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With the federal courts finally getting their teeth into the coal emergency, perhaps it isn't too much to hope that within a few days miners will be back on the job and our present state of national paralysis will be only a sour memory. Con fervently hopes that the trouble will be settled before these words appear in print.

But regardless of how the case will be decided, the fact remains that the whole mess is the result of a shabby and unwarranted disregard of human responsibility. Miners failed to distinguish between their own right to strike and the right of millions of other people to live a normal life.

For ages it has been axiomatic that the wishes of the individual are subordinate to the common good. The miner has a sacred right to work or loaf as he pleases so long as his choice affects only himself and the operator. But when the time comes that homes are cold, schools are closed, trains quit running, other industry is closed down, and families of the miners themselves go hungry, there can be no doubt that the problem has extended far beyond the scope of a private affair. Plainly this is a case of placing selfish interests ahead of the common good, of too much insistence on personal rights and too little regard for personal responsibility.

Miners are altogether within their rights when they organize to secure the greatest possible benefits to themselves. But while exercising united power in their own behalf they also assume, whether they want to or not, a responsibility to see that their job is done. That fact cannot be evaded. Right and duty go hand in hand. A person cannot claim the one without accepting the other.

In this case the wishes of the miners became secondary as soon as the nation felt the pinch of a coal shortage and it became their duty at that time to carry on the job under some sort of emergency arrangement.

As regards the controversies between miners and operators, which are given as reasons for the refusal to work, this column does not attempt to judge. But that is not the point at issue here. This column contends that by the proper exercise of good will and integrity the miners could have agreed to work with an understanding that representatives of both sides would negotiate and the terms of their contract would apply to the emergency period. That way the nation would have enjoyed its normal activity and the miners themselves would have got their regular pay checks.

Another sorry performance in this case was that of the national administration. In failing to employ the necessary means to meet the emergency our government was as much at fault as the miners. It was negligent in its first and most important duty . . . to safeguard the welfare of its citizens. And bear in mind, such action is not a violation of the miners' rights but rather a protection to the millions of other citizens who are injured by the miners' abuse of rights. If in doubt, go back to the basic principle on personal rights and public welfare. Which deserves priority, the miner's demand for more money or the nation's need for coal?

To our way of thinking there's something radically wrong in a system which leads up to the present coal predicament. It just doesn't seem to make sense that two groups of hard heads failing to get together in their negotiations should impose hardship on every miner and every operator in the industry. But that apparently is what happened. A few representatives of the mine owners fail to get along with Lewis, so a half million others, regardless of their wishes, are helpless.

Maybe one way to lick the problem is to get rid of the Lewis system and let individual operators make their own deals with union locals. By the way (Continued on Page 8)

E. S. Lawson Heads Red Cross Drive; Goal Set at \$475

Under the chairmanship of E. S. Lawson the Muenster community this weekend will launch its annual Red Cross drive. The quota is \$475 out of a county total of \$9500.

In a statement Wednesday Lawson said that a rush of other work has prevented him from starting on March 1, the customary opening day, but he expects to organize his working crew before the end of the week. At that time he had not made arrangements with any of his prospective assistants. He indicated that his present plan is to have about 8 helpers each of whom will take charge of collections in a certain part of the community.

The Cooke County Red Cross drive this year is under the direction of Paul J. Schad of Gainesville who discloses that the \$9500 quota has been determined by the estimated county chapter requirement of \$5,942 and a quota of \$3,558 for the national organization.

City-wide Cleanup Set for Saturday

It's cleanup time in the city of Muenster. Next Saturday a truck will call at all homes to pick up tin cans, trash and rubbish that residents have sacked or boxed and placed at curbs or in alleys. The sanitation committee of the Civic League and Garden Club is sponsoring the event.

Local Boy Scouts will do the pick up work. Each resident having trash to pick up will be charged a nominal amount which will go in the Scouts' treasury. Either Scoutmaster Nick Miller or Senior Scout Leader Steve Mosler will accompany the boys on the rounds.

The sponsor group has only one request: Please do not include papers, magazines, or other items that can be burned.

Saturday Is Last Day to Announce For City Election

Citizens who intend to run for a place on the city council this year have only one more day to qualify for a place on the official ballot. In a statement this week Mayor John J. Hoffman called special attention to a new regulation on municipal elections requiring that candidates formally place their names on file with the mayor at least 30 days before the election date. According to that regulation Saturday, March 4, is the deadline, Hoffman stated.

To date only two persons have filed as candidates. They are the present aldermen, Ben Seyler and John Wieler.

Muenster Has 603 Certified Voters for Elections This Year

The certified voting strength of the two Muenster boxes for elections this year is 603, according to figures released Saturday by County Tax Assessor-Collector M. L. Helm. Of that number the north box is credited with 456 poll tax receipts and 17 exemptions and the south box is credited with 129 poll tax receipts and 1 exemption.

The figure does not include persons over 65, who are qualified to vote without exemption certificate.

Voting strength in the county is 5315, which includes 5193 poll tax receipts and 122 exemptions. It represents an increase of 21 per cent over last year's total of 4408 poll tax receipts and exemptions.

Number of voters which the tax office has certified for each of the county's 33 voting precincts are: Gainesville—Ward one, 603; ward two, 337; ward three, 539; ward four, 826; ward five, 647; Dexter, 70; Coesfield, 50; Callisburg, 172; North Woodbine, 43; South Woodbine, 57; Burton, 90; Bloomfield, 55; Hemming, 13; Burns City, 47; Valley View, 243; Era, 191; Leo, 22; Rosston, 77; Freemound, 18; Hood, 64; South Muenster, 130; North Muenster, 473; North Myra, 18; South Myra, 75; Marysville, 45; Bulcher, 50; Tyler Bluff, 18; Sivells Bend, 82; Dye, 31; North Lindsay, 128; Mountain Springs, 28; South Lindsay, 51 Hays, 22.

Curtains Complete Equipment Needs In New Auditorium

Still planning to have this year's commencement exercises in the auditorium of the new school building, local trustees Friday night placed an order for curtains and drapes and also decided on the color for seats which had been ordered some weeks previously.

Maroon, gray and beige will be the predominating colors. Window drapes and the front curtain will be maroon. About 3 feet behind the front curtain will be a concert curtain of beige, and the back curtain, at the rear of the stage, will be light gray.

All curtains will hang from ball bearing rollers traveling on steel tracks. Another item included in the order is a set of scenery.

Seats, which are a combination of wood and steel will have wood of natural color and steel painted gray with a beige stripe.

All items are due to be delivered about May 20. Another order placed Friday is for four science tables. They will be made by the Home Art Shop of Muenster.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yosten drove to Fort Worth Sunday to visit their son, Ferd Yosten and family. Mrs. I. A. Schoech accompanied them and remained to spend the week with her daughter and family.



DISPLEASED DP—Fourteen-month-old Esther Meisler, one of a group of displaced persons arriving in New York City, apparently does not like being left alone while her parents go through immigration checks. The Meislers came from Austria through the auspices of the Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society. The family will stay with relatives in Brooklyn, N. Y.

News Of Sick And Injured

Janice Lee Baumhardt is back at home since Monday after being ill with pneumonia in a Wichita Falls hospital for a week. She is regaining her strength nicely and expects to return to classes again next Monday.

Mary Ruth Howard, 12, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Howard, broke her right arm Friday in a fall at the Gainesville skating rink.

Donald Walterscheid, 20, underwent an operation for the removal of his gall bladder Monday at St. Vincent's hospital in Sherman and is recovering normally, according to his mother, Mrs. C. M. Walterscheid, who has been attending his bedside.

Patsy Cain is confined to the home of her parents, the R.P. Cains, this week on account of the mumps. Dr. T. S. Myrick said that about six cases of mumps have been called to his attention the past week. The other cases are not in the immediate vicinity of Muenster.

Henry Luke returned home Thursday from Veterans Hospital in McKinney where he was a patient several weeks for treatment and minor surgery, and is back at his place of business.

Mrs. August Friske returned to her home Tuesday evening after being a patient at Gainesville sanitarium since Friday for treatment for a leg ailment.

Mrs. John Wieler who was seriously injured in a car accident on Feb. 7, was dismissed from Gainesville sanitarium last Thursday and is convalescing nicely at her home here. She is up and around the house a part of each day.

Mrs. Bill Becker is reported recovering satisfactorily from major surgery performed at St. Vincent's hospital in Sherman last week and members of her family expect her to be able to return home next Sunday.

Mrs. Frances Haverkamp of Fort Worth has been quite ill and has been hospitalized this week. Her daughter, Olivia Haverkamp, who has been nursing in Temple, returned home to nurse her mother.

Mrs. Ferd Yosten is recovering nicely from an operation for appendicitis performed Tuesday at St. Joseph's Hospital in Fort Worth.

125 Persons Attend Day of Recollection

About 125 persons from the Muenster, Lindsay, Gainesville and Valley View parishes were here Sunday to participate in the Day of Recollection sponsored by the Sixth K of C District and conducted by Rev. R. A. Tynan, S. J. of Jesuit High School, Dallas. The program opened with mass at 8 o'clock and closed with benediction at 4:15. Between those services the participants remained in a group, attending five 45 minute conferences on timely subjects of the day. Breakfast and lunch were served in the school lunch room.

May 21-22 Selected For Horse Show, Electrification Day

Combining its two biggest crowd gathering events of the year, Muenster will entertain thousands of visitors on May 21 and 22 at the annual horse show and REA Day program.

The dates were set this week by committees of the two events when they learned that the Gainesville Community Circus tent would be available then. The horse show will be held the first day and the REA Day program the next day. Both will be held in the Muenster Memorial Park.

Arrangements to have the two programs together were made as a special accommodation to exhibitors, giving them two days of display time as compared with the one day they had for the electrification day last year. Sponsors of both shows agreed that one day of exhibit time was hardly sufficient to justify the expense and trouble involved in setting up displays.

Original plans were to have the programs somewhat earlier, as they were last year. However the only earlier date on which the tent was available was too early, Easter Sunday and Monday.

Special features for each show will be announced later by the respective program committees.

Muenster Baseball Team Is One of Five In District 23-B

Muenster High School's 1950 baseball team is a member of a five team conference designated as District 23-B, according to information received here this week from the state interscholastic league. Other member teams are Saint Jo, Ringgold, Harold and Odell. Both of the latter schools are in the Vernon area.

The conference schedule is to be arranged at a special meeting of coaches at Ringgold this week.

2 Gainesville Men Are County Leaders For Census Count

B. E. Hausler of Wichita Falls, district supervisor of the Bureau of Census, has announced selection of 21 crew leaders for the 15-county area.

Cooke county leaders chosen are Tim H. Osborne and T. J. Shealey of Gainesville.

Fourteen applicants for the two posts took examinations at the Chamber of Commerce recently, and Osborne and Shealey were selected from the group.

Enumerators will be chosen between March 1 and 23 in the district, Hausler said. He has not named the day on which he would be in Gainesville to give examinations to applicants.

William Sicking, 70, Dies Suddenly at Work February 25

William Sicking, 70, died suddenly at his home near Myra at about 9 o'clock Saturday morning. He had been in ill health for several years but his death was unexpected. He was doing his morning chores on his farm when he was stricken with a heart attack and died before aid could reach him.

Funeral services were held at Sacred Heart church here Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock with Rev. Anthony Schroeder officiating at the requiem high mass and at the burial in Sacred Heart cemetery.

Pallbearers were C. A. and Pat Fisher, Joe Mages, J. W. Fleitman, Oscar Walter and Henry Henschel.

Mr. Sicking was born June 22, 1879, in Germany, and came to the United States with his parents when he was a child, settling with them in Tennessee. He moved to Cooke county in 1890 and had lived southeast of Muenster and near Myra since that time.

On February 15, 1912, he married Miss Mary O'Connor here. Survivors are his wife; five sons, John, Alfred, Lawrence, Ray and Emmet, and one daughter, Mrs. Leo Mosman of Gainesville; eight grandchildren; five brothers, Gus, Ben and Henry Sicking of Muenster, Joe Sicking of Gainesville and Charles Sicking of California, and one sister, Mrs. Annie Trachta of Muenster.

Among out of town relatives at the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sicking of Saugus, Calif., Mrs. G. S. Brink of Galveston, John O'Connor of Bryan, Mrs. Matt Stelzer, Mrs. Julius Stelzer and Maurice Stelzer, all of Post, and Cecile O'Connor of Dallas.

Joe Fletcher Talks To Local Students On Driving Safety

Joe Fletcher, assistant director of the Texas Department of Public Safety was the principal speaker at a safety conference before a joint assembly of students of the two high schools here Friday afternoon. A native of Marysville, Fletcher is a brother of J. W. Fletcher of Muenster.

The program consisted of lectures and two movies covering the fundamentals of safe driving. One movie "Wheel Sense" explained the proper method of operating an automobile and the other film "Riding with the Devil" emphasized the dangers in the antics of daredevil drivers.

Others who participated in the program were Patrolmen Simmons and Robertson and Ranger Rigler of Gainesville and Captain Burly and Patrolman Blount of Dallas.

The meeting, though scheduled especially for high school students, was open also to the public. It was held in the Relax theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eperding (Honey Swirczynski) and little daughter, Linda Kay, of Bode, Iowa, arrived last Thursday to visit her parents and other relatives. Enroute they stopped in Emporia, Kansas, to visit the Alex Knauf family, and in Ardmore, Okla., to visit the Bob Swirczynski family.

Schedule of Coming Events

THURSDAY, March 2, Garden Club meeting, K C hall Home Ec room, 8 p.m.

MONDAY, March 6, City Council meeting, city hall, 7:30 p.m. MONDAY, March 6, VFW Auxiliary meeting, VFW clubroom, 8 p.m.

FRIDAY, March 10, Catholic Daughters of America meeting, the KC hall, after Lenten devotions.

WEDNESDAY, March 8, CDA Study Club, in the church basement, after Lenten services.



PREPARING FOR HOLY YEAR TRADE—A woman lace worker sets up her stand in Genoa's street of Porto Fino. The entire Italian Riviera is preparing for what they hope will be a record tourist year.

LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Mrs. J. C. Trachta has a new 1950 Studebaker.

A new garage is under construction at the John Huchton home.

The first new power-glide Chevrolet to be delivered in Muenster is J. B. Wilde's personal car and demonstrator.

Mrs. Mary Schmitz of Wichita Falls spent last Wednesday here as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Fisher and family.

Guests in the Oscar Miller home on Sunday and Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Byrl Hoel of Newman, Ill. They were enroute to their home after an extended visit in Phoenix, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Swirczynski of Fort Worth spent Monday with his parents and on returning home were accompanied by his father and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Erpelding and daughter, visiting here from Iowa, to spend several days.

Saturday guests at the J.W. Fletcher home were Mr. and Mrs. Dilks of Walters, Okla.

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DOLL INTERESTS CHILDREN—Even the boys show interest as one of the girls of the Foster Parents' Plan for War Children in Athens, Greece, receives a doll from America. The Greek kids were given clothing and food also, but the doll seemed to steal the show. It's a rare thing among the children, most of whom have had little time for playing games.

Mmes. Fletcher and Dilks were school chums when both attended school at Marysville. Other guests were J. M. Shiflet of Marysville who visited his mother at the Fletcher home, and Tidy Cochran of Bonham.

HOLY NAME BOYS BEGIN DISCUSSION CLUB SERIES

The Holy Name Society Discussion Club enjoyed an interesting session Friday night after Lenten devotions. The study topic this year is from the book entitled "New Testament Series".

The boys, with Father Andrew as their spiritual director, appointed President Teddy Gremminger as chairman of the meetings and Melvin Herr as secretary. About 20 members were present.

The group will meet every Friday night in Sacred Heart High school following church services.

Bars are something which if you come out of singing a few of you may get tossed behind of.

Luke: Don't you think a pat on the back develops character? McGluck: Yes, if administered young enough, often enough and low enough.

Harold A. Beam Joins Public School Staff

Harold A. Beam of McKinney started this week as the Muenster public school's new teacher succeeding Frederick Huff who resigned recently because of the ailing health of his father. Subjects he teaches are English, History and Geography.

Beam is a World War II veteran and a 1948 graduate of Southern Methodist University. Since receiving his BA he has completed all but the thesis on his MA work at the University of Texas.

He arrived during the weekend and is living in the John Eberhart home. Huff left Muenster last Friday.

SACRED HEART SENIORS REHEARSE CLASS PLAY

Members of the graduating class of Sacred Heart High school have started practicing the annual class play which they plan to present some time after Easter.

Their selection this year is "American Passport", a three-act comedy by Dana Thomas. Sister M. Theresina is directing the production.

The cast consists of Melvin Herr, Verena Henscheid, Regina Henscheid, Pauline Mages, Ronald Herr and Willard Hartman.

ATTEND COUNTY MEDICAL MEETING, TUESDAY NIGHT

Dr. and Mrs. T. S. Myrick attended Cooke County Medical Association's regular monthly dinner meeting Tuesday night in Gainesville. Dr. and Mrs. Virgle Wallace were hosts for the affair in the Community Center building. Dr. Myrick, president of the association, presided at the business session and introduced the speaker, Dr. David Carter of Dallas.

The Auxiliary held its business meeting while the doctors held theirs.

Government Payroll Is 22 Billion a Year

By official records, 7,685,000 persons—about one out of every eight workers in the country—are drawing Government pay.

The total includes members of the armed forces and school system employees. The Federal payroll was running somewhat higher than that for State and local governments, but the latter employed more people.

Commerce Department data showed Government pay rolls hit a peacetime peak of \$21,900,000,000 a year in November, and it appeared the climb was continuing.

There also was the fellow whose excuse for habitual drunkenness was habitual thirst.

Political Announcements

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

Tax Assessor-Collector
Si A. McCOLLUM

M. L. (Luther) HELM, reelection

Commissioner Precinct 4
JOHN B. KLEMENT
J. E. (Buck) OWENS
JOE WYATT
ALBERT HENSCHIED

Commissioner Precinct 3
J. E. (Earl) TAYLOR

County Sheriff
ALBERT M. BIFFLE
EMORY HORN, reelection

County Clerk
T. J. (Jeff) DENNIS
COY SHAW
TOM BLOUNT, reelection

County Superintendent
HUBERT H. MOSS, reelection

District Clerk
WOODROW U. CLEGG, reelection

For Damp Basement

A new device has been developed which will remove the humidity from damp basements.

Employing the refrigeration principle for the condensation of air moisture, the unit is equipped with a fan that draws the moist air over a series of coils which removes the moisture and condenses it into water to be deposited in a container or drain. The device, less than three feet high, can be plugged in an ordinary light socket.

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Local
NEWS
Briefs

Mrs. Joe Swirczynski spent a few days of last week in Sherman with the Andrew Koriath Sr. family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hoffman of Wichita Falls spent the weekend here visiting his parents, the John Hoffmans and family.

Jack Fletcher of Wichita Falls was here Saturday for an overnight visit with his parents and grandmother.

Brother Egbert of the Benedictine Mission Home, Schuyler, Neb., visited with the local pastors last Friday.

The Rev. Fathers, Anthony and Andrew were in Denison Tues-

Where Did You Get That Hat?



Patients at a naval hospital get a bang out of a fresh vegetable hat-trimming contest staged by Red Cross recreation workers to make the clock tick faster for hospitalized servicemen.

day night for the closing of Forty Hours Devotions at St. Patrick's church.

The Bob Swirczynskis and children of Ardmore spent Sunday with their parents, the Joe Swirczynskis and Frank Trubench.

David Lehnertz has returned to Houston after a visit here with his parents following a stay at Veterans Hospital in McKinney where he received medical treatment.

Mrs. I. A. Schoech is in Fort Worth this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ferd Yosten and family. Mrs. Yosten had an operation and is reported recovering normally.

Joe Fletcher of Austin, who was here Friday as a member of the Texas Highway Patrol presenting a safety lecture and movie, visited his brother, J.W. Fletcher, before returning to Austin.

Mrs. Joe Schad of Gainesville was the guest of Mrs. Henry Fette Sunday while Mr. Schad attended the Men's Day of Recollection. After the conference he joined his wife for a short visit with the Fettes before returning home.

Mrs. T. W. Cole and son are here for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Carra Pagel and son, Charles. Mr. Cole brought his family to Muenster from Lovington, Colo., and went to Big Spring, Texas, where he has been transferred, to get settled and secure living quarters. He will be back here to take his family to their new home.

T.Sgt. and Mrs. J. P. Janicki and daughters, Cheryl and Donna, and M.Sgt. and Mrs. Harold Falck, all of San Antonio, ar-

ived during the latter part of last week to visit the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Pagel. The Falcks returned home Sunday night and the Janickis left Wednesday afternoon. Sunday the Jerome Pagel family and Maurice Pagel family joined the visitors at their parents' home for an all-day reunion.

13 VFW AUXILIARY MEMBERS ATTEND INSTRUCTION CLASS

Thirteen members of the Muenster VFW Auxiliary attended a school of instruction in Gainesville Monday night when Mrs. Kirkpatrick of Denison gave instructions on parliamentary law and related subjects. After the business, members of the Gainesville Auxiliary served coffee and cake to the group which included members from Gainesville, Muenster, Sherman and Denison. Attending from Muenster were Mmes. John Huchton, Joe Tempel, Ray Wilde, Francis Wiese, Herman Stoffels, Pat Hennigan, Joe Trachta, Ray and Richard Swirczynski, M.H. King, Larry Yosten, Steve Moster and David Trachta.

This story comes from Houston: Driving into this city recently, a lonely New Englander was introduced to a Texan who had just brought in another gusher on a farm inherited from an old aunt. "How's business down here?" inquired the New Englander, intending to promote companionship. "Brother," replied the Texan, "down here we do more business by accident than you do up north on purpose."

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Trachta left Tuesday after spending a week here with his mother, Mrs. Annie Trachta and other relatives. They are at home in Los Angeles, Calif. They made the trip to Texas with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sicking, who spent the week here and in Gainesville with his relatives. The Sicking's live in Saugus, Calif. Harold Trachta of Dallas spent the weekend here for a visit with his mother and the Californians.

Mmes. Ray Evans and Ervin Hamric were Dallas visitors Monday.

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WASHINGTON NEWSLETTER

By ED GOSSETT

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 24. —As predicted in last week's newsletter, the House this week passed the so-called Fair Employment Practices Commission bill, (FEPC). The Washington Star headline read: "House Passes Toothless FEPC Bill." While the bill passed by the House was a milk toast affair, it is exceedingly dangerous. Once a Fair Employment Practices Commission is created, it will in some way or another acquire teeth. The agency would be staffed by negroes and radical members of minority groups. They would write administrative rulings and administrative orders and would acquire in one way or another more and more power. The agitation for this legislation has from the beginning been fomented by agitators and trouble makers. The philosophy back of this legislation is totally absurd. It assumes first, that all people are alike and are equal. It assumes secondly, that any segregation is discrimination.

While some people, of course, favor FEPC, it is curious to note that every communist in America enthusiastically supports such legislation, and of course all of the left wing organizations strongly endorse the movement. When we reach the point where we dictate to a person whom he shall hire and fire, what he shall pay, how and

under what conditions promotions are to be made, then our free enterprise system will be as dead as the dodo. What we have left might be called democracy but it will not be distinguishable from communism.

In this connection, we might note that the Solicitor General of the United States, i.e., the attorney who represents the Department of Justice in matters before the Supreme Court and the Congress, Mr. Phillip B. Perlman, is a strong advocate of FEPC. Mr. Perlman is the gentleman primarily responsible for the recent executive order outlawing segregation in public housing projects. He has recently filed briefs in the Supreme Court asking the Court to hold "separate but equal" facilities in Interstate Commerce to be unlawful. His most recent brief is one he filed in the Sweatt case. The Sweatt case, you will recall, comes from Texas. It's the case where a Negro by the name of Sweatt tried to enter the University of Texas. Although this suit is between Texans, and no official business of Mr. Perlman, he interjects himself into the case and files a brief in which he asks the Court to outlaw all segregation in Texas schools. These reds, the professional dogooders, and many misguided idealists contend that even though Negro schools are better and superior to white schools, they still constitute discrimination and should be outlawed. They seek to mongrelize, if not to bastardize Americans. They do not recognize racial pride and purity as a virtue, but rather condemn it as a vice. In my opinion, Mr. Perlman is a dangerous wolf in sheep's clothing. If he were absolutely honest he would doubtless praise the Russian system of government. In one of his briefs he cites with apparent approval Russian writings and publications which condemn segregation.

On this subject, a Baltimore Congressman tells me that the colored children of the city of Baltimore have better schools and better teaching than do the whites. He explains this by saying that the highly skilled and highly educated Negroes go into the teaching profession, whereas it is difficult to get a



full staff of white teachers who are equally well trained.

There is soon to get under construction, at Falcon, Texas, a gigantic dam across the Rio Grande river. This dam will be approximately 60 miles below Laredo and 150 miles above Brownsville. It is being constructed under a treaty agreement between our country and Mexico. It will cost between 40 and 50 million dollars. Mexico

will pay 42% of the cost and will get 42% of the water. It will have much to do with flood control and with a stable water supply for a substantial portion of the Rio Grande Valley. My colleague, Congressman Lloyd Bentsen, of McAllen, tells me he has just introduced a bill for the relocation of six small towns that will have to be moved to make way for the new lake. These six small towns will

be combined into one town under his bill which will provide funds for their removal. One of these towns is Zapata, the county seat of Zapata County. The present courthouse will be 10 or 15 feet under water when the dam is built and the lake filled.



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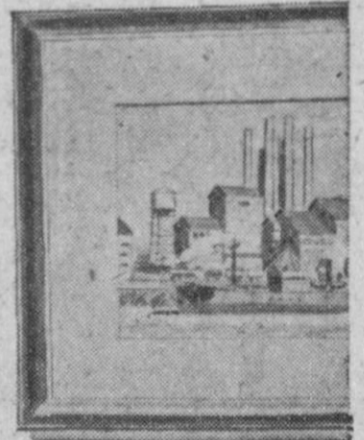
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BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORS JEANNE PIERCE THURSDAY

Mrs. Herman Pierce entertained with a birthday party honoring her daughter, Jeanne, Thursday night in the Pierce home. Twenty-one guests, who remembered the honoree with gifts, enjoyed a social evening of games and visiting and Mrs. Pierce served birthday cake and other refreshments to the group.

Herbie Miller began work at the Muenster Mill Monday.

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It Happened 10 Years Ago

March 1, 1940

Election to merge Muenster and Coppers school districts is set for March 19. Mrs. J.H. Theisen, 79, pioneer Lindsay resident died Feb. 24. J. H. Flood is appointed resident engineer of Electric Co-op. Hospital group launches membership drive. The Martin Bayers announce the arrival of Patricia Anne. Mrs. Felix Becker is reelected president of St. Ann Society. Lena Mae Schmitz is improved after a week's illness of flu. The John Hartmans are honored on their 32nd wedding anniversary. City meets last requirements for sewer construction.

5 YEARS AGO

March 2, 1945

For first time since the Muenster Enterprise was established in November 1936, the weekly ed-

ition failed to be printed. During the week this city was cut off from the world by the worst arctic blast in the community's 56-year history. The city was without electric service from 2:45 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 27, until Saturday when a section of Main street received power. Current at the Enterprise shop was not restored until Tuesday the following week.

Control Disease by Controlling Flies

AUSTIN, TEXAS. — Millions of flies help to cause the illness and death of thousands of children and adults each year in the United States. Hundreds of these casualties may be in the State of Texas this year if residents fail in their responsibility for developing the best possible sanitation measures in the area where they reside. Typhoid fever, summer complaint, and other intestinal diseases can be traced to the common housefly as the carrier of infection.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, speaking in this connection recently said, "Be sure that your windows and doors are tightly screened so that stray flies from a careless neighbor will not endanger your family. Be sure that flies are kept away from food, drink, and utensils used in the preparation of food. Make sure, if you live in rural districts, that outside privy vaults are tightly covered so as not to permit the entrance of flies. Infections from this source can be picked up and spread to human beings through contact with food, drink, and utensils. Keep all garbage covered until collected or buried. Eliminate all breeding places for flies and you will be helping your community in its work of controlling communicable diseases and preventing unnecessary illness."

Dr. Cox said that the State Health Department would furnish upon request a pamphlet outlining safe and practical methods recommended for use in fly control.

Bits of Wisdom

The mystery of mysteries is to view machines making machines.—Benjamin Disraeli.

Never claim as a right what you can ask as a favour.—John C. Collins.

The only sure thing about luck is that it will change.—Wilson Mizner.

The man who is too old to learn was probably always too old to learn.—Henry S. Haskins

Fellowship in joy, not sympathy in sorrow, is what makes friends.—F. W. Nietzsche.

I have never been hurt by anything I didn't say.—Calvin Coolidge.

It is easier to fight for one's principles than to live up to

them.—Alfred Adler.

I have never advocated war, except as a means of peace.—Ulysses S. Grant.

Republics are brought to their ends by luxury; monarchies by poverty.—Montesquieu.

The man who has no secrets from his wife either has no secrets or no wife.—Gilbert Wells.

Citation By Publication THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: George O. Riggs Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Cooke County at the Court House thereof, in Gainesville, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 3rd day of April A.D. 1950, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 16th day of February A.D. 1950, in this cause, numbered 15643 on the docket of said court and styled Jo Ann Riggs Plaintiff, vs. George O. Riggs Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Being a suit for divorce from the bonds of matrimony, for the reason of harsh and cruel treatment on the part of defendant toward plaintiff, and for the care and custody of their minor child, Jearldine Riggs, of plaintiff and defendant, and for general and special relief, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Gainesville, Texas this the 16th day of February A.D. 1950.

(SEAL) Attest: Woodrow U. Clegg Clerk, District Court, Cooke Co., Texas (14-15-16-17)

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School Scribblings

By Students of the Muenster Public School

VOL. I NUMBER 22 Edited by Wilfred Klement and Mildred Hall

The Future Homemakers of America had their regular meeting at 10 a.m. Friday morning in the homemaking department. It was decided that the FFA boys will serve at the FHA Mother and Daughter Banquet and the FHA girls will serve at the FFA Father and Son Banquet.

Alvina Derichsweiler was appointed chairman of the committee to make plans for the manless wedding.

The Future Homemakers are selling coffee and doughnuts at the ten o'clock period on Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday. The money increases the FHA treasury.

The third period homemaking girls served a Brunch Friday, February 24, at 11:30 a.m. to five guests, Mesdames August Walterscheid; Albert Henscheid; Ralph Maglaughlin; T. S. Myrick, chapter mother; and M. A. Muller, chapter mother. The menu consisted of waffles, grapefruit juice, eggs, toast and coffee. Hostess was Alvina Derichsweiler, Assistant Hostess was Margie Kathman; manager, Eva Muller; marketer, Mildred Hall; and waitress, Joan Zipper.

Nine boys at M.H.S. have just about completed a cabin for use on outings. The cabin is located in a grove of cedar trees over looking Red River. Neil Fisher, Mitchel Wolf, Murlin Evans, Johnny Fisher, Roger Wolf, Henry Weinzapfel, James Knaabe, and Theodore Owens spent last Friday night at the cabin.

Patsy Cain is absent from school this week because of mumps.

The third, fourth fifth, and sixth grades accompanied by Mrs. Doyle J. Hood, and Mrs. Rufus Bezner visited the cheese plant Tuesday morning.

Emmett Walterscheid and Glenn Hellman went to the Area Five FFA camp site near Gordonville on Lake Texoma Wednesday, March 1 to make plans for the summer encampment.

Glenn Hellman, Douglas Robison, and Billy Whitt visited the Early Bird Program, the Bob Shelton Show, the S.M.U. campus, and Love Field Airport in



FFA—FHA SQUARE DANCE—Members of the Muenster chapters of Future Farmers of America and Future Homemakers of America observed Valentine Day with a joint party in the K of C hall. The 24 FHA members and 19 FFA members are all vocational students of Muenster High School.

Dallas Saturday, February 25. These boys participated in the program to honor FFA boys during National FFA week.

Theodore Owens and Lawrence Dankesreiter were interviewed over station KGAF Wednesday, February 22. The subjects discussed were the chapter project, chickens, and the importance of clover.

The local FFA chapter has distributed display cards bearing these words: "For Land's sake, plant clover."

James Hammer enrolled in the tenth grade Tuesday.

Jimmy McEntire entered the third grade and Pamela McEntire entered the fifth grade Monday morning. They were students formerly in Ben Franklin School at Gainesville.

The first period homemaking class served a breakfast February 28 to the following guests: Mesdames Frances Mitchell, Gus Hellman, T. S. Myrick, Ed McKinney, and Mr. C.W. Cowan.

The breakfast consisting of grapefruit, waffles, fried eggs, bacon, and coffee was enjoyed by the freshman girls, guests, and Miss Ruby Kelly. Joan Klement was hostess; Doris Reiter, assistant hostess; Anna Grace Herr, waitress; Norma Vogel, manager; and Pauline Myrick was marketer.

The girls who are taking homemaking are doing good work and showing much progress.

Friday afternoon at 2 p.m. the students of Muenster High School and the students from Sacred Heart High School attended a safety show at the Relax Theatre. The show was under the auspices of the Texas Department of Public Safety. This department supervises the State Highway Patrol, the Texas Rangers, and various other agencies which contribute to the public welfare.

Mr. Weldon Cowan introduced a number of the visitors. The two speakers were Mr. Joe Fletcher of Austin who is assistant to Mr. Homer Garrison, director of the Department of Public Safety. Preceding the showing of two safety films, a talk on safety was made by Marvin Blount of the State Highway Patrol. A plea was made by these men for SANE drivers.

Curbing was installed the latter part of last week on Mrs. O. J. Huchton's property in the east part of town.

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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: A suit for divorce from the bonds of matrimony for the reasons of harsh and cruel treatment on the part of defendant toward plaintiff and for reason of his abandoning her more than three years ago, and for the further reason that plaintiff and defendant have lived separate and apart more than 10 years, and for general and special relief, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Gainesville, Texas this the 23rd day of February A. D. 1950.

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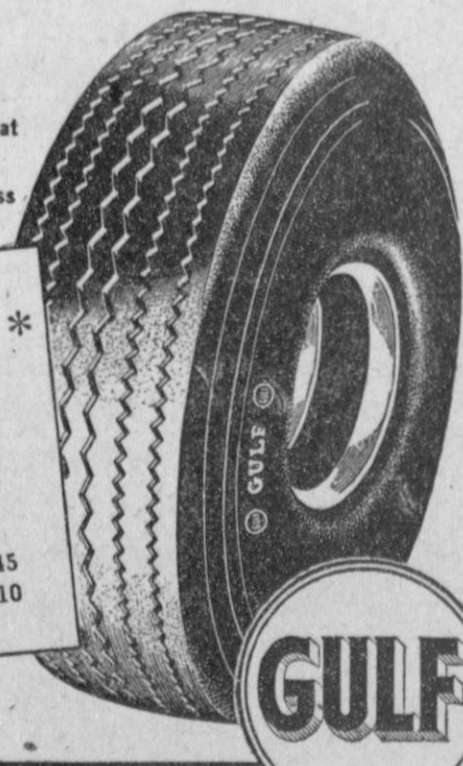
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Upper Elm-Red Soil Conservation District News

DISTRICT SUPERVISORS

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Willard Kemplin, Valley View

A relic of the past was pressed into service this week to serve the present and the future. When a two-row press wheel planter with cotton plates was used to plant a total of over 40 acres to King Ranch Bluestem grass on the farms of Howard Mays of Saint Jo, Alois Trubebach and Eugene Klement of Muenster, and Ralph Davidson and Jake Biffle Jr. of Myra. Bill

Lutkenhaus has sown a waterway to this grass. The waterway connects to a meadow and the grass will be used for hay.

The row plantings of K. R. Bluestem were made for seed production. This introduced grass is a perennial yellow bluestem. It spreads rapidly after it is once established and is very aggressive. When planted in rows properly fertilized and cultivated to eliminate competition the plants will produce two seed crops during favorable years. Very often it produces seed the first year.

Matt Mueller and George Bayer have planted Buffalo grass in their waterways. George



FRENCH RECLAIM SWAMP LAND—Workmen start the first day of work in the reclamation of France's largest swamp, the Marais Vernier, which is 5000 acres. With the help of Marshall Plan aid, the French hope to restore the valuable farmland to use. The swamp is located in the Seine Estuary region in Normandy.

planted a Buffalo grass border on his Bermuda grass waterway to widen it and also to discourage the spread of Bermuda grass.

H.J. Fuhrman, Alphonse Luke, J.W. Hess and Tony Walterscheid have planted Buffalo grass on areas unsuitable for cultivation. The grass will furnish grazing and prevent soil loss when it becomes established.

The big red grass seed drill belonging to the Upper Elm-Red Soil Conservation District is continuing its spring work-out. For the past several days it has been metering out a native grass mixture for Joe, Albert and Herman Danglmayr. The Danglmayr brothers are planting about 150 acres of the native grass mixture to increase the amount of desirable grasses and give improved grazing conditions. The grasses will be used in a deferred grazing program. R. M. Davidson of Valley Creek seeded 25 acres of old field area to the native grass mixture.

Bermuda grass sprig planting began this week with Frank Hacker and Roy Townsley sprigging waterways that will serve as collective terrace outlets. Bill Haverkamp is planting sprigs in a pasture area that was recently cleared of brush.

Cooperators who have already planted their sweet clover include Bill and Hugo Lutkenhaus, Joe Fleitman, Eugene Klement, Henry Wiesman, Ben Luke, and R.M. Zipper.

If ever and whenever a person realizes the truth about himself, it practically ruins his program for reforming others.

A nurse in a mental hospital noticed a patient with his ear close to the wall, listening. The patient held up a finger as a warning to be quiet. Then he beckoned the nurse over and said, Listen here

The nurse listened for some time and then said, I can't hear anything.

No, said the patient, and it's been like that all day!

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for their kindness during our recent bereavement. We are deeply grateful for the spiritual and floral offerings and for the thoughtfulness of the Muenster Council Knights of Columbus. Mrs. Wm. Sicking and Children

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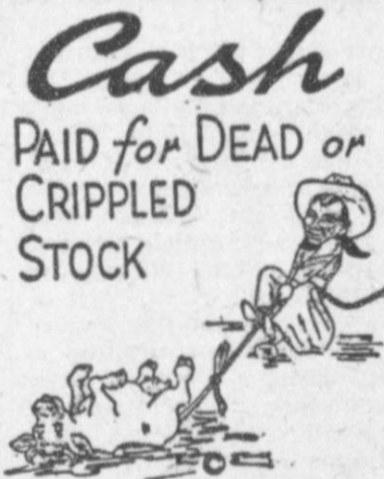
We wish to thank our friends for their kindness during the illness and at the death of our father. The spiritual and floral offerings and other expressions of sympathy are deeply appreciated.

The Family of Fred Bierschenk

First inebriate, raising his glass: "What shall we drink to?"
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THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Mary Evelyn Coldwell Defendant, Greeting:
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the Court House thereof, in Gainesville, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 27th day of March A.D. 1950, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court on the 17th day of December A.D. 1949, in this cause, numbered 15616 on the docket of said court and styled Earl Turner Coldwell Plaintiff, vs. Mary

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

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Gainesville, Texas this the 7th day of Feb. A.D. 1950.

(SEAL) Attest:
Woodrow U. Clegg Clerk,
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By Ruth Wilson Deputy,
(13-14-15-16)



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\$5 REWARD for information resulting in the return of my black cocker spaniel. Answers to name 'Easter'. Tony Tagliavia. 15-1

STILL HAVE some Birthday Calendars for sale at 25 cents. See Mrs. Nick Miller. 15-1

LOST: Rosary; sterling silver chain, black beads. Treasured as keepsake. Mrs. Ben Hellman, Muenster. 15-1p

LOST: One all-leather, sheep lined, aviation glove. Call Mrs. Clarence Hellman, or leave it at the Enterprise office. 15-1

LOST: Billfold. Finder keep the one dollar bills. No questions asked upon return. Joe Starke Jr., Muenster. 15-2p.

NOTICE: Your choice of a funeral director is not determined by a burial insurance policy. We will allow the cash value of burial insurance as payment on our services. Nick Miller, Funeral Director. 14-tf

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IN THE MARKET for junk iron of all kinds. Have lots of good used truck parts. J. P. Flusche, Muenster. 50-tf

5-ROOM house for rent. See J. C. Trachta. 14-2

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Lindsay News

Tony Voth has a new 1950 Chevrolet pickup.

Mrs. Fred Kuhn was dismissed from M&S hospital last Friday after receiving medical treatment.

Leo Zwinggi underwent surgery last Thursday at M&S hospital and is reported recovering normally.

BETTY LOU BEZNER MAKES HONOR ROLL AT O.L.L.C.

Betty Lou Bezner, Lindsay, has been named to the honor roll at Our Lady of the Lake College, San Antonio, where she is a sophomore student. She earned a 2.5 grade average out of a possible 3.

A business administration major, Miss Bezner was recently initiated into Kappa Pi Sigma business administration fraternity. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bezner.

Thoughtful Gifts



This pensive Junior Red Cross member is packing one of the more than 400,000 gift boxes sent to needy children abroad last year.

Cooke County Junior Red Cross has the enviable record of 100% enrollment of all schools, city and county. This year 100 gift boxes have been shipped to children in war devastated areas. \$75.00 was sent to the National Children's Fund to be used for educational needs of children of foreign lands, and a correspondence exchange and album exchange are being made through our schools and the schools of other lands, according to Miss Carolyn McClure, local Junior Chairman.

Blessed Events

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hellinger of Lindsay are the parents of a daughter, Rosina Agatha, born at the Muenster Clinic on Feb. 22. She is their third child and second daughter and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Knabe of this city.

Two births were recorded at the local clinic on Sunday, Feb. 26. A son, Donnie Ray, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilson of Freemound, and a daughter, Janice Lee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Simmons of Fort Worth. Mrs. Simmons is the former Bobbie Landers of Forestburg.

Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Morrow of Nocona are the parents of a daughter, Laujuana Ann, born at the Muenster Clinic Saturday, Feb. 25.

Confetti ---

averages we can depend on enough cooperation to serve the mutual interests of both groups and supply the nation's needs.

After all the comment on last week's election in England, yours truly would feel guilty of passing up a most vital topic if he failed to put in his two bits' worth . . . especially that we of this country should be grateful to the British for telling us in such a concise way that the socialistic form of government is a flop. For the past several years we've heard worlds of propaganda on both sides of the subject, but now we have a direct statement from the public to the effect that socialism is less popular than it was five years ago. England has tried the welfare state and found it wanting.

To us in America the election report serves as so much good advice, and thinking men will doubtless find it useful in their efforts to stem the tide of socialism here. During the coming months we're due to be reminded over and over that the Utopian plan fizzled over there even when sustained by billions of our dollars, so how can it work here when we have no rich uncle to help us along.

Of course President Truman will make his usual attempt to discredit such talk, as he did at the big feast and pep rally last week. Says he "The most difficult thing to make the country believe is that the Democratic party stands for socialism."

Apparently he has something there. Lots of people do refuse to believe that the Democratic

Directors of County Agricultural Club Plan 1950 Program

Directors of the Cooke County Agricultural Club at a special dinner and meeting Tuesday night marked the first anniversary of their organization by mapping out a program for better roads, new farm products and better marketing facilities during the next year.

At the same time the director chose their officers as follows: Lacy Wheeler, president, David Smith Jr., vice-president and Don Howeth, secretary-treasurer.

Other directors for the current year are Frank Aldridge Jr., Weldon Blanton, William Lewis, Tom Cunningham, Keith Kempin, Gregory Hundt, E.F. Carson, Howard Springer, Johnnie Biffle, W. B. Hudspeth, William Bonner, J. M. Weinzapfel, Kenneth Alexander, Johnnie Wilson, and B. A. Dillard.

The Cooke County Agricultural Club is an organization of county farmers and business men working cooperatively to improve farming and marketing conditions in the county.

FHA Girls Sponsor Old Clothing Drive

An old clothes drive for distressed families of Europe is the latest project sponsored by the local chapter of Future Homemakers of America.

Miss Ruby Kelly, faculty sponsor of the group, asked that contributors either deliver their old clothes to the FHA department or notify one of the members to come and get them.

Practice what you preach, but make sure you practice and preach the right thing.

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March 3 through 10
Sunday Matinee begins at 3:30 o'clock
Weekday shows begin at 7 o'clock

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Spencer TRACY — Katherine HEPBURN

SATURDAY

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TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

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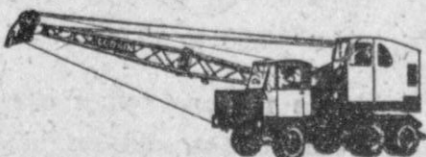
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party is socialistic, and the president's ridicule may serve the purpose of delaying their awakening a while longer. But sooner or later they'll notice that the president's defense is ridicule instead of fact. You can fool people for a while by refusing to call a thing by its correct name, but they catch on eventually. And when they do they are usually resentful.

The president would do this country a big service if he'd put the correct label on his political program and give a candid explanation of what it will lead to. He could save us a lot of confusion and assure himself of early retirement in the bargain.

STATE

THEATRE in Gainesville

Wed.-Thurs.-Fri.-Sat.
March 1-2-3-4

Tyrone Power
Orsen Welles

"PRINCE OF FOXES"

Sat. Prev.
Sun.-Mon.-Tues.
March 5-6-7

Audie Murphy
"KID FROM TEXAS"

Wednesday
March 8

Lucille Ball
Victor Mature
"EASY LIVING"

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THEATRE in Gainesville

Friday-Saturday
March 3-4

Pat O'Brien
"FIGHTING GRINGO"

Sun.-Mon.-Tues.
March 5-6-7

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