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The announcement last week by the accrediting committee of the state department of education is the best news of a scholastic nature that the community has ever had. It means not only that students in both schools have the advantage of courses that measure up to the state's prescribed standards of excellence, but also that each institution will be able to carry on its own program unhampered by the handicap of a sub-standard rating.

That is important because it has a vital bearing on the continued harmony and welfare of the community. All the tension and anxiety of the past year, which in some cases led to unpleasant incidents and strained friendships, are now only things of the past. Patrons of both schools have the assurance that neither needs to be a threat to the other's success.

The fact that both schools have the desired rating is proof that the community is big enough to support both. We know now that Muenster is not faced with the highly controversial problem of choosing between the two, hence that neither group of supporters is in any danger of losing its favorite school.

If we'll look back calmly at the tension of the past year we'll see that fear was the real cause of what ever friction we have had.

First there was the big shake-up in the state's educational system and the decree that districts which did not maintain adequate schools would be absorbed into others. And, incidentally, the decree had teeth in it... more than a few districts were absorbed because of it.

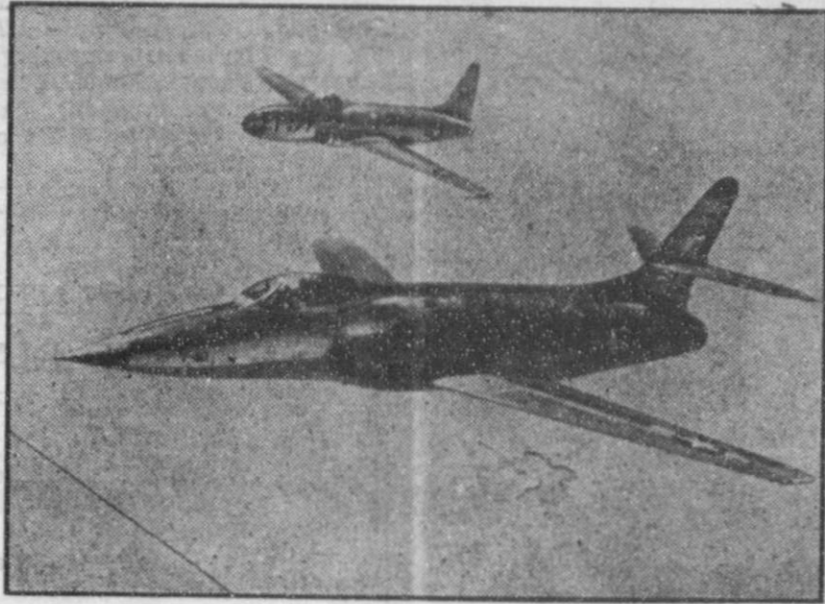
That created a problem for the local school board. Members were aware that they had to raise the standard of their school or see their district, the largest and wealthiest rural district of the county, become a part of some other district. They realized also that in the event of such a development several unpleasant conditions would follow... that children would have many extra miles of bus riding, that Muenster would lose all future opportunity to have public school facilities and probably would pay higher taxes in the bargain.

So they set their course on an all-out program to develop a first class public school here. They went their limit in providing adequate facilities and a fully qualified teaching staff. Their only remaining problem was to get sufficient enrollment.

Meeting that problem is what led to community friction. As the public school's enrollment increased the parochial school's enrollment fell. People became both fearful and resentful that the parochial school would lose its accredited rating and that the school's prestige acquired by years of hard work would be lost.

Last week's announcement, however, shows that those fears were unfounded, and that the community has not only weathered the storm successfully but has emerged in a vastly improved condition. Instead of one good school we have two... plus a greatly expanded selection of subjects. In addition to two good academic courses we now have a good vocational course. Muenster children now have greater scholastic opportunities than at any time in the history of the community. In a few words, no one has lost anything but the community has gained very much. Under the circumstances wouldn't it be proper for everyone concerned to forget about friction of the past and look forward to the harmonious development of our entire school system?

In that connection let's take a glance at the community's educational prospects and try to realize just how fortunate we are. Now all children of the community, whichever school they attend, can receive an excellent and accredited academic course. Heretofore only parochial students had that advantage.



**NEWEST FIGHTER**—The Air Force's newest jet penetration fighter, the XF-90, foreground, flashes through desert skies over Muroc Air Force Base, Calif., on a flight test accompanied by another Lockheed-built jet fighter, the F-80 "Shooting Star." The XF-90, designed to operate deep within enemy territory, has made a number of successful test flights.

## Murder-Suicide Named As Causes In Deaths of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McNelley

A double shooting, determined by officers to be murder and suicide, brought a tragic end to the lives of Roy L. McNelley and his estranged wife, Louise, early Sunday.

Their bodies were discovered about 1 p.m. near Dry Elm creek beside the road which passes at the west side of the Hill Campbell ranch. Three bullet wounds, apparently inflicted at close range, were in Mrs. McNelley's face and head. McNelley's body, slumped over that of his wife, had a single wound in the left temple. Lying nearby were a .45 caliber automatic pistol and a number of cigarette stubs.

The bodies were a short distance from the main road, on a road which a few years ago had led to an emergency creek crossing. Lying behind Mrs. McNelley's new car, they were noticed by several persons earlier in the day, but were believed to be people sleeping off a drunk. Passing the place again several hours later and seeing the car and couple still in the same place, Andy Wimmer and Paul Hutcheson investigated, then notified officers at Gainesville. Clyde J. Matherly, justice of the peace of precinct 1 accompanied.

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## Ruffnecks Win Two But Remain Fourth In League Standing

Two wins during the past week improved the Ruffneck's league percentage but did not change their position in the league standing. They increased their average from 500 to 583 but remained in fourth place trailing Valley View, the Chicks and Nocona.

Playing Saint Jo here Thursday night the Ruffnecks had an even match until the sixth when they shattered a 3-3 tie with a seven run rally and set the final count at 10-3. Saint Jo led off with 2 in the first and added 1 in the third and Muenster caught up with 1 in the second and 2 in the third. Gene Schmitz with a homer and two singles out of 4 times at bat was the team's ace of the evening.

The game with the Merchants at Valley View Tuesday night was a dragged-out affair featured by errors... 5 for Muenster and 3 for the Merchants. It had its tense moments, however, with the lead changing twice before the contest ended and almost changing the outcome in the final inning. Muenster led off with 3 in the first and added one each in the third and fourth. After 1 each in the first and third the Merchants forced a head with 4 in the fifth. Muenster got ahead again with 4 in the sixth and 1 in the seventh and just barely held their 10 to 9 lead by holding the Merchants seventh inning rally to 3.

In other games of the week the Chicks beat Valley View, Nocona beat the Merchants and Valley View beat Saint Jo.

Standings:		
Valley View	9-2	818
Nocona	8-3	727
Chicks	7-3	700
Muenster	7-5	583
Merchants	2-9	181
Saint Jo	1-11	083

## County Census Is 22,058; Muenster Count Not Given

To date the only information Muenster has received on its 1950 census is the report that it is somewhat under 1000. It was submitted last week to Mayor Henry Lynch of Gainesville in connection with a report on the City of Gainesville and Cooke County.

The figures submitted disclosed that the total count in Gainesville is 11,219 and the county total is 22,058. The respective figures ten years ago were 9,651 and 24,909, an increase of 16.2 for the City of Gainesville and a decrease of 11.4 for the county as a whole.

A comparison of the figures discloses one very significant fact, that the county population outside the City of Gainesville has decreased 29 per cent since 1940. The count fell from 15,258 to 10,839. More than half of Cooke County's residents now live in the city of Gainesville.

When Muenster's figures are released they will indicate that the rural population of the county has decreased more than 29 per cent. The only municipality of the county outside of Gainesville it is expected to bring the county's total urban count to about 12,100 leaving a rural population of less than 10,000.

Muenster's population in 1940 was listed at 599 and the increase since then is believed to be near 300. An official census taken here two years ago added to 851.

## News of Sick And Injured

Mrs. August Walterscheid underwent major surgery Wednesday morning at Gainesville sanitarium and will be a patient there about three weeks.

Rev. Andrew Wewer who has been at patient for medical treatment in a Fort Worth clinic since June 12 is expected to return to Muenster this weekend.

Mrs. Frank Kaiser who underwent major surgery at Gainesville sanitarium last week was moved to her home here Tuesday evening and is resting comfortably.

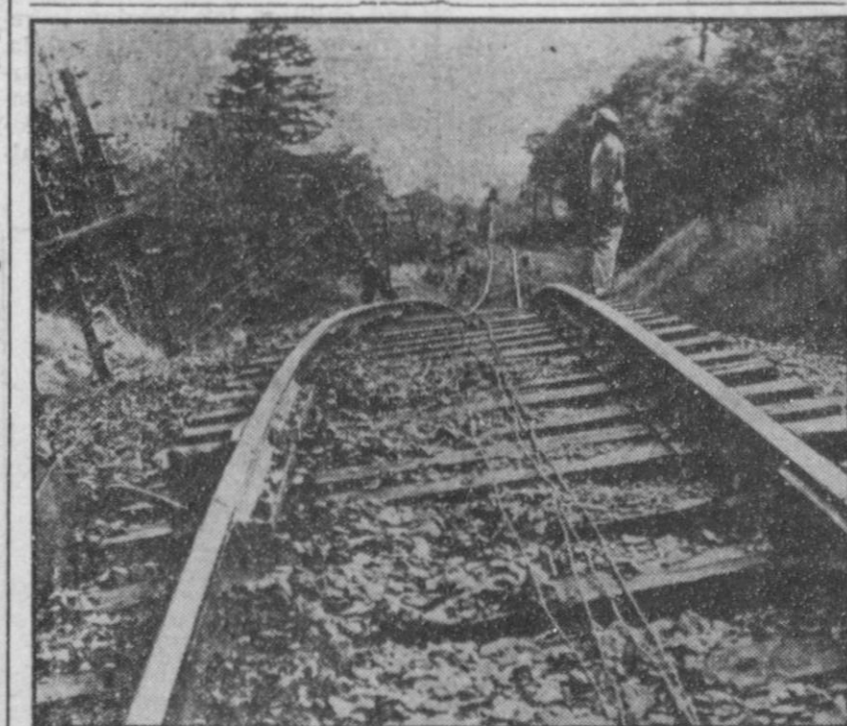
Bobby, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Yosten, had his tonsils removed last Wednesday at Gainesville sanitarium.

Mrs. Earl Fisher is recovering nicely this week after being quite ill with mumps. Another mumps patient, Mrs. Jake Pagel, has recovered and is back at her usual duties in the Pagel store.

Donald Hess, 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hess, has recovered from a tonsillectomy at M&S hospital last week.

Carrie Ann Gehrig is ill this week with mumps. Her brother, Jimmy, has just recovered from the mumps.

Ronnie Dickerson, 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dickerson, had his tonsils removed at the local clinic Monday.



**A LITTLE BUMPY HERE**—What appears to be a roller-coaster railroad is actually the result of a landslide near Bonneville, Ore. The rails were twisted and telephone poles and trees uprooted when the slide sent tons of earth crashing down along the Columbia River Highway.

## State Accrediting Committee Okays All Courses at Local Public School

### Dr. R. C. Widdon, 62, Gainesville Doctor, Dies Early Monday

Dr. Rufus C. Whiddon, 62, for many years a prominent Gainesville physician, surgeon, and civic leader, passed away at 12:30 a.m. Monday, en route to Medical and Surgical hospital after he had suffered a heart attack an hour earlier at his home, 1112 Lindsay street.

Dr. Widdon had apparently been in good health and witnessed the baseball game Sunday afternoon between Gainesville and Waco clubs.

Funeral services were held at First Presbyterian church Tuesday at 10 a.m., the Rev. Matthew Arnold, pastor of First Presbyterian church, Corsicana, officiating. Burial in Fairview cemetery was directed by Geo. J. Carrol & Son Funeral home. Gainesville physicians were honorary bearers.

Dr. Whiddon was born at Mt. Calm, Feb. 1, 1888 and was educated at Baylor University and Baylor Medical College. He was married to Miss Ethel Vaughan Douglas in Corsicana on March 6, 1911, and they lived in Gainesville the past 39 years.

## Community Gets Timely 2.6 Rain

Wednesday morning's six hour soaker measuring 2.6 inches apparently was just right for the community. Coming when combine work was practically finished and before threshing was well started it had little if any ill effects upon grain crops but gave a fine lift to pastures and all growing crops.

According to some opinions here the rain was perfectly timed for corn and the quantity was sufficient to assure a fair crop for the year. Likewise hay crops are started for another good cutting and pastures are similarly pepped up for better grazing.

Rapidly diminishing deliveries to the local grain elevators during the past several days indicated that the combining season is almost over. Practically all that remains of the present harvest is the small percentage of grain to be run through threshers.

Reports on yields vary all the way from 2 to 17 bushels per acre, and the variation generally measures the damage caused by green bugs.

The quality of the grain declined as the season advanced, usually because of excessive weed seeds and trash. In some cases also the kernels were of poor quality.

Wednesday's rain brings the total to date for June up to 5.44 inches.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hoffman of Wichita Falls spent Sunday here with his parents and family.

Effective Friday of last week the Muenster public school was officially designated as an accredited high school.

Meeting in their annual session at Austin the accrediting committee of the state department of education reviewed the school's records of the past year and voted unanimously to approve all courses. Superintendent Weldon Cowan disclosed the good news when he returned from Austin Saturday.

As a result of the committee's approval Muenster now enjoys the status of 100 per cent accreditation in both of its high schools. The parochial school has held the rating for several years.

Official recognition by the state department of education marks the attainment of a goal toward which the board and faculty have directed their most intensive efforts during the past year. From the former year's status of an understaffed faculty, insufficient enrollment and no subjects on the approved list, the school increased both faculty and enrollment beyond the minimum requirements and received official approval for all courses on the curriculum.

The accredited status also assures a favorable opening for the school's new \$300,000 building next September. Recognized as one of the finest and best equipped rural schools in the state it will offer not only the latest advancement in educational facilities and procedures but also an assurance that credits are recognized by the state department of education and accepted for entrance into all the state's colleges.

Since the close of the school year Superintendent Cowan and several assistants have been working daily installing furnishings and equipment in the new building. Many items from the old school have been moved, repaired and refinished, and most of the new equipment is on hand awaiting assembly and installation.

At the same time landscaping is under way. All shrubbery and grass sodding are complete, and gravel is being hauled now to streets and driveways.

Meanwhile the lawns are receiving daily attention to advance them as far as possible for the school's formal opening and dedication on September 4. Congressman Ed Gossett has indicated that he will be here for that event.

## Muenster Continues Perfect Record In T & O Baseball Loop

At the end of their third game the Muenster baseball boys continue their perfect record in the T & O League. Playing Fleetwood here Sunday they nosed out 10 to 9 by a timely winning run in the last half of the ninth.

With Leo Becker on second Cotton Endres delivered the two bagger which broke a 9 to 9 tie and ended the game.

Muenster got off to a good start leading 9 to 2 at the end of the fifth but the visitors evened the count with 2 big innings in the sixth and seventh.

Meanwhile Nocona, playing Capps, won its third straight to share top rating with Muenster. According to reports Sunday Bowle may also be sharing the top spot. After winning two it was scheduled to meet Terra, and the outcome of that game decided whether it remained with the leaders or dropped to second place.

## Schedule of Coming Events

THURSDAY, June 22, Muenster vs Chicks, here.

FRIDAY, June 23, FHA program and dance, school building, 8 o'clock.

SUNDAY, June 25, Muenster vs Fleetwood, there.

TUESDAY, June 27, Muenster vs Valley View, there.

TUESDAY, June 27, Chicks vs Merchants, here

Mrs. Joe Luke returned Saturday morning from a week's visit in Amarillo and Hereford. In Amarillo she was at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Emil Herr who underwent major surgery on Saturday, June 10. When Mrs. Herr was permitted to be moved to her home on the 16th she accompanied her to Hereford and returned to Muenster from there.

### Ceremony June 12 Unites Bill Hoehn And Amarillo Girl

Rita Marie King became the bride of Bill Hoehn in a formal ceremony performed in Sacred Heart Cathedral in Amarillo on June 12 at 9 a.m. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. King of Amarillo and the groom is the son of A. T. Hoehn of this city.

Rev. Francis A. Smyer officiated at the double ring ceremony and nuptial mass. Bouquets of shasta daisies and gladioli banked by palms and fern decorated the altar.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an eggshell satin gown with fitted bodice, sweetheart neckline, petal point sleeves and bouffant skirt extending into a cathedral length train. A tiara of marquessette petals and seed pearls secured her three tiered fingertip veil,

and she carried a cascade of white roses and stephanotis abundant with white satin streamers.

The bride's sister, as maid of honor, and three bridesmaid, wore chartreuse taffeta frocks with matching coronet head-dresses and carried cascade bouquets of English ivy and Esterred daisies. The tiny flower girl was similarly attired and carried a basket of pink rose petals. John Furbach Jr. was one of the ushers.

A wedding breakfast at King's Cottage Tea room followed the church services and the bride's parents received guests into their home for a reception.

For their wedding trip through Texas, Old Mexico and Colorado, Mrs. Hoehn chose a bronze iridescent taffeta ensemble accented by white accessories and a corsage of white roses. After June 26 they will be at home in Cactus, Texas.

The bride is a graduate of St. Mary's Academy, Amarillo, where she was vice president of the senior class and prefect of Our Lady's Sodality.

Mr. Hoehn attended school in Muenster and graduated from Gainesville High school and Gainesville Junior college. He is employed by Phillips Chemical company since he left this city about two years ago.

A. T. Hoehn, father of the bridegroom, was among guests at the wedding.

Previous to the wedding the bride was honored with a series of pre-nuptial parties, one of them given by Mrs. John Furbach.

### Henry Stelzer and Mrs. Anna Havis Wed Early Tuesday

A quiet nuptial service Tuesday morning at 5:30 in Sacred Heart church united Mrs. Anna Havis and Henry Stelzer. Rev. Anthony Schroeder, pastor, officiated at the exchange of the vows by the couple and read the nuptial mass.

The bride wore a becoming navy blue linen dress with white accessories. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Bill Stelzer, who wore a tan linen suit with brown and white accessories.

James Eckert was best man. After the service, a breakfast in the Bill Stelzer home honored the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Stelzer are making their home in Muenster.

### FHA Girls Sponsor Program and Dance

Girls of the Muenster FHA chapter this week extended a general invitation to the community to attend their "Manless Wedding" and dance Friday night in the new school. The program is a benefit affair to raise funds for the club's treasury.

It will begin with the stage presentation in the auditorium at 8 o'clock. After that, about 9, the dance will begin in the gymnasium. The Harmony Boys will play.

### Blessed Events

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Biffle announce the birth of 7½ pound son, David Lee, at the local clinic on June 14 at 6:40 p.m. Also welcoming the new baby are his brothers, Jimmy and Sammy, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H.N. Selby of Ringgold and Sam Biffle of Muenster.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Spurgeon and children left Sunday to return to Oklahoma City, Okla. They were here for her parents' golden wedding celebration and spent a week's vacation with them and other relatives.

## Political Announcements

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

**State Senator**  
JOE D. CARTER

**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

TQM BLOUNT, reelection

**County Superintendent**

HUBERT H. MOSS, reelection

**District Clerk**

WOODROW U. CLEGG

**State Representative**

AUSTIN WESTBROOK

CLIFF C. GARDENER, reelection

**County Judge**

JOHN ATCHISON  
reelection

Mrs. John Furbach and son, Johnny, of Amarillo will leave Saturday on the Queen Elizabeth from New York City for 62 days abroad. Their extensive itinerary includes London, Rural England, The Hague, Cologne, Frankfurt, Baden-Baden, The Black Forest, Munich, The Passion Play at Oberammergau, Lucerne, Venice, Rome, Isle of Capri, Ruins of Pompeii, Paris, Versailles, and other cities and spots of interest.

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## LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Arlie Dillon attended a Chevrolet school in Fort Worth Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Herr of Pilot Point visited here Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Fred Herr Sr., and family.

Work started this week on a remodeling project which amounts to practically a new home for the Jack Tuggles. Along with a 3-room addition workmen are making extensive changes on the original two

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wilde and sons joined his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wilde and daughter, Bernadine, of Gainesville on a fishing trip to Lake Texoma Sunday. Their biggest thrill of the day was landing a 26 pound catfish.

John Lewis Hess has a new Chevrolet tudor sedan, Al Eberhart has a new Chevrolet 4-door sedan, and B. A. Tally has a Power Glide 4-door Chevrolet. Ralph Maglaughlin has a new Plymouth sedan and Herbert Meurer has a new Kaiser sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Luke visited here during the weekend with his parents, the Joe Lukes. The Norman Lukes are at home in Dallas but will spend the next four weeks in Longview where his company has sent him for temporary duties.



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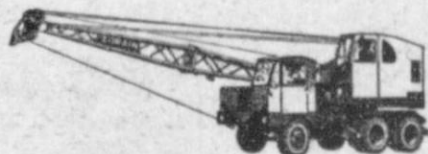
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**Double Ring Ceremony June 15 Unites  
Florence Moster and Richard Grewing**

Miss Florence Moster became the bride of Richard Grewing on Thursday morning, June 15th, in Sacred Heart church at 8:30. The bride is the only daughter of Mrs. Theresa Moster and Mr. Grewing is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Grewing, all of Muenster.

Rev. Anthony Schroeder, pastor, officiated at the double ring service and at the nuptial high mass. Pink and white gladioli adorned the altar before which the couple exchanged vows.

Anthony Luke, organist, played the wedding marches and accompanied the church choir in singing the mass. Thomas and Charles Moster, young brothers of the bride, were servers at the mass.

Entering the church on the arm of the bridegroom the bride was lovely in a gown of white satin. The moulded bodice was topped with a sheer yoke outlined with chantilly lace simulating an off-shoulder effect. The full length sleeves came to points over her hands and the voluminous skirt with modified bustle effect extended into a cathedral length train. The bridal veil of imported illusion edged with chantilly lace was finger tip length attached to a tiara of seed pearls and the bride's flowers were an arm bouquet of red roses. Her only jewelry was a single strand of pearls and she added the traditional sentiment by carrying a blue handkerchief borrowed from

Miss Kathryn Hartman.

Miss Angeline Grewing and Joseph Moster, sister and brother of the couple were attendants.

Miss Grewing wore a bouffant blue marquisette frock with a matching shoulder length veil secured with clusters of blue forget-me-nots and carried a colonial bouquet of yellow mums

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Moster wore a green floral print with black accessories. Mrs. Grewing wore a navy sheer with navy and white accessories. Both had shoulder corsages of white carnations. Also wearing white carnation corsages were the groom's two grandmothers, Mrs. Peter Bindel and Mrs. S. Grewing.

Breakfast, after the ceremony was served in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Moster to members of the bridal party and Father Anthony. A blue and white color scheme was noted in the dining room and the breakfast table held an arrangement of daisies.

At three o'clock a reception began at the Grewing home. About 100 persons were guests there and at 6 o'clock were served a buffet supper in the parish hall. The bride's table carried out her colors and was centered with a large decorated wedding cake which the couple cut and hostesses served to the guests. Mrs. Eugene Schmitz presided at the bride's book to

register the guests. A dance in the K of C hall was the concluding feature of the day's program.

After the dance Mr. and Mrs. Grewing left by car on a wedding trip not revealing their destination. They will make their home in the north part of the city.

For traveling Mrs. Grewing wore a green bemberg print dress with white accessories and a white carnation corsage.

Mrs. Grewing is a graduate of Sacred Heart High school with the class of 1949 and is employed at the Shanty. She will be back on duty July 1. Mr. Grewing was born and educated in Muenster and is in business here as a member of the G. M. and Grewing Brothers Well Service.

Out of town wedding guests included Mrs. Bertha O'Callaghan of McCamey, Mrs. Joe Prescher of Scotland, Mrs. Fred Steinberger and two children of Windthorst, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bindel and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Koerner and daughter of Pilot Point.

**Pre-Nuptial Party**

Complimenting the bride with a pre-nuptial party and miscellaneous shower Misses Joyce Sims and Kathryn Hartman entertained on the evening of June 12 in the home of Mrs. E. P. Buckley.

Seventeen friends of the honoree presented a shower of pretty presents and spent the evening informally playing games and visiting. Game prizes were won by Misses Gertrude Bindel, Stella Streng and Mary Evelyn Hofbauer who in turn presented them to the honor guest.

The hostesses served a dessert course to close the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Malone and children of Fort Worth were here for a weekend visit with her mother, Mrs. Katie Roberg and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Grewing have returned from a wedding trip that took them to Colorado and other points of interest enroute.

**Friday-Saturday Bargains**

- Tomato Juice, Magic Garden, 46 oz. .... 23c
- Pork & Beans, Dorman, 16 oz. .... 3 for 25c
- Shredded Rice, (Special Deal) ..... 2 for 19c
- Apple Sauce, No. 2 can ..... 2 for 29c
- Vienna Sausage, Hostess ..... 2 cans 29c
- Coffee, Polar Bear ..... lb. 69c
- Tea, Griffin, with glass 4 oz. pkg. .... 29c
- Corn, Kounty Kist ..... 2 cans 25c
- Apricots, in heavy syrup, No. 2 1/2 can ..... 25c
- Catsup, Hunt's ..... 19c

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## WASHINGTON NEWSLETTER

By ED GOSSETT

WASHINGTON, D. C. June 16.—The new liberalized DP Act has now become law. The bill passed in the last Congress would have admitted 205 thousand DP's. This law expires on June 30. The new law permits the admission of 341 thousand so-called DP's. I objected to many features of the old bill, and voted against the new one. However, the new bill does have some improvements over the old. It permits among the 341 thousand to be admitted, the admission of 54 thousand German "expellees". It has always been my contention that the German "expellees" were of better stock than were most of the so-called DP's who have been cared for in our DP camps since 1945 and 1946.

The Immigration Committee today started hearings on a number of bills to increase the Italian quota. A half-dozen Congressmen from districts in which the Italian vote is large are urging such legislation. I shall certainly oppose any further liberalizing or increasing of immigration into this country.

For the past week Washington has been afflicted by a milk strike. Nine big dairies in the so-called "Washington Milk Shed" have a complete monopoly on supplying milk to the one and one half million persons who live in the metropolitan area of Washington. Now no one can get milk without a doctor's certificate. During the last ten years we have paid a Washington dairy more than \$2,500 for milk. What we may be forced to pay after the strike is over is anyone's guess.

The Political Action Committee of the CIO (CIO-PAC) is having a big national rally in Washington today. They are discussing ways and means of defeating Congressmen who have so-called bad labor records. Anyone who voted for the Taft-Hartley Bill, for example, has a bad labor record, regardless of other considerations. Following the day's rally, those attending will have a party on the south lawn of the White House.

Mr. Sam Rayburn, Speaker of the House of Representatives, this week assured me that we would get a vote on the so-called Lodge-Gossett Amendment before the adjournment of Congress. This amendment has been passed in the Senate, and it is my hope that we will be able



## THE INFILTRATION DANGER

One of the ever-present dangers to American freedom is the mistaken belief among so many of our people that our freedom-giving institutions are too strong to become critically affected by infiltration of a few Communists or socialists. The facts of history reject such a belief but it nevertheless prevails. Most Americans simply cannot ac-

cept the idea that a few Communist "cells" or a few Fabian Socialist "nests" could gain any real crippling control over our institutions.

But actually that is one of the basic secrets of the radical zealots—small and relatively unnoticed in number, cunning in strategies, powerful in influence. The public is lulled into a false sense of security; and then one day the people awake to find their national institutions con-

trolled by the once insignificant little handful. A reading of the classics of Communism or a study of the steps to power engineered by the English Fabian Socialists clearly shows that by their own designs these destroyers of individual freedom are never more than a handful compared to the population of the nations they sabotage.

**The Czech Downfall**  
 Czechoslovakia is the classic example of the Communist tech-

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The coming to power of the Fabian Socialists in Great Britain is still a better awakener for the millions of Americans who are so reluctant to be forewarned, "It could happen here!" Dr. Christopher Daniels, the distinguished British physician and business man now lecturing in America, makes the following provocative statement: "Any movement that can overwhelm England is capable of overwhelming any other nation in the world today."

**In America Too**  
 Flynn says the Fabian Socialist handful instituted their scheme to capture the British government many years ago when Great Britain was one of the mightiest nations on earth. "It was into this immense and virile (nation)," he says, "that this small coterie of Socialist doctrinaires thrust themselves. Nine years later (their) Labor Party had representatives in the British cabinet." By 1949 the Fabian "handful" ruled supreme in England. Of the 390 Socialist members in Parliament, 230 were members of the Fabian Society, and 41 Fabians were in the Cabinet.

The counterpart of England's Fabian Society is now operating in America. There can be no question about the similarity of some of our "step by step" congressional measures and proposals and the ones which became the entering wedges for conversion of the truly great nation of Great Britain into a third rate Socialist state. A striking example is the socialized medicine proposals. The English Fabians played the "health" issue strongly. It was the "bait," the "come-on." When they had hooked the people with it, they decided that transportation, coal and other resources had a bearing on "health" and should be socialized. Will our ignorance and lack of vigilance permit the "few" to get a strangle hold on our nation?

to get the necessary two-thirds vote in the House.  
 The Legislative Reference Service of the Library of Congress has this week furnished me with some very interesting figures on the monetary costs of our major wars. Three major items go into computation of these costs. One column shows expenditures by the Army and Navy during the fiscal years of said wars. A second column shows the interest on debts incurred during the life of such debts, or down to June 30, 1949. The third item computed is veterans pensions, compensation, readjustment and rehabilitation costs down to June 30, 1949. These figures for seven major conflicts are as follows: Revolutionary War (1775-83) - \$206.6 million; War of 1812 (1812-15) - \$226.2 million; Mexican War (1846-48) - \$200.8 million; Civil War (1861-65) - \$14,256.0 million; Spanish American War (1898) - \$3,329.5 million; World War I (1917-18) - \$57,206.4 million; World War II (1941-45) - 408,185.8 millions.

It is interesting to note that World War II, figured down to June 30, 1949 only, has already cost us more than \$408 billion. By the end of this century World War II will have cost us at least \$600 billion. All the other costs of all the other wars combined pale into insignificance when compared to this gigantic figure. Monetary costs, of course, are not as great as the loss of life and the disability, disease and suffering that follows. Wars kill off the best, not the worst.  
 The avarice, selfishness and stupidity of men make even a good Christian sometimes wonder if man actually was created in the image of God. How long will man's inhumanity to man continue to make countless millions mourn?



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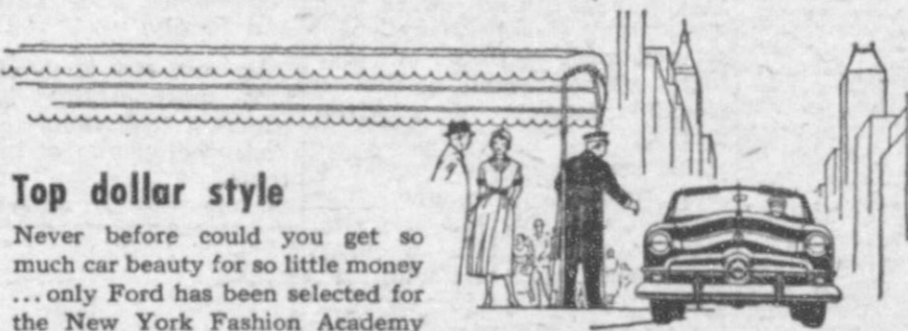
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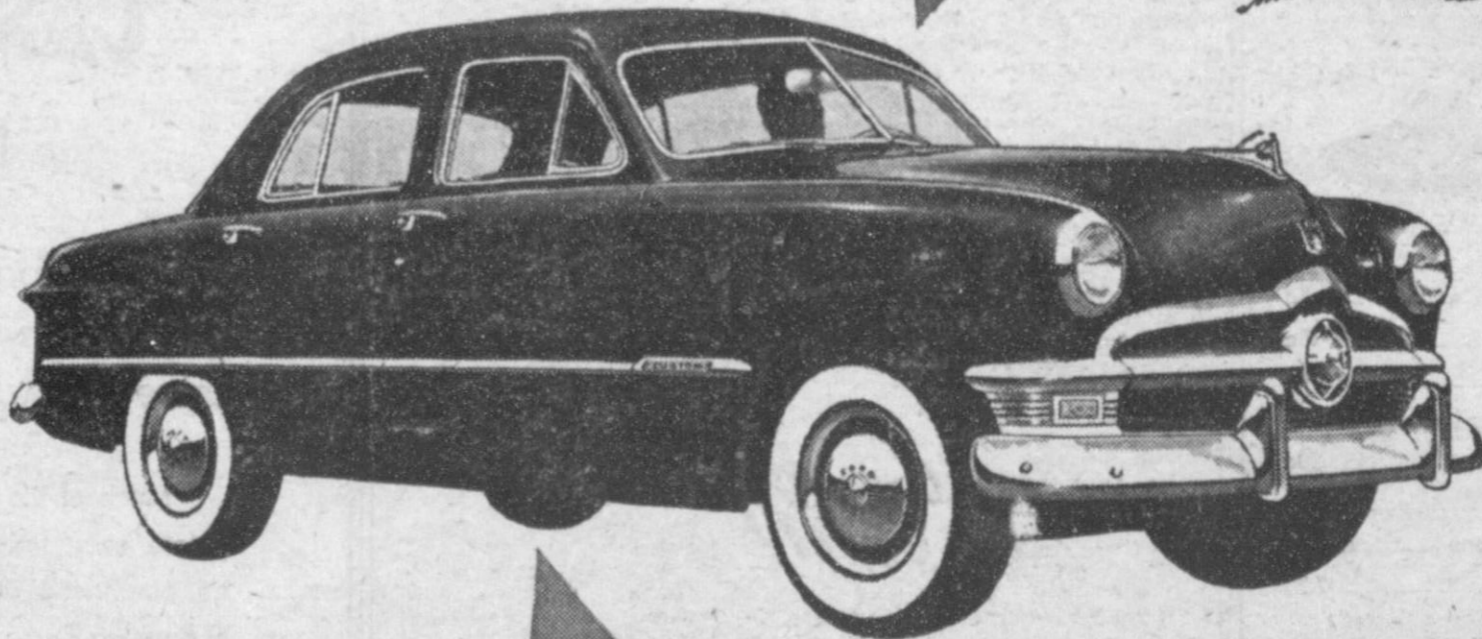
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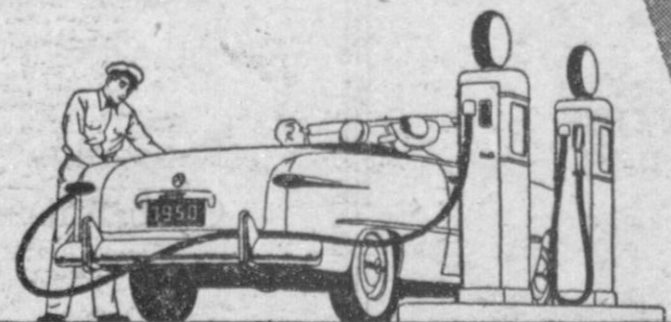
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**Allan Shivers Asks "Term of My Own" As Texas Governor**

Gov. Allan Shivers, in formally announcing his candidacy for a first elective term as Governor, said he has done his best to carry out a program for Texas in a manner acceptable to the people of Texas, adding: "If I have succeeded, I will appreciate their votes for a term of my own."  
Shivers, who assumed the Governorship last July, had not held a full-time governmental job before becoming Governor. He was elected to the State Senate in 1934 and twice re-elected. In 1946 he was elected Lieutenant Governor and re-elected to that office in 1948. Born in Lufkin, he spent his boyhood in Tyler County and later moved with his family to Port Arthur. "Between now and the July 22 election I will continue to make known my views on important public issues," Governor Shivers stated. "I will emphasize facts and record of accomplishment, instead of easy promises, and will address myself to all the people of Texas rather than to any special group."  
The Governor said he considers economy to be the State's top problem. "And that means economy of money, of our soil and of our water resources," he added.

**FORTY-TWO CLUB MEETS IN WALTER KLEMENT HOME**

Members of the Forty-Two Club met last Wednesday night, June 14, for their monthly get-together in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Klement.  
Game winners were Frank Schilling for receiving high score and Mrs. Albert Fleitman, the consolation favor. Victor Hartman won the galloping award.  
The hostess served refreshments to the 20 members after the 42 series.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfonse Felderhoff returned last Thursday from their wedding trip that took them through Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico.

Miss Marilyn Gremminger of Wichita Falls came to Muenster to spend Fathers Day with her parents, the Ted Grimmlingers and family.

**Whooping Cough Fatal to 46 Texas Children in 1949**

AUSTIN, Texas — How many people do you know that still cling to the old-fashioned idea that the sooner children catch the so-called diseases of childhood, the better off they'll be?  
Take whooping cough, for example. Isn't it ridiculous for children to have to suffer with it when it may be prevented by simple vaccination?  
Whooping cough goes by the scientific name of pertussis. Regardless of what you call it, it still means violent, painful wracking coughing that takes the breath and tears at the chest and throat walls.  
Pertussis is prevalent among children everywhere. About 15 out of every 100 cases are in children under two. North America, from time to time, seems to have more than its share of cases.  
Sometimes it's fatal, especially to very small children. About 85 out of every 100 whooping cough deaths are among two-year-olds and less. And, strangely enough, most deaths are among girls. In 1949 Texas had 46 whooping cough deaths.  
Whooping cough is spread through droplet infection—that is, by breathing air contaminated by a sneeze or cough of an infected person. You can get it from using the personal things of an infected person, too. It is communicable from about 7 days after exposure until three weeks after the coughing starts.  
The important thing about whooping cough is that vaccination may protect against it. It's the only thing that will. If an unvaccinated child gets the disease, he will thereafter have what is called a "definite and prolonged immunity." But the fact of the matter is that second attacks have been known to occur.  
Vaccination of all preschool children is the answer to control "Booster" shots may be advisable within a year after the initial vaccination. Your family doctor will make that decision.  
Friends here have received greeting cards from the Jim Cooks from Old Mexico. On a vacation trip, the Cooks are enroute to the West Coast.

**PRE-NUPTIAL PARTY HONORS MISS BERTHA HAVERKAMP**

Miss Bertha Haverkamp, bride-elect of Johnnie Sturm, was complimented with a pretty pre-nuptial party and miscellaneous shower Friday night, June 16, with Mrs. Anthony Luke, Mrs. Ray Kupper and Miss Dolores Sturm as co-hostesses. The courtesy was in the form of a lawn party at the Luke home.  
Informal diversion on the lighted lawn included paper and pencil games in which Mrs. Ben Lake and Miss Rosalee Fuhrman won prizes. They presented them to the honoree who opened and displayed an assortment of lovely gifts from the guests.  
The hostesses served refreshment plates to 29 guests.  
Miss Haverkamp's marriage to Mr. Sturm will be solemnized next Tuesday, June 27th, in Sacred Heart church here at 8:30 a.m. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Haverkamp of Muenster and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sturm of Gainesville.

**SURPRISE SUPPER PARTY GREETES J. J. HAVERKAMP**

A surprise party in observance of Father's Day greeted J. J. Haverkamp Sunday night at his home. Arranged by his children, the party was held on the lawn and began with a fried chicken supper at 7 o'clock.  
All of the honor guest's children and his granddaughter were in attendance. Present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kupper of Lindsay and Johnnie Sturm of Gainesville.  
Members of the Holy Name Society enjoyed a stag party in the church basement Monday night with games and other informal diversion and refreshments. About 25 boys were present.  
Guests in the Dick Cain home last week were Messrs. and Mmes. John Hogan and children and O. G. Bates, all of Lubbock. Little Miss Judy Cain accompanied her uncle and aunt, the John Hogans, to Lubbock for a visit.  
Mr. and Mrs. David Trachta had as guests Monday and Monday night Mr. and Mrs. Bob Zeemer of Fox, Okla. Messrs. Zeemer and Trachta were friends in the oil fields of Michigan more than 10 years ago and hadn't seen each other since that time.

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**EXPERT URGES GRAMMAR LAXITY USED IN NORMAL CONVERSATION**

CHICAGO.—Don't feel bad if you say "it's me" or "if I was you" or use "whom" for "who" or vice versa—in informal conversation, that it.

Anyone can even go right ahead and say "don't feel badly" if he (or they, for that matter) wants to.

Finding fault with people who say such things is the sort of thing up with which Prof. Ernest Samuels will not put.

Prof. Samuels, director of freshman English at Northwestern University here, thinks it's silly to reproach a person for making such errors—and who says they're errors?—in informal conversation.

"It's linguistic good manners not to pay so much attention to form, if the thought is there," said Samuels. "To do so is to be unbearably stuffy."

**No Final Authority**

The professor made it clear, however, that he was referring to informal conversation even informal talk among educated, cultivated people. In formal speaking and writing, though it's another matter. Then it's best to follow what are accepted generally as the rules.

But when you come right down to it, there is no final authority on grammar, he said.

"That's the most painful discovery of the student—that there is no final word on what is right and what is wrong. Even the dictionaries don't always agree.

"Thoughtful, conscientious language grows underfoot," Samuels said. "It must keep moving or it is the language of yesterday, not the language of today."

In 1898, Samuels pointed out, the following words were termed "not in reputable use" by a Harvard University professor, one of the foremost authorities of the time: Hard up, fetch, cunning, brainy, sleeper (for Pull-

man car), to size up, hustle, run (a business) illy, cute.

**Good Earthy English**

"Now each is good earthy English," Samuels said.

"We try to teach our students how to think clearly, how to express themselves honestly. At the same time, we make an effort to teach them rhetoric, how to punctuate, how to put ideas across logically.

"Effective communication is the most important consideration. If one cannot be understood, it is preposterous to pay lip service to abstract standards of correctness.

"If language is a tool of communication, it is foolish, isn't it to talk the way one thinks he ought to talk? We must use the language we have with skill and understanding," Samuels said.

Good, English, he added, is not found in books. "Good English is what people write and say."

For, as the late Clarence Darrow once put it: "Even if you do learn to speak correct English, who are you going to speak it to?"

Most authorities on good English approve "it's me" in informal conversation, Samuels said. Most also think it makes little difference whether a speaker says "I will" or "I shall," or "should" or "would," or "different than" or "different from."

"For the most part," Samuels said, "it depends on the particular sentence."

**Formal Subjunctive Dying**

The professor said that in conversation it makes no difference

whether the word used is "who" or "whom." "When a person starts a sentence in conversation, he often doesn't know where he's going until he gets there. The 'who' or 'whom' may be far back in the sentence, when the speaker decides how he's going to end it.

"In formal writing, though," he added, "the writer may go back, if necessary, and change the 'who' to 'whom'."

The formal subjunctive—"if I were you"—is dying out, Samuels said. "If I was you" is acceptable in conversation. To insist on 'if I were you' is to be pedantic."

Ending a sentence with a preposition, Samuels continued, is something most experts put their approval on. Experts who object are experts Samuels won't agree with.

He also finds no fault with persons who say "Everyone get their coats," or use "farther" and "further" with out distinction.

**Colloquialisms Okayed**

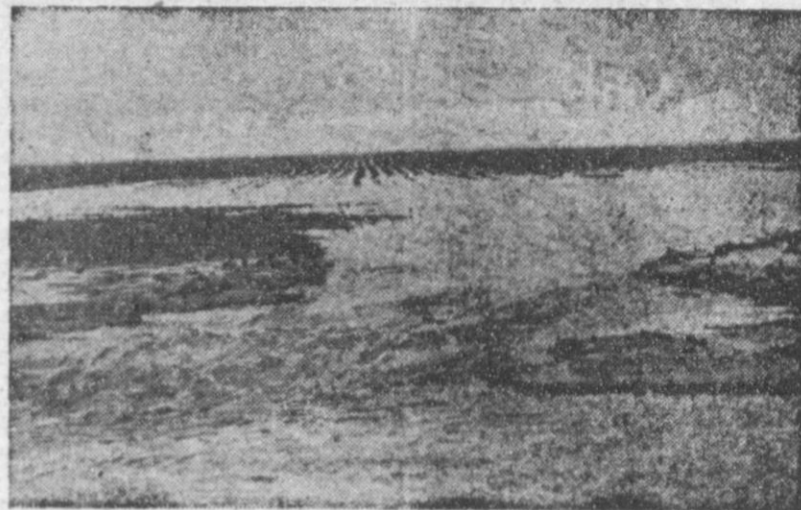
"In formal writing one should use 'farther' in the sense of distance, and 'further' for time, quantity, or degree," Samuels said, "but the distinction is not kept in informal usage. There is a tendency, however, to use 'further' in all cases.

Colloquial speech, the professor said, "is perfectly good English on occasions—when it is perfectly good English."

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoedebeck and family left Thursday to return to their home in San Diego, Calif., after being here for his parents' golden wedding celebration. Mrs. Clem Reiter accompanied her brother and family as far as Hereford where she is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Adolph Knabe and family.



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### Joe D. Carter of Sherman Announces For State-Senator

Recent political developments took on renewed significance when State Representative Joe D. Carter of Sherman, Texas, announced his candidacy for the office of State Senator, Dist. 9, seeking the post being vacated by Senator Charles R. Jones of Bonham. His decision to seek this advancement was a result of urging and insistence by his many friends in Cooke, Grayson and Fannin Counties.

Mr. Carter was born in Sherman, Texas, the son of Judge and Mrs. R. M. Carter. He was an honor graduate from Sherman High School in 1939 and entered the University of Texas that same year to begin the study of law. Carter withdrew at the end of the Fall Semester of 1942 to enter the United States Air Forces and served as a Fighter Pilot in the European Theater, being a member of the 8th Air Force under General Jimmy Doolittle. Among other citations for combat service, he was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and Purple Heart. Upon his discharge from the Air Force, Carter reentered the University of Texas in 1946 and received his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1947, majoring in Government. In January of 1948 he was awarded his Bachelor of Laws degree from the University of Texas Law School. At the present time he resides with his wife in Sherman and is engaged in the active practice of law.

Joe D. Carter is fully qualified to serve as the State Senator from this district. Not only has his education and background prepared him, but his rich experience as the State Representative from Grayson County will be of inestimable value. As a member of the Legislature he became skilled in the art of parliamentary tactics and adept in writing, analyzing and handling legislation. As Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Insurance and member of the Committees on Judiciary, Criminal Jurisprudence, Game & Fisheries, and Aeronautics, he gained a wide knowledge of the arts and science of law making.

"I fully realize that important and far-reaching proposals will face the next session of the Texas Legislature," Carter said. "The financial dilemma our State finds itself in must be met head-on with that same spirit and determination that has made Texas great. Only in such a manner and with such an attitude can the legislative members solve this staggering problem. To try to dodge the issue would not be keeping faith with the people."

Carter has long been an advocate of economy in the administration of State business. He said that "one finds many instances of overlapping of functions and duplication of effort, resulting in a waste of the taxpayers' money. Efficiency of administration would contribute to a reduction of such waste and would alleviate the problem of raising new revenue."

Joe D. Carter is keenly aware of the needs for his district, especially in regard to old age assistance, rural roads, welfare and local schools. He is always readily available to discuss the problems of the laboring man, the farmer, the business man and the member of any profession. In the course of the campaign, he expects to contact personally as many people as possible and learn their opinion on State problems. You may fur-

### Big Loan Supports Lone Star's 5-Year Expansion Program

At a closing held in Dallas, Lone Star Gas Company concluded a loan of \$85,000,000 which will be used to retire outstanding debt and finance a five-year expansion program totaling \$81,406,856, according to President D. A. Hulcy.

The loan, in which leading financial institutions participated, was closed Friday, June 9, in the board room of the Republic National Bank in the presence of representatives of the lending agencies and Lone Star.

Mr. Hulcy said the loan, "Probably the largest single financial transaction ever closed in Texas," is evidence that the strong institutions believe in the future of Lone Star and have faith in the vast territory which it serves in Texas and Oklahoma.

The expansion program calls for construction of gathering and transmission lines, compressor stations, exploration and the drilling of wells, extensions and additions to local gas distribution systems, and many other facilities, all of which will enable the company to render a more complete gas service to its 500,000 customers in Texas and Oklahoma and meet the requirements of the system's anticipated growth. During the past twelve months, Mr. Hulcy said, Lone Star added more than 46,000 new customers and it is apparent that the years immediately ahead will witness a comparable rate of growth.

"Lone Star Gas Company is experiencing the greatest period of growth in its 41-year history," he continued, "And we are keeping step with this growth by making gas available upon demand. We have great faith in the continued development of

ther anticipate his expressing his views on vital issues over the radio and in the newspaper. (Political Advertisement)

the territory we serve. To the extent we are planning five years ahead to meet requirements of this growth. For some of the largest financial institutions in the country to collectively lend \$85,000,000 to Lone Star Gas Company is evidence that they too believe in the future of Lone Star and the growth and development of the area which it serves."

### 18,003 Texans Died Of Heart Diseases During Past Year

AUSTIN, TEXAS — Heart disease is the number one killer in Texas and last year there were 18,003 deaths from diseases of the heart, said Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

What kind of a heart have you? The periodic check-up with your physician will tell you. The Tuberculosis Survey in the state conducted by the Texas State Department of Health has brought to light many non-tuberculous abnormalities, some of these have been heart conditions.

The three present major forms of heart trouble are: rheumatic heart disease, high blood pressure and coronary heart disease. Rheumatic heart disease, the most common type of early life, occurs as the result of one or more attacks of rheumatic fever. It is a public health problem for which very little has been done, yet with early diagnosis and proper medical care during the acute and convalescent stages, children who develop rheumatic fever can be largely spared from rheumatic heart disease in later life.

Another major cause of heart trouble is high blood pressure or hypertension. This is the most common heart disease of middle age. There is a great deal that is not known about this disease, but we do know that it is most common in people who are overweight, and that it is associated with long, continuous nervous strain, high tension and constant worry. Treatment of high blood pressure is fairly

successful in the majority of cases.

Coronary heart disease is a disease of the arteries which supply the heart muscle itself with blood. A majority of persons survive the first attack, and with good medical care, rest and common sense precautions may even live a normal life span. Syphilitic heart disease can be prevented by early and adequate care of the systemic disease, a problem which has been simplified by the use of penicillin.

Research in the medical sciences is constantly improving the outlook for the cardiac patient, yet each individual must assume the responsibility for obtaining the benefits of this knowledge from his physician for himself and family.

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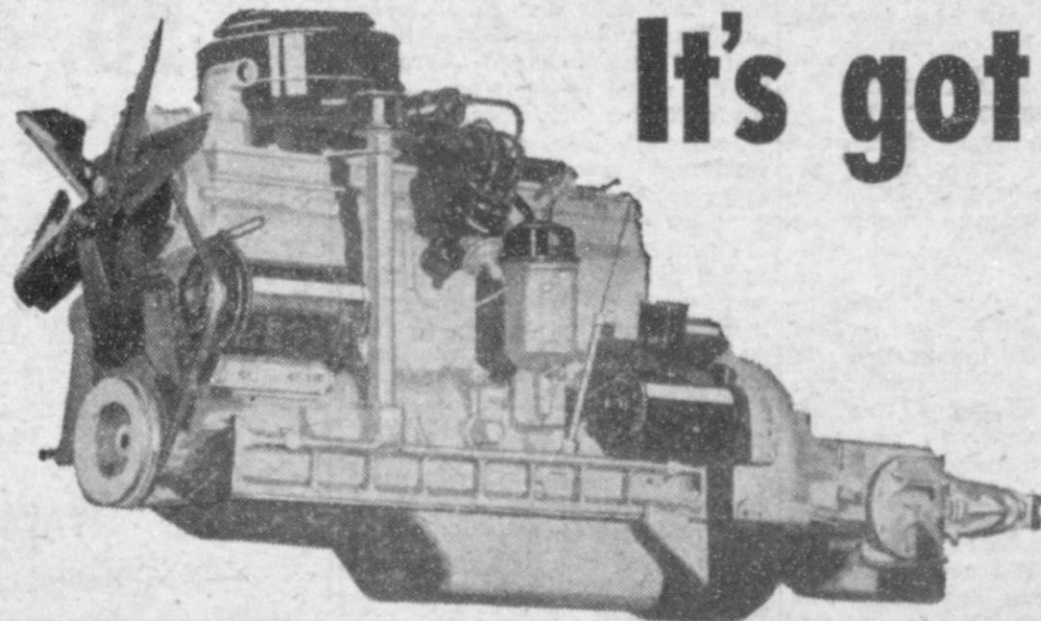
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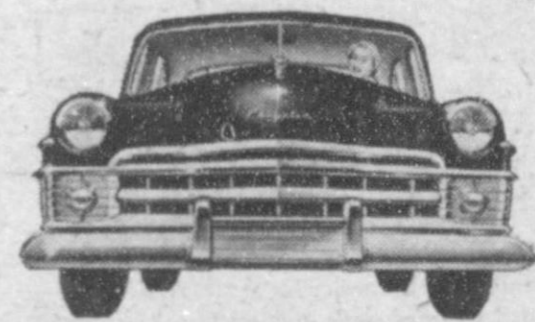


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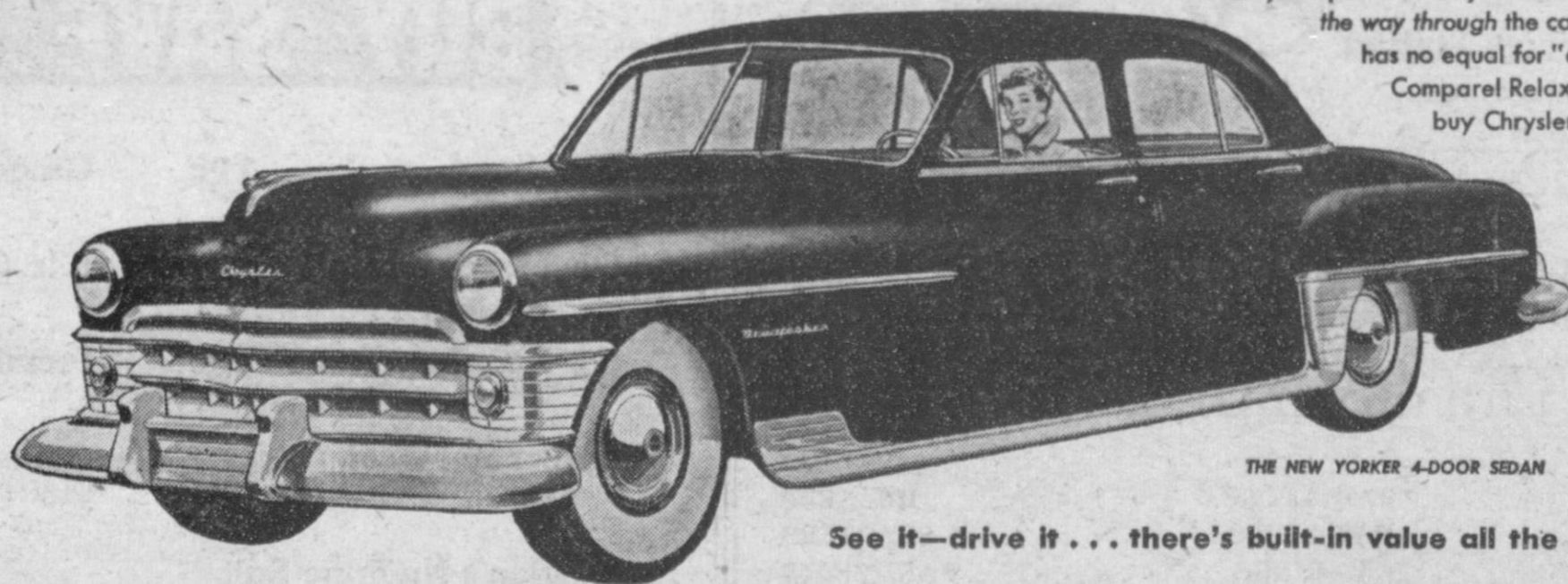
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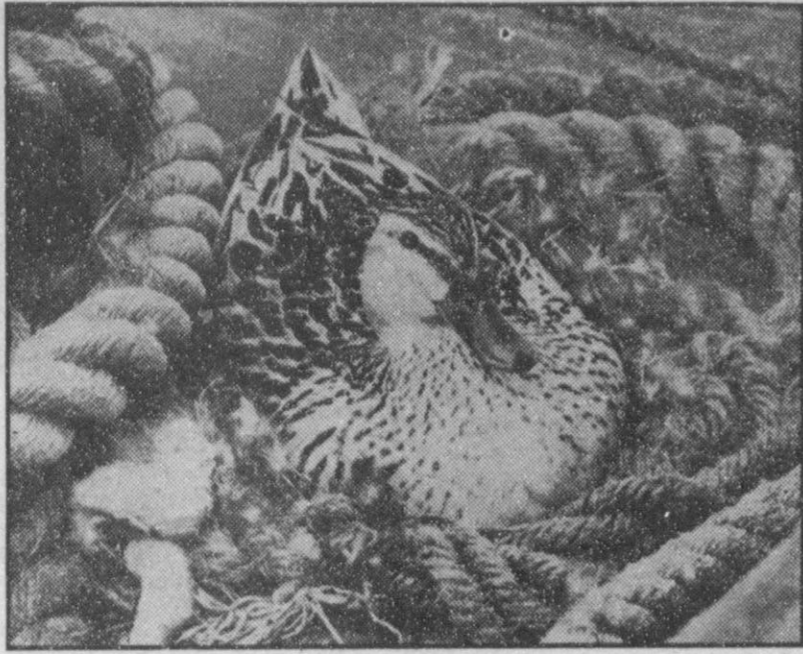
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**ATTEND WEEKEND RETREAT**

Mmes J. M. Weinzapfel, Herman Fette, John and J. W. Fisher and Joe Swirczynski attended a lay retreat in Denison during the past weekend. Father Curry of Dallas was retreatmaster and St. Xavier's Academy was retreat headquarters. Mrs. A. G. Hutton of Gainesville joined the Muenster women on the trip. About 40 made the retreat.

The Aubrey Jennings family moved during the weekend to make their home in the Al Yosten house in the southeast part of town. Since coming to Muenster last month the Jennings resided with her mother, Mrs. John Felderhoff.



**BOAT OWNER GETS THE BIRD**—What to do with a duck on the deck presented a knotty problem for boat owner Fred G. Clarke, Jr., of Seattle, Wash. This mallard hen assumed command of the craft by selecting a coil of rope on its foredeck to deposit a clutch of nine eggs. Not wishing to disturb the wild waterfowl in the performance of her motherly duties, Clarke had to turn the boat over to the hen during the three-week incubation period.

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**Local NEWS Briefs**

John Tempel was honored with a family dinner party at noon Sunday in observance of Father's Day. His wife arranged the affair which was held in their home.

Mrs. Ruth Needham is back in Muenster to reside after living in Gainesville for several weeks with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jack Needham and children.

Joe Weinzapfel Jr. and Rev. Hubert Neu of Lindsay, students of Saint John's Seminary in San Antonio, are in Fort Worth for the summer conducting a catechetical school at Good Shepherd Center in San Jose parish. In addition to religious instructions the two seminarians also conduct and supervise games, softball and other activity for the children of the center. Joe was here Saturday for a visit with his parents, the J. M. Weinzapfels.

Mrs. Callie Baumhardt had her children and grandchildren as her guests for Sunday dinner and during the day. Present were Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Baumhardt and two children of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Baumhardt and family of Luling, Rolland Baumhardt of Lubbock, Omer Baumhardt of Waco, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClendon and children of Devol, Okla. E. A. McCreary who attends summer school at Denton, was here for a weekend visit with his wife and children who are staying with her mother.

**BULCHER HD CLUB MEETS IN EARL ROBISON HOME**

Members of the Bulcher Home Demonstration Club heard an informative talk on "Getting the Most out of your Permanent Wave" when Mrs. Earnest Robison addressed the group on that subject at their regular meeting Thursday. The speaker explained the importance of shampoos, hot oil treatments for dry hair, choosing the correct type of hair styling and permanent wave and other related details.

The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Earl Robison with 14 members and one guest present. Mrs. Sam Sparkman was welcomed as a new member.

During the business session Mrs. Jesse Shields, president, presided, and during the recreational hour Mrs. Elsie Morris won the prize in a lively contest. The hostess served refreshments at the close of the afternoon's program.

Members set July 20 as the date for their annual community picnic and discussed plans for the event.

The next meeting, on the first Thursday in August, will be in the home of Mrs. Alice Cannon.

Sgt. Needham is back in the states and is at present in San Antonio. He had a three-day pass the latter part of last week to visit with his family. His wife and children will join him in San Antonio as soon as living quarters are secured. Meanwhile they are visiting relatives in Waco.

Word arrives regularly from Rev. Thomas Weinzapfel who is on a European tour. Letters, written almost daily reach his parents in three days. A recent letter told of his audience with the Holy Father, a sight seeing tour of Venice and a visit in Koneroeth with Theresa Neuman. In Germany he met Father Schulte who took him and his party of priests by car up to the Russian lines. Rev. John Mitchell of Henrietta is making the tour with Father Weinzapfel. They will leave Lisbon, Portugal by plane on June 29 and will arrive in Dallas on the 30th.

**Tired of Pop-Corn? Try Pop-Sorghum**

COLLEGE STATION, — Pop-sorghum—a cross between Haiti's Petite mil and India's Shalu developed by plant breeders of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station—has one big edge on popcorn.

The hull is thinner and more tender so there is less husk to lodge between the teeth.

It's just as delicious—most of the few people who have sampled it so far say more so—and as nutritious as popcorn.

The expansion of pop-sorghum is around 15 to 1, about the same as the popcorn varieties of ten years ago, but not nearly so high as the 25-30 to one expansion of the large grained popcorns of today.

R. E. Karper, agronomist in charge of Texas A & M grain sorghum investigations, said the aim was to come up with a farm or home confection for areas where sorghum does well and corn does not. As it turns out, its small size makes it a natural for packaged caramel and candied confections.

Mr. Karper also sees possibilities for its use as a puffed breakfast cereal. Pop-sorghum stays crisp for a considerable time after being popped.

The Texas Station has distributed a small amount of pop-sorghum seed to seedsmen for increase and distribution to the trade. No further seed is available for distribution in 1950.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fletcher spent Sunday in Pilot Point with her brother, E. M. Shiflet and family. They took Mrs. F. M. Shiflet back to her son's home after she had spent a week here with her daughter, Mrs. Fletcher.

**AT FIREMEN'S CONVENTION**

John Fisher and Joe Trachta spent last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in Wichita Falls attending the 74th annual state convention of Texas Firemen and Fire Marshals. They represented the Muenster volunteer department. In the closing sessions of the convention Dallas was chosen as next year's convention city.

Misses Juanita Weinzapfel and Ruby Kelly who attended summer school in Denton were here for the weekend.

Guests of the Fred Hoedebecks Friday to Monday were their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brumleve and daughters, Joyce and Barbara, of Teutopolis, Ill. It was the Brumleves first visit to Texas.

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According to Roy W. Snyder, extension meats specialist of Texas A&M College, the 1949 annual report of the National Livestock Loss Prevention Board points out how expensive and wasteful improper handling and transportation of livestock can be. It would take a train nine miles long to haul all of the livestock that arrived dead at livestock markets in 1947. Then add to this the losses on crippled animals and from bruises and Snyder says the loss amounts to near \$25 million per year. The

producer bears a major part of this loss.

Preparations for safe marketing must begin on the farm. Livestock should leave for market in a strong and healthy condition, thus balanced rations that contain plenty of the needed vitamins and minerals must be used.

Snyder says much of this waste can be prevented just by following common sense practices in handling and marketing livestock. Here are a few practices that will pay big dividends, he says. Dehorn cattle when they are young. Keep fences and barns in good repair and remember the feed lot is no place for a junk pile. Producers should remember that it is a costly practice to feed grain heavily just prior to loading.

A properly sloped loading chute should always be used. Animals should not be crowded or rushed during the loading operations. Here's where patience and care really pays off, says. Check the inside of the truck or rail for protruding nails or bolts, broken boards or other objects that might cause bruises. Be sure the truck or rail car is bedded properly—bed with sand that is free from stones. In the summer time, the sand should be wet before hogs are loaded and stops should be made on the way to market to wet the bedding and drench the hogs if this is needed. Use a canvas slapper instead of a club, cane or pitchfork when handling stock.

Here are a few practices truckers or railroads should be interested in eliminating, says Snyder. Overcrowding probably causes more losses than any other single factor. Transportation equipment should be loaded only to the extent of its designed capacity. Partitions should always be used when mixed shipments are made. Bulls, stags, boars or cripples should receive special attention—never leave them loose in a car or truck. The upper deck on trucks should be high enough to give plenty of clearance for the animals on the lower deck. Careless driving—too much speed on curves, sudden braking and fast driving—take a heavy toll of the livestock that goes to market via truck. An occasional inspection of the load while enroute, would save many an animal.

Producers should remember says Snyder that a dead animal has only a salvage value and bruise damages on the carcass are trimmed off and are largely wasted. Care in handling livestock will pay off at the market and it is one way that livestock producers can increase their profits.

Relatives here received word Saturday of the death of Mrs. William Sandshulte that morning in Loretta, Tenn. She was a sister of Jacob Pagel Sr. and was known to a number of local people. Funeral services were held Monday morning at Loretta.

The Markham family returned Saturday from a week's trip to Houston and Galveston. While away they secured living quarters in Pasadena, Texas, and are making arrangements to move there the latter part of this week. The Clarence Hellmans have bought the Markham home and will move into it soon.



**RED GOES WEST** — One of many Communist youths taking refuge in West Berlin, afraid of Red reprisals if they return to their homes in Eastern Germany, appears to enjoy a taste of freedom after his sample of life behind the Iron Curtain. Though still wearing the blue uniform shirt of the Communist Youth Organization, he has ripped off the insignia, and wears American tie and socks, gift of the U. S. Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Otto were Wichita Falls visitors Tuesday afternoon.

A group of young people enjoyed a picnic at Turner Falls Sunday. Making up the party were Misses Grace Wimmer, Mary Elizabeth Kubis, Dolores Gremminger, Floradell Endres and Ruth Fisher; Paul Luke, A. J. Felderhoff, Rufus Henscheid, Gerald Bayer, Norbert Felderhoff and Clyde Fisher.

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### Vapor of Cleaning Solvent is Deadly; Use It Carefully

AUSTIN — There's a lot of punch corked-up in that little bottle of cleaning solvent out on the back porch. State Health Officer Geo. W. Cox called them "hazardous, when special precautions are not used."

It seems that solvent vapors are heavier than air, which, means, according to Dr. Cox, that they will collect at floor levels. The danger of using solvent for such household chores as taking spots off the linoleum, or cleaning dirt or grease off the back steps, is that you have to get on your knees to do the job.

And when you're on your knees, you're closer to the accumulation of solvent vapor.

The state health officer proved his whole point with this story:

A man attempted to remove

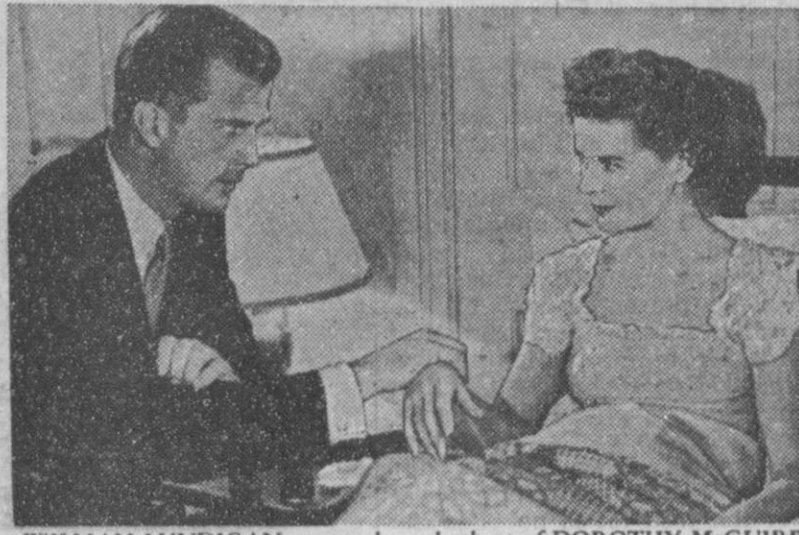
the grease from the underside of his car by spraying it with a spray gun he had brought home from his construction job. He was found dead under the car, suffocated by the vapor of the cleaning agent.

Proper use of cleaning solvent, says the doctor, call for opening all the doors and windows when cleaning floors, the underside of household furniture, or clothing. The idea is to get as much ventilation as possible. A fan blowing on the working area is helpful.

When doing a job of this sort, work for a short time—avoiding inhaling the vapors as much as possible—and then get into the fresh air for a minute or two.

The first symptoms of vapor poisoning are nausea, dizziness, headache and fatigue. When you notice them, get outside as soon as possible, the health officer advises.

D.W. Griffith was a newspaper reporter before entering the motion picture field.



WILLIAM LUNDIGAN counts the pulse beat of DOROTHY MCGUIRE in this scene from 20th Century-Fox's "MOTHER DIDN'T TELL ME."

#### MRS. BARNEY YOSTEN DIES

Relatives here received word Monday morning of the death of Mrs. Barney Yosten in Wisner, Nebraska. Leaving Monday evening to attend the funeral were Messrs. and Mrs. Nick Yosten and Joe Swirczynski and Tony Yosten.

#### Murder-Suicide - - -

panied the officers to the scene and held an inquest. His verdict was that Mrs. McNelley had been murdered and her husband had committed suicide. Officers estimated the tragedy had occurred between 7 and 12 hours before.

Funeral services for the couple were held Wednesday at 10 in the Leazer-Keel chapel in Gainesville. Officiating ministers were Rev. Lloyd Adams of Ross Ave. Baptist church, Dallas and Rev. Calvin Dennis of Trinity Heights Baptist church, Dallas. Burial was in Spring Creek Cemetery, Plano. Pallbearers for both were Joe Sicking, Leo Sicking, Robert Gruber, Lee Roy Yosten, Cecil Murphy and J. H. Flood.

Mr. and Mrs. McNelley were residents of Muenster for about 8 years while he was connected with the local electric co-operative. They came here during the co-op's early construction period and he had charge of line maintenance until late 1941 when he replaced J. H. Flood, a reserve officer called into active duty in the army. He continued as the co-op manager until early in 1948 when he moved to Arizona to supervise construction of the Navopache Electric Co-operative. He severed his relationship here later that year to accept a job as manager of the Navopache co-op.

Meanwhile the couple kept their home here and frequently returned here for visits. Since a change in management at Navopache last year McNelley has been back in line construction work. His wife returned here last fall and lived here until the first of this year when they sold their home and she bought a dress shop in Gainesville.

While here the McNelley's were prominent in business and civic activity. He managed the electric co-op through a steady period of expansion, served on the city council, and had a leading part in establishing the annual horse show. Mrs. McNelley was a member of the garden

club and operated a dress shop for about two years.

Matrimonial troubles developed while the couple was still in Arizona last year. Most of the time since then they have been separated and Mrs. McNelley was said to be seeking a divorce when the tragedy occurred. Her sister, Mrs. Bud Rayzor of Denton, said that McNelley had threatened to kill his wife if she divorced him. Mrs. McNelley is reported to have told other friends that he threatened to kill her.

At the same time McNelley was said to be distressed over his failing health. When he attended the horse show here in May he said that he had lost about 60 pounds. Friends have since reported that he believed a lingering throat infection to be cancer.

At the time of his death he was employed in REA construction work at Decatur. He came to Gainesville Saturday and was reported to have driven past his wife's store several times, causing her to be very much alarmed. How or when he managed to leave Gainesville with her in her car has not been determined. His car was found with keys in the switch on a Gainesville street Sunday night.

Mr. McNelley was born in San Francisco on Oct. 5, 1909. She was born near Plano on June 12, 1913. They were married in Dallas 12 years ago and moved to Gainesville immediately after that. A short time later they moved to Muenster. He is survived by a son of a former marriage, Gene, 18, now living at Taylor, and one sister and two brothers. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Nancy Lane of Denton, six sisters and three brothers.

#### Confetti---

tage. Besides any child can have an excellent and accredited vocational course. Heretofore no child had that advantage. And far more significant, the community's traditional regard for the fourth R in education... Religion... remains intact. By a released time arrangement public school students as well as parochial students will have their regular instruction periods.

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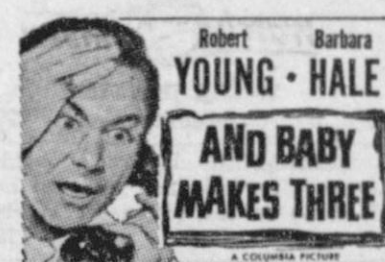


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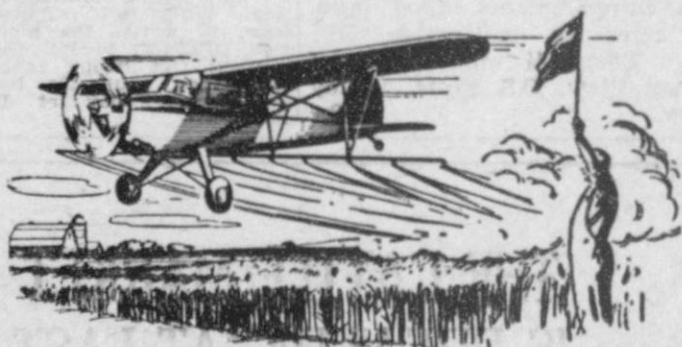
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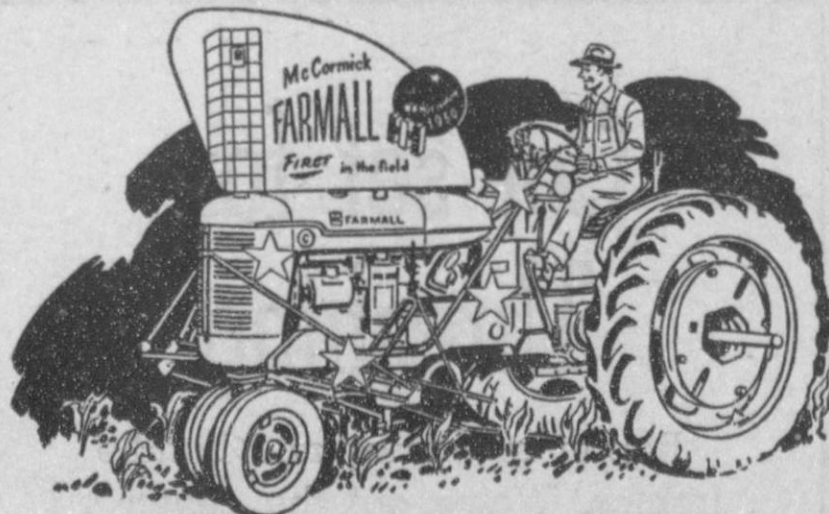
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