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Anton J. Noggler, 44, Dies Saturday From Self Inflicted Shot

When President Truman appeared before Congress Wednesday he minced no words in saying that the time has come to quit dealing with the Kremlin gangsters on a friendly basis. He served notice on Russia that he is fed up with international treachery and aggression and the obvious plot to block every effort for peace and recovery in this distressed, war torn world.

In doing so he also served notice on this country that the next shooting war is in sight, and our only way to stop the Communist drive to world enslavement is to start preparing now.

As a starter toward preparedness the president calls for universal military training and reenactment of selective service, two distasteful measures that most of us would oppose to the last ditch in normal times but which we'll probably adopt now in the same spirit as the man who takes bitter medicine to prevent serious illness.

We hate the thought of transferring youngsters from home to military environment. We hate the forcible interruption of personal plans and ambitions. We hate the regimentation, the expense and everything about either of the measures, but we hate them far less than a communistic regime with its fear, brutality, godlessness and slavery.

We're in favor of whatever sacrifices will be needed to make the world safe again for civilized people, but at the same time we hope to adopt a course that will prevent needless sacrifice. Being prepared in advance can save thousands of lives and months of time, it can also mean the difference between victory and defeat.

There's another chance, though very remote, that preparedness will even keep us out of war. Bullies respect force, and Russia may act otherwise when it finds a country ready and able to call its hand.

While considering the president's recommendations, we hope Congress will take up a few more subjects that are closely associated with national security. One is the threat of a new round of strikes. Another is the known presence of Reds and Pinks in official government circles. Still another is the palsy walsy attitude of some prominent Americans toward Russia's agents.

If the emergency is serious enough to warrant the transfer of young men from their homes to army camps it is also serious enough to subordinate selfish demands to the common good. Miners and packers are playing into Russia's hands with their new strike movement.

Likewise our government is taking chances when it permits known Communists or their sympathizers to continue present activities. Every one of the known subversives ought to be taken out of circulation, preferably deported to Russia.

An incident that has no particular security significance but just makes us see red is the big party given by American Friends of Soviet Russia to the Russian ambassador at the very time when Russia's hostility to our country is barely short of open warfare. As a crowning insult the Reds invite Glen Taylor, a candidate for vice president of the United States, as speaker and he accepts.

Last week on the University of Texas campus a group of student Democrats was going strong in a "Draft Eisenhower" rally. Said the chairman of the meeting, "this doesn't represent any stand... civil rights, tidelands or what have you. We just want Ike. He can win."

Included in the crowd were a few Republican strays who were more than a little amused at the thought that Ike may turn out to be their man. One of them asked the chairman of the rally "Would you back Eisenhower if he turned out to be a Republican?" The chairman retorted "I wouldn't back anybody as a Republican."

All of which goes to show that an ancient, and unfortunate, Southern tradition is still very much alive. Regardless of his personal merits a man doesn't rate with some people unless he wears the right party label.

The incident also stands out as a magnificent tribute to General Ike. Few men have enjoyed the distinction of being wanted by both parties. Perhaps that's because he thinks of Americanism first and party affiliation second... if at all. Our country would be better off if we citizens applied the same standard in casting our votes.

Anton Joseph Noggler, 44, died instantly Saturday morning, Mar. 13, at his home about 7 miles southeast of Muenster, as a result of a self inflicted shot from a 12 gauge shotgun. Justice of the Peace Shelby Fletcher conducted the inquest and declared the death suicide.

The tragedy took place shortly before 9 o'clock, according to the family's account to Deputy Sheriff W. U. Clegg. Investigation of a muffled shot led to the discovery of Noggler's body on the floor of the dairy barn. Beside him was a shotgun with a string extending from the trigger to an old piece of furniture.

The family also related that the deceased had been in poor health for some time and lately had been complaining about pains in his chest.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 8:30 a.m. at Sacred Heart Church with Rev. Herman Laux officiating and the Leazer-Keel Funeral Home of Gainesville in charge of funeral arrangements. Pallbearers were W. W. Otto, Andrew and Ben Fleitman, Matt Muller, Alois Walter and Gus Lutkenhaus.

The deceased was born in Muenster on September 10, 1903, a son of the late A.J. Noggler and Mrs. Noggler. He attended Sacred Heart school, and in 1928 married Miss Susanna Koelzer.

He is survived by his wife, four sons, Alvin, Theodore, Joseph and Lawrence, and six daughters, Evelyn, Genevieve, Magdalene, Agnes, Louise and Rita, all of whom reside at the family home; his mother, Mrs. John Schilling of Muenster; one brother, John Noggler of Hereford; two sisters, Mmes. William Haverkamp and Alphonse Walterscheid, Muenster, and one half-sister, Mrs. Anton Fleitman, Muenster.

Notes On Soil Conservation

Recent meetings were held with the Felix Becker and Thomas Sicking, Conservation Groups. Lee Toothaker local soil conservation technician discussed madrid clover and establishing grasses for pasture and terrace outlets. The Becker group, meeting in the Al Fleitman home, was reminded that the presence of bees in a clover field will increase the seed production 35%. It takes 15,000 visits from bees to set a single pound of clover seed. Attending the Felix Becker meeting were: Al Fleitman, Eddie Hacker, Martin Friske, Felix Becker, Wm. Haverkamp, Ed Cler, Joe Kleiss, John Kleiss, Eddie Fleitman. Attending the Thomas Sicking meeting were: Gus Sicking, Thomas Sicking, Louis Sicking, Victor Sicking, Andy Fleitman, Johnnie Fleitman.

A soil and water conservation plan was completed on the Leo Sicking farm. The first thing to be done by John Knabe, operator, is to establish bermuda and buffalo grass for pasture.

Roy Endres, cooperater in the Bruno Fleitman conservation group, recently completed approximately 1200 feet of diversion terraces to keep the water off his fields until he can establish pasture.

The Upper Elm-Red Conservation District now has a grass seed drill with fertilizer attachments for sowing bermuda and love grass, located with the Muenster Work Unit. This drill is available for use on cooperators' farms where seed bed preparation is complete. A clean, firm seed bed is desired for best results with this drill. Cooperators desiring to use this drill should contact personnel of Muenster Work Unit.

Joe Starke's pride and joy this week is his crop of frost resisting oats. It is thriving while other oats of the neighborhood seems to have given up the ghost.

J.B. Wilde, Gerald Stelzer Bag Coyote From Airplane

J.B. Wilde and Gerald Stelzer, hunting coyotes from Wilde's plane, bagged one of the pests on their first trip out, last Saturday morning. Wilde maneuvered the plane and Stelzer handled the shotgun.

The day before Wilde and another companion flew out after wolves but came back shortly because of the companion's sickness.



BRISBANE, CALIF.—(Soundphoto)—Tilted gas pumps and mass of debris are all that is left of steel-frame gas station here after it was hurled off its foundation and carried 20 feet when a huge 15-wheel truck-trailer veered off Bayshore highway and smashed through it. John Vincequerra, 24, San Jose Calif., the truck driver, said two automobiles in front of him suddenly stopped directly in his path. He applied airbrakes, but they failed, and he swerved to avoid hitting the cars. The truck plunged across curbing and into gas station, carrying it with it before coming to rest (rear) against hill.

W.J. Linnen, Teacher Here 21 Years, Dies Tuesday at Bowie

W.J. Linnen, 92, affectionately remembered as a teacher in the Muenster public school for 21 years, died Tuesday morning at his home in Bowie after an illness of one month.

Funeral services at Saint John's church, Montague, and burial in Elmwood cemetery, Bowie, Wednesday morning were attended by about 20 of his former Muenster friends, including choir members who sang for the requiem mass and the burial service.

An outstanding educator of his time and founder of Bowie's first school, Mr. Linnen lived in retirement at Bowie since 1930 when he ended his 43 year teaching career, principally in the Bowie and Muenster schools.

He was born in Missouri on December 15, 1855, and came to Texas as a T & P Railway employe in 1880. Two years later when the city of Bowie was established he was prominent in founding the school and continued teaching in and around Bowie until he moved here in 1909.

Since his retirement he was active in civic and charitable work at Bowie, especially in giving aid to underprivileged persons.

A member of Saint John's church at Montague, Mr. Linnen spent many years as conductor of special religious services in the absence of the priest, who reached the church only once or twice a month. He led a prayer read scriptures, gave sermons and taught religious classes for children. His wife died about 10 years ago. Surviving relatives are two step-granddaughters, a niece and a nephew.

SCHOOL ELECTION TICKET COULD USE A FEW MORE CANDIDATES

Up to Wednesday afternoon the ballot for Muenster's annual school trustee election is one candidate short of filling the two positions on the ticket. C. M. Walterscheid is the only person to announce to date.

The election to be held on Saturday, April 3, will name trustees for the positions now held on the school board by J.J. Wimmer and John Klement. Neither has indicated at this time whether he is willing to serve another term.

Other members of the board are Albert Henscheid and Frank Yosten, whose terms expire next year, and Meinrad Hesse, E.S. Lawson and C.G. Clayton, whose terms expire a year later.

Robert Carl is the name of the infant son of Lt. and Mrs. F. P. Swan, Jr., born March 8, at Family Hospital, U.S. Naval Air Station, San Diego, Calif. He weighed 7 1/2 pounds. At his baptism on Saturday, the 13th, at the Navy Chapel on North Island, Chaplain Brian Mahedy officiated, assisted by Lt. Commander and Mrs. Vincent Deitchmann as sponsors by proxy for Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mitchell of Gainesville. Mrs. Mitchell and Mrs. Swan are sisters. Mrs. Swan's mother, Mrs. Carl Gimple of Gainesville, is visiting her daughter and family and will remain there about two more weeks.

MITCHELL ADDRESSES LEAGUE-GARDEN CLUB ON SOIL CONSERVATION

Robert S. Mitchell, Muenster Work Unit Conservationist, addressed members of the Civic League and Garden Club at their regular monthly meeting Friday afternoon in the public school.

He stated that many people feel that conservation of the soil is of no direct interest to them, but explained that it is a subject of vital interest to every individual. More and better farms make better business and a better town with healthier, happier people. Poor soil makes poor people, he said. He illustrated his talk with actual photographs showing the great benefits derived where conservation measures are used and explained that Muenster is a part of the Upper Elm-Red District which was organized in 1940 and is composed of Cooke county, most of Grayson and the eastern part of Montague county.

This lecture was of special interest to the club women as the organization's theme this year is "Conservation" and the program includes two guest speakers on the subject and in May a tour of nearby farms engaged in soil conservation projects.

During the business session Mrs. T.S. Myrick, president, presided. Members were urged to cooperate in the city wide clean-up March 15-20, and committee reports were heard.

The local club is assisting in the establishment of a Texas Nature Study Camp by selling Audubon note paper, and four members, Mmes. Jim Cook, Steve Mosier and Anthony Luke and Miss Olivia Stock are serving as solicitors during the current Red Cross drive.

Mrs. J.M. Weinzapfel and Mrs. J.C. Trachta gave interesting reports on the state convention held in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, March 4-5-6. Four local club members attended.

It was announced that the Garden Club will cooperate with several other local organizations in erecting a fence around the city square and in making other improvements on that site.

SCOUTS WILL JOIN IN CENTENNIAL EVENT AT OLD FORT FITZHUGH

Muenster Boy Scouts are all set for an overnight pilgrimage hike to Fort Fitzhugh, three miles south of Gainesville, this Friday, and participation in the unveiling ceremonies of a marker on the site Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. This is one of the county centennial events the scouts will participate in this year. Two of the local boys will serve as color bearers and two as guards during the ceremony.

According to Scoutmaster Nick Miller the troop will leave here Friday at 2 p.m. by bus to Gainesville and will hike the remainder of the way. They will carry their own food and prepare it in scout fashion, he said.

Other activity of the troop during the week consisted of the taking of group pictures on Wednesday afternoon with the boys in uniform, pictured with their bird houses, and on Thursday afternoon Bert Hamric is representing the troop at Fort Fitzhugh in building the centennial marker. One boy from each troop of the county is taking part in the building program. Fort Fitzhugh is the first known white settlement in Cooke County.

Community Passes Half-way Mark in '48 Red Cross Drive

Approximately \$400 has been collected during the first week of this community's annual Red Cross drive. Mrs. Ben Luke, community chairman, disclosed Wednesday afternoon.

A total of \$327.25 had been deposited to the fund's account in the bank up to that time, Mrs. Luke said, and estimated that money collected but not turned in by some solicitors would amount to at least \$75 more.

Of the 18 solicitors who are active in the campaign, complete or partial returns have been made by Robert Mitchell, E. S. Lawson, Olivia Stock, Mrs. Ben Luke, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mosier and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoinig.

Those who have not turned in their collections are Mrs. Jim Cook, Mrs. A.E. Thompson, Mrs. Milner, Harry Fisher, Charles Rosenberg, and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hellman.

Persons who were not at home when solicitors called or who

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News Of Sick And Injured

E.P. Buckley underwent surgery at Gainesville sanitarium Wednesday.

Mrs. Herman Fette is a medical patient at Gainesville Sanitarium since Wednesday of last week.

Nelda Bayer, 9, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bayer, was a patient at Gainesville Sanitarium last Wednesday for a minor eye operation.

Mrs. Joe Luke who submitted to surgery at Saint Vincent's hospital in Sherman on Tuesday of last week was permitted to return home Saturday afternoon and is convalescing nicely.

Miss Alvina Derichsweller returned to classes Monday after an absence of three weeks due to illness. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Derichsweller and a 9th grade student at Sacred Heart High.

Ferd Luttmier is recovering normally at Wichita Falls Clinic from injuries received on Wednesday night of last week in an oil field accident near Henrietta where he was working. He received two deep gashes on his right thigh and a bruised back when he was hit by tongues of the drilling equipment. He expects to return home this weekend, according to his wife, who visited him Sunday in company of his mother, Mrs. Herman Luttmier and Alfred and Miss Bernice Luttmier.

Robert Knabe was treated at the local clinic for a painfully cut thumb on his right hand Sunday evening. The injury was sustained at his farm where he caught his hand on barbed wire. Dickie and Sandra Cain, children of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cain, are improving from an illness of influenza that sent them to bed last Friday.

Mrs. T.P. Frost attended a nurses' district meeting in Denison last Wednesday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Paul Wiesman and Mrs. Vena Beasley of Gainesville.

Death March 11 Ends One Year Illness of John N. Wimmer, 70

John N. Wimmer, 70, a resident of Muenster for 36 years, succumbed to a lengthy illness at 2 p.m. Thursday, March 11, in Saint Vincent's hospital, Sherman, following a thyroid operation the previous Tuesday. He had been ill for more than a year and was confined to bed most of the time since last June.

Funeral services with requiem high mass were held Saturday morning at Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock, with Rev. Herman Laux officiating, and burial was in the Muenster cemetery under the direction of George J. Carroll and Son Funeral home.

Pallbearers were Arthur Hennigan, Virgil Streng, Andrew Lawrence, Charlie E. and John H. Wimmer.

Mr. Wimmer was born in Germany on August 30, 1877, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wimmer, and came to the United States as a young boy, with a cousin, settling in Tours, Texas, in 1891. After several years in Tours, he went to Lindsay where he spent a few years, and in 1900 moved to Windthorst where he married Miss Mathilda Ostrowsky on May 3, 1904. They remained there until 1912, when they moved to Muenster. He engaged in farming.

He was the father of 12 children, two of whom died in early childhood.

Survivors are his wife; eight daughters, Mmes. Joe Newara, North East, Penna.; Alvin Nall, Tyler; Hugh Tarleton, Sammie Hromcik, and Miss Dorothy Wimmer, all of Fort Worth; Mrs. Eddie Magee, Lindsay; Mmes. Fred Hennigan and John Streng, Muenster; two sons, Richard and Arnold Wimmer, both of Muenster and 17 grandchildren.

Other survivors are two brothers, George Wimmer of Wichita Falls and Alois Wimmer of Phoenix, Arizona, and a cousin, C.J. Wimmer of Muenster.

Out of town relatives at the funeral included all of the deceased's children with the exception of the daughter from Penna., and George Wimmer and son, Adolph Wimmer, both of Wichita Falls.

Muenster Has Double Clean-up, One For Mayor And One For Governor

Muenster's annual Spring Clean-up Week, now in progress, will be repeated again the week of April 4-10, Mayor J.M. Weinzapfel announced Monday after receiving a proclamation by Governor Beauford Jester, designating that week as Spring Clean-up Week in Texas.

Mayor Weinzapfel stated that a truck has been engaged to haul trash this week on Thursday afternoon and again on Saturday, but that hauling will take place once more during the weekend of the April clean-up campaign if necessary.

For the second clean-up citizens are asked to give special attention to alleys and vacant lots.

In the interest of good health, fewer fires, more attractive homes and business houses and increases in property values Mayor Weinzapfel joins Governor Jester in asking for full cooperation from every citizen and organization during the designated week.

SEYLER AND WIELER LOOK LIKE CINCHES ON COUNCIL BALLOT

Ben Seyler's announcement this week that he will be a candidate for the alderman position left vacant by R.L. McNelley completed a ticket for the city election on April 6, but it does not provide a race. At this time, a little more than a week from the announcing deadline, each of the two positions has one candidate.

John Wieler is the other candidate. He is seeking re-election to the position he now holds.

To be included on the official ballot nominations must be filed on or before Saturday, March 27.

McNelley, retiring alderman, is not seeking re-election since taking up his new work with an electric cooperative in Arizona.

Miss Elfreda Luke was in Dallas during the weekend to attend the annual convention of District 5 of Texas State Teachers association.

Local NEWS Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. R.L. McNelley were Dallas visitors Friday.

Dick Cain has a new Chevrolet pick-up delivered by J. B. Wilde.

R.R. Endres has a new Ford pick-up purchased from Endres Motor company.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Horn, Jr., are in Galveston this week attending a telephone convention.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schilling had as guests Monday Mr. and

Mrs. A.J. Schilling of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Bewley of Forestburg are the parents of a daughter born at the local clinic Monday.

Bishop A. Danglmayr returned to Dallas Monday after spending a week here with members of his family.

A neon sign big enough to light up its end of the town was installed this week at Jimmy's Service Station.

John Schilling spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday in Wichita Falls visiting his sons, A.J. and Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlen Edelen of Wilson, Okla., and Mrs. Johnny Fisher of Fox, Okla., spent Tuesday here visiting friends.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cain for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Melton and children of Waxahachie.

Miss Catherine Connerty, R.N., of Dallas, has returned to her home following a week's visit with members of the Danglmayr families.

Dr. T.S. Myrick made trips to Dallas on Monday and Tuesday to attend some of the sessions of the annual state medical meeting.

The Morrison family moved this week to occupy J.C. Trachta's house in the north part of town. It is the place recently vacated by Leo Sicking.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wimmer and family moved Monday from the farm home formerly occupied by the Henry Henschels to the home of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Walterscheid.

Bert Fisch and his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Biggins, of Fort Worth were Sunday guests of the former's mother and sister, Mmes. J.P. Fisch and M. J. Endres.

John Hogan of Amarillo spent the weekend here with his sister, Mrs. Dick Cain and family and was accompanied home by his wife and children who had been visiting here a week.

Tommy Gremminger, Ed Schneider and Floyd Triplett and Misses Edna Hartman and Virginia Walterscheid drove to Collinsville Sunday afternoon for a visit with Mr. Triplett's folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Seyler left Tuesday afternoon for South Bend, Indiana, for a visit, with her sister, Mrs. Jack Quinlan, who is ill. Mr. Seyler also planned a visit to Detroit, Mich., on business before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Insell of Cotulla spent the weekend with



HARMARVILLE, PA.—Particles invisible to the naked eye are handled by this wizard-like machine of modern science, called the micro-manipulator. The hand lever operates a hydromatic drive directing probes, rakes and shovels so tiny they work within a drop of water as would ordinary instruments in a beaker or test tube. A humidified cell prevents evaporation of the minute sample beneath the microscope lens. Photo was taken at Gulf Oil's micro-laboratory where research into the infinitely small is speeding progress toward meeting the world's demands for oil.

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kathman, and his relatives in Gainesville and returned home in a new Plymouth which they purchased in Gainesville.

Mrs. Ben Luke and daughters, Misses Elfreda and Mary Ann, Mrs. J.M. Weinzapfel and Miss Olivia Stock were in Sherman Monday night to attend a concert by the Dallas Symphony Orchestra presented in the Municipal Auditorium.

Foundation has been run for John Walterscheid's city home to be located north of Henry Yosten's residence. The house will be moved in this weekend from the Trew lease. Walterscheid bought the house from A.D. and A.W. Walterscheid recently.

Rev. Juvenal Emanuel of Chicago, Ill., provincial director of the Third Order of Saint Francis, was here Monday through Wednesday for his annual visitation with local members. He held a special conference with members Wednesday after the 8:30 Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rawleigh of Saint Paul, Minn., visited here several days last week with his sister, Mrs. Eugene Klement and family, and were joined by her mother, Mrs. Ida Rawleigh, who had been visiting her daughter since January, when they returned to their home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Klement moved during the weekend to their new home on Main street. The house they vacated is now the home of their son, Martin and wife, and the apartment Mr. and Mrs. Martin Klement previously occupied has been rented by Lee Toothaker and Harry Armstrong.

ARE FARMERS PAYING MORE FOR NEW CARS?

In Minnesota, an automobile finance company noted a few months ago that it wasn't getting business from farmers to the extent it did before the war.

Where they formerly bought used cars on time payments, most farmers now buy new cars — and pay cash in full.

A company official did some checking to see why.

He found a typical new car in U. S. sold for \$950 in 1940. Today the 1948 model of the same car sells at around \$1,600.

But — In terms of what the U. S. farmer got for his products in 1947, compared to 1940, here's what the two cars cost:

	'40 Car	'48 Car
Hogs (275 lbs.)	64	21
Steers (1,000 lbs.)	12½	8½
Lambs (90 lbs.)	130	88
Milk (100 lbs.)	522	343
Eggs (crates)	176	96
Wheat (bushels)	1,393	602
Corn (bushels)	1,537	717
Oats (bushels)	3,135	1,468
Hay (tons)	126	95
Cotton (bales)	19	10

—Automobile Facts

When the white man discovered this country, the Indians were running it. There were no taxes, there was no debt. The women did all the work. And the white men thought they could improve on a system like that!

You have to stay awake to make your dreams come true.



WATCHES
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Porter's Jewelry

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PIANOS ARE BACK

For the first time since 1941 we have a good stock of Spinnet Pianos. See us if interested in a good piano. You will find our prices much cheaper than other dealers. Trade us your old piano for a new Spinnet.

TURBEVILLE MUSIC STORE
Gainesville

NEW SHOES

For Women and Children
BY FRIEDMAN-SHELBY
Styles for Dress and Play

MEN'S WORK SHOES

HI-TEST, with 8 inch tops and safety toe

Jacob Pagel

Muenster

HOW PHOSPHATE RETARDS EROSION

Roots hold soil. Tiny roots that push their way down through the soil and wrap themselves around soil particles provide the reinforcement that keeps the land from being washed away. When the vegetation has been killed and the roots have been destroyed the land is open to the bombing of rain or the driving force of the wind. There's nothing to hold it and it is carried away.

According to H.B. Newberry, Secretary Cooke County Agricultural Conservation Association, this explains why the application of phosphate in connection with approved legumes and grasses is a part of the conservation program.

The real purpose, says the Secretary, is to increase the growth of roots in the soil. Since grass and legumes are the more permanent types of farm crops and their root systems are very effective in holding the soil, the application of phosphate has been especially encouraged for these crops.

Grass and clover also are good crops for livestock and conservation farming systems.

Twelve carloads of 20% superphosphate have been obtained by farmers of Cooke County during the first two months of this year and it will be applied to pastures and summer legumes.

So the effectiveness of the application of phosphate as a conservation practice, the Secretary explains, is in the accelerated growth of grasses and legumes.

Didja' hear about the little moron who stood on a busy corner with a piece of bread in his hand waiting for the traffic jam.

EASTER CANDY FAVORITES

Lots of delicious candy eggs, candy bunnies, and King's chocolates in special Easter packages.

Besides... a wonderful selection of other items to fit with the Easter spirit including egg dye, grass, Easter baskets, fuzzy bunnies, Easter greeting cards.

Variety Store
Anthony and Leona Luke

Easter Bonnets are beautiful

What a wonderful, wide selection of hats for this year's Easter parade! Large ones, small ones... off the face, on the face... beflowered, beribboned, and oh, so becoming!



The Ladies Shop
GAINESVILLE



Jewelry gives that extra touch to your Easter outfit

This is a perfect time to get those extra pieces of costume jewelry. Have them new for Easter.

Select from our distinctive patterns in rings, ear-rings, pins, bracelets, necklaces.

Dixie Drug Store
MUENSTER, TEXAS

All or Any part of your New Easter Outfit



BRADFORD HATS

CURLEE SUITS

HOLLYVOGUE TIES

SHIRTCRAFT SHIRTS

FRIEDMAN-SHELBY SHOES

SHOES FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY

Friedman-Shelby for Men and Women
Red Goose Shoes for Children

Commerce Street Store
Pete Briscoe, Owner Geo. Ausmus, Mgr.
Home of Curlee Clothes in Gainesville

Local NEWS

Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Orlen Edelen of Wilson, Okla., visited here Saturday with friends.

Cecilia and John Gilbert Aytes spent Sunday in Wichita Falls with their grandmother.

Norman Luke of Denton was here for a weekend visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Luke.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Cooper of Corsicana spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Haverkamp and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bindel and daughter, Carol Ann, and William Koerner, all of Pilot Point, visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Ben Seyler spent last Wednesday and Thursday in Lubbock visiting her daughters, Misses Johann and Mary, at Texas Tech, and her sister, Mrs. C.W. Ratliff and family.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cook were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harrison of Duncan, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Homer Burrow of Graham, Okla., and Cleo Brooks of Fox, Okla. Mrs. Harrison is Mrs. Cook's sister.

Political Announcements

The following persons have authorized the Enterprise to announce their candidacies for public offices, subject to the Democratic primary election, July 1948.

- Commissioner Precinct 3
J.E. (Earl) TAYLOR
H.H. (Herman) AGEE
- Commissioner Precinct 4
J.E. (Earl) ROBISON
(Re-election)
- State Representative
CLIFF GARDNER
(Re-election)
- County Judge
JOHN ATCHISON
- County Attorney
SHELBY FLETCHER
- County Sheriff
EMORY HORN
(Re-election)
- District Clerk
WOODROW U. CLEGG
- MARTIN G. DAVIS
(Re-election)

I Want to repair your

- ... Combine
- ... Hay baler
- ... Binder
- ... Rake
- ... Plow

to hardface your

- ... Drill bits
- ... Thresher cylinder teeth
- ... Hammermill hammers
- ... Anything subject to wear

NOW'S THE TIME TO ...

have your lawn mower cleaned, repaired and sharpened

See me about saw filing or any kind of blacksmith work

Al Walterscheid Machine Shop
Muenster

Clyde Fisher had as his guest Friday through Sunday, Jim McCoy from Montana. They were classmates at Gonzaga University in Spokane, Wash.

Seamen Second Class Tommy Otto and Jackie Reiter arrived Friday from San Diego, Calif., to spend a leave with their parents, Messrs. and Mmes. A.A. Otto and Gussie Reiter. They have completed their boot training and will leave Sunday to return to San Diego preparatory to assignment aboard ship.

MISS FRISKE, RAY LUEB TO MARRY ON APRIL 7

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Friske have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Tonie Mae Friske, to Raymond Lueb. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Lueb of Durant, Okla., formerly of Lindsay.

The wedding date has been set for April 7 and the ceremony will be performed in Saint Mary's church at Gainesville.

Miss Friske has selected as her attendants her sister, Miss Ellen Grace Friske, maid of honor, and

Miss Jane DeLapp of Gainesville, bridesmaid.

The bride-elect attended Sacred Heart school and is a graduate of Mary Immaculate Academy in Wichita Falls. During the past year and a half she has been employed in Gainesville.

Mr. Lueb attended school in Lindsay and served with the Marines two years, spending much of his time in Iwo Jima with the Fifth Division. He was employed in Muenster at the Home Art Shop until recently and is now employed at the Gainesville Planing Mill.

Something New ... And Better

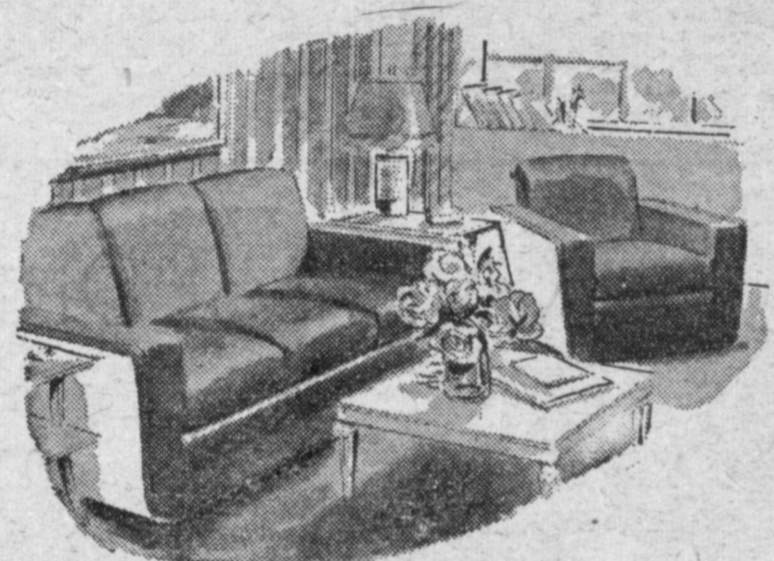
DI DE TOPS diaper covers are made of waterproofed cotton. They're shaped to fit perfectly . . . They do not bind baby's legs . . . They're washable.

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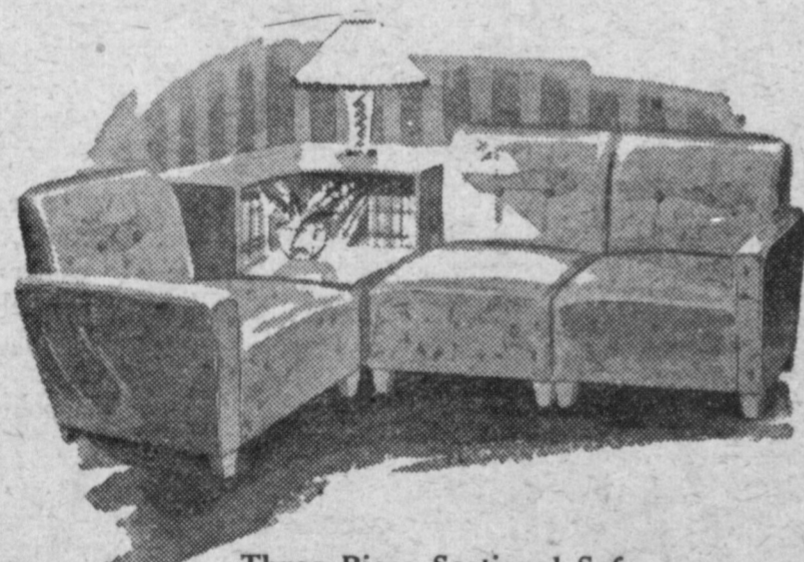
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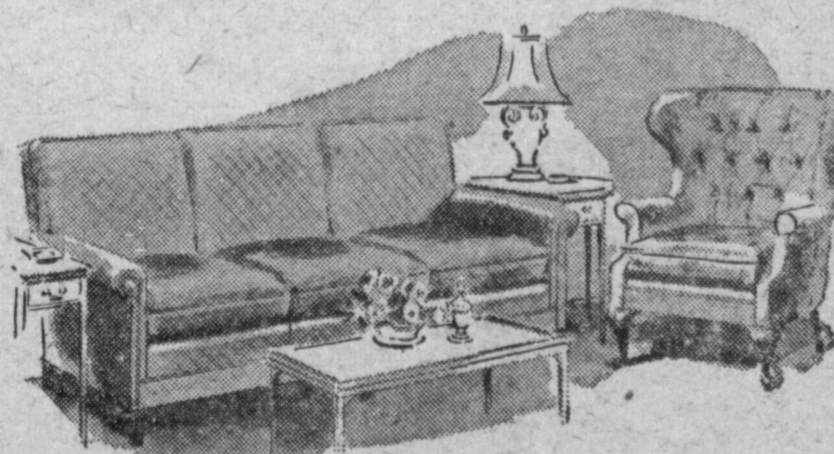
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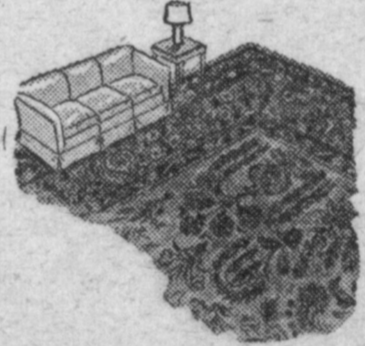
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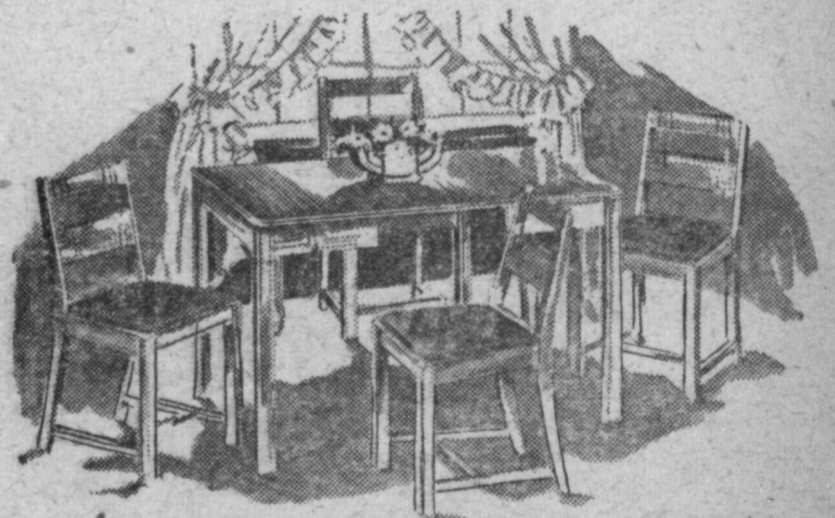
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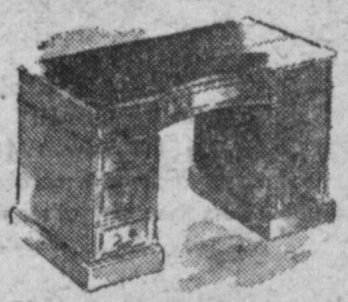
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THE LOW DOWN FROM HICKORY GROVE

You know, not until the Govt. sticks its nose into your own business, does the average person sit up and take notice. So long as it is the other guy that Sambo is pestering, it is okay. But it is the same with all our afflictions. You take a neighbor headin' for the dentist with an abscessed war is over and bargain' in on

tooth — that is his baby. But let it be your own molar, sisters and brothers, it is no minor matter.

I got in mind how nobody is paying much attention to the nibbling here and nibbling there, that the Govt. is doing on business — getting a big foot in the powerhouse door — becoming the nation's biggest trader in the grain market — forgetting the



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So today I am poppin' off with this warning. As Uncle Samuel gets to feeling his oats more and more, and is not slapped down — you are just as liable to find the old boy sittin' on your own doorstep most any morning. It happened in Great Britain — just like that.

Yours with the low-down,
 Jo Serra

"Don't Try It Again"

A letter recently appeared in the Omaha World-Herald which has received national acclaim.

It later developed that it had been written by Chester E. Beltz, a fireman who works for the Union Pacific Railroad. Mr. Beltz had long been interested in the cause of safety, partly as a result of the training which he received from the railroad. Here, in part, is his letter, addressed to the unknown driver of a car which was almost struck by a train:

"I don't know who you are, but I do know you were scared to death when you drove your car across directly in front of a speeding passenger train. It was so close that I, in the cab, could see the young girl (your sweetheart, I presume) throw her hands up in front of her face and cringe up against you in stark horror.

"If I were that young girl I'd pull away from you, fast. You didn't have good sense, son. You probably say you love her. I wonder. Those we love we try to protect. But not you.

"Wouldn't that have been a nice present to hand your mother — a broken and battered body. And how do you think that we in the cab of that engine would feel. We are human beings too.

"You and your girl were one second from Eternity, son.

"I hope you read this and know it means you, and that the girl will, too. Next time you go driving around, stop and look. We don't want to hit you, but we are helpless, as we cannot swerve away from our given rail.

"If I were you, I'd thank God for that split second He granted you.

"I said a prayer for all when I realized you were going across. Perhaps that's what saved us all.

"Now think it over, both of you. And I'll bet you are both still shaking in your shoes. And please, for God's sake, don't try it again."

He Is An American

He hears an airplane overhead, and if he looks up at all does so is curiosity, neither in fear nor in the hope of seeing a protector.

His wife goes marketing and her purchases are limited by her needs, her tastes, her budget, but not by decree.

He comes home of an evening through streets which are well lighted, not dimly in blue.

He reads his newspaper and knows that what it says is not concocted by a bureau, but an honest, untrammelled effort to present the truth.

He belongs to such fraternal organizations and clubs as he wishes.

He adheres to a political party to the extent that he desires — reserves the right to criticize any of its policies — even if his convictions dictate that the theory of government of the country is wrong and should be scrapped.

He does not believe, if his party is out of power, that the only way it can come into power is through a bloody revolution.

He does not expect his mail to be opened between posting and receipt, nor his telephone to be tapped.

He converses with friends, even with chance acquaintance, expressing freely his opinion on any subject, without fear.

He changes his place of dwelling, and does not report so to the police.

He has not registered with the police.

He carries an identification card only in case he should be the victim of a traffic accident.

He thinks of his neighbors across international borders — as though they were across a state line rather than as foreigners.

He worships God in the fashion of his choice, without fear.

He has his problems, his troubles, his uncertainties, but

all others are not over-shawed by the imminence of battle and sudden death.

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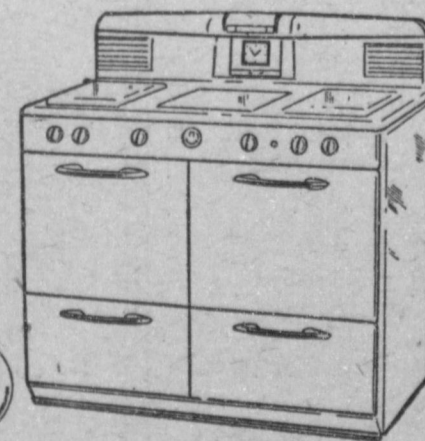


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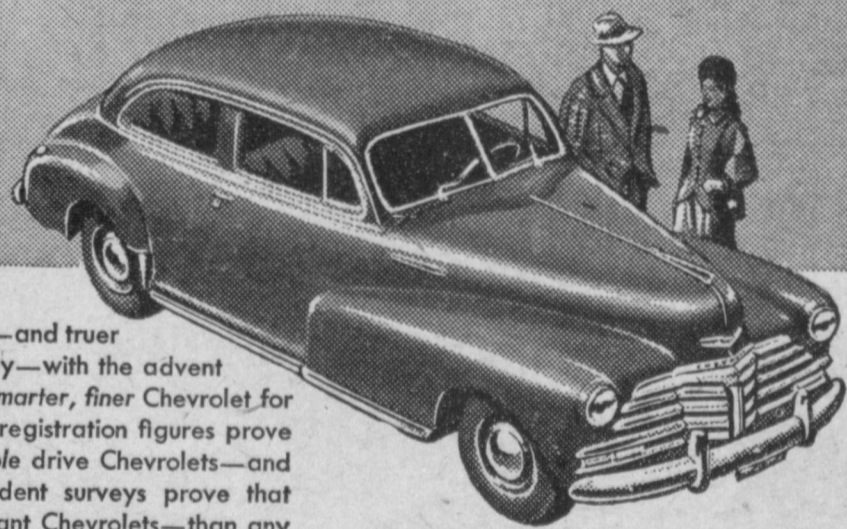


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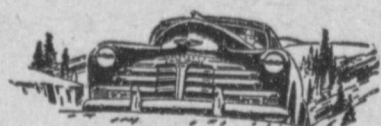
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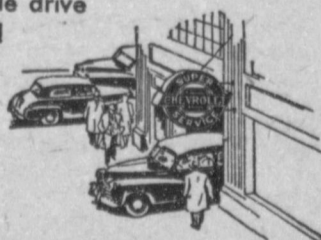
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An American Red Cross field director comes aboard to tell this sailor that his hometown Red Cross chapter has made arrangements to care for his 2-year-old daughter while his wife undergoes an appendectomy. Red Cross communications follow American servicemen to distant ports and overseas installations.

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 Dearborn, Mich. — Although steel is the number one metal in automobile manufacture, nearly 60 million pounds of copper, valued at more than 17 million dollars, was purchased by Ford Motor Company last year. Most of the copper is used in radiators. Cooper is mined in Utah, Montana and Arizona.



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OLD FORT FITZHUGH PROMINENT IN EARLY HISTORY OF COUNTY

When Cooke county was founded a century ago, old Fort Fitzhugh, three miles southeast of Gainesville, was the scene of the organizing activity and for a while served also as a meeting place for the commissioners court. Commemorating the fort's part in early county history, Boy Scouts of the county are erecting a concrete and bronze marker at the site and will hold special commemorative services next Saturday, March 20.

In connection with the event County Superintendent H.H. Moss released the following information on the history of the fort:

"Fort Fitzhugh was named after one of its Commanders, Col. William Fitzhugh. It was a frontier outpost located so as to protect the settlers from the Cherokee and Comanche Indians. Wood for fuel was nearby and water was obtained from the slough about 100 yards southwest of the fort. Rumor has it that a tunnel ran from the fort west to the ravine so that escape might be made through it if necessary. Evidence of this tunnel existed until a few years ago. They probably buried their dead in the graveyard about 1/4 mile northeast of the site of the fort. When the grass is burned off, the graveyard shows many old headstones of sandstone. The square cut nails of long ago can still be found occasionally around the site. An old wagon trail leads to the southeast. The rock founda-

tion has been removed (except for a few of the stones) in recent years. In 1936, a large millstone from the gristmill owned and operated by James Dixon at the site of the fort was found and removed to Gainesville Fair Park by Yancy Culp and myself. The Caddo Indians had a village, previous to the fort, at the same site and occasionally arrowheads are found in the ploughed field north of the site.

"Cooke County was created out of Gayson County in 1848 and the Commissioners Court of the new county met at Fort Fitzhugh in 1849 to select and name a Countyseat. They selected the Fort as the site and named the town Liberty. The following year they again met and changed the site and name. The present site was selected and the town was named Gainesville."

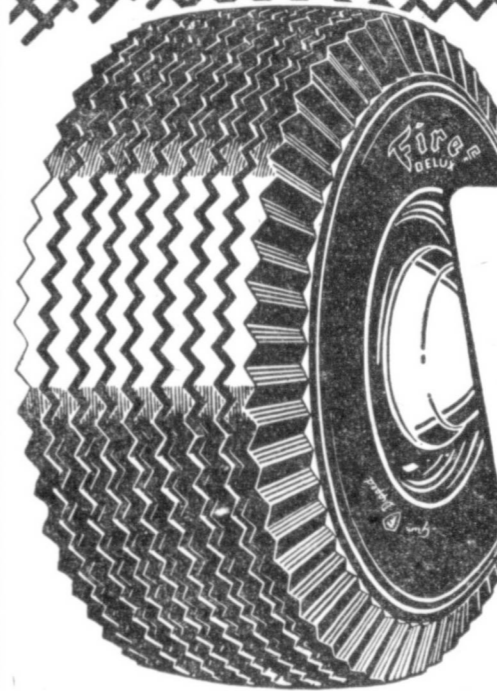
The Routine Way

One morning when an undertaker came to work, he found a dead donkey lying in front of his place of business. Not knowing what to do with it, he went and asked the cop on the beat.

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"Sure," said the mortician, "but I oughta inform the relatives first."

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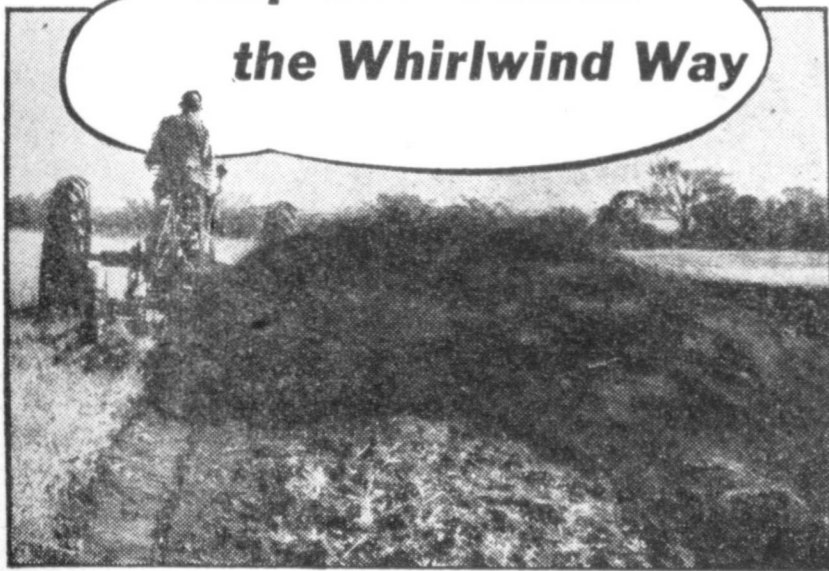
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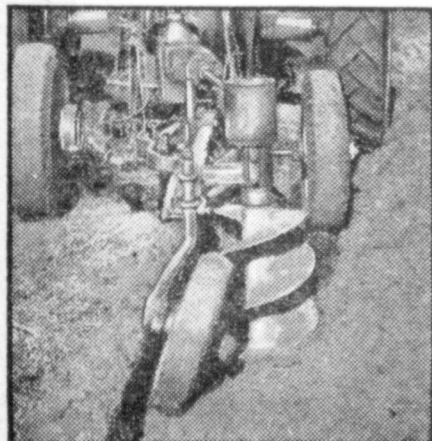


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Ray Wilde spent Monday in Wichita Falls attending a Chevrolet dealers' meeting.

John Holland and son, Weldon, of Mallard, were visitors at the auction sale Saturday.

NEW YEARBOOKS PRESENTED AT GARDEN CLUB MEETING

New yearbooks were presented to members of the Civic League and Garden Club at the regular meeting last Friday afternoon, revealing an interesting and educational program for 1948.

Included on the year's calendar, in addition to "Conservation," which is the organization's theme for the year, are: an Arbor Day program and dedication of the memorial trees in the city square on April 9; a tour of farms in the soil conservation project in May; an evening meeting with motion pictures in June; an address on native wild flowers by Mrs. E.C. Mead of Gainesville in September; a talk on planting shrubbery in October; a flower arrangement clinic in November, and a book review and Christmas party in December.

Mrs. J.M. Weinzapfel is the program and yearbook chairman this year and the club's horticultural project is the red radiance rose.



Already car dealers throughout the United States are delivering new cars equipped with telephones. This introduces a new phase of servicing for both the car dealers and the tire distributors. Joe Raye, Cuyahoga Falls, O., General Tire dealer is pioneering this type service and he finds himself quite the popular dealer in his farming-industrial market. No farther away from his customer than a telephone call, Raye's business is enjoying a boom. The dispatcher (shown in the inset) at Raye's place of business has only to call the trucks for them to give first-aid to motorists in a matter of minutes. Raye has notified farmers in his market that he'll be ready to extend this service to them. "Time is an important factor to the farmer," Raye points out, "and an hour saved in repairing a tire can be worth plenty." Not even Alexander Graham Bell expected this type of progress.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. M.H. King for the weekend were Mrs. George Halton and daughter, and Mrs. Blanche Harris of Groom, Texas. Sunday guests at the King home were Mrs. John Trew and Mr. and Mrs. Lon Blanton of Valley View.

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TWO SHARE HONORS AT BIRTHDAY DINNER MONDAY

Miss Bertie Lou Baumhardt and her mother, Mrs. Callie Baumhardt, shared honors at a birthday dinner Monday night given by Mr. and Mrs. O.J. Baumhardt in their home.

The dining table was centered with a decorated cake and places were laid for the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. L.H. Baumhardt and children, Roy and Miss Margie Baumhardt and the hosts.

The honor guests received birthday gifts and after the dinner games were enjoyed.

BIRTHDAY DINNER HONORS JIM COOK SATURDAY

Jim Cook was honor guest at a dinner party given in his home Saturday night to observe his birthday. He was 54 years old. The courtesy was extended by his wife.

A decorated cake centered the dining table and places were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Ray Evans and son, Merlin Jo, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harrison of Duncan, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Homer Burrow of Graham, Okla., Cleo Brooks of Fox, Okla., W.P. Bratcher, the honoree and the hostess.

The happy birthday song was sung by the assemblage and the a shower of gifts. After the dinner guest was presented with ner, informal diversion, and home movies, shown by Mr. Burrow, were enjoyed.

MRS. DON COOKE IS HOSTESS TO LIBERTY BAPTIST WMU

Mrs. Don Cooke was hostess to the WMU of the Liberty Baptist church last Tuesday for an all-day meeting consisting of five different portions on missions and conversion.

Mrs. Alvie Skipper was program leader and an inspirational prayer was included in observance of the Week of Prayer.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon to Rev. and Mrs. Skipper, Mmes. Claude Cravens, J.H. Tivis, Earl Cravens, Don Cooke, Cecil Ice and Bob Ryle.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS HAVE MONTHLY BUSINESS SESSION

Mrs. J.M. Weinzapfel, grand regent, was in charge of the regular monthly meeting of the Catholic Daughters of America, held in the K of C hall Friday night.

Routine business was discussed and committee reports were given. Ways and means of raising funds to provide CARE packages for the court's adopted European family were discussed and a committee was named to take charge.

Rev. John Walbe, assistant pastor, was a visitor at the meeting and in keeping with the spirit of Lent, read and discussed an article by Pope Pius XII on Communism. Twenty seven members were present.

It was announced that the regular social will not be held during the Lenten season and hostesses for the next social to be held after Easter, were named as follows: Mmes Al Walterscheid, John Wieler and J. M. Weinzapfel.

TOO MANY DOLLARS CAN GET MONOTONOUS

Ebensburg, Pa. — Court Clerk Joseph Wess wishes he could locate Mike Buydos and get him to stop sending in those \$1 payments every week.

Wess said Monday that in 1937 Buydos was ordered by the court to pay a \$128.37 doctor bill after an argument with Lester Krouse.

Since then, Wess said Buydos has been mailing in \$1 every week from various addresses — and now the total amounts to \$570.

The last payment, Wess said, was postmarked Newton Falls, Ohio, but as usual the letter returning the dollar was sent back marked "address unknown."

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Luttmer were hosts for a supper in their home Saturday evening for which Mr. and Mrs. Tony Hacker and son, and Norbert Hoedebeck and Miss Marie Prescher were guests.

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"Well," sighed the old-fashioned uncle, "I made my money getting other people to write the last lines on insurance applications."

**It Happened
10 Years Ago**

March 18, 1938
Better roads for Muenster and surrounding territory is goal set by local Chamber of Commerce. . . . Nick Miller and Al Kleiss enter race for school trustee. . . . Concrete culvert south of church is replaced by dip. . . . Ladies Shop is new store opening in Gainesville this week. . . . J.M. Weinzapfel talks on radio program of Denison Knights of Columbus. . . . G.H. Clark, county agent, is guest speaker at Civic League and Garden Club meeting. . . . Muenster farmers vote for quota on cotton marketing. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zimmerer announce the arrival of Virginia. . . . Saint Peter's church at Lindsay gets roof repair job.

5 YEARS AGO

March 19, 1943
Muenster exceeds Red Cross quota first week as \$500 goal is topped. . . . Mayor and three aldermen to be chosen on April 6. . . . Miss Louise Schmitz is city's first to enroll in WAAC. . . . Friday rain helps plowing conditions, crops and gardens. . . . Victory Gardens are discussed at Garden Club meeting. . . . Saint Joseph's feast is observed here as holy day. . . . Jackie and Bobbie Robertson recover from chicken pox. . . . Virgil Hellman of Chicago is here this week for a visit. . . . Tony Nehib lost 200 baby chicks and his brooder house last week in a fire. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Tony Hoenig announce the birth of Eugene. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schmitt and family moved to Washuena, Wash., Wednesday to make their home. . . . Clara Hoenig and Eugene Seale marry in Dallas.

Does Your Wife Know

That she should contact the social security office if you should die? That promptness in doing so on her part will avoid possible loss of survivors insurance benefits?

Citation by Publication
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To: Albert Morris defendant,
greeting:
You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Cooke County at the Court House thereof, in Gainesville, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 12th day of April A.D. 1948, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 27th day of February A.D. 1948, in this cause, num-

bered 15187 on the docket of said court and styled Opal Mae Morris Plaintiff vs. Albert Morris Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

A suit for divorce from the bonds of matrimony, plaintiff alleging that they were married on or about the 28th day of January A.D. 1947 and continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 28th day of March A.D. 1947, when by reason of harsh and cruel treatment on the part of defendant toward plaintiff they were permanently separated, for change of her name from Opal Mae Morris to Opal Mae Esch, and for general and special relief, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Gainesville, Texas this the 27th day of February A. D. 1948.

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HOTEL MAN FROWNS ON LAVISH U.S. TIPPING

Chicago — A hotel man said today that people are throwing away too much money in tips. Floyd Mills, president of the Chicago Hotel Assn., said that in too many cases the tip really is a bribe.

A tip, he said, should be given only for prompt service. That's the original reason for tipping, he said.

"But during the war," he added, "many tips really were bribes."

That trend has hung over into the postwar world, with the result that too many people tip too much and too often, Mills said.

Mills said that if people must tip 10 percent of the bill is about right.

"Those of us in the hotel business would like to get away from the whole idea of tipping," Mills said.

"That would give us better control of our employees."

But Mills said it wouldn't be easy to break the tipping habit.

For one thing, he said, he and other hotelmen wouldn't want to see the incomes of their employees reduced.

"Some businesses have tried to add the cost of the tip to the check," he said, "but people still tipped."

Although there are no hard

and fast rules for determining the size of a tip, hotelmen found that the average is something like this:

Hotel maids — \$1 for services when the stay is for several days.

Hatcheck girls — 10 cents for a hat and 25 cents for a coat and hat.

Room service — About 15 per cent of the check.

Waiters — 10 to 15 percent of the check.

Bellboy — 25 cents as a minimum.

Washroom attendants — at least 10 cents.

Barbers — 10 to 25 cents.

\$1,000 For 11 Words

Expanded during the war, employee suggestion plans in many automotive plants continue to pay workers well for ideas to improve plant operations or safety.

One recent example was a \$1,000 bond award to a foundry worker in one plant for an eleven-word suggestion: "Use a bulldozer to remove the drop from under the cupolas."

This refers to the fact that at the end of each working day the cupolas where iron is melted must have their bottoms opened, so the accumulated unburned coke, slag and iron drops to the floor. Picks and shovels had been used previously to remove the "drop."

One company reports it has paid out over \$100,000 in savings bonds under the Suggestion Plan since 1942.

It gets about 50 suggestions a week. About one in four proves useful. The average award is \$50 but a number of \$1,000 bonds have been issued.

—Automobile Facts

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CHEVYS IN U.S. EQUAL ALL CARS OUTSIDE U.S.

Detroit — Latest available registration figures show the number of Chevrolets in operation has reached an all-time peak of 8,834,811 units, T.H. Keating, general sales manager of the company has announced.

This is one-fourth of all automobiles in the United States and virtually as many as owned in other countries of the world combined.

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Russia Takes Over



NEW YORK—(Soundphoto)—This map gives one that "this is where we came in" feeling, reminiscent as it is of the Hitler drive to the east, but this time it is the Russian drive to the west that is altering the map. For the second time in a decade Czechoslovakia has fallen under a totalitarian power. First that of Hitler's Nazi Germany; now that of Moscow-piloted communist party. Map shows Czechoslovakia in black and also indicates the new borderline of Russian-dominated areas.

CARD OF THANKS

The relatives of John Wimmer express their thanks and appreciation for every kindness and consideration during the illness and at the death of their loved one and for the floral offerings and spiritual tributes.

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MARCH 31 is the closing date for AAA purchase orders for legume and grass seed . . . and we still have the seed for Madrid and Biennial Clover, Hubam Clover, Kobe and Korean Lespedeza, Bermuda grass, Buffalo grass. Johnnie Wilson, 407 N. Commerce, Gainesville. 17-1

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FOR SALE: Hubam Sweet Clover seed. See Frank Bayer, Muenster. 16-2p

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SICKING-GIEB WEDDING SET FOR MARCH 30TH

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sicking have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Christine Sicking, to Bernard Gieb of Lindsay. Mr. Gieb is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gieb.

The wedding will be solemnized in Sacred Heart church on

Tuesday morning, March 30, at 9:30 o'clock.

Miss Sicking has chosen her sisters, Misses Gladys and Mary Ann Sicking, for her attendants, and the groom will be attended by his brother, Gene Gieb, and his nephew, Harold Nortman.

WOLF-ARENDT WEDDING TO BE SOLEMNIZED APRIL 12

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Wolf of Gainesville have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Frances Wolf, to Paul Arendt, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Arendt of Lindsay.

The nuptial service will take place on Monday, April 12, at 9 a.m. in Saint Mary's church at Gainesville with the Rev. Peter

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

How to Keep 'Em Down On the Farm

The other day Pete Swanson's nephew, Bud, allowed as how he was fed up with farm and country life... and was going to the city where there was a lot more opportunity and excitement.

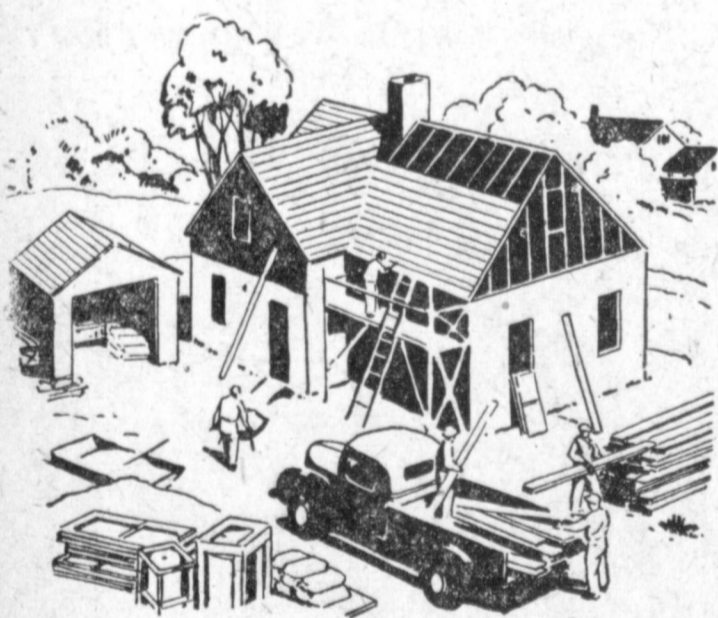
Some folks might have tried to stop him. But not Pete. He even advanced Bud carfare for the trip... figured that when he'd had a good look around, he'd come back where he belonged.

And what happened? After seven days of big-town bustle and excitement, Bud was back behind the

wheel of a tractor, with color in his cheeks again. And he'd traded the night life of the city for a quiet glass of beer with Dad.

From where I sit, that's how it goes. Try to prevent some one from getting what he thinks he wants—and he'll go on wanting it. But give him his head, and he'll settle for the sensible thing—whether it's country life, or a temperate glass of beer!

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Molloy, pastor, officiating. Miss Wolf attended St. Mary's school, graduating with the class of 1945.

Mr. Arendt attended school at Lindsay and served in the army for three years, 16 months of that time overseas. He is engaged in farming.

GERTRUDE BENGFORT IS COLLEGE HONOR STUDENT

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bengfort of Lindsay are the recipients of a letter from Dr. John L. McMahon, President of Our Lady of the Lake College, San Antonio, informing them that their daughter, Gertrude, is an honor student at the college for the last semester. She ranked with the upper ten per cent of the students.

Gertrude Bengfort is a graduate of Lindsay High School. She entered Our Lady of the Lake Convent last September.

JOE BAUER AGAIN HEADS WEST ELM GAME GROUP

Joe Bauer was reelected president of the West Game Management association during a meeting held at Lindsay last Thursday.

Other officers are Jake Bezner, reelected secretary-treasurer, and the board of directors, F.J. Gruber, John Biffle, Jr., Hill Campbell and Ike Fulton, all reelected.

GOVERNOR PROCLAIMS WEEK OF APRIL 4-10 AS CLEAN-UP WEEK

Citizens of Muenster were urged to think about and plan to actively participate in Spring Clean-Up Week by Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner, and Steve J. Moster city Fire Marshal.

April 4-10, inclusive, has been set aside by Governor Jester as Spring Clean-Up Week in Texas.

Hall said the Governor's proclamation described fire prevention as vitally important to the



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1947 fire losses were the highest in the history of the State, he said. Nearly 550 persons died from fires and almost 21 million dollars was destroyed in property.

"Muenster suffered a property loss of \$60,000 and no persons lost their lives as a result of fires here last year," Fire Marshal Moster stated.

"Our only hope to reduce the deplorable loss of irreplaceable life and property and to cut down the resultant higher living costs, is for each man, woman and child in this city to accept fire prevention as an individual responsibility," he said.

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