pa-cific Lutheran University campus newspaper, the Mooring Mast.

Ericksen was selected by the university publica-tions board to serve during the spring and fall semesters of 1969. He succeeds the current editor, Tom Stuen of Seattle.

A history major at PLU, Ericksen attended high school in Longview. Last year he was presi-dent of the Intercollegiate

Knights and a member of the Student Congregation Church Council. He has served as vice president and public relations representative for the university chapter of the Young Republicans.

Parkland Library Hours. Changed

A few changes are on the calendar for the Parkland branch of Pierce County Public Library.

Beginning January 1, the library will be open on Mondays continuously from 1:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. Other hours will re-main cafellows: Tuesday main as follows: Tuesday through Friday, 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. with added Wednesday evening hours of 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Mrs. Dean Hampton, ref-erence librarian from Pierce County Library headquarters, will be in the library Monday eve-nings to answer reference questions and give other professional library service to patrons.

On January 10, Mrs. William O'Malley will retire as library branch as-sistant. She has been with the Parkland Library more than seven years.

Mrs. Lee H. Reeves will be assisting in the library after the first of the year and will become the new branch assistant. A resi-dent of Spanaway, Mrs. Reeves has worked the past three years in the library of Pacific Lutheran University.









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