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Offers for
Refugee

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At least four men have proposed marriage to Vu Thi Lan, a 24-year-old South Vietnamese refugee who arrived here six days ago only to discover her GI husband had remarried without benefit of divorce, it was disclosed yesterday.

"She's gotten three marriage proposals in the mail and one over the phone from somewhere in Indiana," police Sergeant Joseph Friedman, head of the city's youth aide bureau, said.

He declined to identify the suitors.

Although telephone calls from throughout Maine have flooded the youth bureau from people wanting to help Lan, Friedman said she's determined to make it on her own.

Lan brought two children, Lisa, 6, who she said was fathered by her husband, Michael Green, and David, 2, her nephew.

Penobscot county district attorney David Cox says he will present evidence to the next session of the grand jury that Green committed bigamy.

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