

#### What this country needs even more than a good five cent cigar is a good fire in Washington — a lovely big bonfire fed by every last scrap of exasperating legis-lation, regulation, and taxation. What a wonderful blaze that would be!

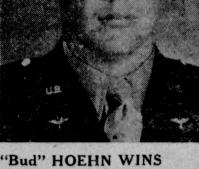
We need to be relieved of that awful mess of perplexities. While we're straining ourselves to spread the four freedoms over other parts of the world we might as well bestow another little free-dom on ourselves. Freedom from confusion.

No foolin'. This country ought to start from scratch, and forever after stick with essentials and insist on simplicity. Maybe that would give us a method of government more in keeping with its fundamental purpose, which is meant to guarantee a fellow's happiness, not multiply his mis-

Why, for instance, is it necessary to have volumes and volumes | WINGS AS MEMBER of laws to elaborate on two documents like the decalogue and the OF ARMY AIR CORPS constitution? Why should it be necessary to express those laws in words ninety five percent of us 21-year-old veteran of foreign cannot understand? And then tell wars, and son of Mr. and Mrs. A. us ignorance does not excuse us T. Hoehn of this city, was comfrom them.

Why should it be necessary for dozens of agencies to plague the in graduating ceremonies this public with their incessant deluge week, and won his silver wings as of forms? Why all those tax forms, especially on income tax, that even the experts cannot fill week, and won his sliver wings as a fighter pilot. He arrived in Muenster Wednesday for a short visit with his parents and leaves out correctly?

Really, America has become the Florida, for a several months paperized nation. It has develop- special training course. ed an awful mania for stretching out every little fact over the battle scars and a blouse decked greatest possible space and insis- with seven ribbons in addition to ting on the greatest possible num- his newly acquired wings.



**GETS COMMISSION** 

Ex-Sergeant C.M. "Bud" Hoehn missioned a second lieutenant in the United States Army Air Corps

visit with his parents and leaves Sunday to report at Tallahassee

The young veteran wears a few

The worst part of it is that the worry with all this red tape is not the citizen's only bootest. Forces most famous unit, the 19th station.

#### Weinzapfel Named Local Mutual Local Chairman In Has It's 50th 4th. War Bond Drive **Annual Meet** J.M. Weinzapfel was this week

next state convention.

MUENSTER. TEXAS, COOKE COUNTY, FRIDAY, JANUARY 14, 1944

MUENSTER ENTERPRISE

appointed local chairman for the Fourth War Lean Bond Drive for this community by Felix L. Mc-Curdy. county chairman. Mayor Weinzapfel has success-

fully led Muenster through three campaigns of this nature. He will select a group of local helpers to begin a canvass in this sector before the drive officially opens next Tuesday, January 18. Muenster's quota has not yet ed an 11 cent rate and decided to been designated, but the county's goal in the 4th drive is \$1,100,000. The stage is set for the cam-Association of Muenster. paign Jan. 18 to 31st inclusive.

and it will be the purpose of the local committee to put on a swift and effective drive. It is asked that prospective sub-

scribers do not wait for pressure to be exerted, but, to buy their share of bonds early. The next issue of The Enter-

prise will carry a full list of the committee, together with the local quota, and any other details of the campaign which may have developed by that time.



Spending Leave Here J.H. Wimmer, F1C, and his wife

ber of carbon copies. A simple statement on the rationing of cabbage seed is elaborated to no-vel length. The law which taxes He volunteered in the air corps in Nov. 1940, and served as a tail gunner during battles over New Guinea, where he was injured on cabbage seed is elaborated to no-vel length. The law which taxes incomes over a specified figure July 3, 1942, in action of Lae, and scheid. He is a member of the 500 policies in the communities requires absurd details to enum- spent several months in a hos- Coast Guard and will be transfer- of Muenster, Lindsay, Windthorst erate sources, more of them invit- pital recovering from a delicate red following completion of his Electra, Valley View and Pilot ing phenagling in deductions, and brain operation. At that time he leave. Mrs. Wimmer will remain Point. Its headquarters have confinally several more computations was a member of the Army Air here until he is settled at his new tinued in Muenster since its be-

### Succumbs To Heart **Reports 11 Cent Rate**, Changes Name, Reelects **Officers And Directors**

Delegates from six locals at-tended the 50th annual meeting WANTED: DISCARDED of the German Farmers Benevo-FOUNTAIN PENS FOR lent Association, re-elected direc-**OVERSEAS SOLDIERS** tors for the ensuing year, report-

A new salvage program for change the name of the company to Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Cooke County was announced by the salvage committee Wednesdav

The board for 1944 consists of The program calls for the col-Albert Henscheid, president; F.J. Hess, secretary; Emil Vogel, lection of broken and discarded treasurer; and Barney Voth and W.H. Endres. Mike Fuhrmann, fountain pens; pens in any condition of any type or make. Foun-tain per parts are also wanted. Lindsay, was reelected auditor for The broken and discarded pens a three year term and Jake Bezwill be repaired and rebuilt into ner, Lindsay was appointed to repens as good as new for distriplace Joe Bezner as auditor. F. J. Hess was named delegate to the bution to overseas servicemen, without cost, by U.S. Army Chaulains. The association's financial re-

Pens and parts from this comport for the past year indicated, munity should be turned in or as it has in the past, that it is sent to The Enterprise Office, serving its intended purpose by Muenster, Texas. Pens so collectproviding cheap insurance for its ed will be shipped immediately to members. Losses during the year Emerson McCord of Houston who just closed amounted to 11 cents is doing the repair work in coopper \$100 valuation to cover a total of \$1.685.70 for fire loss, sal- eration with army chaplains and to Mr. Herr, was born in Rulo, others. aries and expenditures. The balance on hand at the present time In announcing the appeal for

is \$3,182.71. Insurance in force for the association totals \$1,464,980. Johnson, Women's Activities Members will not be assessed this spring it was stated at the novel war salvage campaign is an interesting story of the individual meeting, but assessment will be issued at such time when need be. contribution to servicemen's needs Founded in 1893 as a means of being made by Mr. McCord.

mutual protection for German The Houston man is an invaid who learned to repair and rebuild fountain pens as a hobby. Because of an independent income, he has been able to turn his hobby into a business without charging any fee or cost. Everything in connection with the program is contributed.

## **Ailment Wednesday Funeral Services At** 9:30 Friday Morning

Mrs. John B. Herr

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78-Year-Old Pioneer Citizen Had Resided

Here Over Half Century

Mrs. John B. Herr, 78, for more than 50 years a resident of this community, succumbed to a heart ailment Wednesday morning at 6:45 at the home of her - son, Adolph Herr. She had been ill since October.

Funeral services are being held today (Friday) at 9:30 a.m. at Sacred Heart Church with Pastor Father Thomas officiating and burial is to be in the Muenster cemetery under the direction of Mrs. Nick Miller.

Mrs. Herr, who was Miss Barbara Rohmer before her marriage Nebraska, on March 24, 1866. They were married August 25, broken pens and parts, Mrs. Felix 1885, at New Harlingen; Nebraska and came to Texas, settling in Chairman, said that behind this Muenster, in March 1890, and resided here since that time. They lived north of the city on a farm until 1923 when they retired from active work and moved to town to reside. For the past several years they made their home with their son, Adolph.

Mrs. Herr was the mother of 16 children, 13 of whom survive. In 1935 Mr. and Mrs. Herr celebrated their golden wedding anniversary with a family reunion. In 1937 he sustained a broken hip in a fall and since then has been con-Knowing the needs for fountain fined to a wheel chair. Mrs. Herr, pens by servicemen overseas, Mr. always a devoted wife and mother McCord's problem was to get the was particularly attentive to her rebuilt product shipped and dis- husband since his accident, spendtributed to those who had no pens ing most of her time at his side On presentation, his proposal was and taking joy in caring for him quickly accepted by William R. and carrying out his wishes. She Arnold, Chief of Chaplains, U. S. was in unusual good health and very active, in spite of her advan-After hundreds of rebuilt pens ced age, until she suffered a heart vere successfully distributed to attack in October. From then on men in far-flung parts of the she was a semi-invalid, confined world the chief of chaplains wrote to her home. Survivors are the husband, 83 years of ane, six sons; Frank of Ardmore, Okla.: Leo, Ramona, fort. In addition the Houston man Okla.; Joe, Arlington; Paul, Orhas received letters of thanks and ange; Bill, Pampa, and Adolph, praise from many overseas chap- Muenster; seven daughters: Mesdames Ben Bengfort, Lindsay; Joe and Al Schnitker, Denison: Richard Hennigan, Calera, Okla. sed by the Regional War Produc-Matt and T. Miller, Muenster, and John Corcoran, Gainesville. Also surviving are 68 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. Seven Another participant in the pro-gram is White Rubber Co. of grandsons are serving in the arm-ed forces. As pioneer residents of the community, both Mr. and Mrs. Herr took active part in civic and church affairs, contributing their share to the growth and progress of the colony. When Muenster celebrated its golden jubilee in 1939, Mr. and Mrs. Herr were among the few pioneer residents still surviving and were the only married couple of the early days. They were given places of honor for the church rites and were also at the efternoon celebrations renewing old acquaintances and welcoming visitors. Mrs. Herr was a member of the local Mothers' society and took active part in functions of the organization as long as her health permitted. She was loved by all who knew her and was held in high esteem by her friends and acquaintances.

Because of it he has to pay higher taxes to support the army of clerks who check and double check on the reports he so grudgingly submitted.

Ah, maybe there's the reason for it all. A progressive plot on the part of officials to perpetuate and increase the list of government jobs. Not a charitable view, we admit, but logical.

he said. Regardless of what reasons may be behind all our confusion one thing is certain. This nation wants simpler less expensive gov

ernment. There is the goal on which our statesmen had better start work-

ing so that in future years we won't be embarrassed by the bitter paradox of having bled to free others while making ourselves slaves to red tape.

If these aren't your sentiments now they will be after you fill out this year's income tax report. Betcha.

Did you notice how labor big wigs snapped back at the accusation that strikes had caused people in occupied countries to los confidence in America? Obviously the truth hurts. Also characterthe navy. istic of them was their prompt counter attack on the administration as having been responsible for all labor troubles in the first place. Like the temperamental GI who goes over the hill if he can't have a pass whenever he wants one, and then insists that the commanding officer . is to have been found acceptable hav- maneuvers in the Louisiana area. of some people

for at least three weeks. Regardless of official blunders. and everyone will admit there have been plenty, labor doesn't sical acceptable men is built up. have a leg to stand on. Its first to afford an even longer period called for Navy duty on Decemduty is to produce, and its refus- between examination and induc ber 28. is receiving his boot trainal to work is equivalent to a sol- tion, but if a man is not inducted ing at San Diego, he has written dier's refusal to fight. Men who within 90 days a new pre-inducinstigate a strike when national tion examination will be required. safety is at stake are no less than The army and navy examinertraitors. The rank and file who also will group the men into three go on strike are no less than classes. "army general service" "army limited service" and "navy"

During the past few decades a pathetic irony has crept into both . Continued on Page 4)



B.H. Schumacher, S2C, who has ment with the Japs". Sgt. Hoehn volunteered for pilot's training, been at San Diego, was recently was accepted last May and began called for sea duty, his wife adtraining at the pre-flight school vised this week.

of the San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center. At primary school at Enjoys Xmas In England Victory Field, Vernon, and at Pfc. Alphonse Felderhoff writ-Garden City, Kansas, he started ing on Dec. 30 from England, tells of having a pleasant Christmas morning flying. "And now I have my wings and a job at the business end of with the traditional turkey and

the trimmin's for dinner, along a plane. That's what I wanted," with a little English beer. On the 26th the men of his company were guests at a dance and on New DRAFTEES TO FACE Year's day there was to be a par-

ty given by the commanding of-**NEW INDUCTION RULE** Enterprise regularly and that he STARTING FEB. 1ST.

next best thing to being at home' In a revision of the system for physical examinations of drafteligibles, Selective Service last Fri- erybody hello and that he wishes area in 52 years. lay abolished "screening" exam- them the best in 1944. inations by local boards and arranged for final examinations to Spend Christmas Together Christmas in Australia was be given at least 21 days before made much merrier for Pvt. Ray

actual induction. Under the new system, which is

Swirczynski and Pfc. Harry Fisher because they spent it together, to become effective Feb. 1, postthey have written relatives. The induction furloughs also are abformer arrived there recently and olished. Currently these are three looked up Harry who has been weeks for the army inductees and there for several months. They one week for those who go into expect to spend most of their offhours together in the future. The new system works in this

manner: Men in class 1-A who are Is Truck Driver

about due for a call to service will

A recent letter from Pfc. Ravthe snow turned to slush and mud be dispatched to induction sta- mond Hess to his parents, Mr. and during the afternoon when a high tions to be examined by army and Mrs. F.J. Hess, advises that he is of 55 was recorded. Some snow navy physicans. All will be sent now settled at Camp Livingston. on the north side of buildings, reback as civilians with those who La., as a truck driver, following mained until Tuesday. No accidents to civilians or blame for the AWOL. The logic ing assurance that they will not and that he is well pleased with damage to livestock and flocks be ordered to report for induction his new assignment.

It is intended, as a pool of phy- Training At San Diero

Linton W. Mitchell, who was his wife. Mrs. Mitchell and two sidewalks. daughters plan to remain here for the durition. They occupy the bungalow west of the Tony Gremminger residence.

Home On Furlough

(including marines and coas Cpl. Maurice Pagel arrived guard) according to their physica Thursday from Camp San Luis condition. The navy demands t Obispo, Calif., for a 15-day furslightly higher degree of physical lough with his parents, Mr. and fitness than does the army. The Mrs. Jake Pagel. army accepts for limited service

men with physical defects barring

them from general service. Thereafter, cai's to local draft Earl Lehnertz, Pfc. Harry Fisher IN THE RACE FOR boards will be for a definite number of army general service, army most enjoyable week between RETURN TO OFFICE Xmas and New Year. They spent limited service, and navy men instead of for an over-all total of it together, they have written home. Earl, stationed in New men, as at present. Guinea, had a 15-day furlough and went to Australia where Har- office and authorized The Enter-**Richter Named Treasurer** 

Earl it was a meeting with home-W. T. Richter was elected treastown boys for the first time in next July. urer of the Muenster Telephone over a year. Company to replace Wm. Hell-

man, deceased, at a special meet-Confined To Hospital ing of company directors Saturday

afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Townsley of of illness he has advised his par- the county coming under his jur- are also attending the academy

FIRST SNOW OF THIS WINTER CAME FRIDAY WITH BRISK NORTHER

ginning.

the snow

ster

This community's first snow of Army, Washington. the winter covered the ground

when Muenster awoke Saturday Rain, which started falling Friday at an early hour, turned to Mr. McCord to compliment him sleet at noon and then to snow. for his contribution and to en-Quite a bit of the snow melted as dorse the continuance of the efit struck the ground Friday afternoon but that which fell during the night stayed and provided a ficer. He mentions getting The heavy blanket for this sector. The lains and many servicemen who sleet, snow and ice was driven by have received such pens. finds it very interesting. "It's the a brisk wind, a part of the nor-The collection has been endorther that hit the Panhandle and

he concluded. He said to tell ev- is said to be the worst in that tion Board office and is being sponsored by the National WPB Thermometers fell to 10 Saturday morning and dropped to 6 General Salvage Section. on Sunday morning in this sec-

ter. Snow drifts some four and Ravenna, Ohio, who furnish free five feet deep on lanes leading to all the rubber sacks needed in the the homes of farmers in this community kept them snow-bound rebuilding operation. Since late summer more than Sunday, North of town a road

1500 good-as-new pens have been grader was used to permit residshipped overseas. To keep the ents of that sector to reach the pens going, every householder in highway, where the wind had Muenster and Cooke County is blown off a considerable part of urged to make a search and turn in all the discarded pens and Monday brought sunshine and rising temperatures and most of parts he can find.

#### J. R. LITTLE SEEKS **RETURN TO OFFICE** AS COMMISSIONER

J. R. Little, commissioner of was reported although on both Precinct 3, this week authorized Saturday and Sunday mornings The Enterprise to announce his many automobiles failed to start candidacy for reelection, subject because of the extreme cold and to the democratic primary. Mr. both motor and pedestrian traffic Little is serving his first term and was hazardous because of the icehas made a good record in adminencrusted surface of streets and istrating the duties of his office. His formal announcement to vo

On the other hand, youngsters ters will appear in this newspaper at a later date. had the thrill of a lifetime snowballing and sleighing and amateur photography fans were busy get

ting choice shots of a white Muen-JACK NEEDHAM, MYRA, Sunshine and warmer weather **RECEIVES AIR MEDAL** 

> ious achievement while participating in five sorties against the enemy, according to the citation, his mother learned Monday following receipt of the news which was

theatre and was previously sta-tioned in Africa and Sicily. A recent letter to his mother revealed that he was well and "on the go."

and Tony Hess left Sunday morn-

ing to return to Subiaco Academy Liaison Pilot Harold H. Cocke Sheriff Wilson has been actively where they are students. They is confined to the hospital at on the job since assuming office were joined at Lindsay by Ber-Camp Livingston, La., on account and has conducted the affairs of nard and Linus Fuhrmann who

### Two Guest Speakers At

Garden Meeting Today

The Civic League and Garden Club will have two guest speakers at its meeting today (Friday). J. Sgt. Jack Needham, son of Mrs. M. Weinzapfel. Muenster mayor, Ruth Needham of Myra, has re-ceived the Air Medal for meritor-Gainesville Chamber of Commerce, will bring interesting mes-, sages to the organization.

The meeting is scheduled to begin at 3:15 in the public school and visitors are welcome.

#### grapher on duty in the Italian war OLD JEWELRY WANTED

The Red Cross Chapter is the receiving center for discarded costume jewelry being collected for overseas servicemen, who in turn, present it to the native pop-Herbert Fette, Frank Hennigan ulation for many of the necessities of life. Muenster citizens are asked to gather up all discarded costume jewelry and leave it at The Enterprise office, from where it will be sent to headquarters for this particular purpose.

dated December 23. Sgt. Needham is an aerial photo

Carl Wilson, sheriff of Cooke County, stated this week that ne

is a candidate for reelection to the

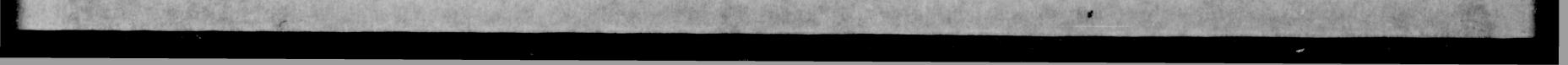
ry and Ray are stationed. For prise to announce his candidacy subject to the democratic primary His formal announcement to

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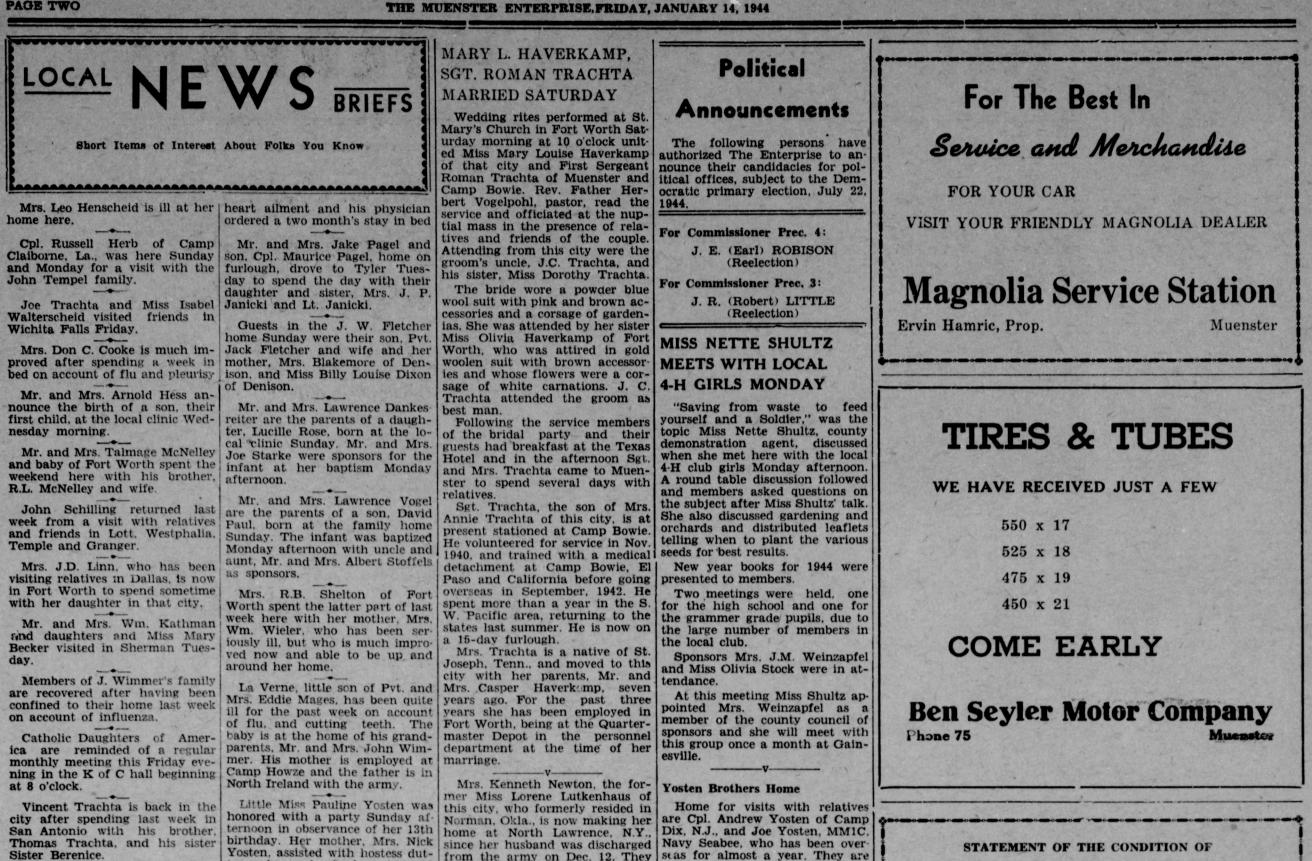
newspaper at a later date.

Myra visited friends here Monday, ents, Mr. and Mrs. Don C. Cooke. isdiction in a satisfactory manner. this term.

were short-lived. Wednesday another norther, and another snow storm blew in around 7.p.m. Trio Have Happy Week A trio of Muenster men. Sgt. SHERIFF WILSON IS and Pvt. Rav Swirczvnski, had a



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C.J. Bernauer is resting well at guests, who remembered the honhis home here but is still confin- oree with an assortment of gifts ed to bed. He is afflicted with a for the occasion.

birthday. Her mother, Mrs. Nick Yosten, assisted with hostess duties and served refreshments to 18

since they arrived there.

from the army on Dec. 12. They stas for almost a year. They are are living on a farm there and sons of Yohn Yosten. Cpl. Yosten Mrs. Newton advises that she likes arrived Saturday and has a 15the north very well although the temperature has been 28 below since they arrived there. day furlough. He was transferred from the desert training center to Fort Dix between Christmas

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**ARS. BEN SEYLER HOS** TO CATHOLIC DAUGHT Mrs. Ben Seyler members of the Cathol ters of America in her the regular monthly soci ember 29. The party ro festive with holiday d and three tables were for progressive 42 serie At the conclusion of t Mrs. John Mosman was with the high score away Mrs. Emmet Fette reco consolation favor. The prize was won by Mrs. man

The hostess served del freshments at the close o ning.

#### THE WEBERS HAVE 7 SONS SERVING UNCL

Gene Hellman, son of Weber of Gainesville and ly of this city, is with the Army Air Corps stationed at Emporia, Kansas. He expects to be transferred to California in the near future to take up his preliminary flying. He is a nephew of Mrs. Tony Otto of this city and has other relatives here.

The Webers also have two other sons in the armed forces. Cpi. Raymond Weber is with the air corps at Liberal, Kansas, and Llyod Weber a recent navy enlistee, is enroute to a training station, the location of which had not been learned by his family this week.

CADET WILDE, HOME ON FURLOUGH, COMPLIMENTED Cadet Ray Wilde who returned to Rutgers University. New Bruns-wick, N.J., Friday, after spending a week's furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Wilde, was honored with a turkey dinner Wednesday evening at his parents home. Six couples enjoyed the meal and afterwards drove to Denison to spend a few hours at the Tropical Gardens

Personnel included the honoree. Sgt. F.A. Benenate of Camp How ze, James Bezner, Rufus Bezner Johnny Schmitz and Harold Schmitz, of Lindsay, Misses Marcella Schmitz and Elsie Louise Bezner, Lindsay, and Misses Johnann Seyler. Catherine Swirczynski, Gladys Wilde and Alma Marie

When In **Gainesville** Eat at the **Coffee Pot** Gene and Milton Tutt Props. Block North of State

STESS FERS itertained to Daugh- home for il on Dec- oms were	and New Year. Joe arrived Mon- day after being on duty in New Foundland since going overseas. He has 25 days' leave. A number of parties and family reunions are honoring the brothers during their stay here.
ecorations arranged	DR. A. A. DAVENPORT CHIROPRACTOR OFFICE HOURS 9-12 - 1-6 And By Appointment 201 Pyhian Building Telephone - 100
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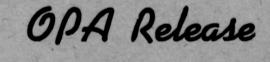
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Total Capital Stock	55,000.00 155,000.00
Surplus	57.000.00
Undivided Profits	21.023.26
Reserves	
DEPOSITS:	
	35,060.28
Individual	71,196.12
	3,406,256,4
Total Deposits	



Beginning Monday January 17th through the 29th we are featuring a collection of odd lot shoes - without ration stamps. In this group you'll find the seasons favorites - Gabardine -Patent and kid in high, medium and low heels Priced to save you real money and without those precious ration coupons - you should buy two or three , airs.

TWO BIG GROUPS \$2.00 and \$3.00



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Student Assembly

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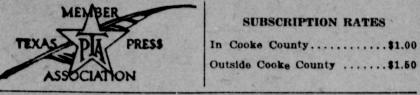
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New Year Baby for 1939, is daugh-It Happened

# **5** Years Ago

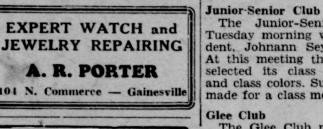
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January 13, 1939 Decline noted while oil activity awaits better weather; formation in townsite tests gets analysis, two wells being drilled at Voth's .--Parish has 4 deaths, 42 baptisms and 21 weddings last year, statistics show. ---- Rain helps crops.

Club begin rehearsels on new com-- Elfreda Luke elected 1939 president of Young Ladies' Sodality. ---- Work progresses in all departments of REA project.

Initiation admits 10 young men to Holy Name Society. Motorcycle riders form club, name Paul Endres president. ---Annual bank meeting held; Joseph Kreitz resigns as director and is replaced by his son; proposal

for new building finds favor. Rita Ann Hennigan is Muenster's



Bertha Walterscheid is bride of John Hacker. MOSAICS

ter of Mr. and Mrs. H.P. Hennigan

---- Sons are born to Messrs, and

Mmes. Albert Henderson and

Frank Roberg. ---- Mr. and Mrs.

Frank Klement are honored on

25th wedding anniversary.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

Father Francis and Dramatic of Sacred Heart High misfortune again. -----**EDITOR: Della Rose Endres** 

ASSOCIATE EDITOR: Imelda Felderhoff

We had some thrilling excitement at school last Monday due to the heavy snowfall the previous weekend. Very few escaped the snow face-wash which the boys administered very plentifully.

**CLUB CLIPPINGS**:

The Junior-Senior club met Wonder why Florentine has Tuesday morning with the prestbeen going so much. All because dent, Johnann Seyler, presiding. of that beautiful convertible? At this meeting the Senior Class Lorine Knabe is still looking for selected its class flower, motto that picture that is promised her. and class colors. Suggestions were | Will she ever get it? We wonder. made for a class memorial. Cornelia couldn't have two

heart-flames now. If not, why did The Glee Club met for its re- she miss the New Year's Dance? gular meeting last Thursday with ing pencils, but now its collecting Andy's former hobby was break-

King" and close with the singing have been long enough for Russell, of "Mother Beloved", national who is missing school. who is missing school. There has been a rumor that Betty is stepping out at night. Good work if you can keep it up. Thelma sees all the latest mo-vies. What a life! We think Katherine should "thank her lucky stars" for that be behind all this? As a result of a general assem-bly, the students left the auditorium in spirited conversation. Ru-

ben Sturm, president, was in be behind all this? Herbert Fette and Frank Hennigan, former classmates, visited

**DINNER PARTY HONORS** various classes at Sacred Heart YOSTEN BROTHERS TUESDAY High last week. Other visitors at the school last week were Thomas

Cpl. Andrew Yosten and Joe Yosten, MM1C, who are spending Weinzapfel, Pat Hennigan and Earl Swingler, and Ray Wilde. their furlough and leave with relatives in this city, were honored with a dinner party Tuesday evening in the home of their brotherin-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. School Daze Joe Horn.

The dining table held two dec-MUENSTER PUBLIC SCHOOL orated birthday cakes, the one bearing 29 candles for Cpl. Yosten, and the other two candles for little Marilyn Horn, daughter of the hosts. Both anniversaries occurred during the weekend.

Lorine Knabe, Andy Stelzer Guests for the dinner were John Yosten and son, Walter, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hess, Mrs. Joe Yosten of Gainesville, and the host's par-After having spent a most enents, Mr. and Mrs. J.S. Horn. Mr. joyable Christmas vacation, we are back at our studies with re-Horn, Sr., is much improved and newed vigor. And now that the is able to get around fairly well new year has rolled around we are with a little assistance. It was determined to make it the best the first time he was out in sevyear of our lives. Our resolutions eral weeks and he is elated over are firm but can our will-power the accomplishment.

Following the meal other relatives and friends gathered at the very much and were more than Horn home for card games. This glad to have him back in class group included Messrs and Mmes. with us Monday afternoon. Here Frank, Nick and Bob Yosten, Joe

**Oil Field Notes** 

Bourland et al No. 2 Danglmayr south of the city, was cemented and pipe was set this week. It is to be drilled in Saturday and indications are fair.

A new well is going down on the John Streng farm in that sector, in the southeast corner of reng's 95-acre tract. It is being drilled by Paul B. Scott and associates of Tyler.

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week or so.

## **BOYD & BREEDING**

---Gainesville---

Drive For Petroleum Scrap

#### **Reasons for the Drive**

Actually, iron and steel scrap on hand represents only a 37 day supply. Against the heavy production schedules ahead, such a low inventory is dangerous. The need for more iron and steel scrap is clearly indicated in the comparison of 1942 against 1943 production schedules:

> Airplanes -----double in number, four times in weight over 1942.

> Merchant Ships —— double in tonnage over 1942 - more than 19,000,000 tons.

Naval Craft ---- double in tonnage

Munitions production, general -----double 1942.

Shipments of iron ore are more than 8,653,000 tons behind last year due to the 31 days delay in the opening of the navigation season in the Great Lakes this Spring. Added to this is the loss of 300,000 tons of pig iron due to the coal strike late this Spring. Now, with further interruptions in the coal production, additional pig iron tonnage has been lost. Accordingly, many additional tons of iron and steel scrap must be used to make up for these raw materials deficits.

Half a ton of scrap is used in producing a ton of ingot steel.

### Suggested Steps and Appeals

If continued peak steel production is to be maintained throughout the coming months, the petroleum industry must increase the tempo of its salvage efforts. In order to reach the over-all industry goal of 9,800,000 tons of iron and steel scrap before the year end, each oil company must step up its salvage efforts in line with the efforts of all industry.

Salvage Managers and their committees should do these things as soon as possible:

1. Resurvey all plants and properties as sources for dormant scrap.

2. Prepare an up-to-date list of all idle and obsolete equipment, machinery and tools

3. Arrange to dispose of all items they know to be unquestionable as scrap.

4. Arrange to study questionable items for future disposition

survive? We hope so We all regretted Paul's accident is hoping he never has such a Swirczynski and Ed Pels. All one can hear in Mrs. Burch-

**Cornelia** Harrison

fiel's room is what was done over the holidays and what gifts were received. Everyone seems to be very pleased with the whole thing.

We wonder why Lorene Lutkenhaus is so sleepy in the morning A hangover (maybe). Julie has a lot of energy lately. It couldn't be a little blond, could

SCHOOL RUMORS:

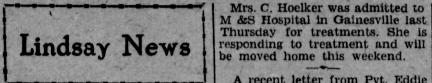
Dorothy Nell is sporting two class rings. We know that she couldn't be that intelligent.





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#### THE MUENSTER ENTERPRISE, FRIDAY, JANUARY 14, 1944



Mages to his parents, Mr. and Mrs Frank Mages, acrises that he is now in North Ireland, that he is Mrs. Val Dieter is improved after being quite ill with influenza. well and getting plenty of food.

Joe Krebs, Sr., has returned to his home in Ardmore, Okla., after spending the holidays here with cella Schmitz and Elsie Louise relatives and friends.

Lee and Gladys Wilde, Cadet Ray Saint Peter's Parish of Lind-say will have Forty Hours Adora-tion on January 23, 24 and 25, it has been announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Laux spent Sunday in Muenster with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Man estimated 5 inches of snow fell in this community Friday night and Saturday morning. Thermometers Saturday registered around 12 degrees and on Sun-day hovered around 7. Roads were Fleitman.

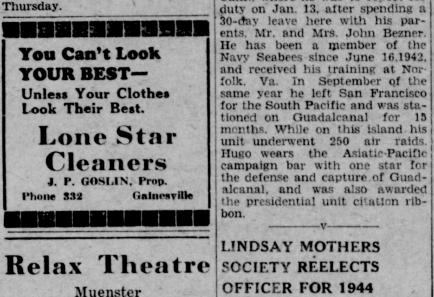
Leo Wiese has returned to Flint, Mich., after a visit here with his able to attend church Sunday as mother, Mrs. Ann Wiese and oth- usual. er relatives.

Bill Schmitz of South Dakota is here for a visit with his cousin, son are back for an indefinite Wm. Schmitz, Sr., and other re- stay after spending the past sev latives and friends.

Linus and Bernard Fuhrmann merer was stationed. He has been left Sunday to return to their transferred to Oregon. Vincent studies at Subiaco Academy after Zimmerer drove to California and spending the holiday vacation brought Mrs. Zimmerer and Jimhere with their parents. my back, following a visit with his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Schmitt and children and Miss Mary Elizabeth Schmitt, all of Sherman, visited their mother, Mrs. Lena Calif, where he was to report for Thursday.

Sat.



LINDSAY .- The Mother's So ciety of Saint Peter's Parish held Jan. 14 ts first meeting of the year Sun **DOUBLE FEATURE** day with a large number of members in attendance. Principal bus-

A recent letter from Pvt. Eddie

Rufus Bezner and Misses Mar-

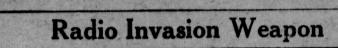
Mrs. Bruno Zimmerer and little

eral months in California, near

Camp Roberts, where Pvt. Zim-

Hugo Bezner, MM1C, left Sat-

Bezner accompanied Misses Laura





### **MOBILE RADIO STATION LINKS** LAND, SEA AND AIR INVADERS

The terrific power of American invasion forces is made possible by combining aerial, naval, and ground forces into a single assault. A radio weapon used for this purpose in the African, Sicilian, and Italian invasion is the Hallicrafters mobile radio station, which is landed on the invasion coast and used for 3-way communication beoutput station.

tween ground forces on the beach, attack bombers in the air, and battle ships at sea. The station, which is capable of traveling at high speed, consists of an Amer-ican truck carrying a powerful short wave transmitter and twin receivers. This is coupled to a gasoline driven motor generator which supplies power for the high



The Hallicrafters mobile radio station, known to Signal Corps fighters as the SCR-299, is capable of receiving and transmitting battle orders over hundreds of miles. The telephone shown on the left can be oper-ated at a distance of one mile from the station itself. A complete duplicate of the transmitter and receiver is carried in the form of spare parts in the cabinet bench on which the operator sits. Signal Corps Photos

#### Confetti---

#### (Continued from page 1)

the American conscience and the American system. People who shout their heads off about rights have lost sight of attendant responsibilities, and a government based on principles of liberty and individual initiative has chosen to direct and meddle. It's high time we as a nation began to realize that the citizen and the government have ceased to be American.

Remember the report about a month ago on our war casualties since Pearl Harbor? According to my memory the total figure was about 125,000, of which about a fifth were deaths. Compare that with the report on 1943 traffic deaths in this country. 23,000, which is 5,000 less than in '42 and 17,000 less than in '41. Now recall that the vast majority of accidents are caused by careles: ness and you come face to face with the sorry fact. Negligence is still taking more of our lives than the systematic destruction of mo dern warfare.

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