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## Now The Real Leans And Real Fats -- Not A Game But A Show

Muenster is a very unusual town. All the way up and down the main drag, in practically every business house, you can find men ready to brag their heads off about its progressiveness. Many a visitor coming to town has heard about advancements here during the past fifteen years—how it grew steadily through those hard times when other small towns were going to ruin, how it weathered the depression without asking for relief, how it expanded in business and civic improvements.

They could go farther and admit that Muenster's progress has been especially amazing because it has had so little benefit of civic interest on the part of the very ones who should have been most active.

Let's see! What have the men in this town done? They watched with interest while a group of farmers organized and developed a thriving dairy industry. They cheerfully noted through the past decade and a half that oil field development has been a wonderful blessing to their business. In fact they just let the town grow of its own accord. As individuals many of them have made notable improvements. The city council, too, has done fairly well. But as an organized group of civic and business boosters, the men here have done very very little.

There was a time, we recall, when a Chamber of Commerce existed. For a while it was quite alive, then, all of a sudden, it was no more. Its last act of consequence was to draw up a five-year plan of civic and business improvement. In doing so it aroused the interest of several ladies, and today's Civic League and Garden Club is the result. It would seem as though the last act of the Chamber of Commerce was to turn the town over to the ladies.

There is a point the men ought to remember when we're talking up the town. Women are entitled to the credit for what civic activity is going on here. The men aren't even playing second fiddle—they're not making any music at all.

It's about time for an awakening of masculine pride. There are a lot of things the men around here could do—and if they handled their jobs as successfully as the women here handled cemetery and home improvement projects, the results would be more than sufficient compensation for their efforts.

Some of the live wires ought to get their heads together and organize, and start working seriously on a definite program. It doesn't make any difference what name they pick for themselves. They can carry on as a revived Chamber of Commerce. Or if they don't like that, call it the Lambs' Club, Rinkydinks, or anything else. The important thing is to do something, if possible as much as the women, toward making this a better town.

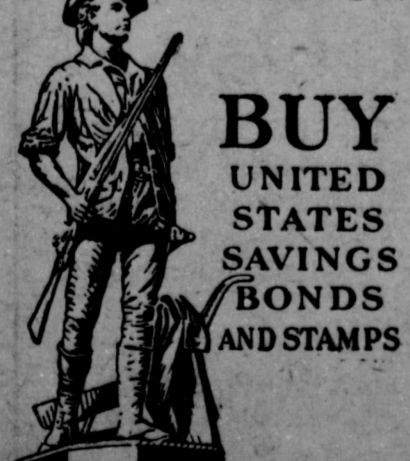
Herr Goebels' propaganda boys evidently thought they were getting our goats when they pretended to approve FDR's comparison of the Nazi machine with a rattlesnake. "According to the Encyclopedia Britannica," a radio speaker said, "it is not easy to provoke a rattlesnake, but once provoked, the snake defends itself stubbornly." This is just fine. Everybody is pleased with the term. Let the Nazis kid themselves into thinking it is a compliment, and the rest of the world retains the old opinion—that snakes, like Nazis, are utterly contemptible.

It has been said that there isn't a business in this country that could survive if managed by Congress. Seems a little cynical but easy enough to believe in the light of certain policies. It doesn't seem like sound business, for instance, to take a man who couldn't earn \$1500 a year in competitive business and set him up in a soft job for three or four times that figure. Nor does it seem like sound business to maintain highly complicated systems of red tape or to sponsor hundreds of unnecessary expensive projects.

Of course the government isn't completely responsible. We have a

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## FOR DEFENSE



BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

ON SALE AT YOUR POST OFFICE OR BANK

Scheduled as the outstanding farce of this season's softball calendar is the Fat and Lean contest for Sunday night, September 28, 7:30 p. m. at the local ball park. It is being promoted by Father Richard Ewold as a benefit game for the new church fund.

Cooperating with the program, which is offered as a community-wide entertainment, Mayor Ben Seyler has proclaimed next Sunday as Fat and Lean Day and authorized blocking off the streets adjoining the ball park to provide adequate parking space.

A curtain lifter for the evening's program is a game between Muenster and Batcher girls. As a softball game it is due to be far better than the main show. Both of the girls teams have been playing well in previous contests.

The lineup's the thing in the Fat-Lean event. People who attend the game will be there to see several dozen old timers make themselves ridiculous, not to see a ball game. More than sixty persons have already agreed to enter the game and more are expected to join in. The general idea is to relieve players after an inning or two and thereby avoid some of the soreness that plagued the town after similar contests last year.

Recruits signed up for the Fats up to Wednesday are Herman Luttmier (captain); Joe, Henry and Ferd Luttmier, Al Lawrence and Ray Vogel, John Fette, Ben Sicking, F. J. Yosten, John Streng, John Hess, Alf Schumacher, A. C. Stelzer, John Albers, John Fisher, Herman Bindel, Henry Luke, Joe Parker, Tom Carter, Paul Nieball, Jake Pagel, Felix Becker, J. M. Weinzapfel, Herbert Meurer, John Bayer, Matt Mueller, William Richter, Joe Hesse, Al Kleiss, Otto Walterscheid, Leo Rohmer, Roy Endres, Leo Henschel.

The Leans are Theo Miller (captain), Al John and Bruno Fleitman, Joe and John Kleiss, John Haverkamp, John Klement, Albert Knabe, H. P. Hennigan, Al and Meinrad Hesse, G. H. Hellman, F. J. Trubebach, John Wieler, Shorty Herr, Ferd Yosten, Albert Dangelmayr, Victor Hartman, Frank Bayer, Henry Wolf, Arnold Mueller, Al Wiesman, Stan Yosten, Walter Luttmier, W. H. Endres, John Otto, Alphonse Hoenig, Tony Gremmlinger, Earl Fisher, Al Walterscheid.

## CITY'S WATER LOSS IN 8 LEAKS IS HALF MILLION GALLONS

Repairs on city water pipes are again under way at eight locations discovered Monday and Tuesday by leak detecting apparatus borrowed from the city of Dallas. With the aid of very sensitive instruments operators found the leaks by listening for the faint hissing sound characteristic of escaping water.

The method is to drive an iron rod down to contact with the water main. The faint sound coming through the rod passes through an amplifier and is heard distinctly through earphones. Estimated monthly water loss through the leaks discovered is 400,000 to 500,000 gallons, Mayor Ben Seyler stated.

Little by little the city hopes to eliminate practically all its loss by replacing the packing in defective joints with more durable material, Seyler said. At the time Muenster's system was installed the accepted packing was lead wool, which was crammed into the joints. Since then it has been discovered that melted lead poured into the joints is more serviceable. The later system is being used in the repair work.

## Hays School Moved; To Be Ready in Time For Eight Months Course

Reconstruction of the Hays school, after moving it to a point four miles east of the old location, is well under way this week and will probably advance fast enough to permit the opening of school by October 6, according to word received here. No time is being lost, however, because it had previously been declared that the school term would last only eight months. Beginning a month late, it will close along with the nine-month schools.

The remodeled building will serve a large consolidated district which formerly consisted of Hays, Van Slyke, Wolf Ridge and Spring Hill.

Several children from the west end of the Hays district have transferred to Muenster to take advantage of the local school's nine-month course. The Muenster public school's enrollment at present is 62.

Mrs. Otto Waldrip and baby son, who have been visiting her brother, Lee Jennings and family, left Sunday to spend some time in Nacoma with relatives and will be back here for another visit before returning to her home in Oklahoma.



Berlin said on Sunday, Sept. 21 that Crimea was isolated by a drive across the Dnieper at Berislav to the Sea of Azov as indicated on map. A German communique claimed Nazi forces of their east and west armies have encircled Kiev, which was substantially correct as official Moscow admitted abandoning Kiev to the Germans as late as Monday morning.

## WPA Says Work On Sewer Project Will Be Resumed Oct. 1

The prospect to complete Muenster's sewer installation is due to begin October 1, according to a report received by Mayor Ben Seyler from J. D. Morgan, district WPA supervisor at Dallas.

An appropriation of \$11,303 to complete the sewer had been granted by WPA during May but work had to be postponed because of a shortage of WPA labor. Until now this county's allotment of relief workers were kept busy on other projects of the county.

Approximately a mile of sewer line serving ten per cent of the city's possible connections is to be installed on the supplementary project. The original project fell short by that amount principally because the relief agency had failed to furnish the full quota of workers and too large a percentage of the fund was dissipated by administrative procedure. Acknowledging that circumstance, WPA officials recommended that the city apply for a sufficiently high grant to defray all future construction cost. The application was approved without change. As a result the city expects very little expense, if any, in completing its sewer.

## 'Buck' Knabe Slightly Hurt Monday Night in Crash Near Whitesboro

William "Buck" Knabe is suffering slightly from minor injuries sustained in an automobile crash between Gainesville and Whitesboro about sundown Monday. Three ribs were fractured, a knee is bruised and a hand is cut.

Buck was traveling west on the highway when a car and trailer made a left turn ahead of him. With another coming from the opposite direction, which prevented his swerving into the clear, and too little time to stop, he deliberately chose the trailer. The entire right front of his car was demolished. As his car bounced from the trailer it was partially in the path of the hit car, which hit it a light, glancing blow.

The third car was Arnold Miller's, and his damage consisted of a bent fender and a bent wheel. After changing to his spare he was ready to go.

## LOCAL GROCERS ATTEND GAINESVILLE MEETING

Jake Pagel, John and Joe Fisher, Martin Klement and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hofbauer attended a meeting of grocers, their wives and employees of the Gainesville trade area Tuesday evening in the Gainesville junior high school auditorium.

More than 200 persons were present and heard an address by W. M. Clark of Dallas, president of the Texas Retail Grocers association, who discussed problems of immediate interest to grocers.

## BARUCH URGES PRICE CURB



WASHINGTON, D. C. — Bernard M. Baruch, who headed the War Industries Board during World War No. 1, urged Congress to put a ceiling over the whole price structure including wages, rents, and farm prices. Baruch, who appeared before the House Banking and Currency Committee advanced a much more drastic price control bill than that planned by the Administration. Photo shows left to right: Rep. Albert Gore of Tenn., Paul Brown of Ga., Rep. Brent Spence of Ky., Rep. Clyde Williams of Mo., Chairman of the Committee Rep. Henry B. Steagall of Ala., and Bernard Baruch.

## Parochial Takes Lead In Athletic Competition With Public School

The parochial school youngsters are taking all the glory in the first contests of their year's interscholastic athletic program with the public school.

In the first football game to be played by either of the two schools, the academy lads won 6 to 0 Wednesday. Because of a lack of proper equipment, the touch-tackle system was put into effect to avoid injuries. Virgil Leo Welch, referee, said it was a good, interesting game and there will be more of them.

Volleyball at the two schools also got started Wednesday with the parochial girls winning the first and third heats. The arrival of two more girls in high school brightens the Muenster Hi volleyball prospect somewhat. There are now enough for a team and a slight chance to make a mark in county competition.

## Mgr. Dangelmayr Back To Dallas After Recovering From Accident Injuries

Monsignor A. Dangelmayr returned to Dallas Monday to resume his duties as chancellor of the Dallas diocese after spending several months here with his parents recovering from an automobile accident.

The accident, in which he was severely injured, occurred in February and he had been here since May when he was released from the hospital. He spent a few weeks of last month in Santa Fe, N. M., with friends.

## OUT-OF-TOWN RELATIVES ATTEND SATURDAY FUNERAL

Among out-of-town relatives and friends at the funeral of Edward Streng Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Streng and children and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Streng of Modesto, Calif.; Mrs. Mary Streng and son, Frank, and Clarence Monesi, of Shiner; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Prescher and family of Scotland; Mr. and Mrs. John Nehib and family of Gainesville; Misses Pauline and Agnes Nehib of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Knight of Thackerville; Lawrence Streng, Steve Moster and F. E. Schmitz of Gainesville and Joe Schmitz of Lindsay.

## Man Who Shot Edward Streng Kills Himself

John Sharp Found Dead; Coroner Renders Suicide Verdict After Special Investigation

The death of John M. Sharp, 38, who was charged with firing the shot that proved fatal to Edward Streng, has been officially pronounced a suicide by Coroner H. T. Schafer Jr., of Gainesville. Verdict was based on the report of an investigator of the State Department of Public Safety.

Only a few minutes after Streng's death in a Gainesville hospital last Thursday morning, Sharp's body was discovered in bed at his home six miles west of Gainesville. A bullet wound was in the top of his head and a .22 calibre pistol with one empty shell lay across his chest. He appeared to have been dead about 10 or 12 hours.

Sharp had been released from Love county, Oklahoma jail the preceding Tuesday on a \$3,000 cash bond made by an uncle, E. L. Kibler, after a charge of assault with intent to kill had been filed against him in connection with a tavern disturbance that ended in the shooting of Streng.

Wednesday, Sharp was said to be deeply concerned over the regrettable affair and retired to his small home some distance from the Kibler home at an early hour. His body was found the following morning.

Coroner Schafer, considering the position of the wound and the position of the discharged gun, declined to give a verdict until a more thorough investigation was made. The state officer who was called in reported Monday, after laboratory examinations, that nitrates found on a paraffin test of Sharp's hands indicated he had recently fired a gun. Also the absence of nitrates in the wound, along with the presence of blood on the end of the pistol barrel, indicated that the gun was in close contact with the victim's head when fired.

Sharp was buried at 2 o'clock Saturday in Reed cemetery.

## Final Service For Edward Streng Held Here Saturday A.M.

Funeral services for Edward C. Streng, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Streng, were held in the Sacred Heart church Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, the Rev. Frowin Koerd officiating at the requiem mass and at the burial in Sacred Heart cemetery.

Pallbearers were six cousins, Ed Nehib, Steve Moster and Lawrence Streng of Gainesville, Frank Streng of Shiner, and Joe Streng and Tony Nehib of Muenster. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Nick Miller.

Streng died Thursday morning of a bullet wound received during an altercation the preceding Saturday night in an Oklahoma tavern.

The deceased was born here on March 10, 1920 and lived in this community most of his life, receiving his education in the local school. During recent years he has been engaged principally in farm work and oil field work.

Survivors, in addition to his parents are four brothers, Joe and Bill of Modesto, Calif.; and John and Paul of Muenster; also three sisters, Mrs. Frank Schilling and Evelyn Streng of Muenster and Marie Streng of Dallas.

## QUOTA MAY GET YOU IF YOU OVERPLANT WHEAT FOR '42 CROP

Since wheat farmers will vote in a national referendum next spring to decide on marketing quotas, Cooke county wheat farmers should consider their acreage allotments when seeding their 1942 crop. J. T. Biffle Jr., chairman of the Cooke County AAA Committee, said this week.

If quotas are approved by a two-thirds vote, farmers planting within 1942 wheat allotments will be able to sell the entire crop without penalty, but farmers exceeding allotments will be required to pay a penalty of 50 per cent of the national loan rate on all wheat defined as "Excess" wheat under marketing quotas, Mr. Biffle explained.

In the event quotas are voted down next spring, a government loan will not be made since marketing quotas protect loan collateral, the AAA official explained. Loans at 85 per cent of parity are in effect on this year's crop since quotas were given a favorable vote in a national referendum earlier in the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bennis and family, who resided in the Linn community, have moved to Cisco to make their home.

## LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Short Items of Interest About Folks You Know  
 ROSABELL DRIEVER, Society Editor

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Stelzer of Henrietta visited relatives here during the weekend.

Alois Walter had his tonsils removed at the local clinic last Wednesday and has recovered.

The Jake Horn Jr. home is being favored with a fresh coat of paint this week.

Re-papering and remodeling work was done at the Darrell McCool home during the week.

Miss Marie Steng of Dallas is here for an indefinite stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steng.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stelzer spent Sunday in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luebert and Mrs. Anna Havis.

John Wieler and Buddy Bernauer, accompanied by Joe Schmitz of Lindsay, made a business trip to Fort Worth Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Hope of Fort Worth and Miss Catherine Seyler of Dallas spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Frank Seyler.

Miss Loretta Rohmer of Dallas was here Sunday to spend the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rohmer.

Miss Theresa Strigel and John Phillips of Dallas spent Sunday here visiting Miss Marie Steng and Mrs. Frank Schilling.

Miss Virginia Gehrig of Fort Worth is spending this week of her vacation with members of her family in Muenster.

Miss Rita Swirczynski has returned from Emporia, Kan., where she spent several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Alex Knauf and family.

A number of relatives and friends joined Mrs. Joe Bayer at her home Thursday for an all-day quilting party.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Walterscheid is recovering this week from a severe case of illness.

Little Jackie Newton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Newton, had his tonsils removed at the local clinic Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gaston of Washington, D. C., visited last week with

her sister, Mrs. Selby Fielder and family.

Sgt. Alfred Walter of San Francisco, Calif., arrived this week to spend a month's furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Walter and family.

John Schilling left Wednesday to spend a week in Pilot Point with his daughter, Mrs. Joe Palzel and family. S. Lawson accompanied him to Pilot Point to spend the one day.

Shorty Herz was at Grand Prairie Tuesday attending a district meeting of Ford dealers and preview of the new Ford, which will make its appearance next weekend.

Bernard Huchtons of Hobbs, New Mexico, spent from Saturday to Wednesday with the Joe Fisher family and other relatives and friends. He will enter selective service on the 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Detten and two children returned to their home in Amarillo Thursday following a week's visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lutkenhaus, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Carter had as guests Tuesday night and Wednesday her brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gray and little daughter, Barbara Faye, of Fargo, North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fleitman and children, Miss Elizabeth and Tony, accompanied by Mrs. Henry Walterscheid, spent Sunday in Pilot Point as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alois Pels.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Hoedebeck and son moved Tuesday to occupy the home of Mrs. Bill Gehrig. The house vacated, belonging to George Gehrig, is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stoffels.

Leo Haverkamp spent Thursday in Wichita Falls and was accompanied home by his cousin, Miss Helen Wiseman, who stayed here until Saturday to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Theo Wiseman, and other relatives.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Horn Jr. were Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Schmitz of Gainesville, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zimmerer and daughter of Lindsay, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walterscheid and son.

Gus Strauss of Austin, who addressed the Knights of the Sixth District at Gainesville Sunday afternoon, was the Saturday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Meurer and the over-night guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steng and children, George William and Lillian Ann, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steng returned to their homes in Modesto, Calif., Wednesday after being here for the funeral of their brother and remaining to visit relatives.

Frank Hoedebeck and Jake Pagel appeared as witnesses before a federal grand jury in Dallas Friday to testify in a case in connection with an alleged theft of a parcel post package in Montague county some time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Graf visited relatives here Tuesday. They were concluding their honeymoon and were en route to Bay City to make their home. The couple was married recently at Guthrie, Okla. She is the former Miss Catherine Fisch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Fisch.

Ed Cler went to Arlington last week to enroll at A. & M. college for an aeronautics course. He expects to be there until the first of the year. Mrs. Cler has been nursing at River County hospital in Clarksville. She is spending this week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hoehn.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Schenk had as their guest Saturday and Sunday her brother, Casper (Charlie) Dolle, of Chicago, Ill. Mr. Dolle enjoyed visiting old friends and renewing old acquaintances. He is one of Muenster's pioneer residents, residing here from 1890 to 1900. A contractor by trade, Mr. Dolle will spend the next nine months at Parsons, Kansas, supervising the building of a shell loading plant in the national defense program.

### FOOD AND FOOD HABITS TOPIC AT LINN CLUB MEET

The Linn Home Demonstration club met for a regular session at the home of Mrs. Bob Steadham Tuesday afternoon with ten members present. The meeting opened with the club prayer and pledge and a poem by President Mrs. Ben Sicking who presided.

Business consisted of questions and answers on enriched bread and flour and on good food habits for children. Later games were played with prizes going to Miss Willie Sowder, Mrs. Darrell McCool and Miss Rose Sicking.

Members also discussed their annual achievement day program and decided to make plans for the event at their next meeting on October 14 in the home of Mrs. Darrell McCool.

### MRS. ALBERT STOFFELS IS HONOREE AT ST. JO PARTY

Mrs. Albert Stoffels, the former Miss Willa Sinton of Saint Jo, was the honor guest at a party given in that city last week in the home of Mrs. Dwight Kennedy. Appropriate games were followed with the presentation of many lovely gifts to the honoree, and refreshments were served to eighteen guests.

### W. P. BRATCHERS OBSERVE 5th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bratcher entertained at their home Friday evening in observance of their fifth wedding anniversary. The party rooms were attractively decorated with late summer flowers and guests enjoyed progressive 42 series. A delicious refreshment course was served from a table centered with a large anniversary cake inscribed with "Bill and Wilma". The guests, who remembered Mr. and Mrs. Bratcher with gifts for the occasion, were Messrs. and Mesdames Gene Carter, J. M. Cook, J. B. Wilde and R. L. McNelly, Misses Edith Mae Rhodes and Peggy Carter and Roy Endres Jr.

### MRS. JOHNNY FISHER IS PARTY HONOREE WEDNESDAY

Mesdames Eton and Orin Edelen were hostesses for a lovely party in the latter's home Wednesday afternoon honoring Mrs. Johnny (Carmita) Fisher.

The party rooms were decorated in the pink, blue and white theme, and these colors were repeated in favors, refreshments and the wrapping of gifts that were presented to the honoree.

The guest list included fifty-three friends of the honoree.

### ALL-DAY PICNIC GIVEN SUNDAY BY CHOIR MEMBERS

Sunday was an enjoyable day for members of the church choir, their families and guests. The group of approximately 75 persons spent the day on a picnic and outing at Waples-Painter's club house north of Gainesville.

At noon a sumptuous dinner was served picnic style and during the afternoon card games, 42 series, group singing and other informal diversion entertained the crowd.

### AUGUST REITERS OBSERVE 46th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. August Reiter observed their 46th wedding anniversary last Wednesday at their home with a family reunion party and covered dish luncheon. Their children and grandchildren planned the affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Reiter were married in Arkansas on September 17, 1895, and came to Muenster about six years later. She was Miss Mary Walter before her marriage. They are the parents of thirteen children and

have 38 grandchildren.

Since residing in Muenster, Mr. Reiter has engaged in farming and livestock.

Present for the party in addition to their children of this city, were Mr. and Mrs. Tony Reiter and family of Krum; Messrs. and Mesdames Albert Klement and Henry Luttmer and their families of Gainesville and Mr. and Mrs. Al Reiter and children of Era.

### MRS. HENNIGAN ENTERTAINS FOR CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

Mrs. H. P. Hennigan was hostess at the monthly social for Catholic Daughters of America Tuesday evening. She entertained in the K of C hall.

Progressive 42 series furnished diversion for the guests and were concluded with the presentation of a pair of embroidered pillow cases to Mrs. J. B. Wilde for scoring high. Mrs. W. H. Endres was consoled with a linen handkerchief and the door prize, a crystal bowl, was won by Mrs. Joe Swirczynski.

After the games Mrs. Hennigan, assisted by her daughters, Misses Rose and Mary Nell, served an ice course to sixteen members.

### MARY ANN LUKE HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY SUNDAY

Little Miss Mary Ann Luke observed her eighth birthday Sunday with a party for 10 guests. Miss Elfreda Luke, sister of the honoree, directed appropriate games and contests for the youngsters during the afternoon, and served birthday cake with other refreshments to the group.

### NUPTIAL RITES AT PILOT POINT UNITE KNABE-SPRENGEL

A pretty church wedding took place Monday morning at 8:30 in St. Thomas church at Pilot Point to unite Miss Frances Sprengel of that city and Albert Knabe of Muenster. Rev. Paul Charcut, pastor, read the ceremony and officiated at the nuptial high mass in the presence of a large assemblage of relatives and friends from both cities.

Ed Blumberg, organist, played the wedding march and assisted the church choir, under the direction of Andrew Flusche, in rendering music for the mass.

The bride wore a lovely white floor-length frock. It was fashioned with a basque taffeta bodice and a very full skirt of silk net over satin. The sleeves of net and taffeta combined were wrist length and the neck was heart shaped. The bridal veil of

net was worn with an orange blossom wreath and fell into a short, graceful train. The bride carried an arm bouquet of white roses and fern and as a bit of sentiment for "something blue" used a blue velvet ribbon bow to adorn the neckline of her dress.

Miss Christine Knabe, sister of the groom, was maid of honor. She was attired in a dress of pink chiffon and lace made with a fitted bodice and bouffant skirt. She carried an arm bouquet of pink roses and fern and completed her costume with a shoulder length veil of pink net held with a cluster of silver flowers.

Frank Sprengel, twin brother of the bride, was best man for Mr. Knabe.

Following the church services breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Sprengel, to the bridal party, and during the day an informal reception was held for relatives. In the evening a dance in the parish hall honored the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Knabe are making their home four and a half miles north of the city on the Dangmayr farm. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Knabe and is a native of this community. He attended Sacred Heart school. The bride attended St. Thomas school at Pilot Point.

Among Muenster people at the wedding were Messrs. and Mesdames

Gus Knabe and family, Robert Knabe and family, Albert Hess and family, Albert Knabe and Bob Yosten, Mrs. Buddy Fette, Mrs. John Eberhart, Mrs. Henry Sicking, Frank Yosten and family, Dorothy Mae, Buddy and Henry Yosten and Richard Swirczynski.

### LINN HD CLUB MEMBERS HAVE ALL-DAY EXCURSION

Members of the Linn Home Demonstration club had an all-day excursion last Tuesday. The group first visited the Girls' Training school at Gainesville where they inspected the grounds and buildings. Mrs. J. W. Ratliff, superintendent of the institution, is a sister of Mrs. Darrell McCool, one of the members.

At noon the ladies had luncheon and then attended a picture show. Personnel of the party included Mesdames T. N. and Selby Fielder, Ben Sicking, Jack Biffie, Bob Steadham, Gus Sicking, Darrell McCool and Charlie Beckley, Misses Marie Sicking, Willie Sowder and Rose Sicking.

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WHOOPS . . . BOOM



MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Miss Marion Done, left, in the above photo, and her girl friend fell for the collapsible chair trick at the National American Legion Convention here, Sunday. Invited to sit on a Legionnaire's lap for a picture, the chair is tripped with the result shown in the photo. Other names were not obtainable. It's all in fun, and everyone is reported to be having a hilarious time in good old Milwaukee.

Soldiers To Get \$3,739,000 Worth of Wool Underwear

It was not announced what color they were, but the Quartermaster Corps for the United States Army Monday awarded contracts totaling \$3,738,844.19 for wool underwear.

The order went out in 21 contracts for the Army underthings. Other items contracted for to keep the boys warm this winter were \$3,908 worth of ski boots; \$1,095 worth of ski shoes; \$510 in fur-trimmed parkas. For the men in warmer climes there will be sleeping bags and wool toques. Gloves, waterproof hats, coats, trousers, and jackets were included in the orders.

When the ordering was completed it was pointed out that each of the 1,580,775 soldiers now in the Army will keep 26 sheep "as naked as a jay-bird" to keep him in clothes during his first year in the army.

The quartermaster "figure boys" declare it takes the wool of 10 sheep to outfit the soldier when he joins the forces; six more to keep him clothed and 10 more to repair his clothes for a year.

Texas Used 153 Million Pounds Milk For Cheese, Butter, Ice Cream in July

AUSTIN.—Approximately fifteen million pounds more Texas milk was converted into dairy products during July than during July, 1940, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research estimates.

Ice cream, creamery butter and cheese plants used an estimated 153,452,000 pounds of raw milk to turn out 4,667,000 pounds of butter, 2,013,000 gallons of ice cream and 2,213,000 pounds of cheese.

Ice cream production shot 35.2 per cent above that of July, 1940, while cheese output registered a 14.3 per cent gain and creamery butter a 3.6 per cent increase.

The expanding ice cream industry in Texas continues to boom, as 1941's production to Aug. 1 showed a 23.3 per cent gain over the output for the first seven months of 1940.

For the Jan. 1-Aug. 1 period, butter production likewise gained 22.1 per cent, cheese manufacture 4.8 per cent.

Texas Farmers Shipped 305 Cars of Eggs in July

AUSTIN.—Texas farmers and poultrymen sold almost three times as many eggs in July as a year ago, with total shipments amounting to

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A collection of illustrations and text boxes from 'The Pocketbook of Knowledge'. It includes: 'IN WORLD WAR TIMES AIRPLANE ENGINES HAD TO BE OVERHAULED EVERY 50 HOURS—TODAY'S PLANES GO 500 HOURS'; 'INDUSTRY IS AN IMPORTANT CONSUMER OF FARM PRODUCTS—ONE COMPANY ALONE BUYS 150,000 BUSHELS OF CORN EVERY DAY'; 'AMERICAN INDIANS WHO BENT INDEPENDENT SAPLINGS AS TRAIL GUIDES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR MANY OF THE OAKLY BENT OLD TREES SEEN GROWING TODAY'; 'THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT'S MONTHLY PAYROLL, EXCLUDING SOLDIERS AND SEALERS, HAS BECOME ALMOST AS LARGE AS THE WEEKLY PAYROLL OF ALL THE MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES IN AMERICA'; 'THE ENTIRE WORKING POPULATION OF THE UNITED STATES WOULD HAVE TO SPEND ALL ITS TIME AT SPINNING WHEELS AND LOOMS TO PRODUCE, BY COLONIAL METHODS, THE CLOTH NOW USED IN AMERICA'.

305 carloads, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

Bulk of the shipments—259 cars—went to out-of-state points, New York taking 73 cars and Pennsylvania taking 41.

Movement of Texas-raised chickens was cut in half, however, to only 15 cars, while five carloads of turkeys compared to six in July, 1940.

Russian Suicide Squads Crash Dynamite Laden Planes into Nazi Ships

STOCKHOLM, Sweden.—A squadron of Russian "living bombs"—old airplanes loaded with dynamite which crash on their targets with the pilots still at the controls—has sunk twelve German ships off the Russian Kronstadt naval base, the Soviet radio announced.

The radio report, published here by the newspaper Aftonbladet, said that the Red army sacrificed twelve old planes, several thousand pounds of dynamite and twelve pilots, but the Germans lost thousands of men and twelve ships and a large amount of war material.

The radio said that a German as-

sault on the Kronstadt area was beaten off largely due to the heroism of the suicide squad.

GOD'S CRUCIBLE

Someone has said that America is God's crucible where all the races of Europe are melting and reforming.

In Pennsylvania a Worsted Mill Manufacturer decided to find out how many nationalities participated in the making of our United States Flag produced in his factory. He found that the various operations were handled by the following:

- Sorted by an American, Carded by an Italian, Spun by a Swede, Warped by a German, Drawn by a Scotchman, Woven by a Belgian, Inspected by a Frenchman, Secured by an Albanian, Dyed by a Turk, Pressed by a Poleander, Examined by an Irishman.

WISHES

Remember the old saying, "If wishes were horses, beggars might ride." And remember how you would make a wish at a passing load of hay, close your eyes until it was out of sight, and make a wish. A good lady friend recently told us a new

Is Asking Aid For Chinese Children



L. A. WOODS

L. A. Woods, State Superintendent of Education, has been appointed Chairman of the United China Relief Committee for Texas schools. He will work with State Chairman Nathan Adams and Governor Coke Stevenson, vice chairman, in the drive to raise \$200,000 in Texas to aid sixty million unfortunate and suffering war victims in China. Money given by Texas school children will be used to aid the children of China, millions of whom are homeless, destitute and starving as the result of Japanese invasion. Chairman L. A. Woods urges that every school in Texas make a collection for United China Relief without delay and forward the money to Nathan Adams, president of the First National Bank in Dallas. The money will be sent overseas to aid the little Chinese children who are so badly in need of help. Every student and every teacher is asked to subscribe to this humane cause.

one and here it is: "When you are served a piece of pie, cut the sharp point off to a bite size; then put it on one side of your plate, consume the rest of the pie. Then take the bite you saved, place it in your mouth, throw your head back, chew the pie and make a wish. It will come true—we tried it on two different occasions. You try it.—Honey Grove Signal.

Cafe Esplanade, the State Fair of Texas' new night club, is the largest in the Southwest. It seats 3,000 persons, has a big stage which is mounted on rollers so that it may be moved from one spot to another, and has 7,000 square feet in its dance floor. Dimensions of the night spot are 250 by 185 feet.

Bits o' Fun

Five-year-old Bobby was showing the family photographs to a playmate. Very shamefaced, he exhibited one of himself when three years old, wearing beautiful golden curls. Apologetically he explained, "I was born a girl."

"Men are peculiar. For instance, a man, who hadn't kissed his wife in five years, shot a man who did."

The following sign is said to be prominently displayed in a coffee shop in Milwaukee:

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"Many a wise word is spoken in jest."

Employer—"Ah, yes. Your grandmother, I suppose?"

Office Boy—"Could I have tomorrow afternoon off, please?"

Employer—"Ah, yes. Your grandmother, I suppose?"

Office Boy—"Yes, sir. She's making her first parachute jump, you know."

Bitters—"How would you define a picnic?"

Jitters—"To me, my friend, a picnic is a day set apart to get better acquainted with ants, bugs, worms, mosquitoes, chiggers, ticks and poison ivy."

Minister—"I'm glad to see you on your way to Sunday school, Robert. What do you expect to learn today?"

Robert—"I expect to learn the date of the picnic."

An electrician was examining an electric refrigerator which had been using too much electricity but the man could not find the reason.

He idly asked the cook, "How do you like the refrigerator?"

"I like it fine," she said. "I open the door and it cools off the whole kitchen."

Collegiate—"Father, I've a notion to settle down and start raising chickens."

Father—"Better try owls. Their hours will suit you better."

"Did Freda regret leaving the stage when she married?"

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**TO THE REGISTER—OUR SINCERE THANKS**

Favorable comment continues, after almost a full month, on an editorial carried in this paper's issue of August 29. It was an attempt to debunk those occasional silly rumors about this community's pro-Nazi tendencies.

More recent comments came especially from Gainesville people, who invariably mentioned that they had seen the Gainesville Register's reprint of the article. Finally it begins to dawn upon us—at this belated time—that the Register, in quoting our editorial, has actually performed a greater service for this community than the Enterprise has.

Our purpose in publishing the article was to suggest a few ideas our people might fling back into the teeth of bigots who originate and spread hateful rumors, also to offer what consolation they can get from the thought that they are better Americans than the fake patriots who slander them. However we were a long way from giving this community new information. What thinking it has done on the subject has all been in accord with our article.

But the Register has gone farther. It has performed a missionary service. It has carried our message to hundreds of people who did not know the actual sentiment of this community, people who perhaps were ready to believe unfounded reports until a candid statement reminded them that our fine record could hardly be reconciled with subversive activity. We know that the Register's thoughtfulness in quoting our editorial has done much toward creating a better understanding between Muenster and the rest of Cooke county.

The Enterprise is happy to express, for itself and the community, its most sincere gratitude to the Register staff.

**LOGIC IS LOGIC**

More can be said on the subject of Muenster's attitude toward the present world conflict. It is generally known that this community is predominantly Catholic in religion as well as predominantly German in racial background. Hence it seems obvious that opinions here should be in harmony with those of leading Catholic thinkers, who are unanimous in the firm conviction that National Socialism can never be reconciled with Catholicity, or with Christianity in general.

A masterful article on "Catholics and the Nazis" appears in the current issue of American Mercury. Its author is Theodore Maynard, whom the magazine describes as "one of the most erudite Catholic writers on Catholic themes." It is well worth the reading time for any person who wishes to know official Catholic opinion, as regards principles, and most prevalent Catholic opinion, as regards policy.

"Hitler recognizes clearly, as does the Church, that Catholicism and totalitarianism are absolutely irreconcilable" the author states. "American Catholics, with very few exceptions, also recognize this fact. The only real disagreement among them is over what measures may be politically expedient and strategically advisable. Though this disagreement is profound and often bitter, there is, as there always must be, unanimity in opposition to Nazism." That is the theme of the article and the reason why a sincere intelligent Catholic cannot conscientiously

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To clear up possible misunderstanding over concordats, Maynard explains, "The reigning Pope and his predecessor have spoken in unequivocal language. They have made working agreements with totalitarian governments for the safeguarding of Catholic interests. At the same time they have made it plain that it is impossible to reconcile totalitarianism with Catholicism." Furthermore "the principles he (the Pope) lays down have to be accepted." It is an article of Catholic faith that the Pope is infallible in matters of faith morals. In this respect the Pope has decreed that Hitlerism is contrary to Catholicism. Therefore it is a Catholic's duty to reject Nazism.

Maynard also states that "the Church is not committed to this or that particular political mode, though modern democracy—which is derived from scholastic philosophy—appears to be the system most consonant with its own constitution." Since Catholic principle harmonizes most closely with the democratic form of government, it is logical to conclude that a good Catholic must be a good American.

All of which boils down to a simple syllogism: Catholics cannot be Nazis. Muenster people are Catholic. Therefore they cannot be Nazis.

**Economic Highlights**

The thoughts of many Americans who listened to the President's address of September 11, turned back more than twenty years. In long ago 1917, President Wilson laid down his famous doctrine of freedom of the seas—a doctrine that held that any cargo ship of any neutral nation was entitled to travel the oceans of the world without molestation. That, basically, is the doctrine that President Roosevelt is holding to now. It is the doctrine which was one cause of our entry in World War I. And, in the opinion of many authorities, it is the doctrine which is likely to lead us into active shooting participation in World War II.

Mr. Roosevelt has gone farther than did Mr. Wilson. He holds that the presence of enemy submarines and surface raiders in waters considered essential to American defense and security, will be considered prima facie evidence of the intention to attack. Just what these essential waters are is not defined. It seems to be the President's position that in modern war it is impossible to establish fixed geographical boundaries beyond which our vital interests do not extend. It is, at least, certain that the President considers the North Atlantic, where German warships are most active, within the sphere which this nation will defend. That means that American warships may convoy merchant shipping clear into British ports—and that any hostile vessel encountered may be fired upon and sunk, if possible.

The order to carry this policy into effect has been issued under Mr. Roosevelt's immense powers as Commander in Chief of the military forces of the United States. And now this country is wondering just what to expect. The logical thing to anticipate is more, and more important, incidents of the sort that occurred when the U. S. Destroyer Greer encountered a German submarine. The position of American naval ships is

field of action is the Atlantic ocean, and whose greatest activity is found in the 800-odd miles of blue water which lie between American-occupied Iceland and the British Isles.

German response to the President's speech was that Mr. Roosevelt was taking an untenable stand, and that under the rules of warfare, Germany was entitled to destroy, with or without warning, merchantmen carrying supplies to England. There may be some abstract logic in that Nazi position, but there is grim irony in Hitler's spokesmen talking about international law. Hitler has proven time and again that he observes the laws of nations when, and only when they suit his purpose. This is a war to the finish, and none of the combatants observe international statutes which were established long ago in times of peace.

Some are convinced that the full participation of the American Navy will definitely prove a solution to Britain's crucial supply problem. The English Navy is big, but it has sustained major losses and it must attempt to police most of the world. There simply aren't enough British fighting craft available to provide adequate convoys for the merchantmen that bring the sinews of war, along with the basic necessities of life, from the new world to the old.

There is little effective opposition to the President's position. The isolationists in House and Senate are becoming more and more in the minority. It is reported that Wendell Willkie will actively support GOP congressmen next year who have backed and voted for the President's foreign policy. America First Committee spokesmen have been talking to small, often unfriendly crowds. America hasn't been carried away with martial spirit yet, but that spirit is mounting.

According to dispatches from the front lines, Russian troops have at times actually swept supposedly crack German divisions back in disordered, flying retreat. That must have come as a terrific shock to Reich commanders, who were accustomed to conquests in which the opposition did practically nothing except surrender.

Those who forecast the swift collapse of Russia when the campaign began—as did many American officers and commentators—have red faces now. It is probable that German losses have been far heavier than the Russian, and it is certain that German prestige has suffered immensely in such more or less on-

the-fence countries as Spain, Turkey and Japan. If the Allies win this war, Stalin will have plenty to say about the peace terms.

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**Myra News**

MRS. JOHN BLANTON  
Correspondent

Mrs. Ray Hudson spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. Nolan Barnett of Saint Jo.

Mrs. Gus Livingston of Saint Jo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Livingston and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cockrill and daughter of Krum, visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Jane Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris King were in Sherman Thursday on a shopping trip.

Mrs. Lillie Farrow is still confined to her bed and her condition is not much better.

Doc Neely of Dallas spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Neely.

Miss Edith Faye Cockrill of Krum spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Harry Wheelers.

Mrs. Emmitt Bates visited Friday in Henrietta with her sister, Mrs. C. B. Simons.

Mrs. J. T. Rosson Sr. and Mrs. Joe Caudwell returned Monday after a ten days' visit in Dallas and Fort Worth with relatives.

Wanda Jo and James Ray Martin of Saint Jo are spending this week with their grandmother, Mrs. C. J. Tuggle.

Mrs. R. Cain Sr., visited at the bedside of Mrs. W. T. Taylor, Sunday. She is seriously ill in her home at Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Gaston and sons of Denton were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Platt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Huebner and son, Jimmie, of Fort Worth were the weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bittle.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ware and son of Dallas, spent the weekend with his mother and brother, Mrs. Major Ware and Randall Ware.

Mrs. Richard Cain Jr., left Tuesday morning for Baylor Hospital, Dallas, for medical examination and treatment. Mrs. Cain has been ill for three months.

Carl Chadwell of Pima, Arizona, and Robert Chadwell of Bakersfield, California, are spending a few days here with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Needham and Emmitt and Clyde Andress.

Roy Woodruff of Los Angeles, Calif., and sister, Miss Mary Francis Woodruff of Gainesville, spent Saturday with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Needham.

Pete Wilkins remains in a critical condition at the Gainesville Sanitarium. He was reported Monday, to be resting fairly well, but his condition unimproved.

Mr. and Mrs. John Day and daughter

**WANT ADS**

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ter of Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ray and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Mont Green and children, all of Dallas, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred McTaggart.

Lee Gaston of Washington, D. C., who has been in Fort Worth on business, spent Saturday and Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Townsley and left Sunday afternoon on a business trip to Stillwater, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Pryor had as their Sunday guests her uncle and aunts, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Nance and Mrs. Julia Burkholder and Mrs. A. C. Crawford, all of Sanger, and her mother, Mrs. P. F. Jones of Valley View.

Mrs. J. T. Biffle Sr., Mrs. Leslie Payne of Gainesville and Mrs. Ray Huebner of Fort Worth left Tuesday for St. Cloud, Minnesota, where they will visit Mrs. Payne's son-in-law, Jerry Julum and little granddaughter, Judy Bell. They plan to be gone three weeks.

**4-H GIRLS REORGANIZE AND ELECT NEW OFFICERS**

The local 4-H club girls reorganized for the coming year and elected officers at their first meeting of the season Monday morning. Miss Nettie Shultz, county agent, was present for the session and discussed with the girls their work for the coming months.

Officers elected are Lillian Wimmer, president; Laura Lee Wilde, vice president; Theresa Walter, secretary; Margie Ann Endres, reporter.

Miss Shultz spoke to the assembly on "Protective Foods, the First Essentials of Defense." Later peaches and peach recipes were discussed and recipes for preparing peach dishes were given.

**SUE ANN TEAGUE HAS PARTY ON 6th BIRTHDAY**

Sue Ann Teague marked her sixth birthday Saturday afternoon with a party given by her mother, Mrs. Enloe Teague at the family home. Ten youngsters were guests.

Gifts for the honoree, games, favors, birthday cake and other refreshments made the party a gay celebration.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our neighbors and friends for the many kind deeds and expressions of sympathy during our recent sorrow. We also appreciate the floral offerings and spiritual bouquets.

The Henry Streng Family.

**MOSAICS**

of Sacred Heart High

Edited This Week By Beatrice Reiter, Imelda Felderhoff and William Joseph Miller

**BACK AGAIN**

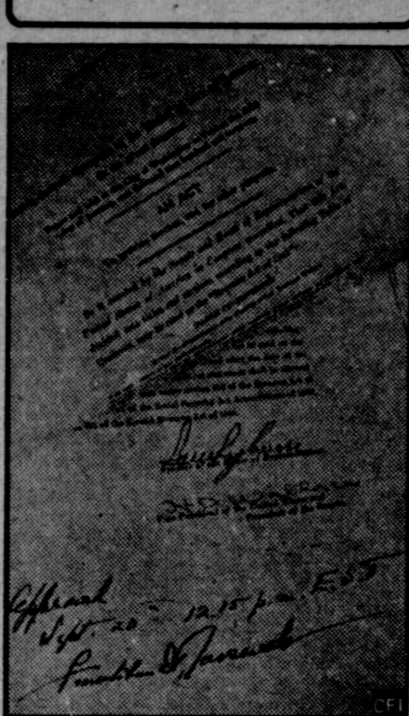
Well, here we are back again, and we hope, this time to stay. The surprise and the bewilderment of getting started for the term 1941-1942, so took our breath, that for the moment—or shall we say for the week, our column went—well, where did it go? Some say it did not go, but it remained away. However, here we are now, and this time we mean to stay. We shall now have to reach back into the happenings of the past two weeks for news.

**ATHLETICS**

At a meeting of the Girls' Athletic Club on Monday, September 15th, the members chose as captain for the year, Evelyn Wiesman, with Sister Agnes as sponsor. The girls showed great eagerness to make this term one of great activity. It was decided that a new ball be procured. The uniforms adopted last year will again be used this term.

On the same day the boys organized their club with Frank Hennigan

**BIGGEST TAX BILL**



HYDE PARK, N. Y. — This photo shows the first and last page of the \$3,553,400,000 tax bill, the largest ever enacted, after President Franklin Roosevelt signed his name to it here September 20.

as captain, and Leo Becker as sub-captain. After the voting, the boys called for a speech, but Frank was too excited to speak just then. Sister Gerarda, the sponsor, took the floor until he regained his composure. Out on the field it was another story. Here the boys' team has added victory after victory when it met with Muenster Hi on the Muenster ball park. Keep up the fine record, boys, we're betting on you.

On Monday the 22nd, the Junior-Senior Club met for the first time this year and elected officers. Cecilia Walterscheid was chosen president; Leo Becker, vice president; and Florene Endres, secretary. The Constitution and By-Laws were read and several amendments were added and plans for initiation of the freshmen were discussed. We are sure this club will continue successfully under the able leadership of such a splendid president.

**BOOK-A-MONTH CLUB**

A number of students have enrolled in the Catholic High School Book-a-Month Club. Its purpose is to distribute to students the best books. Each month the members receive a list of five books from which they may select one. All of these books are library size and cloth bound. We are sure that this plan will prove to be very educational and also increase the number and size of the students' home libraries.

**LATEST ADDITION**

The latest addition to the high school are eighteen new desk chairs. They were placed in the senior room for the use of the Juniors and seniors. Although they are different from our old familiar desks, the pupils are greatly delighted to have them.

**REGARDING MATHEMATICS**

Sister M. Angelina has requested that the following article, taken from The Guardian, the official organ of the Diocese of Little Rock, Arkansas, be published in our local column:

"It is an ill wind that blows nobody good." So runs an old saying and it is as true as ever before. Defense preparations have laid bare matters, which have been concealed in the maze of this complex life. Complaints are heard that the preparations for defense are being handicapped by a scarcity of workers who are skilled in mathematics. The new fangled system of education has been more concerned with keeping children in school than in teaching them something worth while. Pupils have been staying on through high school and even entering college, just to be doing something. The courses that

used to be taught in school are too difficult for many of these boys and girls, so the educators tried to temper the educational work to those who were shorn of mental ability. Thus soft courses were introduced.

Emphasis has been placed on the concrete and so mathematics which is very abstract was relegated to the background—with Latin and Greek. The educators failed to realize that the modern trend toward the use of machines has led to a need of ability to calculate and compute. Of course there have always been some students who have had a natural gift for numbers. These were the pride and joy of teachers of mathematics. The slow ones were usually neglected. When they failed they became discouraged, dropped mathematics and took up some easy subjects. As a result a great many boys and girls have come out of school in recent years knowing little Algebra and less about the more advanced mathematics. So modern education, which lays so much claim to being practical, with its manual training and allied subjects has been a failure, because it neglected to develop the mentality that is needed to direct the hands. An ape can be taught to use his hands, but since he has no intelligence, he is not much use to society.

**School Daze**

Editors: Billie Roberson, Anselma Pagel, Irene Lutkenhaus and Kathleen Center.

The students of Muenster Public School have something new to work for this year. The best all-round boy and girl of grammar school will be awarded medals; in the high school the awards will be trophies. This includes report-card grades, athletic and literary events, and demerits for misbehavior.

Wanted: One doctor for the football players.

It seems that the students are having a difficult time finding their teachers and classes due to a more-rounded curriculum, occasioned by the addition of four high school subjects and the eighth grade. The high school subjects are: shorthand, second year typing, second year shop, and second year home economics.

In general assembly for the high school Monday morning Principal Welch stated that no student could

take more than four subjects unless he has a B average or is a graduating senior and needs the credits.

The Muenster Public School softball team was defeated twice last week by the Parochial School's team by a small margin. Just wait until our boys get started — after all it takes time to warm up!

**Overheard on the grounds:**

One of the little fifth graders seems to have had a big problem. She was studying geography the other day and read that the Indians of long ago celebrated the growth of a good crop as much as we celebrate our high school graduation. It puzzled her very much but finally she picked up enough courage to ask an older person this question: "Do you suppose the Indians wore caps and gowns?"

The various high school classes met Monday morning to elect officers and to choose class colors, mottoes, flowers and sponsors.

The officers of the Senior Class are: President, Anselma Pagel; Vice president, Billie Roberson; Secretary and treasurer, Jack Hoehn; Class colors, red, white and blue; Motto, "One Step at a Time but Always Forward"; Sponsor, Virgil Lee Welch; Class flower, rose.

The Junior Class officers are: President, Joe Cason; Vice president, Kathleen Center; Secretary and treasurer, Irene Lutkenhaus; Class colors, purple and white; Motto, "Growing But Not Grown"; Sponsor, Miss Wiedeman; Class flower, lilac.

The Sophomore Class officers are: President, Roy Schumacher; Vice president, J. D. Harmon; Secretary,

treasurer, Lorene Lutkenhaus; Class colors, red and green; Motto, "Always Forward and Never Backward"; Sponsor, Mr. Gray; Class flower, marigold.

The Freshman Class officers are: President, Emmett Martin; Vice president, Sam McDonald; Secretary, Paul Nieball; Treasurer, Roy McDonald; Class colors, blue and gold; Sponsor, Miss Bradshaw. Class flower, pansy.

After classes elected officers, the high school met to select a new name for the school teams. "Wild Cats" was chosen. Then Paul Nieball, La Vetta Martin, A. J. Hutchinson and Billie Roberson were elected yell leaders, and Anselma Pagel, Marie Moore, and Billie Roberson were selected to choose and arrange school songs.

The Bookmobile visited the school Monday morning. After books were selected by the pupils, two short films were shown, one in technicolor depicting scenes of the 1940 Dallas State Fair, the other showing the formation of clouds.

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**Lindsay News**

Tony Beyer and Lawrence Schmitz spent Tuesday in Fort Worth.

Mike Kupper of Dallas spent Sunday with his father, Joseph Kupper and family.

Four 1-pound cans of White Swan Pork and Beans for only 27 cents at Hoelker Grocery. (Adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fleitman and son, Henry, spent Thursday in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Genevieve Lindemann will leave this week to make her home with her children in Windthorst.

Leonard and Frederick Schmitz entered the Fort Worth aircraft school Monday.

Fant's Laying Mash is just the thing to feed your flock to get more eggs, and more money. Don't wait, begin now. We are well stocked. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv.)

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**LEARNING ABOUT MACHINE GUNS**



**CAMP CLAIBORNE, La.**—These boys at Camp Claiborne are learning the business of machine guns. Photo shows Russell C. Huff, left, and Wendell J. Spencer, extreme right, instructing a group in the mechanism of a .30 calibre gun. Left to right the squad includes Pvt. V. E. Van Nelson of Des Moines, Iowa, Ralph Hovden and Arnold Baker, Marshalltown, Ind., and Gene Rozak of Le Grand, Iowa.

occasion with a family gathering at his home. He left Thursday for Muskogee, Okla., where he will make his home in the future with his son, Albert, who came here to accompany him on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Flusche and family of Denison visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zimmerer and daughter, Virginia, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Horn Jr., at Muenster.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Devers and Miss Katie Fuhrmann of Decatur spent Sunday here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Fuhrmann.

Lovely 10-ounce crystal tumbler FREE with the purchase of each pound of Allsweet Margarine. You'll want a complete set. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv.)

Mrs. Johnnie Neu is spending this week in Durant, Okla., with her mother and family who are recovering from injuries received in an automobile accident three weeks ago.

Include meat in the school child's diet to help ward off disease and aid growth. Meat is an important natural source of B vitamins. We carry a complete line of meats, beef, pork and cured meats. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv.)

Children love desserts so give them a dessert that is healthful and nutritious and good. White Swan Gelatin Dessert comes in eight delicious flavors and it costs only five cents a package. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv.)

**180 PUPILS REGISTER AT LINDSAY SCHOOL OPENING**

One hundred and eighty children registered at the Lindsay school on opening day, September 15, but during the past two weeks attendance was far below that number on account of absence due to cotton picking. Within the next week or two classes will be fully organized and school clubs and athletic groups will be formed.

The adoption of the eight-grade system in the elementary school, which resulted in a double promotion for a large number of youngsters, seems to have desirable effects because students are reported making special efforts to come up to the requirements and standards of their grades.

Of the enrollment, 48 pupils are in high school and 131 in the grade department.

**HULDA KUNTZ AND LOS ANGELES MAN MARRY AT PASADENA**

LINDSAY.—A wedding of interest to this community is that which took

place in Pasadena, California, on September 20th to unite Miss Hulda Kuntz of Pasadena, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Kuntz of Lindsay, and Robert Hefner of Los Angeles, son of Mrs. Jessie Hefner.

The ceremony was read at 8 p. m. in St. Andrew's church, with the pastor, Father Patrick O'Conner, officiating. Members of the two families and friends attended the service.

The bride wore a blue wool costume suit trimmed with fox fur and accessories in wine. She carried a bouquet of yellow dahlias and was attended by her sister, Miss Frieda Kuntz, of Pasadena, who wore a brown tuxedo suit with brown accessories and a corsage of gardenias. Ed Hefner was his brother's best man.

A reception for seventy-five guests was held at the home of the groom's mother following the rites. Mrs. Hefner received her education at the Lindsay school and has lived in Pasadena for the past three years. Mr. Hefner has resided in Los Angeles seven years, moving there from Nashville, Tenn. He is employed with Southern Pacific railroad. They are making their home at 245 Grant street, Pasadena.

**RITUAL AND FESTIVAL MARK DEDICATION OF NEW LINDSAY RECTORY**

Dedicatory services for the new Lindsay rectory were impressively held Sunday afternoon following 3 o'clock rosary devotions. Rev. Father Conrad, pastor, conducted the ceremony in the presence of a large number of people from Lindsay, Muenster and Gainesville and other nearby cities.

Rev. Abbot Paul Nahlen of Solbaco Abbey, Arkansas, addressed the assembly, speaking from the steps of the church. Other priests present were Rev. Fathers Frowin and Richard of Muenster; Father Hugo of Purcell, Okla.; Father Emil of Fort Worth and Father Paul Charcut of Pilot Point.

After the services, open house was held at the rectory and hundreds of people inspected the new building. Members of the Young Ladies' Sodality were hostesses and served punch to visitors. Miss Regina Fuhrmann secured their signatures in an attractive guest book.

Beginning at 8 o'clock the girls' sodality sponsored a benefit social that began with a fried chicken supper in the school basement and continued during the evening, featuring various entertainment attractions and refreshments on the school yard lawn.

**ENROLLMENT OCT. 2 IN HOLY CHILDHOOD SOCIETY**

On Thursday, October 2, the feast of the Guardian Angel, the annual enrollment of children in the Holy Childhood society will take place, it was announced this week.

Father Frowin will officiate at the special mass to be read at 8 o'clock

for all children of the parish, and it was urged that mothers be present with their infants and pre-school age tots. The enrollment will follow the mass.

**Father Richard Is Guest Speaker On Radio Program**

Father Richard Evedt, assistant pastor of Muenster, was on the air Monday night as guest speaker on the regular series of addresses conducted by Father McCullough of Sherman over station KRRV. The subject of his speech was "Hope."

**BETTY ANN BRANHAM AND JACK LIEDTKE MARRIED**

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Liedtke left Sunday for Oklahoma City to make their home. Before her recent marriage Mrs. Liedtke was Miss Betty Ann Branham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Branham of this city. Mr. Liedtke is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Liedtke of Gainesville.

The ceremony was performed September 14th in Marietta, Okla., with the Church of Christ minister officiating.

The bride attended the public school here and is a graduate of the Gainesville Junior college with the class of 1941. Mr. Liedtke was cleared in Gainesville where he attended school and later studied at A. & M. college. He is employed by a tank supply company in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Liedtke spent several days of the past week here with her parents.

**JOE LUTKENHAUS HOME IS SCENE OF REUNION**

The country home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lutkenhaus was the scene of a happy family reunion and dinner party Sunday, given to honor Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Detten and two children of Amarillo, who were visitors here during the week.

Present for the affair in addition to the hosts and honorees were Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lutkenhaus and daughters and Miss Lucille Lindecker of Gainesville, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Lutkenhaus, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wilde and son, Misses Marie and Emma Lutkenhaus and Bill, Harold and Bobby Lutkenhaus.

**Confetti--**

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paradoxical public that continuously complains about expense but clamors at every opportunity for a fat share of the public purse. When the people stop grabbing for special privileges and special projects and offer to work for lower salaries Congress will have a chance to eliminate some of the waste.

Pappy O'Daniel did all right for himself at that speech in Dallas last week. He didn't mince words in telling that he is strong for the President on the foreign policy and just as strong against him on new deal policies. He also had a caustic word for labor racketeers, who are our worst domestic enemies today.

All those ideas seem good: A united front against foreign enemies, eliminating socialism, extravagance, and official meddling from our government, and freeing both labor and industry from the shackles of unscrupulous labor czars. If Pappy will get down to serious work on that program, the Lone Star State will be proud of him some day. It would be a most welcome surprise to learn that our erstwhile hillbilly politician has become a statesman.

This paper acknowledges with thanks a handsome lithographed picture of Boom Town, an enlargement of the scene that appeared in an advertisement in this paper several weeks ago, a scene similar to that in the movie "Boom Town," in case you happened to see it.

The picture is real art work—expertly done and a correct portrayal of conditions in this state's pioneer oil days. A mere glance at it inspires an appreciation of the oil industry's advancement. The early mud and

prisms were associated with other conditions no less sordid. We of this town recall some of it. Our boom was quite feeble but it was enough to bring in an undesirable element. It held the fascination of the old time gold rush and the people who followed it were spurred on principally by the craze for fast, easy money.

Vast changes have been made since then. Today's operators are bona fide business men instead of big time gamblers and today's oil field workers are regular everyday men instead of money-crazed ruffians. It's big business now, the biggest in this state, and is run in all its departments on sound business principles.

To estimate what oil has done for Texas staggers the imagination. The millions it has paid in taxes have been directly beneficial to every inhabitant. The additional millions it has paid in leases, royalties and labor, the attendant industries it has created such as pipe lines and refineries, the vast supply and equipment business it has supported, the tre-

mendous tonnage it has given to transportation systems.—these and other benefits oil has given Texas.

Our own community has been a beneficiary. Dozens of farmers were made financially independent or wealthy by lease and royalty payments. Local men have found employment, every business in town has reaped a more abundant harvest. Boom Town was the pioneering stage for all this fine development.

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