

Program Of Golden Jubilee Celebration

Listed below is a condensed program of important events scheduled for the golden jubilee celebration at Lindsay on the night of June 30, and throughout the first of July.

June 30, 8 p. m.—Presentation of a religious pageant by members of the Young Ladies Sodality under the direction of Rev. Alcuin Kubis, and the crowning of Miss Clara Hundt as Miss Lindsay, queen of the golden jubilee, by the Angel of the Jubilee, personified by Miss Lucille Beizer.

July 1, 9:30 a. m.—Concert by the Muenster Youth Band under the direction of Rev. Richard Eved, procession in which the queen and her court, school children and clergy will participate. The route of the procession is as follows: Form at the Sister's house, march west to the Guardian Angel statue in front of church, then east to the rectory where the clergy will join in and then west again to the church. The small girls and boys participating will carry gold roses and sprays of flax, respectively. Lambert Beizer will lead with the flag.

10 o'clock—Pontifical High Mass by Rt. Rev. Abbot Paul Nahlen in the presence of His Excellency Most Rev. Joseph Patrick Lynch, Bishop of Dallas, the Most Rev. Augustine Dangelmayr, Auxiliary Bishop of Dallas, and the Very Rev. Monsignor V. Graffeo of Corsicana, with Rev. Vincent Orth of Corpus Christi as archpriest; Very Rev. Joseph Fuhrmann, Curate Christi, and Rev. Francis Zimmerer of Windthorst, deacons of honor; Rev. Herman Laux, Rhineland, deacon of the mass; Rev. Sylvester Schad, Clarksville, Ark., subdeacon; Rev. Alcuin Kubis, Curate Christi, first master of ceremonies; Very Rev. Ignatius Bodmayer, New Subiaco Abbey, second master of ceremonies; Sermon by Rev. Aemilian Schmitt, Fort Worth.

Chaplains for the Most Rev. Bishop will be Rev. Aemilian Schmitt and Rev. J. J. Bender of Dallas; chaplains for the Most Rev. Auxiliary Bishop will be Rev. Thomas Buergler and Rev. Herman Redder. Rev. J. J. Donnelly will be chaplain for the Very Rev. Monsignor Graffeo.

12:30 p. m.—Dinner for all in the school auditorium. During the afternoon—Picnic, homecoming celebrations, general get-together, tango and other diversions, refreshments and cold drinks.

8 o'clock—A dance in the community hall. The picnic will continue on the school grounds during the evening hours while the dance is in progress, and games and other diversions will be arranged for guests.

PLANS COMPLETE FOR JULY FOURTH PICNIC AND DANCE

Final plans and arrangements are completed for the annual Fourth of July picnic and dance, which this year is being sponsored by the local Knights of Columbus.

A large attendance is anticipated. J. W. Fisher, grand knight, advised this week. The affair will begin at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the K of C hall with bazaar attractions, lunches, cold drinks and games and will continue during the evening hours. At 8 o'clock it will be supplemented with a dance on the main floor. Berry Gardner's Orchestra has been engaged to pro-

RT. REV. ABBOT NAHLEN



—Right Reverend Paul M. Nahlen, O. S. B., Abbot of New Subiaco Abbey, is to be the celebrant of the Pontifical High Mass.

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REV. CONRAD HERDA



—Rev. Conrad Herda, O. S. B., Lindsay pastor since September, 1938, is general chairman of the Jubilee Celebration.

INDEPENDENCE DAY

One hundred and sixty-six years ago a small group of patriots gathered to assert their desire for freedom and declare their independence from a foreign power. That group of men formed the nucleus of our present nation and brought to life the strong feelings of liberty, a prominent characteristic of Americanism.

Never has the word Liberty meant so much as it does today. To commemorate the deeds of those great men and the principles they so proudly announced to the world, this nation has fittingly set aside July 4 as a national holiday. It falls on Saturday this year, and will be observed here with the closing of the Bank. According to Postmaster Arthur Endres the post office will remain open, since postmasters have declared "no holidays for the duration", but there will be no rural mail delivery.



Word was received here Friday from Pvt. Arnold Muller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Muller, advising that he landed safely in Northern Ireland. It was the first news of him since early in June. Arnold was inducted in the army in January and received his basic training at Camp Wallace. He is with the Coast Artillery.

A letter received by Mr. and Mrs. Felix Becker Monday from their son, Pvt. Walter Becker, advises that he is OK in Hawaii. Apparently the Muenster group that left Camp Wolters together is still together, although no mention of it was made in Walter's letter. He did say that Pvt. Carl Schilling was checked into the hospital there on arrival because of illness. Parents of the rest of the boys had had no word up to Tuesday morning.

Corp. Anthony Luke arrived Sunday morning for a three-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Luke. Corporal Luke was happy to arrive here in time for the 8:30 High Mass and was back at his old place at the pipe organ for that service. He is stationed at Camp Claiborne with the Finance department.

Gerald Stelzer, who enlisted in the Navy recently is now stationed at the Naval Training Base at San Diego, Calif. He gives the following as his address: Gerald A. Stelzer, Co. 307, U. S. N. T. S., San Diego, Calif.

Ferd Luttmmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Luttmmer, enlisted in the Navy two weeks ago and is now stationed at the Naval Training Base in San Diego, Calif. He and Gerald Stelzer made the trip to the West Coast together. Ferd qualified for the rating of a seaman first class.

Lt. M. J. Endres, Jr., came in Friday and spent until Tuesday with his parents and other relatives. He recently returned from Hawaii and Australia and is now at Hamilton Field, Calif. He is a ferry pilot. A number of social affairs were given in his honor during his stay here.

CORRECTION

The name of C. L. Hillard, candidate for county superintendent, was omitted from the Political Announcements list in this paper through error for two weeks. We received Mr. Hillard's announcement and are sorry that the omission of his name in the column occurred. It has been placed in the column this week.

Public School Teacher Staff Is Re-elected

The Public School staff of five teachers was re-elected to teach for another year when the newly approved school board met last week.

The school board, headed by Herbert Meurer, consists of seven trustees. In addition to Mr. Meurer they are Albert Henscheid, Frank Yosten, John Klement, Joe Wimmer, Herman Pierce and S. W. Lawson. This new board was approved by the County Board last week.

For several weeks Muenster was without a school board. Following the consolidation with Linn the local board automatically became void and the names of the trustees of both districts were presented to the county board for the selection and approval of a new board.

Teachers at the school for another term are Virgil Lee Welch, principal, J. E. Gray, and Misses Charlie Bradshaw, Mary Wiedemann and Elfrida Luke.

Terrell Vaughan Seeks Election As County Judge

Terrell J. Vaughan, well known Gainesville attorney, authorizes announcement of his candidacy for the office of county judge of Cooke county, subject to the Democratic primary election to be held on Saturday, July 25. He is serving his second term as city attorney of Gainesville, a place to which he was re-elected at the April city election.

Mr. Vaughan is a graduate of the University of Texas, where he studied law and received his degree. He has been a licensed attorney ever since leaving the university and his experience includes the trial of cases of various nature in the lower and federal courts, as well as being engaged in business employment that required an intimate knowledge of the law.

He served three years as assistant county attorney of Cooke county, assisting in the preparation of evidence and the trial of juvenile, civil and criminal cases.

While attending the University of Texas, Mr. Vaughan was an assistant in the law division of the School of Business Administration, involving some 2,500 students, an honor paid him in recognition of his ability. He helped work his way through the university, as assistant manager of the Alamo hotel and garage, studying at night between busy periods and catching sleep as possible. Another duty he performed to earn a portion of his livelihood, was special delivery carrier for the Austin post office, serving the capitol building alone.

Following his graduation, he entered the legal branch of one of the major oil companies, his duties including the purchase of leases on prospective oil lands. This work kept him in Cooke county for some time and later prompted him to resign his position, whereupon he moved to Gainesville and began private practice of law, in the office of the late W. O. Davis. He is recognized as having a complete law library and he continues to practice alone, having no ties, political or otherwise.

While serving as assistant county attorney of Cooke county, Mr. Vaughan prepared the briefs and handled the details that resulted in the trial and conviction of the first case under the recently-enacted securities act, involving the sale of

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Lindsay Will Observe 50 Years of Progress With Elaborate Festival

THE QUEEN



—Miss Clara Hundt will reign as "Miss Lindsay, Queen of the Golden Jubilee." She is a granddaughter of Anton Flusche, founder of the colony.

Out Early For the Jubilee

This is to inform our readers that The Enterprise staff has not gone haywire on its count of the days in this week. The purpose of our early publication is to get the paper into homes before the Lindsay Golden Jubilee celebration. Besides that, we want to spend a little of our time on Wednesday mingling with the crowds in our neighboring city.

It has rushed us to cut two full days off our schedule. We've missed some items we'd like to have. We'll use them next week. We wish to thank our advertisers for their cooperation and urge our readers to read their messages.

BISHOP DANGLMAYR TO BE CONSECRATED ON OCTOBER 7TH

The consecration of Most Rev. Augustine Dangelmayr, auxiliary bishop-elect will take place on October 7, the Feast of the Most Holy Rosary, it has been learned. The ceremony will take place in the Sacred Heart Cathedral of Dallas where the Bishop-elect was ordained a priest.

Most Rev. Archbishop Amleto Giovanni Cicognani, the apostolic delegate, Washington, will officiate as consecrator, and co-consecrators will be the Most Rev. Joseph F. Lynch, bishop of Dallas, and Most Rev. William David O'Brien, auxiliary bishop of Chicago.

Most Rev. Robert E. Lucey, archbishop of San Antonio, will preach the sermon.

Cards have been received by his wife and parents from Edgar Fette saying he was well and OK after the bombing of Dutch Harbor. The cards were of the government issued variety, listing phrases to be checked. According to the postmarks, they were mailed June 10th and arrived here on the 24th.

Expect Several Thousand If Weather Permits

Pontifical Mass, Religious Pageant, Group Dinner, Picnic and Dance Are Program Leaders

On Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, June 30 and July 1, the Lindsay community is observing a half century of progress and notable development with the most elaborate celebration of its history.

According to advance reports from former residents, church dignitaries and neighboring friends the town will be host to the largest number of guests it has ever entertained. Estimates are that, with favorable weather prevailing, the attendance should reach several thousand.

Preparations have been under way for several weeks. Members of the Young Ladies Sodality have held numerous rehearsals for the religious pageant as a part of the ceremonies crowning Miss Clara Hundt as queen of the golden jubilee and for a part in the procession preceding the Pontifical Mass the following morning.

Elaborate decorations will adorn the church, and the community in general is prepared to look its best for the colossal birthday party. In the meantime ladies of the parish prepare to serve the largest community dinner ever held in Lindsay.

Since the day commemorates the founding of the community in general as well as that of Saint Peter's Parish all members of the community are taking part. The outstanding event will be the Church's most sacred and colorful religious service, a Pontifical High Mass.

Homecoming celebrations and church bazaar features are the principal diversion for the afternoon and a dance at night in the hall will bring the gala celebration to a close.

THRASHING SEASON COMES AND GOES IN LESS THAN WEEK

The sight of a threshing machine or combine is a rare thing in this vicinity this year. Very few will leave their sheds. A few operated over scattered patches of grain during the weekend and a few more were out Monday and Tuesday. The beginning and end of the threshing season came and went in less than a week.

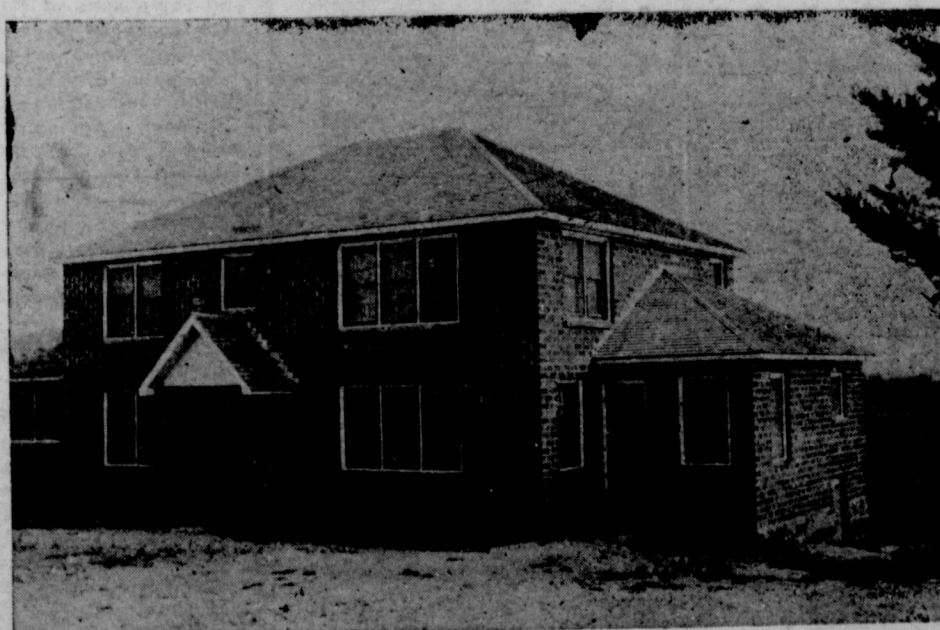
The Muenster area, like most of Texas, was hard hit by green bugs. The yield of the few and far between patches left is bad. It is considered the worst grain year in the community's history.

Reports on wheat are an average of 5 to 7 bushels, with a few exceptional fields averaging 10. Oats left was too bad to thresh. It was hauled into barns for feed.

Cotton, of which more is planted than usual, to make up for the loss of grain, and corn, are reported looking good.

Senator and Mrs. Olan R. Van Zandt and their son, Rodgers, of Toga, and Joe M. Leonard of Gainesville, were here Saturday afternoon to visit friends and acquaintances.

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LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Short Items of Interest About Folks You Know

ROSABELL DRIEVER, Society Editor

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schoech and Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Schoech were Sherman visitors Thursday.

Miss Margaret Ondre of Denton spent the weekend here with Miss Charlene Bradshaw.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rebentish returned to Dallas Monday after visiting relatives and friends here since last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wieler and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Tuggle left Friday on a vacation trip to Colorado. They expect to be gone a week.

The Get-Together Club will meet this Thursday, July 2, it has been announced. Mrs. John Wieler will be hostess in her home.

Pvt. and Mrs. Paul Yosten of San Antonio spent the weekend here with their parents, Messrs and Mesdames Bob Yosten and Theo Miller.

Miss Gertrude Burkhardt of Fort Worth is here for a two weeks' vacation visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burkhardt, and other relatives.

Miss Charlene Bradshaw of Denton spent the weekend here with relatives and friends. Her sister, Mrs. T. S. Myrick, went to Denton Friday to get her.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Schoech and Mr. and Mrs. Al Wiesman drove to Dallas Friday to spend the day with their daughter and sister, Miss Pauline Schoech.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Buckley and daughter, Betty Lue, returned Saturday from a week's vacation trip, most of which was spent with relatives in Oklahoma.

Bob Steadham is reported improving slowly from injuries in a fall from a horse May 15. He is at home on the Hap Ranch and is

able to sit up some this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Steinberger, Miss Edna Lea Carter and James Mullenkopf visited in Bonham and attended a radio there Sunday.

Frank Lutkenhaus, who has been ill for the past several weeks, was taken to the Gainesville sanitarium during the weekend where he is reported unimproved.

A house and other buildings from the camp Howze area were moved during the week to the Morris King farm, located between the John Schmitz and Gus Sicking farms.

Members of the church choir honored Corp. Anthony Luke with a party at his home Sunday evening. Corp. Luke spent from Sunday to Tuesday here with members of his family.

W. Lee Stock's victory garden is turning out some fine potatoes this year. Saturday Mr. Stock was displaying one potato that is almost four inches in diameter. It measures 12 inches around one way and 11 inches the other.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pagel have moved back to Denison from Smithville where they resided for the past two years. He is dispatcher for the M-K-T railroad. Mr. and Mrs. Pagel visited here Friday with his father and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chandler and daughters of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Edna Hart and son of Marshall were weekend visitors here. They were guests of the ladies' father, Gregor Stelzer and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lutkenhaus had as guests Thursday, Friday and Saturday, her mother, Mrs. George Loeffelholz of Norman, Ok-

PRIVATE PEANUT GOES TO WAR



I'm Private Peanut and I'm plenty tough! My hitting power is in terms of oil. From 12,000 pounds of peanut oil, can be made 3,000 pounds of soap and enough nitro-glycerine to fire a 16-inch gun on a battleship. One blast from that gun sure could mess up a lot of Japs! Many other things needed by our fighting men and civilians can also be made from peanut oil, such as cooking fats and oleomargarine. Huge supplies of these things will give the United Nations the power to bury the hatchet—in the Axis' neck. Uncle Sam has asked farmers to mobilize five million acres of boys like me. And they're doing it!

lahoma, and her brother, William Loeffelholz and son and daughter of Oklahoma City.

Mrs. F. A. Kathman and infant son, Ronald Edward, have been moved from the local clinic to their home. The baby was baptised Thursday by Rev. Alcuin Kubis, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Richter as sponsors.

Miss Olivia Stock spent the weekend in Dallas with relatives and friends. She made the trip Friday with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Drake and daughter, Alis Gene, who returned to that city after visiting here and at Gainesville three days.

Greeting cards were received by friends here during the weekend from Pvt. and Mrs. Aubrey Jennings who were spending their honeymoon in Colorado. The couple is now at home in Mineral Wells where he is stationed at Camp Wolters. Mrs. Jennings is the former Miss Rita Felderhoff.

Paul Yosten received a promotion last week and is now a 5th Technician. He is at Camp Normoyle, San Antonio, and is a cook. He and his wife were here during the weekend for a visit with relatives.

An interesting letter from Corp. Gene Lehnertz this week advises that his company pulled out for foreign service, leaving him behind. He's been doing a lot of studying and passed his test making an even 100 per cent, the highest in the class, and is now assigned to radio school; besides that, he's in charge of a bunch of new rookies, and in between time plays baseball with the camp team. He's at Camp Stewart, Georgia.

4-H CLUB GIRLS ASK GARDEN CLUB TO ATTEND PARTY

Members of the Civic League and Garden Club this week received an invitation from the local 4-H Club girls asking them to be their guests at the annual 4-H party to be held this year on July 7 in the home of Miss Margie Endres. It will be a lawn party from 5 to 10 p. m. The invitation was addressed to the Garden Club in care of Mrs. Joe Luke, president, and states that the girls are looking forward to seeing the ladies on that evening.

M. J. ENDRES FAMILY HAS REUNION SUNDAY Sunday was a happy day for Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Endres and their four children, L. M. J. Endres, Jr., of Hamilton Field, Calif., Sister Agnes of Dallas, and Sister Irma and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Endres and three sons of Fort Worth, who were together for the day for the first time since 1934.

At noon dinner was served and during the afternoon open house was held. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Fisch, grandparents of the visitors, and a large number of relatives and friends. Ice cream and cake were served, group pictures were made and moving pictures were taken by movie enthusiast J. M. Weinapfel.

NOTICE 4-H CLUB GIRLS Plans for the party on July 7 are complete. Each girl is asked to bring lunch for herself and one other guest, and leave 10 cents with Margie Endres before that date. Please get in touch with Miss Endres for further details if necessary. The above announcement was made this week by members of the 4-H Club.

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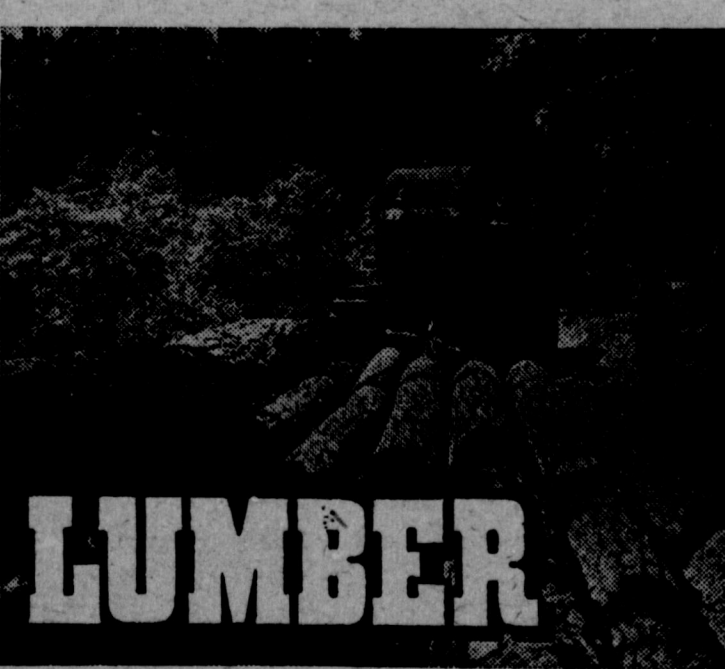
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County Judge



With another training cycle completed, the army's scattering process is again under way. Men of this battalion are spending the weekend leisurely awaiting orders for the transfer to other organizations. Most of them are packed and ready to go on short notice. A few are already on their way.

Among those already gone are most of the men selected for the officers candidate school. They have simply transferred to another corner of the camp for two weeks of preliminary training in the new course. Then they will be ready to enter the regular school.

As they pulled out several of them were rather tense, conscious of an ordeal considerably more rigid than the two months just completed. They had been hearing stories about the hard grind from early to late, frequent inspections, etc., etc. It isn't child's play to earn a commission in Uncle Sam's army. Perhaps this few months of toeing the line explains why officers are so exacting in their demands of privates.

As far as Con is concerned, there has been no verdict to date. No indication of what will happen, or

when. However, the basic training is theoretically complete. The rifle has been officially fired and recorded, the score being 145. Considering other figures turned in by the home town boys, that's nothing to write about. But it happens to be customary to admit a mediocre score as well as brag about a good one. Nevertheless that score is no reason to hang one's head in shame.

The army give's a marksman's rating for 134 or better. And it's surprising how many soldiers fail to reach that figure.

After the wind-up parade Saturday ending this battalion's cycle, medals were awarded to all the sharpshooters—168 and over—and to the experts—178 and over. Marksman have the privilege of wearing a medal if they will buy it themselves.

After a person has fired a gun and learned just how hard it is to hit a bulls eye a couple of hundred yards away he can fully appreciate the kind of shooting exhibition we had here last Tuesday. The Top-pervains, internationally famous trick shot artists of San Antonio, were showing how really skillful people use a gun.

The speed and accuracy of those people is almost unbelievable, especially in view of their age. He's past 70 and she's not far behind. They are good with anything, rifle, shotgun or pistol, or any model, automatic, pump or lever action.

One trick, for instance, was to toss up three small wood blocks simultaneously and blast them all in the air with a lever action gun. We duffers could not have got as many shots out of an automatic gun, to say nothing of the accuracy.

Another trick was to hit five clay

pigeons thrown up together. Also a stunt that the couple pioneered, drawing a cartoon design on a metal sheet. Now they're drawing Uncle Sam instead of the old favorite Indian's head. To see them in action makes a person wonder what a regiment of them could do. They could stand their ground against enemy infantry ten times as numerous.

For once the boys were rejoicing over guard duty last week. It was timed exactly right to relieve them of their dreaded 18 mile hike. They didn't even seem to mind the constant rain and the extra hours of duty. Con's assignment on this deal was to accompany a few gentlemen of the brig on their special work detail—just stick around with a riot gun as a reminder that it's not wise to leave abruptly.

When a person reports for the job the officer in charge is careful to impress him with the importance of his duty. Orders are to shoot to kill in case of a break. Bring the prisoners back dead or alive, etc. A guy would expect his charges to be desperate criminals under a life sentence. All of which may be true regarding a few isolated cases. But usually the prisoners are ordinary fellows, paying their penalty for getting stowed or going AWOL for a few days. They could be guarded with a stick. In fact it's their own good judgment, not a guard that keeps them under control. Besides they are usually as much afraid of the guard's nervousness as anything else. They don't have any idea how little would provoke him to blast away.

It never fails to happen that people spend several days at a horse-play when an inter-office communi-

cating system is installed. This company put in one last week connecting the company headquarters with all the barracks and the mess hall. A big improvement saving lots of time and steps. But until the novelty wore off it was principally a means of conveying abuse, profanity and wisecracks from one place to another. Neatest stunt was that of the guy who went to the orderly room and gave his name as someone to be found immediately. He had the boys hunting and yelling around the company for several minutes on a wild goose chase.

In spite of war and hard training soldiers are, on the average, a crowd of carefree, light hearted men. They have a lot more fun than grief. They are finding or creating humorous situations in their hardest work. And once the day is done there are always some who come in like a team of young work horses just relieved of their harness, romping and full of spunk.

Optimism is another characteristic. When the headlines proclaim a bad day for the Axis they like to talk it over and predict the end for only a few months hence. But there's little mention of the kind of news we've had lately. The boys simply disregard what is unfavorable. They refuse to be discouraged. They are poor subjects for Hitler's system of warring on nerves.

It's also amazing to find how many persist in the belief that it will end this year. They remember with pride the American record on Wake, Bataan, the Coral Sea, Midway, and the A. V. G., in China. And they confidently predict the same kind of fighting on an inter-

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Olan Van Zandt of Tioga for Re-election to State Senate

From Ninth Senatorial District, Composed of Grayson, Fannin and Cooke Counties

human atrocities and, to this end, I pledge my every effort."

The record of accomplishments of one in public office is the best proof of what the people may expect of such an official in the future. We all know that during the past decade Texas has passed

Senator Olan R. Van Zandt has announced his candidacy for re-election as State Senator for the Ninth Senatorial District subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

Prior to his elevation to the State Senate, he was Grayson County's representative in the Legislature, having been elected to that office for four consecutive terms. He has been an active and aggressive Legislator with a record of accomplishments outstanding and this record is not only found in the permanent Journals of the Legislature of Texas, but may be traced in almost every newspaper in the State. He has consistently been identified with every progressive movement for efficiency and economy in government.

Van Zandt holds firmly to the belief that "a public office is a public trust," and his actions in private and public life are inspirations of truth and loyalty to duty. He has an intimate knowledge of State Government and its vexing problems and his opinions are respected highly by his colleagues. In Senator Van Zandt the Voters have found a true and tried servant, modest and unassuming, yet active and aggressive, a leader and a fighter for what he believes is right and for the best interest of the people. He is unfaltering in his belief for justice and equality to all and uncompromising in his efforts for the high ideals for which he stands.

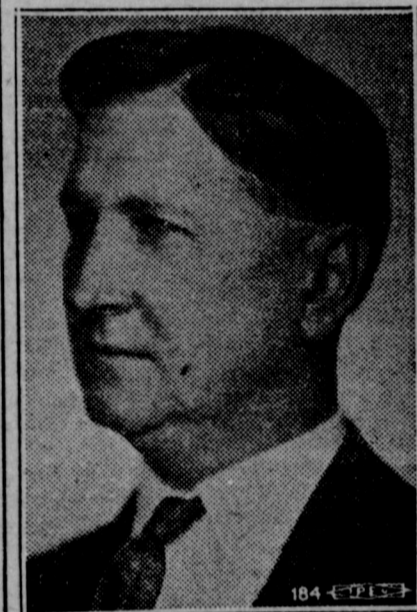
Senator Van Zandt was born near Tioga fifty-two years ago and still lives within three miles of his birthplace. Educated in the public schools of the State of Texas and, in spite of the fact that he does not see, he is a graduate of the University of Texas, having had his lessons read to him by one of his seeing classmates and typing out his examinations on an old Oliver typewriter. Senator Van Zandt has practiced law in his home town ever since he obtained his law degree. In recognition of his ability as a lawyer, the Supreme Court of Texas named Senator Van Zandt as one of its Rules Committeemen. This Committee recommended Rules of Civil procedure to the Supreme Court which it adopted and which will expedite the business of our courts, prevent delays in trials and reduce the cost thereof. Senator Van Zandt was married to Beatrice M. Burnam in 1920 and to this marriage has been born four children, one boy and three girls. The eldest girl recently was married to Lt. Francis E. Savage of Dorchester, Texas, now stationed in Florida. Mrs. Savage has promised to return to Texas and aid her daddy as usual in his campaign.

Prime Consideration Of Government

In his simple and sincere manner, the Senator had this to say about his candidacy for re-election to the State Senate:

"I again seek this honor upon my record of accomplishments in the Texas Legislature. I pledge to the people of the Ninth Senatorial District a continuation of loyal service and fidelity to duty that I have striven to perform in the past.

"The prime consideration of every public official and private citizen should be in the winning of the war and the obtaining of a lasting world peace. I want to do my part; therefore, I have offered my services in this field of opportunity which I know best, in the realization that any sacrifice on the home front would not be enough to begin to repay our fighting boys for their hardships and dangers on the fighting front. It is absolutely necessary that the Legislatures of the several States cooperate in fact and not by words with the Federal Government in its all out effort to win the war and stand ever vigilant to return our soldiers to civilian life in some gainful employment when they return home victorious from a crusade against barbarism and in-



OLAN R. VAN ZANDT

through one of the most trying periods in history. Senator Van Zandt has met each of the issues face to face and has assisted materially in solving every problem as it developed.

Sponsored School and Social Security Bills

He was on the job when it became necessary to raise revenues to better finance Old Age Pensions. He secured the submission of a Constitutional Amendment granting aid to destitute and dependent children and needy blind, and obtained appropriations therefor. He drafted the law which set up the stamp plan in Texas, thereby obtaining a more sane and sensible method of distributing agricultural products to the consumer. He was in the thick of the fight for setting up unemployment insurance in Texas, which gives to the working man greater security against the day of unemployment. He early realized the need of an adequate system of Public highways and voted for taxes with which to build a State network of highways, thereby taking the outlying sections of the State out of the mud. He was one of the first Legislators to come to the aid of the debt burdened Counties by securing the passage of a law through which the State assumed all of the burden of building State highways out of the gasoline tax and refunding to the counties the moneys which they had bonded themselves to pay for such highways.

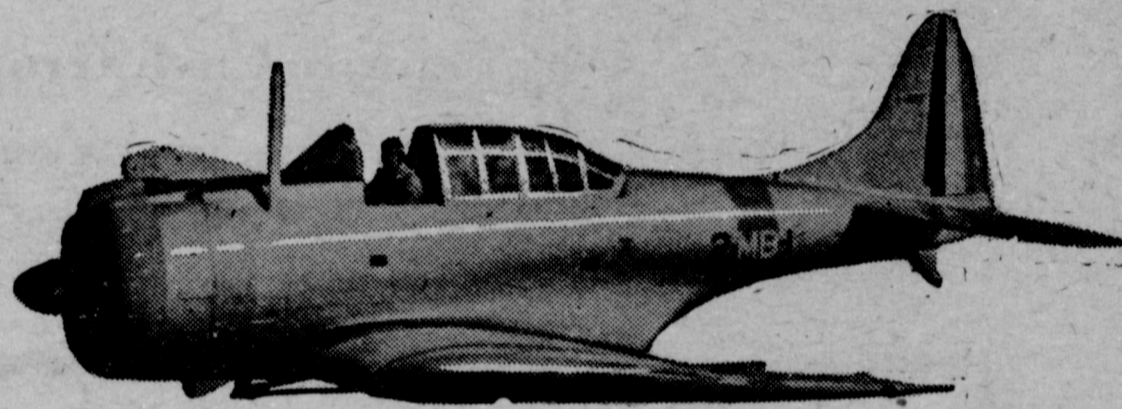
The School children of Texas have received the Special Attention of the Senator. The Scholastic apportionment has been raised from eleven and 50-100 dollars to twenty-two and 50-100 dollars during his tenure in office.

Every child attending high school at State expense is doing so through the foresight of our Senator. He is the author of the high school tuition law. The school bus transportation system in Texas has been nurtured and fathered by Senator Van Zandt ever since its inception and has grown from an annual appropriation of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) to three million, thirty-nine thousand and twenty dollars (\$3,039,020) annually.

At the same time, he has seen to it that our school teachers have been paid in full and that they have a retirement insurance provided for them as a security against the day they are no longer able to render efficient service. These are only a few of the accomplishments standing in the record of our State Senator.

Olan R. Van Zandt has been tried and has at no time been found wanting whenever the interest of the common citizen was at stake and he has conducted himself worthy of the dignity of the office he holds.

(Olan R. Van Zandt—Pol. Adv.)



Hats Off To Our AIR FORCE

Our boys in the United States Air Force are recognized as the "fightenest" unit of manpower that has ever been assembled.

Co-ordinated—Efficiency gives this fighting branch of our forces its outstanding effectiveness.

We here at the FARMERS MARKETING ASSOCIATION have enjoyed a co-ordinated community efficiency since 1922. Through the various stages of economic unrest we have always maintained a good market for the farmers in this vicinity. Knowing the advantage of uniform cooperation, we feel we are able to judge it, whether in our line or in another field.

Therefore we wish to congratulate the citizens of Lindsay, not as one man, but as a proven cooperation, upon their accomplishment of 50 years as a community.

GOOD LUCK IN YOUR JOURNEY AHEAD



Farmers Marketing Association

Cheese Plant

R. J. "Rudy" Hellman

Store

Andy Hofbauer

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LINDSAY CELEBRATES

The 50th anniversary of the Catholic Parish of Lindsay marks the semi-centennial not only of Saint Peter's Church, but also of the community as a whole.

The beginning of Lindsay, as of many other new colonies, offered difficulties and trials. The Flusche Brothers, Anton and August, organizers of the colony, specifying that the settlers should be Germans of Catholic descent, knew well that without religious facilities there would be no community. Therefore they strove to establish facilities for religious worship as soon as possible. Although the date of the contract for the colonization was signed in January 1891, the first settlers did not consider the parish duly established until the first mass was read, March 25, 1892. Therefore they observe that date as the anniversary of the birthday of the parish and the year 1942 as the Jubilee Year.

Lindsay is the fifth German Catholic colony owing its existence to the Flusche Brothers. Westphalia, Iowa, Westphalia and Olpe, Kansas, and Münster, Texas, were the other four, in the order named.

They have all turned out to be large, self-supporting parishes. The Lindsay area is known as one of the thrifty, well-tended communities of Cooke county, from which Münster and Gainesville gets a large part of its milk supply, as one whose voting boxes send almost solid wet returns in prohibition elections and as one where the Catholic church is predominant. Only approximately a score of its families and non-Catholic. The Public School is conducted by Catholic Sisters. Because of the commanding part the Church has played in the region's development, the present celebration has a civic as well as a religious significance.

Lindsay has reason to enter into the celebration wholeheartedly. It has a history that merits this commemoration.

THIS EDITION

In keeping with the spirit of the Golden Jubilee celebration at Lindsay, the Enterprise this week offers a special edition dedicated to Lindsay's half-century of progress. We admit that many days of work and some midnight oil has gone into its composition. We take this opportunity to extend our own warmest greetings and best wishes to the community of Lindsay and its parishioners on this their triumphant Golden Anniversary.

We do not, however, desire to accept all the credit for this issue. We are deeply indebted to the Rev. Father Conrad for use of most of the pictures used herein.

We offer special thanks to the many business men whose generous use of advertising space made it possible to publish this edition. Most of their messages are splendid tributes to the people of Lindsay.

And we are thankful for having a History of Saint Peter's Parish, an attractive book, distributed in March, which many people have read by this time, from which we took most of the historical data contained in this issue. The history book is by A. C. Flusche of Denison, a son of Anton Flusche, who was a lad ten years of age when the colony was surveyed and laid out. The manuscript was reviewed and arranged for publication by the Rev. Joseph P. Fuhrmann, O. S. B., a native son of the community, and was printed by Standard Printing Co., San Antonio.

Perhaps some people will like to keep their copy of

this edition of the Enterprise as a souvenir of the Golden Jubilee. We have printed several hundred copies so that every home in the community, whether or not it is on our subscription list, may have one. Out of town visitors may have a copy by asking for it at the special stand on the Jubilee grounds.

CONTROL OF COTTON INSECTS IS IMPORTANT

Since the farmers in Cooke county have lost all of their grain, it is very important that they control all insects affecting cotton.

One of the first things to look for is the Cotton Flea Hopper. Farmers should begin watching for this insect when the cotton plants have between 6 to 8 leaves. This insect is controlled by using dusting sulphur. Later in the year, you may have Boll Weevil, Cotton Bollworm, and Leaf Worm.

Information on how to control these insects can be obtained from the County Agent's Office. This information is put out in a very condensed bulletin from the Texas Experiment Station.

It is very important that farmers know exactly when to dust and when not to dust. It is foolish for a farmer to spend money in dusting when he does not have enough cotton insects to warrant dusting.

This can be done by count which does not take a great deal of time. To enable farmers to know how to make the count and recognize the insects, the County Agent is conducting two demonstrations, one on the Marvin Davis farm near Valley View, and the other on the Joe Lewter farm near Hood. These farms will be inspected weekly to the supervision of the County Agent and the Cotton Insect man from A. & M. College. The schedule of these inspections will be announced later and all farmers in the County can attend on these inspection dates and learn how to make the proper count and identify all cotton insects.

As stated above, farmers should begin looking for insects when the cotton has from 6 to 8 leaves.

Sweet Clover Pasture Increases Local Man's Milk Production Income

"Sweet clover pasture has increased my milk production 146 pounds and consequently my daily income \$2.60 from 18 cows," Bruno Fleitman, young progressive farmer-dairyman of Münster, said today, in discussing soil conservation with members of the county board.

"The clover is planted on small grain, he continued, then after the harvest of grain it furnishes excellent pasture until frost or until it is plowed under for green manure. I usually turn it under after about 2 months of grazing. Sudan grass will furnish plenty of pasture from this time until frost."

"Sweet clover planted with small grain is good insurance against erosion. This year the green bugs destroyed small grain and if the sweet clover hadn't been growing on the land washing would have been much more severe during spring floods."

"I haven't been using clover long enough to know how it will effect the production of following crops but I am sure it will result in a substantial increase in production because of the organic matter added to the soil."

"I plan to use sweet clover as a soil building and temporary pasture crop in my regular rotation. I also like the idea of a silo on the farm and plan to use one in my farming operations to provide succulent feed for my cows in the winter and as a feed reserve during droughts," he

Confetti---

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nately larger scale as soon as our overseas forces start moving forward. There is a spirit that Hitler and Tojo cannot shake.

This present week is one that Con would like to spend back in good old Cooke county. The special occasion is Lindsay's commemoration of a half century of progress. It would be fun to help 'em celebrate. But under the circumstances Con will have to content himself with congratulations and good wishes for another fifty years as notable as those past.

concluded. The farmer's conclusion regarding the increased production of crops following sweet clover is borne out by the experiment station at Denton which reports the highest yield of cotton obtained on a 10-year experiment was where sweet clover was used in the rotation and turned under for green manure.

A great advantage of silent contempt is that it often prevents a black eye.

WANT ADS

FARMS FOR SALE: Around Myra, Hood and Valley View, with crops and possessions. See J. M. Russell, 317 N. Denton St., Gainesville, Phone 379-W. 32-1f

SCRAP IRON and Metals. Used parts of all kinds. J. P. Flusche, Münster. 23-1f.

FOR SALE: Oliver 70 row crop tractor, practically new motor, \$375; Oliver 70 row crop tractor on practically new rubber, reconditioned motor, \$450; McCormick-Deering 22-36 tractor in excellent condition, \$250; McCormick-Deering 3 to 5 disc roller bearing plow, \$135. Three John Deere roller bearing plows from 3 to 5 disc, \$135 and up; roller bearing Farmall plow, \$100; Saunders 6-foot one-way plow, \$50; Two John Deere 16-runner grain drills, \$85 each; 18 runner drill, \$50; 4-section harrow, \$25—Lawrence Zimmerman, 5 miles southwest of Gainesville. 31-2

Care For Your Car

Your first concern today is for your car. Treat it as you do your furniture. Have it checked often, and the defects corrected.

REMEMBER—you can't replace it now.

Come in, we'll be glad to help you.

F. E. SCHMITZ

Gainesville

Greetings

Lindsay

On Your Accomplishments

Temple Cash Gro. & Mkt.

JOE PULTE & SON

Masonic Building

Next to Market Square

Congratulations

LINDSAY

On Your Fiftieth Anniversary

It was just three years ago that our lines were brought to the Lindsay Area.

Since that time we have come to know and respect the good will and co-operation that is necessary to the survival of a community.

May your next FIFTY YEARS outshine your last fifty.

Cooke County Electric Co-operative Association

MÜNSTER

50 YEARS.....

Of continued growth, community cooperation, and community loyalty is an achievement to be justly proud of.

The MANHATTAN CLOTHIERS congratulates the people of LINDSAY on their half century of Success, and proudly states that it has numbered the citizens of Lindsay among its most loyal patrons of the past—

48 Years

Manhattan Clothiers

THE MAN'S STORE

Leo M. Kuehn

Gainesville

**It Happened
5 Years Ago**

Friday, July 3, 1937

Advantages of Kessler Plan to be presented to people of Muenster. — Members of Fuhrmann family attend investiture service of Cecilia Fuhrmann. — Mother's Society to sponsor Fourth of July picnic. — Large crowd raises boys in donkey ball game. — Mrs. Ben Seyler returns from hospital, improves daily. — Members of Lindsay Band sponsor picnic. — Ray Wilde is named patrol leader of Muenster Boy Scouts. — Father Frowin visits in Hartman, Ark. — Mrs. John Benner recovering from illness at home in Lindsay. — Miss Pauline Harrison and Ernest Craven of Gainesville are married. — A son, Larry Thomas, is born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hennigan.

**PRESSURE COOKER CLINIC
WAS HELD HERE FRIDAY**

Miss Nettie Shultz, county agent, conducted a pressure cooker clinic here Friday in the home economics building at the Public School and tested a large number of cookers and gave helpful hints on home canning. Miss Shultz stated that for the convenience of those women who were unable to bring their cookers in Friday she is conducting a clinic every Saturday afternoon in the club house at the Fair Park and asks women who missed the meeting Friday to see her there.

Myra News

Mrs. John Blanton
Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Blanton visited relatives in Gainesville Sunday.

Will A. Medlen of Muenster was a Sunday guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Needham.

Mrs. Doty Warner of Gainesville spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Payne.

Mrs. Fred McTaggart is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Burl McKee at Three Rivers this week.

Mrs. A. E. Barnes and daughter, Myra Lee, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Myers, at Valley View Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Nance and children of Dallas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Needham and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Andress Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Henry were guests of Mrs. J. T. Biffle, Sr., Sunday. Mr. Henry is in the Navy and is stationed in Florida. He is here on a few days furlough.

Misses Dorothy and Frances Atwood have returned to their home in Guthrie, Oklahoma, after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Underwood.

Mrs. Doty Warner of Gainesville had a cablegram from her husband, Pvt. Doty Warner this week stating he was safe and well. The place of his whereabouts was not revealed. Pvt. Warner is the son of Mr. and

Mrs. L. B. Warner of Myra.

Mrs. D. I. Maxwell and son Douglas, arrived Wednesday morning from Chicago, Ill., for a visit with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Grace Maxwell, and son, C. L. Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones of Corpus Christi, and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Miser and children and Mrs. Harry Miser of Fort Worth spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Nat Piott.

Mrs. Richard Cain went to Baylor Hospital in Dallas Friday for treatment. Mrs. Ruth Needham, who has been a patient in Baylor Hospital for the past month, returned home with her.

**B. C. ROSSONS ARE
PARTY HOSTS SUNDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Rosson entertained a group of friends Sunday evening at their home southeast of Myra with a supper and swimming party complimenting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rosson. Mr. Rosson left June 30 for army training camp. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Biffle and son, Phillip, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pryor, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Aldridge, Mr. and Mrs. James Abner Enderby, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hudson, Mesdames J. T. Rosson, Sr., and Joe Cauldwell.

The out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dozier and Mrs. Doty Warner of Gainesville, and Mrs. Wilber Webb, of Nashville, Tenn.

**MYRA SUNSHINE CLUB
HAS MEETING FRIDAY**

Mesdames Lee Livingston and Ike Fulton were hostesses for the Sunshine Club at the club house Friday afternoon. Mrs. Parker Fears presided at a short business session at which time the members drew names for the next quarter, and the members exchanged gifts. Sixteen members and two guests attended, Mesdames D. I. Maxwell, Chicago, and Mrs. Wilber Webb, Nashville, Tenn. The hostesses served a delicious refreshment plate and punch.

Myra, June 23.—Miss Bobby Biffle is visiting relatives in Fort Worth.

Crawford Underwood of Dallas, visited his father, A. E. Underwood, Sunday.

Mrs. Wilbur Webb of Nashville, Tenn., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Rosson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Heubner of Ft. Worth spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Biffle.

William Penney of Maple, Texas, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whiteside, here this week.

Misses Dorothy and Frances Atwood of Guthrie, Oklahoma, were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Underwood.

Will Fulton returned to his home here with his son, Ike Fulton, after a week's visit with his children in Dallas.

Mrs. Rosalee Melton returned to her home in St. Louis, Mo., Wednesday, after a week's visit with her friend, Mrs. Parker Fears.

Mesdames J. T. Biffle, Sr., and D. C. Gillette spent Friday in Sherman, where Mrs. Biffle, who has been ill, went through a clinic.

Tom Farmer of Denton, was a business visitor here Thursday and visited Mrs. Grace Maxwell and son, C. L.

Mrs. T. L. Cauldwell, who has been ill for several weeks here at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jim Pilgrim, is still confined to her bed and is reported unimproved.

Mrs. Harry Jones and daughter, Betty Jean, returned Monday to their home in Corpus Christi after a two weeks' visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Piott.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Shears and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Shears and son, Eugene, all of Forestburg, spent Sunday in the home Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whiteside.

Mrs. J. T. Biffle, III, and son, Michael, returned to their home in Houston Friday after a ten days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Biffle and Mrs. W. A. Hoskins.

Mrs. Sol Carpenter and daughters left for Hobbs, New Mexico, Sunday afternoon. They will be accompanied home by her husband, Rev. Carpenter, who has been holding a revival meeting in Hobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ballew and children of Ada, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gay and children of Abilene, spent several days of the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Andress.

Haworth Russell of Cedar Hill is visiting John Webb this week. Rev. and Mrs. Webb had as their dinner guests Sunday, Misses Jean Pace and Doris Lee of Gainesville and their house guest, Haworth Russell.

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**CLEANING & PRESSING
SHOE REPAIRING**

Nick Miller

**MAKE IT A SAFE
AND SANE FOURTH**

AUSTIN, Texas, June 30.—A plea for a safe and sane Fourth of July was issued today by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, who declared, "We should not forget that the glorious Fourth is the anniversary of American freedom—a freedom which is now in jeopardy. This nation needs every man, woman, and child at maximum physical strength. Unnecessary loss of life or time from careless accidents is a form of sabotage against our total war effort."

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that hundreds of accidents occur each year among Fourth of July celebrants, including drowning, traffic casualties, and serious injuries from fireworks. He declared that every day's time lost in this manner will handicap the nation's war effort.

"The celebration of American independence is a custom dear to the hearts of all Americans," Dr. Cox said, "but this year as never before care should be taken to avoid accidents which cripple or kill since our maximum manpower is needed for the successful prosecution of a war to defend that same American freedom."

"Using caution in water sports and in traveling on the highways will aid materially in cutting down the total number of accidents, and the cautious handling of all fireworks will result in fewer painful injuries to small children," Dr. Cox declared.

Two backwoodsmen knocked on the door of a cabin.

"Howdy, Joe, Me and Ed just found the body of a dead man over there in the hollow, and we thought maybe it was you."

"Wat'd he look like?"

"He was about your build, and—"

"Did he have on a flannel shirt?"

"Yup."

"With red and white checks?"

"No, it was plain gray."

"None, twarn't me."

**Political
Announcements**

The following persons have authorized the Enterprise to announce their candidacies for political offices, subject to the Democratic Primary Election, July 25, 1942:

DISTRICT CLERK:
MARTIN G. DAVIS

COUNTY ATTORNEY:
JOHN ATCHISON

COUNTY TREASURER:
MRS. EVA G. TOWNSLEY

COUNTY JUDGE:
CARROLL F. SULLIVANT

COUNTY CLERK:
J. C. (Jim) REESE

D (Dolphy) SCOTT

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT
RANDOLPH O'BRIEN

C. L. HILLIARD

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Pre. 3:
J. R. (Robert) LITTLE

E. A. (Babe) FELKER

JOE BAUER

COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRE. 4:
JOHN A. FISHER

JOE BEZNER

J. E. (Earl) ROBISON

Congratulations Lindsay

FIFTY YEARS OF PROGRESS
DESERVES HIGHEST PRAISES

Martin G. Davis

Candidate For
DISTRICT CLERK OF COOKE COUNTY

Jubilee Greetings

to our

Many Friends

in

LINDSAY

Your record of achievement

deserves highest Praise

COOKE COUNTY FROZEN FOOD CO.

306 W. Harvey St.

Gainesville

We Salute

LINDSAY

On Their

GOLDEN JUBILEE

T. J. Vaughan

Candidate for

County Judge

**Salutations
to Lindsay
On Your
50th Anniversary**

Ben Seyler Motor Company

Phone 75 Muenster

**Congratulations to the
Citizens of Lindsay
Upon the Celebration
of Their Golden Anniversary**

Teague Company

Dixon at Elm Gainesville, Texas

Greetings Lindsay

We congratulate you on your Golden Jubilee for your splendid achievements. We also take this opportunity to sympathize with you on the division of your progressive community by the Army Camp.

Muenster Milling Company

R. R. ENDRES.

Everything in Seeding and Feeding Line

Best Wishes

for

Your Continued Success

Citizens of

LINDSAY

John Atchison

Candidate For Re-election

County Attorney

Lindsay News

Word was received by his mother Saturday from Pvt. Albert Hoelker advising that he had landed safely in Hawaii. This was the family's first word from him since June 10 when he wrote from Angel Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Loerwald received a message Friday from their son, Pvt. Fred Loerwald, advising that he was safe and well in Northern Ireland. It was their first word from him in five weeks. Fred was inducted in the army in November and received his basic training at Camp Wallace.

Mrs. Jessie Galvan and daughter, Peggy Lou, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Young, all of Dallas, have arrived to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bezner, and attend the Golden Jubilee.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Schad and daughters visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Horn, and other relatives in Muenster.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Flusche and family were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eberhart at Muenster.

Miss Gertrude Beyer of Gainesville is here to spend the week with members of her family and be among the visitors at the Golden Jubilee celebrations.

Miss Caroline Mueller is back in the city after a visit in Fort Smith, Ark., where she attended religious ceremonies during which her niece, Sister Olivia, made her perpetual vows. Sister Olivia accompanied Miss Mueller to Lindsay to spend two weeks.

Pfc. Bernard Zimmerer of Shepard Field was here to spend the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Zimmerer and family.

Eugene Schmitz and Joe Hundt of Garland were weekend guests of their parents and other relatives.

Miss Olivia Mosman, who has been in San Antonio, arrived during the weekend to attend the anniversary celebrations on June 30 and July 1. She is a guest of her

SAINT PETER'S SCHOOL



Built by Father Bernard, 1917. Enlarged by Father Conrad, 1923

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mosman.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lueb and family of Kenefic, Okla., will be among the crowds at the Golden Jubilee celebrations. They arrived Saturday. The family resided here before moving to Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Eckelhoff of Morrisons Bluff, Ark., and their son, the Rev. Father Lambert, of Subiaco, Ark., have arrived to participate in the Golden Jubilee celebrations.

Rev. Father Sylvester of Clarksville, Ark., was among the first to arrive for the Golden Jubilee celebrations. He came in Sunday, and is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Sophia Schad.

Rev. Bonaventure of Subiaco, Ark., arrived Monday morning to be here for the anniversary celebrations of Saint Peter's parish.

Theo Schmitz and Miss Theresa Loerwald were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Horn, Jr., at Muenster.

Lindsay's Service Flag was blessed Sunday and was raised in the front of the church. It displays thirty-two blue stars.

Miss Veronica Fuhrman of Chicago, Ill., is here to attend the golden jubilee and spend a two weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fuhrmann.

Francis Dieter of Garland spent the weekend here and remained for the jubilee celebrations.

Pvt. Albert Laux of Camp Wolters was home for the weekend and advised that he will be transferred within the next few days.

We were unable to list the following addresses of Lindsay service men correctly in the second section of this paper, which was printed before these addresses reached the Enterprise office:

- St. Sgt. Raymond Bezner, 95th Pursuit Squadron, Mines Field, Inglewood, Calif.
- Pvt. Raymond Kupper, Co. E, 137th Inf. APO No. 35, Los Angeles, Calif.
- St. Sgt. Joe Zwingel, 377 School Squadron, Stockton Field, Calif.

Greeting cards have arrived from Hugo Bezner, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bezner, who enlisted in the Navy sometime ago, and is now stationed at Norfolk, Va. Hugo says he likes his new work fine and is with the branch known as the "Seabees". He gives the following as his most recent address:
H. A. Bezner, MM 2-c, 3rd Plat. Co. D, 14th Btry.

GETS PROMOTION



—7th Tech. Ernest Arendt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Arendt of Lindsay is stationed at Camp Swift, Texas, with the 920th F. A. Bn. Two weeks ago he was promoted to his present rank.

N. O. B. Bldg. 42, Camp Allen, Norfolk, Va.

LARGE CROWD CHEERS COMEDY AT LINDSAY

A large crowd was in attendance for the showing of the play, "Here Comes Charlie", in the community hall Sunday evening. Directed by Mrs. J. L. Kelley, the comedy was ably enacted and received much applause from the audience. The cast of characters included Miss Genevieve Benzfort in the title role and Cecilia Gieb, Valentine Dieter, Miss Louise Hermes, Robert Kupper, Alphonse Benzfort, Miss Elsie Louise Bezner, Hubert Bezner, Miss Clara Hundt, James Bezner.

T. J. Vaughan---

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stocks and bonds. The case was appealed to the higher courts, where the conviction was sustained, and Cooke county received several hundred dollars in revenue by reason of the fine that had been imposed by the jury. The defendant in the case was convicted of selling oil and gas leases without securing a legal permit to operate in Texas. The case attracted attention in legal circles in Texas, it being the first conviction under the new law. Two years ago last April, Mr. Vaughan offered for city attorney and was elected. His reelection for a second term occurred in April this year. During his incumbency,

IN HAWAII



—Pvt. Albert Hoelker, son of Mrs. C. Hoelker of Lindsay has been called for foreign duty. He entered the army in February and received his basic training at Camp Wolters. Word was received from him Saturday saying he had landed safely in Hawaii.

IN CALIFORNIA



—Pvt. Valentine Fuhrmann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fuhrmann, of Lindsay, is stationed with the 159th Infantry at Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif. He was inducted in the army in February and spent his first 13 weeks of training at Camp Wolters where he qualified as a sharpshooter in rifle and automatic firing, and attended the Bugler school.

he has endeavored to rid the city of objectionable practices so far as it was possible for him to do, and has received commendation from many citizens for his efforts in that direction.

Mr. Vaughan was born and reared in Young county, Texas, the son of a farmer and ranchman. He has a sympathetic understanding of the problems facing the farmer and if elected county judge, would do his best to see that their interests are protected. His experience in the business world, likewise, has given him an understanding of the problems confronting business men, and he would endeavor to see that all citizens are treated fairly by the commissioners court, more especially as concerns keeping the cost of government and taxes at the safest minimum possible.

Mr. Vaughan is married and owns a home in Gainesville. Being in the draft age, he unhesitatingly asserts that if and when he is called to serve his country in the armed forces, he will resign his office and respond to the call without undue delay, should he be elected to the office he seeks.

He believes, and many of his friends are of like opinion, that he is thoroughly qualified to fill the office of county judge in a manner satisfactory to the people, as many others who have offered for the place in the past and he pledges the best service of which he is capable, if the voters favor him with their support on election day.

He solicits the friendly consideration of all the qualified voters of

Cooke county and is hopeful of seeing as many of them as possible before election day. (Pol. Adv.) Uncontrolled fire is an economic waste any time; it is a crime today when continuity of production is so vital to the present emergency.

Texas Theatre Saint Jo Texas

WEDNESDAY—THURSDAY JULY 1-2

"In This Our Life"

With Bette Davis - Olivia de Havilland
George Brent - Dennis Morgan

FRIDAY—SATURDAY JULY 3-4

"A Yank on the Burma Road"

With Laraine Day - Barry Nelson

PREVUE Saturday Night — Sunday - Monday

"The Tuttles of Tahiti"

With Charles Laughton - Jon Hall

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY JULY 7-9

"My Gal Sal"

In Technicolor

With Rita Hayworth - Victor Mature - Carole Landis

Greetings Lindsay On Your Jubilee

John Wieler

Magnolia Agent

Muenster

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The Lindsay Community

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Congratulations Lindsay On Your Golden Jubilee



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Friday-Saturday July 3-4 **"Rings on Her Fingers"**

Saturday-Prevue Only-July 4 **"The Wife Takes a Flyer"**

Plaza

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Hopalong Cassidy

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Charlie McCarthy

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High Spots In Lindsay's First 50 Years

A moving, stirring story of community progress founded on industry, thrift, cooperation and determination — such is the story of Lindsay as related in the History of Saint Peter's Parish, 1891-1942. The book, written by A. C. Flusche, was released by the Standard Printing Company, San Antonio, in April. Confining itself entirely to parish activity, the book gives a glowing account of Lindsay's first half-century, relating the privation and hardships that occurred during the colony's first years and telling of the pioneers' indomitable will to persevere, traits that proved to be the real foundation of Lindsay, that continued through its first fifty years, and brought to the community its present prosperity.

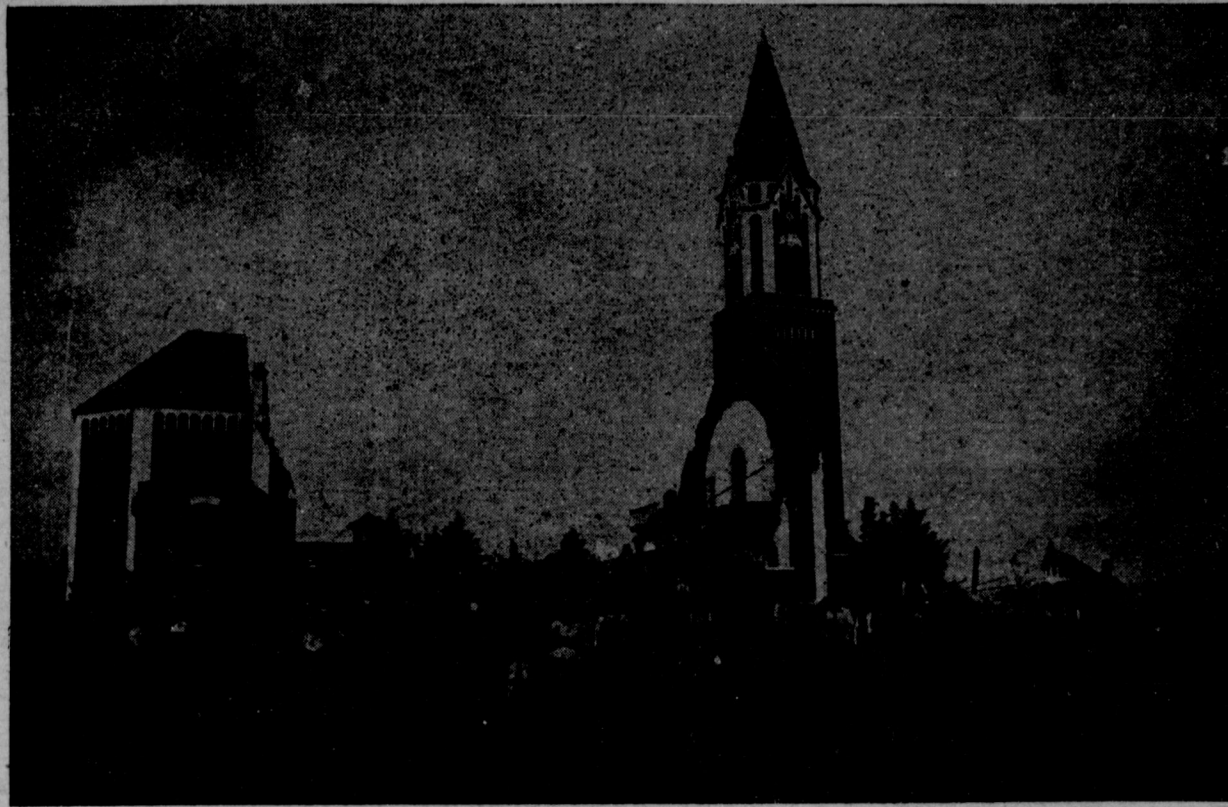
The Founders

To the Fusche Brothers, Anton and August, goes the credit for organizing the colony of Lindsay. Encouraged by the success of the Muenster colony, their first in Texas, they entered into a contract in January 1891, with Judge J. M. Lindsay of Gainesville, and according to the contract, Judge Lindsay turned over to them 3,500 acres to be sold to German Catholics. In the summer of 1892 Judge Lindsay bought the Sommerfield and Peary holdings, north of Lindsay, consisting of some 4,000 acres, and W. W. Howeth turned his farm of 1,000 acres over to Anton Flusche to be included in this new colony. In addition to this, there were several thousand acres in smaller farms offered for sale, thus insuring enough good farm land for a good-sized parish.

Origin of the Name

The Lindsay townsite is situated five miles west of Gainesville, the county seat of Cooke county, in the central part of North Texas. (Continued on Page 2)

Adolph, Benito and Hirohito — the three blind mice. Make them run with ten percent of your income in War Bonds every pay day.



WRECK OF CHURCH BUILT IN 1902

Destroyed by cyclone, May 31, 1917.

SOLDIER SEEKING LETTERS GETS WIFE

Pvt. Donald Fortner, Sheppard Field cook, can appreciate what is meant by "the power of the press."

Two months ago he complained to home-town friends at Springfield, Mo., that he didn't receive enough letters. The friends passed on the appeal to a St. Louis newspaper, which published his complaint.

In 75 days following the call for correspondence, Private Fortner received 2400 letters—but that's not all the story.

One St. Louis girl gave Fortner the name, address and telephone number of a cousin living in Wichita Falls.

Saturday Private Fortner proudly announced to his buddies that he and Miss Antoinette Honkomp, 1828 Glenwood—the cousin—will be married in August.

AN EDITOR'S PRAYER

Blessed are the merchants who advertise for they have faith in their business, and their prosperity shall increase many fold.

Blessed is the woman who sends in a written account of a party or wedding, naming names and dates and time and places, for she shall see more than a brief hint that such an event took place.

Blessed are they who do not expect the editor to know everything by telling him whenever an interesting event occurs in which they are interested, for they shall have a better newspaper in the town.

Blessed are those who get their copy in early for they shall occupy a warm spot in the heart of the editor.

Blessed are they who do not think they could run a newspaper better than the editor runs it—yea three blessed are they, because there are so few of them in the country.

Ideas are obstinate little things. They won't work unless you do.

Rev. Conrad Herda, Lindsay Pastor, Has Envious Record

Rev. Father Conrad Herda, O. S. B., pastor of Lindsay, is a native of Germany. He was born September 8, 1885, made his preliminary studies there and for a time worked as a craftsman, previous to his coming to America.

He made profession in the Benedictine Order in New Subiaco Abbey on May 7, 1911, and was ordained in Little Rock by Most Rev. John B. Morris, June 8, 1916.

Father Conrad taught at Subiaco College, but on his showing preference for pastoral work, his superiors sent him into the parochial field to various parishes in Texas and Arkansas. It was while he cared for Saint Benedict's Parish at Subiaco, from 1927-1934, that he laid out

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Hoelker Grocery Notes 24th Anniversary of Birthday This Year

Colorful Pageant, Crowning of Queen Open Celebration

A colorful religious pageant depicting the progress of the Lindsay parish, and the crowning of Miss Clara Hundt as queen of the golden jubilee, on the evening of June 30, at 8 o'clock, in the community hall, officially opens the jubilee celebrations.

Principal characters in the pageant are the Angel of the Golden Jubilee, who presides at the crowning ceremony, personified by Miss Lucille Bezner; the Spirit of Music, Miss Frances Bengfort; Spirit of Flowers, Miss Beatrice Block; Spirit of Gratitude, Miss Marcella Schmitz; Spirit of Prayer, Miss Elfrieda, Hermes; Spirit of Poetry, Miss Anna Hermes, and Guardian Angel of Lindsay, Miss Mary Louise Bezner. Rev. Alvin Kubis directed the production. Miss Regina Fuhrmann presides at the piano, supplying music for the pageant.

The queen's court consists of the nine young ladies who took part in the contest to determine Miss Lindsay, and will also participate in the procession, and at the Pontifical Mass.

Misses Elsie Louise Bezner and Ottilia Fuhrmann, runners-up in the contest, are maids of honor, and other members of the court are Misses Elizabeth Neu, Gertrude Beyer, Mary Hermes, Alma Sandmann, Catherine Bengfort, Anna Arendt and Genevieve Bengfort. Little Misses Betty Ann Bengfort and Marcella Sandmann serve as the queen's pages and Master Gerald Fuhrmann is crown bearer.

When a woman's toe sticks out of her shoe she's fashionable. When a man's toe sticks out he's a bum.

The year 1942 marks, in addition to the golden jubilee of the parish, the 24th birthday of the establishment of Hoelker Grocery in Lindsay. This modern, up-to-date store has served the people of Lindsay since 1918.

It was in the Spring of 1918 that Casper Hoelker, moving to Lindsay from Iowa, where he had been in the grocery business, bought the general merchandise store that had been owned by Paul Wiess. Mr. Hoelker managed the store, making improvements as time went on, until his death on June 3, 1927. His wife and their eldest son, Ewald, then sixteen years of age, took over the business after his death. A few years later Mrs. Hoelker retired from active work. Following in the footsteps of his father, Ewald Hoelker has conducted the business in such a manner that Hoelker Grocery has been stepping forward with a steady series of improvements.

For many years it has served Lindsay as the only store, meat market and filling station in that community. It also is the home of the Lindsay postoffice.

One of the early improvements to the store was the installation of gasoline pumps and the sale of oil, car tires and tubes. This step was made in 1925. Another forward move in the business was the introduction of fresh meats and vegetables in 1934. Since that time the meat department has grown steadily and is now equipped with the most modern type of meat counters and cooling facilities.

In 1933, the younger Hoelker son, Albert, joined the business and

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Lost and found columns of Tokio newspapers are crowded these days. Every time an American buys a War Bond, the Japs lose face. Buy your 10% every pay day.

Since 1918

We Have Served the Lindsay Community

We Salute the

Cooperation and Self Sacrifice That Has Made This Day Possible

Thanks Friends---

For Your Patronage May We See You Often in the Future

Hoelker Grocery

Lindsay, Texas

High Spots---

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The first land for the new colony was at that time grazing land. The M-K-T Railroad ran through the north part of it. In March and April of 1891 a part of the land north of the railroad was laid out in lots for the new town, and it was named Lindsay, after Judge Lindsay, the owner of the land. The balance of the land was divided into suitable tracts for farms.

Although the contract was drawn up in January 1891, the founders as well as the first settlers, trace the origin of the colony to March 25, 1892, the date of the first Mass in the home of William Flusche, who joined his brothers in Lindsay in May of 1891. According to the history there were ten families and two unmarried young men in attendance at the service.

In October of that year the colonists made plans for the building of a church and the Rev. Joseph Blum came as a representative of the Bishop to choose a site for the church property. The choice was not hard. The small elevation in the west part of town was just as if put there for that purpose. On December 30, Judge Lindsay donated and deeded this seven and nine-tenths acre tract to the parish. The first Mass in the new church was read on Easter Sunday, April 17, 1892. The original size of the church was 20x50 feet and 14 feet high. It was later enlarged and served its purpose until 1903, when a brick church was completed. Next came a building which was to be the parish rectory, and created the first parish debt of \$300. It was not used as a rectory however. Sisters of Divine Providence who had been secured to teach school when the arrival of more families necessitated a school, used the second story of the building as their residence and taught school in the downstairs rooms. The parish then numbered 35 families. In the Spring of 1894 a rectory was built.

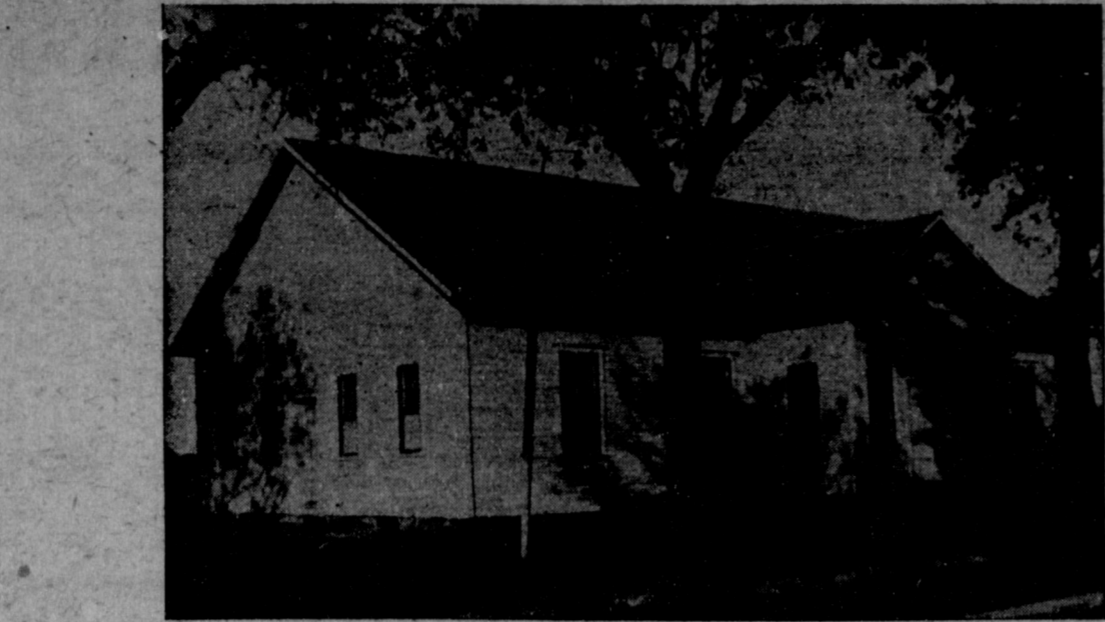
Disappointments

During the first summer many homeseekers came from the Northern States to look at the land and while there they also went to Münster. Some returned, but others, seeing a large parish with regulated conditions already established at Münster remained there. The history quotes that these homeseekers were often told "The land at Lindsay is no good, and Lindsay will never be a parish." That the very short distance of only five miles from Lindsay to the county seat and trade-center, Gainesville, was a great advantage, and that the new colony had a greater percentage of good soil than Münster, was either not mentioned or denied.

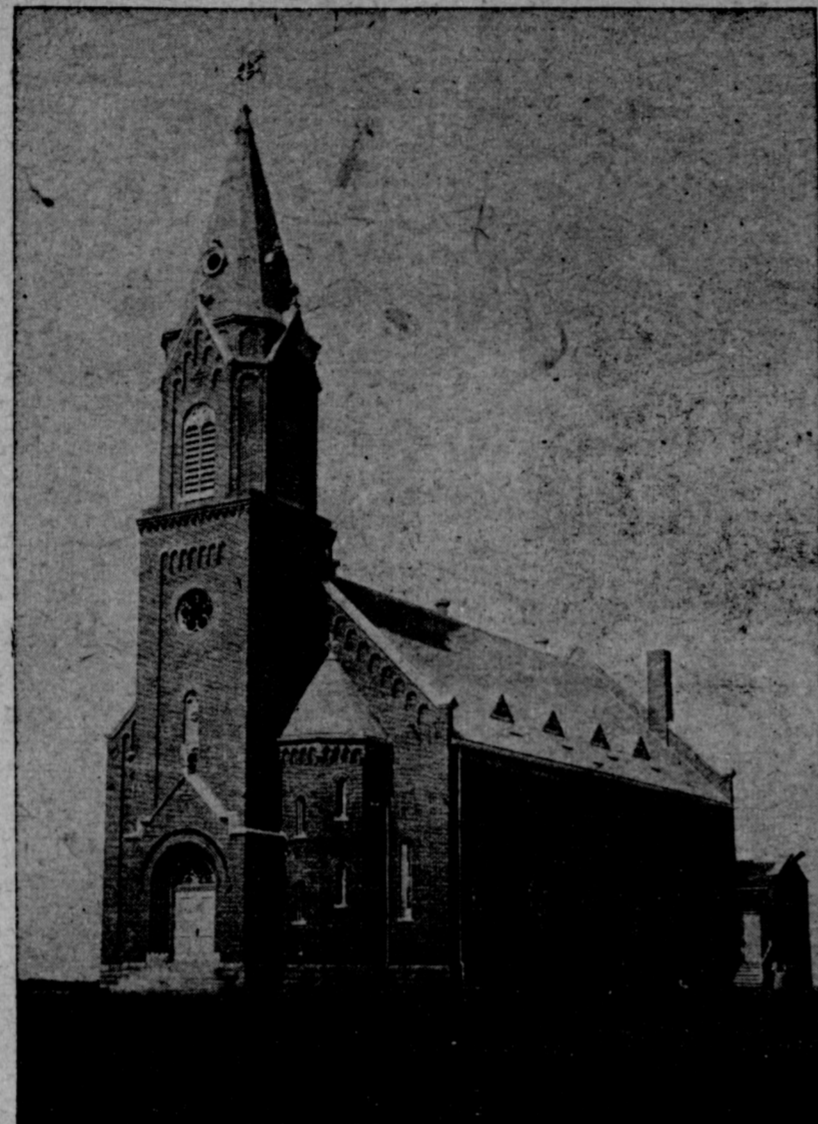
The dependence on Münster and Gainesville for religious services was an obstacle in the building of the parish. It required great sacrifice and endurance to reach the goal and surmount all obstacles which presented themselves in and outside of the colony, and which at times made its success and continuation seem doubtful.

In this fight for success the Flusche Brothers were ably supported by several serious-minded men of the parish, who were willing to make sacrifices. The period of anxiety and doubt ended when the Benedictine Fathers of Subiaco, Arkansas, took over the parish and sent out its first pastor in January, 1892. Thus began a new chapter in the history of Lindsay.

The first years were also accompanied by discouraging personal misfortunes. Crops were bad, prices for farm products were low, debts



LINDSAY COMMUNITY HALL



ST. PETER'S CHURCH

Built by Rev. John B. Troxler, O. S. B., in 1902
Destroyed by Cyclone, May 31, 1917

incurred on parish buildings were difficult to pay off, and the first two deaths were children to die under tragic circumstances. The first, Cunigunde Ruppanner, aged nine, had carried lunch to her father across Elm Creek. It seems that on the way back she went wading in the creek and fell. Her body was found the next day, February 24, 1892, in about a foot of water. The second, Teresa Gieb, aged 14, burned to death July 11, 1892, through starting a fire with gasoline.

It took deep-rooted faith, genuine religion and manly perseverance. But those stalwart pioneers realized that any beginning is hard. Of those first ten families, only one quit.

They Stuck Together

During the early part of 1899,

owing to a faulty flu, a fire broke out in the church. It was, however, extinguished before much damage was done. But this brought up the question of a new church. No conclusion was reached by parishioners, although it was contended that the present building was too small. Late in the Fall it was decided to build a church and most of the members preferred brick. A year later, in October 1901, plans for the church were outlined and \$5,000 of the estimated \$10,000 was promised by members, so work began. The new church was to be built on the site of the old one, so the first thing was to move the smaller building. There was difficulty and trouble in the building program. The original contractors quit after six weeks, saying their bid had been too low. Another contractor was engaged, and on September 7, 1902, the corner stone was laid. On September 20, that contractor refused to finish the work and another one had to be engaged. In June 1903 the church was finished. The cost was near \$14,000 and again the parish was in debt.

Crops Get Better

In 1905 the crops were very good, people were liberally inclined, and side altars and a pulpit were acquired through donations and \$1,500 was paid on the debt.

In 1905 Judge Lindsay donated a 10-acre tract for the Lindsay Park. Benefit picnics were held here and were financial successes. In 1908 the Stations of the Cross were added to the church.

A free parochial school was established under the leadership of Rev. Bernard Zell in 1911, and the Sisters' residence was improved.

In 1912, lightning struck the church tower, doing considerable damage, so the same year lightning rods were installed on all parish buildings. 1913 saw the establishment of a library of 300 volumes and a heating system was installed in the church.

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and Rev. Sylvester Schad, ordained 1938. The community also points with pride to the twenty-one young ladies who have joined the sisterhood.

Parish Societies

Saint Peter's Society for the men of the parish was organized in 1902. At present it has fifty members. Joe Beizer is president.

The Mothers' Society was organized in 1906 and has 65 members. Mrs. Joe Hundt is president.

The Young Ladies' Sodality, organized in 1908, has forty members. Miss Louise Hernes is president.

The Young Men's Society, organized as a junior branch of the Saint Peter's Society in 1928, with eighteen members, now has a membership of sixty. Edward Schad is the president.

The parish societies work together in religious life and activities. The men's society aids the pastor in parish duties, the mothers

have a well functioning sick and death committee; the girls tend to the church cleaning and church laundry and with the young men sponsor plays and picnics, proceeds of which are devoted to various parish needs.

The parish also has a church committee composed of six men. This group meets at the close of each year to audit the books, and make annual report to the Bishop.

St. Cecilia's Choir

The church choir has an interesting history. The present choir was (Continued on page 4)

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May you continue to prosper and rise to new Glories.

The Candidates

Precinct 3

E. A. "Babe" FELKER
(Re-election)

J. R. "Robert" LITTLE
JOE BAUER

Precinct 4

JOE BEZNER
(Re-election)

J. A. "John" FISHER
EARL ROBISON

High Spots---

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founded by the late J. H. Theisen in 1906. Previous to that time August Allmann played the organ and such singers as were available took part in the singing. Later the sisters and school children provided the music. Mr. Theisen, a fine musician, composed many hymns and one Mass, "St. John the Baptist", which is still sung in Lindsay. With the arrival of Father Nigg in Lindsay he took over the choir. He was a capable leader, loved music and took it seriously. Up until his last days Father John kept the choir at its best, and although he died in 1939, his spirit still lives on in the choir. The choir is composed of both men and women and has more than thirty four-voiced masses besides the Gregorian chant. The choir was given its present name in 1926. At the present time Joe Bezner is director and Miss Regina Fuhrmann organist.

Lindsay Band

Lindsay has always had a band. The first was organized in 1894 and has continued ever since. It plays at picnics, weddings and Corpus Christi processions.

In addition to the four parish societies, there is a secular society, the Gun Club, formerly the Schützengesellschaft. It was organized in 1907. This club bought the community hall, which was first a saloon, and had it remodeled to meet present day requirements. A stage was erected and plays, graduation exercises, etc., are held in it.

Lindsay's Growth

From the roster of settlers listed in the History, there were 8 settlers in 1891. There were 37 at the end of 1895. By the end of 1899 there were 69 families and 13 single persons. The list of parish members as of Jan. 1, 1942, includes 105 families and twenty-two single persons.

This, in brief, is the story of the Lindsay parish's half-century of progress. It has gone far since those memorable days of 1891. It can glance back with pride, it can look forward with enthusiasm and inspiration.

The Significance Of Church Towers

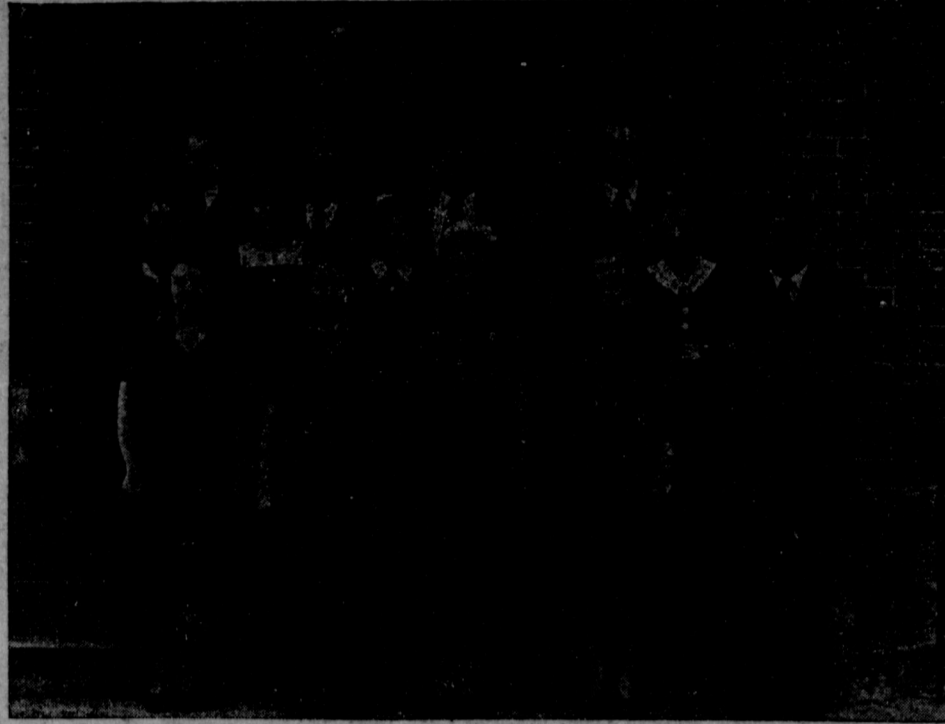
The following story on the significance of church towers was written by Sister M. Angeline. It is a condensation from an article appearing in Waisenfreund:

The question "What is the meaning of churches having towers?" is often asked.

The tower is a symbol of the Godhead. David in Psalm 66, calls God a tower. "A strong tower is our God against the enemies." Holy Bible compares the tower with God on account of its fundamental strength. Strong like the rock with which it is one. The rock itself is a picture of the Godhead "the Rock of God."

The tower is a symbol of the Catholic Church, grounded on the Eternal Rock—God Himself. So strong and indestructible is it founded that the gates of hell cannot prevail against it. Words of Christ.

The tower also represents God's perfections; the greatness, power



SAINT CECILIA'S CHOIR

—Reading left to right, front row— Miss Cecilia Gleb, Miss Anna Mae Dieter, Mrs. Dorothy Zimmerer, Mrs. Cecilia Schmitz, Paul Fuhrmann.

—Second Row—Miss Mary Fuhrmann, Miss Margaret Gruber, Miss Regina Fuhrmann, organist; Mrs. Magdalen Fleitman, Mrs. Margaret Hermes.

—Back Row—Valentine Fuhrmann, Frank Mages, Joseph Bezner, director; Henry S. Fuhrmann.



GUARDIAN ANGEL STATUE

Donated 1941 by the Clement Hermes family and placed in front of the church on a pillar saved from the wreckage of the old church in 1917.

and the immovable strength of the Most High. "Who is like unto God?"

The tower is considered the most beautiful part of the church. It is massive, broad, deep, reminding us of the attributes of God Who is everlasting in His depth, length, height and power. Who can measure God!

The tower has windows, sound and air holes. — God sees all what is going on and we can easily get into communication with Him, to pay homage to His majesty and present our petitions.

The tower also reminds us of the history of the Catholic Church. During the first three centuries of its existence it could not show itself on the face of the earth, but had to hide in its bosom. Persecution was its lot like that of its Founder. But when Constantine, the first Christian Emperor, conquered his dreaded enemy through the symbol of the cross, he made the Church free and it emerged from the catacombs. Beautiful churches were then built all over the Roman Empire and in the course of time great towers were added, symbols of the conquest of Christianity over heathendom.

The church tower is like God's arm raised into space, pointing out the way which no one should miss. It is a constant sermon, warning sinners of the justice to come; a light house, showing Christians the

way in the storms of life and assuring them of the haven of rest which awaits them after a safe landing. As the arm is a part of the body, so the tower is part of the church; church and tower belong together. A church without a tower is like a parish without a pastor, a school without a teacher. The tower is also an ornament of the city and a monument to the builders. It is

a sign of a strong faith.

The church tower represents God to the inhabitants of the land. This idea was so deeply implanted in the human mind, that even Protestants kept the tower. Where the faith weakens there also the church towers disappear.

The tower is the thermometer of the faith of a congregation. The saying goes that if you want to

measure the warmth of faith in a congregation you must go to the church and there behold the tower; if it is a proud structure, then you know you deal with people of a living faith; if not, something is wrong. Since the time of Constantine all church towers taper into a cross— (Continued on page 5)

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Church Towers

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the finger of God pointing to heaven. This is the meaning: We must elevate our thoughts to the things above; heaven is our home. Why then crawl in the dust and be satisfied with the paltry goods of our little earth, which perish and have no lasting merit?

The cross on the tower is a constant reminder of the great work of redemptions. We are not pagans, but a select race, bought by the Blood of Christ. We Christians are the nobles privileged to function around the throne of the King of Ages.

The tower cross bears another lesson. We are followers of the One Who died for us on the Cross and must expect to find the cross in our life. No way to heaven for mortals except that of the cross. Through the Cross is salvation and a glorious resurrection.

The cross on the tower can be seen by all. All have the same chance to use it as a guide and portal to heaven. It represents your life cross, your daily cross; bear it, therefore, patiently. The proverb says "If you bear your cross, it will bear you, and will lead you to where you want to be for all eternity."

The cross stands steadfast in all changes of weather — sunshine, rain, hail and storm, teaching us to remain firm, when we experience the fickleness of life's fortune and to fix our eye on the Father above, without Whose will or consent nothing happens here below.

Finally the tower is the home of the bells. These most perfect musical instruments which never change in harmony, symbolize the mouth of God, Who speaks the truth and never changes — He, the God of truth, the immutable God, Who is and was and shall be for all eternity by the voice of the bells He invites us daily to come to Him and find that peace which the world cannot give. "Come all to Me, ye, that are weary and heavy-laden and I shall refresh you." Let us heed the call of the bells with eagerness and approach the Lord while He shows us mercy and not wait until the bell of Justice summons us to His presence.

Nearly every church tower has a clock. This represents to us God as Master of time. God's clock greets each human being that comes into the world; it counts the minutes and hours of each one's life. Happy are we, if our life time is well spent and filled with good deeds; it means for us eternal bliss and glory.

"One of these many hours Will once your last one be: Then live them pure and holy That God in heaven you'll see."

Be yourself a tower of justice by your good life and example in these wicked days, when Satan and his satellites plan a new and most fierce onslaught upon God and His Church.

In majesty, above the turmoil of the city, High points the tower, and solemn to the sky, A silent monitor, but earnest pleader:

"Do not build your altars to the idol Mammon And the spirit of this world."

Bend not your knee and do not burn your incense To sensual passions which bring but death and hell,

Humbly throw yourself before the Tabernacle Where you'll find all that happiness can spell.

There, is the refuge of souls hard-hit and weary, Where God's Heart burns in



BIRD'S-EYE VIEW OF CHURCH GROUNDS

Taken before the old rectory was torn down and new one built



VIEW OF ST. PETER'S PARISH PLANT — 1930

everlasting love: Where all forsaken, hopeless sinners Will find the peace, the world knows nothing of."

TAKE GOOD CARE OF WASHING MACHINES

Because war industries are now using vast quantities of vital metals used in such home appliances as washing machines, their production has been seriously curtailed. It is now the patriotic duty of every housewife to conserve and use intelligently those devices which she now owns.

Washing clothes probably takes more energy than any other one housekeeping task. That's why electric washers are such a big help in conserving strength and lessening fatigue, and have done so much to increase the health of the homemaker. Certainly, now, we need all the extra time and energy washers give us that we may have time for the many additional activities now thrust upon us. Probably the most precious part of your washer at the present time is the rubber wringer. Since all rubber is adversely affected by heat, light, grease and dust, do everything you can to alleviate these conditions. The rolls and frame of the wringer should be wiped dry after each use and pressure should be released. Don't leave the washer in the sunlight or next to an open window, but cover the rubber rollers with heavy cotton cloth or similar material.

Always drain immediately after washing is done and rinse out thoroughly to prevent odors. Remove agitator or suction cups and rinse

also. Remove any soap curd, or lint, that may have remained in tub, agitator or suction cups, with soft cloth or sponge. And be sure to leave the lid off tub until all dampness has evaporated.

Keep connecting cord dry and always wind on hooks when not in use.

Pay attention to the instructions furnished by the manufacturer in regard to the amount of water to use in your washer. The work will be more satisfactory and you'll use less electricity if you follow directions. Don't run your washer longer than necessary — 7 to 12 minutes is usually enough.

Avoid overloading your washer. It increases power consumption, increases wear on clothes, and decreases efficiency.

Stubble Mulch Helps Control Soil Erosion

"The use of stubble mulch in addition to other erosion control measures is being used on my farm," J. W. Hess, farmer-businessman and community leader in the Muenster priority area, said today, in discussing soil conservation with members of the county board.

The damage from washing is becoming more and more severe with the passing of each year and it is vitally necessary to use all practical measures to prevent this loss.

The use of terraces, contour cultivation, strip cropping, soil building and cover crops are very beneficial but not quite adequate, he pointed out, when green bugs or other adverse happenings cause small grains or other protective crops to fall thereby leaving the

soil bare. "There is need for a complete surface covering at all time. This condition can be had by properly handling the residue of past crops. The land should be planned in such a manner that this stubble, straw or plant residue, will be left practically on top of the ground." "Stubble mulch, or trashy tillage, if incorporated in the erosion control program, will form an obstacle to water movement, even when cover crops fail, which not only substantially reduces erosion but forces water into the soil for use by following crops."

BELIEVE IT OR NOT

PERRIN FIELD, TEXAS, June 22.—If you'll take a Shermanite's word for it, the war will be over soon.

During a recent conversation with a Perrin Field enlisted man in Sherman, Texas, the civilian remarked that the war would be over in six months.

"What makes you think so, sir?" the sergeant queried. "Well, I know it'll be over soon," the civilian said, "because John So and So's boy enlisted the other day and that son-of-a-gun never held a job longer than six months!"

WE MUST NOT TELL . . . Hitler and Hirohito how many big bombers take wing to Britain and Australia, Africa and India, every day.

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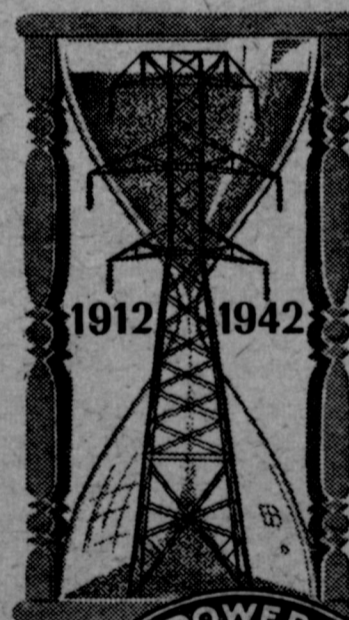
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This Company had the power ready when it was needed for the Victory Program . . . in every instance it promptly and efficiently met all the needs for electricity of every project and at the same time has continued to deliver dependable service to its 151,000 customers. Now it is enlarging its Trinidad power plant by installing a new 30,000-kilowatt turbo generator which, within a year, will be sending additional power to army camps, war industries, and civilian enterprises in North, Central, and East Texas.

The Texas Power & Light Company is now in its

Thirtieth Year. The advent of dependable transmission line electric power service, pioneered in Texas by this Company in 1912, put Texas "on the march" industrially . . . made it possible for Texans in small towns, as well as in the larger cities, to operate factories utilizing Texas' abundant raw materials and natural resources. As a result, the industrial facilities which Texas has geared to America's war production program are highly diversified . . . as to location of plants, as to products, and as to the experience and training of her industrial "family."

In quietly observing its 30th Anniversary this Company cherishes its identity with the growth of the 52-county area which it serves. Its seasoned organization, its time-tested facilities . . . all its resources and resourcefulness in serving Texans in all kinds of emergencies . . . now constitute this Company's "birthday gift" to America's Victory in this war!

John M. Carpenter
President

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We wish to join with Muenster and the rest of the County in saying

CONGRATULATIONS

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Muenster, Texas



Best Wishes

to
Lindsay

on their

Golden Jubilee



Jimmy's Service Station

Lindsay Young Men In Armed Forces Total Thirty-Two

The Lindsay community has responded wholeheartedly to the war program. It has invested generously in war bonds and stamps. It contributes its quota to Red Cross and USO. Even more important, however, is the number of men it has furnished for military service. Thirty-two men have thus far answered the call to the colors. Lindsay men and their addresses are as follows:

- Pvt. Clarence Albers, 908 EMC Ave. Ser. Ellington Field, Texas.
- 7th Tech. Ernest H. Arendt, Bat. A 220th F. A. Bn. Camp Swift, Texas.
- Pvt. Ulrich Arendt, Ward 34, Walter Reed Hospital, Army Medical Center, Washington, D. C.
- Pvt. Hugo Bengfort, APO 1714, care Postmaster San Francisco, Calif.
- St. Sgt. Joe Bengfort, Det. Med. Dept. Station Hospital, Camp Swift, Texas.
- St. Sgt. Carl A. Beyer, Ward C-5, Fitzsimmons Gen. Hosp. Denver, Colo.
- Pvt. Robert Beyer, Station Hosp., Ward 10, Camp Cooke, Calif.
- Hugo Bezner, MM 2C, V-6, U. S. N. C. T. C., USNR, Camp Allen, Norfolk, Va.
- Sgt. Joe Bezner, Clearing Co., 111th Med. Bn. APO No. 36, Inf. Div. Camp Blanding, Fla.
- Raymond Bezner, (Address Unknown)
- Pvt. Valentine Fuhrmann, Co. K, 159th Inf. APO 7, Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif.
- Pvt. Bernard Gleb, Co. D, 2nd Plat. 78th Inf. Camp Roberts, Calif.
- Sgt. Julius Gleb, 52nd School Sq., Randolph Field, Texas.
- Pvt. R. J. Gruber, ASN 6285151, Co. A, 27th Inf., APO 957, care Postmaster San Francisco, Calif.
- Pvt. Albert Hoelker, APO 1714, Care Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.
- Pvt. Mike Kupper, HQ. Co. 1st Bn., 32 AR, Camp Polk, La.
- Pvt. Raymond Kupper, Co. A, 137th Inf., Los Angeles, Calif.
- Pvt. Albert Laux, Co. D, 53rd Trng. Bn.



MEMBERS OF CHURCH COMMITTEE

Front Row—Paul Arendt, Rev. Conrad Herda, O. S. B., Mike Fuhrmann. Second Row — Phillip Metzler, Jr., Ben Hermes, Ben Sandmann, John Bezner.

2nd Platoon, Camp Wolters, Texas.

Pvt. Alvin Loerwald, APO 4714, Care Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

Fred Loerwald, (Address unknown)

Pvt. Leonard Luttmer, 11th Medical Bn. AP 96, Clearing Co., Camp Blanding, Fla.

Pvt. Lawrence Moster, Maint. Div. APO 254, Pine Camp, N. Y.

Pvt. Henry Reinart, Hq. & Hq. Co., 51st A Inf. APO 254, Pine Camp, N. Y.

Pvt. Lawrence Schad, Casual Det., Ft. McDowell, Angel Island, Calif.

Pvt. Leonard Schmitz, Maint. Co., 81st A. R., APO 255, Camp Cooke, Calif.

5th Tech. F. J. Snaeth, Co. E, 23rd Eng. Bn., Camp Polk, La.

Corp. John Weiss, Reco. Co., 706 T. D. Bn., APO 256, Camp Chaffe, Ark.

Pfc. Bernard Zimmerer, 420th School Sq., Barracks 806, Sheppard Field, Texas.

Paul Zimmerer, Atlantic Fleet School, N. O. B., Norfolk, Va.

St. Sgt. Joe Zwinggi, Hq. & Hq. Sq. 68th A. B. Stockton, Calif.

Corp. Leonard Zwinggi, Hq. & Hq. Sq. RTC, A. A. F. T. C., Sheppard Field, Texas.

Sgt. Oscar Zwinggi, 424th School Sq. AAF, Columbus Flying School, Columbus, Miss.



JOSEPH BLOCK

Only soldier of St. Peter's Parish killed in France during World War I.

meantime he had spent a year at Windthorst as pastor of Saint Mary's parish and was then at the Abbey in Arkansas.

One of the first undertakings of Father Conrad upon his return was the removal of the rocks that had been serving as a fence along the road on the east side of the church yard, and having them split to usable size for a new rectory. The young men of the parish did this work with the pastor, directing them. Soon after this the foundation was started. It was not the pastor's intention to rush this work. It took over two years to finish the foundation with a spacious basement. He did most of the work himself with the help of a few boys. The new rectory, a two-story frame and tile veneer building with basement, garage and fire-proof vault, seventeen rooms in all, was finished and occupied the first week in September, 1941. On September 21 it was formally blessed.

Father Conrad

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the abbey cemetery, a work that has won universal admiration. During this period he was also professor in the seminary.

Coming to Lindsay as pastor following Rev. Bernard Zell, in 1923, Father Conrad served as Lindsay's pastor, the first time, until December 31, 1925. Realizing the need for more school room, Father Conrad enlarged the school, built by Father Bernard, by adding another story, doing much of the manual labor himself, thus saving the parish considerable money.

Following the departure of Rev. John Nitz, Lindsay pastor from January 1926 to June 1938, to Switzerland, Father Conrad resumed his duties as Lindsay pastor, in the September of 1938. In the

That the people of Lindsay are proud of their pastor and the new rectory was evidenced by the fact that almost the entire parish was present at the dedication. They have every reason to be proud. The total cost of the building, including labor was about \$4,200, with a total expense for labor slightly above \$600, most of it having been given free by the pastor and members of the parish.

If all material, such as rock, sand, gravel, etc., had been bought and all the labor paid for, it would have cost at least twice as much.

John Weiss is now a corporal, it was learned Saturday. He received the promotion at Camp Chaffe, Ark., where he is stationed with the Reconnaissance Company, Corporal Weiss was inducted in the army in February.

Hoelker---

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during the years that followed the brothers became known throughout the county for their courteous service, fair business dealings and for the quality merchandise the store features.

When Ewald Hoelker was appointed postmaster in 1937 the office was moved from its previous building to the store, where it remains to this time. In 1939 a magazine and book department was added to the business.

In February of this year Albert Hoelker joined the armed forces and since that time has been replaced by Hubert Bezner, son of Commissioner and Mrs. Joe Bezner.

During its 24 years in Lindsay the business has occupied the same building and improvements and remodeling have been made to such an extent that Hoelker Grocery and Market is one of the outstanding business places of the county.

Lindsay News

Frank Magee, Jr., has accepted employment at Camp Howze and is employed as a carpenter.

Miss Lena Schad of Gainesville spent the weekend as the guest of Mrs. Mary Schad.

Joe Schmitt of Alice is visiting relatives and friends here and will be among guests at the golden jubilee.

Mrs. C. T. Ashbury of Houston has returned to her home following a visit here with her father, Tom Overstreet.

Mrs. Martin Trubebach of Muenster spent the past week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmitz.

Pvt. Clarence Albers of Ellington Field visited several days of the past week with his mother, Mrs. Henry Albers and other relatives.

Joe Krebs of Tishomingo, Okla., is here to spend several days with his uncle, Henry Krebs, and attend the celebrations of July 1.

Sister Olivia of Fort Smith, Ark., is visiting here as the guest of her aunt, Miss Carrie Mueller, and will attend the golden jubilee celebrations.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Zwinggi had as guests Thursday and Friday their sons, Sgt. Oscar Zwinggi of Columbus, Mississippi and Corporal Leonard Zwinggi of Sheppard Field.

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Greetings
to
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Al Horn Otto Walterscheid
Muenster

Welcome
Visitors

We are happy to see
you at our celebration

Ferd Albers

Highway 82

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Of Community Cooperation and Good Will
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OUTSHINE YOUR PREVIOUS RECORD

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