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Just because building has taken on a slight boom in the community doesn't necessarily mean that the lumber business is booming. Of seven jobs now under way or ready to go in the near future, not a single one will run up a substantial lumber bill. Four small houses will be built out of the salvage of two large houses and two others will consist principally of materials in the present houses they will replace. The last one will be moved intact from the country.

What's more one of the builders is employed in a lumber yard.

Oh, well, the yards are still doing all right. No matter how big a wood pile these builders have they will still need a lot of other things. The total bill will be worth while in spite of a puny lumber bill. Considered another way, the yards ought to be glad of it. At present prices few if any would build at all if the salvage did not give them a good start. This way there is some business.

Yours truly encounters a controversy over the recent statement that snakes do not take care of their young. A reader claims to know from experience that the parent reptile is ready to fight for her brood. And he supplied another nature note which was completely new to yours truly — that the old snake, in case of danger, will open her mouth and all the little snakes scoot inside. He has that information first hand from someone who claims to have seen it happen, and he himself, recalls blasting a moccasin with a shotgun and seeing a bunch of young snakes wriggle out.

The column frankly admits that it had some doubt about the statement. It could not imagine a creature that neglects its young. Nature doesn't work that way. On the other hand a person would not quite expect a snake to live up to the best standards of nature. Besides, the idea was snatched from another source—a wildlife magazine or bulletin, I believe—and who am I to question anyone on the subject.

The critic and the column reached a compromise, however. We decided that perhaps the term meant that young snakes have to rustle their own food.

Can you stand some more snakeology? Some species of little snakes are born and some are hatched with the following story. For several seasons he had a covey on his place and never bothered them. Then one day a hunter got some of them. Next season he had three coveys. All of which leads up to this pet theory. The original covey was just a big happy family. All the birds were satisfied to be bachelors and old maids until the shotgun broke up their home life. After that the birds all got serious about starting their own families.

You'll notice I've graciously withheld the identity of the man who said that — for obvious reasons. And please don't kid me about it. It sounds whacky to me, too. However, if anyone should be able to shed a real light on the subject, let's have it.

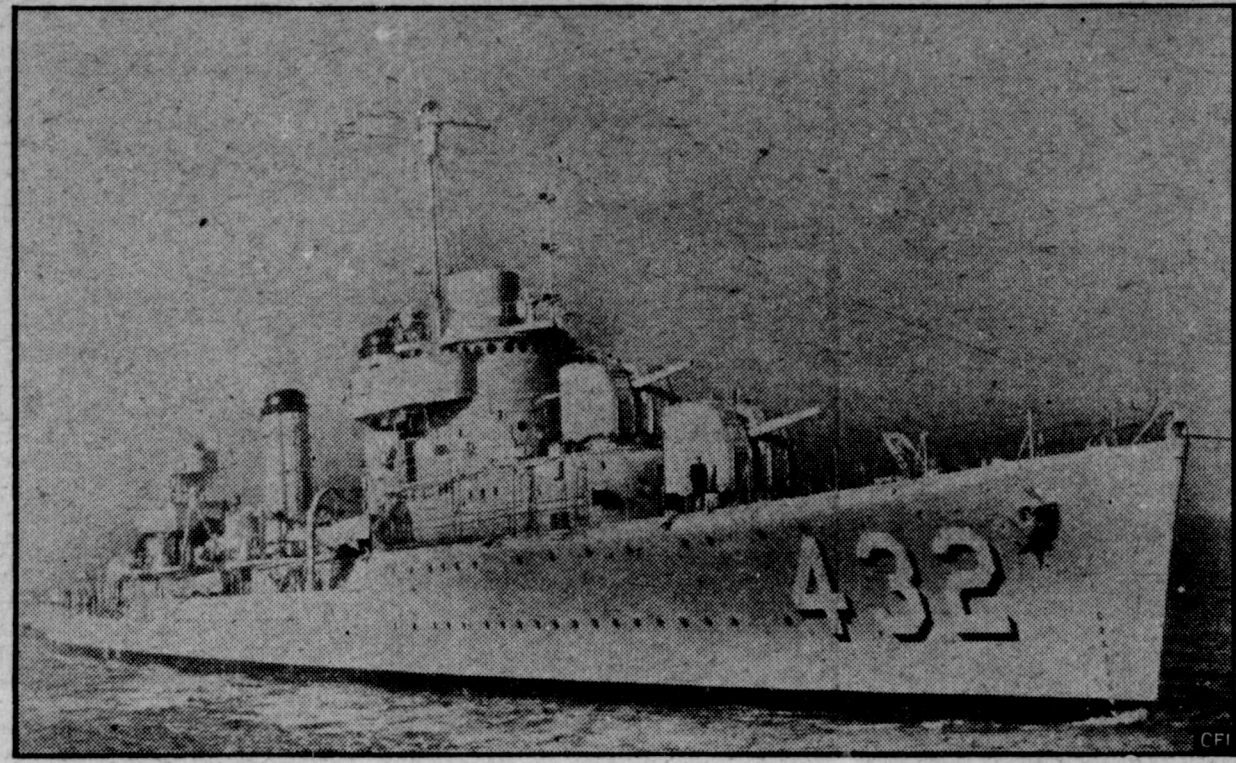
They all laughed when Al Walterscheid started to build a tractor, but when he got it built — Well, it works, and how! He thinks it is the equal of those junior size models we see so often nowadays. It's a combination of the following parts: Model A motor and transmission, heavy duty truck differential, axle and rear wheels, and rubber tired wheelbarrow wheels for the front — the front wheels are together in the row-tractor style. All that stuff along with some minor parts were grafted together into a new product about a foot shorter than a regulation car chassis. In high it travels 30 to 40 miles an hour. In company.

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**FOR DEFENSE**

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WASHINGTON, D. C.—The navy department reported Sunday night that 11 members of the destroyer Kearny were missing and ten injured, two of them seriously. The ship was torpedoed, probably by a Nazi submarine, last week about 350 miles southwest of Iceland. The 1,630 ton destroyer, which cost five million dollars, was one of the newest and most powerful of United States fleet in her class. Although struck, it was able to proceed to port under her own power.

## 1941 Turkey Project Here Opens Nov. 3

Turkey time for this community is just around the corner. According to information released this week by Rudy Hellman, the market will open on November 3 and packing will begin as soon as a sufficient number of birds is on hand.

For the past week Hellman and Roy Callahan, Wilson and Company representative of Oklahoma City, have been driving over a wide area in this vicinity in an effort to establish dealer relations. As a result Callahan has hopes of passing last year's volume even though this community has an exceptionally poor crop of birds.

Wet weather dealt the death blow to turkey profits for Muenster. Thousands drowned or died from exposure during incessant downpours and high water in the late Spring and early Summer. Callahan expressed hope of finding more birds on the high land.

Further extension of the territory is the principal reason for optimism over this season's volume. Dealers have been lined up at points more distant than before. Unless the birds are much less plentiful than he expects, he is confident of topping last year's figure — 5 heavy carloads for the Thanksgiving market and 12 carloads for both holiday programs.

It is taken for granted that prices will be better. This opinion is based on the fact that all commodities are higher than they were a year ago. No hint has been disclosed, however, as to the market's opening figure.

Administration of the marketing and packing project will be similar to that of the past several years. Wilson and Company leases equipment from the FMA and assumes complete charge. Experience has shown that this packer's nation-wide distribution assures a longer and steadier market than the local organization could offer.

## Will Medlen of Graham Joins Enterprise Staff

The confusion and strain of publishing the Enterprise without the help of an experienced printer came to an end this week with the arrival of Will A. Medlen of Graham. For the past two weeks it had been necessary to have all linotype work done in the Saint Jo Tribune plant.

Medlen comes to Muenster with a wealth of experience as printer and publisher, having been associated with weekly papers for more than 30 years.

## Cooperation Wanted—Girls Want to Know When Game is Cancelled

The girls softball team went on a "wild goose chase" Sunday. When they reached Pilot Point they learned that their game had been cancelled. The confusion originated here when mention was made of the game's conflict with a community social in the parish hall. No definite decision was made, but somehow word reached Pilot Point that the Muenster girls would not come. So Pilot Point did not call its team together.



WASHINGTON, D. C.—Members of the United States Supreme Court leaving the White House after attending the annual reception given by President Roosevelt for the members of the Court. Left to right, Justices James F. Byrnes, William O. Douglas, Stanley Reed, Owen J. Roberts, Chief Justice Harlan F. Stone; Justices Hugo Black, Felix Frankfurter, Frank Murphy and Robert H. Jackson.

## Work on Sewer To Be Resumed About Nov. 4, Says WPA

According to the latest WPA report, work on the project to complete Muenster's sewer will begin about November 4. The date was set Monday by Gus Thomason, district supervisor of the Dallas office in a meeting with Mayor Ben Seyler and Herbert Meurer.

Unfavorable weather was mentioned as the principal reason for the last delay. Workmen that should have been available on October 15 were not able to complete their work on schedule during the rainy season.

## AAA SPEEDS WORK TO ALLOW TIME FOR HUGE FARM CANVASS

Speeding up work to get 1942 AAA allotments to farmers by November 1 is the gigantic task facing county offices now. J. T. Biffle, Jr., chairman of the Cooke county AAA committee, announced this week.

Allotments are being issued six months before the usual time since all decks must be cleared for the house-to-house canvass in the national defense program, the AAA official said. The farm plan sheet method, through which farmers plant crops for maximum payments under the AAA program, will be used by committeemen in the feed and food campaign.

Since greater production of milk, eggs and other foodstuffs, are being asked of Texas farmers, county goals are to be announced shortly, Mr. Biffle said. Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard outlined details of the defense program to southern agricultural workers in Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 25 and 30.

Cotton, wheat, rice, and peanut allotments will be established as in former years but no general allotments will be made because of the increased emphasis on feed and food. Allotments will also be established for commercial Irish potatoes.

When details of the 1942 program are received, educational meetings will be held in the various communities, the chairman said.

Mrs. Katie Martini of Windthorst, spent Sunday here with her brother, F. J. Schenk and wife. She came to Muenster with Mr. and Mrs. Luke Zielman and children, who attended the Subico Alumni social and also visited the C. J. Wimmer family.

## Local Protestants Establish Regular Schedule of Service

### RED CROSS SEWING CLUB ORGANIZED BY MUENSTER WOMEN

Red Cross sewing in this community got off to a good start Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. G. H. Hellman, assisted by Mesdames Clarence Wilson, Jim Cook, Enloe Teague and Tony Gremminger and Miss Edith Mae Rhodes cut out twenty women's dresses from a bolt of heavy maroon flannel. Working space for the project is being furnished by the Cooke County Electric Cooperative in its office.

The garments will be distributed to ladies of the community to be finished at home, and one month hence, on November 21, another meeting will take place, at which time completed garments will be returned.

Mrs. Hellman is working in cooperation with the Red Cross sewing room at Gainesville, and work done here will be taken to Gainesville for shipment to war sufferers.

### Nineteen Attend Sunday At Opening Meeting In Public School

The first step toward organizing a permanent schedule of protestant religious services here was taken last Sunday when nineteen persons met in the public school.

Members of that group, feeling the need of their own local church rather than to continue membership in churches outside the community, had secured the school board's approval to use the public school and had engaged Rev. C. O. Wood of Ft. Worth to conduct services. He is a talented and eloquent young minister formerly stationed at Hutchinson, Kansas, and now taking an advance course in Scripture at the Fort Worth Bible Institute.

It is hoped that the small group which attended Sunday's services will constitute the nucleus of a large flock with a church of its own.

Originally this community was settled by Catholics and until ten years ago there were few residents here of any other denomination. In recent years, however, members of other creeds have gathered in sufficient numbers to justify a regular schedule of services in their own church.

Persons present Sunday were urged to invite everyone regardless of affiliation, who is not attending some other church. The purpose is to attract a local membership rather than to draw members from other churches.

Rev. Wood's schedule, as announced Sunday, is as follows: He will arrive on Saturdays for visitation. Sunday School will be conducted at 10 the next morning, preaching at 11 and evening service at 7 p. m.

## K-C Initiation Set For Sunday In Gainesville

Members of the Gainesville Knights of Columbus will be hosts to the sixth K of C district at a major initiation next Sunday, October 26. All five councils of the area, Gainesville, Muenster, Sherman, Denison and Pilot Point, are expected to have candidates for the ceremony.

Honoring the memory of F. X. Schad, prominent member of the Gainesville council for many years, the group of initiates has been named the F. X. Schad class. Gus Strauss of Austin, state deputy, has been invited to attend as special guest and officially receive the new knights of the order.

The program of the day, as announced by Herbert Meurer, district secretary, begins at 9 o'clock when members and candidates assemble at the K of C hall south of the court house and go to church in a body for the 10 o'clock mass.

The initiation to be held in the council chamber, begins at 1 o'clock with conferring of the second degree. Candidates received the first degree at ceremonies in Denison Thursday night. The third degree will follow promptly after the second.

An informal supper at the community hall in Lindsay will end the day's program. Members are invited to bring their wives and girl friends for this event. A committee of Gainesville ladies will entertain wives of out-of-town knights during the afternoon ceremonies.

## FOUR MUENSTER MEN WILL ENTER SERVICE IN NOVEMBER DRAFT

Muenster will furnish exactly two thirds of the group of Cooke county selectees scheduled to be inducted into military service on Nov. 4, according to information received here this week. Official draft notices have been received by Jim Lehnertz, Richard Wimmer, Albert Stoffels and Ed Martin. The county's quota in the November draft is 6 men.

On Friday of last week Paul Yost of here and Clarence Albers and Leonard Zwingel of Lindsay were included in a group of county men reporting for service. All passed examinations at the Dallas induction station.

## FUTURE SELECTEES GET FINAL RATING 30 DAYS EARLIER

AUSTIN.—Registrants under the selective service system will in the future, know thirty days earlier whether they will be inducted into the United States Army than did previous selectees under a plan announced here by Gen. J. W. Page, state selective service director.

The new system, which has the approval of the War Department, will go into effect immediately. It will reduce to a minimum the uncertainty which registrants heretofore have faced during the period between the local board examination and the date set for induction. The new plan also will give registrants ample time to make final arrangements in their financial and other personal affairs, Page pointed out.

The new plan calls for the usual preliminary local board examination within thirty days prior to the call. Selectees will be sent at government expense to the Army examining board in their district, where a complete examination, including physical, citizenship, morals and literacy, will be given. In the past this second examination was not given until the selectees were ready for induction into the Army and often resulted in their being rejected after having resigned their jobs and made all arrangements to enter the Army.

Under the new plan, the selectee will be returned to his home at government expense and the local board will be notified of the result. Induction will normally follow within twenty to thirty days after the Army examination and the selectee will receive at least ten days' notice prior to call for induction. Those accepted will be sent direct to designated reception centers in the VII Corps Area for immediate induction into the Army.

## GREATER EMPHASIS ON TERRACING IN 1942 AAA PROGRAM

Terracing is finally coming into its own in Cooke county. J. T. Biffle, Jr., chairman of the Cooke county AAA committee, announced this week.

According to information from the state office, College Station, the conservation materials and services phase of the AAA program has been enlarged to include terracing under the 1942 farm program, he said.

This phase of the AAA program, designed to assist farmers in carrying out more soil-building practices, already makes it possible for them to obtain phosphate, Austrian winter peas, common hairy and Willamette vetch with costs of the materials being deducted from future payments. Similar arrangements will be in effect on the terracing program, Mr. Biffle pointed out.

Greater emphasis placed on soil-building practices under the 1942 program than ever before is probably an indication that future appropriations will be more contingent upon the amount of soil-building practices carried out, the AAA chairman explained.

In explaining the terracing program in Cooke county, the county chairman said that if demand is sufficient, the county committee will let bids to contractors to build terraces for cooperating farmers. The contract will be let on a 100-foot basis and contractors will be paid by the AAA after the terraces are completed.

Under this phase of the program, farmers may use 70 per cent of their total payments, less any previous assignments, for terracing.

Cooke county farmers who wish to participate in the terracing program should file their requests in the county office in order that the demand might be ascertained, the AAA official said.



TOKYO, JAPAN.—Press Assoc. Photo.—Photo shows General Eiki Tojo, who headed the new cabinet. Tojo's cabinet will consist of men who are familiar with Russian and Manchukuo affairs, with particular emphasis on the United States and Great Britain. The reflection of the Japanese people is that the new cabinet will not challenge others, but will not shrink if challenged.

## SHALLOW WELL ON FELDERHOFF ESTATE REVEALS NEW POOL

Possibilities of new oil activity north of town loomed brightly since Tuesday when J. G. Richards and Son struck an excellent shallow pool at 752 feet on the Felderhoff estate, north 105 acres of lot 24 in George Ivy survey. Production from the incomplete well has been estimated between 50 and 75 barrels daily. Sand was penetrated to a depth of 2 feet.

The new find, which ranks with the best shallow wells of this area is two locations north of a well abandoned as dry only a short time ago.

Plans are under way now to drill several more wells and build a central power unit.

## Burglar Gets Watch and Jewelry From Bruns Home

L. F. Bruns of Gainesville, well known here from his frequent business visits, lost a watch, 4 rings and a number of other pieces of jewelry Monday morning. Several dollars in cash in clothing pockets was not touched.

Bruns believes the thief was still in the house when he returned about 11:30. About 30 minutes later while he stepped outside for a moment he thought he heard sounds inside but was not curious enough to investigate. His wife, returning about 1, discovered that an intruder had been there and missed the stolen items valued at 100 to 125 dollars.

Herman "Ham" Stoeltes left here Wednesday for Coleman to take over the job as head cheese-maker in that city's cheese factory.

# LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Short Items of Interest About Folks You Know

ROSABELL DRIEVER, Society Editor

The local fire department had drill practice Monday afternoon.

Joe Trachta made a business trip to Ardmore, Okla., Saturday.

Ray Tempel began work in a Gainesville grocery store Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Reiter of Krum visited here Sunday with relatives.

Since Saturday Miss Frances Wiesman is on the staff of Our Cafe.

Mrs. John Fuhrbach and son spent the weekend in Amarillo with Mr. Fuhrbach.

Miss Pauline Schoech of Dallas, spent Tuesday night and Wednesday here with members of her family.

Bill Mitchell of Olney, Ill., is visiting here as the guest of the Joe Fautler family.

Mrs. J. H. Flood and sons and Mrs. R. L. McNelly spent Thursday in Dallas.

M. R. Collins visited relatives and friends in Dallas Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Anton Doer of Cleburne left for her home Sunday after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. August Reiter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Flood and sons witnessed the A & M-TCU football game in Fort Worth Saturday afternoon.

Ford and Stan Yosten were in Wichita Falls Wednesday night attending a district meeting for Ford service men.

According to word received from Paul Yosten this week he is stationed at Fort Sill, Okla. He entered selective service on the 17th.

Sgt. Leon (Doc) Hellman of Ellington Field, Houston, was here during the weekend to visit relatives and friends.

A reunion of the Schoech families took place Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cier in Valley View in observance of their first wedding anniversary.

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Joe Hoenig suffered a back-set of the flu Wednesday of last week when he was out for the first time following an illness and since that time is back in bed with pleurisy.

A card from Robert Weinzapfel to his parents this week advised that he was leaving the States. He had been stationed at the naval air base in San Diego.

Mrs. A. C. Flusche and children, Vincent and Misses Irene and Miriam, of Denison, were among out-of-town visitors at the Sublaco alumni social Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Wiesman and children of Pilot Point were here Wednesday of last week at a farewell party honoring her brother, Paul Yosten.

Robert Gruber is on a 10-day vacation from duties at the REA office since Saturday. Miss Mary Elizabeth Endres is assisting at the office during his absence.

Rev. George M. Fanzuar and Rev. Ferdinand Straesser of Duncan, Okla., and Rev. Father Hugo of Purcell, Okla., visited with the local pastors Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Spurgeon and son and Alfred Hoedbeck of Denison and Miss Margaret Eckroat of Oklahoma City were Saturday and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Reiter and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. August Friske had as their guests during the past week, her sister, Mrs. Henry Mattiza and her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carlo Mayo, all of Robstown.

Miss Catherine Burkholder of Los Angeles, Calif., who is visiting friends in Windthorst, was here Sunday to attend the social in the parish hall and visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wimmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bentley and daughter of Duncan, Okla., and Miss Joyce Bentley of Dallas, spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Richards and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Miller and her mother, Mrs. Louise Wies, spent Sunday on a tour to Dallas, Waxahachie, Denton and Fort Worth. In the latter city they visited the Botanic Gardens and enjoyed a picnic lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wolf, Sr., their daughter, Mrs. Cecil Sims, and their son, Charlie, left Saturday to attend the Dallas Fair, the Huntsville prison rodeo and spend several days visiting in East Texas. They returned Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Shelton returned to their home in El Paso Wednesday after a visit here with relatives. Tuesday they were accompanied to Tioga by Mrs. William Wieler and Mrs. Joe Felderhoff to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Roewe.

Mrs. Buddy Bernauer and sons and Mrs. J. S. Russell and son, Jimmy, returned Saturday from a visit in



**Tailored "Cords"**

CHICAGO, ILL.—Arthur Starnes, right, is shown with Pilot C. E. Clark, in the cockpit of the Lockheed Lodestar, from which he will soon attempt a parachute jump from 35,000 feet.



Among the smartest of the new back to school cottons, is this two-piece cotton corduroy ensemble. The tailored jacket and skirt with front kick-pleat are good for classroom and campus wear. A white tailored cotton shirt is worn under the jacket.

Seagraves where they were guests of Mrs. Russell's daughter, Mrs. J. T. Florence and family. They were accompanied home by Miss Rose Russell, who has been there since February.

Bob Perryman is the new milk hauler between Forestburg and Muenster. Roe Sledge formerly had charge of the route.

Father Frowin was in Oklahoma City Thursday to attend the funeral of the father of Rev. John J. Walde. The Rev. Walde is well known here for his radio addresses and his sermons during a Forty Hours' Devotion services here a number of years ago. Father Frowin and the elder Walde had known each other for 35 years.

**GIRLS' ACHIEVEMENT DAY PROGRAM SET FOR MONDAY**

Muenster 4-H Club girls will have their Achievement Day program at the parochial school basement next Monday. Throughout the afternoon they will have on display articles of clothing and canned foods, representing their work of the past year. Mothers of the members, ladies of the Civic League and other citizens of the community are urged to visit the exhibit, Miss Lillian Wimmer, president of the group, stated in extending the invitation.

**KNIGHTS AND CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS PLAN SOCIAL**

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ters of America, was held in the K of C hall Monday evening with Mrs. M. J. Endres leading the discussion on Chapter 1, "The Attitude Toward the Non-Catholic." Mrs. Ben Hellman was appointed secretary and Father Richard was a special guest. It was decided that this group will meet each Monday in the home of Mrs. J. B. Wilde. Members will take turns at leading the lesson.

St. Paul's Convert Class, consisting of twelve converts to the faith, held its first meeting last Thursday in the home of its leader, Mrs. Ed Wolf. This group meets each Thursday evening at 7:30 in the leader's home.

The Lily of the Mohawks club held its first meeting this Thursday at the home of Miss Mary Elizabeth Endres, who led the discussion. This group meets at the different homes of members and each member has a turn at leading.

St. Elizabeth Club has as its leader Miss Veronica Yosten and meetings are held at her home each week. Last Thursday's meeting was the first of the season. Six members attended.

St. Rose of Lima club, with Miss Katie Mae Walterscheid as leader for the season, has had two meetings and the third is scheduled for this Thursday evening in the home of Misses Armella and Marsella Flusche. Meeting days and places vary from week to week to suit the members.

St. Anthony Club with Mrs. Tony Gremminger as organizer will have its initial meeting this Friday evening. Its members are men and women who reside in the vicinity of the Gremminger home.

St. Rita Club will have its first meeting this Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rohmer. Miss Helen Hess will lead the discussion.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help club

held its first meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hennigan on Oct. 16 with Miss Mary Wiedeman leading the discussion. Eight members were present. This club meets each Thursday evening at 7:45 at the members' homes with members taking turns at leading.

The Little Flower club met Tuesday evening for the first time at the home of Miss Elfreda Luke, who led the lesson. It was decided that meetings be held each Monday evening in the future. The hour is 7:30. Miss Anna Marie Klement was appointed secretary. The next meeting will be in the Luke home.

St. Cecilia's club organized at the home of Miss Celia Walterscheid Monday evening and discussed the first chapter under the leadership of the hostess. Another meeting is scheduled for this Thursday in the home of Miss Rose Marie Endres.

St. Agnes club was organized Tuesday evening at the home of Misses Irene and Lorene Lutkenhaus and the first lesson was studied. Father Richard was a special guest. The next meeting will be held Friday evening of next week in the home of Miss Evelyn Streng.

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**PLENTY OF SLEEP AND BALANCED DIET URGED FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN**

AUSTIN—Now that the schools are under way and the daily routine is well established, the question of school lunches that will be adequate and attractive and will help to keep the growing boy or girl up to the mark mentally and physically, is of special importance. But the child's growth and development are helped or hindered by various other things in a child's daily program.

Here are some of them as outlined by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer:

"The average school child needs from 10-12 hours of sleep each night. A tired child is a nervous, irritable child who finds it hard to concentrate. Does your child have a bedtime that is early enough to insure an adequate amount of sleep?"

"Teachers complain that many of the children find it necessary to eat part of their lunch in the middle of the morning. A hungry child does not make a good student. Does your child have an adequate breakfast before he leaves for school?"

"A well nourished body must have certain necessary foods every day, such as milk, fruits, vegetables, whole grains, meat and eggs, and cod liver oil. Does your child have an evening meal which supplements the other meals of the day and provides the balance of the food needed during the day?"

**NEW MICROSCOPE**

A new huge electric microscope has been developed that magnifies objects to as high as 100,000 times their natural size. It can also look inside bacteria blood cells and other biological substances in the realm of the infinitesimal. This new microscope is a modification of the electron microscope. With this new explorer of the dark jungles of living substances a blood corpuscle may be enlarged to the size of a two-foot pillow, and a human hair to the size of a tree 12 inches in diameter.

**USE OF FROZEN FOOD LOCKERS ENCOURAGED AS DEFENSE MEASURE**

COLLEGE STATION—Farm families living in areas served by frozen food locker plants can make increased use of them both to their own and to the advantage of the defense program, according to C. E. Bowles, organization and cooperative marketing specialist of the A&M College Extension Service.

A survey shows that on January 1 there were approximately 3,200 plants in the United States with a capacity for 1,050,000 lockers. More than 75 percent are located in towns of less than 5,000 population and about 71 percent of locker patrons are farmers. Based upon a sample study there is an average of 390 lockers in each of the approximately 140 frozen food locker

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**Tom Hayes**

COOKE COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR

**Row, Row, Row Your Boat**



When the soldiers of Uncle Sam's new Army set out on "blitz" maneuvers, they don't have to pack along heavy steel or wood boats for crossing streams in their path. Instead they're using rubberized cotton craft like that shown above. The boat will carry as many as six men. Several of the cotton boats, lashed together, are used in ferri- heavy field equipment.

**plants in Texas, Bowles says.**

Farmers using lockers are likely to raise more of their own food stuffs because foods processed in the plants make possible greater variety in the diet and are more palatable and nutritious than foods preserved in the home by other methods, Bowles observes. Use of lockers also reduces the amount of canning necessary and saves tin, zinc and other metals vital to the defense program.

**Texans Smoked 860 Cigarets Per Person**

AUSTIN.—Every man, woman and child in Texas smoked 43 packages of cigarettes during the fiscal year that ended Aug. 3, according to figures compiled by the State Comptroller Department.

A total of 276,016,974 packages was consumed during the year. A net increase of \$752,104 for cigarette tax and cigarette permits was reported by the comptroller. A total revenue of \$8,178,960 was collected. This compares with a total of \$7,428,592 for the previous year.

**MAY GROW CORK IN TEXAS**

College Station—Texas may be chosen as the proving ground to test the feasibility of growing cork oak in the United States.

According to information, the U. S. Department of Agriculture Forest Service is planning a small experiment program during the coming year on the planting and cultivation of the species, provided the necessary supply of acorns can be obtained.

It is said that the climate of parts of Texas is very similar to that of the mountainous portions of Spain, Portugal and north Africa, the natural habitat of the cork oak. The bark is the portion of the tree processed for commercial products.

Although no cork producing trees grow in Texas now, C. W. Simmons, farm forester of the A&M College Extension Service, says that in view of the similarity of climate, together with altitudes and wide choice of soils there seems to be no biological reason why it should not be grown successfully in sections of Texas.

**FINGERPRINTS**

Mary LaGuardia, of New York City, as head of Civilian Defense, has urged that every person in the United States be fingerprinted, for sure identification in case of air raids.

Such identification is almost as old as recorded history. Eastern kings used it as a sign-manual. The first suggestion of classification was made in 1823 by a German scientist.

Popular objection to the idea of fingerprinting has centered in its association with criminal identification. (Last year more than 7,000 fugitives from justice were identi-

**PORTABLE HOUSING**



**NEW YORK CITY**—In the sculpture garden of the Museum of Modern Art is exhibited the Dymaxion Deployment Unit, invented and developed by R. Buckminster Fuller. Because of the ease, speed and economy with which it can be manufactured, shipped, set-up and demounted, the unit might be used for defense housing, army barracks or to house a guest. The unit serves also as a bomb shelter: It is hurricane and earthquake proof. It can house a maximum of 12 persons in single cots if used in barracks or in a dormitory. It can house comfortably a family of six. Above: Looking down at the shelter in the rear of the Museum.

fied by this means alone.) But for some time there has been a movement to remove this stigma. Advocates of universal fingerprinting point to its many civilian uses, including identification in case of accident, payroll protection, industrial plant protection and in banking.

College education for women is futile. If they're pretty, it's unnecessary; if they are not, it's inadequate."

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"Nothing irks the hard-pressed college boy more than shaking out the envelope from home and finding nothing in it but news and love."

**Fast Thinking**  
The pretty girl sat in the corner of the compartment next to her sweetheart, her little niece on her knee. The train dashed into a tunnel and suddenly the other passengers heard the little girl exclaim: "Kiss me, too, Auntie Violet!"

"Mavis," said Aunt Violet, quickly, "you should say, 'Kiss me twice. Kiss me two is not good grammar."

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Is it hot enough for you?  
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I just consider the source.  
So what?  
Ah yeah—you and who else?

"Helen, don't go far out in the water."  
"But look, daddy's out a long way."  
"He's insured, dear."

Garage man—"You say you need automobile parts, lady?"  
Mrs. Meeks—"Yes, I'm sure we

do. The engine doesn't nearly fill up the hood."

Evelyn—"Helen sings with a great deal of expression, doesn't she?"  
Joy—"Well, she makes awful faces when she does it."

A Tennessee backwoods mother, whose son was in the Army, was being urged to buy national defense bonds.

"What's the government going to do with the money?" she cautiously inquired.

"Buy more equipment for our soldiers," she was told.

"That's plain wasteful," came the reply. "My boy don't need any more equipment. Paw just sent him our best-shootin' squirrel gun."

A doctor, on duty with a naval unit in the Mediterranean, wrote to his son at college: "I am now standing on the edge of the precipice from which the ancient Spartans flung their defective children. I am sorry you are not with me."

There was a ladder at the window and a young woman was on it when the policeman came along. To the young man at the foot of the ladder the officer said, "Eloping, eh?"

"No," answered the young man, "we've eloped already, and now

we're coming home to live with the family."

Lady — My husband was a tramp, too, but he suddenly decided to make a man of himself!

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## "DOING HIS BIT", NOT "GETTING HIS BIT"

The Porcupine Advance, Porcupine, Ontario, recently devoted a leading article to an incident revealing at once a nice touch of kindness and indicating how everyone may do something toward helping war work. A local doctor picked up five hitchhiking soldiers. Sensing that they were hungry, he stopped at a Chinese restaurant and invited the men to eat. And how they ate!

While heaping on more food, the doctor made a mental calculation of the cost. At least 75 cents apiece. But the Chinese attendant had been sizing up the situation; also calculating; and his charge was 15 cents each for filling the hungry men. The ensuing dialogue carries a moral:

"Fifty cents each?" asked the doctor. "That is more than reasonable. It's generous!"

"Not 50 cents each! Just 15 cents each!" replied the Chinese.

"But 15 cents would not begin to meet the cost of meals like that," the doctor commented.

The Chinese's final reply as he insisted that the price was only 15 cents was this:

"The soldiers do their bit. You do your bit. I do my bit."—Toronto Globe and Mail.

Here were seven men — five soldiers, a doctor and a restaurant owner — each in his own way "doing his bit."

Our neighbors to the north have no monopoly on that spirit, of course. If the truth were known, this nation could undoubtedly match Canada, incident for incident. But the deplorable fact is that this is the exception, not the rule.

What a delightful — and invincible — country this would be if everyone here smilingly did his bit. Suppose workmen tackled their jobs without making demands, suppose industry considered production rather than profit, suppose men in official circles considered service rather than votes, and suppose we common citizens thought more of contributing to than receiving from our government.

Here is democracy in action, free men cheerfully, energetically doing their bit. It is a spirit against which no totalitarian regime can compete. Outside force cannot defeat it. Inside treachery cannot contaminate it. This is our heritage, the precious heritage which already lies ready for the sacrifice upon the altar of selfishness.

The outstanding fault in America today is that the average person thinks too much of "getting his bit" and too little of "doing his bit."

## "GOD BLESS AMERICA"

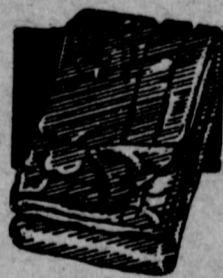
"God Bless America" is a dandy theme for a popular patriotic song, but do Americans have any right to expect His blessing?

A few weeks ago a minister in Dallas delivered a hard-hitting sermon on that subject. He cited statistics to show that the number of Americans who belong to and actually attend churches is much too low to merit the attention of God. "We like to call ourselves a Christian nation," he said, "but the figures show that the people of the United States are predominantly pagan and have no right to expect blessings from the Almighty."

The Dallas minister isn't the first person to advance that opinion. Representatives of practically every denomination, preachers, priests, and rabbis, hundreds of times in hundreds of places have tried to put the idea across, but with little apparent success. It's a case of the irresistible force and immovable object. The logic is perfect but is wasted on the spiritual deafness of modern complacency and materialism.

Poor church attendance is only one of the many unde-

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sirable characteristics. More faults are apparent in our normal every-day course of events. Graft, petty crookedness, falsehood and plain immorality are rampant in this country. Every precept of the decalogue is flagrantly violated, often as flagrantly advocated. People have lost respect for themselves, their neighbors and their Creator.

Is it surprising that things aren't going quite right? When a nation chooses to be guided by standards of expediency rather than a definite God-given code, it should, according to the dictates of common sense, expect to reap a harvest of human blunders instead of Divine blessing.

## Economic Highlights

The drive to amend, change or totally repeal the Neutrality Act will in all probability succeed — though there will be plenty of debate in Congress before the isolationist group of senators and representatives is finished with its opposition. And the fact that success is likely, is a striking indication of the tremendous change in American public opinion that has taken place in the last two years.

The Neutrality Act was passed at a time when the sentiment of this country was overwhelmingly opposed to direct or indirect intervention in the war. The bulk of the people felt that the war was purely Europe's business, and none of ours. For the most part, they hoped that Hitler would be defeated, but they didn't see any reason for spending their money, their resources, and perhaps their lives to beat him. They wanted to keep American ships and American citizens out of the war zones, and they wanted their country's foreign trade to be on a cash-and-carry basis, with foreign buyers taking their purchases home in their own ships.

The change that has taken place since those days is nothing short of revolutionary. Every poll shows that this country is now violently partisan — it wants to see Hitler licked to a standstill, and it is willing to do everything, except send another A. E. F. abroad, to achieve that end. The lend-lease bill went a long way toward making the Neutrality Act a dead letter, in that it threw the cash-and-carry principle overboard with scant ceremony. In all sections of the country, the polls indicate that the nation is strongly interventionist. Even in the Middle West, where isolationist sentiment is strongest, those who believe that this country's destiny will be largely decided by what happens to Hitler, have a heavy majority. In the East, South and Far West, isolationists are outnumbered by interventionists in a ratio of about eight to one.

The country's political leadership has done much to bring this about. When it comes to foreign policy, the views of Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Willkie are practically identical. Both are for all-out effort against the Axis — both are convinced that the

defeat of England would be ruinous to us in the long run. On top of that, the press of America, big and little, generally holds that it is no longer possible for us to disregard what goes on in Europe — that, whether we like it or not, our destiny is tied in with the destiny of the balance of the world. And the influential press and radio commentators are likewise interventionist almost without exception.

So far as amending the Neutrality Act is concerned, the main effort will be given to eliminating the stipulation that American ships cannot be armed and cannot enter war zones. Whether merchant ships can be given sufficient armament to do any good, is a moot point which is vigorously debated by both sides. Irrespective of that, it seems true that changing or amending the Act is primarily designed by the Administration and the Republican followers of Mr. Willkie, as a vital act of policy. In other words, it would place our cards on the table, and make our position absolutely clear to the whole world. That position can be stated in a sentence. "The U. S. is going to do everything in its power to lick the Axis, and all legal pretense of non-partisanship must be abandoned."

Strongest argument against changing the Neutrality Act is based on the belief that the arming of merchant ships and the entry of our vessels into combat waters would be the prelude to an all-out shooting war which, in time would make the sending of American troops abroad inevitable. Many of the backers of the interventionist policy are frankly urging a declaration of war by us against Germany now.

Mr. Willkie has called upon the members of his party in Congress to take the lead in amending or repealing the Neutrality Act. That shows the way the wind blows. The principal Republican newspapers, such as the New York Herald Tribune, are denouncing the members of

that party who still hold to the isolationist principals. The Democrats, with few exceptions, are following the President.

## CONNALLY PROPOSES BILL FOR RAISE IN TEXAS AGE PENSION

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Sen. Tom Connally of Texas introduced, in the Senate on October 6, a bill which would double the federal contribution toward Texas old age pension payments. This bill is in line with President Roosevelt's recent proposal to vary federal pension grants according to the per capita income of the States rather than on a fifty-fifty basis. This will enable the poorer states to receive proportionately a larger share of federal funds than that received by the richer states.

Under the present act the Federal government matches the Texas contribution dollar for dollar, but the proposed Connally bill the Federal government would contribute a little more than two dollars for every dollar contributed by the Texas Legislature. In other words, a \$45 Texas pension payment would be possible by the state contributing \$15.00 and the Federal government contributing the remainder. Heretofore the combined contributions of the Federal and Texas governments have totaled a little less than \$14.00, but with the same State contribution the total would be \$22.50 under the Connally bill. Under recent enactment of the Texas Legislature, if funds are available, the monthly payments from federal and state funds would amount to \$18.50, but under the Connally bill, with the same state contribution, the monthly payment would amount to \$27.50.

## CHECK BOLL WEEVILS BY DESTROYING COTTON STALKS 2 WEEKS EARLY

COLLEGE STATION—Destruction of 1941 cotton plants two weeks before the first frost would be the most valuable contribution to reducing boll weevil damage to the 1942 crop.

When it can be practiced, plants should be destroyed on as large an area as possible in order that the results may be of the greatest value, says Cameron Siddall, entomologist of the A&M College Extension Service. The objective of plant destruction is to deprive the weevils of a supply of food and force them into hibernation in a weakened starved condition. Many immature weevils remaining in late maturing bolls and squares also would be destroyed.

Under the most favorable conditions of soil and temperature only five to six percent of hibernating weevils survive the winter, Siddall explains.

For thorough destruction of the plants it is necessary to plow them up or cut them below the surface. This will prevent fall sprouting and fruiting of the cotton roots and this deprives the weevils of their only food supply up to the time they hibernate.

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## MOSAICS

*of Sacred Heart High*

Edited by Marie Swingle and David Lehnertz.

Seen in the library—New addition of several of Lucille Borden's works among which are "Silver Trumpeters Calling," and "Candlestick Makers"; also Rafael Sabatine's "Scaramauche," and "Captain Blood Returns"; Elizabeth Wharton's Pulitzer Prize Winner, "The Age of Innocence"; "Where the Blue Begins" by Christopher Morley and many others, too numerous to mention. Besides these we have a score of other fine books by Elizabeth Jordan, Father Hubbard, and Katherine Burton. We have also added to our copious supply of Encyclopedias, the new Standard American unit.

We wish to take this opportunity to express our thanks to Miss Helen Herr for her donation of nine books of fiction to the High School Library. We appreciate the outside interest taken in the growth of numbers of books.

Odd but True Department — We think that the pupils of the high school will no longer be surprised at anything now that they saw Sister Theresina's treasures after the exhibition on Monday. Her constant companions were three tiny mice that were put into a jar lined with hay, for the comfort of the sweet (?) little rodents. If Sister Theresina wishes to make mice adoption her hobby, we feel certain that many generous citizens can be found who will give their full cooperation to such a noble cause and let her raise them without any legal restrictions whatsoever, provided she keeps them under control and helps us check the mouse plague. Traps have been set in various places since one of the teachers came upon a mouse cotillon on Friday morning when she entered the classroom.

Besides having mice visitors in the school we had also a winged and feathered creature in the person of Mr. Woodpecker, or was it Mrs? In fact, he visited all of the classes of the school beginning with Sr. Agnes' German class and from there he went to the tenth grade religion class. It was during the sessions of Church History that he went through the incongruous formula of being captured in order to be set at liberty by Sr. Gerard's ninth grade. The poor fellow had fallen down and down the chimney until he could fall no lower until Billy Joe Miller came to the rescue and brought about his release. Can we wonder that all the animals become friendly when we have such a flourishing biology class in our school? Such an attraction it is! When a centipede makes his appearance at a session of the class, things do become interesting. For the sake of novelty he was put to sleep with a few drops of chloroform, and the class work resumed its regular proportions.

Our volley ball game with St. Mary's of Gainesville, proved most successful, last Wednesday. The scores were 15 to 3 and 16 to 15 in our favor. Our practice has slackened during the past weeks because of the rain.

Last Tuesday the Sacred Heart High boys were the victors in a basketball game between our local competitors. We wish to compliment our competitors on the sportsmanship in victory or defeat. Lately both teams have practiced a considerable amount and are showing improvement. On Wednesday another game is to take place, and both teams are looking forward to a victory.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl McKee of Dallas, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred McTaggart.

**AVOID EYE STRAIN**  
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Gainesville — Texas



This painting depicts Napoleon's retreat from Moscow, October 19, 1812. His forces reaching the Russian capital found it in flames as shown in the background of the picture. In trying to consolidate his forces and replenish supplies, deep winter took its toll of his men, and Russians, by their guerrilla warfare, almost annihilated his army. Today a similar fate might await Hitler, for news reports indicate monster tank battles are being fought on snow covered grounds in freezing temperatures. The Nazis admit the Moscow drive has been costly in manpower, and the supply lines are ever widening.

## School Daze

MUENSTER PUBLIC SCHOOL

Editors: Dossie Hamilton and Roy McDonald

We find listening a pleasure at the public school now, thanks to the school board for purchasing for us a new radio. We are listening to the "School of the Air", an educational classroom series for all grades. We encourage parents to listen at home each week day at 1:15 p. m.

Billy Ray Harmon gives us this bit of news from the How and Why Health Club. A party Friday afternoon honored the winners of the contest that had been going on between the two teams since the club was organized. Refreshments of hot chocolate and cookies were served and later a volley ball game between the boys and girls was played with the latter winning. Miss Wiedeman and Miss Jo Ann Roberg were special guests.

The Health Club elected new officers for the next contest. Lela Mae Center is president, J. L. Cole is vice-president and La Vetta Martin is secretary. The two new captains in the contest are Katherine Reeves and A. J. Huchtons. At the end of a six-weeks' period the losing side will treat the winners to a party.

Ho-hum . . . That terrible, disheartening six weeks is now behind us and we are dreading, but nevertheless looking forward to the day we receive our report cards to see how we fared during this first period.

One morning recently Billie Roberson walked into the classroom (before school) with a distinctive drag. When someone remarked, "You must have had a heavy date last night", she answered, "Yes, nearly a hundred pounds." Someone else spoke up with, "Well, I had a nightmare", and Billie replied, "Mine wasn't exactly a dream."

On Monday night October 20th, the County Women Teachers Exchange Club met in Gainesville and held an election of officers for the current school year. Among the elected are Miss Luke, secretary, and Miss Bradshaw, on the program committee.

## Postmaster General Will Speak On Defense Bonds Over National Network

An excellent opportunity to learn about the defense bond and stamp program will be offered next Tuesday night in the Treasury hour broadcast over NBC stations, according to report made this week by Postmaster Arthur Endres. An official communication from Washington advises that Postmaster General Frank Walker will deliver an educational speech designed to bring home to every American his responsibility in participating in the bond and stamp program, and the benefits to be derived from it. The hour of the program is between 7 and 8, Central Standard Time.

aunt, Mrs. J. A. Brown, at Gainesville Tuesday.

Miss Evelyn O'Conner is reported ill at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Will Sicking. She suffered an attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Belfew and children of Ada, Oklahoma, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Adress.

Miss Mary Frances Reid and Hayden Pittman of Sherman were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Aldridge.

Ray Hudson, Emmet Bates, Clyde Adress and A. E. Barnes attended the Masonic Home football game in Fort Worth Friday night.

Mrs. Herman Gay and sons of Abilene, and Mrs. A. D. Guy and children of Throckmorton, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Adress.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Adamson and sons of Dallas, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Needham. Mrs. Needham accompanied them home for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pryor and Mrs. Lon Blanton attended a birthday celebration of their cousin, Mrs. Albert Pipes, at her home in Decatur Saturday, October 15.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Barnes, Mrs. Albert Adress, Misses Bobby Biffle and Treba Lee Livingston and Bob Watson attended the Dallas Fair last Thursday.

Mrs. A. D. Eiland of Sherman, spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Emmet Bates. Mrs. Royce Bates of Sherman, spent Sunday here and her mother-in-law returned home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Wooten announce the birth of a daughter, Jane Claire, on October 16, in a Gainesville hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Wooten recently moved here. He is a teacher in the local school.

Nat Piott celebrated his 85th birthday Saturday at his home here. His daughters, Mrs. Harry Jones of Corpus Christi, Mrs. Zula Donald of Newsome, and Mr. and Mrs. George Piott of Denton, were present for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Portwood and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Si Foote and children, all of Hobart, Oklahoma, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Biffle. Mrs. Edd Duggan, who has been visiting in the Biffle home for the past month, returned home with her daughters.

Miss Maggie Huddleston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Huddleston, and Clarence Matthews of Gainesville, were married Saturday afternoon by Rev. J. D. Rowland at his home in Gainesville. Mr. and Mrs. Matthews are making their home in that city.

## PAUL YOSTEN HONORED WITH FAREWELL PARTY

A farewell party was given last Wednesday evening honoring Paul Yosten who left Friday to enter selective service. The affair was held at the home of the honoree's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Yosten, with Mrs. Yosten and daughter, Miss Dorothy Mae, as hostesses.

## MYRA BAPTIST WMS HAS MISSION PROGRAM

The WMS of the Myra Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. Albert Adress Monday afternoon. A mission program on South America was led by Mrs. John Blanton.

Appearing on the program were Mesdames Fred McTaggart, C. J. Tuggle, Parker Fears, A. E. Barnes, John Blanton and Albert Adress.

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## Blessed Events

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberg of Gainesville are the parents of a daughter born at a Gainesville sanitarium Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Quinlan of Amarillo announce the birth of a five-pound daughter at a hospital in that city on Oct. 16. Mrs. Quinlan is the former Miss Dorothy Fette of this city. She and the baby were reported as "doing just fine."

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Endres of Gainesville announce the birth of a son at the Muenster clinic Monday. The baby was named Clifford Werner at baptism the following day. Father Frowin administered the sacrament, assisted by the child's grandparents, Mrs. John Walter and W. H. Endres, as sponsors.

## Myra News

MRS. JOHN BLANTON  
Correspondent

Mrs. Emmet Bates was in Wichita Falls Monday on a shopping trip.

Ernest Biffle and son, J. T., made a business trip to Dallas Thursday.

Doty Warner of Fort Riley, Kansas, is here on a fifteen-day furlough.

Mrs. Oscar Aldridge visited here

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## LINN HD CLUB ELECTS PLANS ACHIEVEMENT DAY

The election of officers for another year and the completion of plans for the annual Achievement Day program took place during the regular meeting of the Linn Home Demonstration club last Tuesday afternoon.

Officers elected are: Mrs. Ben Sicking, president by re-election; Miss Rose Sicking, vice-president; Mrs. Darrell McCool, secretary by re-election; Mrs. Selby Fielder, council delegate; Mrs. Jack Biffle, reporter; Mrs. Selby Fielder, yard improvement demonstrator and Mrs. Gus Sicking, food supply demonstrator.

Achievement Day will take place on the 28th of this month. It was decided that members will gather at the home of Mrs. Ben Sicking and inspect her food supply and home improvements, then go to Mrs. Darrell McCool's home which has been newly decorated and then view Mrs.

Fielder's yard and yard improvements, after which the group will have lunch.

Following business a Halloween game was enjoyed and bingo played. Prizes were won by Mrs. Selby Fielder and Mrs. Gus Sicking. Miss Rose Sicking won the door prize.

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**Lindsay News**

F. J. Bengfort made a business trip to Rusk Monday.

Mrs. Julius Loerwald is visiting in Scotland with her mother this week.

Fred Mosman left for Dallas Tuesday to spend some time with his children in that city.

No. 1 solid, large, fancy lettuce only 5 cents at Hoelker Grocery. (Adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. Al Bezner have gone to Arizona to visit her mother and other relatives.

Leo Neusch and Walter Loerwald visited in Fort Worth Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberg of Gainesville announce the birth of a girl at Gainesville sanitarium Monday. Mrs. Roberg is the former Miss Loretta Loerwald of this city.

See us for Irish Potatoes. Idaho Russets priced at \$1.99 per 100 pounds. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv.)

Mrs. Raymond Zimmerer underwent an operation at St. Vincent's hospital in Sherman Tuesday morning and was reported doing as well as could be expected.

Two doves will buy 2 pound of delicious Eatmor cranberries at Hoelker Grocery. (Adv.)

Father Herman Laux of Rhine-land, spent several days of the week here with his parents and with Father Conrad. He is making plans for a big parish picnic in his community on the 27th of this month.

Tender fresh meats. Round steak 25c per pound; seven steak 24c; roast 23c; hamburger 20c; stew meat 18c per pound. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv.)

Miss Lauri Alice Geray, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at Gainesville, was sufficiently recovered to be moved to the home of her mother, Mrs. Frank Geray, Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Bezner and son, Pvt. Joe Bezner, Jr., of Camp Bowie, who spent his furlough here, and Mrs. H. S. Fuhrmann visited Saturday and Sunday in Coleman, Okla., with Mrs. Henry Leub and also visited relatives in Tishomingo.

Eggs are needed for defense. Get more eggs with Fant's Laying Mash. Defense needs can't wait until you build larger flocks, so get more eggs out of your present flock. Insist on Fant's. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv.)

Al Schad is reported recovering from an illness that confined him to bed during the past week. His mother, Mrs. John Schad, spent from Sunday to Tuesday at his bedside. Little Charles and Theresa Schad accompanied her home for a visit, and little Mary Margaret Schad is visiting her grandparents in Muenster.

**LINDSAY SCHOOL NEWS**

The reporter found getting the news from the "kiddies" if the primary room interesting and very amusing. It would seem that the first and second grades, with exactly six couples in each class, were made to order. Yes, there's lots of competition among these little folks. The big race of 100's is coming to an end, and everyone is eager to know who will come out first. With twenty-six 100's to his credit, Rudolph Dieter is in the lead followed



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SEATTLE, WASH. — President William Green (left), of the American Federation of Labor, and Edward Flore, (right), of Buffalo, N. Y., exchange congratulations at the A. F. of L. convention here. Green was re-elected to head the federation and Flore defeated George Browne for the 11th vice presidency.

The ceremony was repeated the following day at Electra. A number of Muensterites were included in the Gainesville class.

**Confetti---**

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...pound low it pulls one plow bottom with the greatest of ease.

Talk about system in flirtation, grandma had it down pat, according to an expose found in an exchange. Maybe she was, as they say, a little more bashful than the modern girl, but the signals she had were more than sufficient to offset the difference.

Her favorite device — or weapon — was the handkerchief. When she drew it across her lips she wished to make an acquaintance. Drawing it across her eyes meant "I am sorry." Dropping the handkerchief was good for lots of occasions. If she twirled her handkerchief it meant indifference while "I love you" was expressed by drawing the hanky across her cheek. When the handkerchief was drawn through the hand it usually meant "I hate you" but resting the handkerchief against the right cheek meant "yes." The left cheek "no." If grandma folded her handkerchief she "wished to talk with you." Waving the handkerchief over her shoulder meant "follow me." "We are watched" was signalled when it was drawn across her forehead. When grandma was having an innocent flirtation while grandma was working, she wrapped her handkerchief around her third finger and the boy at the next table sipping soda through a straw knew that she was married and then when grandma put her handkerchief into her pocket it meant that the "jig was up" and no more signals. At the dinner table, playing with a fork in various ways also served as signals. Boy, who said grandma had a dull time as a girl!

**Seven From Here Attend Dallas Diocese Retreat**

Seven persons from this city are included in the attendance at the annual diocesan retreats in Dallas. Last weekend Joe Fisher, Sr., John Fisher and R. R. Endres attended sessions for men and this weekend Mesdames J. B. Wilde, Henry Pette, R. R. Endres and Frank Seyler will attend the women's retreat. The local ladies, on their drive to Dallas Friday, are to be joined at Lindsay by Mrs. John Bezner.

**Pastors and Local Class Take Part In Confirmation Rites**

Most Rev. Albert L. Fletcher, D. D., V. G., Auxiliary Bishop of Little Rock, Ark., confirmed a large class of children and converts in St. Mary's church, Gainesville, on Monday morning. He also delivered an inspiring sermon on "Confirmation, the Sacrament of the Holy Spirit." His Excellency was accompanied by Rev. Robert Forliti, vice-chancellor of the Dallas diocese. The Rev. John P. Brady, pastor, sang the high mass. Father Conrad of Lindsay and Father Frowin acted as chaplains to the Most Rev. Bishop, and Father Richard was master-of ceremonies.

Following the services the Bishop and accompanying clergy visited in this city with the pastors and the Benedictine Sisters. The Bishop is the spiritual director of the Benedictine motherhouse in Arkansas. At three o'clock Father Richard joined them on a trip to Henrietta where the sacrament was also administered.

**Crippled By Bristle of Highway Sweeping Brush**

Jimmy Lehnertz expects to be crippled for the next week or two as a result of running one "bristle" of a highway sweeping brush almost completely through his right foot. The article is a thin piece of spring steel about 5 inches long and about the thickness of an ordinary nail. Lehnertz sustained his injury while walking across the highway near his filling station about 9 o'clock Tuesday night. The spike was partly imbedded in the pavement with its sharp point sticking out at an angle. He took an anti-tetanus serum at the local clinic a few minutes after the accident and spent a sleepless Tuesday night. He was resting somewhat easier Wednesday.

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**FOR YOUR HEALTH'S SAKE DO NOT RUSH THROUGH YOUR MEAL**

The last twenty years or more speed has been one of the dominant factors in American life. Today, because of the tremendous defense needs, assembly-line technique, whenever possible, has been injected into all activities connected with the emergency. Thus, more than ever, speed is being emphasized in the nation's life. Plainly, the need of conserving health and strength in the face of present demands is greater than ever before. It follows that "to make haste slowly" in the art of living, at this time not only is basic good sense but patriotic also. One of the worst violations of this common sense rule is the habit many persons have of more or less bolting their food," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"This 'hasty lunch' psychology is rather general. The speedily swallowed breakfast is followed by the equally speedy lunch. For many, this momentum carries through the evening meal so that it also is disposed of in record time. It is little wonder, then, that solid food often is insufficiently masticated, that self-prescribed pills for a variety of gastrointestinal discomforts are popular and that in extreme cases definite illness develops.

"Of course, time and custom have changed many things, including eating habits. But the point is that nature does not change; while marvellously elastic, she still has her limits as well as punishments for those who persistently disobey. Consequently, the wise person if now a speed-eater, will realize that to take a few minutes more time per meal and to chew food thoroughly that needs chewing are just as essential as are the quality and type of food consumed.

"Bad as speedy eating may be in the case of adults, grown-ups only have themselves or the trend of the times to blame. However, the proposition is different when children are concerned. Youngsters are prone to swallow hastily anything. Chewing to them is a secondary process, and therefore must be definitely encouraged. When the time has arrived for the use of hard food (and that time is at the beginning of the teething period) the baby should be given dry toast, swivelback, or a bread crust. The masticating function must be encouraged daily. If sound teeth and sturdy supporting tissue are to be formed. Moreover, emphasis on adequate mastication should be maintained throughout

childhood both for proper growth and general health.

"In short, everyone should realize that whether with respect to the young or the adult, speedy eating with its inevitable accompaniment of insufficient mastication is a practice which can give rise to conditions that in varying degrees deprive one of maximum health, and sometimes is directly responsible for even greater penalties. The practice, therefore, should be discontinued," concludes Doctor Cox.

**COUNTY 4-H GIRLS WILL HOLD ANNUAL PICNIC NEXT SUNDAY**

All Muenster 4-H Club girls are invited to attend the annual Club Picnic to be held next Saturday, October 25, beginning at 10 a. m. Announcement of the forthcoming event was made by Miss Nette Shultz, county agent, last week.

An interesting program has been arranged for the day. A sing-song of two patriotic selections will open the program, after which the club pledge will be repeated by the assemblage. Miss Sarah Pearl Davis, county gold star girl, will address the girls, telling of the high lights of her trip to Washington. Miss Letta Gregory will talk on how 4-H Club members can show their appreciation for help given them by sponsors, and Mrs. C. J. Robb will respond with what sponsors can do to promote more interest in 4-H club work.

Recommendations of a yearbook committee for 1942 books will be discussed by Miss Kathryn Porter and a demonstration on bead making will be given by Dolores Lehnertz, Zelma Ruth Martin and Bonnie Lea Copeland. The awarding of the gold star for 1940 will conclude the program and a picnic dinner and recreational games will follow.

Enterprise Ads Bring Results!

Great Aunt—"Have you a bit of your grandmother's lace to wear with your wedding gown, my dear?"  
Bride—"No, but I'm carrying grandma's cigarette case."

"Mamma," said her little six-year-old daughter, "please button my dress."

"You'll have to do it yourself, dear," was the reply. "Mother's too busy."

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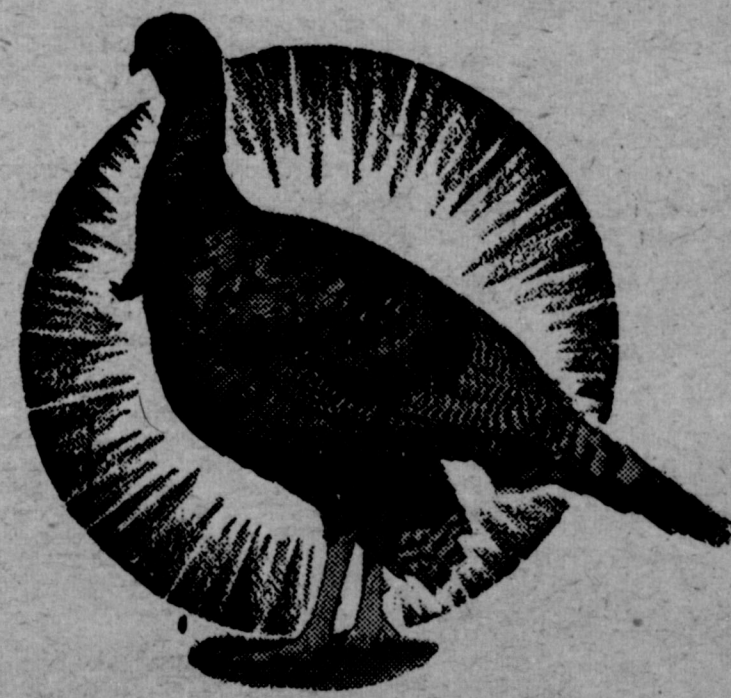
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