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Construction of Parish High School Ahead of Schedule

It is appalling to note the pathetic ignorance shown by some of our country's intellectual four flushers when they look for excuses to abuse Senator McCarthy and the other public servants who make an effort to fight communism in this country.

A fair sample of this kind of absurd word slinging was an effusion in the "Letters from Readers" section in the Dallas News a few days ago. Here is a part of it:

"The Senator may succeed in smearing some high bishop, or casting suspicion on some obscure social worker. He may even succeed in casting a pink glow over the entire Christian church, but it is dollars to doughnuts he will not touch the decadent social swamp that spawns Communism. It is my guess he will not mention the unbalanced condition of wealth and poverty that drives so many desperate men into the camp of the enemy."

That's a good sample of the standard communist hog wash. Though the address line with the signature indicates that the writer lives in a small Texas town, the chances are umpteen gillion to one that the idea at least, and very probably the words also, originated in the Daily Worker or in one of the propaganda mills operated by Malenkov's chore boys.

The passage makes an attempt at evasiveness in the remark about "the decadent social swamp that spawns Communism," and that is excellent pinko strategy. The slight dig at communism serves to divert suspicion of the author's membership, supposedly leaving him more effective to criticize the customs and institutions of this country. On the other hand, there's that expression, "decadent social swamps." It reeks of communist origin.

Most absurd, and again very typically commie, is that passage about "the unbalanced condition of wealth and poverty that drives so many desperate men into the camp of the enemy." On what condition does he base that statement? Actually, how many people in this country, after making an honest effort, are so miserably poor that they are driven to communism? Of those, how many are as miserable as the average people under the communist yoke?

It is a fact, of course, that a mighty wide gap exists between the top and bottom of the social scale in this country. But what really counts is that the average person here . . . the member of the masses, as reds would say . . . lives infinitely better than his red counterpart. Not only that, but better even than the communist big shots. Our average working man is better clothed, better fed, drives a better car and lives in a better home . . . in addition to enjoying the freedom of going where he pleases, saying what he pleases, and working at the job of his choice.

There's an ironical feature in every one of those tirades lambasting America or the efforts of men who try to rid America of the red scum. By now they must know what would happen in any commie country to any person who expresses such opposition. The mere fact that their statement hasn't provoked a visit by the secret police should be enough to show that it was ridiculous in the first place.

The mystery is that simple facts like these can be so abundantly clear to ordinary people like us, but are beyond the comprehension of so many wise guys who like to think they know all the answers. Is it, perhaps, that they've just got a little too big for their britches? That they figure themselves as so superior that they've lost sight of A Being greater than themselves? Only when a person reaches that absurdity does his allegiance to communism become reasonable. Without a Fatherhood of God there's no meaning in brotherhood of man, and might replaces right as the standard of human behavior.

That's a sad situation, and we who know the score really ought to feel sorry for the dopes who fall for the red line. At the same time we should bear in mind that imbeciles like them make a mighty big mess of lots of lives. Communism needs to be weeded out like disease, corruption, graft

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Construction on Muenster's new Sacred Heart High School, favored by exceptionally good building weather, is romping along well ahead of schedule with good prospects of being finished by June 1. The job was started on July 27 last year under a contract calling for 365 working days. Elmer Brackett, superintendent of construction for Walter Nashert of Oklahoma City, said that outside work is practically finished and inside work is off to a good start. Outside brick work will be finished this week, inside masonry and concrete work are more than 90 per cent finished, carpentry is about 75 per cent finished and glazing is about 80 per cent finished.

Steel for the gymnasium roof is due to be erected early next week. The roof on the rest of the building has been finished for some time.

The \$200,000 building, designed by Buford and Feinberg of Dallas has 25,000 square feet of floor space divided into the classroom wing and the gymnasium wing which also includes shop and hmemaking rooms. Its 270 foot front faces Walnut street at its intersection with Sixth, a block east of the elementary building.

The building's exterior is finished in light brick and the interior is acoustical tile. Floors will be covered with asphalt tile except entrances and washrooms which will be finished in terrazo.

Service in Church Opens Observance Of Boy Scout Week

Observance of Boy Scout Week here began Sunday morning with attendance at church services in which the boys were joined by their parents at eight. Monday's program featured a court of honor ceremony and a pot luck supper in the parish lunch room.

Scoutmaster Father Patrick Hannon conducted the court of honor in which Melvin Schoech received the Star Scout award and seven boys, Tim Wimmer, Sammy Swirczynski, Tim Fette, Lloyd Klement, Gilbert Knabe, Herman Grewing and Jimmy Sicking, received Tenderfoot badges. Mothers of the honored Scouts received miniature replica awards.

After the supper for the troop and parents, travel films were shown by Father Patrick and Mrs. David Trachta.

Displays arranged by the Scouts in observance of the organization's 44th birthday include a complete camp site on the parochial school grounds and an exhibit of equipment in one of the class rooms. These displays are open to the public through this week.

SH Quint Loses to Texarkana, Laneri

The jinx that had been hanging over the Sacred Heart High Tigers since the beginning of the basketball season persisted for two more games during the last week and practically eliminated all chances for the boys to end their conference schedule out of the cellar. Their record to date is seven losses for their seven conference games.

At Texarkana Friday night they did considerably better than in the original encounter, trimming the former margin of victory down by about 20 points. But the outcome, while less one sided, was still decisive with Catholic High leading 42-23. Henscheid and Knabe, with 8 and 6 respectively led the Sacred Heart scoring.

At Fort Worth Tuesday night they had equally as little chance as the Laneri Micks took early control and hit the hoop regularly for a 61-20 triumph. Walter accounted for 6 of the Tiger points and Henscheid for 5.

Facing Buckner in their season finale Friday night, the boys are conceded little chance to break into the win column. The former game was Buckner's by a count of 52-31.

Minnesota has more than ten thousand lakes.



CPL. FREDDIE NEU is stationed in Schweinfurt, Germany, assigned to duty in the arms department. He writes that he is enjoying his overseas service but is looking forward to his return to the states in about six months. His address is: Cpl. Freddie W. Neu, US 54093303; Co. K, 16th Inf. Regt.; A.P.O. 1, c-o P. M., New York, N. Y.

WITH THE MEN IN SERVICE

Awaiting Discharge

PFC James Bayer has returned to the states and is awaiting his discharge from the Marines in San Francisco. He was in Japan for several months and before that in Hawaii since he went overseas early last July. James is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bayer.

Sunday Visitors

Pvts. Ernest Wolf, Maurus Rohmer and Raymond Hesse of Fort Bliss visited family members Sunday and returned to camp by plane from Wichita Falls. Ernest and Ramie brought their cars home. The three boys are finishing their army basic training this weekend and reports making the rounds at camp indicate that they will be transferred. Ernest's parents, the Henry Wolfs and son Cecil took the trio to Wichita Falls airport by car Sunday afternoon.

Reaches Germany

PFC Mitchell Wolf advises his parents, the Lou Wolfs that he arrived in Germany safely on Feb. 2 after 11 days aboard ship on a rough sea. He is stationed at Hanau, 15 miles east of Frankfurt and about 45 miles from Wiesbaden where Pvt. Neil Fisher is located. The letter, posted on the third, arrived here Monday. His address is: PFC Mitchell M. Wolf, US 54103247; 881 Ord. HAM Co.; APO 165 c-o P.M.; New York, N. Y.

Enroute to Japan

Mrs. J. P. Janicki and three daughters left Seattle Monday at 2 p.m. on the U.S.S. Freeman and should reach Yokokama on Feb. 20. Her parents, the Jake Pagels, received this information from her in a telegram wired just before she and the girls boarded the ship. Warrant Officer Janicki will meet his family when the boat docks and take them to Kokuro, where he is stationed, to make their home.

Has Weekend Pass

Airman First Class Rupert Hoenig spent Sunday and overnight here with his parents, the Joe Hoenigs and family, while he was on a weekend pass from Barksdale AFB, Fla. Saturday he visited his sister and husband, the Kenneth Cottles in Dallas and was their guest overnight.

Letters From Mid-Atlantic

Two letters arrived Monday night from Pvt. Mike Driever. Both were written aboard the U.S.S. General Butler and were picked up in mid-ocean to be flown home. Mike said to tell everybody hello. He was enjoying his sea voyage and plenty of food. Boys of his company were taking turns at guard duty. Other companies drew KP duty. In the second letter dated Jan. 29 he said they were at the half-way mark enroute to England, with Germany as their destination. He added that the boat has daily mass and movies.

The Dick Cains and family were in Dallas Sunday to spend the day with friends.



PVT. ELROY NEU recently completed eight weeks of infantry basic training at Fort Bliss and is now at Camp Chaffee, Ark., connected with the motor pool. His address is Pvt. Elroy Neu, US 54141464; Headquarters Co., 5th Armored Div.; Camp Chaffee, Ark. The brothers are sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Neu, route 6, Gainesville.

Billy Lucas Dies In Auto Accident Monday at Irving

William Randolph (Billy) Lucas, 25, of Gainesville, lost his life in a car wreck Monday night when the automobile he was driving crashed into a bridge about six miles north of Irving in Dallas county. An ambulance rushed him to a hospital in Dallas but he was dead upon arrival.

His companion in the car, Charles Tucker of Myra, 25, escaped with minor bruises and lacerations and the loss of five teeth.

The accident happened at about 7 p.m. when the young men were returning from a business trip to Irving. Tucker said the car skidded out of control on a slight curve and crashed headon into the bridge. The impact threw them both out of the car and demolished the vehicle.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church in Gainesville with Rev. Edwin Hancock officiating and burial was in Fairview cemetery under direction of Geo. J. Carroll and Son Funeral Home.

Lucas was an army veteran. He served in Korea from Jan. 1951 to Dec. 1952. Since his discharge about six months ago he worked in Cooke county oil fields. He was born May 30, 1928, at Myra and lived in Muenster with his parents for several years while his father was in the oil business here.

Survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lucas, with whom he lived at Gainesville; two brothers, Tommy and John, and his paternal grandfather, J. A. Lucas, all of Gainesville, and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. T. M. Randolph of Marietta, Okla.

Farm Bureau Will Meet Friday Night

Farmers of the Muenster area who wish to know more of the aims and methods of the Farm Bureau Federation will have an opportunity to get the answers here Friday night, when the organization holds a meeting in the City Hall, starting at 7:30.

The meeting is one of a series being held in various parts of the county in an effort to introduce the bureau and its services to farmers of the county. Membership will not be solicited, however persons who are sold on the merits of the organization will have the opportunity to join.

Principal speaker for the occasion is A. N. Arveson, stock farmer of Nocona and president of the Montague County Farm Bureau for the past two years.

Others appearing on the program will be William Bezner, president of the Cooke County FB unit, Bruno Zimmerer, Cooke County service agent, and a representative from the Dallas Blue Cross office.

Leaves Germany

PFC Victor Koelzer is enroute home from Germany after a year of service overseas, according to a letter received Friday by his parents, the Pete Koelzers.

School Heads Meet Here to Plan for Track and Baseball

The time, place and program of the 1954 Interscholastic League Literary and Track meet for District 40 will be decided Thursday afternoon when representatives of the member schools hold their planning meeting at Muenster High.

Immediately after the session representatives of the 1954 baseball district will have a meeting to work out their schedule.

Participants in the track and literary meet will be Muenster, Era, Valley View, Callisburg, Saint Jo, Forestburg, Prairie Valley and Caps Corner.

Members of the baseball loop are Muenster, Era, Valley View, Callisburg, Saint Jo and Sanger. According to Superintendent Cowan these schools are now co-operating in an effort to form a year-round district including all forms of athletic activity.

In the past Muenster has been with one group for the football district and with still another for baseball. The same applies to the other schools.

The change is intended to serve a double purpose . . . to have a conference which includes all the athletics, eliminating those which specialize in a single sport, and also to eliminate the extra travel required in a widely spread district.

NEWS OF SICK AND INJURED

Leo Felderhoff underwent bone graft surgery on his right arm at Baylor Hospital in Dallas Thursday and will be a patient there about two weeks. He broke the arm last Nov. 6. His mother Mrs. John Felderhoff was with him on the day of the operation.

A. T. Felderhoff was at Gainesville Sanitarium Saturday for a check-up.

Doyle Hess, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hess, suffered painful but not serious burns on his left foot Friday afternoon. The accident happened at home when his brother, Dwayne, 5, burned trash. The youngster had seen his daddy start outdoor fires with gasoline or kerosene and used gasoline for the one he kindled. Some of it spilled on Doyle's foot and caught from the flame burning the trash.

Mrs. Gus Knabe entered Gainesville Sanitarium Tuesday afternoon for medical care.

Billy Joe Nieball was in Fort Worth Wednesday for dental surgery.

Mrs. John Fisher suffered considerable pain and discomfort this week as the result of a sprained right ankle. She sustained the injury in a mis-step at her home Monday night.

Steve, little son of the Joe H. Walterscheids, is recovering from a severe burn on his right arm. He was burned when he fell on a floor furnace in the home of his grandparents, the Henry Koelzers, while he was visiting in Fort Worth last week.

Seniors Will Attend Career Day at ETSC

Seniors of Muenster High School and Superintendent Weldon Cowan will be among the several hundred students and school administrators attending a Career Day at East Texas State College, Commerce, on Monday, Feb. 22.

The career day is intended to help graduating students in choosing the trade, business or profession they wish to follow in adult life. The day's program consists of a general assembly after which students attend lectures on the subjects of special interest to them.

Shelby Fletcher Seeks Re-election

Judge Shelby Fletcher has authorized the Enterprise to announce that he is a candidate for re-election in this year's political race. His formal statement to voters will appear in a later issue of this paper.

Milk Receipts at Cheese Plant Reach 150,000 lbs. Daily

Business is booming at the Muenster cheese factory lately, partly because of the weather and partly because the milk haulers of North Texas are going all out to take advantage of the North Texas Producers Association's facilities for processing surplus Grade A milk.

To the local plant that means a current average volume of 150,000 pounds of milk daily with prospects for more in the very near future. Last year's receipts at this time averaged about 22,000 pounds a day.

Balmy weather accounts for most of the increase, as is indicated by the daily average of about 25,000 pounds in local milk, about 3,000 pounds above normal. A similar increase over the 27 counties in which NTPA operates amounts to a lot of surplus. Practically all this is coming to the local plant. Besides, according to Rudy Hellman, plant manager, the big dairy companies are doing less of their own processing and turning a larger percentage of their surplus back to NTPA.

A normal working day to handle this volume runs to about 16 hours, and chances are that the plant will soon process over 200,000 pounds daily on a round-the-clock schedule. An immediate increase of about 30,000 pounds is expected in a few days when Kraft closes its Bonham plant for about a week to make necessary repairs. All its milk will be sent here.

To take care of its increasing volume NTPA is going forward with its expansion program at top speed. However indications are that work will not be finished in time to permit processing all the available milk by the time the flush season begins. The expansion will increase plant capacity to about 350,000 pounds daily, which is regarded as ample to

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St. Anne's Society Has Reception For 28 New Members

Twenty-eight new members were formally received into Saint Anne's Society at reception ceremonies Sunday afternoon in Sacred Heart church at 2:30. Rev. Louis Deuster officiated at the service during which candidates held lighted candles. Father Louis also gave the sermon for the occasion explaining the aims and ideals of the organization and giving a brief history of the Arch-confraternity of Christian Mothers with which St. Anne's is affiliated.

The new members bring total enrollment in the society to 243.

The afternoon services concluded a program that began in the morning when members and candidates attended the 8 o'clock mass and received Communion in a body. After mass breakfast was served in the parish lunchroom to 75 members and candidates.

The new members are Mmes. Albert Herr, Ray Voth, Earl Walterscheid, Hank Walterscheid, Earle Otto, Donald Endres, Ed Schneider, Arnie Wimmer, Richard Grewing, Robert Bayer, Werner Yosten, Larry Yosten, Wilfred Bindel, Joe Sturm, Bruno Fleitman, Herman Danglmayr, Denis Walterscheid, Melvin Schumacher, Russell Herb, Ray Wilde, Alfons Reiter, Tommy Felderhoff, Edd McGannon, Alvin Hartman, T. Miller, Conrad Jostwerner, Steve Grewing and Wilfred Sicking.

This was the largest class of candidates in the 62 year history of the society.

SCHEDULE OF COMING EVENTS

FRIDAY, Feb. 12, Farm Bureau meeting in city hall, 7:30 p.m.
FRIDAY, Feb. 12, Tigers vs Buckner, there.
SUNDAY, Feb. 14, CDA regular monthly meeting in the K of C Hall, 2 p.m.
TUESDAY, Feb. 16, Lions Club meeting.
THURSDAY, Feb. 18, Quarterly meeting of NCCW at Gainesville, 1:30 p.m.

Blessed Events

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Reid announce the birth of a seven pound four ounce daughter at Gainesville Sanitarium at 4:16 p.m. Feb. 4. They have one other child, a boy. The father is an REA employee.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pels of Pilot Point are rejoicing over the birth of a son and heir. The seven pound four ounce boy arrived at Gainesville Sanitarium Monday evening. He is the grandson of

the H. L. Herrons of Denison and Mrs. Agnes Pels of Fort Worth, and the great grandson of the Gus Knabes of Muenster.

Mr. and Mrs. George Swirczynski of Fort Worth became the parents of their first child Tuesday with the arrival of a boy at 5 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swirczynski of this city are the paternal grandparents. The maternal grandparents live in Bartow, Fla.

A seven pound seven ounce boy was born at the Muenster Clinic Wednesday at 6:15 p.m. to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Williams of Caps Corner. The baby has a brother and two sisters and is the grandson of the Samuel Postuns and the G. A. Williams of Nocona.

A fellow doesn't last long on what he has done. He's got to keep delivering as he goes on.—Carl Hubbell.

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Garden Club Hears Talk on Washington As Gardner-Farmer

"George Washington as a Gardner and Farmer" was the topic of the program hour at the Civic League and Garden club's regular February meeting Monday night when members met in the home of Mrs. Ben Luke with Mrs. Anthony Luke as co-hostess.

Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel as principal speaker gave an interesting and informative talk on America's first president, not as a statesman but as a lover of the soil; of the experiments he conducted on his own farms at Mount Vernon to save and improve the land, and his love for flowers, shrubs and trees. The paper had been prepared by the late Miss Olivia Stock who was to have been program leader at the meeting.

During the business session at which Mrs. Tony Gremminger presided members heard committee reports. Mrs. F. J. Yosten, park chairman, said that she had planted the six Red Radiance rose bushes in memory of Olivia and had replaced four live trees in Veterans Memorial Park.

Mrs. Lee Toothaker gave a conservation report and mentioned that bluebonnets planted last fall in the Ben Luke plot reserved for wild flowers are growing and thriving.

Mrs. Joe Swirczynski, sanitation chairman, announced that a city wide clean-up and trash haul is set for the near future and the exact date will be announced when arrangements are complete.

Mrs. Joe Luke, flower show chairman, announced that by the next meeting plans for the spring flower show will be completed.

Principal discussion during the business session centered around the club's sale of house numbers to be erected after the city street marker signs are in place. This will be the organization's participation in the program now under way in which the city, the Lions Club and the VFW Auxiliary are other participants. The number plates, ranging in price from \$1.20 up, will net a small profit and this will be applied to the cost of the markers.

Members elected Mrs. Byron Sears to fill the unexpired term as program and year book chairman, replacing Miss Stock.

After business the hostesses served individual cherry pies topped with ice cream and a stemmed cherry, coffee, salted nuts and mints.

The flower arrangement for the month was displayed by Mrs. Joe Luke; it carried out the Valentine theme and consisted of a red begonia and red hearts.

Local News BRIEFS

Martha Tomlinson of Dallas spent the weekend as the guest of Joan Klement in the home of her parents, the J. A. Klements. The girls are classmates at NTSC in Denton.

Arthur Hughes and Don Harris of Dallas visited briefly with friends here Sunday morning enroute to Saint Jo to spend the day with Mr. Hughes' sister, Mrs. Crump and Mrs. Pedigo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fletcher attended funeral services for Clifford Weseman at Valley View Sunday afternoon. Both families formerly lived at Marysville.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fisch are here to visit Mrs. M. J. Endres and the Gehrigs through the weekend. They are enroute to Des Moines, Iowa to visit their children. Formerly of Des Moines they have been living in Lynwood, Calif., the past few years. They visited in Fort Worth before coming here Wednesday afternoon in company of Bert Fisch.

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Boerner - Bindel Vows Exchanged at Pilot Point Tuesday

Miss Sylvia Boerner became the bride of Leonard Bindel Tuesday morning during a nuptial high mass performed in Saint Thomas church at Pilot Point at 9 o'clock. Rev. John Untereiner performed the ceremony and officiated at the mass.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Boerner of Pilot Point and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bindel of Muenster.

Mr. Boerner gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a light blue two-piece suit with navy and white accessories and carried a colonial bouquet of white carnations.

Miss Mildred Boerner, maid of honor for her sister, wore a grey suit with pink accessories and carried a colonial bouquet of pink carnations.

Gilbert Bindel, brother of the groom, was best man and Joseph Boerner Jr. and Arnie Wimmer were ushers.

The altar before which the couple exchanged their vows was adorned with white gladioli and fern. Wedding music was furnished by the church choir.

A wedding breakfast, a reception with a buffet supper, and a dance were festivities of the day. For the breakfast Mrs. William Koerner and Mrs. Arnie Wimmer were hostesses in the former's home. The bride's parents were hosts for the reception and supper in the parish hall and the dance was held in the RVOS Hall.

After the dance Mr. and Mrs. Bindel left on a wedding trip. When they return they will make their home in Dallas where he is employed with Stapler plumbing company and she is a bookkeeper for H. T. Ardinger and Son.

Mrs. Bindel graduated from Pilot Point high school and attended business college in Dallas. Mr. Bindel attended Sacred Heart school and was employed by Grewing Brothers here until recently when he accepted employment in Dallas.

DOLLY JEAN OTTO HAS BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Dolly Jean Otto celebrated her 11th birthday Sunday with a party at the home of her parents, the John Ottos. Eleven girl friends were guests and showered her with gifts.

Games and contests including bingo and a scavenger hunt provided entertainment with prizes going to JoAnn Sprengel, Gerry Trubebach, Jeanette Muller, Patsy Lawson, and the honoree, Helen Fleitman drew the door prize.

Mrs. Otto served refreshments of birthday cake, ice cream and lemonade to the above mentioned and to Phyllis Cler, Charlotte Trubebach, Dorothy Mae Bayer, Judy Lutkenhaus, Carol Ann and Veronica Hess. Valentines were place markers and favors were nut cups filled with Valentine heart candy.

BOY SCOUTS HIKE AND CAMP FOR MERIT BADGES

Working for advancement in scouting, members of the local troop went on hikes and camped out Friday and Saturday nights.

The Friday group, striving for second class merit badges, included Clifford Pels and Jimmy Schumacher, patrol leaders, and Jimmy Gehrig, Jerry Endres, Tim Fette, Ronnie Kathman, Donald Hennigan, Sammy Swirczynski and Tim Wimmer.

Hiking Sunday were Melvin and Gene Schoech, Rodney Walter, Jerry Pels and Kenny Fette. Kenny was working on his cooking merit badge for First Class Scout and the others were working on their hiking merit badges.

Let no feeling of discouragement prey upon you, and in the end you are sure to succeed.—Abraham Lincoln.

YOUTH CONVENTION SET FOR FEBRUARY 20 AND 21

Announcement has been made of a Diocesan Youth Convention to be held in Dallas Feb. 20 and 21, and an invitation has been extended to all young people of the parish to attend. The program will include lectures, get-acquainted sessions, a banquet and a dance. High school groups and young adults will have separate meetings and officers for each age group. Registration fees for the entire convention will be only \$7. The diocesan convention is a part of the four-fold program of the National Catholic Youth Council. Further information may be obtained from Mrs. Paul Fisher.

He bid high for the parrot, and finally it was knocked down to him. Paying his \$50, he asked: "Does this parrot talk?"

"Who do you think was bidding against you?" the parrot inquired.

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A very tall sailor, with unusually large feet, walked into a shoe shop and asked for a shine. The dusky shine boy took one look at the expanse of shoe presented and then called to another boy:

"Hey, come here and give me a hand. Ah jus' got a Navy contract."

DOUBLE SURPRISE

J. J. Haverkamp's 60th birthday Monday furnished a double surprise when the Troy Coopers and the Ray Koppers each took a big birthday cake to him at his home. Neither of the couples knew the other had prepared a cake for the occasion or had planned to give it to him Monday night. So both couples and little Joe Ray Kupper all stayed for cake and coffee.

LUNCHEON MENU

Muenster Public School
Feb. 15 to 19

MONDAY: Barbecue beef on buns, fried potatoes, sliced tomatoes, pickles, lettuce, peach cobbler, milk.

TUESDAY: Vegetable soup, beef sandwich, pickles, stewed apricots, crackers, milk.

WEDNESDAY: Beef and beans, buttered carrots, tossed salad, fruit cocktail jello, cake, milk.

THURSDAY: Hot dogs, potato salad, lettuce, coconut pudding, milk.

FRIDAY: Salmon croquettes, green peas, corn, cabbage-apple-raisin salad, chocolate pudding, milk, bread, butter.

The way it sounds, a lot of people with bad coughs don't go to the doctor—they go to the theater.

Church Rite Unites Virginia Fleitman And George Krahl



—Boyd and Breeding Photo

Miss Virginia Fleitman of Lindsay and George Krahl of Gainesville exchanged marriage vows Thursday morning, Feb. 4, in Saint Peter's church with Rev. Conrad Herda officiating at the double ring ceremony and nuptial high mass.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Fleitman, Lindsay, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Krahl, Old Denton Road, Gainesville.

The bride was escorted to the altar and given in marriage by her father. She wore a floor length gown of white chantilly lace over satin. The deep scalloped neckline was fashioned with a net insert and long sleeves tapered to petal points over her hands. The full skirt fell gracefully from a moulded bodice. The bride's veil was caught to a half hat embroidered with rhinestones. She carried a colonial bouquet of white carnations showered with satin streamers.

Miss Mildred Krahl, sister of the groom, was maid of honor, and Miss Mary Alice Block, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid. Their taffeta dresses in shades of yellow and aqua, respectively, were fashioned to duplicate the bride's dress in design with the exception of short puffed sleeves. Their flowers were white chrysanthemum nosegays.

Henry Fleitman attended as best man and Herbert Fleitman of Muenster was groomsman. Wilbert Block and Edward Krahl were ushers.

St. Cecilia's choir and Mrs. William Schmitz, organist, furnished the wedding music and after mass presented "Mother at Your Feet We're Kneeling" as the couple placed a bouquet of flowers on the Blessed Virgin's altar.

The altar before which the couple exchanged their vows was adorned with white gladioli and fern, and white satin streamers marked pews down the center aisle.

A wedding breakfast was served to members of the bridal party after the services with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hermes, uncle and aunt of the bride as hosts in their home. At noon the bride's parents were hosts in the Lindsay hall for a dinner. Miss Mildred Fleitman of Fort Worth, sister of the bride, presided at the bride's book registering 150 guests.

Misses Elfrieda and Rita Block served the wedding cake.

The couple left during the afternoon on a wedding trip. For traveling Mrs. Krahl wore a beige suit with brown accessories and a white carnation corsage. They will live on a farm north of Gainesville.

GET-TOGETHER CLUB HAS MEETING IN HORN HOME

Mrs. Joe Horn entertained members of the Get-Together Club in her home when the ladies gathered for their regular monthly meeting.

A progressive 42 series entertained the group and prizes went to Mrs. M. J. Endres for high score, Mrs. C. M. Walterscheid for low tally and to Mrs. Arthur Endres who drew the door prize.

The hostess, assisted by her daughters, Patsy, Marilyn and Dianne, served home made pie and hot coffee to 12 members.

VFW AUXILIARY HEARS REPORTS, PLANS ACTIVITY

Reports from committee chairmen and plans for coming events furnished the principal business at the regular meeting of the VFW Auxiliary.

Mrs. Paul Sicking reported on the polio benefit dance which started the Auxiliary-sponsored March of Dimes campaign here and Mrs. Hank Walterscheid, general chairman of the drive, reported on other polio benefit projects stating that contributions have climbed to over \$400. That figure, she said, will be increased to some extent when the last of the containers in business houses will be picked up this weekend.

Mrs. Maurice Pagel, chairman of the Valentine dance committee, reported that plans are completed for the event and the date is set for Feb. 13.

Honor Roll Chairman Mrs. Richard Trachta read the requirements for the month of February and to meet them members voted to have a silver drill at their next meeting and give the proceeds to the Heart Fund.

The group will present an American flag to the parochial school this year. This is the Auxiliary's third such presentation, the one last year having gone to the public school and the one before that to the Boy Scout troop.

They also made plans for a hat and coat check service at dances in the VFW Hall. Each member will have an opportunity to serve on a committee of three for this purpose. Mrs. Richard Swirczynski is heading the first committee.

The presiding officer, Mrs. F. A. Kathman, Jr., president, reminded members of the district convention to be held in Sherman on Feb. 13 and 14 and read a letter from Mrs. Pat Parker, district president, revealing that the principal business meeting of the convention will be a school of instructions and inviting the Muenster Auxiliary to demonstrate the correct procedure in balloting for candidates.

Mrs. Kathman also reminded members that the next meeting will feature the annual election of officers and urged everyone to be present on March 1 for this meeting.

Dear Doctor: My pet billy goat is seriously ill from eating a complete leather bound set of Shakespeare. What do you prescribe?

Answer: Am sending Literary Digest by return mail.

Local News BRIEFS

Friends visiting Mrs. A. H. Rebentish Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marburger, H. Richey and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Smith, all of Dallas. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stelzer of Fort Worth and all were dinner guests in the L. A. Bernauer home.

J. M. Weinzappel spent the weekend in Archer City at the bedside of his father H. J. Weinzappel who is still a patient in the hospital there.

Mary Weinzappel of OLV Academy, Fort Worth, and Henry Weinzappel of NTSC, Denton, spent the weekend here with homefolks.

The Albert Schillings of Seminole and the Earl Swinglers and children of Freeport arrived Monday for a visit with their parents, the Joe Swinglers. The Schillings returned home Wednesday and Earl and his family left Thursday.

Miss Rita Dingman of Dallas was a weekend guest in the G. H. Hellman home.

Visiting Mrs. F. M. Shiflet and the J. W. Fletchers Saturday were their nephew and cousin, Jim Moore, accompanied by his son-in-law, Red Simmons and little daughter Debby, all of Muleshoe. Mrs. Moore who came to Cooke county with them was in Gainesville to attend the bedside of a sick sister and became suddenly ill herself. Sunday she entered M&S hospital as a pneumonia patient. She is recovering but is still in Gainesville. Her husband and the rest of the family have returned to their homes.



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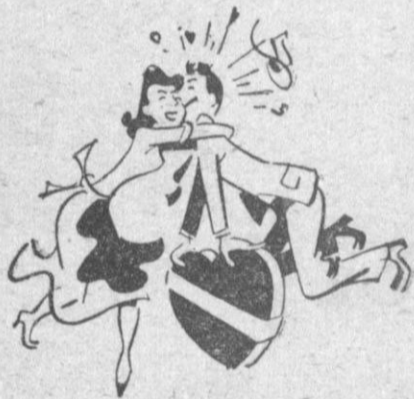
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TOWARD BETTER LIVING

Something good has been happening to the American farmer. In a single generation he has been able to double the productivity of his farming effort. That's the greatest advance on the land since men of ancient times fashioned the first crude plows from tree boughs and cultivated the world's first farms. The farm implement companies, the chemical industries and agricultural agencies have teamed with the enterprising American farmers to achieve this great advance. And it has contributed to the improving welfare of every man, woman, and child in the nation.

Du Pont, one of the pace setting pioneers in farm chemicals research, presents the story of John D. Burkholder, of Lititz, Pa., as an example of what's happening to industrious, progressive farm families throughout the nation. His farm life, his farming practices and his family's living standard are typical of conditions on perhaps 20 per cent of the family farms. The other 80 per cent are constantly improving their situation, but the degree of scientific farming practiced is varying lower than on the Burkholder 80 acres.

Well Equipped

John Burkholder has 26 cows, 8 steers, 6 heifers, 1500 chickens. He grows corn, wheat, hay, tobacco, potatoes. He uses chemical fertilizers and soil condi-

tioners, fungicides, insecticides, and a barnful of modern mechanical equipment. In the course of a year on his various crops he uses 38 different chemicals, not counting 20 tons of fertilizer which is one of his best investments. Fungicide spraying has helped boost his potato yield 100 per cent. Insecticides, medicinals and feed supplements for his chickens have increased egg output 71 per cent. And he estimates that just by eradicating flies which plagued his cattle, his milk production has been increased 20 per cent.

A big boost in his farm's productivity—and profit—came when he thoroughly mechanized his equipment. Either one of his two small tractors today do the work which used to require five men, five plows and ten horses. He has an automatic hay-baler, a self-propelled harvester, and a dozen other machines which help him plant more crops, fertilize, spray and harvest them faster.

Production Increased

From his 80 acres, Burkholder is getting considerably more than twice as much production and income as the average 80 acres around the country produced 25 or 30 years ago. This fact is important not only to this one farmer, his wife and two children; it is vitally important to the whole population. By 1975, the U. S. population will be 210,000,000—about 60,000,000 more appetites for the farms to satisfy. Ordinarily that would require, on the basis of average production, an additional 200,000,000 new acres of farm land.

There just isn't that much additional land to break to the plow. In fact our farm acreage has expanded hardly at all since 1920. The solution to the food problem seems obvious: Burkholder and the million or more farmers who have utilized almost every scientific farming advancement must continue to push up their productivity; and the 80 per cent who have not fully mechanized nor taken advantage of chemical developments must do so or quit farming.

The Future

The chemical industries, the agricultural agencies and the equipment manufacturers are going to make available untold new services to the farmers. And when you look at John Burkholder's income, his spacious modernly-equipped home, his good-looking automobile and his happy family, you can feel confident that most American farmers who have the ability are going to adapt their farming to the new developments and practices. The incentive to the farmer is the opportunity for better living and greater service.

In the evolution toward this goal some of today's 5,000,000 farm families will not be able to keep pace, and will cease farming. This is a normal, healthy transition. John Burkholder was born on a farm and has adapted himself to agricultural progress. He fits the requirements for successful farming. Some don't. They will be better off doing something



Learning The Hard Way

else, more productive for themselves and for society. It is my prediction that in the scientific evolution now taking place on the farms, the capable, industrious, enterprising American farmers will recognize the indispensable value of the competitive market and the economic law of supply and demand.

A man ordered a turkey sandwich. "Sorry, no turkey," said the waiter. "Then I'll have a chicken sandwich," he replied. "Don't be silly," answered the waiter, "if we had chicken, wouldn't we have turkey sandwiches?"

Lincoln Knew His Limitations

ONE OF THE KEYS to Abraham Lincoln's greatness is his own realization of his limitations. His writings and speeches reflect this basic humility in which he recognized both his responsibilities to God, and his own inability to master all the problems of the Republic.

During the Battle of Gettysburg, the reports poured into the White House showing the fate of the United States hung in the balance. Everyone seemed panic-stricken. Lincoln went to his room, locked the door and prayed. He later told a friend of this moment:

"I TOLD GOD that I had done all I could and that now the result was in His hands; that if this country was to be saved, it was because He so willed it! The burden rolled off my shoulders. My intense anxiety was relieved and in its place came a great trustfulness."

Lincoln constantly reminded the people that God's government was above America's government. His first draft of the Gettysburg Address did not include the words, "under God." He put them in only when he actually gave the speech.

IT WAS AS IF he suddenly realized the incompleteness of his talk and, with the last and most meaningful addition, gave his address—and our nation—its proper direction: "that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom."

He realized that Americans as a group should seek God's guidance. So he proclaimed August 12, 1861, "as a day of humiliation, prayer and fasting for all people of the nation." Instead of stressing only the log cabin story we should dwell on the spirit of America reflected in his proclamation of this day:

"IT IS FIT and becoming in all times to acknowledge and revere the Supreme government of God; to bow in humble submission to His chastisements; to confess and deplore their sins and transgressions, in full conviction that the fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; and to pray with all fervency and contrition for the pardon of their past offenses, and for a blessing upon their present and prospective action."

Lincoln then asked all teachers of religion and heads of families "to observe and keep that day."

HIS WORDS REMIND us that now, as in all times of crisis, God stands ready to strengthen and console us—if only we as individuals and as a nation have the wisdom to turn to Him.



Abraham Lincoln

It was necessary to give three blood transfusions to save a girl's life, and a healthy young Scot came forward. For the first pint of blood the patient gave him \$50. For the second pint she gave him \$25. The third time she had so much Scotch blood in her that she merely said thank you.

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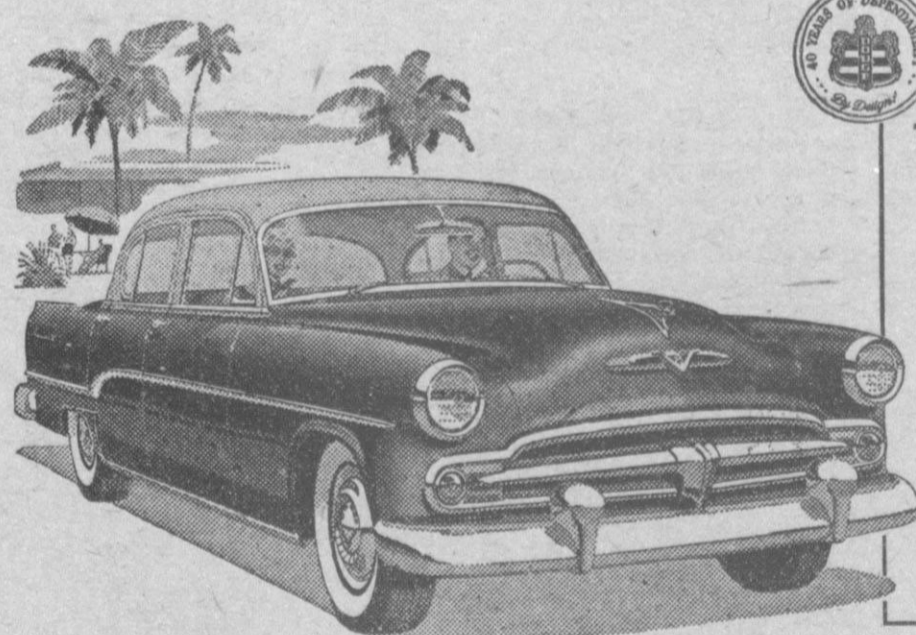
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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Wish I'd Said That

You know Miss Perkins. Well, she's been driving her own car around our town for a little more than 30 years.

The other day she had a bit of trouble parking down on Main Street. Didn't quite make it the first try, so she pulled out to start over when a fellow waiting to pass started tooting his horn impatiently.

On the second try, she was still having a little difficulty and so this smart aleck hollered, "Lady, do you know how to drive?" "Yes, young man," Miss Perkins answered,

"I do. But I don't have time to teach you now."

From where I sit, it's not always easy to have a good answer ready when you need it. But when somebody insists that I vote for his candidate, for instance, or choose tea instead of a temperate glass of beer with dinner, I know the answer. It's all a matter of personal preference . . . and none of us like "backseat driving" from anybody.

Joe Marsh

Soil Conservation Notes

Muenster farmers are not worrying about what to put on those acres taken out of wheat and cotton by acreage allotments. They have learned by experience that two-year sweet clovers and deep rooted grasses in their crop-land rotations pay off in extra hay and grazing and in addition improve soil tilth and water intake. They know that the deep

roots of legumes and grasses break up dense compacted plow pans and let water and crop roots into the soil. They have learned that crops on land that has grown sweet clovers or grasses will produce up to twice as much as crops on untreated land. So a lot of land around Muenster is going into two-year colvers and grasses this spring.

Paul Fisher has some 30 acres of vetch that is growing good and providing his high producing milk cows with winter greens. He is also preparing to seed another 25 acres to biennial white sweet clover for summer grazing and

soil improvement. Andy Wimmer just finished sowing oats on soil that had been improved by a crop of winter peas and is planting 20 acres to Madrid sweet clover.

J. A. Klement plans to seed 13 acres to biennial white clover for soil improvement and Eddie Fleitman is using some of his own seed to put biennial white sweet clover on 25 acres of cropland on the farm he operates for Bruno Fleitman.

Others around Muenster who are putting two-year clover seed and phosphate on their fields for soil improvement and protection include Albert Fleitman, 25 acres; H. J. Fuhrman, 17 acres; Henry Wiesman, 20 acres; Al Wiesman, 40 acres; Roy Townsley at Myra, 25 acres; Tony Wimmer, 23 acres; Norbert Koessler, 20 acres; Walter Klement, 25 acres, and Wilfred Reiter, 25 acres.

Blue panic grass is to be planted on a number of fields near Muenster later this spring. Blue panic is a high forage producing perennial grass that sends roots deep into the soil to destroy plow pans and increase organic matter and water intake capacity. It works well in crop rotations to produce hay and grazing and at the same time gives soil protection and improvement. Cooperators of the Upper Elm-Red soil conservation district who are making preparations to seed panic grass this spring include Ike Fulton of Myra, Alois Trubenbach, Paul Fisher, Claude Cannon who had a planting of this grass last year, and Roy Kingery of Saint Jo.

Soil conservation personnel at the Muenster work unit have this advice on seeding blue panic. It produces best when seeded in rows and fertilized with nitrogen and phosphate at time of seeding. For maximum production the grass should be cultivated and top-dressed with nitrogen early each spring. Panic grass will produce a high tonnage of high quality forage and will take the place of sudan for a number of years on the land without the replanting expense of sudan, and the deep fibrous roots give soil improvement. It is a very tender grass in early stages and for that reason should not be planted before May.

Those who deny freedom to others deserve it not for themselves and, under a just God, cannot long retain it.—Abraham Lincoln.

Marysville News

Mrs. Rafe McElreath will be hostess this Friday, Feb. 12, instead of Mrs. Joe Doughty, when the Marysville Home Demonstration club meets. Mrs. McElreath will give a cookie making demonstration in her home and each member is reminded to bring a cookie recipe to answer roll call with. Gifts will be exchanged by all members bringing gifts. Mrs. Doughty has accepted employment at Linda Jo Shoe factory in Gainesville and will be unable to be active in club work.

Relatives and friends surprised Mrs. Jasper Shaw with a dinner to observe her 70th birthday on Feb. 4. Helping her celebrate were her son and family, the Albert Shaws, Mrs. Addie Wakeum and son Bill, the Ivan Stagdale family, Margie Cole, Mrs. Axilda Harrell, Kathy Callam, the Joe Snows and child, the Bill Breckenridges, all of Gainesville; Mrs. Shaw's sister, Mrs. Myrtle Blount and son Carl of Hood, and the Charles and Foster Davidsons and the H. B. Snows.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Binford and daughter Dianne, Mrs. Beis Gaston and grandson Mike Hott, all of Gainesville visited during the past week with their father, Sam Richey.

Rev. and Mrs. Stanley Daniels of Fort Worth were here Sunday for the regular church services. They were accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. Chares Darland, also of Fort Worth. Rev. Darland delivered the morning message. Both couples were dinner guests in the Ragon McElreath home. Other guests included Pvt. and Mrs. Randolph Morris of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Morris and three sons of Gainesville and the Rafe McElreaths and daughter Becky.

The H. H. Richeys and daughters Linda and Deanna spent Sunday in Valley View visiting the Bill Sparkman family.

The Charles Davidsons were in Hood for a weekend visit with her parents, the O. B. Seigmonds and family.

Mrs. Leam Duckworth of Denver, Colo., is visiting her brother, Joe Myers since she came to

Marysville to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Martha Fletcher, last Friday.

The J. R. Mercers and family of Knox City visited her sister and family, the Robert Richeys, Sunday.

Mrs. B. G. Lyons joined Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stiles of Gainesville on a weekend trip to visit Miss Shirley Stiles who teaches school at Laraine in Mitchell county. Mrs. Lyons had just returned from a week's visit with the W. E. Holcombes at Stanton and went with them to visit their children, Price Holcombe at Wink, Horace at Monahans, and Kenneth at Midland. They also visited Mrs. Lyons' sister, Mrs. Queenie Bone and the Robert Bones at Odessa.

The Marysville Progress club met Tuesday night in the community building with Mrs. Buford Whitt leading the opening prayer and Earl Robison in charge of business. Family report sheets were distributed for the rural progress contest and members were reminded to fill them in and bring them back at the next meeting. The group voted to have a benefit pie supper on Feb. 22. After business, table games were played and refreshments served to 36.

The Charlie Meurers and the Henry Thoebes and daughter Maxine of Windthorst were among guests here for the Voth-Becker reception Tuesday and visited with other relatives before returning home Wednesday.

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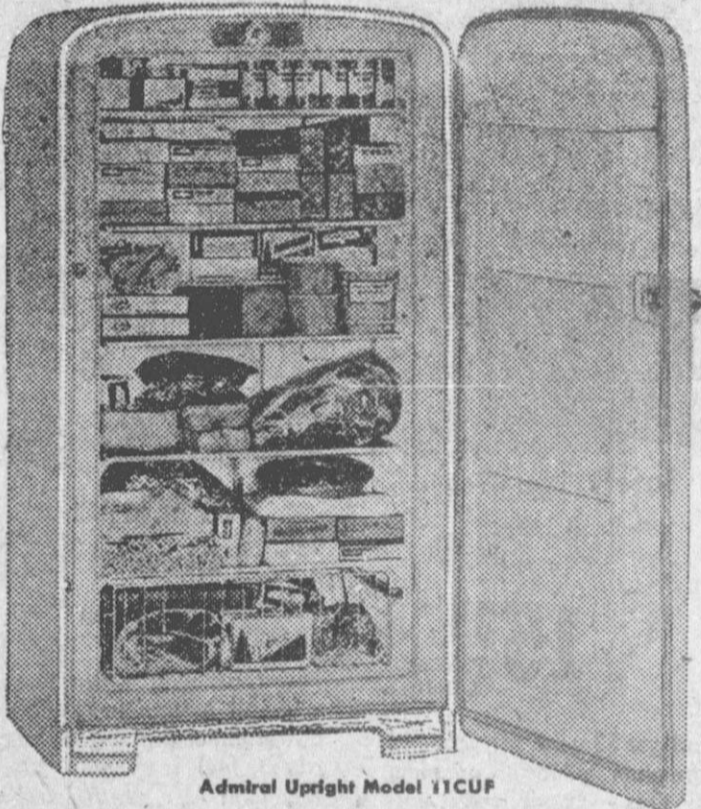
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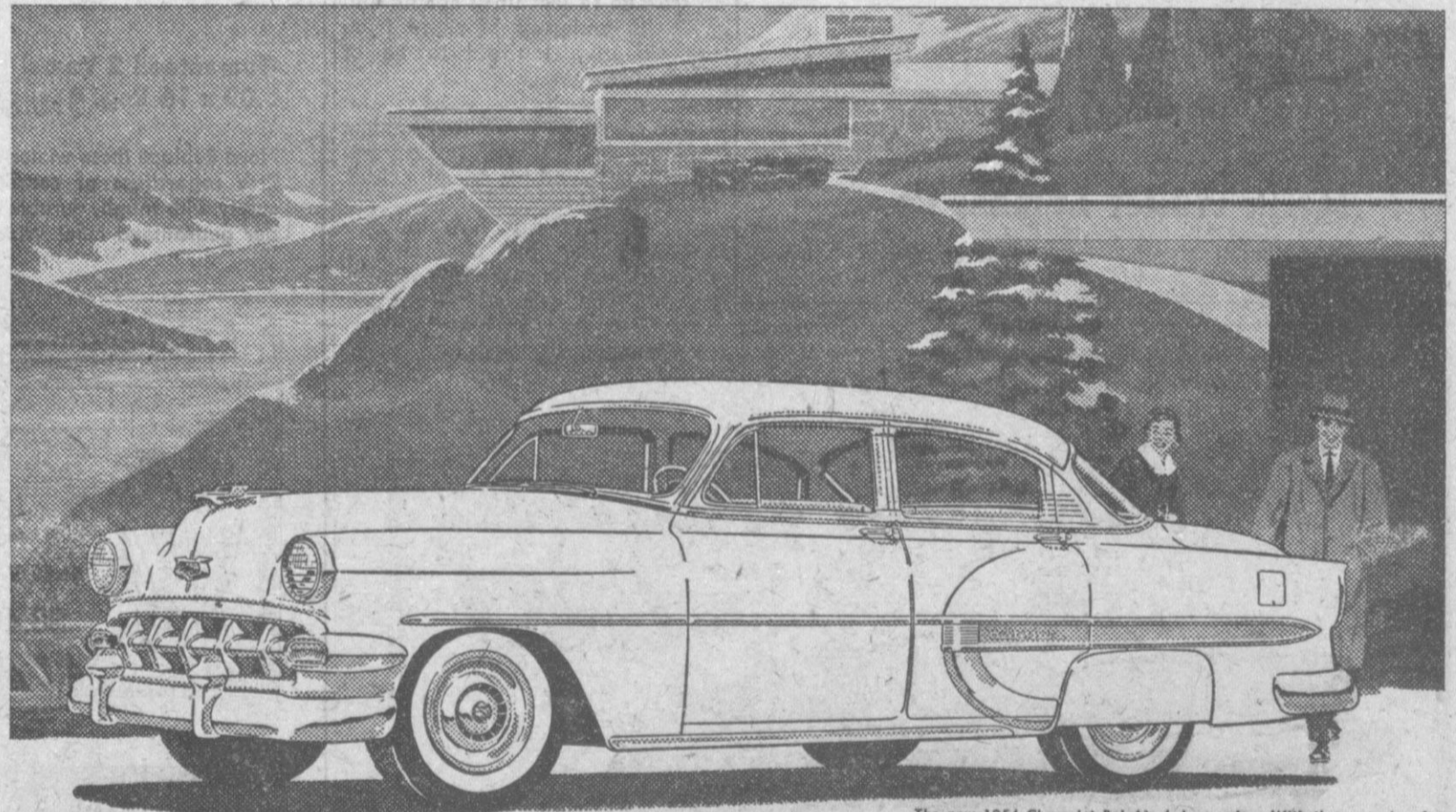
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Muenster Refinery to get crude oil from Voth No. 2 well; agreement may bring new drilling activity. Joe Cauldwell of Myra succumbs to heart attack. F. E. Schmitz opens used car business at Gainesville. Isabell Trubenbach and Arnold Swirczynski marry here Monday. Margaret Hess and Eddie Schmitt marry Tuesday; the day also marks the silver wedding anniversary of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hess. Catherine Trubenbach and F. J. Hacker say marriage vows Tuesday. A son is born to

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hermes of Lindsay. After the annual clinic day here most of the community's children are now immune to diphtheria. Muenster choir members will go to Fort Worth to attend a concert by the world famous Vienna Choir Friday night. The Orville Malones announce the arrival of William Lamar in Wichita Falls. The Joe Thomassons welcome the birth of Mary Joan in Nowata, Okla.

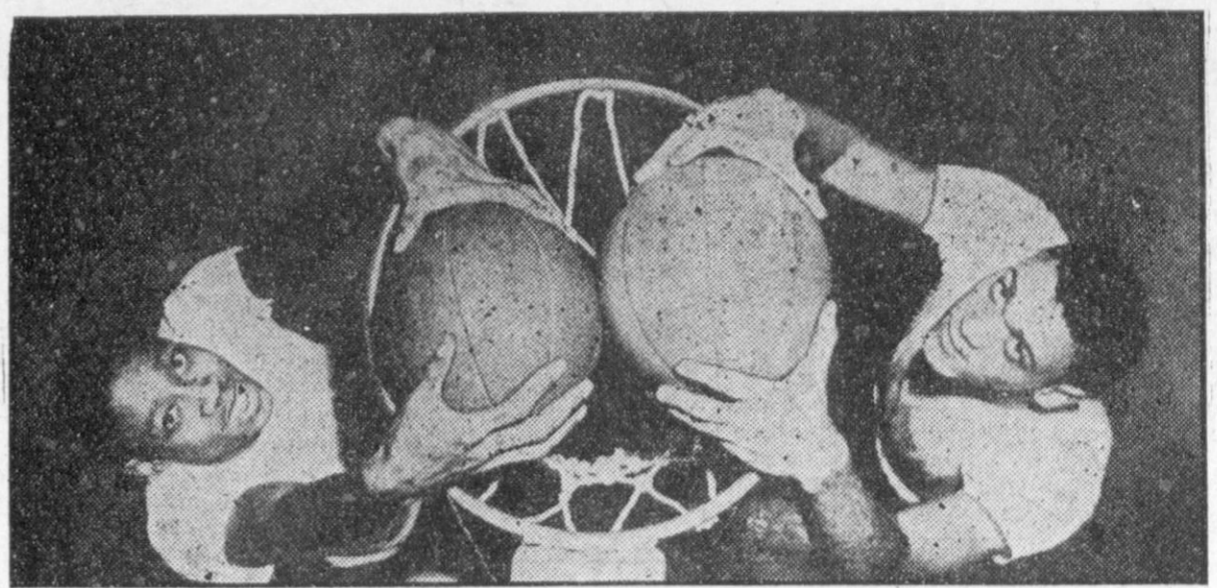
10 YEARS AGO
Feb. 11, 1944

Muenster's oldest resident, Mrs. Rosina Klement, 91, passed away Monday. Relax Theatre bond show set for Feb. 18; admission will be by war bond purchase only. Lindsay Gun Club elects Bill Gruber president. Sailor Louis Roberg completes leave

here and returns to the east coast. T. Sgt. Charlie Wimmer goes overseas to ETO. T. Sgt. Walter Huchton of March Field, Calif., is here on leave. The Herman Fettes entertained in their home Wednesday honoring her parents on their 25th wedding anniversary. The Ray Owens announce the birth of Mary Lou. Mrs. E. P. Buckley is recovering from surgery performed in Sherman. The Al Schmitts are the parents of a daughter named Loretta. Harry Otto broke his right arm Friday cranking a motor. The Jesse Sanner family moved here this week from Olney.

5 YEARS AGO
Feb. 11, 1949

One extra hour each day will make up school time lost during ice storm. 90 per cent of REA line repairs will be completed this weekend. Five local Scouts receive Ad Altare Dei awards at Dallas Scout rally. Return of fair weather speeds up old church demolition job. City tax rate remains at \$1.50 for another year. Owens Grocery joins Clover Farm system and changes location. Election of Mayor and three aldermen called for April 5. Mrs. Catherine Huchtons broke her left arm in a fall on the ice. John Bayer left Sunday for Iowa after receiving a message that his brother Joe Bayer had passed away suddenly. Group of friends organize Dizzy Dozen Birthday Club. Urban and Gilbert Endres combined business with pleasure on a trip to Arkansas during the weekend and stopped at Camp Chaffee for a visit with Leonard Hartman, Walter Luttmmer, Leo Becker, Arnold Knabe, Leonard Walterscheid, Buddy Yosten, Henry Felderhoff, Johnny Schmitz and Dick Pulte, who are taking army training there.



TOWERS OF DUQUESNE—Jim Tucker, left, and Dick Ricketts, stars of the Duquesne University quintet, reach up and drop the basketball in the basket during a recent practice session in New York City. Both Tucker, a center, and Ricketts, a forward, tower 6 feet, 7½ inches.

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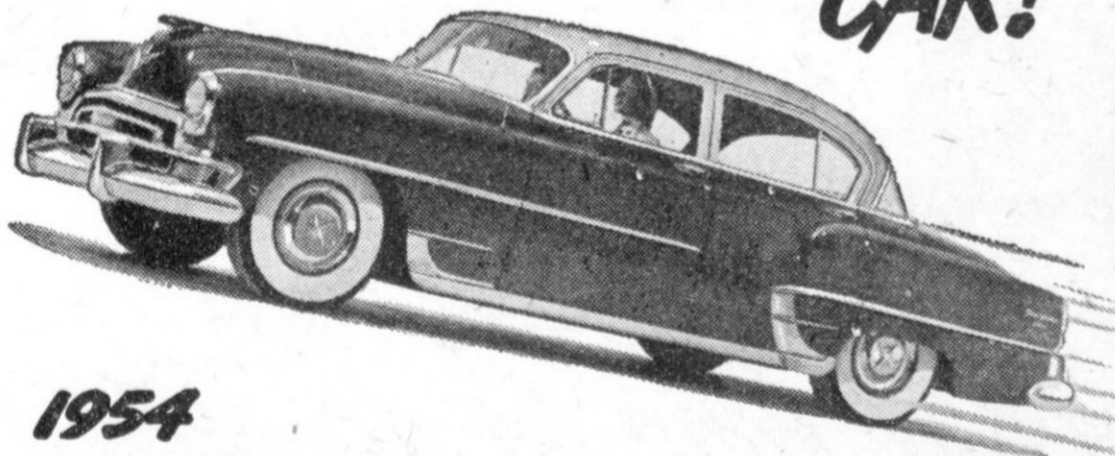
They work themselves literally to death—a worker's life averages only six weeks. They commit suicide when they sting, leaving both stinger and vital organs in the flesh of their victims.

Their strange custom of swarming often endangers their existence. For example, when a new colony swarms in the fall it may be caught without enough honey in storage to last until spring and with its emigrant workers from the old hive too old to be of much use.

Forced to be a witness against a friend charged with larceny yet unwilling to call his friend a thief, Ol' Mose said:

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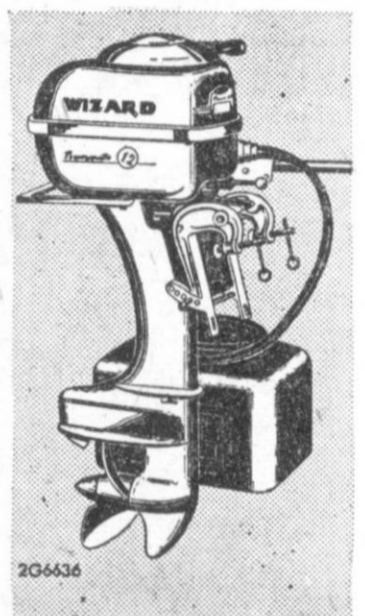
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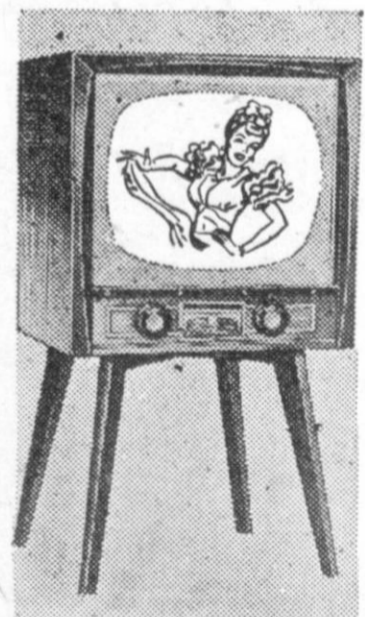
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I. A. Schoech was honored Sunday with a dinner party in observance of birthday. His son and daughter-in-law, the Andrew Schoechs were hosts in their home. The table held a decorated angel food cake baked by his granddaughter, Margie Schoech, aged 10, and held 74 candles.

In addition to Mr. and Mrs. Schoech and the hosts and their family others present were the Al Clers and the Ferd Yostens and children of Fort Worth.

GIFT PARTY COMPLIMENTS YOUNG MATRON SUNDAY

Mrs. Anthony Luke was greeted with a surprise gift party Sunday afternoon in the home of her parents, the J. J. Haverkamps.

After a progressive 42 series guests presented a shower of pastel gifts to Mrs. Luke. The gift table carried out a pink and blue color scheme.

presented their awards to the honoree. High score award was won by Mrs. Ray Kupper, galloping prize was secured by Mrs. Joe Vogel and the consolation favor went to Mrs. Dude Rosson.

The hostess served apple pie a la mode and coffee to 20 guests. Others who were unable to attend sent their gifts.

4 BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED

Observing four birthdays that occur within two weeks Mrs. M. H. King entertained with a dinner in her home Jan. 31 honoring her husband, her parents the R. M. Felty of Hood, and celebrated herself. The table held a decorated cake and other guests were Mr. King's father, and the J. T. Barkers and daughter, Marcia Ann of Hood.

The rich man hires a butler, valet, secretary, laundress, cook, and housekeeper. The poor man just gets married.

Local News BRIEFS

The T. M. Hammers and Judy and the G. W. Hammers and three children spent Saturday night and Sunday in Dallas as guests in the home of the men's brother, John W. Hammer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Tubb and three daughters of Oklahoma City spent Sunday with relatives in Muenster and Lindsay and were dinner guests in the home of her sister, Mrs. Joe Trubenbach and family.

Mrs. Victor Hartman and daughter Patsy spent three days of past week in Denton visiting the Keith Tompkins family.

Captain Joe S. Fletcher, assistant director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, arrived by air Friday morning to attend the funeral of his step-mother, Mrs. Martha Fletcher at Marysville, and visited with his brother, J. W. Fletcher before returning to Austin.

Staff Sergeant and Mrs. Teddy Gremminger were here Sunday night to Wednesday visiting with family members.

Joe Lehnertz returned Sunday from Caldwell where he spent two weeks with his son, Quintin,

on the ranch where he works. Quintin brought him back to Muenster and visited family members before returning.

The Charlie Stelzers of Fort Worth drove to Muenster Sunday for a visit with relatives.

The Ferd Yostens and Judy and Teddy of Fort Worth visited here Sunday and were accompanied back home by Harry Yosten who had spent several days with his uncle and aunt, the Al Wiesmans. They were in Fort Worth Thursday and brought him back with them.

Capt. Jane Hoehn left Saturday to return to Camp Kilmer, N. J., after a visit here with family members. She was accompanied as far as Saint Louis by her aunt, Mrs. Margaret Toulme, who lives there. Both had been visiting in the Ed Cler home.

The local Scout committee met Wednesday Feb. 3 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Walter to hear a talk by Jim Armstrong of Durant, Okla., field executive of the Circle Ten council.

The Harold Cookes and children Nancy Dean and Don spent last weekend with his parents, the Don Cookes and on Sunday helped Mr. Cooke celebrate his birthday. A dinner party that day honored him. Other guests were the honoree's mother, Mrs. J. H. Cooke and his brother, Reeves and wife.

The Jack Fletchers and daughter, Patricia, of Mineral Wells were here one day last week to visit his parents, the J. W. Fletchers. They were enroute home after a week's vacation in west Texas and New Mexico and during that time moved Jack's sister, Mrs. Jack Reed and children to Albuquerque where Mr. Reed is employed. They formerly lived in Fort Worth.

The Stan Yostens and son spent the weekend here and the Paul Yostens and daughters were here Sunday to visit their parents and other relatives. Both families were supper guests in the Larry Yosten home before returning to Fort Worth.

AT RELATIVE'S WEDDING

The Albert Knabes and son Gilbert, the Bill Beckers and Mrs. John Knabe and Johnny Knabe were in Hereford last week to attend the marriage of Miss Joan Knabe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knabe, to Carl Stauffess. The newly married couple will make their home on a ranch 13 miles north of Hereford when they return from a wedding trip.

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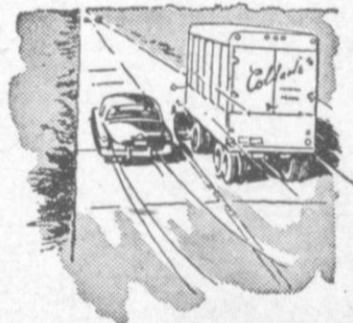
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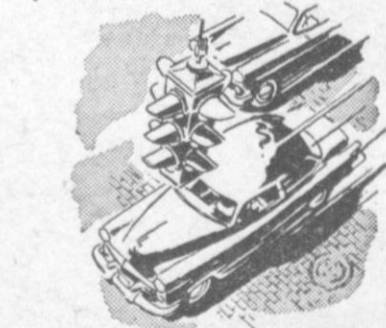


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Bulcher News

Rev. Charles Milburn of Nocona filled his regular appointment at the Shiloh Baptist church Sunday and he and his family were afternoon guests in the E. L. Robison home.

Messrs. and Mmes. W. B. Yancey and children and Lloyd Huggins and daughter, all of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Huggins Sunday. Mr. Huggins is improving from an illness of pneumonia.

Mrs. J. E. Blakely is a patient at the Gaston Clinic in Dallas where she is receiving treatments. Her children take turns staying with her. She may be permitted to return home this weekend.

Guests of the August Hymans during the weekend were her sisters, Mrs. Nora Gosden of Fort Worth and Mrs. Guy Giles of Wichita Falls. Mrs. Giles was accompanied by her husband and their son, Jack.

The Dexter Dowds had as guests Sunday her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Dennis of Gainesville and her brother, Wayne Dennis and family of Nocona.

The Floyd Webbs and the Charles Crabtrees and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Pickett at Healdton, Okla., Sunday.

The E. Newbys had as guests the latter part of last week her sister and husband, the Clark Harrells of Electra.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bradberry over the weekend were their children, Mrs. Estelle Johnson and family and F. E. Bradberry, and his brother and wife, the O. B. Bradberrys, all of Wichita Falls and the Alvin Blakely family of Saint Jo.

Mmes. Gid Prather and E. L. Robison attended the home demonstration club council meeting in Gainesville Tuesday afternoon.

With the arrival of warm, sunny weather Bulcher citizens are busy with garden, yard and orchard work.

The Bob Hutchisons and son Bobby of McKinney spent the weekend visiting their parents the E. L. Robisons here and the L. R. Hutchisons at Gainesville.

BULCHER HD CLUB HAS COOKIE DEMONSTRATION

The Bulcher Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. E. Newby Thursday afternoon with 15 members present for a cookie making demonstration.

During the business session conducted by Mrs. Gid Prather members decided to honor the aged and shut-in of the community on their birthdays. Mmes. R. H. Sharp, R. J. Samples and Dexter Dowd were appointed to serve on this newly formed committee.

Mrs. Johnnie West and Mrs. E. Newby gave the cookie making demonstration and later the corn flake macaroons were served with other refreshments to those present.

Mrs. Newby also directed the recreation which carried out the Valentine theme in games and songs. Mrs. Claude Cannon won the game prize. Secret Pal gifts were exchanged and names were revealed.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. E. L. Robison and Miss Bernice Puckett will give the demonstration.

Local News BRIEFS

Mrs. Lucille Fancher, Mrs. Eva Townsley and John Lucas, all of Gainesville were Sunday visitors in the Frank Needham home.

Messrs. and Mmes. Ray Hess and Vincent Felderhoff attended the Fat Stock Show and rodeo in Fort Worth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Scoggins have as their guests their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Rogers of Pampa. Mr. Rogers had surgery at Fort Worth last week, and will be strong enough to return home this weekend. While he was in the hospital Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Scoggins and Mrs. Harry Scoggins cheered him with a bedside visit.

Guests Sunday in the Henry Schumacher home at Gainesville were Mrs. Leona Wiesman and children of Dallas, the Richard Schumacher family, Mrs. Melvin Schumacher and Dale, Dolores Haverkamp and Hazel Lerner.

Wilfred Herr stopped here to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Fred Herr Sr., and his uncle and aunt, the Joe Lukes. He was enroute from Houston to Hereford to visit his parents, the Emil Herrs before going to Casper, Wyo., with the geophysical company for which he works.

Sister Genevieve returned Saturday from St. Paul's Hospital where she received a week of treatments. The Clem Hofbauers and Sister Frances drove to Dallas to bring her home and stopped at the John Hofbauer's for a visit.

Boy Scouts Observe 44th Birthday



44th ANNIVERSARY 1954 BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Official Boy Scout Week Poster

The 44th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America will be observed during Boy Scout Week, Feb. 7 to 13, by more than 3,300,000 boys and adult leaders. Since 1910 more than 21,000,000 boys and leaders have been members. Boy Scout Week will highlight the "Forward on Liberty's Team" theme which seeks to produce a greater functioning manpower and provide a higher quality program for an ever-increasing membership. In countless communities, Scouts, their parents, local institutions and public officials will pay tribute to the leaders of 89,000 Units for the contribution they are making to the boyhood of America.

Citation By Publication in Delinquent Tax Suits And Return

THE STATE OF TEXAS County of Cooke In the Name and by the Authority of The State of Texas

To: Moran Stone, Mary Pemberton, M. C. Pemberton, Theodore C. Stone, Winzell Stone, who resides outside of the State of Texas at San Diego, California; Philadelphia, Penna.; Philadelphia, Penna., Chicago, Ill.; Los Angeles, California, respectively, and Georgia Brotherton, Luther Brotherton, Jr., James Stone and his three children whose names are unknown and their heirs, Verly Stone, Ruth Stone and her unknown husband, and all of their heirs, all of whom have residences unknown to plaintiffs, the heirs and legal representatives of Will Stone and Alice Stone, deceased, whose name and residence are unknown, and the respective unknown heirs and legal representatives of all the above named parties, and any and all other persons, including adverse claimants, owning, or having, or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the hereinafter described property delinquent to plaintiffs herein for taxes.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that suit has been brought and is now pending in the Honorable District Court, SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, COOKE COUNTY, TEXAS, wherein THE STATE OF TEXAS AND THE COUNTY OF COOKE, TEXAS are plaintiffs; THE CITY OF GAINESVILLE, TEXAS Sam Stone, Jr., Moran Stone, Georgia Brotherton, joined by her husband Luther Brotherton, Jr., Mary Pemberton joined by her husband M. C. Pemberton, Theodore C. Stone, Winzell Stone, Millie Hill, James Stone and his three unknown children, Verly Stone, Ruth Stone and all unknown of Will & Alice Stone are defendants, by the filing by said plaintiffs of a petition on the 3rd day of February, 1954 and the file number of said suit being No. 574 and the nature of which is a suit to collect delinquent ad valorem taxes on the following described property, to-wit: Lots Nos. 6 and N 1/2-7 Block 16, Peery (1st) Addition to the City of Gainesville, in Cooke County, Texas, together with interest, penalties, costs, charges, and expenses of suit which have accrued and which may legally accrue thereon.

The amount of taxes due each plaintiff, exclusive of interest, penalties and costs is as follows: THE STATE OF TEXAS \$72.96 THE COUNTY OF COOKE, TEXAS \$181.21 TOTAL \$254.17 The names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on said property not made party to this suit are None. Plaintiff and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, and in addition to the taxes all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and fore-

closure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law. All parties to this suit, including plaintiff, defendants, and intervenors, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter, up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefor, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file and which may hereafter be filed in said cause by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the 17th day of March, A.D. 1954 (which is the return day of such citation), before the honorable District Court of Cooke County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the plaintiff and the taxing units parties hereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court in the City of Gainesville, Cooke County, Texas, this 3rd day of February, A.D. 1954. If this citation is not served within 90 days after its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. Woodrow U. Clegg, Clerk of the District Court, Cooke County, Texas, Sixteenth Judicial District.

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COUNTY FARM BUREAU DIRECTORS HAVE MEETING Directors of the Cooke County Farm Bureau met Thursday, Feb. 4, in the community room of the First State Bank with William Bezner, president, and Melvin Dansby, field director in charge.

Bezner of Gainesville and Frank Neu of Valley View were selected to attend the district meeting Feb. 11, in the Baker Hotel in Dallas. A membership committee was appointed consisting of Jay Pybas, Sivells Bend; Kit Carson, Gainesville; and Hollis Berry, Rosston.

Present for Thursday's meeting were Bezner, Mrs. Roy Robinson, Miss Alma Robb, Bruno Zimmerer, Martin Bayer, Joe B. Hundt, J. E. Pybas, Thomas Davis, Frank Neu and Melvin Dansby.

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For Tax Assessor-Collector **RAFE I. PIPER**, re-election
For County Sheriff **O. E. WHISNAND**, re-election
For Commissioner, Precinct 3 **J. E. (EARL) TAYLOR**, re-election
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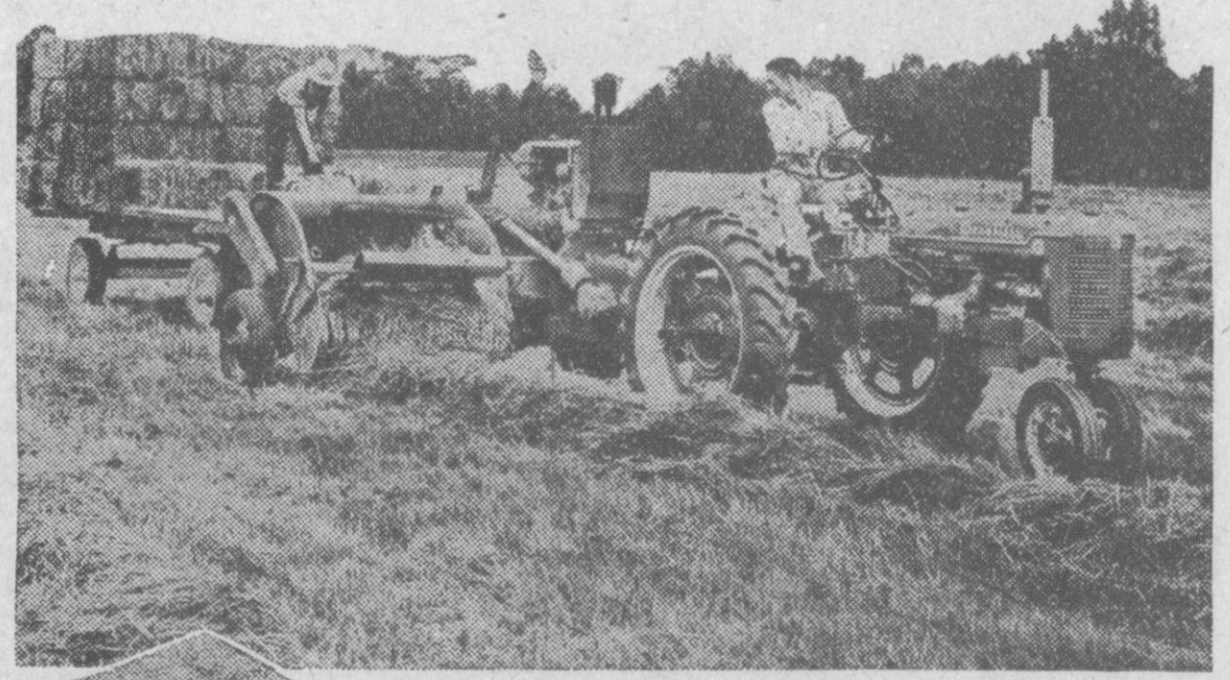


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Lindsay News

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neu and children Leon and Margie Jo spent the weekend at Camp Chaffee, Ark., visiting their son and brother, Pvt. Elroy Neu.

Cecil Hermes left Dallas Thursday with other Texas 4-H delegates to attend the First National Junior Fact Finding Conference of American Poultry Industries. He was a Cooke county winner in poultry demonstration work which is a part of his 4-H project. The conference will begin Saturday and continue through Monday.

PFC Wilfred Hess and a buddy PFC Adolph Orsag of Camp Polk, La., spent a weekend pass with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hess and family.

Relatives have received announcement of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence (Biggun) Schmitz of Dallas. The baby has a brother and two sisters and is the granddaughter of Theo Schmitz.

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Misses Frances and Theresa Mae Spaeth of Dallas visited here during the weekend with their mother, Mrs. George Spaeth, and the trio drove to Muenster Sunday afternoon to visit the Andrew Schoech family.

Viola Flusche and Alice Voth spent the weekend in Decatur with the former's parents, the C. M. Flusches and returned to Lindsay with them when they visited here Sunday.

NEU-BIERSCHENK RITES SET FOR TUESDAY, FEB. 23

Mr. and Mrs. John Neu Jr. have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Frieda Mae, to Victor Bierschenk of Grandview.

The couple has set Tuesday, Feb. 23, as the wedding date. The wedding will be solemnized in St. Peter's church at 8:30 a.m.

LINDSAY 4-H CLUB GIRLS HAVE SEWING MEETING

The Lindsay 4-H girls met Thursday morning, February 4 with Vice-President Rachel Voth presiding.

After roll call was answered by the name of the garment that each girl expects to make for the dress revue, Miss Bernice Puckett, home demonstration agent, instructed the girls on the proper way to cut a pattern. Miss Puckett explained that it is very important to read the instructions sheet carefully before attempting anything else. She demonstrated how to place the pattern on the material so that the different lines and marks on the pattern will coincide with the design of the material.

The meeting was closed with the song-leader, Eileen Fuhrmann, leading the girls in singing "That Wonderful Daddy of Mine."

Adult-leader, Mrs. Joe Bengfort, was present for the meeting.

Cooke County DHIA December Record Is Best in State

The Cooke County Dairy Herd association's cows were the champion milk producers among DHIA herds of Texas during the month of December, it was revealed Tuesday when the state associations' averages were released.

The 742 cows in 24 herds produced an average of 820 pounds of milk to take top honors, and came up in second place in the production of butterfat with 33 pounds.

In January the county herds broke their own record to produce 840 pounds of milk and 34 pounds of butterfat for the highest averages in the Cooke County association's history. State averages for January will not be available until next month, so the county's standing in the state is not known at this time.

The county's summary for January, released this week, shows that 674 cows produced an average of 840 pounds of milk and 34 pounds of butterfat with 296 cows in the upper bracket with 40 pounds or more of butterfat.

Peter Prescher's herd was the high herd of the month with 1250 pounds of milk and 46 pounds of butterfat. Individual honors for butterfat production went to two of Richard Frasher's cows which tied for first place with 92 pounds. His herd was in second place. One of Paul Fisher's cows was second in individual production with 90 pounds of BF, while his herd was in fourth place.

Members with herds producing 40 pounds of butterfat or over include: Alfred Bayer with 17 cows averaging from 41 to 76; Martin Bayer, twelve, 40-56; Paul Fetsch, ten, 40-52; C. A. Fisher, six, 43-66; Joe Fisher, seven, 40-65; Paul Fisher, sixteen, 40-90; J. W. Fleitman, twenty-three, 40-61; John Knabe, nine, 40-79; Toney Nehib, fourteen, 41-68; Peter Prescher, nineteen, 43-85; Ben Sicking, nine 44-64.

Ewald Hoelker entered M&S Hospital during the weekend for medical care.

Pauline Myrick Gets Nurse's Cap

Dr. and Mrs. T. S. Myrick and children, Margaret and Jim, were in Galveston Saturday to attend the capping exercises at John Sealy College of Nursing, where their daughter and sister, Miss Pauline Myrick, was among 42 student nurses receiving caps. This is Pauline's freshman year, and the school of nursing is the same from which her mother graduated.

Miss Myrick plans to finish her nurse's training at John Sealy and continue her education at the University of Texas in Austin. The five-year course will give her a B.S. degree and she will graduate from the same school from which her father received his degree.

Milk Receipts - - -

meet NTPA's needs for a long time.

The total investment in the expansion program is estimated at about \$250,000. About \$50,000 of it is being spent on building additions which include a Grade A receiving room, a milk powdering room, a powdered milk storage and packaging room, and additional height on the present condensing room. The new equipment, estimated at about \$200,000, includes a powdering unit, another condenser, receiving room equipment, another boiler to furnish the additional power, and more trucks.

To meet the increased demand for electricity the plant will also have its own installation of transformers. Maximum demand there will jump from the present 75 H.P. to about 200 H.P.

New construction is all brick and tile . . . light colored brick on the outside, then construction tile and an inside finish of glazed tile.

A housewife, returning an egg she borrowed, stepped inside her neighbor's kitchen and called out: "I'm going to lay an egg here on the kitchen table."

Came a deep, male voice from the next room; "Wait a minute—this I've got to see!"

Building And Improvement Notes

Joe Swingler's two bedroom brick home is the latest of three new homes now under construction in the city. Located on North Main across from Sacred Heart Church, it has been under construction for about three weeks. The present Swingler house adjoining Tractor Sales and Service was recently bought by that organization.

Besides Swingler's, also across from the church, Joe Fisher's three bedroom house is considerably farther along. Interior work has been under way there for some time.

About the same stage of progress has been reached on the three bedroom brick house with attached garage being built by Community Lumber Company in the east part of town.

Ed Endres has a good start on a remodeling job on his house. It consists of 16 x 16 room and a complete new roof.

Albert Hess is building a double garage and laundry room at his home.

Increased poultry activity accounts for two more new buildings, both finished this week. Herman Swirczynski has a 40 x 50 brooder house and Joe Fleitman has a 40 x 100 laying house.

Confetti - - -

and the various other evils that mankind in its folly has permitted to develop.

There's where Senator McCarthy and the other red-hunters are doing a superb service to this country, the world, and Almighty God. They are doing more than anyone else to wipe out the one evil which seeks to destroy the dignity and freedom endowed on man by his Creator.

As regards those people who parrot the silly charge that they approve what he's doing but disapprove his methods, the only question is, what's wrong with the method? When short sighted politicians try to cover up the red scandals in their midst, what recourse has he but to announce his findings to the public? This is all the more justified because his charges stand up under investigation. Time and again McCarthy has been accused of character assassination, but the facts revealed that the character concerned was dead in the first place.

A gratifying fact is that more and more people seem to be realizing that. Though reds and crackpots keep hammering away at him he continues to get more and more popular. There's a reason why he polled a tremendous majority in his last political race, why the public flocks to hear his speeches.

Garden Club Will Sell House Numbers

A house numbering project originated this week to accompany the street marking project which was initiated last week.

Members of the Garden Club in their meeting Monday decided to sell numbers in order to finish the job of identifying the city's streets and houses.

Their plan is to sell the numbers at a profit and contribute the proceeds as their part in helping pay for the street markers.

According to an arrangement worked out in a Lions Club meeting last week the Lions took charge of the street marker project and welcomed the help of any other organization in paying for their half of the cost. The city will pay the other half of the cost.

Relax Review

"Wings Of The Hawk"

Van Hefflin, a mining engineer, strikes it rich in Mexico, helps Pancho Villa fight the revolution. Plenty of action and suspense. Technicolor, good scenery, good story. You'll like it. Rating: Good.

"Destination Gobi"

U. S. Navy crew studying weather conditions in the Gobi Desert, now sailors in a desert may seem funny to you, but to these guys it was a serious situation. Good story. Technicolor. Rating: Good.

News-Reel for Sunday shows test-flight of a wingless plane.

"Remains To Be Seen"

June Allyson and Van Johnson are at their best in this rollicking comedy. This would be a bargain at regular prices, at two-bits it's a steal. Comedy, drama. Rating: Good.

"Roar Of The Crowd"

Howard Duff as a race driver does a competent job of acting, climaxed by the 500-mile Indianapolis Speedway Race. The action is fast. The story is good. The cast is capable and sincere. In Cinecolor. Rating: Good.

By the way, you are lucky again this week, we canceled "ISLAND OF DESIRE" (ugh) and replaced it with "ROAR OF THE CROWD."

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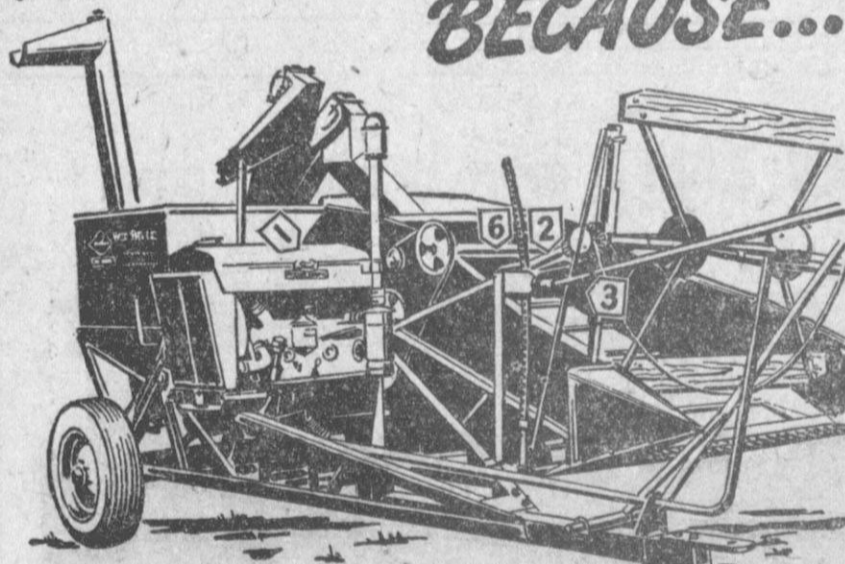
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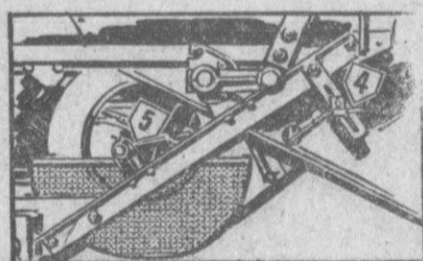
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