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We fervently hope that Secretary of Agriculture Anderson missed his guess when he predicted that "the people will demand rationing, at least of meat, by April or certainly by May".

Taken at face value, the statement is alarming. To our way of thinking, the situation is really serious if people, still mindful of the inconvenience, regimentation and black marketing only a few years ago, will become so desperate as to ask for another round of controls. The Secretary practically predicts a meat famine.

Is the shortage really that serious? Or are some of the boys in the upper brackets of the administration just trying to sell us another package of bureaucracy?

The trouble is, we ordinary people don't know what to think when official Washington speaks. Our government has so many who believe that their professional do-gooders can do so much better for us than we can do for ourselves. Starting with that conviction they are inclined to be over solicitous. They worry about us a lot sooner that we worry about ourselves.

Maybe it isn't stretching the imagination too much to assume that Anderson fits in this category. He knows, as we do, that meat is less plentiful than we would like to have it and he naturally assumes that we'll have to cry to Washington for help in the very near future.

So, what's the answer? Is the situation really critical or is it just bad enough to convince the professional helper-outer that we can't get along without them?

The fact that this is another general election year presents another factor worth considering. This may be a way of making political ammunition for the coming campaign. If conditions get rough enough to convince Congress that rationing is warranted the Democrats will be in a swell position to brag that the idea was all theirs. Or if Congress refuses to pass the measure there's also possibility of blaming Republicans for tough times. It's simply a matter of putting the monkey on the elephant's back. Since he has the majority he'll have to decide what to do with the little fellow. And he knows that he has to guess right or get well pasted with mud when the big contest gets under way.

Come to think of it, the outlook for real statesmanship between now and election time is a bit dismal. Practically every issue that comes up will be measured by a political yardstick. The country's interests will come second. Both parties will be cautious. Neither will take unnecessary chances of making mistakes . . . and as a special precaution against making mistakes they'll both keep as far as possible from the ticklish problems.

Obviously the one thing that both parties would like credit for is tax reduction. President Truman proposes a straight \$40 reduction, which would exempt millions of small taxpayers altogether but give little relief to the heavy taxpayers. At the same time he wants to maintain a fat budget by clamping other taxes on business. Republicans favor a cut all along the line. Their idea is to help all taxpayers and let the government get along on less. Whatever method is adopted . . . and it will probably be a compromise . . . we at least have fair assurance that we'll get some kind of a break.

This doesn't mean however that we're going to get a great big reduction on our income tax. In spite of the fact that we the taxpayers kicked in the enormous sum of 45 billion to Uncle Sam last year, which is more than 5 times as much as we paid ten years ago, there really isn't much room on Uncle Sam's expense sheet for the kind of cutting we would like. Fixed expenses have us over a barrel.

First there's about five billion for interest on our debt. Nothing can be done about that. Defense and veterans' benefits come to about 25 billion. Economy measures could trim both of those to some extent but the figure at best will have to be big. Now add current government expense and foreign aid and we see the basis for Truman's budget estimate of 39.5 billions. Possibly the total can be cut down a few billion by careful shaving on all appropriations, but lopping off big sums is out of the question. In general there's room for considerable savings on administrative expense but the balance represents commitments or needs we'll have to meet. We won't have really

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TEXANS TALK TIDELANDS TO TRUMAN  
—Apparently pleased with their conference with the President on state ownership of submerged lands, Robert Lee Bobbitt of San Antonio, chairman of the Texas State Bar Tidelands Committee, Attorney General Price

Daniel and Senator Tom Connally leave the White House. The Texans explained their state's annexation agreement with the US and the importance of submerged land revenues to the Texas Public School Fund. They asked Mr. Truman for another hearing before he takes action on pending legislation.

## Knights Will Have District Initiation at Gainesville Sunday

Six of Muenster's young men along with about twenty candidates from other K of C councils of the Sixth Texas District will be admitted into Knights of Columbus at initiation ceremonies in Gainesville next Sunday. The group has been named the Rev. Peter Molloy Class in honor of the chaplain of the host council. Muenster's candidates are Rufus Henschel, Alvin Noggier, Tommy Felderhoff, Gerald Bayer, A.J. Felderhoff and Alphonse Koehler.

In a general invitation to all councils of the district, Grand Knight Ewald Berend announced a program that will begin with group attendance at mass in the morning and end with a party in the evening.

At 9:30 members and candidates will assemble at Saint Mary's school for procession to the 10 o'clock mass at Saint Mary's church. Fourth degree members are requested to appear in full regalia for the occasion.

Luncheon at 11:30 will be followed at 1 o'clock by exemplification of the first, second and third degrees in the Knights of Columbus Hall. The evening program will be a banquet and party beginning at 6:30 in the Community Center building for Knights and their ladies.

While initiation ceremonies are in progress a committee of Gainesville ladies headed by Mrs. Henry P. Schad will entertain visiting ladies in the Community Center building.

## CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS ON RECTORY JOB GETS GRATIFYING RESULTS

As a result of gratifying response to a call for volunteer labor the remodeling job at the Sacred Heart rectory is off to a flying start. Foundation work was completed last week and the framework and sub-floor were under construction on Wednesday of this week.

The job consists of a two story 24 x 32 annex the lower part of which will be a garage, laundry and storeroom and the upper floor will be three bedrooms and a bath. Remodeling the kitchen and minor alterations in the present building will complete the tie-in with the addition. Also included is paint and paper refinish for the old unit.

To cut down building expense Father Herman Laux, pastor has asked all men of the parish to contribute a day of labor or its equivalent in cash. He reports that his response to date has been very pleasing.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Jennings and children, Johnny and Helen, and her sister, Miss Emma Felderhoff, all of San Antonio, arrived Tuesday for a week's visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Felderhoff and family.

## CONCRETE CREW WORKS INTO NIGHT ON SUPER FOUNDATION AT BEN'S

Actual construction of Ben Seyler's new garage building started with a bang Tuesday when C.M. Walterscheid's concrete crew worked into the night to complete a massive foundation footing extending 30 inches below the ground surface and measuring 42 inches at its base. The job was run without interruption in order to assure perfect binding of all the material.

Another special precaution based on rigid architectural specifications is the use of washed sand and crushed rock instead of regular gravel in the concrete mixture and a sand cushion underneath to allow freedom for possible shifting or settling.

Construction of forms for the foundation beam was started Wednesday.

The Seyler building, measuring 112 x 65 will be of brick with generous use of plate and structural glass at the front.

## CLIFF GARDNER ASKS FOR RE-ELECTION TO STATE LEGISLATURE

C.C. "Cliff" Gardner, County representative to the state legislature at Austin, this week authorized the Enterprise to announce his candidacy for re-election in the July primary. His formal statement to voters will appear in a later issue.



Soil and water conservation plans were completed last week with Leroy Sicking and Wilfred Sicking, operators of Henry Sicking's farms south of Muenster.

Pasture development and improvement is the main objective of both rovs. They are preparing seed beds for Madrid clover and grass plots for seed production. Grass seed will be furnished by the Upper Elm-Red Soil conservation district when a clean firm seed bed is prepared.

In the Bruno Fleitman group conservation plans were completed with Mrs. M.J. Endres and Roy Endres. Developing pasture and sowing sweet clover for soil improvement are the immediate aims of these cooperators. John Albers is operator on Mrs. Endres' farm.

The following cooperators secured Bermuda sprigs last Thursday for developing waterways: H.J. Wolf, Tony Walterscheid, Paul Fisher, Werner Becker, and Matt Muller. Bob Mitchell, Work Unit Conservationist, suggests that

## News Of Sick And Injured

Mrs. Joe Otté was able to be out and attend church services Sunday for the first time following a two weeks' illness.

Larry Hennigan, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hennigan, sustained a broken left arm, just below the shoulder, when he fell last Wednesday. The injury was placed in a cast at the local clinic and Larry is back at classes this week. This is his second arm fracture in less than six months. Late last August he broke his right arm in a fall.

Mrs. C.J. Bernauer was confined to her home during the weekend suffering from a sinus infection.

Mrs. Ida Gardner who has been ill at the home of her niece, Mrs. Ernest Biffle at Myra, has recovered sufficiently to return to her home here north of the city.

Miss Therese Rohmer was back at classes in Sacred Heart High school Monday after being absent a week due to a severe case of tonsillitis.

E.P. Buckley returned last Thursday from Pawhuska, Okla., where he spent about a week at the bedside of his mother who is seriously ill in a hospital. Her condition remained about the same this week, according to almost daily telephoned reports.



sprigs be kept well covered with soil and straw during the cold weather to prevent freezing.

A group application meeting was held with the Bill Sicking conservation group Tuesday afternoon at the home of the group leader, Pat Carpenter, local soil conservationist, lead a discussion on sowing Madrid clover for hay seed, soil improvement and grazing. Sodding waterways for terrace outlets was stressed and Bermuda grass sprigs were examined by the group. Each cooperator has made arrangements for obtaining sprigs for sodding this spring. To get one waterway established on each farm is the group's goal. Phosphate orders as well as fertilizer for corn were placed by all cooperators. Attending the meeting were Bill Sicking, group leader, Lawrence Sicking, Alfred Sicking, Raymond Sicking, Johnnie and Emmett Sicking were visitors. Lee Toothaker, Soil Conservation technician, assisted with the meeting.

With a 3,000 pound daily capacity, the drying equipment will take care of all the cheese plant's surplus of condensed whey. The plant will continue to prepare most of its condensed whey for human consumption delivering to Kraft at Denison for use in processed cheeses and caramels.

## Nick Stoffels Jr., 17, Dies, Two Companions Injured, In Car Accident Sunday

### 200 COUNTY FARMERS GATHER FOR ANNUAL DAIRY DAY MEETING

More than 200 Cooke county dairy farmers listened eagerly last Friday at the Community Center building in Gainesville as dairy experts explained how to improve herds, increase production and save on feed bills. The men were featured speakers at the annual county dairy day program sponsored cooperatively by dairy products manufacturers, dairy equipment dealers, the Gainesville Chamber of Commerce and County Agent B.T. Haws.

An added feature was the regular 12:15 broadcast by Murray Cox, farm director for radio station WFAA. Assisted by V.S. Payne, Gainesville vocational agriculture teacher, he interviewed dairy farmers and reviewed dairy activity in the county.

Speakers in the morning half of the program included C.B. Stringer, immediate past president of the Chamber of Commerce, who made the welcome address; G.G. Gibson of the dairy husbandry department of A.M. college, who spoke on "Building Better Dairy Herds"; and S.E. Carpenter, associate dairy instructor of A.M. college extension service of Dallas, who spoke on "Calf Development."

Shortly before noon a moving picture on storage and use of silage was presented by Mike Casey of the Kraft Foods company.

Speakers for the afternoon were Mr. Gibson on "Balanced Dairy Feeding"; Dr. E.A. Grist, extension veterinarian of A.M. college on "Dairy Herd Health"; and Bryan Blalock, nationally known dairy expert of Marshall, Texas, on "Dairying in Texas".

Lobby displays presenting the latest developments in dairy farm equipment were exhibited by Charlie Fisher, Schad and Pulte and Bohls store, and materials and pamphlets on dairy barn construction were exhibited by Waples Painter Co.

Cold drinks, ice cream and cheese for the gathering were provided by Schad and Pulte, Borden, and the Muenster Cheese Factory. Women of the county home demonstration clubs were in charge of a sandwich and coffee counter.

## FMA Plant to Make Stock-Poultry Feed From Surplus Whey

Kraco, a poultry and hog feed supplement made from whey, is about to make its appearance here as the latest product of the FMA cheese factory. Installation of equipment, begun this week, is expected to be finished in time to make a trial run about the middle of next week.

Acc Crump, engineer of the Kraft plant at Denison, is helping C.J. Fette and Herman Swirzynski install the unit which until recently was operated by the Denison concern. It was moved here because for some time the FMA plant has furnished all the condensed whey processed by it.

The principal part of the equipment is a large oven with racks of condensed whey arranged somewhat like the trays in an incubator. A hot air blast passing through the oven carries away the moisture and leaves the Kraco in a dry, lumpy form.

After pulverizing in a hammermill the Kraco is sacked for sale as poultry or livestock feed. Rich in lactose, it is regarded as an excellent supplement for poultry, hog, calf and rabbit feed. It will be placed on the market locally and the surplus will be shipped to Denison for distribution through Kraft's channels.

Estimated damage was \$2,000. The truck overturned after Bengfort swerved to prevent a collision with a 1942 GMC pickup driven by Roy H. Lewis, 802 East Garnett street.

Nick Stoffels, Jr., 17, lost his life and two companions, his brother, Meinrad Stoffels, 22, and Harold Sicking, 21, received minor injuries when the automobile in which they were riding overturned several times about 2 a.m. Sunday. The accident occurred on U.S. highway 82, about one-half mile west of Lindsay. Young Stoffels was dead when removed from the wrecked car.

Harold Sicking, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sicking, suffered from shock and a bruised left shoulder. Meinrad Stoffels escaped with cuts and bruises. He was thrown from the car.

Persons who were attracted to the wreck, took the injured pair to the M & S hospital. Stoffels was given first aid and dismissed. Sicking was X-rayed and hospitalized and was permitted to leave the hospital Monday evening when the X-ray pictures failed to disclose any broken bones.

Sicking was driving the car, the trio being enroute home from Gainesville. He said the automobile suddenly became unmanageable but he has no idea as to exactly what happened.

Sheriff Emory Horn and his deputies said that marks along and on the highway showed the car left the pavement on the south side of the road, probably overturned and again struck the pavement. The car appeared to have overturned three times and came to a stop on the opposite side of the highway. It landed on one side and had to be set back on its wheels before young Stoffels could be removed. A Leazer-Keel ambulance took him to the funeral home.

The top of the car was mashed in and the doors and body were damaged to an estimated extent of \$500. It is a 1939 model Chevrolet two-door sedan.

Funeral services for Nick Stoffels, Jr., were held in Sacred Heart church Tuesday morning at 9:30, and burial was in the Muenster cemetery with Rev. Herman Laux officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Leazer Keel Funeral home and pallbearers were Raymond Walterscheid, Ray Hess, John Louis Hess, Charles Stoffels, Leo Haverkamp, and Walter Haverkamp.

After being prepared for burial the body was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kathman, uncle and aunt of the deceased and rosary was recited there Monday night.

The deceased was born in Muenster on January 6, 1931. He attended Sacred Heart school and during the past year was employed in oil field work.

Survivors are his father, Nick Stoffels, four brothers, Herman, Frank, Meinrad and Albert, and three sisters, Mimes, Andrew Truberbach and Ray and Lawrence Vogel, all of Muenster.

### Mrs. Thompson Returns As Teacher; Miss Endres Will Complete College Course

Mrs. A.E. Thompson, for seven years a teacher at the Muenster public school will return to her old job February 1, to replace Miss Della Rose Endres for the balance of this scholastic year. Miss Endres will return to college and receive her degree this summer instead of waiting three years to complete her course in summer sessions.

Quitting last year to devote all her time to her home, Mrs. Thompson returns as a favor to the school board and her successor.

### RAYMOND BENGFORT WRECKS TRACTOR AND TRUCK TO AVOID CRASH

A new tractor loaded on the back of a late model truck belonging to Raymond B. Bengfort, route 5, Gainesville, was damaged extensively as well as the truck, Friday at 5:20 p.m. when the truck overturned at the Summit and Throckmorton intersection.

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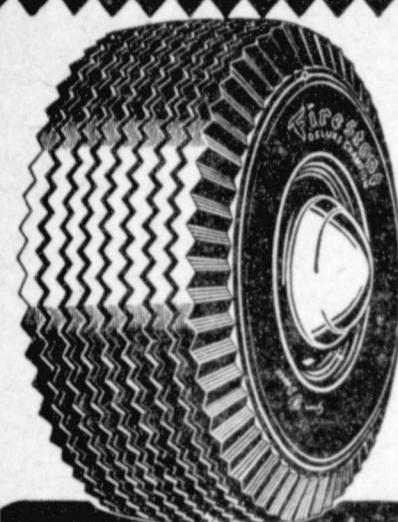
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Commissioner Precinct 4  
J.E. (Earl) ROBISON  
(Re-election)

State Representative  
CLIFF GARDNER  
(Re-election)



Earl Swiniger of Wharton visited here last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swiniger.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregor Stelzer visited in Henrietta Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Stelzer and Mrs. Julius Stelzer.

Mrs. J.H. Cooke has gone to Wheaton, Ill., for an indefinite visit with her daughter, Mrs. John R. Rice and family.

Carl Herr of Pilot Point visited his mother and other relatives here last Wednesday. He operates a grocery store in Pilot Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Holland (nee Dorothy Mae Yosten) are now at home in Santa Anna, Texas, where he is employed. They are formerly of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Arnold Rohmer, Miss Helen Hess and Miss Rose Sickling visited in Valley View with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spaeth Saturday afternoon.



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Ray and Earle Otto and Misses Billie Wimmer and Jewel Hoffmann spent Sunday, Jan. 11, in Wichita Falls as guests of the boy's uncle, T.A. Martin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Insel (nee Georgia Ann Kathman) are now making their home in Cotulla, Texas where he was recently transferred from Laredo. He is employed with the United Geophysical Co.

Janice Louise is the name of the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Trubenbach, born Jan. 14 at the local clinic. The infant was baptised the same day, Father Herman officiating, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Martin Trubenbach as sponsors.

Elizabeth Catherine is the name of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Derichsweiler. She was baptised here Sunday by Father Herman assisted by Kate Fette and Robert Knabe as sponsors. Mrs. Derichsweiler and the infant were moved from Gainesville Sanitarium to their home here Saturday. The baby was born Sunday, Jan. 11.

Mrs. John Streng and baby, and Mrs. Henry Huchton have gone to Pampa to join their husbands who are employed in oil field work there. Other Muenster men working in Pampa are Clarence Hellman, Jud Boyles, A.J. Huchton, Earl and Quintin Lehnhertz, Edmond Feltman, Charles Swofford, Herbert Cunningham, Emil and Johnny Rohmer.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Otto Sunday were her brother, T.A. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Ziegler and daughter, Jeanie, Sidney J. Martin and Miss Helen Weber, all of Wichita Falls; Mrs. Perry Burnett of Los Angeles, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Weber and daughter, Jo Ann of Gainesville; Gene Hellman, Miss Bettye Hogan and Lloyd Weber, all of Denton; Miss Leola Weber of Fort Worth; Misses Billie Wimmer and Jewel Hoffman of this city.

**SENIORS AND 6TH GRADERS WIN P-TA LOVING CUPS**

The seniors of Sacred Heart High school won the P-TA loving cup for the second consecutive month as the result of parent attendance at the January meeting last Thursday night. In the grade department the sixth grade took the cup from the eighth grade, last month's winners.

During the meeting Mrs. Rudy Hellman, president, presided and gave a report on the lunch program. The report revealed that 6,689 meals were served during December.

Members discussed the annual banquet for the Hornets and the pep squad and set next Tuesday night as the date. The event will take place in the parish hall and



Irene Simms Reid, advertising director of the Monroe, La., News-Star-World, will be a featured speaker at the Mid-Winter convention of the Texas Press Association January 31 in Dallas. She will speak on "The Community Story on Public Relations"

the meal will be prepared and served by P-TA mothers.

Sodding the football field was discussed and it was stated that since farmers are now digging Bermuda roots, when the weather permits, this work should be done as soon as possible.

**SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY GREETS JOE HOENIG**

Joe Hoenig was honored with a surprise party in observance of his birthday Friday when his wife entertained in the family home for 20 guests.

The honoree was presented with birthday gifts and the hostess served attractive refreshments after a progressive 42 series. The refreshment table was centered with a decorated cake.

In the games high score prize was won by George Lutkenhaus and Mrs. Adolph Waiterscheid received the consolation favor. The honor guest won the galloping prize.

**Sweet Treasure**

Little Margie had been attending a birthday party, and now her big sister had come to take her home.

Crossing the street, the sister took hold of the youngster's hand.

"My goodness, Margie," she exclaimed, "how sticky your hands are!"

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*The American Way*  
By George Peck

### McGUFFEY'S READERS

A few months ago I got to wondering as to what had happened to the McGuffey Readers that were in such popular use in public schools of America in the latter part of the 19th Century and the early part of the 20th. I had not seen nor heard of this once-favorite set of school primers in many years. After making many inquiries I finally succeeded in tracing down a set of them. Ever since I've been intrigued as I browsed through these school books written by a school master who recognized that instilling moral principles is a necessary essential in any constructive educational system.

This led me to do a bit of investigating as to just who was McGuffey. In my search I came across a radio talk made by W.J. Cameron on the Ford Sunday Evening Hour on March 17, 1935. Said Mr. Cameron in part:

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#### WORKS BOTH WAYS

How greatly a manufacturing company contributes to the economy of the community was demonstrated recently when a firm in Kansas met its entire payroll with \$2 bills, and let the community know about it.

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John Hancock was the first signer of the Declaration of Independence.

### TEXAS INVESTMENTS IN SAVINGS BONDS TOP 200 MILLION MARK

Texans topped the 200-million dollar mark in U.S. Savings Bonds, Series E, F and G, in 1947, according to figures just released by the Texas Advisory Committee on Savings Bonds. Nathan Adams, Dallas, Chairman of the Committee, praised the citizens on their continued support of the U.S. Treasury's program to help combat inflation and to aid its management of public debt.

Total sales for Texas in 1947 amounted to \$202,896,123 with \$134,650,000 in Series E Bonds. Mr. Adams pointed out that almost 60% of the number of Series E Bonds issued were in \$25 denominations. "This is indicative that in spite of the high cost of living the small investor is setting aside part of his earnings regularly to meet the future," Mr. Adams commented. "More and more people are reaping the benefits of systematic saving by investing in U.S. Savings Bonds... a practice that began with patriotic buying during the war years and has carried over on a personal benefit basis."

#### Obeying Orders

The tiny boy had been taken for an automobile ride by a friend of the family. On his return his mother said to him, "Did you thank Mr. Banks for taking you for a ride?"

There was no answer. The mother repeated her question, but still there was no answer.

"Jimmie," she said, "did you hear me? Did you thank Mr. Banks for taking you for a ride?"

"Yes," whispered Jimmie, "but he told me not to mention it."

The young man finally redeemed his best suit of clothes, brought them home from the pawnshop in a suitcase. While he was busy in his room, his mother, in the parlor, started to unpack the suitcase. She found the pawn ticket on the coat and called: "John, what is this tag on your coat?" John lost very little time in calling back, "Oh, I was at a dance last night, mother, and checked my coat." A moment later mother came across the trousers, tagged in the same way. With a puzzled tone she asked, "John, what kind of a dance was that?"

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Miss Angeline Prescher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Prescher of Scotland, and Joe Luttner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Luttner of this city, were married in a pretty ceremony performed on Tuesday morning, Jan. 13, in Saint Boniface church at Scotland with the pastor, Rev. Herman Redder, officiating at the ring service and at the nuptial high mass.

The bride wore a lovely gown of white slipper satin fashioned with fitted princess bodice topped with a lace yoke, long petal point sleeves and a full skirt that extended into cathedral length train. Her finger-tip length veil of net, edged with lace, fell from a beaded head-piece and she carried an arm bouquet of white carnations.

Miss Bernice Luttner of this city, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid and Miss Marie

Prescher, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Miss Luttner was gowned in a frock of sky blue taffeta and Miss Prescher wore light yellow marquisette. Both wore shoulder length veils matching their gowns, and carnation corsages.

Joe Prescher Jr., brother of the bride, and Walter Luttner, brother of the groom, were Mr. Luttner's attendants.

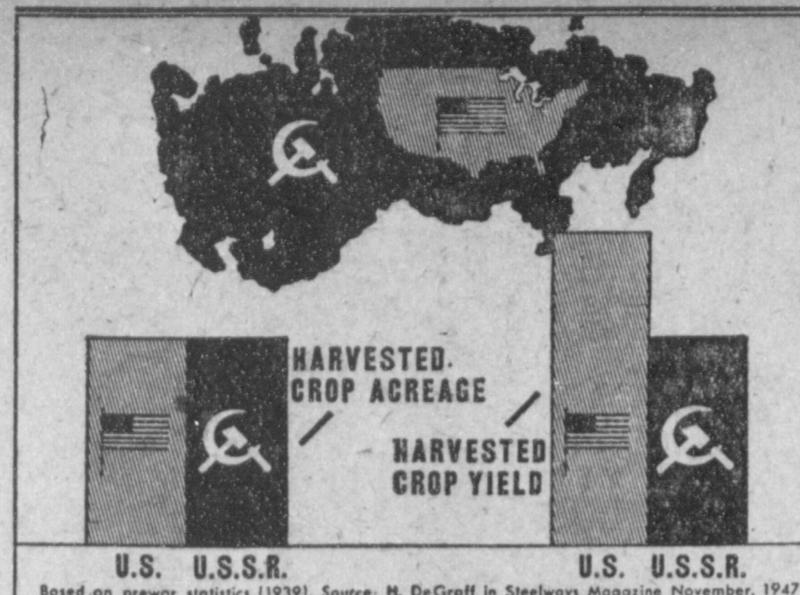
After the ceremony breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents to members of the bridal party and at noon the bride's parents were hosts for a dinner for which about 100 guests were present. During the afternoon an informal reception honored the couple after which they departed on a short wedding trip. They are now at home in Muenster in an apartment at Maggie Schumacher's.

The bride was born and reared in Scotland and the groom is a native of Muenster and attended Sacred Heart school. He served three years in the army during the war, the greater part of the time being on duty in the South Pacific. He is employed at the Muenster Cheese Factory.

Among out-of-town guests attending the wedding were Mrs. Herman Luttner, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luttner, Henry, Alfred, Walter and Miss Bernice Luttner, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Albers, all of Muenster; Messrs. and Mmes. Tony and Martin Hacker, of Valley View; Mrs. Nick Mosser and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mosser of Gainesville.

**Bull-Headedness**

Most sot-in-his-ways man I ever heard of was a letter carrier lived up Laconia way some years ago. If he was used to crossing a vacant lot, and somebody built a home there, like as not he'd ride through the back door and out the front rather than change his routine. One day a newcomer to town watched him hoist his bicycle over a pasture fence and start



The American mastery of modern farming techniques gives us a big edge in strength over any potential aggressor, according to Dr. Herrell DeGraff, outstanding Cornell University agricultural economist.

This is because farm productivity is an accurate measure of a country's industrial strength as well as the health of its population, he said.

Writing in Steelways Magazine, Dr. DeGraff said, "Russia, for instance, has yet to win the war of steel plows and the efficiency which they symbolize."

Comparing the agricultural systems of the two countries, he said, "America's basic advantage makes Russia look like a 14-year-old boy pitted against a brawny blacksmith in a weight lifting contest."

"We have to go back to shortly before the Civil War," he added, "to find when the American farmer's productivity was as low as the Russians' in 1938. American agriculture in prewar years turned out six times as much as each worker on the land in Russia."

The use of prewar figures was necessary, Dr. DeGraff explained, for the reason that the Soviets do not give out statistics now. He also said that "even if we had the information, it would hardly be satisfactory to draw a comparison since Russia's agricultural production was far more disrupted by the war than ours was."

Although Russia is the largest nation in the world, containing one-sixth of the world's land area, and with a population one-third greater than that of the United States, agriculturally speaking, Dr. DeGraff pointed out, this nation's output of farm produce in the years for which we have a comparison exceeded Russia's by 50 per cent. Both countries had approximately the same harvested crop acreage, prewar.

"Except in a few operations Russia's claim to have the most mechanized agriculture in the world is a gross exaggeration," Dr. DeGraff stated. "The bulk of Russian farm work is done by hand while the American farmer, using machines

made mostly of steel, supplied by an aggressive American industry, never ceased to expand the effectiveness of his work."

Dr. DeGraff quoted figures to show that the Russian farmer worked 63 hours before the war to grow one acre of corn, while in this country American farmers worked only 16 hours and obtained double the yield.

Russians, according to the article, required 230 hours to raise and harvest an acre of cotton. American producers do the same in 91 hours. While the farmer in this country labored 9 hours to raise and harvest an acre of wheat, the Russian farmer took 47 hours and even then got less wheat. Sugar beets, potatoes, milk and poultry production all followed the same pattern.

"The great vitality and productivity of American agriculture has been the basis of the rising strength of the nation and the rising standard of living," Dr. DeGraff said. "We now use only one-sixth of the nation's productive effort to provide for this country and still ship 10 per cent of our farm produce overseas."

Production levels in the United States are ever-increasing, Dr. DeGraff explained, "because individuals have had freedom to work and enjoy the fruits of labor. Under that system we have built an economic system that has stimulated production, individually and in the mass."

"The steel industry and other allied industries, making possible such machines of increasing efficiency, constantly reduce still further the manpower needed to produce food and thus release more men to devise and produce more ways to build higher the level of our civilization."

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along the path for the other side. Half way across a bull saw him and took after him. Panting some, he got himself and his bike over safely. "Darned near got you, didn't he?" said the sympathetic bystander. "Darned near gets me every time," was the unconcerned response.

**Stumbling Block**

Jackie, aged eight, was returning from a visit to his grandmother. "Oh, the train was fun," he said when his mother met him. "But," he added, puzzled, "some soldiers were mean to me. You see, when I got on the train, a nice lady came and sat down and we talked till she got off. The minute she left, two soldiers across the aisle came over and bawled me out. They said, 'you little weasel, why didn't you say that babe wasn't your mother?'"

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**5 YEARS AGO**

January 22, 1943

Zero weather, the coldest in a ten year period, was recorded here Tuesday. . . . Large enrollment in nursing course forms two classes; Mrs. T.S. Myrick is instructor. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Matt Muller announce the arrival of Jeanette. . . . Lindsey youth groups organize branch of CYO.

**BUFFALO BILL WAS A COLORFUL CHARACTER**

Many colorful stories are told about Col. Wm. Frederick Cody, popularly known as Buffalo Bill. And, indeed, his life does resemble that of a dashing hero in the pages of an adventure book.

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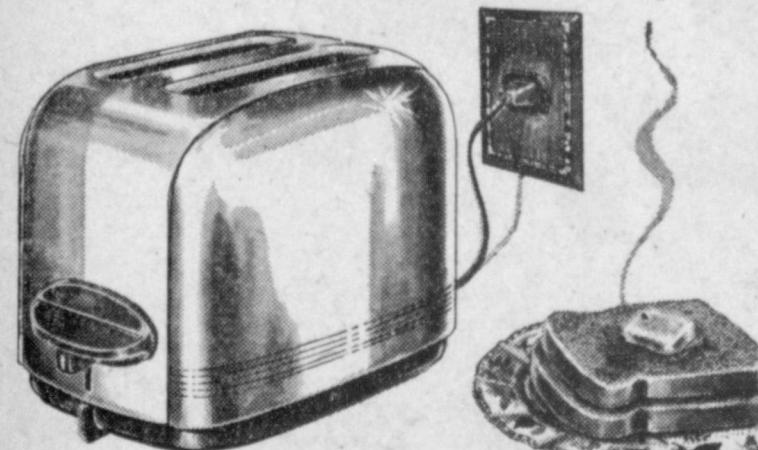
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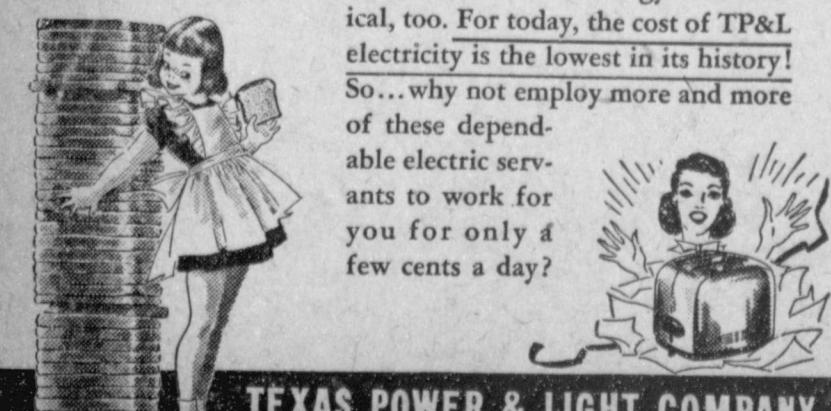
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For a time Buffalo Bill was a rider on the Pony Express, a private postal service that carried the mail from Missouri to California. And during the Civil War he was a scout for the Union Army. Gen. Custer, famed for his last stand, said that Buffalo Bill's eyes were better than field glasses.

The origin of his nickname is an interesting one. Hired to supply meat for workers on the Kansas Pacific railroad, he is said to have killed 4,820 buffaloes in 18 months.

**27,000 MILES OF TEXAS HIGHWAY MADE SAFER BY NEW YELLOW LINE**

Austin, — Officials of the Texas Highway Department Thursday told the story about the bright yellow lines now being seen by motorists every day throughout the vast 27,000 mile system of paved highways.

"The new yellow no-passing line being put down on our highways is a double indemnity device," State Highway Engineer D.C. Greer declared.

"It gives a flashy and obvious warning of danger to the motorist who wants to protect his own life and the lives of others," he explained, "and it gives the police something definite on which to jail or punish the driver who apparently cares little for his life and thereby endangers the lives of innocent motorists in the other lane."

Last year President Truman's Highway Safety Conference urged the States to concentrate on improvement of highway center stripe in a major attempt to reduce the ghastly toll of accidents due to head-on collisions and sideswiping.

In all States the color was changed to yellow, which tests have shown is more visible in all kinds of weather than any other type of marking. This yellow color is used also to impress the motorist that where yellow is seen on the road it must not be crossed.

In one wartime year, Navy food supplies for men included 800,000,000 pounds of meat; 1,400,000,000 pounds of vegetables; 500,000,000 pounds of fruit; 400,000,000 pounds of biscuits, flour and bread; and 70,000,000 dozens of eggs.



—A publisher's viewpoint of an active state press association will be presented to Texas editors at the Mid-Winter session of the Texas Press Association in Dallas on January 31 by O.H. Lachmeyer, president of the Oklahoma Press Association and owner of the Cushing, Okla., Daily Citizen, the Texas City News and the San Benito Cameron County News.

**Small Scale Buyer**

The young lady's expensively modish attire bespoke wealth, and the eager clerk, with visions of a large order, patiently put in a strenuous hour showing her the various rolls of linoleum in his stock.

At last he was obliged to report apologetically, "I'm very sorry, madam, but that's all the linoleum that we have in stock here. But if you could wait, I could get some more pieces from the factory. Can you call again?"

"Yes, I'll do that," the young lady agreed, gathering up her belongings and rising from her chair. "Do try to find something with very small designs — something suitable for putting in the bottom of a bird cage."

Doctor: The best thing for you to do is to give up drinking and smoking, get up early every morning and go to bed early every night.

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**Lindsay News**

Raymond Fuhrmann underwent surgery at Gainesville Sanitarium Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Hunt was readmitted to M & S hospital Tuesday after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Al Hess and family in Muenster.

Joe Bengfort was in San Antonio this week to attend an executive meeting of the Catholic State League. He is president of the North Texas district.

Hubert Bezner, son of Mrs. Joe Bezner, has recently been initiated into Tau Beta Pi, national professional engineering fraternity at Texas Tech, Lubbock.

The Ed J. Corcorans of Los Angeles, Calif., have renewed their subscription to the Enterprise and gave a chance of ad-

dress to 8006 Zamora Ave. where they are now at home having a seamstress made a three-piece p.m. for dinners, short orders, wool suit. For her bedroom she and snacks. He has arranged seating for singles, pairs or parties.

Ed Bezner and his mother, Mrs. Louis Bezner, of Hereford have returned to their home after a month's visit here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Fred Luebert observed her birthday Sunday with a dinner at noon for which Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stelzer of Muenster were guests, and in the afternoon many friends called to present gifts and extend best wishes. The honoree's son, Henry Luebert and family of Fort Worth, who had planned to be present were unable to come but sent gifts and greetings.

**4-H GOLD STAR TITLES AWARDED ON BASIS OF OUTSTANDING RECORD**

Miss Florene Arendt and Harold Nortman of Lindsay's 4-H clubs, who were recently announced as the winners of Cooke county's highest club honors. Gold Star girl and boy, for the past year, have enviable records in club work according to a report of achievements by Miss Mildred Chapman, county home demonstration agent, and B.T. Haws, county agent.

Miss Arendt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arendt of Lindsay, did not confine herself to one demonstration during her six years of club work. She has carried demonstrations in clothing, landscape, bedroom, food production and food preparation. Her greatest accomplishment is

in sewing and her finest work as will be open from 7 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. for dinners, short orders, made a bed spread, curtains, dressing table and skirt. In many rooms of the family home Florene has in use some of her hand work such as her crocheted table cloth. She is president of her club.

Not only is she outstanding in club work, she is also an honor student at Lindsay school and takes active part in school, church and community activities.

Harold Nortman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nortman of Lindsay, has completed nine projects during his four years as a club member.

Beginning in 1944, he fed out four hogs and in 1945 and '46 his project was a beef calf. He exhibited them at the local 4-H FFA Fat Stock shows. In the spring of 1946 he won a registered Duroc Jersey gilt in the Sears pig contest and in the local show placed in the top five, winning 25 turkey poult.

1947 was his big year. He completed six projects. He continued his hog project, feeding out 10 hogs and one beef calf and grew five acres of corn to help in his feeding project. He bought a registered milking short-horn heifer to start his dairy herd, and in the spring received his turkey poult which were successfully raised and marketed at Christmas.

He is vice-president of his club, and took active part in the scrap metal drive which won first place in the state. He is active in school and community activity and when not in school helps his father on their recently purchased farm.

**1947 WAS MEMORABLE AND ACTIVE YEAR FOR 4-H BOYS OF COUNTY**

4-H Club boys of Cooke County were active in 1947, according to the annual report of B.T. Haws, county agent.

There are 11 organized clubs with an enrollment of 265 boys. There are 15 out-of-school club boys who are doing good work.

Club boys made many entries in the Cooke County fair in livestock, poultry, and field crops, and took their share of the ribbons. In the 4-H, F.F.A. Fat Stock Show, 54 calves and 24 pigs were entered by the 4-H club boys, at the district pig show Cooke County had the Grand Champion Sow and sixth place boar.

The Lindsay 4-H Club won first place in the State Scrap Metal Contest. A Cooke County boy, Jerome Dieter of Lindsay, won first out of 300 entries in a rifle shooting contest at the district 4-H encampment. Another Cooke County boy, Leonard Bengfort of Lindsay, was the State Fair Award winner from this district and received a trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, and four boys purchased registered dairy heifers.

The outstanding projects for the year were corn, oats, wheat, cotton, peanuts, poultry, dairy cattle, beef cattle, swine and home gardens. Several combined 4-H club parties were held for boys and girls during the year.

**FRANK HOEDEBECK SETS NEXT SATURDAY FOR OPENING OF CAFE**

Frank's Cafe will open Saturday, January 24, according to an announcement Tuesday by Frank Hoebebeck, owner and manager. The new place of business is the former Rollman location adjoining Frank's present recreational room.

Repairs and remodeling on both sides have been underway since the latter part of December. The combined front received a new paint job, the cafe and recreational room have new oak floors, paint and decorations, and the cafe has new fixtures.

The owner stated that the cafe

**Confetti---**

substantial tax relief until we stop the lavish commitments.

The extent of our tax burden is most apparent when compared with our regular living expense. In a recent issue the United States News pointed out that our total cost of government, federal, state and municipal, is \$4 billion whereas our total food bill is \$47 billion. To the average individual that means \$371 a year for government and \$330 a year for groceries.

All of which suggests that the government's best approach to the high cost of living problems is to start with its own expenses. Ordinary people will get along better when permitted to apply a little of their tax money to grocery bills.



Members of the Royal Family of His Highness Amir Saud bin Abdullah bin Jelewi, Amir of Hasa Province, Saudi Arabia, on board the cruiser USS Toledo, commanded by Captain A. J. Detzer, USN, of Leland, Michigan, (center), during the call of the Amir on Admiral Richard H. Conolly, USN, Commander, Naval Forces, Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean, at Ras Tanura. The Toledo was flagship of Admiral Conolly during his visit to the Persian Gulf. The Toledo later departed for Japan to relieve the USS Fall River as flagship of Rear Admiral A. M. Bledsoe, USN, Commander, Cruiser Division One. (Official U. S. Navy Photograph)

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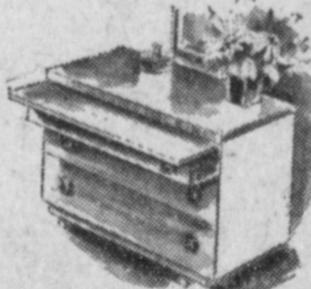
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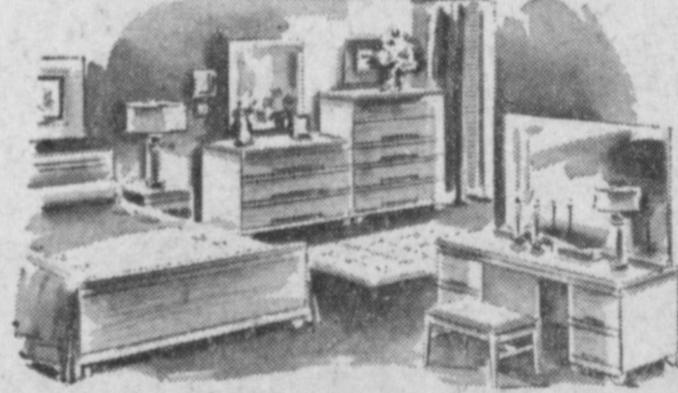
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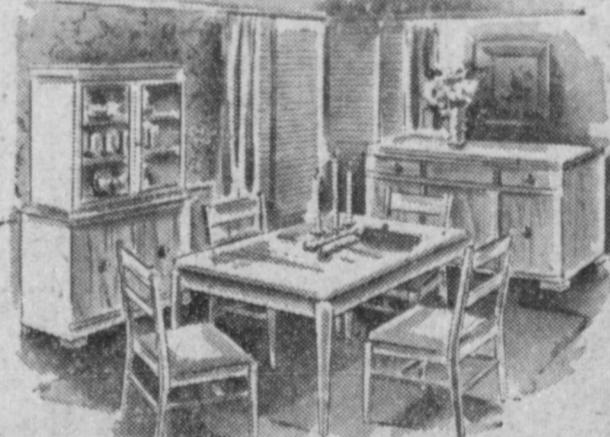


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