

"I am completely disgusted with foreign aid. I can convince any reasonable man that we've substituted aid for trade, we've substituted appeasement for a firm and fair foreign policy. The people are talking advantage of us all around the world."

That's a summary of the attitude just expressed by Representative Passman of Louisiana following his return from a world wide tour studying our country's foreign aid operation, and it substantiates the opposition that comes up every year as our legislators take up the problem of handouts to foreign moochers.

Probably the greatest fault with the program is that it is a politically inspired effort to buy the friendship of the top brass in favored countries. Our money goes to the leaders of those countries, and they use it to their own political and financial advantage. As Passman says, much of it winds up in Swiss or American banks, and it doesn't do the country any good.

Another thing that disgusts the Louisiana lawmaker, and should also disgust us, is the imposition on US taxpayers to help people who do practically nothing to help themselves. Amid the poverty of countries we try to help are many wealthy people who hold on to their own fat incomes while their governments hold out a hand for Uncle Sam's give-away. For instance, a rich merchant of Bangkok complains that his government's tax on a \$100,000 income is \$12,000. A Hong Kong man would be taxed \$3,000 on the same income. Considering the rate of our income tax we have a right to ask why our government continues such give-aways. Why add to our burden while people of those countries are allowed to shirk their responsibilities?

The same could be said in regard to comparative national debt of the countries involved. Our debt is greater than the combined debts of all the free world. This country keeps on giving to countries that are in better financial condition than it is. Isn't it time that they rather than we start financing their own economic improvement?

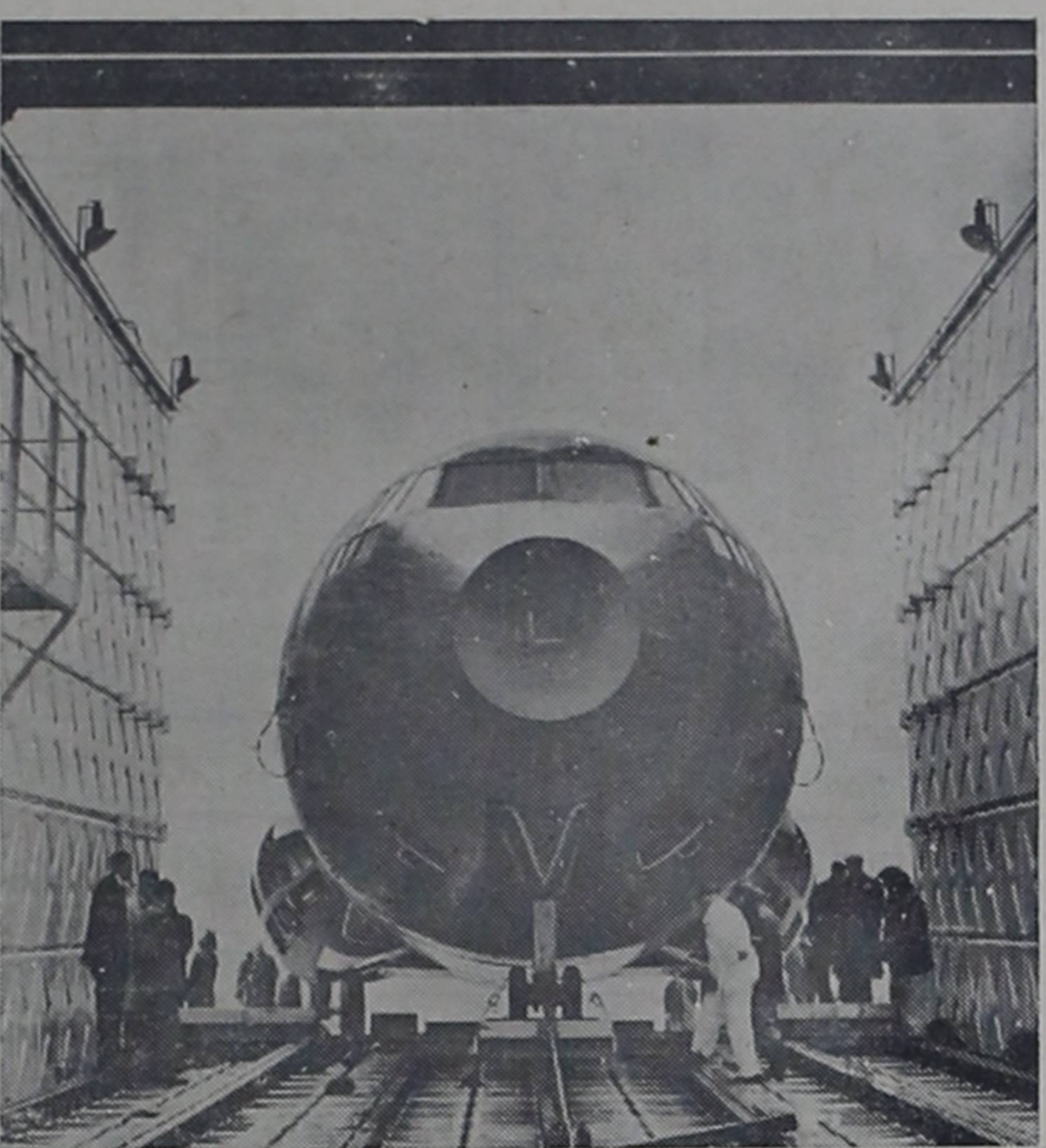
Much is said about our motive of helping those countries in order to keep them from slipping into red domination or red influence. But the records show that several countries which have received our billions were taken over by communists. And the beneficiaries of other billions have maintained a "neutrality" that is beneficial to communism. Some even use our money to deal with the enemy. The sad fact is that a very large portion of our foreign aid does not serve the purpose we are told it is serving. In the final analysis it's possibly more of a help than a hindrance to the communist cause.

Still another angle worth considering is the indirect effect of this program in promoting corruption. The graft and corruption associated with the disposal of our money, along with the fact that extremes of poverty and wealth continue to exist, makes perfect material for the red propaganda mill. Communies have a way of working on the wretchedness of people and it can be assumed that they are making the most of that opportunity. Better results could be expected if political and business leaders of those countries were left to their responsibility and not exposed to the corrupting influence of our easy money.

The foregoing remarks are not intended to imply that every dollar given to date in foreign aid has been wasted. Some of it has been helpful. By the law of averages some of it had to get into the hands of capable and conscientious administrators. For such donations there are few complaints from American taxpayers.

Nevertheless, a thorough overhaul of the program is needed to see that no more of our money is squandered through incompetence or dishonesty. We need more people of Passman's caliber to take a critical look at each situation and then determine first of all whether funds are serving their intended purpose and secondly whether we Americans are stuck with a burden which in justice should be carried by people of the country concerned. If the answer to either of those questions is unfavorable that country should be crossed off our gift list. That's only simple justice. In neither case

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TORTURE TEST—Workers roll the nose of a transport into its "torture" chamber. The test about to result will subject the plane to simulated loads and strains likely to be encountered in a normal service life of 10 years. Water is pumped through the fuselage under extreme pressure in cycles, and tension jacks flex the wings and fuselage at the same time. Test is taking place in Belfast, Ireland.

Muenster Girls Edge Forestburg Boys Lose 48-28

A gamble paid off as the Muenster High girls staked their game on a single shot Tuesday night. Playing Forestburg on the local court they froze the ball and kept the score tied for three minutes and Sandra Cain popped in the all important 2-points in the last five seconds. After that time ran out before Forestburg could try another shot.

Until then Forestburg had been leading. Ending the first period MHS trailed 8-3 and then started gaining little by little. Scores were 16-12 and 24-22 at the second and third quarters, and was finally tied late in the last quarter. Then the big stall and the winning shot. Leading scorers were Sandra Cain 18 and Cindy Cain 10.

MHS boys were trimmed 48-28 in the second game. It was a matter of being out-classed and the visitors gained all the way for their one-sided win.

The MHS teams will play twice next week, with Sacred Heart Tuesday and Forestburg Friday.

Hospital Outline Shaping Fast with Steel Erection

Progress was never more apparent on the Muenster hospital job than it is this week. The building is shaping up with amazing speed since a giant crane arrived on the scene and started hoisting columns, beams and joints into position as structural steel workers weld them into place permanently.

According to the estimate of Jerry Clements of the architect's office, the steel work will be finished in less than a week. When that's done the size and shape of the building can be seen for the first time. Heretofore little could be visualized from the big spread of concrete and re-inforcing iron some of which was not even visible.

The crane doing the work is a massive and fascinating piece of equipment. Its operation is a sidewalk superintendent's delight as it stretches its 100 foot boom horizontally to pick up an I-beam and swing it into place. The hospital's area is large but the monster will need only a few positions to reach all of it.

Up to now work on the building consisted of slow and tedious digging in rock followed by the pouring of concrete piers and foundation beams. Even when all that was done there was little to see above the ground level.

Other recent work consists of a sandfill within the sprawling outline of concrete.

Work will concentrate there for a while after the framework is finished. Bedded down in the sand will be a vast network of water, gas and sewer piping and electrical conduit. Then the concrete floor will be poured over the sand.

Nowadays our necessities are too luxurious and our luxuries are too necessary.

County Dairymen Get Equity Checks At NTPA Dinner

About 100 dairy farmers of the northern part of Cooke County received more than \$13,000 in equity checks from North Texas Producers Association at a banquet Tuesday night in the Community Center Building at Gainesville.

The money represented the members' interest in the NTPA operation based on their share of the co-op's earnings for the year 1954-55.

Another feature of the banquet was a talk by the association's president W. T. Crouch who emphasized that the dairy industry gets along better when the government meddles less with it. He said that the government spent \$585 million in support of dairy products last year mostly on storage of finished products, whereas it spent only \$130 the last year of the previous administration. He also presented figures showing that milk prices are hurt by higher price supports.

Crouch credited the Federal Milk Order program with helping to stabilize the milk market saying that all areas of North Texas receive the same prices for their milk.

He mentioned a current NTPA study on the advisability of a Class I base program in which each producer receives the Class I price for his base volume and a Class 2 price for production in excess of the base.

Over-production continues to be one of the dairymen's big problems, he said. The nation's surplus is estimated at 7 to 10 per cent. And NTPA is processing 3.2 gallons out of every 10 into Class 2 products such as cheese, condensed milk and dry milk.

Tigerettes Win Over Alford Gals In Final Seconds

A field goal by Ruth Wimmer in the final seconds gave the Sacred Heart Tigerettes a 27-26 win at Alford last Thursday night.

The game started with Sacred Heart falling behind 8-2 at the first quarter and failing to close the gap in the next two periods. Counts were 14-19 and 22-16. Then came a story book ending as the Tigerettes got closer and closer in the last quarter until the final seconds when Ruth Wimmer hit her only goal of the night and put Sacred Heart ahead the first time of the night. The other 9 points of the last quarter were made by Joan Kaiser, who scored 17 for the game. Joyce Haverkamp made 8 points.

It was different in the boys game as the home team gained slowly on Sacred Heart for three quarters and went on a fourth period scoring spree. Counts ending the periods were 15-10, 34-23, 43-29 and 65-35. Leading Tiger scorers were Johnny Wolf 13, Virgil Hess 10 and Jimmy Otto 8.

Next action for the Sacred Heart teams is at the S&S invitation tournament. Next Tuesday night they will play Muenster High.

Pratt Accepts Full Time Job As City Officer

Beginning January 1 Bill Pratt will be the full time police officer for the city of Muenster.

Formalities of making the appointment are set for the city council meeting next Monday night. That action will confirm an agreement previously reached by Pratt and the council, which was the motive for Pratt's resignation last Thursday as a deputy sheriff of Cooke County.

The new arrangement ends a cooperative deal the city has had with the sheriff's office since June 15, 1954. A deputy has been stationed at Muenster and divided his time between duties here and other assignments in the sheriff's department. Half of his salary was paid by the city and half by the county. The agreement enabled Muenster to have an officer's services at low cost, but the services were not full time. Now the council has decided to pay the full price and have full time services.

Prior to the 50-50 deal the city has had other full time officers, but not permanently. Hiring a man usually depended on whether some local person was available for the small pay that was offered.

Deputies who served here in cooperation with the sheriff's department are Bill Morris, Buck Wilson and Bill Pratt. Pratt was here since October 1, 1959.

During that time, he said, he has enjoyed living in Muenster and welcomes the opportunity of being the local police officer. A part of the reason, he added, is that the work consists mostly of keeping order and little of dealing with violence or crime — and he finds a minimum of unpleasantness in the job of keeping order.

Traffic regulation, which will constitute the principal part of his work, was the principal reason for asking him to make the change. Councilmen were aware that less fast and reckless driving was done while he was in town, so they asked him to spend full time here. He will be making the rounds while the town is more active, especially at night, and will be available at home the rest of the time.

Pratt's pay will be the same as he received before. That is \$550 a month, out of which he pays for operation and upkeep of his car. Later the city expects to work out a deal to provide and maintain his car.

Both MHS Teams Get Consolation Tournery Trophies

Both of the Muenster High basketball teams won a consolation trophy last week in the invitation tournament at Callisburg.

The local girls, taking their second consolation prize of the season had three unimpressive games. In the opening encounter they were beaten 58-32 by Callisburg. Then they dumped Whitesboro B 50-18 in their first consolation game and breezed past Era 30-11 in the final.

Progress was the same for the Hornets except that one game was a thriller. A 52-13 loss to the hosting Wildcats put MHS into the consolation bracket. The next game, with Whitesboro B started about as one-sided as the Hornets took a 13-1 first quarter lead but then Whitesboro started gaining. The count was 18-9 at the half and 27-25 favoring Whitesboro at the third period. The last quarter was a see-saw with Muenster being the lucky leader of a 36-34 score at the final whistle. The consolation final was a classic for low scoring in which a field goal for either side was a big event. The final count was Muenster 13, Saint Jo 9.

Muenster High also landed a spot on the all-tournament team selection. Sandra Cain, with a total of 63 points in the three games, was named as one of the forwards.

Other trophy winners of the tournament were Callisburg girls and S&S boys as the champs and S&S girls and Valley View boys as the runners-up. In the champ final games Callisburg girls won 37-31 and S&S boys won 36-28.

When you are getting kicked from the rear it means you're in front.

NEWS OF THE SICK

Mayor Joe Bezner of Lindsay is laid up with a broken leg. The accident happened Sunday while Joe and his wife were in Subiaco, Ark., visiting their son Skipper who is a student at Subiaco Academy. Together they were hiking in the hills when Mayor Bezner stepped on a rock that caused a fall breaking a bone just above the left ankle. It will be set and put in a cast when the swelling goes down.

Miss Anna Hellman has been a shut-in about a month battling flu and virus. She's improving now but still confined to her home.

Harry Fisher didn't stay at the Dallas VA Hospital after all. He transferred from there to Gainesville Hospital, Lindsay Street Unit.

Randy Pelzel, grandson of the Fred Hennigans Sr., is continuing recovery at the home of his parents, the Felix Pelzels at Pilot Point, after being a patient at Gainesville Hospital for treatment of near pneumonia.

Mrs. Annie Loerwald of Lindsay has been dismissed from Gainesville Hospital after medical care.

Mrs. Katie Meurer of Windthorst is a patient at Archer City Hospital since last Wednesday following a highway accident — a two-car collision on the highway at Windthorst. She received severe facial cuts when her head went through the windshield of the car she was driving, also a broken rib and bruises. Cheering her with a visit Saturday were her sisters and their husbands, the Bill Beckers and J. B. Klements and a niece, Mrs. J. B. Wilde. They found her doing as well as could be expected for being cut and sore and bruised.

Mrs. Lena Schmitt Pioneer Resident Of Lindsay, Dies

A long-time Lindsay resident, Mrs. Lena Schmitt, died Saturday 6:45 p.m. in a Fort Worth hospital after an extended illness. She was 83.

Mrs. Schmitt had been making her home with a daughter in Fort Worth during the past year when her health began to fail. Until that time she lived alone at Lindsay since her husband's death. She was the widow of Otto Schmitt. He died Oct. 8, 1940.

Funeral services with requiem mass were held in St. Peter's Church at Lindsay Tuesday morning at 9:30 with Rev. John Walbe officiating. George J. Carroll and Son Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Burial was in Lindsay Cemetery.

Rosary service was held at the Carroll Chapel at 8 p.m. Sunday and there were four rosary services Monday. Lindsay Third Order of St. Francis conducted the 1:30 rosary. St. Anne's Society had the 2 o'clock service and community rosaries were at 7:30 and 8 p.m.

Bearers were grandsons Lonnie Schmitt, Bill Schmitt, Joe Schmitt, Charles Tate Jr. and Alfred and Paul Neu.

Mrs. Schmitt was born in Mt. Carmel, Iowa, and settled in Lindsay with her parents when she was a child. She was married to Otto Schmitt in Lindsay on Jan. 13, 1897.

She was a member of the Third Order of St. Francis, the Legion of Mary and St. Anne's Society and an active worker in St. Peter's Parish for many years.

Surviving are three sons Gus Schmitt of Alice, Johnny Schmitt of Dorchester, and Bernard Schmitt of Garland; five daughters, Mrs. Matt Neu of Lindsay, Mrs. Leon Phillips of Huntington Park, Calif. (Continued on page 10)

Bank Stockholders Receive Dividend

The record of declaring a Christmas dividend for stockholders remains unbroken at Muenster State Bank. Checks have been sent out in compliance with a decision of directors at their meeting early this month.

The dividend rate is 6 per cent on \$100,000 of stock. The rate has varied from 4 to 8 per cent every year since the bank organized with a capital of \$17,500 in 1923.

Local KC Council To Host Kiddies At Santa Party

The annual K of C Christmas party for children of the members will be held Sunday night, December 16 in the K of C hall, starting at 7 p.m. Featured attractions will be Santa Claus, a Christmas tree and a remembrance for each of the children.

Actually there will be two simultaneous parties, geared to the interests of larger and smaller children. Those under 10 will attend the Santa Claus party upstairs, those over 10 will have their entertainment and refreshments downstairs.

Muenster Firemen Reelect Officers

Muenster Volunteer Fire Department reelected its officers for another year at the December business meeting Monday night.

Gene Hoedebeck continues as fire chief, Alvin Hartman as assistant and Ed Endres as secretary.

Ed Schneider was elected a three-year trustee. Joe Moster and Earl Fisher are the trustees with unexpired terms.

The department needs more members and invites men interested to contact the officers or attend the next meeting. The next meeting date has been changed, moved forward a week, to Dec. 17 instead of Dec. 24 which is Christmas eve. Starting time is 5:30. It will be drill practice.

BIRTHS

Mr and Mrs. Arthur Bordeau, former Muenster residents, announce arrival of a son in Mexico, Maine, Sunday, Dec. 9, at 8 a.m. The news was promptly telephoned to the baby's grandmother, Mrs. T. S. Myrick. Mr. and Mrs. Bordeau have two boys and two girls now. The other children are Paula, Rene and Michael. The paternal grandparents live in Mexico, Maine, and there's a great-grandmother, Mrs. Pauline Bradshaw of Weatherford.

It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Walterscheid, making them parents for the first time. Their eight pound nine ounce son arrived Thursday, Dec. 6, at Gainesville Hospital checking in at 8:48 p.m. He's a grandchild for the Tony Walterscheids, and for the John Koppers of Valley View. Mrs. John Wilde is great-grandma again.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hess have announced a daughter, weight six pounds three ounces upon arrival at Gainesville Hospital 9:24 a.m. Friday, Dec. 7, to make two girls and two boys in the family. Her name is Donna Kay. She's a sister for Howard, Linda and Brent. At her christening Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Ewald J. Steinke of Idaho Falls, Idaho, assisted as godparents. The Steinkes are visiting relatives of the Gehrig family this week.

Tax Rate Hike in Social Security Coming January 1

Gus Jones, social security district manager, reminded workers in the Sherman area that their social security deductions will go up by one-half of one percent beginning with the first pay they receive after Jan. 1. The social security taxes paid by their employers will also increase by a matching amount, Jones said. With this increase, which has been scheduled in the law since 1958, the workers share of the social security tax is now 3 5/8 percent on earnings up to \$4,800 a year.

The social security tax deducted from the worker's earnings, together with a matching amount contributed by the employer, is credited to two separate trust funds in the U. S. Treasury, one for the payment of disability insurance benefits. When the worker retires, or if he should become disabled for work, or die, payments will be made from these (Continued on page 5)

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Luke went to San Antonio Monday to attend the funeral, on Tuesday, of Mrs. John Denny, 79, who died last Saturday after a long illness. She was the mother of their son-in-law, Charles Denny of San Antonio. They remained another day for a visit with the Denny family and returned home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Cler 57 Year Resident Dies Thursday

Mrs. Charles Cler, 82, long-time Muenster resident died early Thursday morning at her home after an extended illness. She had lived in Muenster 57 years.

Funeral services are set for 9:30 a.m. Saturday. Miller Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Rosary will be recited at the Miller Chapel Friday at 4, 4:30 and 8 p.m.

Services will be from Sacred Heart Church and burial will be in Sacred Heart Cemetery.

Mrs. Cler, the former Miss Elizabeth Kleiss, was born in Springfield, Ill., Nov. 23, 1880, and came to Muenster in 1905. She was married to Charles Cler here in 1907. He died Oct. 9, 1953.

Surviving are four sons, Alvin, Raymond, Edward and Werner, all of Muenster; two daughters, Mrs. C. D. McClafflin of Fort Worth and Miss Gertrude Cler of the home; 16 grandchildren, and three sisters, Mrs. Emil Vogel and Miss Lena Kleiss of Muenster and Sister Anastasia of Nebraska.

Mercury Hits 16 As Blue Norther Hits Community

A Texas blue norther whizzed into Muenster Tuesday night sending thermometers down to 16 by dawn. It was the coldest weather reported this winter and nipped small vegetation that had withstood earlier freezing temperatures. Farmers said Wednesday it was too early to tell if oats was damaged.

The first frost was recorded on Nov. 4 when the temperature dropped to 30 degrees. Another similar cold spell on Nov. 9 had the mercury in the lower 30s but most fall gardens were not harmed by those cold snaps. The cold came without rain, fortunately, and the month's total moisture stands at .71 inch which fell Dec. 1 and 2.

News of the Men in Service

Promoted In France
Chambley AB, France — Roy L. Zwingli of Lindsay has been promoted to master sergeant in the United States Air Force.

Sergeant Zwingli, a safety technician, is assigned to the 7367th Combat Support Group here. The son of Leo Zwingli of Lindsay, he is a graduate of Lindsay High School. The sergeant and his wife, the former Charlotte Corcoran of Star Route, Gainesville, have five children.

PTA Date Changed Will Meet Dec. 17

Muenster PTA meeting for December has been moved forward one week so as not to fall on Christmas eve. The organization's business session will be held instead next Monday, Dec. 17. Starting time is 8 p.m.

Business will be kept to a minimum and the main attraction of the evening will be a Christmas program presented by students of grades 3 through 8.

Schedule of Coming Events

THURSDAY, Dec. 13, SH teams enter S&S tournament.
FRIDAY, Dec. 14, VFW Auxiliary Christmas party for pre-school children, VFW Post Home, 9:30 a.m.

FRIDAY, Dec. 14, CDA meeting, Mrs. Clyde Fisher's home, 7:30 p.m.

SUNDAY, Dec. 16, KC Christmas party for kids.
MONDAY, Dec. 17, Get-Together Club Christmas dinner, Rohrer's Restaurant, 12:30 p.m.

MONDAY, Dec. 17, Court of Honor and Yule party for Boy Scouts and parents, MHS dining room, 7 p.m.

MONDAY, Dec. 17, PTA meeting, Christmas program, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY, Dec. 18, Basketball MHS at Sacred Heart.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 19, Idle Eight Club meeting, Mrs. Joe Hoening's home, 2 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 19, Sir-optimist Club Christmas party for handicapped children of the county, First Christian Church, 2 p.m.

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TIME TO DETERMINE WHAT WE MEAN BY FREEDOM

Although engaged in a war between "freedom and communism," we haven't defined "freedom" very clearly.

Do we just mean freedom from Moscow — in which case we're happy to be enslaved by a paternalistic government in Washington? Or do we mean

the kind of freedom outlined in the Declaration of Independence and spelled out in the Constitution?

If we choose the latter, isn't it time to take inventory to see how much of that freedom we have left?

We've blissfully assumed that all we need to do to protect freedom is to elect honest men. Our founding fathers, however, didn't have such faith in democracy. They created a republic which, in effect, means a limited government.

They established absolute boundaries beyond which the government can not tread, despite the wishes of a democratic



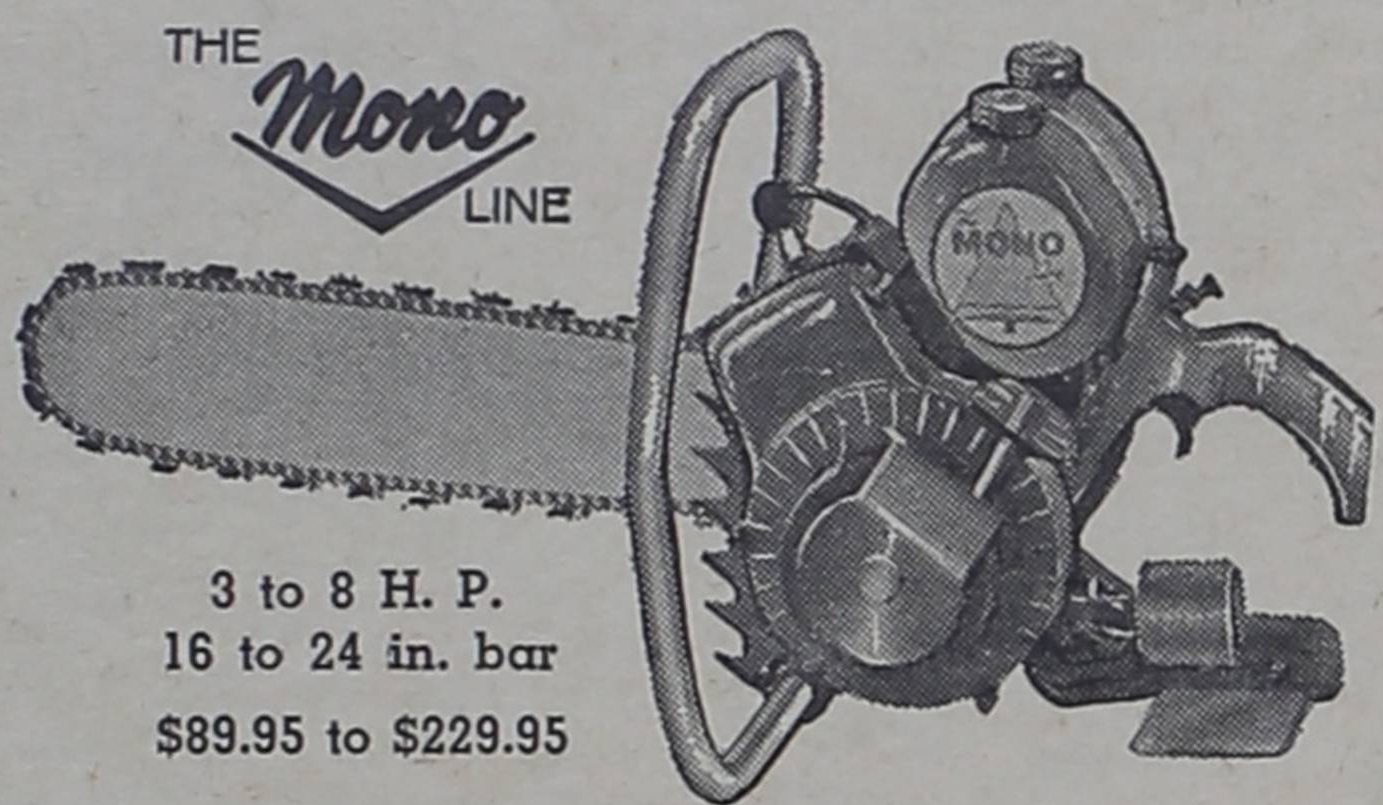
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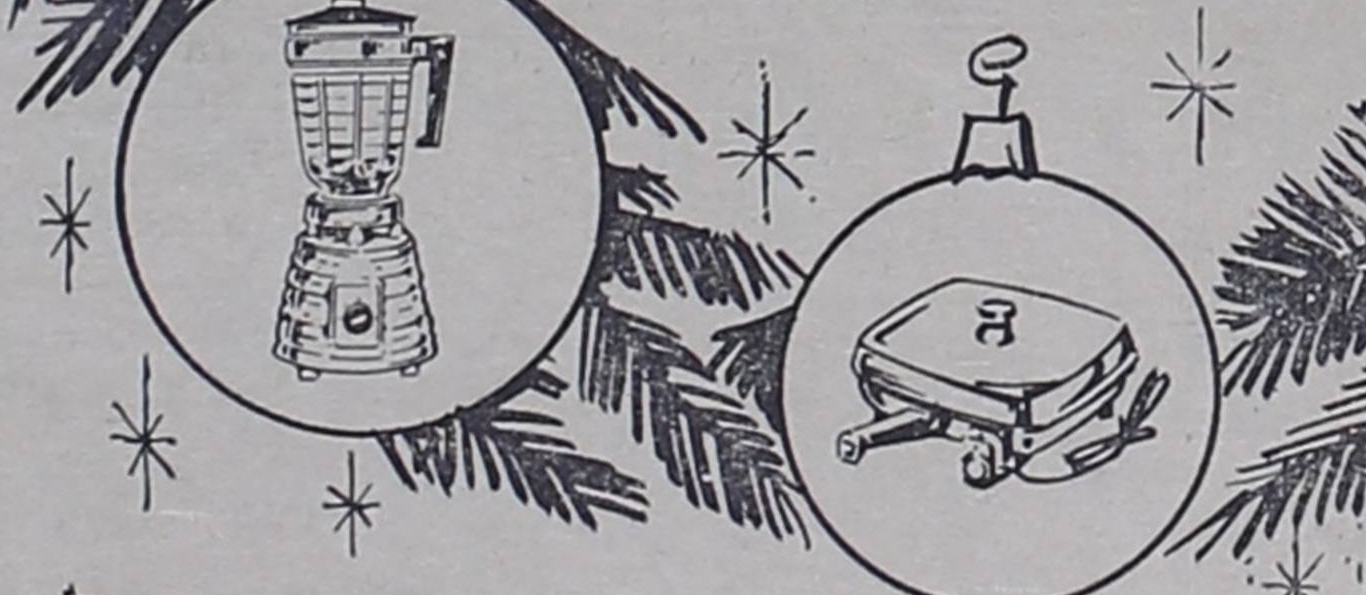
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majority at any given time.

To enforce this concept, they divided all powers between three branches — the legislative, executive and judicial — to make it impossible for any element within the government to ignore its Constitutional limitations.

Where is that separation of powers today? Did you know that federal agencies in Washington have the power to write their own laws, enforce those laws, and judge infractions of them? That's the extreme opposite of the system our forefathers created to protect our freedom.

As to be expected, these agencies are abusing their dictatorial powers. Here are just two examples:

1. The National Labor Relations Board has "decided" that a company can't move from one city to another — unless it takes all its employees with it, or supports them until they find new jobs. And the company must guarantee the local union its dues for the next 20 years.

2. The Federal Trade Commission arbitrarily decides when companies may lower prices to meet competition. And when a properly constituted court of law recently overruled one of its decisions, the FTC announced it had decided neither to abide by the ruling, nor to appeal it — it would simply ignore it!

We can understand the good intentions of the men in Congress who created the various regulatory agencies. But those good intentions have brought about a virtual economic dictatorship by bureaucracy.

To our way of thinking, a faith in freedom requires that we dissolve these agencies and allow their decisions to be made by the free market — as our founding fathers intended.

We're not naive enough, however, to imagine that our new Congress will do so. But simple self-interest should at least induce Congress to strip the agencies of their law-making and judicial powers. The agencies should be allowed to enforce specific acts of Congress only; and all judicial decisions should be made in independent courts.

At least then the balance of

powers would be reestablished — even though in an area where the government has no Constitutional authority to begin with.

By removing these dictatorial powers, we'll be removing the brakes from our economic development. To tolerate them is to let freedom go by default. Let your representatives in Congress know you've had enough of government by faceless bureaucrats.

WHAT? YOU'D HAVE THEM GO WITHOUT NEW 1963 CARS!

People living on welfare in these United States live better than many of the officials do in nations boasting about their ideal way of life under the communistic system. This point was brought to mind the other morning when the surplus food truck was distributing food-stuffs in the parking lot in the center of Brewery Gulch.

I was standing just outside the front door looking at the crowd around the truck when I noticed one man coming towards me with a large box of food. I was wondering how far the poor guy was going to lug the box when he stopped at the rear of a new Chrysler (and when I say new I mean a 1963 model, not an old 1962). He fished the keys out of his pocket, opened the trunk and put the groceries therein. That done, he got in and drove away.

Now, it's possible he had merely borrowed the car from some friend, but it didn't look like it from the familiar manner in which he drove it. A few minutes more of watching brought forth the information that a number of recipients of food from the welfare department truck put their loot into cars, relatively new vehicles. Bisbee, Ariz., Brewery Gulch Gazette

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NOTHING UP THE SLEEVES?

Agreement by a Soviet group headed by Khrushchev's traveling salesman, Anastas Mikoyan and the American UN team, Adlai Stevenson and his helpers, that it will be alright to keep U Thant at the head of the East River Debating Society, paved the way to the election of the Burmese leader to a full term as Secretary General in his own right. As Acting Secretary General he is completing the term of the late Dag Hammarskjold ending in April.

Despite his decision to get tough with Moise Tshombe — or perhaps because of it — Thant's recommendation by the Security Council and his election by the General Assembly were without incident — or opponent. You might wonder, however, about the lack of competition since the term is five years and the pay (which may be raised) is not bad. Salary and allowances for entertainment, rent and home upkeep add up to \$55,000 a year — free from income tax! As a mere American working stiff toiling in a bank or selling shoes or groceries to earn that income, he would carry home \$24,880 if he were single, \$32,032 if he were married, with, of course, \$600 more for each offspring.

More significant, however, than the question of U Thant's desirability as Secretary General is the indication from the Soviet-US agreement that the Russians have given up, for the time-being at least, on their earlier insistence on the "Troika" — a three-headed Secretariat-General that through Soviet bloc representation would give them veto power over whatever they didn't like. But maybe we'd better wait and see.

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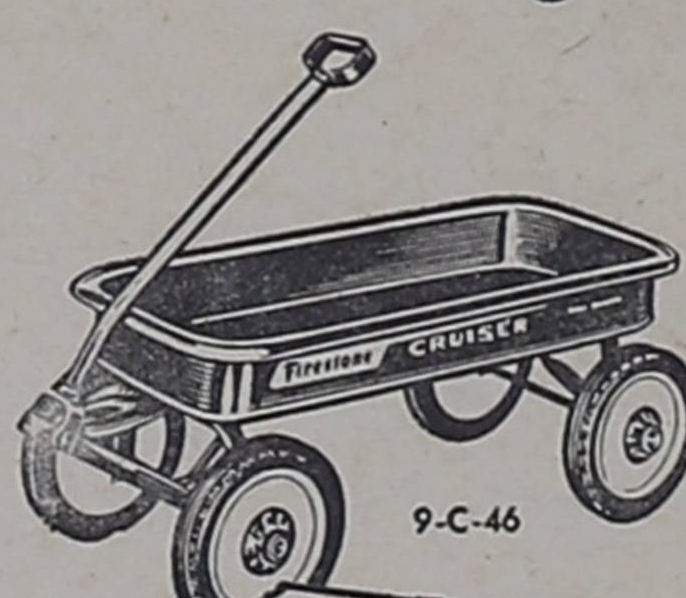


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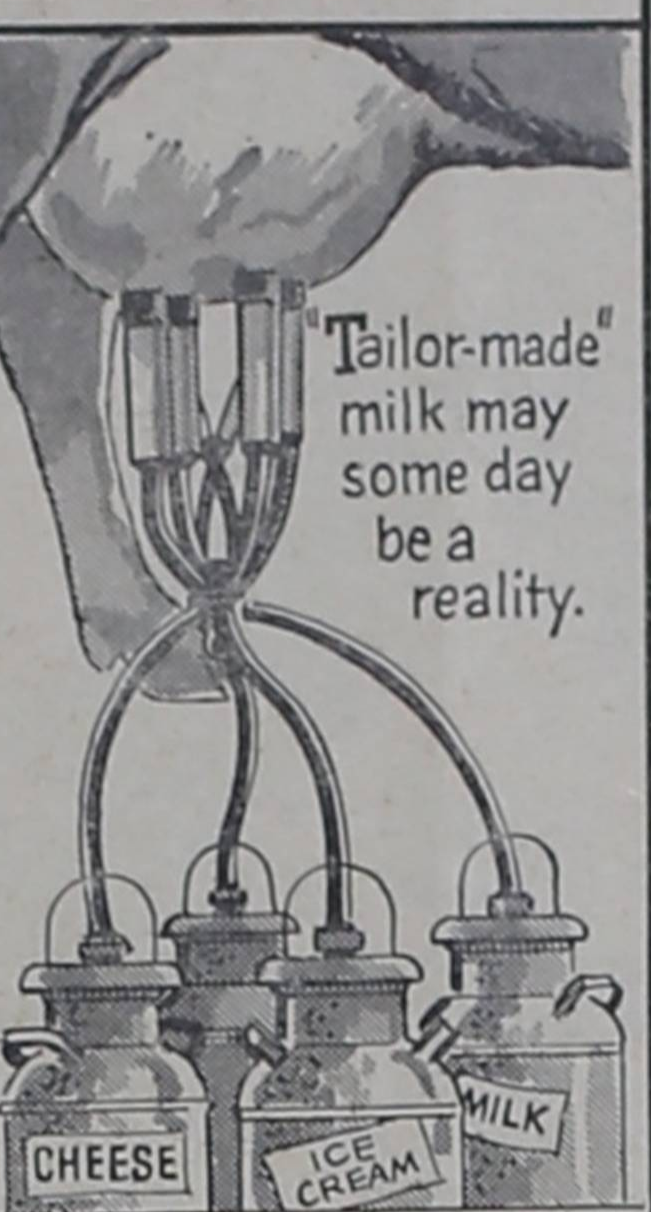
Experiments at Pennsylvania State University reveal it is possible to change a cow's milk fat percentage and fat composition. Researchers there now are trying to learn whether milk composition can be influenced in any particular direction.

Success, says Dr. Robert D. McCarthy of Penn State, could mean cows could produce milk for ice cream, cheese, or specific diets.

He and his associates are experimenting with control of bacteria in the rumen, key to development of tailor-made milk.

"The rumen, one of four stomachs, is a versatile fermentation vat where bacteria are influenced by the type of feed a cow eats," Dr. McCarthy explains.

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Members of the Third Order of St. Francis, Sacred Heart Parish, held their December prayer service Sunday afternoon in church with 50 tertiaries attending.

After the office and recitation of the Franciscan Crown rosary, Mrs. Leo Henscheid gave a reading on "A Practical Catholic."

There was no business session due to the absence of the prefect, Mrs. Edd McGannon, but members contributed toward a Christmas gift for their special charity.

The following correction appeared in a smart town paper: "Our paper carried the notice last week that Mr. John Jones is a defective in the in the police force. This was a typographical error. Mr. Jones is really a detective in the police force."

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Auxiliary's Yule Party for Kiddies Will be Friday

Santa Claus will be in Muenster Friday for the annual party given by the VFW Auxiliary for its members' pre-school children. The event is scheduled for the morning beginning at 9:30. It will be held in the VFW Post Home.

In addition to distribution of toys to the children, Santa will hand out presents to members in a gift exchange. Activity will center around a lighted tree.

Refreshments of cookies and soft drinks will be served to the children and members.

Chairmen of working committees are Mrs. Don Flusche, Santa's appearance; Mrs. Nig DeBorde, gifts; Mrs. Charlie Pagel, refreshments. A group of members got together this week and decorated the Christmas tree.

Big Crowd Cheers Yule Program by Parochial Pupils

An appreciative crowd cheered the Christmas program presented by Sacred Heart School fifth and sixth graders Sunday night in MHS auditorium. And those who didn't already have the Christmas spirit got it in abundance as the young actors and actresses performed in an exceptional manner.

The program opened with a piano number by Mary Ellen Endres followed by a drill "The Christmas Wreath" by students of grade 5, and two Christmas carols by the choir.

"The Candle in the Window," a play in one act, had in its cast of characters Diane Hess, Kathy Miller, Don Hartman, Doris Schilling, Janice Wilde, Mike Endres, Mark Hellman, Mary Jane Swirczynski, Gary Gieb, Kay Klement, and Tim Endres.

A Christmas drama, "Bethlehem Is in Your Heart," was done in three scenes and ended with a Nativity pageant. Carmen Lee Wimmer portrayed Mary and Johnny Dangelmayr had the role of St. Joseph. Melvin Bayer, Kenneth Stoffels and Clifford Sicking were cast as the Three Wise Men, and there were dozens of angels and shepherds.

Others in the cast were Jerry Schmitz, Dianne Sicking, Joanie Pels, David Stormer, Carl Endres, Chris Yosten, John Sicking, Glenda Pagel, David Fette, Lynn Klement, Dale Felderhoff, Janell Reiter, Charles Cler, Stephen Walterscheid, Dale Hellman, Joyce Sicking, Glenn Rohmer, Clifford Zimmerer.

Robert Bruns was narrator for Scene II and Paul Bayer was narrator for Scene III.

Between curtains, Monica Yosten gave a reading "The First Christmas Tree," Theresa Becker and Darlene Hess presented an accordion selection, and the choir sang Christmas carols.

Program directors were Sister Canisia, Sister Aloysia and Sister Theophane, fifth and sixth grade teachers. Every student had a part in the presentation.

Altar Society Has Pastor at Meeting As Guest Speaker

St. Mary's Altar Society of Gainesville, meeting in the home of Mrs. H. P. Schad, had their new pastor, the Rev. Thomas Taaffe, as a guest and speaker for their December session.

Members introduced themselves and committee members gave reports.

Mrs. Schad, president, announced that about 600 pounds of clothing was collected and shipped during the annual Thanksgiving Clothing Drive. And a vote of thanks was given to those who made the annual dinner a success.

Mrs. J. C. Sluder and Mrs. Bill Graham were asked to serve on the visitation committee for the ill and Mmes. Norbert Felderhoff and H. L. Zoda to visit newcomers.

The Mardi Gras dance held each year in February was discussed and Mmes. Gene Reiter and Bill Graham were asked to be co-chairmen. Mrs. Willard Kuhn and Mrs. Jack Howard were appointed to the games committee. Mrs. T. L. Anderson reported on the NCCW meeting held in Muenster.

In his address, the new pastor complimented the Altar Society for the cleanliness of the church. He stated that nothing is too good for God and the church should never be disgraced with misceare. He urged adornment in the most beautiful manner.

Mrs. Schad served refreshments to 17 members. Mrs. Norbert Felderhoff was welcomed as a new member.

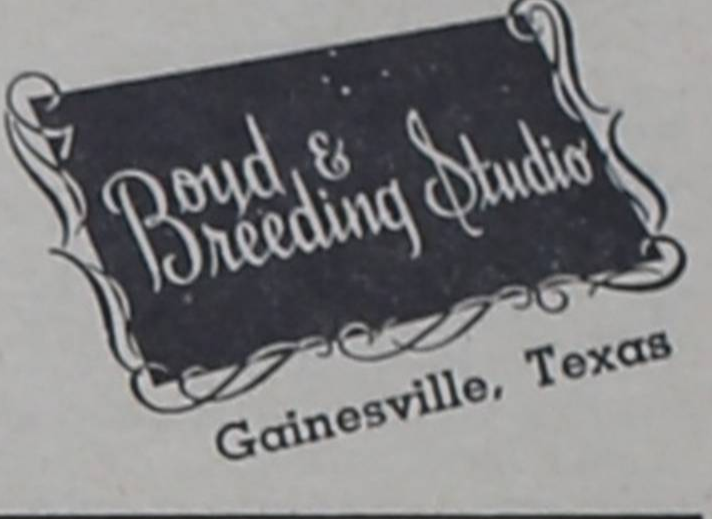
Father Taaffe came to Gainesville as pastor in November to replace Father Francis Brady who remains in his native Ireland after taking a leave of absence for a visit there



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and becoming ill. The new pastor is also a native of Ireland where his family still resides. He visited them at his home in County Meath in 1957. Father Taaffe was ordained in Dallas in 1933. He served in Blessed Sacrament and Holy Name Churches in Fort Worth, as chaplain at Madonna Hospital in Denison and came to Gainesville from Hillsboro's Our Lady of Mercy Parish.

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4-H Clubbers at Christmas Party

Muenster was well represented at the annual 4-H Club Christmas party in Gainesville at Cooke County Junior College gym Monday night. The event was sponsored by the county Farm Bureau for club members and their parents.

Santa Claus greeted the guests and distributed candy. Christmas carols were sung and there was a round of games before refreshments were served.

Camp Fire Girls Will Go Caroling

Camp Fire Girls headed by Mrs. Don Flusche and Mrs. Ray Hess as leaders had a meeting Wednesday after school in the Flusche home. Thirteen fifth grade girls are members, and attended.

They baked cookies and had them for refreshments when they were finished.

The group made plans to go Christmas caroling around town on Friday, Dec. 21, starting about 7 p.m. They'll return to the Flusche home for hot chocolate and cookies and a Christmas favor. Parents of the girls are invited to join in the caroling party.

Officers for the group are Darlene Hess, president; Joan Wilde, vice president; Connie Endres, secretary; Susan Flusche, treasurer.

Garden Club Has 25 at Guest Tea And Yule Meeting

A pink and silver Christmas note set the scene for the Muenster Civic League and Garden Club's guest day tea at the December meeting Monday night. Mrs. L. B. Bruns and Mrs. Larry Yosten were co-hostesses in the Bruns home.

As members and guests arrived they were registered by Mrs. Joe Luke and then served in the pink and silver atmosphere of the dining room.

Pink poinsettias flanked by pink tapers formed a centerpiece with the silver service at one end and party finger foods at the other. Mrs. Dan Luke poured and Mrs. Bruns and Mrs. Yosten presided at the other end of the table.

Further reminders of Christmas came in the living room where the group gathered for visiting and an exchange of holiday food recipes. A crib scene held a vantage spot and there was a dazzling Christmas tree. And arrangements of white poinsettias and pine cones.

Members came with samples of the recipes they brought and these were displayed on a silver tray for sampling. Recipe cards were handy and the group discussed recipes as they made their copies.

Mrs. Kenneth Dobbs, a guest, provided muted piano selections during the tea and afterwards accompanied the members and guests as they joined in singing Christmas carols. Twenty-five were present.

In Wichita Falls visiting and window shopping Monday were Mrs. Hugo Lutkenhaus, Mrs. Harold Walterscheid, Mrs. Sheldon Lutkenhaus and son Todd joined by Mrs. James Krahl of Gainesville. They were guests of the Chris Jensens and the Roy Plumlees.

Dizzy Dozen Club Has Husbands as Guests at Party

Mrs. Ray Evans and Mrs. Leonard Yosten entertained members of Dizzy Dozen Birthday Club in the Evans home Sunday night for the group's annual Christmas party with their husbands as guests.

Twelve of the 13 members attended. Mrs. Ray Swirczynski was the only one missing. She and her husband had gone to Illinois to attend her nephew's wedding.

The party rooms were Christmas with holiday decor and a large gold tree. Members had a gift exchange, and all helped themselves to eats and drinks from a buffet spread.

Present were Messrs. and Mmes. Tony Koesler, J. C. Trachta, M. H. King, Charley Hellman, Hank Walterscheid, Dick and David Trachta, Maurice Pagel, Evans and Yosten and Mmes. F. A. Kathman and Jodie Roberg.

Don't Be Gyped By Tip on Gypping Social Security

Gus Jones, Social Security District Manager in Sherman, Texas, today warned the public to be wary of advertisements promoting the sale of books that promise to tell how to "get around" certain provisions of the Social Security Law.

Some of the books, Jones noted, contain such articles as "How to Get Twice as Much Social Security" and "How You Can Get Social Security for Doing Absolutely Nothing."

The manager emphasized that such books cannot tell the reader anything basic about the Social Security Law that he could not find in the free booklets and leaflets available at the Sherman District Office or from the nearest social security representative. In fact, Jones added, if some of the advice contained in these books were followed it might delay his social security payments and actually be harmful to the applicant.

If a resident of this area has any questions about his social security benefits, the Social Security District Manager said, "I suggest he talk to one of our representatives. He may not be able to tell you how to 'earn a million dollars a year while collecting Social Security' (as the promoters of some sensationally advertised books suggest they can do). But he will be glad to give you full and realistic information tailored to your particular situation."

For more information on this subject, contact Noel Wall, Field Representative, in the basement of the Gainesville Post Office each Tuesday and Thursday morning from 9:30 until noon.



HONORING TEXAS VISITORS TO JAPAN, the State flag is shown being readied by a Japan Air Lines cabin crew for permanent display at Tokyo International Airport. The goodwill gesture is in recognition of the increasing number of Texans visiting Japan each year. Purser Hiroyasu Yoshida is assisted by hostesses (left to right) Yoko Endo, Setsuko Kitazato and Kimiko Okuhara.

BACK FROM HUNT

Back from a deer hunt, bringing home nine deer, are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hess and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Medders. They were in the Devine area. Mrs. Medders, who doesn't hunt, stayed with relatives. Mrs. Ed Hess was first to get her limit of three. She's the only woman of this community who is on record bagging wild game.

Christmas Parade Set for Saturday In Gainesville

An invitation to all of the county has been extended by the Gainesville Jaycees to attend the Christmas parade next Saturday, Dec. 15, starting at 4:45 p.m.

Central figure of the event will be Santa Claus tossing candy to children as he passes by. Immediately afterward he will be at the community Christmas tree east of the courthouse meeting the kiddies and giving 3000 bags of candy and fruit.

Information from the Jaycees Tuesday reveals that sixteen floats, four bands, two riding clubs and two marching groups will participate.

Gainesville Junior and Senior high schools and Booker T. Washington school will have bands and the State Girls School will have its drum and bugle corps. Gainesville and Saint Jo Riding Clubs will be there as will the White Waves and Blue Blazes, marching groups of the two Gainesville high schools.

Prizes of \$100, \$50 and \$25 will be awarded for the three best floats, judging on beauty and originality.

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Arriving Wednesday for a visit with their brothers Joe and Russ Linn were their sisters, Mrs. Era Mitchell of Prescott, Ariz., and Mrs. W. B. Parker of Dallas.

The kiddies were being taken on a tour of the mint.

"Why is it," asked one of them "that they stamp 'In God We Trust' on the pennies?"

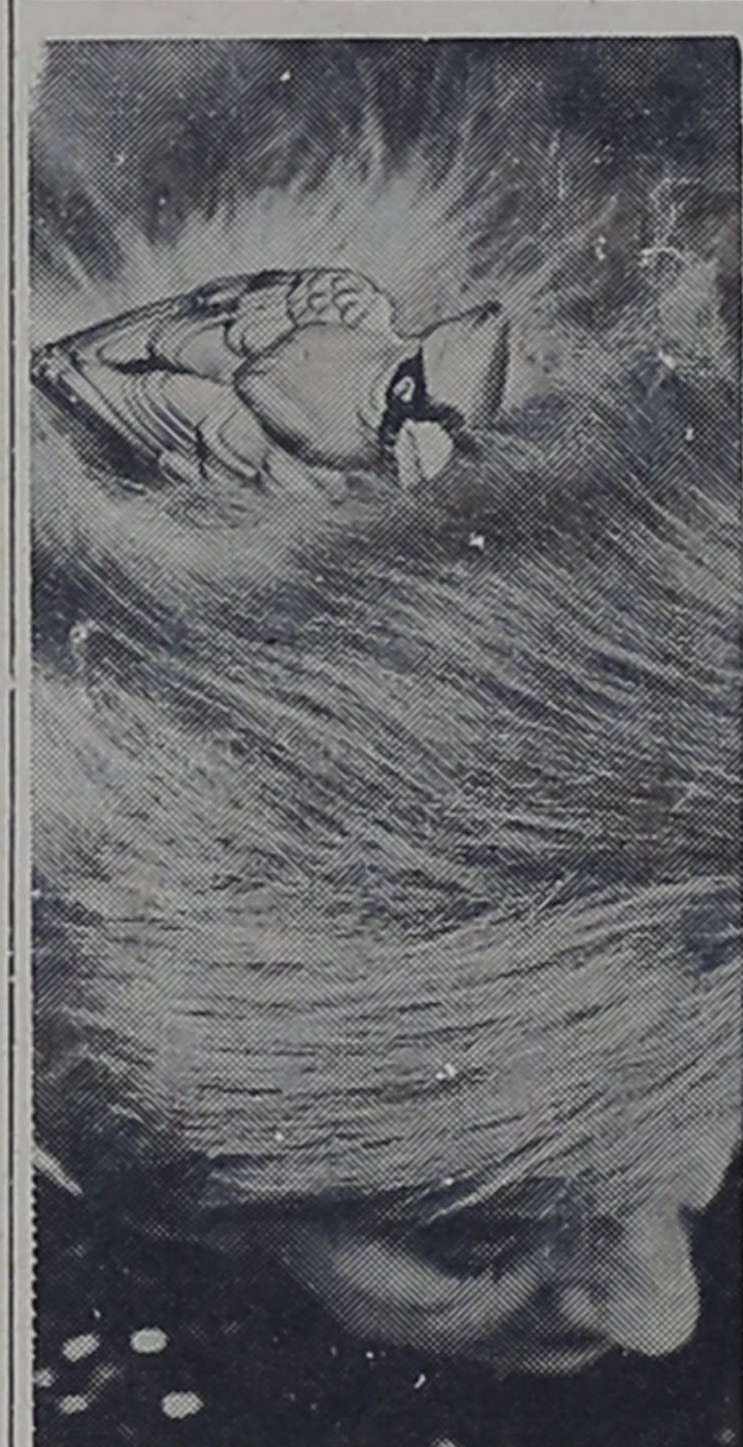
"That," explained the guide, "is for the benefit of people who use them for fuses."

The penny pinching couple took their infant son to a movie. The usher warned them that unless the baby remained quiet, the management would refund their money and ask them to leave.


Near the end of the feature, the husband nudged his wife and whispered, "What do you think of it?"

"Terrible," she replied. "Check," he agreed. "Pinch the baby."

Wife: "You don't love me anymore. When you see me crying now you don't ask why." Husband: "I'm awfully sorry, my dear, but these questions have already cost me an awful lot of money."



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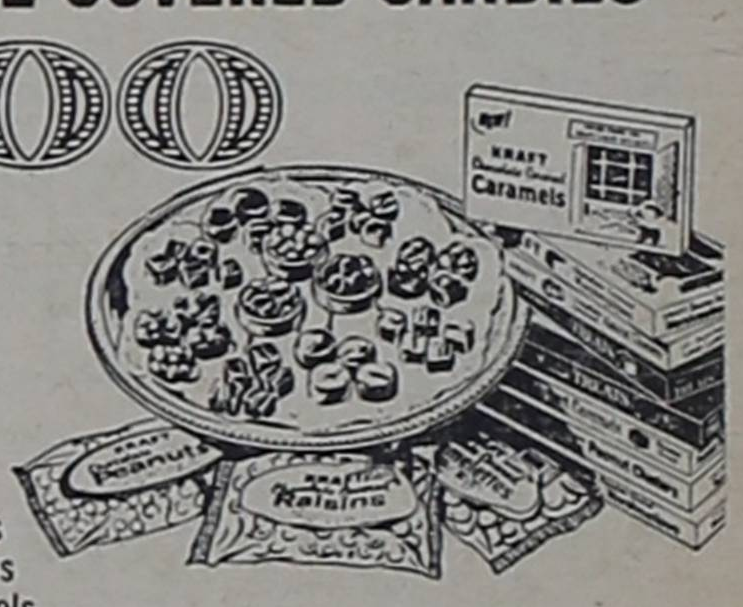
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trust funds to him and his family.
 The social security law, as first enacted by Congress in 1935, Jones said, provided only for the payment of retirement benefits, that would range from \$10 to \$85 per month. It was estimated that a social security tax rate of 6 percent, 3 percent from the employer, would be needed to finance these retirement benefits.

Instead of immediately imposing this full tax rate, Congress wrote into the law a gradually increasing schedule of taxes. The employee's share was to start at one percent of the first \$3000 of annual wages, matched by one percent from the employer.

These rates were set to rise by stages to 3 percent each by 1949. The schedule increases were put off, however, during the 1940's, although President Roosevelt had protested, pointing out that the increase in rates was justified by the long-run financial requirements of the system and that postponement of the automatic increases in the social security contribution rates came at a time when industry and labor, because of high wartime earnings, were best able to adjust themselves to the increases. It was not until 1950 that the rate was permitted by law to go above one percent.

In the years since, benefits have been added for the families of workers (wives, widows, children, and in some cases dependent parents) and also for disabled workers and their families. In addition, benefits have been increased several times to keep pace with rising levels of living and price changes. Under present law, the range of monthly benefits paid to retired workers 65 or over is \$40 to \$127. The maximum family payment is \$254 a month.

Under the law as it now

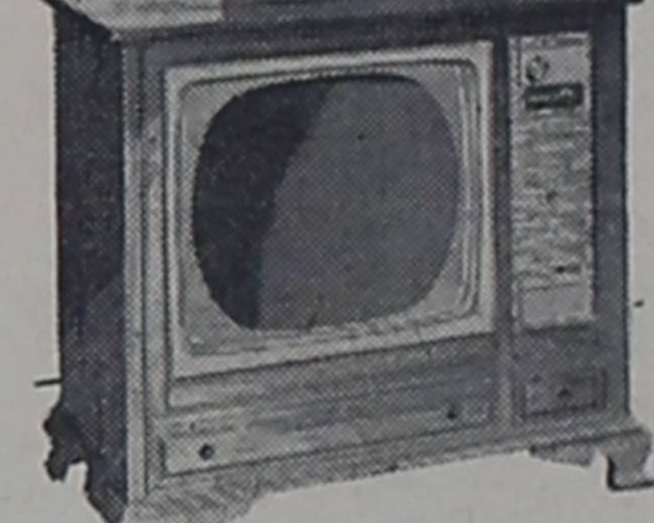
stands, there will be two more increases in the social security tax rate, one in 1966, and the last in 1968. Each increase will amount to one-half of one percent, so that beginning in 1968 and every year thereafter, the worker and the company will each be paying 4 5/8 percent of the worker's earnings up to \$4,800 toward social security protection.

The difference between the originally planned top tax rate and the rate that will go into effect in 1968 will go partly to pay for the additional protection and higher benefits. It will also help make up for the money not collected because the tax increases scheduled for the 1940's were postponed.

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IT HAPPENED 25 YEARS AGO

Dec. 10, 1937

Large crowd sees sacred drama in Parish Hall. Thirty-seven tiny tots receive First Communion Sunday. Thermometers hit new low mark of season with 17 degrees. Cemetery improvement project gets underway with men helping Civic League in digging holes for tree planting. Fire in Myrick home, caught in early stages, does little damage. Georgia Ann joins the Victor Hartman family. Linn School will sponsor pie supper Friday night. Beginning Monday the local post office will be open until 6 p.m. Rev. C. M. Thomas resigns as Myra pastor to accept pastorate at Gainesville.

20 YEARS AGO

Dec. 11, 1942

Enlistments in army and navy are halted; will get recruits through Selective Ser-

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vice. Gas stoves for heating are installed in Sacred Heart Church. Mrs. J. S. Horn resigns as "central" after 20 years with Muenster Telephone Co. First snow and sleet of season arrived Sunday in Muenster. Young Ladies Sodality elects Celia Walterscheid president. Leon Hellman and Mary Genz marry in Houston Dec. 1. Pvt. Arnold Muller sends greetings from Ireland. Wilson and Company renews Christmas turkey packing program at FMA. Ensign Albert Hoehn writes home about destructive fire at Coconut Grove in Boston; he was just entering the club when shouts of fire were heard and helped evacuate the injured and dead. Rev. Francis Zimmerer receives commission as first lieutenant and is assigned as an army chaplain.

15 YEARS AGO

Dec. 12, 1947

Muenster is well fixed for moisture after gully washer of 3.08 inches Saturday. Muenster State Bank increases certified surplus of \$85,000. Number system of placing phone calls will be started here. Melvin Herr is elected president of altar boys society. J. P. Flusche and Tony Hoehn enter well service business. Alvin Hartman is a patient at Gainesville Sanitarium for treatment of his arm. Walterscheid-Wilde-Frost Oil Company hits producer at Bulcher. French girl he met during war arrives here to marry D. R. Martin.

10 YEARS AGO

Dec. 12, 1952

Gerald Bayer, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bayer, dies of illness while on army duty in Japan. Henry Spaeth home is raided by burglars. Funeral services are held for Mrs. J. D. Linn, 85, area pioneer. Band fund benefits \$116 on basketball games. Final rites are held for George J. Carroll, 74, in his chapel at Gainesville. B. T. Haws resigns as county agent to take over job as Wichita County agent. Rupert Hoehn returns from Okinawa; Gussie Felderhoff is home from Korea and Japan. Twenty-one farmers get fish for ponds. Rose Marie Walterscheid is named FFA Chapter Sweetheart. New arrivals: girls for the Andy Schoechs, Andy Wimmers and Orville Malones; a boy for the A. J. Felderhoffs.

5 YEARS AGO

Dec. 13, 1957

Many local people have part in Community Christmas tree and Santa's visit here on Dec. 21. Bank stockholders receive dividend, workers get bonus. Plans are complete for holiday basketball tourney at MHS Dec. 26-28. Ed Schneider is elected new chief of Muenster volunteer fire department. Second Lieut. Ralph Cole gets parachutist wings. Joe Lehnertz is improving after major surgery. David Haverkamp has appendicitis operation. R. M. Zipper has major surgery. Mrs. Henry Stelzer was shopping in Wichita Falls Thursday. Lindsay 4-H girls elect Lorine Voth president.

The surly old miser felt sick, and in a panic sent for the local clergyman, although he had never done anything to help the parish.
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A farmer wrote to a veterinarian for free advice, saying, "I have a horse who sometimes walks normal and at other times has a decided limp. What shall I do?"
The vet replied, "The next time he walks normal, sell him."

A correspondent asks if we can locate for him a verse, entitled "The Angler's Prayer." He probably means this: Oh, Lord, pray suffer me to catch
A fish so large that I
When telling of it afterwards
Will have no need to lie.

NOTES FROM CITY LIBRARY

PLEASE NOTE Books checked out December 12 will be dated due January 2, 1963. The library will not be open Wednesday, December 26, nor any day of Christmas week.

There is a good selection of books available now — some very new and many new to local shelves. Among them are: The Cardinal Spellman Story by Robert I. Gannon; The Refugee by Helen Fowler; No-where Else in the World by Gordon Enders; Father Paul of Graymoor by David Gannon S. A.; We Seven by the Astronauts themselves.

Shadows and Images by Mariol Trevor; Monsignor Connolly of Saint Gregory's Parish by Vincent P. McCrory, S. J.; Saints and Snapdragons by Lucile Hasley author of Re-proachfully Yours, and many others. Also new is a copy of Webster's New Twentieth Century Unabridged dictionary — 1962 copyright. And the monthly editions of several of the favorite magazines.

Surprises Greet J. P. Flusche on Birthday Sunday

Surprises came thick and fast for J. P. Flusche Sunday evening when the family celebrated his birthday without telling him in advance. His brothers and their wives and children and grandchildren all arrived in a group.

Mrs. Flusche planned the party for her husband, and her daughters helped serve. Those attending brought gifts and Mrs. Julius Hermes Jr. came with a handsome birthday cake for her daddy. When the group gathered for the buffet supper they sang the happy birthday song.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Flusche, the C. M. Flusches and son Jerry and the Al Flusches and son Charles all of Decatur, the Urban Flusches and daughters Anna Mae and Julianna of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Hermes Jr. and sons Bobby, Kenny and Stevie, the Bill Martins and son Chris of Irving, and the Don Flusches and daughters Connie and Cathy and Harold, Billy, Tommy Susan and Ronnie Flusche.

The Andy Flusches of Dallas were unable to attend on account of illness in the family, but telephoned greeting, and the Dave Flusches and family were unable to attend on account of the new baby. They telephoned greetings. Their infant daughter was baptized in Lubbock Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. Don Flusche are the godparents. Proxy sponsors stood for them. The little girl's name is Theresa Kay.

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Golden Ager's Have Christmas Party

Mrs. Dick Cain entertained in her home Tuesday with a noon luncheon and Christmas party for Golden Years Club members and presented each with a corsage as they arrived.

The corsaged group gathered around the dining table with its centerpiece of red poinsettias and red candles for the noon meal. Home movies and flash pictures were taken.

A handsome Christmas tree dominated the living room and other yule decorations were in abundance. The guest corsages were fashioned of poinsettias, gold ribbon and tiny bells.

Mrs. T. P. (Ada) Mitchell of Hardy, oldest grandma present, and Mrs. Jack Hogan took turns at the piano and the group of 15 joined in singing Christmas carols.

Others present were Mmes. Joe Sturm, John Walter, I. A. Schoech, John Hartman, Jake Pagel, Al Walter, Adolph Walterscheid, and Frank Bayer and Miss Iris Mitchell of Hardy. Also Mmes. Wendell Richey, Willie Walterscheid and Arnie Wimmer.

"Oh, Henry," cried the irritated wife, "that woman next door has a hat just like my new one."

"Now I suppose you want to buy another one," replied the resigned man.

"Well, it would be cheaper than moving."

FBLA Installs New Officers and Has Initiation for 7

Muenster High School Future Business Leaders of America, meeting Monday night, installed new officers and conducted an initiation for seven new members.

Chapter president Sandra Cain explained to new members the aims of the chapter and they recited the chapter creed after her.

During the installation ritual, a candle light ceremony, each new officer explained what the color of her candle symbolized as she lit it and accepted her office.

Officers are Sandra Cain, president; Charlotte Wolf, vice president; Peggy Branch, secretary; Sandra Wolf, treasurer; Rosemary Fisher, reporter.

The new members are Linda Whitt, Brenda Cason, Sandra Cler, Joyce Rumley, Diane Amoroso, Cindy Cain and Brenda Tuggle.

Refreshments were served by Miss Betty Dodds, chapter sponsor. The program was held in MHS auditorium.

CDA Meeting Will Be in Fisher Home

Members of the local court Catholic Daughters of America will have their December business session and Christmas party Friday night in the home of Mrs. Clyde Fisher. Starting time is 7:30.

The meeting place was changed this week. It was to have been at the home of Mrs. C. O. Taylor but young Stevie got the mumps and Mrs. Clyde Fisher will be hostess in her home instead.

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Marysville News
By Mrs. John Richey

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilcox were recent visitors in Nocona with his mother, Mrs. M. M. Wilcox.

Visiting Mrs. B. G. Lyons over the weekend were her grandchildren Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eastin of Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Doughty and son Wayne left Monday for Spearman to attend the bedside of his sister's husband, Henry Sloan, who suffered a heart attack last Thursday.

Mrs. Rafe McElreath and Mrs. Sam Sparkman were Sherman visitors last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hickman came from Dallas to visit over the weekend with their son and family, the Milton Hickmans.

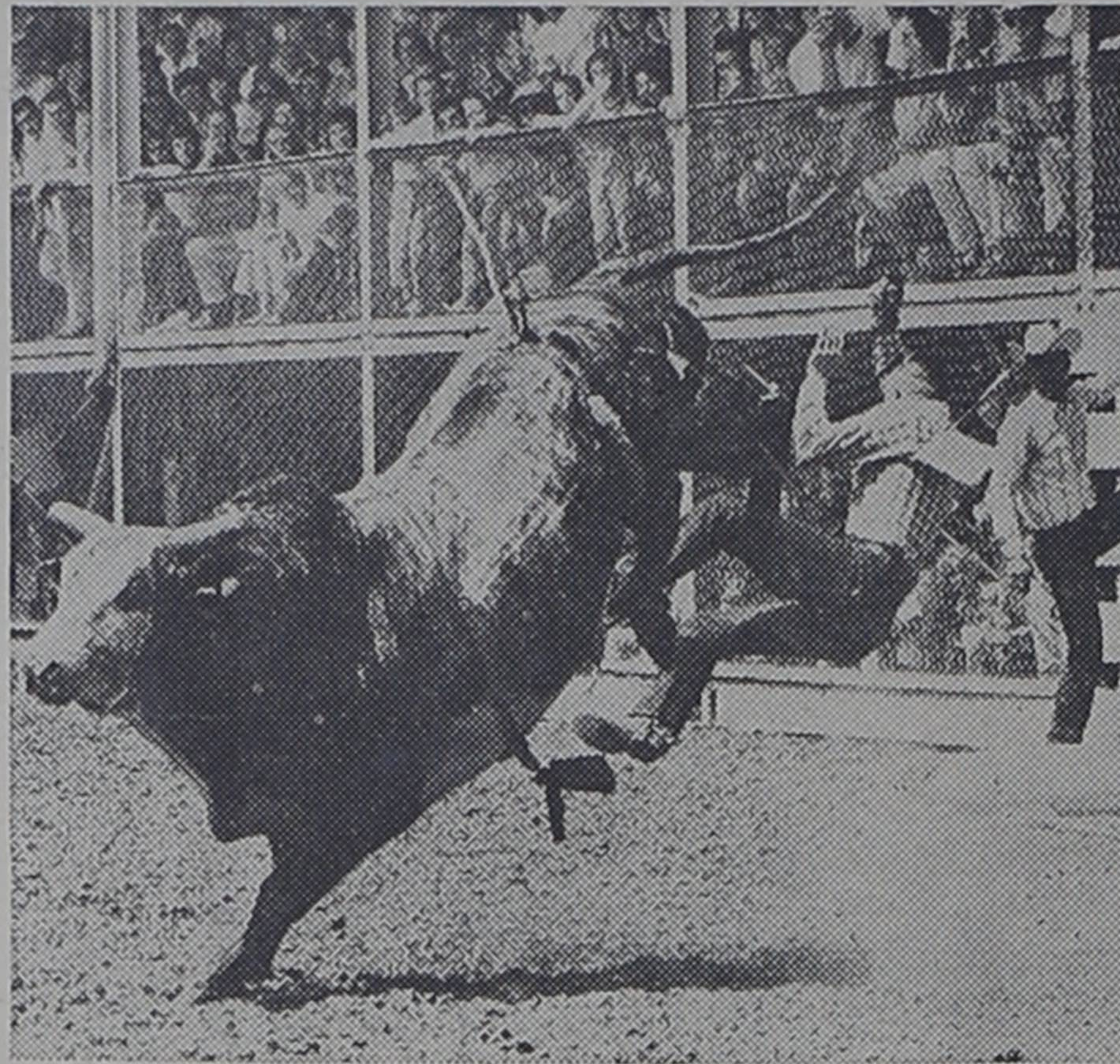
Mrs. W. A. Gann and four children of Wichita Falls visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sparkman and also divided time with her grandmother, Mrs. J. B. Sparkman of Valley View, who is a patient at Gainesville Hospital. The Sparkmans are daily visitors with his mother who has a broken hip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Davidson spent Tuesday through Thursday in Wilson, Okla., with her brothers Monroe and Ambrose Baker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Winchester had a four day visit the past week with their children in Lewisville, Arlington and Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bo Snow spent the weekend with their nieces, Elizabeth and Reba Roe at Callisburg while the girls' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roe went to Bay City to get his mother, Mrs. John Roe and bring her back to her home at Callisburg.

Visitors at the John Richey home Saturday were Jimmy Owens of Holliday, Brother Delbert Taylor of Dallas and Tom Binford and daughter



This ornery old bull, No. 11 from the Harry Knight string, has not been ridden by any cowboy during the regular 1962 rodeo season. No. 11, which is obviously not a lucky number for the cowboys, will be on hand as a challenge to the contestants in the Cotton Bowl Rodeo in Dallas, Dec. 27-31.

Lorna of Gainesville. The Rev. Mr. Taylor and his wife and their two daughters came from Dallas to visit the weekend with the Grady McElreaths, and Bro. Taylor conducted regular services at the Baptist Church.

Thursday visitors with the Earl Robisons were Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holcombe of Gainesville.

Brenda Lane, a kindergarten pupil in Gainesville, who stays there with her grandparents, the Maurice Smiths, came home for the weekend to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shaw.

Ricky Tuggle missed school three days last week and Becky McElreath was out of classes Monday on account of colds. Mrs. J. N. Shaw was also on the sick list last week.

Gift Wrapping Is 4-H Girls' Topic

A program on gift wrapping entertained members of Sacred Heart 4-H girls clubs at their December meetings, Mrs. Evelyn Yeatts, assistant home demonstration agent, giving the demonstration to the three groups in separate programs.

She explained the three basic wraps and illustrated her talk by displaying different holiday packages and showed the girls how to make a poinsettia from ribbon.

Forty members attended the intermediate group's meeting over which Mary Ellen Endres presided. Jill Swirczynski and Linda Fisher led Christmas carols for recreation. Paula Herr is club reporter.

The senior girls had 18 present according to Charlotte Wolf, reporter. Jane Henscheid and Carol Hess led the group in Christmas songs. Janice Vogel, president, conducted the business session.

Joan Fetsch, reporter, counted 49 present for the junior girls' meeting. Diane Hess, vice president, presided and the group concluded the meeting with Christmas carols. Doris Trubenbach and Doris Schilling are recreational leaders.

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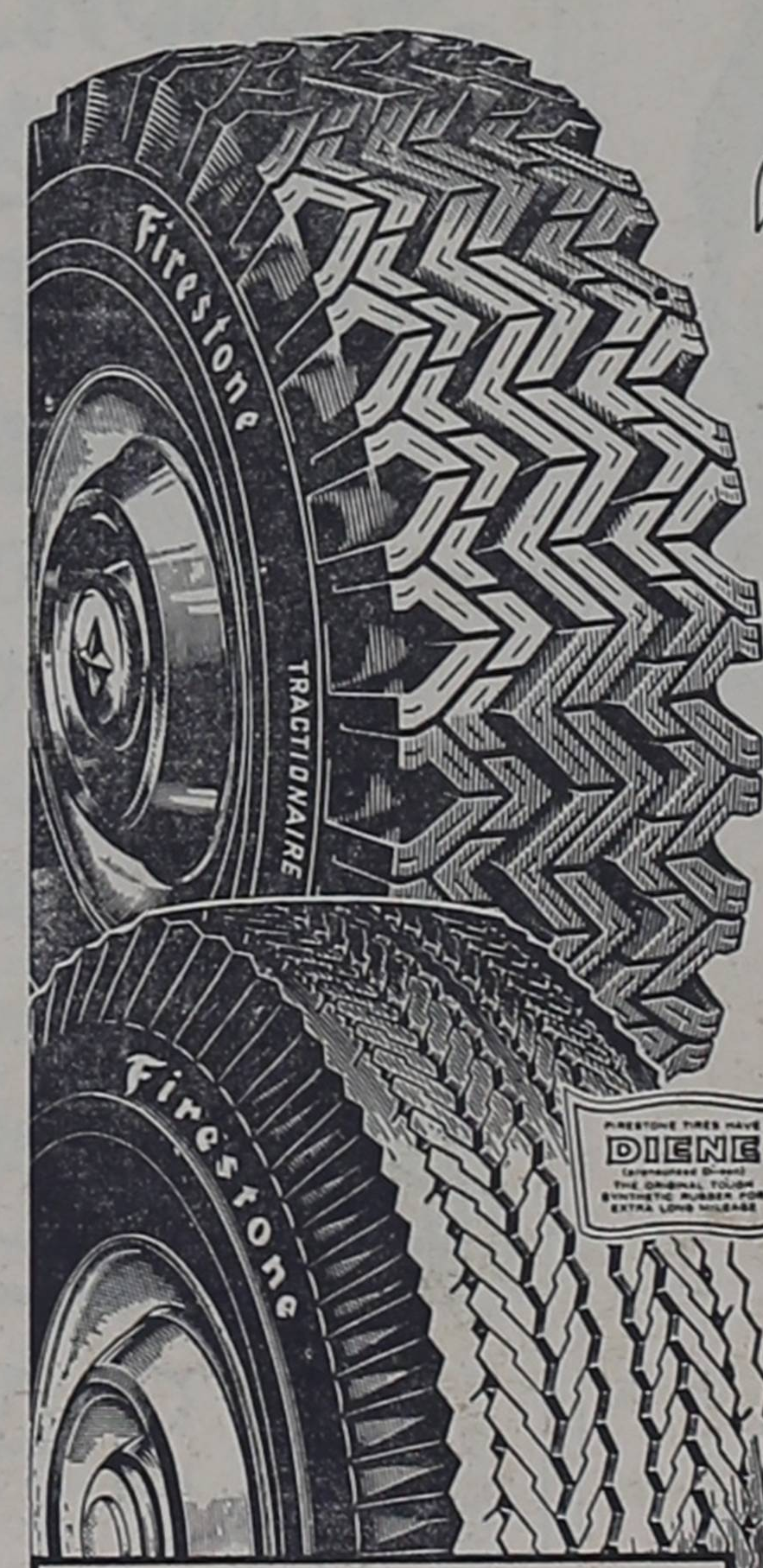
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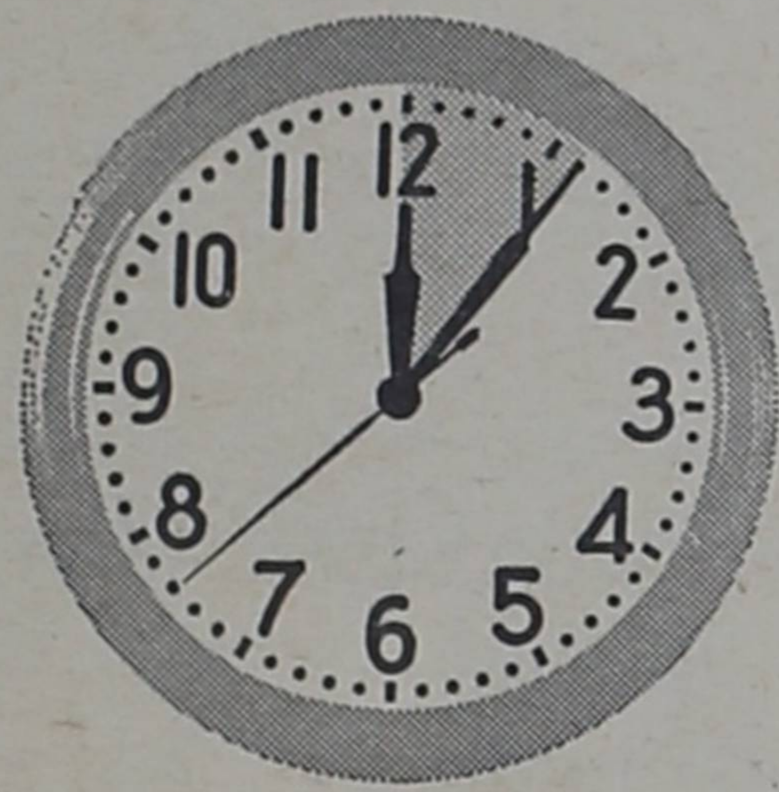
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Local News BRIEFS

Former Muensterites Mr. and Mrs. George McCool of Madera, California, are back for a visit with relatives and friends. They are headquartering with his sister, Mrs. Clarence Hudspeth at Myra, and will be seeing all the relationship while they are on a month's vacation. They will also spend some time in Terrell with Mrs. McCool's father and other family members.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haynes Jr and children Marie, Kenneth and David of Euless visited Saturday with her parents, the M. F. Milners.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Hamric had their grandson to enjoy over the weekend. Little Michael came with his parents, the Burt Hamrics of Norman, Okla., to spend Saturday and Sunday in Muenster.

Recently acquired by the science department at Sacred Heart High are fine spy glasses. The optical instruments are a gift from Father Bruno Fuhrmann.



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All Handicapped Children Invited To Santa Party

Gainesville Sroptimist Club has announced plans for its annual Christmas party for handicapped children of Cooke County and invites them all, and their parents, to attend.

Party time is Wednesday, Dec. 19, starting at 2 p.m. in the First Christian Church on North Dixon Street.

Santa Claus in person will be a highlight of the afternoon, and there'll be a program, plus gifts and goodies for all the youngsters who attend.

Miss Ann Luke came from Dallas Sunday to spend over night and Monday with her mother, Mrs. Henry Luke.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hartman and children Monica, Bobby and Kenneth accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson, drove to Garland Sunday for an afternoon visit with the Teddy Gremmings and saw their new baby, Brenda Kay, for the first time.

Mrs. George Shively of Memphis, Tenn., had a weekend visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehnertz, coming especially to see her brother Quintin Lehnertz and family of Washuena, Wash., while they were here.

Senior girls of Sacred Heart High have again participated in the annual Betty Crocker contest sponsored each year by General Mills to determine the top future homemaker on local, state and national levels. Local winner will receive an award pin and be eligible for the state contest.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Cook were among those enjoying the Christmas open house at Kaden the Florist in Gainesville Sunday afternoon.

A weekend trip took Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoenig visiting with their children. They were Friday overnight guests in Ennis with the Carl Pelzels and attended their grandson Jimmy Pelzel's First Communion Saturday morning followed by communion breakfast and dinner for the family. In the afternoon they drove to Dallas to visit overnight with Mrs. Rita Cottle and children. They had Sunday dinner in Irving with the Raymond Hoenigs and supper in Carrollton with the Rupert Hoenigs and sons.

Sacred Heart High School students are observing advent by participating in the advent wreath ritual. On each of four consecutive Mondays a candle is lighted in the wreath and a brief ceremony is conducted by Father Bruno.

Two Couples Share Anniversary Fete

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gobble, married 33 years on Dec. 9, and Mr. and Mrs. Harv Bowen of Saint Jo, observing a wedding anniversary on Dec. 11, celebrated together Saturday night with a dinner party at the Gobble home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Toothaker joined them for the dinner and for 84 games afterwards.

The Saturday before the three couples were together celebrating Mr. Gobble's birthday with a dinner party. Mr. and Mrs. Toothaker were hosts in their home.

Get-Together Club Has Party, Plans Christmas Social

Members of the Get-Together Club had their December meeting with Mrs. John Wieler as hostess in her home and spent the afternoon playing progressive 42.

Mrs. J. B. Wilde led in the scoring and Mrs. Al Walter won the galloping prize. Mrs. Jake Pagel received the consolation award.

The hostess served fruit cake, ice cream and coffee to members and three guests, Mmes. R. R. Endres, Joe Hoening and Ben Seyler.

Members have planned their annual Christmas social for Monday, Dec. 17. It will be a turkey dinner at Rohmer's Restaurant at 12:30 followed by a gift exchange and 42 at the home of Mrs. Jake Pagel.

Gehrig Clan Fetes Idaho Relatives

Visitors from Idaho Falls, Idaho, are visiting members of the Gehrig families. They are Mr. and Mrs. Ewald J. Steinke and children Allen and Sherrine who arrived Friday for a week's vacation here.

Sunday the Gehrig clan got together for a reunion and dinner to honor their cousins. The party was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hess. And everyone got acquainted with the new baby in the Hess family, Donna Kay who was born Friday.

Arthur Hess barbecued the chicken for dinner and the rest of the family brought covered dishes.

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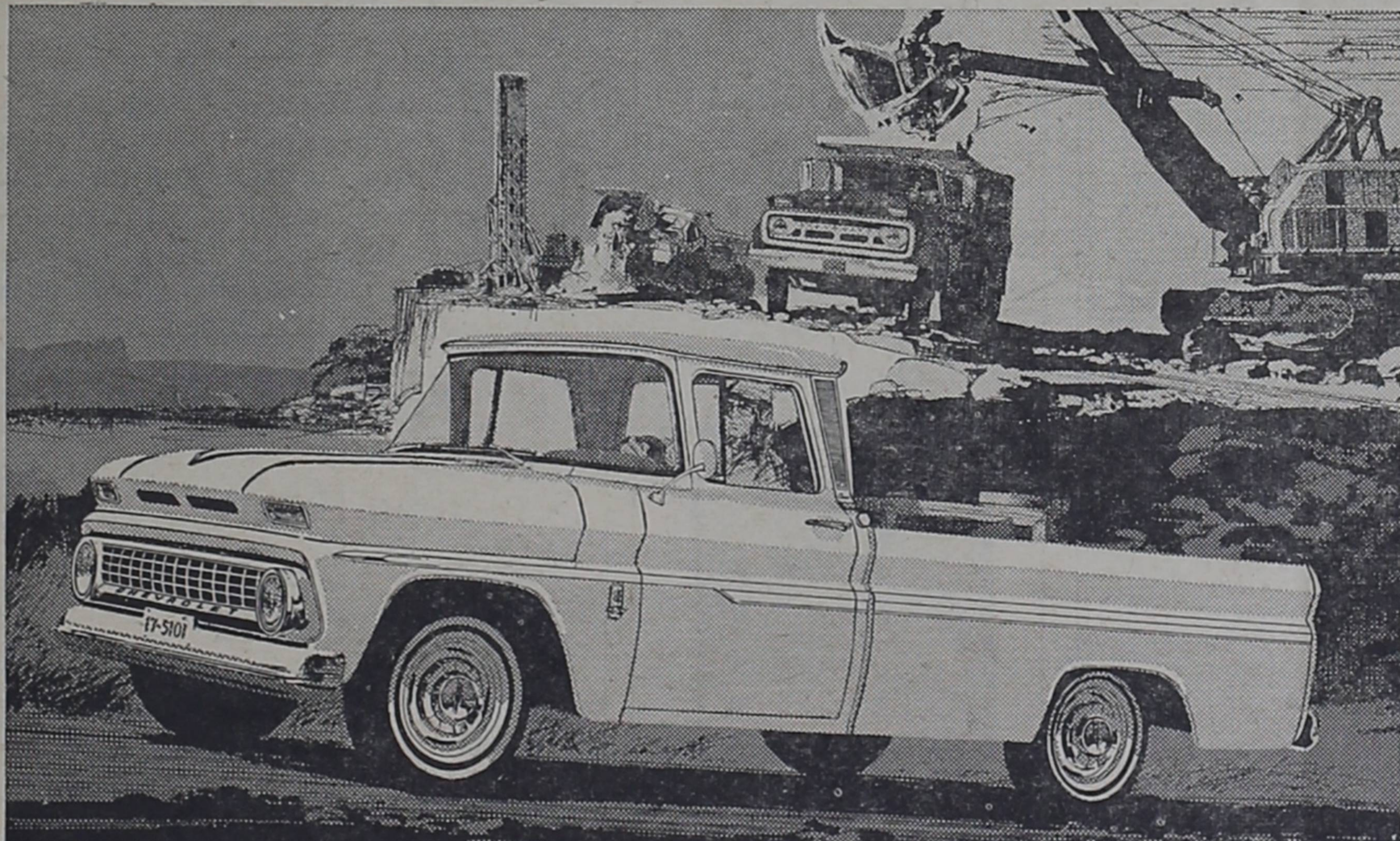
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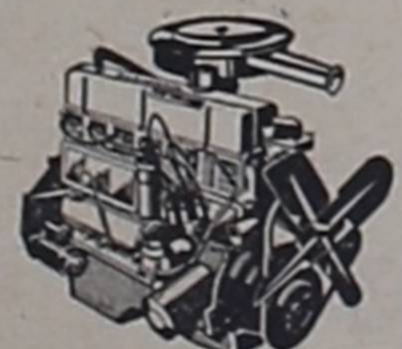
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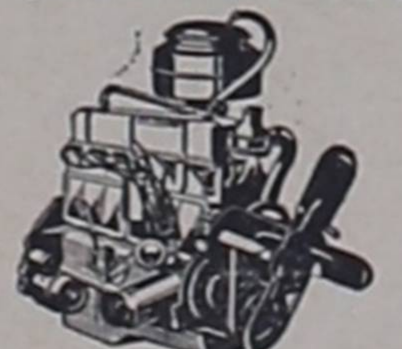
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Confraternity Discussion Clubs held their December meetings Sunday night with the following as hosts in their homes: Messrs. and Mmes. Lawrence Zimmerer, Nick Block, Pete Stoffels, Albert Zimmerer, Bill Flusche, J. C. Schmidkofer, Ed Schad, and Robert Beyer.

Lindsay News

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stofels took their little daughter Kathy to Dallas for a checkup last Wednesday. Kathy's grandmother, Mrs. Joe Bengfort, accompanied them and they all visited at the University of Dallas with Miss Dorothy Bengfort. Six-month-old Kathy has been wearing a brace on her shoes for the past six months and has now added a splint. X-rays showed a slight hip defect. She wears the splint when she sleeps and the brace shoes when she is awake. This therapy will be routine for about six months.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Hess and baby son Sammy have returned to their home in Muenster after spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Joe Bengfort, at Lindsay.

As a Christmas project Lindsay Boys' and Girls' Craft

Club will give wrapped gifts to needy children. The gifts will be part of the decor on the Club's float in the Christmas parade at Gainesville Saturday.

Lindsay grade school 4-H clubbers will present an achievement demonstration Friday evening after novena devotions. The displays will be in the parish hall and everyone is welcome.

Mrs. Joe Bezner Sr. who is visiting in Dallas with her children came back to attend the funeral of Mrs. Lena Schmitt and returned to Dallas afterwards. She will end her stay in Dallas Friday. Mrs. Joe Bezner Jr. and Mrs. Bruno Zimmerer will drive over to bring her home.

Lindsay Loses 2 At Valley View

Both of the Lindsay High basketball teams found too much competition awaiting them at Valley View Tuesday night. The girls lost 47-19 and the boys 50-26 to the sharpshooting home town teams.

Leading scorers for the Lindsay teams were Delores Haverkamp with 12 and Roy Morisak and Robert Fleitman with 9 and 8 respectively.

American farmers now use about the same acreage as in 1920, but only half as much man-hours of labor.

Mrs. Lena Schmitt

Mrs. George Rohleder and Mrs. Bob Loughridge, both of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Charles Tate of Gainesville; one brother, Jake Bezner of Lindsay, and one sister, Sister Alban of Beeville; 18 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren.

Among relatives at the funeral in addition to the children were Mrs. Gus Schmitt and son Joe of Alice, Mrs. Isabel Galvan of Irving, Mrs. Leo Cutaia, Mrs. Rosalie Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Schmitz, all of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bezner of Hereford, Mrs. Annie Bezner of Dumas, Sandra Schmitt of Denton and Sister Alban of Beeville.

Craft Club Makes Christmas Gifts

Craft clubbers of Lindsay met Monday from 3:30 to 5 for their December session. They were served refreshments before work started.

Mrs. Ray Laux and her group met at her home to work on autograph books and complete Christmas gifts.

The rest of the children, 64 in all, met in the Parish Hall. Mrs. Andy Arendt's group made Christmas card holders, Mrs. Al Bengfort's group made macaroni wall plaques, and the group under the direction of Mmes. Gene Owen, Bob Lutz and Norbert Rohmer finished ash trays and made centerpieces to go with them.

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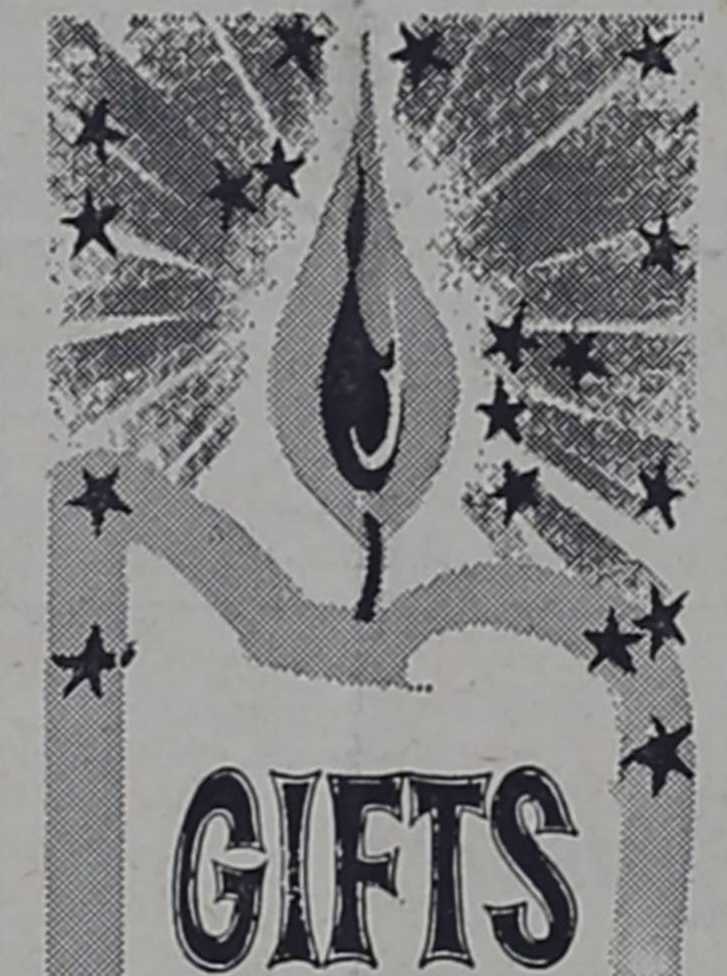
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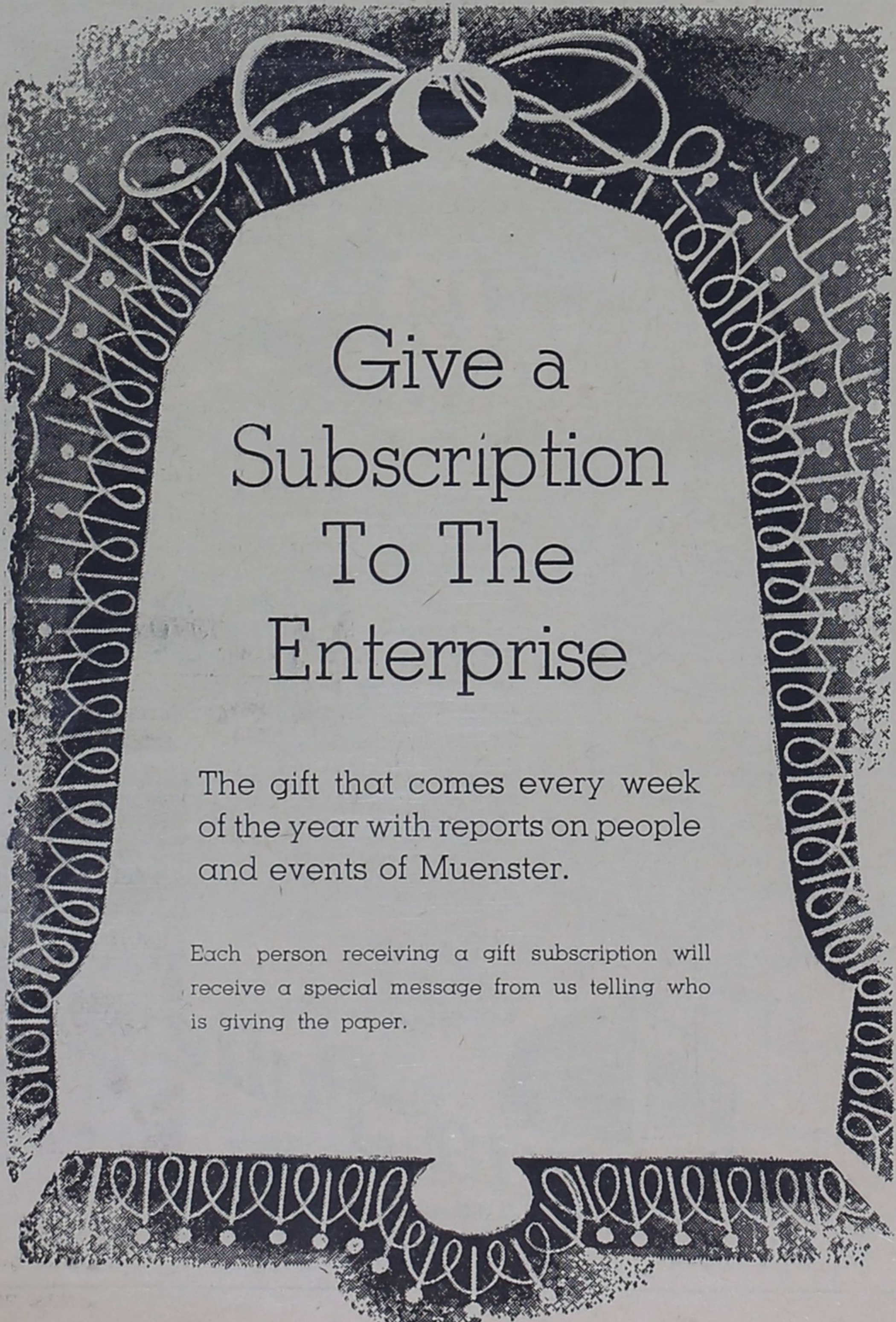
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