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ONE MAN ARMY



—CHICAGO, ILL.—Captain Arthur W. Wernuth, 28 of Chicago, was credited as being a veritable one man army, according to reports sent out by General Douglas MacArthur from the Bataan Peninsula battle front. Young Wernuth killed some 116 Japs and captured a number of others. Wernuth has won the silver star for gallantry, the distinguished service cross for extraordinary heroism, and the purple heart with two clasps. Wernuth is a graduate of the Northwestern Military Academy in Lake Geneva, Wisconsin. This is an official signal corps photo, which was made in Manila late in 1941.

GARDEN CLUB WILL SEND SHRUBBERY TO WICHITA ARMY CAMP

A shipment of shrubbery to beautify the grounds at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, is scheduled for Thursday, Feb. 26th, under the supervision of the defense committee of the Civic League and Garden Club. It was announced at the meeting of the organization last Friday.

Defense committees of Garden Clubs throughout the nation are taking part in this activity, helping to beautify camp grounds, particularly at newly established posts and stations.

The Garden club ladies are appealing to all citizens of the community to help in this project. Plants suitable for this purpose, as announced at the meeting, are all types of evergreens, bulbs, rosebushes, chrysanthemums, daisies, etc.

Fire Department Is Doubling Crew and Instructing Members

The local volunteer fire department engaged in two hours of drilling and practice Monday evening, acquainting the new members with their duties and designating them to special positions. Five more men, Paul Tempel, L. A. Bernauer, Roy Endres, Jr., Paul Niehall and J. P. Flusche were enrolled as members.

As explained by Fire Chief Henry Luko, all volunteer departments must double their crew for the duration of the present national emergency. Muenster's crew formerly consisted of twenty men, now it must have forty. At present there are 33 members, leaving openings for seven more.

Garden Club To Send Candy and Cookies To Soldier Boys Saturday

Sheppard Field soldiers will be treated to home made candy and cookies on Washington's birthday, next Sunday, through the courtesy of the Muenster Civic League and Garden Club, members decided during their monthly meeting last Friday.

Mrs. Jim Cook, chairman of the defense committee of the organization, is in charge of the details. Members are contributing to the box of sweets, and an invitation is extended to other local residents to swell the contents. Anyone wishing to include cookies or candies in the shipment is asked to leave them at Mrs. Cook's home on Friday afternoon, or Saturday morning, not later than 9 o'clock. The box of goodies will leave on the noon train.

GERMAN BATTLESHIPS ESCAPE



Interscholastic League Events Off For War's Duration

Annual Cooke County Interscholastic League literary and athletic events have been called off for the duration of the war, it was announced Saturday by A. E. Mullendore of Valley View, league director.

Action was taken on a mail vote of the 25 member schools. Twenty-one voted to suspend the annual meet for the duration of the war, one school voted against suspension, and three did not vote.

The executive committee of the league, meeting February 4, brought up the question of suspending the annual meets for the war's duration in order to conserve tires of school buses and private automobiles used to bring students to Gainesville for the meet.

Only events which will be continued until concluded are the Class B basketball games, the tournament already being in progress at the time of the decision to suspend activities.

AVIATOR'S STUNTS DRAW ATTENTION TO MARYSVILLE FIRE

Citizens of Marysville have an unknown army fire to thank for preventing a costly fire in that community last Wednesday.

The aviator, on a practice flight, noticed the roof of the Marysville post office was on fire and that the blaze apparently had not been discovered by the citizens.

He began circling the building, but since Marysville citizens are accustomed to fliers over the community nowadays, they paid very little attention. However, when he began power dives at the post office building, residents flocked out of their homes in large numbers, discovered the blaze, and got it under control before serious damage was done.

REFINERY REELECTS OFFICERS FOR 1942

Stockholders of Muenster's Refinery, Inc., held their annual meeting last Wednesday, heard a report of the past year's business and re-elected directors for another year.

Directors elected are J. W. Hess, president; Dr. T. S. Myrick, vice-president; J. M. Weinzapfel, secretary-treasurer; Herbert Meurer, J. R. Dangelmayr, John Kreitz and G. H. Hellman.

Traditional Ceremony Ushers In Lenten Season

The traditional sprinkling of ashes ceremony took place here Wednesday to formally usher in the season of Lent. This service was held after 9 o'clock mass, in the afternoon at 4:30 and again in the evening following rosary devotions.

Although the day is not listed as a holy day several hundred persons were in attendance at the service in spite of the very cold weather.

Practicing fire prevention is an act of patriotism.

Patriotic Rally And Parade Staged By Parochial Students

Three Defense Bonds Purchased By Pupils Of Eighth Grade

Parochial school children, all 365 of them, took part last Thursday afternoon in a parade and patriotic rally which was highlighted with the purchase of a one hundred dollar defense bond and two twenty-five dollar bonds.

Money for the purchase of the bonds was raised in a two-week drive by pupils of the eighth grade. The bonds were made payable to the new church building fund.

Miss Laura Lee Wilde was acclaimed the winner in the contest, having collected the most money, and was the recipient of a friendship quilt made by classmates.

The parade and pageant, under the direction of Sister M. Lucy, grade school principal, included three floats, flags, and the marching children. Prominently displayed was the Muenster service flag with its 57 stars for the boys in service, and its one gold star for Ensign Robert Weinzapfel, who gave his life in the performance of his duty, shortly after the Pearl Harbor attack.

The flag was made and the floats decorated by the Civic League and Garden Club under the supervision of Mrs. Joe Lukt, president, and the flag has been presented by this organization to the community.

An estimated 200 citizens viewed the parade as it came down Main street, crossed the highway, and continued back to school on Oak street.

Mayor Ben Seyler and the city council cooperated by stopping traffic on the route and later expressed their thanks to all who participated in this event, which was termed as one of the outstanding patriotic rallies of the community.

The three floats were symbolic in their meaning. The first, entitled "For God and Country," carried Miss Defense, two Red Cross nurses, Uncle Sam, a soldier and a sailor. The second displayed the service flag and a gold star mother being consoled by an angel while numerous small cherubs wove her prayers into a garland of flowers. The third float depicted a scene after the present war with Miss Columbia ironing out a map of the world.

Principal characters included: Mary Nell Hennigan, Miss Defense; Tony Mae Friske, Marie Ann Endres and Alma Maria Luke, Red Cross nurses; Alphonse Koester, Uncle Sam; Laura Lee Wilde, Gold Star mother; Lillian Wimmer, consoling angel; Florence Haverkamp and Anna Marie Schilling, bearers of Service Flag; Wilfred Bindel, bearer of United States Flag; Norbert Rohmer, bearer of Texas Flag; Dennis Walterscheid, sailor; Werner Henschel, soldier; Evelyn Wiesman, Miss Columbia; Donald Endres, Japan; David Lehnertz, Hitler; Harold Luke, Mussolini; Norbert Mages and Paul Sicking, guards of honor; Banners, scrolls, mottoes and emblems were carried by a dozen students and the school orchestra occupied a truck, playing patriotic selections during the parade.

98 MEN REGISTER HERE MONDAY FOR MILITARY SERVICE

A total of 98 men from Muenster registered under the selective service act here Monday. The draft called for registration of men between the ages of 20 and 45 who had not previously registered. Of Muenster's group 25 were boys and 73 were older men.

William Hellman was chairman and the Knights of Columbus hall was the place for signing up. Several more names are expected to be added to the local list representing men who were not at home on the day and who registered elsewhere.

Registration cards for 1,144 men had been received at the selective service office in Gainesville Tuesday at noon from 17 of the voting precincts in the county, indicating that the total would probably fall short of the predicted registration of 1,800 men in the county.

Public School Has Classes on Saturday

Muenster Public School children are now attending classes on Saturdays. By using the extra day each week for teaching, Principal Virgil Lee Welch stated that school can be dismissed two weeks early in May, permitting students to go to work on the farms.

Schools throughout the county are discussing this measure and in all probability most of them will add the extra day. Muenster's parish school may also adopt this measure, it was stated.

Muenster Exceeds Red Cross Quota

Scrap Iron Nets \$170.92; Parochial Collection Totals \$39.62

Muenster exceeded its Red Cross war relief drive quota by \$159, it was revealed Wednesday when the scrap iron heap was sold and figures were tallied. This community's contributions totaled \$459.09; its quota had been set at \$300.

The scrap iron, sold to the highest competitive bidder, brought the sum of \$170.92. G. H. Hellman, disclosed after the transaction Wednesday morning. Of this amount the scrap collected by parochial students netted \$39.62.

Collections by Mesdames Jim Cook and G. H. Hellman amounted to \$288.17. One late contribution, not yet acknowledged, was a dollar by Adolph Walterscheid.

Leaders of the drive this week expressed thanks to local citizens for their cooperation and cheerful subscription. A special word of thanks is also due the solicitors, the parochial pupils, and Woody Chapman who originated the idea of collecting the scrap metal.

Muenster's enviable record in regard to Red Cross responses has been carried through another campaign. Every quota has been over-subscribed. In this drive, as in those of the past, Muenster citizens were eager to do their part.

MUENSTER DONATES 81 VOLUMES IN VICTORY BOOK DRIVE

To date, Muenster's Victory Book Drive has netted 81 volumes, including both fiction and technical works. Mrs. Jim Cook, chairman of the defense committee of the Civic League and Garden Club, disclosed Tuesday.

Mrs. Cook and her committee assistants, Mesdames Tony Gremminger, E. O. Teague, Joe Luke, Frank Kaiser and Miss Olivia Stock, made house-to-house visits to collect these books which have been taken to the collection headquarters at Gainesville from whence they will find their ways to soldiers, sailors and marines in service clubs, barracks, posts and ships.

Approximately twenty more volumes are on hand, being mended, and these with others will be added to Muenster's collection within the next week, it was disclosed. House-to-house visits were made only in the city limits. Persons residing outside the city limits are asked to bring their books to Mrs. Cook's home or to the Enterprise office.

J. P. FLUSCHE WILL BUY JUNK METAL IN CURRENT DRIVE

J. P. Flusche will receive oil scrap metal here in Muenster, paying prices in line with rates suggested by the OPA on Feb. 2, he disclosed Wednesday. He is prepared to handle the scrap from fields at Muenster, Bulcher and the western part of Cooke county and that section north of Saint Jo.

Oil companies or other persons having discarded and useless junk are reminded that they are not being asked to contribute same. They will receive cash for such junk.

The main idea is to get as much of this material as possible in the hands of junk dealers at the earliest possible hour, so that it may be shipped to foundries for manufacture into new oil field equipment.

The drive is to start on Feb. 22, to continue one week, and it is hoped that several carloads of junk metal and rubber will be gathered from oil fields and sold either here at Muenster or at Gainesville where the Eastern Iron and Metal company receives the scrap.

Charles Shinn of Gainesville is county chairman for the campaign.

Two More Muenster Boys Are Inducted This Week

Muenster has two more youths joining the armed forces in the call on Thursday of this week. They are Raymond Lutkenhaus and Gus Lutkenhaus.

On Monday eight boys from this community went to Dallas to take physical exams along with 64 other young men from Cooke county. Muenster's group was composed of Henry Edwards and John Pauter, Edwin Luke, Earl and Pat Fisher, Bill Wolf and Bill Knabe.

Tony Walterscheid is recovering normally after having his tonsils removed Tuesday.

FOR DEFENSE



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LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Short Items of Interest About Folks You Know
ROSABELL DRIEVER, Society Editor

Pvt. George Dowell of Sheppard Field was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bratcher.

Ben Hellman is improved but still confined to bed following a heart attack last Thursday morning.

Mrs. Katie Martini returned to her home in Windthorst Monday after a week's visit with her brother, F. J. Schenk and wife.

Little Alma Hennigan was back in school Monday after missing most of last week on account of an attack of influenza.

A recent improvement at the cheese plant is a new tempered masonite roof over the make room.

Mrs. J. P. Fisch was quite ill Tuesday morning, but has rallied, and is up and about the house again.

Mrs. Frank Seyler spent last week in bed suffering from influenza. She is up and around this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Walterscheid and children, Dorothy and Mary Catherine, spent Saturday in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Frost have gone to Port Lavaca to spend several weeks while he is employed there.

Mrs. Gus Stelzer is reported improving following an illness that sent her to bed last Thursday. She was seriously ill Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Schoech accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Pat Keogh, were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alain Cler at Valley View.

The Mission Sewing Circle spent Thursday afternoon engaging in quilting and sewing for the missions. It was a regular monthly meeting attended by 20 members.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Endres entertained with a goose dinner Sunday for members of the Hartman family. A series of card games followed the meal.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Muerer, J. M. Weinzapfel and Earl Fisher attended a district banker's meeting and banquet in Dallas Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schilling and daughter, Virginia, Miss Evelyn Swingler, Andrew, Albert and Arnold Schilling spent Sunday at Camp Wolters visiting Pvt. Carl Schilling.

Pvts. Gus Fleitman and Adolph Knabe were here for a weekend furlough to visit their parents. This week they were transferred from Camp Bowie to a camp in Florida.

Frank Yosten and daughters, Misses Josephine and Veronica, and son, Henry, accompanied by Miss Harriette Schoech, visited at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, Sunday with Pvt. Ferd Yosten.

Mrs. Herman Fette was honored

with a shower last Thursday afternoon at the Sullivant home in Gainesville. Guests from this city attending were Mrs. John Fette and Mrs. Ben Seyler.

Mrs. Ben Seyler, Mrs. Herbert Meurer and Miss Olivia Stock attended a silver tea given at Nocona by the Maids' and Matrons' Club of that city. They also visited with Miss Enid Justin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mosman and little son were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mosman at Lindsay Sunday. John's parents entertained with a birthday dinner in his honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Fette returned to Flora, Ill., Sunday after a visit here. They were accompanied by her sister, Miss Virginia Gehrig of Fort Worth, who will spend a month with them and then enlist in the War Nurses Corps.

Mrs. Walter Klement and infant daughter, Jeanette, were moved from a Gainesville hospital to their home Sunday. The baby was born Feb. 10. She and her mother, the former Miss Eleanor Henschel, are both "doing fine."

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Moore of Forest City, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Sid Koblitz of St. Jo, Mo., and Mrs. Ed Koelzer of Seneca, Kansas, have returned to their homes after visiting here several days last week with relatives of the Hoeng, Koelzer and Flusche families.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Keogh returned to their home in Springfield, Mo., Saturday after a week's visit here with relatives of the Trachta families. They also visited in Gainesville with Messrs. and Mesdames Joe Walter and Paul Endres during the week.

Two babies, both girls, were born at the Muenster clinic on Valentine Day. The proud parents are Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson of Gainesville and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Buckner of Saint Jo. Mrs. Wilson is remembered here as the former Miss Maureen Blakey.

Mr. and Mrs. Alois Wiesman and Miss Harriette Schoech made a business trip to Wichita Falls Monday and also stopped by Sheppard Field for a visit with Pvt. Ferd Yosten. Ferd stated that he expects to be moved to "parts unknown" the latter part of this week.

Pvt. Walter Becker of Camp Wolters was the Sunday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Becker, and other relatives and friends. His brother, Vincent, accompanied by Henry Koehler, went to camp for him Sunday morning and in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Koehler drove him back.

Pvts. Ray Fuhrmann and Volly Fuhrmann spent Sunday here and at Lindsay with relatives and friends. They were driven back to camp at Mineral Wells in the evening by Mr. and Mrs. John Wierler, Miss Dorothy Trachta, Joe Trachta and Miss Isabel Walter.

TWO 4-H CLUB GIRLS AWARDED MEDALS FOR COMPLETION OF GOAL

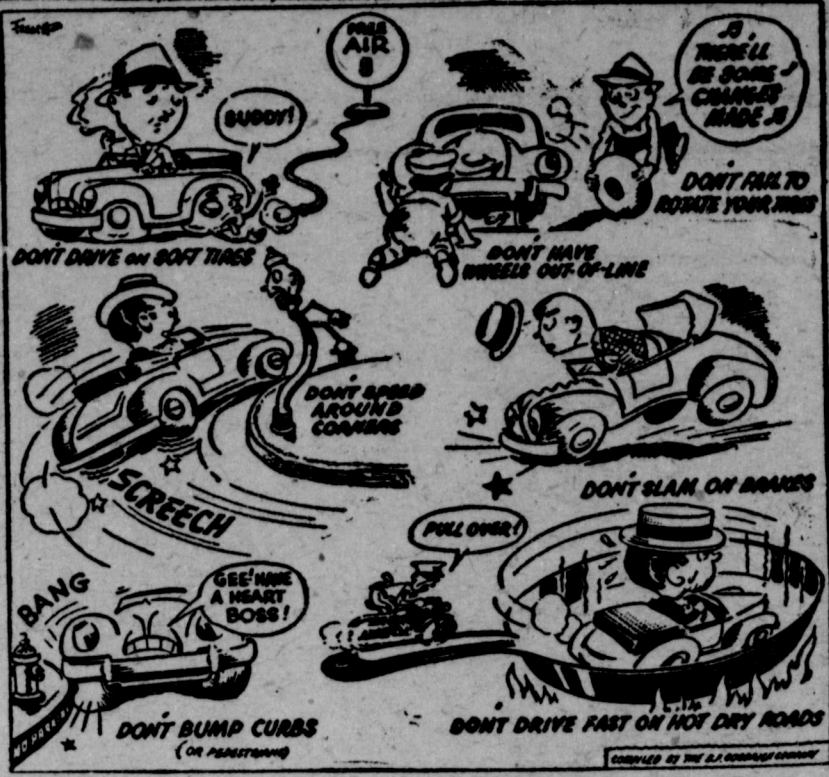
Two local 4-H Club girls, Tony Mae Friske and Emma Felderhoff, have been awarded medals for the completion of their goals in 1941. The attractive gold pins were presented by Miss Nette Shultz, county agent, at a meeting of the club on the 9th. Other members are working to finish their projects but these two girls are the first to reach their goals since the organization of the club.

During the meeting Miss Shultz addressed the girls telling them that everyone has a job to do for defense. She urged them to save scrap iron and waste paper and told them to plant an abundance of food-stuff in their gardens this spring. She exhibited a coverette and an apron suitable for wear when gardening and left the patterns for members to use.

The club inspected the frame garden that froze during the cold weather last month and prepared ground for replanting.

A social hour of games, directed by Terese Walter and Rosalie Miller, followed the business session.

SAVE YOUR TIRES



PVT. GUS FLEITMAN HAS PARTY; IS TRANSFERRED

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fleitman were hosts at a 7 o'clock supper party in their home Friday commemorating their son, Pvt. Gus Fleitman, who had a short furlough to spend with his family before being transferred from Camp Bowie to a camp in Florida.

Following the meal, for which members of the family were guests, Miss Elizabeth Fleitman entertained with a Valentine party. Personnel of the affair included brothers and sisters of the honoree with their families, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walterscheid, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fleitman and daughter, Miss Irene, and Miss Margaret Pittner of Gainesville.

After the party Pvt. Gus, accompanied by Tony and Miss Elizabeth Fleitman and Miss Pittner, returned to Camp Bowie where Pvt. Fleitman made final arrangements before leaving for Florida. The Muensterites and Miss Pittner spent Saturday in Brownwood and returned via Mineral Wells where they visited friends at Camp Wolters.

MICHAEL DRIEVER HAS PARTY ON 9TH BIRTHDAY

Michael Driever observed his 9th birthday on Feb. 14th, with a party in the afternoon for which classmates of the third grade were guests.

Games and contests furnished diversion for the youngsters with prizes going to Johnny Fisher, Margie Lee Kathman and Therese Hennigan. The guests remembered the honoree with birthday gifts.

The honor guest's mother, Mrs. Rosa Driever, assisted in directing games and served refreshments to the nine little boys and girls. The refreshment table was centered with a large heart-shaped cake, and places were marked with Valentines. Favors were small baskets filled with heart candy.

SCHOOLMATE PARTY GIVEN AT HENNIGAN HOME FRIDAY

Frank and Miss Rose Hennigan entertained Friday evening in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hennigan, with a pre-Lenten party for schoolmates.

MRS. FRANK WALTERSCHEID IS CDA HOSTESS MONDAY

Mrs. Frank Walterscheid, entertaining in the home of her sister, Mrs. Al Walterscheid, was hostess to the Catholic Daughters of America at their regular monthly social Monday evening.

Progressive 42 series were enjoyed with Mrs. Joe Luke scoring high and Mrs. J. B. Wilde low. The

AKRON, OHIO.—With total war here with its attendant restrictions and rationing of automobile tires, every automobile driver is vitally concerned with conserving the tires he now has on his automobile.

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Attractive refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Mildred Walterscheid, to sixteen members and two guests, Mesdames C. M. Walterscheid and Clarence Wilson.

MRS. ENDRES IS HOSTESS TO GET-TOGETHER CLUB

Mrs. M. J. Endres entertained the Get-Together club in her home Tuesday afternoon as a pre-Lenten courtesy. Four tables were arranged for progressive 42 series in which Mrs. J. B. Wilde scored high and Mrs. John Kathman low. The galloping prize was won by Mrs. Clarence Wilson.

MISSOURI VISITORS ARE HONOREES AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Walterscheid entertained with a turkey dinner in their home last Wednesday honoring Mr. and Mrs. Pat Keogh of Springfield, Mo., who visited relatives here.

AL SWIRCZYNSKI JOINS CHEESE PLANT PERSONNEL

Al Swirczynski of Dallas joined the personnel of the local cheese plant Monday as maintainer, replacing John Luke, who left for San Diego, Calif., to be employed in an aircraft factory.

Swirczynski, a native of this community, spent the past twelve years in Dallas where he was a mechanic, connected with an electric refrigerator company, on installing and repairing refrigerators.

Mr. and Mrs. Swirczynski and their two children moved to Muenster Tuesday. They are occupying the L. W. Flusche house on North Oak street.

A woman's maiden aim is to change her maiden name.

FOOD-FOR-FREEDOM CAMPAIGN EXPLAINED IN OPEN MEETING

To familiarize local farmers and homemakers with their volunteer tasks in the current food-for-freedom campaign a meeting was held in the parish hall last Wednesday evening with Floyd Jones, county supervisor of the Farm Security administration as principal speaker. G. H. Hellman was chairman of the meeting and after a few explanatory remarks introduced Mr. Jones.

Jones explained the current food-for-freedom campaign stressing particularly the increased production of milk and eggs, which, he added, Muenster has already done, the increased planting of staples, especially potatoes, and the canning of more fruits and vegetables.

School Children Have War Assignment; Will Build Model Airplanes

AUSTIN, February 16.—Texas school children today received an important war assignment—the construction of 20,000 model aircraft for use of military forces and civilian defense.

Dr. L. A. Woods, State Superintendent of Schools, said the request came from the Navy Bureau of Aeronautics through the U. S. Office of Education, with notation that the planes be built to scale in order to make them adaptable for such military training purposes as recognition, range estimation, and determination of cones of fire.

The project involves the construction of approximately 50 types of planes, including those of the United Nations and of the Axis countries. The models are to be constructed according to plans and specifications to be furnished by the Bureau of Aeronautics.

The smallest model will have a wing span of 5 1-2 inches, the largest 25 inches, while the majority of the models will have less than a 12-inch wing span. Models will be constructed of wood such as white pine, poplar and bass.

In order to complete the job with the greatest speed possible, and in order that the largest number of individuals may have a part in the program Woods said an effort would be made to see that students in all public and private high schools and vocational schools have an opportunity to participate. He said Texas has more than 350 public schools with shop facilities, and in addition to these schools, clubs and service organizations interested in being of assistance should contact the State Department of Education in Austin.

1941 Champions To Be Featured at Stock Show; Many Slated For Army

FORT WORTH, Feb. 18.—All the 1941 champions will be back in Fort Worth March 13-22 to compete in the rodeo at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, Verne Elliott, rodeo manager, said today.

But it may be the last rodeo for the duration of the war for Homer Pettigrew of Grady, N. M., the world's champion cowboy for 1941. Pettigrew, 26, will take his physical examination for army service within 30 days and expects to be called for duty soon after the Fort Worth show. Other contestants are expected to be in the armed forces before long.

Pettigrew, least superstitious of all the cowboys, won his title by scoring the most points in 25 rodeos. Last year he made rodeos in all the 48 states except Maine, where it seems, they don't have rodeos.

JACK NEEDHAM PROMOTED

Jack Needham, son of Mrs. Ruth Needham of Myra, was promoted to the rank of sergeant on his 20th birthday, February 2, relatives here have been advised. Sgt. Needham is with the Air Corps in Tampa, Florida.

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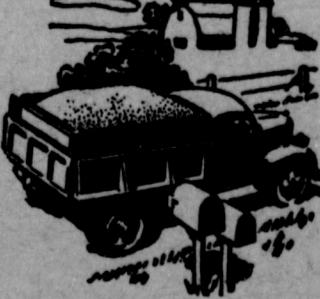
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It Happened 5 Years Ago

Taken from the Enterprise of February 19, 1935

Mike Kleiss, 59, dies after 8-months illness of throat infection.

Sumacs beat Valley View for Class B honors then defeat Gainesville Leopards for county championship.

Sumacs enter district meet at Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel is elected new president of St. Anne's Society.

F. M. A. directors vote to beautify grounds around cheese plant.

Miss Alvina Fette is chosen new president of Young Ladies' Sodality.

C. K. Walsh of Wichita Falls, State Deputy for Knights of Columbus, speaks here to record crowd.

Knights to construct sidewalks around hall.

Adult Health Class, sponsored by Get-Together club, has first meeting in Dr. Myrick's office.

FMA retains officers at annual meeting.

Neal Fisher recovering from flu.

J. P. Flach home from Dallas hospital to observe 55th wedding anniversary.

Sister Agnes goes to Rhineland for health.

FARMERS URGED TO REPAIR MACHINERY

Repair of farm machinery now is one more step toward a solid farm front, Mr. J. T. Biffle, chairman of the Cooke County USDA War Board, said this week.

"Food is just as important in total war as tanks, guns, planes, and ships, and delivering the goods is our pledge to help whip Hitler, the Japs and the Italians," the chairman said.

In connection with the farm machinery repair program in Cooke County, Mr. Biffle outlined three reasons why immediate action is important:

- (1) farmers are being called upon to produce more food than ever before;
- (2) expected shortage of farm labor means more farm work with machines;
- (3) manufacture of new farm machinery has been restricted by need for critical materials in war industries.

Reconditioning every available piece of farm machinery, and ordering all repair parts during the present slack period, will off-set shortage of labor and machinery later, Mr. Biffle said.

WOMEN'S STYLES TO BE "SLIM AND SHORT" TO SAVE MATERIAL

Women's styles probably will be altered by the need to conserve all kinds of cloth, and the chances are we're to have a period of slim silhouettes and short skirts. However, it looks as though the foundations are safe.

WFB's rubber branch is going to make a limited amount of crude rubber available for foundation garments such as girdles and corsets. Manufacturers, of course, will be expected to conserve by design changes and partial substitutions.

As for coats and dresses, members of the women's cost and suit industry have assured WFB that women will be well-styled and warmly clad, "whatever amount of wool the government gives us."

The plan is to blend used and reworked wool with cotton, rayon and virgin wool. There'll be more rayon stockings. Silk stockings are virtually used up and most of the nylon supply will soon be needed for military purposes.

BOYS IN SERVICE "URGED" TO WRITE TO FOLKS AT HOME

Sheppard Field, Texas, Feb. 9.—M. Sgt. Robert E. Goggan, sergeant major of the replacement center at Sheppard Field, Texas, site of the world's largest Air Corps Technical School, apparently has solved the problem of cadets who are slow in writing letters to the folks back home.

Whenever Sgt. Goggan receives a letter complaining that a cadet has not written home for some time, he summons the forgetful writer, tells him to write immediately and give the letter, finished, back to the sergeant for sealing and posting.

In extreme cases, the writer is forced to sit down in the replacement center office and told not to leave until he has finished a lengthy letter.

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THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE



THEY'RE SHORT— BUT RARIN' TO GO

Sheppard Field, Texas.—They come in all sizes to Sheppard Field, Texas, site of the world's largest aviation mechanics training school. Last week, two rookies arrived, and now this Post probably has two of the shortest men in the service.

They are Pvt. Martin J. Kodash, 22, of Schaeffers Hill, Minersville, Pa., who is just 4 10 3-4, weighing 115 pounds. Kodash wants to be an aerial gunner. The other, Pvt. Hubert Overall, Jr., 20, of Orlando, Fla., 4 11 1/2, and weighing but 102 pounds, had to secure a waiver from the government before he was accepted.

Committees Formed By Oil Men To Collect Scrap Metals, Rubber

Charles Shinn of Gainesville was today appointed chairman of the Cooke County Committee for the collection of scrap metal and rubber of the Texas petroleum industry.

The appointment was made by Charles F. Roeser of Fort Worth, general chairman of the oil and gas industry's collection campaign and also general chairman of District 3 for the Office of Petroleum Co-Ordinator for National Defense. The drive to recover for reuse all the old metal and rubber at oil leases, yards, plants and the like, is being organized by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association at the request of the Federal Government.

The collection center for this county will be Gainesville where Mr. Shinn will select a collection lot where the scrap will be piled awaiting shipment. At the special request of the government, the scrap will NOT be given away but purchased at prices set by the Office of Price Administration. Also at Federal request, it will be handled through regular scrap buyers who are expected to get it back to mills for re-melting as soon as possible to alleviate the present national shortages.

A number of local petroleum industry leaders are being named on the State collection committees. These men will serve in this county to collect all scrap here, and also co-operate with county chairmen in

all other areas where they operate to have the scrap collected there. Thus the collection drive will be made Statewide to reclaim for use the thousands of tons of old iron, steel, aluminum and rubber no longer usable by the operators. Much of the scrap metal will move back to mills making new oil field goods, helping the oil industry to meet the greatly increased demands being made upon it by the victory program.

"I feel sure the oil and gas operators of our county are as patriotic as any in the industry," said Mr. Shinn. "We are expecting 100 per cent co-operation in collecting the scrap which our Nation so vitally needs."

Bits o' Fun

"Nora, you've left your fingerprints on nearly every plate."

"Well, ma'am, it shows I ain't got a guilty conscience, anyway."

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to treat those he's got now."

"Well, in any case, I'll always be a brother to you."

"If I had any use for a brother I could reach under the sofa and get one now."

"Why do you prefer Wagner?"

"Because he composes about the only kind of music one can hear above the conversation."

Did you tell her, when you proposed to her, that you were unworthy of her? That always makes a hit.

I was going to, but she told me first.

Sandy: "I want a cheap coat-hanger." Clerk: "Yes, sir. Five cents."

Sandy: "Five cents? Is there nothing cheaper?" Clerk: "Yes, sir. A nail."

The girl about to travel alone was warned about talking to strange men. At the station the conductor asked:

"Where are you going?"

"To Detroit," she answered, so he put her on the Detroit train.

As the train pulled out she looked out and said: "Ha, ha! I fooled him that time. I'm going to Chicago."

Mrs.: "I can't think, for the life of me, John, where that boy of ours gets his temper. They can't say it was from me."

Mr.: "They certainly can't, my dear—you've still got yours."

Night Watchman: "Here, what are you doing to that door?"

Burglar: "It's like this. I found a door key and I'm testing the doors because I want to return the key to the rightful owner."

"Oh, I'm so glad to get my feet on vice-versa again," said the lady as the airplane landed.

"My dear," said her friend patiently, "you don't mean vice-versa, you mean terra-cotta."

Doctor: "You'll do now, sir. Your leg's still swollen, but I won't worry about that."

Patient: "No, and if your leg was swollen, I wouldn't worry about

that, either."

"I want to get into some business where I am sure to get a foothold."

"That's easy—be a chiroprapist."

Momma: "Did you change the sheets?"

New Hired Girl: "Nope, they ain't worn out yet."

Small in size and unshaven of face, the man entered the labor exchange to register in his age group.

"House-painter, I suppose?" said the clerk, eying his paint-splashed overalls.

"No," said the little man. "I'm a

dictator; but it's taking me a little while to work my way up."

Hotel Clerk—"How did you get here?"

Cowboy—"Just blew in with a load of cattle."

Hotel Clerk—"Where's the rest of them?"

Cowboy—"Down in the yards, I ain't as particular as they are."

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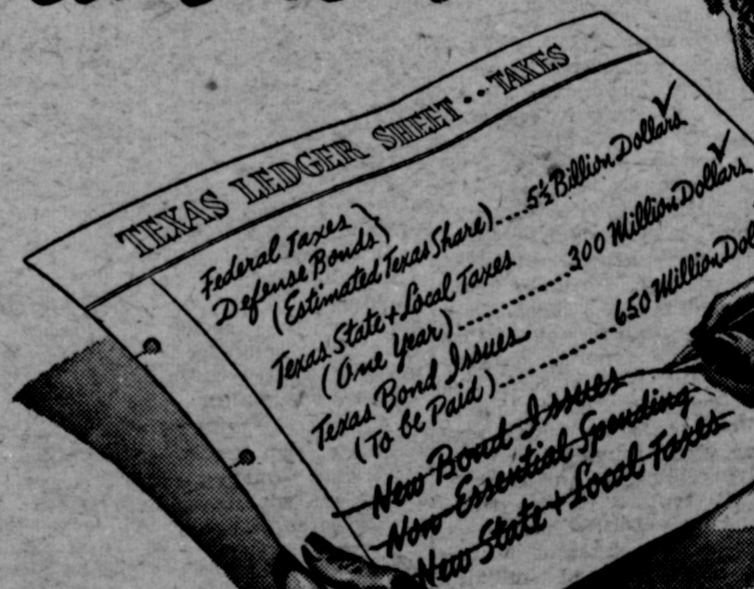
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HABITS THAT MUST BE CHANGED

Problems which motorists face at this time can be met by giving some heed to one concise bit of advice — drive more slowly, the Wichita Daily Times commented editorially in regard to tire rationing and the ban on sales of new cars.

"That advice has been dinned in our ears for a long time in connection with the traffic safety problem. We have not heeded it. Now we are under the compulsion of heeding it, not as a means of safety, but as a measure necessary to continued operation of our cars.

"Moderate speeds—under 40 miles an hour—prolong the life of motors and tires, delay the day when replacements are necessary, make for economy of fuel and lubricants. Relatively few motorists realize that depreciation is progressively increased as speed is increased, that a car lasts longer, uses less gasoline and oil, when it is driven at 35 to 40 miles an hour instead of 60 or faster.

"If we train our minds and adjust our habits to slower driving, we shall presently realize that we formerly did much hurrying for which there was no need. It will take two or three minutes longer to reach one's place of work in the morning; most of us will find that the time we thought we saved by needless hurrying meant little, after all. We shall learn in dozens of little ways that we haven't very much use for the seconds, the quarter-minutes, that we have persisted in gaining by rapid driving.

"The sooner we develop the new state of mind that the war demands of us in this respect, the easier it will be. It should not be necessary to take the step which is already being urged and install mechanical restraints upon car speeds. One's own selfishness, one's own desire to keep his car road-worthy, should be sufficient incentive. It will be difficult for a while to make ourselves ask the all-important question — why am I hurrying? — because all of our habit and training operate against it. But it will not be difficult very long. We shall find soon that restricted speed isn't as uncomfortable as we once thought."

Economic Highlights

Few men have any precise knowledge of the extent of American arms production today. And none can or will describe it except in general terms. Facts and figures which could be of any service whatsoever to the enemy are not released or published. It is to the credit of the American press that it has accepted and made workable a "voluntary censorship" system which keeps the American people the best informed in the world, and still makes public nothing which could be used to advantage by the intelligence and espionage services of the Axis powers.

But non-statistical reports are being printed, written by men who have been permitted to see what industry is doing for the war effort. At long last, those reports are becoming encouraging. This country is, of course, still far away from the goal of maximum war production. But it is approaching that goal and in some instances schedules are being exceeded. Industry, big and little, is making the complex change from peace-production to war-production with far greater celerity and economy of motion than many expected. And in Washington, Defense Head Donald Nelson is making use of the unprecedented powers recently given him to weed out bureau heads and employees who threatened to smother the defense drive in red-tape.

The main emphasis is on airplanes. As Time writes, "the world has not yet seen, felt nor imagined the full and awful might of air power." What the Germans did with planes in conquering Eu-

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The grave disasters we and our Allies have suffered in the Pacific can be laid to but one thing: Lack of supplies and equipment, and a terrible inferiority in airpower. In the Philippines and Malayan campaigns Japan's control of the air has been almost unquestioned. Mere handfuls of Allied planes have gone into action against voracious swarms of enemy planes. The Allied pilots and ships have given a magnificent account of themselves but in the long run the very weight of numbers wins the day.

That is what we are working for now—to gain for ourselves and the United Nations the vital weight of numbers—in planes, in ships, in guns—which is essential to victory. Everyone who has actually seen action in this war reports that the Jap planes are slower, frailer, poorer-armed than ours. The British report that, plane to plane, they have no doubt of the R. A. F.'s ability to outdo Goering's Luftwaffe. The task is simply to produce enough equipment, and transport it to the fighting fronts, to overcome the great numerical supremacy the enemy possesses.

That will not be done in a hurry. Churchill has said that at least another year must pass before it will be possible for the Allies to effectively take the offensive. Other authorities plan on a three to five year war. It will be hard and costly to regain positions our enemy has seized—in the Far East, in Europe, in Africa. The factories of America have been given a production job which is unprecedented in world history. They have accepted that job without reservation.

One country has certainly lost the war. That country is Italy. Late reports indicate she amounts to little more than a German province.

At the present time, Italians are permitted but 2 1/2 ounces of meat a week, 1 1/2 of a pint of milk a day, and 2 1/2 ounces of butter a month. Even oil, basis of Italian cooking is limited to half-a-pint per person monthly. Mussolini's German friends are literally bleeding the country white of foodstuffs and other supplies.

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are, perhaps the girls will soon be able to get their finger nails out of the red.

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Modesty wasn't the reason for long engagements in the old days. It took me a year to make the trousseau petticoats.

An optimist is wrong about as often as a pessimist, but he's much happier about it.

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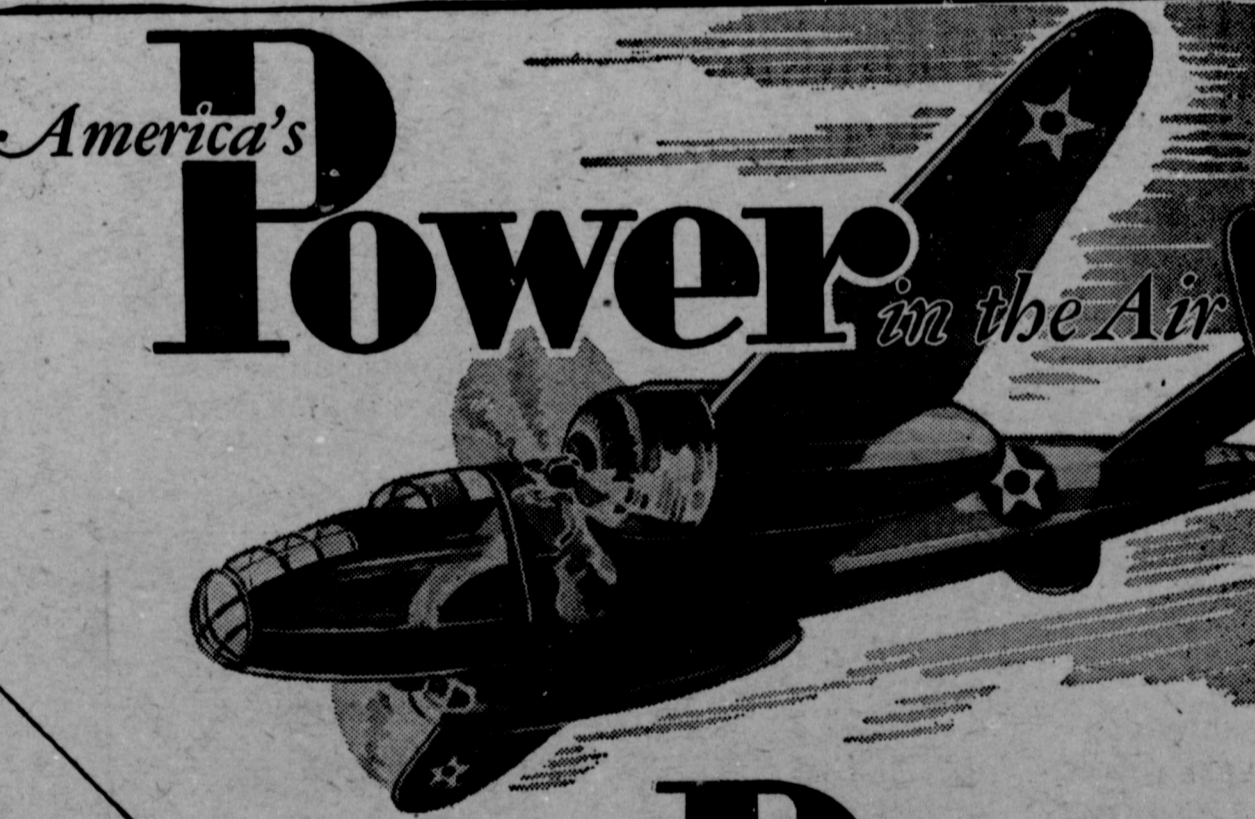
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Edited This Week By
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Frank Hennigan

Visitors:

The High School was honored last Monday by a visit from the Superintendent of Schools, Mr. O'Brien, who brought Mr. E. G. Murdock. Mr. Murdock is an accomplished vocalist and favored the freshmen by singing part of Gounod's "Ave Maria" for them. We hope to see Mr. Murdock soon again and to hear more of his wonderful voice.

Tennis:

The volley ball season is almost over for the higher grades and sophomores who will now begin to play tennis. Various partnerships have been formed and a tournament is scheduled for March. The various partners are: Celia Walterscheid and Florence Endres; Evelyn Wiesman and Rose Marie Endres; Lucille Wimmer and Rose Hennigan; Johnny Ann Seyler and Juanita Weinzapfel; Gladys Wilde and Sig Luke. May the best team win.

We Would Like To Know:

When the Freshmen are going to get that tennis court lined?
What were those mysterious noises heard during a certain period?
What happened to the Freshmen Books?
Why Rose Marie was day dreaming on Tuesday morning.
Why Marty was turned girlish suddenly?
Why Joe isn't the nice gentleman he used to be?
Why Celia and Rose were laughing during German class?
Why Lucille changed her hair-do?

Typing Class:

A new typing class has been formed comprised of six members, namely: Juanita and Joe Weinzapfel, Gladys Wilde and Alma Marie Luke, Johnny Ann Seyler and Geneva Gremminger. The class was begun on Tuesday evening after the regular classes were dismissed and will be held at that time every school day except on Friday.

A student of the regular typing class, Marie Felderhoff, received her certificate for having typed thirty-two words a minute. More power to the rest of the typing students so they, too, can secure their certificates.

Staff Meeting:

Monday evening a meeting of the Annual Staff was held. Emmet Fette and the staff discussed various details concerning the cover of the annual, size, number of pages and size of print and other details that go into the making up and printing of an annual. We wish to thank Ray Wilde for the time he spent with us taking the pictures. We also owe a vote of thanks to G. L. Mitchell for the use of the camera Ray used for the indoor pictures. We hope soon to see results in printed forms of these efforts on the part of Ray.

New Pupil:

A new pupil, Herbert Swirczynski, enrolled in the Freshman class last Tuesday. Herbie attended school at Dallas before coming here. We're glad to have you, Herbie, and hope you will like it here.

Athletics:

The Boys' Athletic Club held a meeting last Wednesday during which they decided to have a hand ball tournament. Teams were organized and the playing begun. It is very interesting and exciting to watch the boys play, each trying to

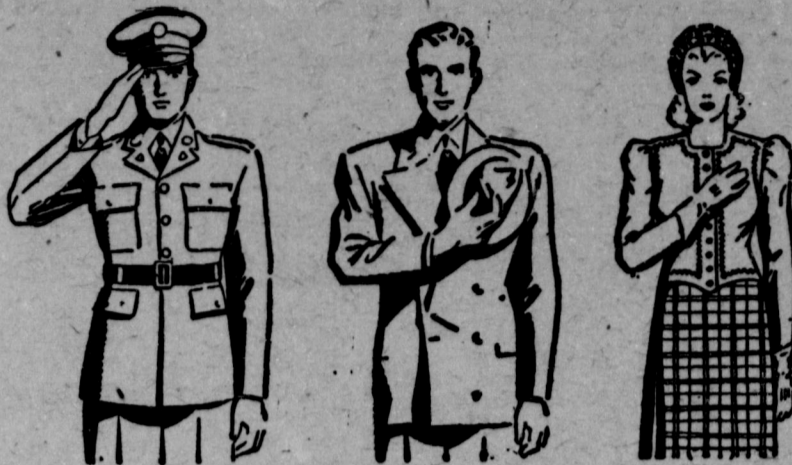
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Women should salute by placing the right hand over the heart.

The salute to the Flag in a moving column is rendered as the Flag approaches the spectator and is held until it has passed.

beat the other. Due to bad weather they were not able to complete the contest, as yet.
The boys also reported that they would begin a track team, which is to compete with the local Public School team. Arrangements are now under way to build a jumping pit for practice.

and Tloga, he "accidentally" dropped his whistle and clapped his hands when Muenster scored. Everyone was expecting an Indian War dance next. That's alright, Mr. Gray, we all feel like that when our boys score, and we all think they did quite well this year.

Miss Wiedemann enjoyed registering the boys Monday, but there was one dark cloud hovering over her brain. She was worrying and wondering how she would ever get her boots off in time for the dance. But it seems that she did get them off alright, which all goes to show that you should never worry that way, Miss Wiedemann.

School Daze

MUENSTER PUBLIC SCHOOL

Edited this week by
Harvey Grammar and
Paul Nieball

On February 12 the Public School turned out for the parade sponsored by the Parochial School. We wish to congratulate them on their success and assure them that it was enjoyed immensely by all the students from this school.

For once the boys "and girls" had their fill of ice cream. Last week the Home Economics classes made it. They stood around the stove while eating it but none would admit that it was too cold for ice cream.

Most of the students remembered to come to school last Saturday, but those who stayed away certainly missed something. Our thanks go to Miss Luke and Miss Wiedemann for saving the day with a Valentine party for their rooms. Maybe we should thank Della Mae and Thelma for offering their services to make punch and serve cookies, because with their aid the remainder of the school had refreshments too.

Group and individual pictures were taken by Miss Bradshaw of the Volley Ball girls last Tuesday. After the pictures were taken the girls handed in their suits, which ended another enjoyable season of Volley Ball.

Ask Mr. Gray just how exciting a basketball game can be. The story goes that while he was refereeing the game between Muenster

You have probably heard about the type of person who will just trade for anything just to be trading. Well, it seems that we have just that type of person in our school. We won't embarrass him by giving any initials but his name is Leo Lawson. Just ask Leo about the calf he traded for and how anxious he was to get rid of it.

Myra News

Mrs. Parker Fears
Correspondent

J. T. Biffle, Jr., was in Sherman Tuesday on business.

Glen Melton has been ill with flu the past week.

Morris King spent Thursday in Paris on business.

Dave Gillett has been ill at his home with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Fears spent Thursday in Fort Worth and Dallas on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jeeter of Gainesville spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Curb.

Miss Elfreda Bezner of Gainesville visited Mrs. E. F. Biffle Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Miles of Ft. Worth returned to her home Thursday af-

ter a week's stay at the bedside of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Piott. Mr. and Mrs. Piott are improving after several week's illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Piott and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. Piott.

Ben Murray Fulton of A & M College spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Fulton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Pryor were in Sanger Thursday on business and visited her sister, Mrs. C. A. Crowson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Noble of Sledge Bend, spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Lon Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitehead of Marietta, Oklahoma, are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Curb.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Prestage of Gainesville spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Alton Wooten and husband.

Mrs. Lena Maude Corbin had as her guests her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stout of Spanish Fort Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McTaggart received word that their son, Earl McKee of Randolph Field, San Antonio, has been promoted to Staff Sergeant.

James Ray Martin, who makes his home with his grandmother, Mrs. C. J. Tuggle, spent the week-end in St. Jo visiting his mother, Mrs. Will Martin and family.

N. Melton, who has been visiting his family the past week, went to Wichita Falls Sunday in response to a message that his son, Elmer Melton, was seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Biffle and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Higgins have received word from their sons, Bill

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and Jack, that they were stationed in New Zealand.

Mrs. Dave Sherrill and daughter, Ellen of San Diego, Cal., and Mrs. and Mrs. Silvan Davis and Mrs. Lucy Lipscomb of Gainesville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Wooten.

Mrs. Gardie Smith and daughters, Billie Bob and Betty Joyce, of Wichita Falls, spent Sunday with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. C. J. Tuggle.

Mrs. Glen Bates and daughter-in-law of Paris visited Mrs. Maggie Cain Saturday. Mrs. Cain returned home with them for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hudson had as their guests for dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Barnett of St. Jo, and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Porter of Gainesville. In the afternoon they motored to Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls.

Joe William Gregory Receives Advancement At Navy Air Station

Joe William Gregory, son of J. B. Gregory of Muenster, was recently advanced to the rating of Aviation Machinists Mate third class at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla.

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according to an announcement made by the Public Relations Office of that Station.

Gregory enlisted in the Navy in January, 1941, at the Recruiting Station in Ardmore, Okla., and was sent to the Naval Training Station, San Diego, Cal., for his preliminary training.

He went to Pensacola in August, 1941, and was assigned to duty with the ground crew of one of the Flying Squadrons attached to "The Annapolis of the Air."

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Lindsay News

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Joe Hundt, Jr., of Garland, was the weekend guest of relatives here.

SEED POTATOES: Blue Goose Maine Cobblers, \$5.90 for a 165-pound sack. Hoelker Grocery, adv.

Mrs. William Loerwald and Miss Theresa Loerwald visited in Sanger Friday.

Miss Isabel Neu spent the weekend in Muenster with her sister, Mrs. Roy Endres, Jr.

Mrs. Mike Dieter and her sister, Miss Mathilda Hugo, visited relatives and friends in Fort Worth from Friday to Monday.

Pvt. Volney and Ray Fuhrmann of Camp Wolfers spent Sunday here and at Muenster with relatives and friends.

Sweet Sixteen Oleomargarine still sells for only 20 cents at Hoelker Grocery. A delicious spread for bread, fine for cooking, too. (adv.)

Joe Rauschuber and granddaughter, Miss Mary Hermes, have returned from San Antonio where they spent the past two months.

The Young Ladies Sodality presented its play, "Cupid and Calicles" before a large audience in the community hall Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Fleitman of Muenster were Sunday guests of her mother, Mrs. Anna Loerwald.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Roewe and family of Pilot Point spent Sunday here with relatives and friends.

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Al and Werner Lueb of Hereford and Miss Anna Mae Lueb of Electra spent Wednesday and Thursday here and in Denison with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mosman were hosts at a dinner in their home

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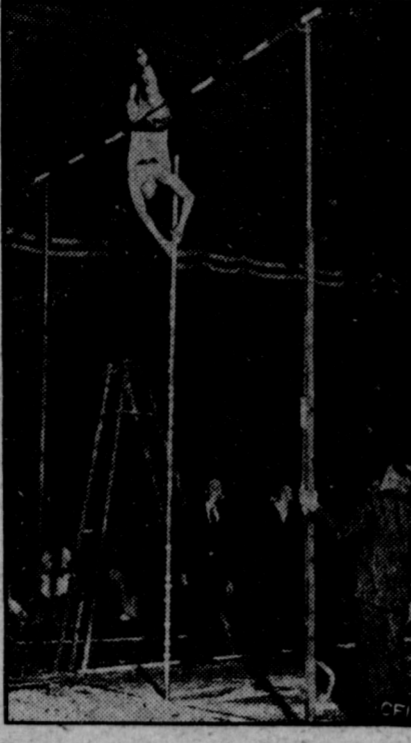
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BOSTON, MASS.—Shattering all existing pole vault records, Cornelius Warner, Olympic Club, San Francisco, Calif., is shown going over the bar at 15 feet seven and a quarter inches at the 53rd annual B. A. A. indoor games, Saturday, at the Boston Garden. Warner's feat, before a packed house, was the highlight of the meet.

Sunday honoring their son, John Mosman of Muenster, on his birthday. A number of relatives and friends were present.

Eugene Gieb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gieb, was taken to St. Vincent's hospital in Sherman for an operation for the removal of his appendix last week. He is recovering normally.

A large group of relatives and friends surprised Grandpa Schmitz with a party in observance of his 82nd birthday Tuesday night. Refreshment, brought by the guests, were served.

We still have a few cases of canned Gulf Oil in quart sizes. Six gallons to the case for only \$3.30. If you are going to need oil, get it now. Hoelker Grocery. (adv.)

The Youth Societies of Lindsay enjoyed a pre-Lenten social in the hall Monday evening. Dancing, music and games furnished diversion for a large crowd and refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bezner spent Sunday in Dallas with relatives. They were accompanied home in the evening by Miss Elsie Louise Bezner and Mrs. Mike Kelley, who attended the play here and then returned to Dallas.

Father Francis Zimmerer and Father Herman Laux spent Friday night here with relatives. Saturday morning they returned to their homes. They had attended the annual retreat at Subiaco, Ark., for Benedictine Fathers.

Hugo Bezner of Paris, Ralph Bezner of Dallas and Walter Bezner of Garland were the weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bezner. The cast from Hugo's arm, broken some time ago, has been removed.

Members of the Mission Sewing Circle now have their own club room. One of the parish buildings that formerly served as the kitchen of the old rectory, was moved last week east of the community hall, and has been designated as the meeting place for the club. A large number of parish women gathered Wednesday to quilt. It was mentioned that this group is still collecting papers and rags and that citizens wishing to help in this should leave the waste paper and rags at the old Union building.

LINDSAY CLUB OBSERVES ST. VALENTINE'S DAY

Lindsay.—The Catholic Action Club of this community observed the feast of St. Valentine Saturday by group attendance at Mass and reception of the Eucharist in a body. After the service breakfast was served to the young people by mothers of the parish.

Rev. Father Conrad, spiritual director of the club, was a guest of honor. He led the invocation and addressed the assemblage briefly. The breakfast took place in the school auditorium that was decorated with red and white streamers. Places were marked with valentines, and valentines were exchanged after the meal.

Owing to the shortage of steel, needles made of compressed straw are used in parts of Germany. The war changes everything. Needles can be found in haystacks.

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60TH ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED SUNDAY BY MR., MRS. FISCH

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Fisch observed their 60th wedding anniversary Sunday with a dinner for relatives and friends at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Endres. The date of the anniversary is Feb. 13, but the celebration was held Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Fisch are Muenster's oldest married couple. He is 86 and Mrs. Fisch is 81 years old. They have been residents here since 1907.

For the dinner the guests were seated at two tables. The boards were laid with white linen cloths and were centered with three-tiered, decorated cakes. One cake was a gift from the honorees' son, and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fisch, and the other was presented by their grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fisch. White carnations were also used in decorating the tables and dining room.

Personnel of the meal included the honor guests, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fisch and two sons of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. John Fisch and daughter, Miss Rosemary, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fisch and two children of Guthrie, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Fisch of Tulsa, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Endres and three sons of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Endres, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Weinzaepfel, Dr. and Mrs. T. S. Myrick, Rev. Father Frowin and Rev. Father Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fleitman, John Lehnertz, Mrs. Mary Lehnertz, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fette, Joe Endres, Mrs. Anna Wiedeman, Miss Mary Wiedeman, and Miss Charlie Bradshaw. Married in Iowa

Mr. and Mrs. Fisch were married Feb. 13, 1882, at LeMars, Iowa. He was born in Paris, France, Nov. 22, 1855. In 1883 he moved with his parents to Arlon, Belgium, and there at the age of twelve and one-half years began his training as a cabinet maker. In 1872 he came to the United States, settling in St. Donatus, Jackson county, Iowa. In 1878 he went to LeMars, Iowa, where he was married four years later.

Mrs. Fisch was born December 15, 1860, at Luxemburg, and came to the States with her parents at the age of 17 years, settling in LeMars, Iowa. She was Miss Marie Lauth before her marriage.

Throughout the cities of Iowa Mr. Fisch is remembered for his excellent cabinet work. His home contains dozens of lovely pieces of furniture he has made. Inlaid work is his favorite and he has many small tables, stools, cabinets and shelves, and has made many dozen more for Muenster homes and as gifts to relatives and friends.

During their 34 years as residents of this community Mr. and Mrs. Fisch have taken part in activities of the community, both civic and religious.

Mr. Fisch was the first grand knight of the local council Knights of Columbus and is a Fourth Degree honorary member. Mr. and Mrs. Fisch live alone and she does most of her household duties. Both are particularly fond of reading. Five years ago Mr. Fisch was seriously ill and since that time seldom leaves his home.

They are the parents of four children, John of Guthrie, Okla.; Mike of Des Moines, Iowa; Bert of Ft. Worth, and Mrs. M. J. Endres, Muenster. They have seventeen grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. Only member of the family not present at the celebration was Mike Fisch, who was unable to attend on account of the illness of his wife. They, however, sent congratulatory best wishes.

Schedule For Baptist Services Announced

A schedule of services for the Muenster Baptist church, in effect since war day, having time is observed has been announced as follows: On Sunday: Sunday School at 10 a. m.; Preaching service at 11 a. m., and night service at 8 p. m. Mid-week service is held each Wednesday night at 8 o'clock and every Saturday at p. m. Bible School is conducted.

Soilless Gardening And Fertilizers Are Topics at Garden Meet

The discussion of fertilizers and soilless gardening were topics reviewed during the program hour of the Civic League and Garden Club at its monthly meeting Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Luke, in discussing fertilizers, began by mentioning the different types of soils, such as sandy soil, clay soil, etc., showing samples which she brought in bottles. She continued with the names of kinds of fertilizers suitable for each, and displayed also these fertilizers and plant foods. Mrs. Luke is well informed on these subjects and her discussion was thorough.

Mrs. M. J. Endres told about water-culture, or aqua-culture, which makes it possible to grow any kind of plant anywhere. She had on display a tray of plants she started several weeks ago in this solution, and is watching their growth with interest. At the close of her talk she distributed literature on the subject, presented by the Water Culture Foundation, Dallas.

The arrangement of the month was a Valentine table centerpiece by Mrs. Rudy Hellman. It consisted of a heart-shaped cake, encircled with dwarf iris, Ribbons extending from the cake ended in nosegays with lace paper frills. At the close of the meeting she cut the cake and served it to 17 members and three guests, Mrs. John Beard, Miss Edith Mae Rhodes, and Miss Elizabeth Herr.

Business Session: During the business session, preceding the program, committee reports were heard and discussed, centered around activity of the newly formed defense committee. Plans were formulated for a series of projects, including sewing for the Red Cross, shipments of candy, cakes and magazines to army camps and the beautification of grounds at army camps.

Mrs. Nick Miller stated that shrubbery at the cemetery is being sheared and Mrs. Herbert Meurer, sanitation and street committee chairman reported on work that the city has been doing during the past week on Main street, preparing the ground from the business district to the church, between the walk and the curb, for the planting of bermuda grass. The city is to plant the grass and the League will tend to it, the two groups decided some time ago. Mrs. Luke gave a report on the Denton garden conference several members attended last month and the forthcoming flower show at Dallas was discussed.

COUNTY AND STATE TAX COLLECTIONS TOTAL \$279,470.55

Total collections of state and county taxes for 1941 paid during the months of October, November, December and January amounted to \$279,470.55 as compared with \$243,210.49 collected the same months of the previous tax-paying season, Tom Hayes, county tax collector, said Monday. These collections showed an increase of \$36,260.06 over the previous year. County and state collections for last month totaled \$79,477.64. In the total collections of \$279,470.55, there was \$18,925.97 in delinquent taxes. Percentage of collections on the assessed tax roll for 1941, excluding delinquents, was 91, while 97 per cent of the assessed tax roll for the year was collected, including both current and delinquent.

Local Hatchery Has 1,000 Chicks For Sale

The Muenster Hatchery has more than 1,000 baby chicks on hand now for sale, Felix Becker, manager stated Wednesday. There are plenty of bookings open for March, too, he added. Some persons have been under the impression that March was completely booked, but this is not true. The hatchery does have some

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Felix Becker, Mgr.

orders booked for March, but there is room for many more, he explained. Orders came in early this year for future delivery and were booked accordingly, he said, but there is no need to worry over being left out. Simply get orders in, that's all that's necessary.

Mrs. John Eberhart is able to be up and about this week after spending several days in bed suffering from an attack of the flu.

Confetti--

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off. By the time they get accustomed to the routine they're all accustomed to growing, so it goes on and on.

With such fundamentals in mind Con is now launching his career as a good soldier. He's determined to get some ornaments, first on the sleeve and, if possible, also on the shoulder—that is spite of one fellow's very sincere and solicitous advice not to work for a commission. He says, "Insist on a straight salary."

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The past week has been a worthy beginning for the standard of toughness they seem to expect of soldiers. Calisthenics, drill and hike every day. They lead off with an hour of squirming, jumping, etc., that is supposed to loosen muscles but had the very opposite effect on yours truly. Then comes a couple of hours of "about face, left face, column left, to the rear, to the right flank" and various other tricks to tangle a rookie's

legs. Hikes varied from 5 to 8 miles o'er hill and dale. All of which makes the 9 hours of sleeping time very welcome.

The hardening process itself is equally welcome to most of the boys. Realizing that a huge job is ahead they prefer being able to stand the grind. Normally the soldiers don't concern themselves much with the war situation, but those who do talk aren't pleased with recent developments. Even we more optimistic ones who hoped to "see it through in '42" have decided to postpone our schedule.

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Something else service men do not like is the continuation of industrial bickering and profiteering. One of them suggests a system of conscription for industry similar to that for armed service and a pay schedule somewhat similar to the army's. He says give a low base pay plus allowances for home living expenses, like they do for the officers with their families away from the post. In other words—equality for the soldier and the working man.

As regards manufacturers—a ceiling on profits and everything over a reasonable figure to go back to the government as a special war tax. Service men don't like the idea of a privileged few stuffing their pockets during this emergency and all the public paying off afterward. They say it's everybody's country, therefore everybody's fight, and all ought to forget personal gain and work together until it's over. The principle is mighty fine but obviously could not be applied to our economic system. Still, some modifications of the idea could easily be used.

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