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SH Kids Are Ready For TV Version of Christmas Classic

It's beginning to seem that President Eisenhower carried his part of the "spirit of Geneva" a little too far last summer when he assured the Russians that United States would not be the first to use hydrogen weapons. At least that is the opinion now expressed by British diplomats. They say that fear of a crack down by Uncle Sam was the only factor which prompted the reds to start behaving. But now that the assurance has been given they feel safe in returning to their old policy of applying any pressure short of war.

The Soviets are performing a hundred per cent true to their nature as international gangsters. They are like the contemptible hoodlum who causes all sorts of trouble but discreetly refrains from a show down with the cop.

In recent weeks Russia has been back at its old tricks of stirring trouble and dishing out international insults. It is pushing the same old cold war to the limit. It is provoking discord and strife, even shooting warfare, up to the point of armed aggression on its own.

Perhaps the Kremlin gang is not aware, but it should realize that it is playing with dynamite. There is a chance that certain people will eventually apply logic to the present situation and decide that the way to eliminate these related ill effects is to strike at the cause. If and when that time comes the result may be simply to rid the world of its greatest nuisance.

The theory now applied by Khurushchev and company is identical with that used by Hitler. War is hell and most nations will endure a great deal before deciding to start shooting. So the reds, like Hitler, keep pushing constantly, confident in the belief that concessions will be made indefinitely. Like Hitler, they have already bluffed their way to enormous gains. Like Hitler also, they can go too far.

Knowing what we do of the last conflict, and realizing how much more terrible the next will be, we dread the very thought of coming to blows. But at the same time we know that free people will eventually reach their limit of endurance. They'll start fighting.

In the interests of peace it might be well for our diplomats to mention such facts to the Russians. Make them understand somehow that we do not give an absolute guarantee of waiting until someone drops the first bomb. Also that we are changing our attitude toward these lesser cold war aggressions because we've learned long ago that they constitute a subtle and effective method of conquest. In short, that the red goal of world conquest has reached its limit and any attempt to extend it farther, whether by hot or cold war, will be regarded as sufficient provocation for total war.

There was a time when this country refused to tolerate international insults. Revival of that spirit could be extremely helpful in stopping Russia's long standing habit of violating the "spirit of Geneva." We need not have been embarrassed by the recent incident of GI's brawling in the Soviet Zone. We might have demanded a hearing, with our representatives present, to decide whether or not they were out of line. If so, they should be subject to a fine for disorderly conduct. If not somebody in the Soviet Zone should pay his fine, and the incident should be forgotten. There's no reason whatever why we should allow the reds to make a mountain out of the mole hill.

The big problem here, of course, is that the reds are not willing to go along with any such solution. The moment they get their dirty hands on an American subject they handle the situation their way, and that's that. The point, however, is that we don't have to agree to their way. We can insist that we are going to sit in on prompt and fair judgment, or else. We have threatened to go to war in defense of the rights of a single citizen. We can do it again.

The same principle can apply also in China where hundreds of Americans are still held captive. We could, in all justice, also demand fair treatment for the

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More than 200 kids at Sacred Heart grade school under direction of Sister Roberta are all set for the presentation of their ambitious Christmas program, an operetta based on Charles Dickens' classic, "A Christmas Carol."

The children will make their first appearance at a Friday afternoon matinee, beginning at 1:30, and will perform again Sunday night at 8. Both shows will be given in the Muenster High auditorium.

The operetta version of "A Christmas Carol" is a new show being presented here by special permission of composer and author before its release to the public. It first appeared last year on the TV show "Shower of Stars," sponsored by Chrysler Corporation. On Thursday night, Dec. 15, it will be presented again by the same sponsor on the same TV show, and so far as known here, the local show will be the only other presentation in the nation.

In attempting it Sister Roberta has attracted the attention and received the help of professional show people in Hollywood. CBS-TV has supplied the stage snow and advertising posters. It has also invited the attention of AP wire service to the local show. And, to give the directors and kiddies a professional preview of the show, it has had a TV set installed in the sisters' home.

Ed Endres Elected Local Fire Chief

Muenster's Volunteer Fire Department elected Ed Endres as fire chief Monday night at the annual election of officers. He had been serving as assistant chief.

Other new officers are Herbie Herr, assistant chief, and Joe Sicking, three year trustee. Sicking had served as chief for two years. Hold-over officers are J.C. Trachta, secretary-treasurer, and Earl Fisher and Marty Klement, trustees with unexpired terms. Trachta is beginning his eighteenth year as the department's secretary-treasurer.

There are 20 insured firemen. They meet twice a month, once for fire drill and once for a business session.

Forestburg Native Dies Instantly in Crash Near Odessa

Henry LaRue Jones, 33, a native of Forestburg was killed instantly Saturday afternoon at 3 in a head-on collision of two cars near Odessa.

Three young ladies, occupants of the other car, were also killed in the accident.

The crash occurred as the driver in the girls' car attempted to pass a truck without sufficient space and met squarely with Jones' car coming from the opposite direction.

Funeral services for Jones were held Tuesday afternoon in the Forestburg Methodist Church with Bro. Winstead Cooper of Nocona and Bro. John Raymond of Saint Jo officiating.

Burial in Perryman Cemetery at Forestburg was under the direction of Scott Bros. of Saint Jo, with eight of the victim's former Forestburg High classmates as bearers.

Preceding burial, members of the Muenster VFW Post under direction of Arthur Bayer conducted final military rites. Those who participated were Color Bearers Walter Becker, Jack Reiter, F. A. Kathman and Joe Moser; Riflemen Elmer Fette, Herbert Yosten, Harry Fisher, Leo Becker, Jim Harris, Ted Voth and Donald Walterscheid; and Buglers Tony Luke and Val Fuhrmann.

Henry LaRue Jones was born in Forestburg on Aug. 20, 1922, a son of Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Jones. He attended Forestburg High School and spent three years in the U.S. Air Force, including service in Europe during World War II. In January 1946 he married Mary Ives Magee of Vernon. He was employed by a neon sign company in Odessa.

Survivors are his wife, his mother, two sisters and five brothers.

Ladies Join Lions At Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Lions Club, on Tuesday, December 20, will be an evening event and the ladies are invited. Approval of the special arrangement as a pre-Christmas party was voted by the members in their last meeting.

Because of the expected increase in attendance the dinner will be given in the public school cafeteria. It will begin at 7 p.m.

Lion President H. H. Homsley this week urged all members to notify him by phone or mail whether they will be able to attend. The information is wanted so that cooks will know how many to expect.

WITH THE MEN IN SERVICE

Holiday Leave

M.Sgt. and Mrs. Walter Huchton and three sons of Orlando, Florida, will be here to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Catherine Huchton, and her family, the John Bengforts at Lindsay. Walter has received a new assignment — overseas orders — and will go from here to Japan. It will be his second tour to that country.

Reaches Overseas Post

S.Sgt. Ernest Sicking has let his family know that he is settled at his overseas station, the Azores Islands, where the climate is lovely, everything is green and flowers are in bloom. It's a welcome change from the weather the boys encountered during their two weeks' stop over in New York, he said. The outfit flew from Carswell AFB, Fort Worth, to New York and from there to the Islands. In New York they enjoyed sight-seeing in spite of the weather. Ernest's new address is: 1605th Field Maintenance Squadron, A.P.O. 406; New York, N.Y.

Spend Weekend Here

Roger Wolf and Larry Joe Walterscheid spent the weekend here with homefolks after completing Exercise Sage Brush at Fort Polk, La. They are back at their regular duties at Fort Hood again.

Has Holiday Leave

Cpl. Eddie Fette arrived Monday on a Christmas leave and is visiting his mother and family before going to Wink to spend the holidays with his wife. He participated in Exercise Sage Brush at Fort Polk, La., and will return to his regular duties at Fort Bragg, N. C. on Dec. 29.

To The U.S. In February

Cpl. Mike Driever, in a letter from Germany this week, says that latest reports making the rounds are that his outfit will leave early in February for the states, and that it's rumored their next station will be Fort Ord, Calif. He's been playing basketball with a team at the Augsburg camp and is presently out in the field with his company on maneuvers.

Cream of Class B To Compete in MHS Holiday Tournament

Basketball fans of this area can look forward to lots of fast action during the Holiday Tournament scheduled at Muenster High School on December 29, 30 and 31. Some of the top Class B outfits of North Texas are lined up for the event, Superintendent Homsley disclosed this week.

A head liner is Petrolia, winner of a recent tourney at Weatherford Junior College, and winner of last year's Holiday Tournament here. Other teams worthy of rating in the favorite group are Midway, Prairie Valley and Bellevue.

Eight teams are entered in both the boys and girls divisions. Seven schools will be represented in both divisions. They are Prairie Valley, Bellevue, Petrolia, Goldburg, Midway, Sacred Heart and Muenster. Nocona will have a girls' team and Jacksboro will have a boys' team.

The tournament will be played in three sessions. Preliminaries will be completed Thursday, the semifinals Friday and finals Saturday.

J. M. Weinzapfel, master of the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus district, was in Taylor Sunday conducting a Fourth Degree initiation.

Parish Sends 50 To Conference on Christian Doctrine

More than 2,000 Catholics including about 50 from Muenster were in Fort Worth this week for the regional congress of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine.

Archbishop Robert E. Lucey of San Antonio, highest Catholic prelate in Texas, and some 200 priests and nuns along with youth workers, laymen and children attended the three-day convention.

A pontifical mass in Will Rogers Memorial Auditorium Monday opened the congress. His Excellency Bishop Thomas K. Gorman of the Dallas-Fort Worth diocese was officiant. It was the first time the Ninth Regional Conference of the Confraternity met in Fort Worth.

The conference stressed religious education for young Catholics including those in public schools. Theme of the congress was "In every parish an adequate religious education for Catholic youth in public schools."

All general sessions were held in the auditorium and specialized workshops were conducted at the Hilton and Texas hotels and at Lanier High.

Archbishop Lucey celebrated the pontifical mass in St. Patrick's Co-Cathedral Tuesday. Speakers for the talks that followed included Rev. Louis Deuster of Muenster.

Six bishops in addition to Bishop Gorman attended the sessions. They were Bishops Mariano S. Garriga of Corpus Christi, Eugene McGuinness of Oklahoma-Tulsa, Laurence J. Fitzsimon of Amarillo, Augustine Dangelmayr, auxiliary bishop of Dallas-Fort Worth, Louis (Continued on Page 2)

Cage Season at SH Opens with Win by Girls, Loss by Boys

Sacred Heart High School's basketball season opened Wednesday night of last week as the boys drew the short end of a 50-35 count at St. Mark's in Dallas and the girls annihilated the Gainesville Training School in a double header in the local gym.

The contest in Big D started as a run-away with the speedy and versatile host team breezing to a 14-1 lead in the first few minutes. After that, however, the Tigers shook off the early jinx and kept the game interesting. At one time they were trailing by only 5 points. The count by quarters was 14-5, 28-15, 42-28 and 50-35.

The curtain raiser of the girls double header here was a cinch for the Tigerette second string. Final count was 62-12 with Dorothy Zimmerman and Virgilla Schilling accounting for 21 and 16 respectively.

The main event was equally one sided as Sacred Heart romped to an easy 48-7 win. Top scorers were Virgilla Schilling with 17 and Delphine Derichsweiler with 11.

Next on schedule for the parochial cagers are a twin bill with Collinsville boys and girls here Monday night and another double header Wednesday night, with Alumni boys and girls.

The Tiger team is short on manpower this year, dependable players being limited to three lettermen and four youngsters who saw considerable action last year. They are Tommy Herr, Rodney Walter, Frank Fleitman, Howard Mollenkopf, Virgil Henschel, Charles Felderhoff and Basil Reiter.

On the girls' team Father Christopher is a bit more fortunate, having two complete lineups of experienced players. They are Delphine Derichsweiler, Edna Hoenig, Nelda Bayer, LaVerna Hess, Carol Ann Miller, Loretta Mages, Jeanette Haverkamp, Patsy Bayer, Virgilla Schilling, Ethel Mae Knabe, Norma Jean Walterscheid and Dorothy Zimmerman.

SH Alumni Will Meet

Members of the Sacred Heart Alumni Association will review their activities of 1955 and plan for the coming year when they meet next Tuesday night in the Sacred Heart library. The business session will be followed by a social program.

Band to Appear in Christmas Concert

The annual Christmas concert presented by the Muenster High band has been set for Thursday night, Dec. 22, at 8 o'clock, in the school auditorium.

According to Director Jimmy Harris the one hour program will consist entirely of Christmas music. There will be traditional music, such as "Silent Night" and "Adeste Fidelis," along with modern tunes such as "White Christmas" and "Winter Wonderland."

NEWS OF SICK AND INJURED

Charles Moser entered Gainesville Sanitarium Tuesday afternoon and on Wednesday underwent skin graft surgery on body burns he received in a car accident Nov. 6. He'll be in the hospital about a week.

Bernard Hesse was dismissed from Gainesville Sanitarium Saturday after being a patient a week for treatment of influenza. He is a sophomore student at Sacred Heart High.

John Haverkamp was dismissed from Veterans Hospital, McKinney, Monday and is convalescing at home from major stomach surgery performed Nov. 15. He will return to the hospital for a check-up on Dec. 27.

Kathleen Swirczynski was a patient at Gainesville Sanitarium Saturday for x-rays and treatment of a bladder ailment. She is the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Swirczynski.

Rickey Walterscheid, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walterscheid, sustained a severe laceration over the right eye but fortunately escaped more serious injury when he was kicked by a horse during play at the family farm home Saturday afternoon. The horse, a very gentle animal, became frightened when the youngster hit it with a bucket. Rickey was treated at the Muenster Clinic. Several stitches were required to close the gash.

Andy O'Connor is back at home since Saturday after being a patient in a Dallas hospital for examination and treatment. Severe headaches with which he is afflicted have been traced to arthritis in the leaders of his neck and he will undergo a series of treatments; two a week for some time. Mrs. O'Connor has also been taking treatments for arthritis in her hands.

Forestburg, Chico Lick MHS Teams in Practice Contests

Basketball teams of Muenster High were the losers in three tussles of the past week but they had the satisfaction of making fair showings against good teams. The boys lost 53-44 to Forestburg. Girls lost 49-31 to Forestburg and 57-39 to Chico.

The Chico game last week eliminated Coach Saye's charges from the Chico tournament. The host team held a comfortable lead all the way with counts of 15-6, 27-15, 41-28 and 57-39 at the close of the four periods. Haverkamp, with 15, and Pick, with 10, led Muenster scorers.

Playing the opener in the double header with Forestburg Monday night, the girls again trailed all the way, by scores of 18-8, 25-13, 41-24 and 49-31. Pick shot 14 and Homsley 8.

The main attraction was more interesting as Hosea's boys crowded their guests until the final few minutes when a Forestburg spurge added 6 points in a hurry and iced the game away 53-44. At half time the score was 24-20. Dougherty's 13 and Richey's 12 led the local scoring. Holland bagged 25 for the visitors.

Next on schedule for the teams is their double header with Bellevue boys and girls here Thursday night at 7. It will be the boys' final action before the holiday tournament, however girls will enter the Saint Jo invitation tourney, playing the host team Friday at 1:30. The boys did not accept an invitation because too many of them have Saturday jobs.

Gene Luke, visiting here on leave from Marine duty, left Tuesday to visit his brother, Ray Luke, at Subiaco, Ark.

KC Council Honors 25-Year Members At Dinner, Program

Forty-four members of the Muenster K of C council who had been in the order for 25 years or longer were honored Sunday night at a dinner and program sponsored by the council for Knights and their ladies.

In the group were seven Honorary Life Members, who had been members for at least 25 years and had reached their 75th birthdays. They are Joseph Fisher, John Fette, Henry Stelzer, William Richter, Henry Fette, G. H. Hellman, and Ludwig Steinberger.

Six were designated as Honorary Members. They had been in the order for 25 years or longer and had reached their 65th birthdays. They are Joe Otto, Henry Schmitz, L. A. Bernauer, W. H. Endres, J. C. Trachta and John Kathman.

Thirty one had completed their 25th year of membership but have not reached the age to qualify for honorary membership. They are Clarence Hellman, J. W. Fisher, J. J. Wieler, Arthur Hellman, Nick Miller, Albert Dangelmayr, Oscar Walter, Andy Hofbauer, Joe Horn, Frank Herr, R. N. Fette, Charles Fisher, Jake Pagel, R. R. Endres, Ted Gremminger, John Albers, Alphonse Luke, Pat Fisher, Al Walter, Edd McGannon, John Herr, Joe Fette, Herman Swirczynski, Tony Walterscheid, John Klement, Joe Luke, John Fisher, Tony Gremminger, Herbert Meurer, Rudy Hellman and J. M. Weinzapfel.

All of the three groups were present except John Fette, Henry Stelzer, Rudy Hellman and J. M. Weinzapfel. Each was introduced by Toastmaster Arthur Endres and each received a lapel button from Grand Knight John Klement, designating his respective status of membership. Along with the introductions Endres interviewed the Honorary Life Members and (Continued on Page 12)

M. S. Ramsey, 74, of Valley Creek, Dies

M. S. Ramsey, 74, a native of the Valley Creek community, died Friday morning in a Gainesville hospital after being ill three weeks.

Funeral services were held Saturday in Scott Brothers chapel at Saint Jo at 2 p.m. and burial followed in the Ramsey family cemetery at Valley Creek. Rev. Roy L. Cook of Saint Jo and Rev. Lee Morris, retired Bulcher minister, officiated.

Matterson Sylvester Ramsey was born at Valley Creek and lived there 68 years. Since retiring from farming in 1949 he made his home with a brother, E. G. Ramsey at Gainesville.

Three brothers survive: E. G. and H. E. Ramsey of Gainesville and V. M. Ramsey of Muenster.

SCHEDULE OF COMING EVENTS

THURSDAY, Dec. 15, MHS vs Bellevue, here, 7 p.m.

FRIDAY, Dec. 16, Matinee showing of operetta "A Christmas Carol," auditorium, 1:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, Dec. 16, Christmas play by Lindsay school students, 8 p.m.

SATURDAY, Dec. 17, Homemade candy and cookie sale by seniors of MHS at Fisher's Market.

SUNDAY, Dec. 18, Operetta, "A Christmas Carol," auditorium, 8 p.m.

MONDAY, Dec. 19, KC Christmas party for members and families, 6 p.m.

MONDAY, Dec. 19, SHHS vs Collinsville, here, 7 p.m.

TUESDAY, Dec. 20, SH Alumni meeting.

TUESDAY, Dec. 20, PTA meeting, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY, Dec. 20, Lions Club Ladies Night, school cafeteria.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 21, SHHS vs Alumni, here, 7 p.m.

THURSDAY, Dec. 22, Band's Christmas Concert, auditorium, 8 p.m.

THURSDAY, Dec. 22, Christmas caroling, Sacred Heart High school.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Grewing and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Evans returned Tuesday night from an auto trip to Miami Beach, Fla., where they took in all the attractions arranged for vacationers, including horse racing. They also enjoyed being guests at the Arthur Godfrey show and took lots of pictures.

Hurry to Assure Delivery of Mail Before Christmas

Postmaster Arthur Endres expressed his appreciation today for the fine response from individuals and business firms to his "Mail Early for Christmas" pleas. He went on to say that the period between now and December 25th is bound to be the heaviest of the year for all postal employees.

The terrific stream of out-going Christmas cards and gifts is now near full flood with a like torrent of incoming mail becoming greater everyday. In

the next few days the Postmaster expects the Christmas mail load to hit its peak and break last year's record.

He said, "I know the time has passed to talk about mailing early. For the inevitable last-minute mailers, he suggests that they use air mail for every Yule card or gift going out-of-town and by all means to get them in the mail today! Even one day's delay at this critical time may mean disappointment for a loved one on Christmas."

There is still time for local deliveries but all Christmas cards should be sent first class mail to insure prompt delivery.

Homemaking Hints

by Mrs. H. H. Homsley

Warm baby's bottle in a coffee percolator. Since percolator is deep, water comes up high around the bottle, and warms the milk more quickly and evenly than in a flat sauce pan.

Use a pipe cleaner to remove lint from the hard-to-reach places on your sewing machine.

Make a place in your back entryway to hang the family's overshoes. Fasten a metal towel bar to the wall. Clip a spring clothes pin on each pair of boots, and hang clothes pin from the towel bar by a hook made from a piece of wire.

Technique is "working methods, manner of performance" — but in simpler language, it is that little bit of know-how that makes it easier for you to follow the instructions in recipes you might otherwise avoid.

Here are a few of those terms that could throw you off your general procedure of doing things. To braise you simply brown meat or vegetable in a small amount of fat; then cook slowly, covered, at a simmering temperature in a small amount of liquid. While to Fricassee — you simply braise fowl or veal. To marinate means to cover with French dressing (or other acid-containing preparation) and allow to stand for a time.

To scallop is to bake a food, usually cut in pieces, with a sauce or other liquid. To sear is to brown surface of meat by a short application of intense heat in order to develop flavor and improve appearance in hot oven or pan. To truss is to bind or fasten with a cord. When trussing a fowl it is best to use one-inch gauge bandage; it serves two purposes—keeps the fowl in position and prevents truss markings.

To prevent dusting flour all over the kitchen and yourself, make a pan-coat by blending together very well one cup of shortening and ½ cup of flour. Use a small piece of paper or a pastry brush to apply pancoat to inside bottom of your pan. If the recipe calls for a wax paper lining, place the paper lining on top of pancoating. This prevents your baking from sticking and also adds to the bottom crust of bread, pies, etc., that you bake in a prepared pan.

There are two thousand two hundred sixty-eight carats in a pound of diamonds.

Parish Sends 50

J. Reicher of Austin and Wendelin J. Nold of Galveston.

Bishop Nold in his address warned Christians must fight ignorance, lethargy and indifference.

Muenster's delegation included in addition to Father Louis, Father Christopher Paladino, four Benedictine Sisters, 29 students, juniors and seniors, of which 25 were from Sacred Heart High and 4 from MHS, and Mrs. Joe Fette and Mrs. George Mollenkopf, roommothers. The students and their sponsors spent Monday and Tuesday including Monday overnight in Fort Worth. Others from here went back and forth for the three-day sessions. All parish societies were represented by members at the convention.

Blessed Events

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Bezner of Lindsay announce the arrival of a six pound one and a half ounce boy at Gainesville Sanitarium Monday at 11 a.m. The couple has two other boys and one girl. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilde, Muenster, and Mrs. John Bezner, Lindsay, are the baby's grandparents, and Mrs. John Eberhart, Muenster, is his great-grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cottle of Dallas announce the birth of a five pound seven ounce son, a brother for Diana, at Parkland Hospital on Tuesday, Dec. 13. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoenig, the baby's maternal grandparents, went to Dallas Tuesday to make the acquaintance of their newest grandson. Paternal grandparents are Mrs. Bud Samuelson of Brady and L. E. Cottle of Odessa.

MHS Seniors Sell Candy and Cookies

Home-made Christmas candy and cookies will be available here Saturday when seniors of Muenster High set up a counter in Fisher's Market and take turns as salesladies. It's a class project to help raise funds for the senior trip and other class activities.

There will be four varieties of candy, divinity, chocolate fudge, pecan brittle and date loaf, and fancy cookies. They'll be available either in bulk or in boxes of various weights.

Mmes. Herbert Meurer, Rudy Hellman and Clarence Hellman are helping the class with details of the project.

Miss Clara Streng has joined the clerking staff at Fisher's Market and Grocery replacing Mrs. Jim Hermes who resigned recently. Replacing Miss Streng at Ray Wilde Insurance Co., is Mrs. Nick Dieter. She was employed there before her marriage.

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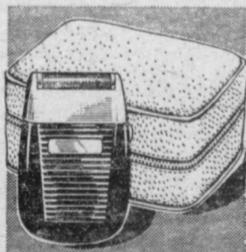
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J. J. Haverkamp

CARD OF THANKS

I want everyone to know how much I enjoyed the shower of cards while I was in the hospital and other get-well wishes since I am back at home. These cheery messages and other kindnesses are much appreciated and I want to say many thanks to everyone who remembered me.

Mrs. Denis Walterscheid



SYMBOLS OF THE A-AGE—Mechanical "hands" paint Japanese symbols under control of technician, right background, in Tokyo, Japan. The remote-control writing exhibit was a feature of Japan's recent Atoms for Peace trade show. Its purpose was to demonstrate versatility of remote-control equipment used for handling radioactive substances.

other family members who presented her a shower of gifts. There was also a decorated birthday cake and a shower of greeting cards.

Dinner at noon was followed by visiting during the afternoon and refreshments before the guests left.

All of her children with the exception of Mrs. H. P. Hennigan of Albuquerque, N.M. were present, as were her sister, Mrs. Anna Popp of Lindsay and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lula Nieves of Houston, along with four ladies from Fort Worth who are good friends of the honoree. They came to Muenster with Mrs. Elwyn Hope of that city.

Mrs. Hennigan's gift was displayed with birthday remembrances from those attending.

Mrs. Seyler's children are Mrs. Terrell Johnson of Dallas, Mrs. Andy Anderson of Gainesville, Mrs. Hope, and Mrs. Alex Lutkenhaus, Mrs. John Mosman and Mrs. Ben Seyler of Muenster.

CDA to Give Awards In Poetry Contest

Members of the Catholic Daughters of America at their meeting Friday night decided to again sponsor the annual poetry contest, open to all students of parochial schools.

They will award three first prizes, one in each of the divisions as follows: two dollars for the group including fourth, fifth and sixth graders; three dollars for the group including seventh, eighth and ninth graders, and five dollars in the senior division for tenth, eleventh and twelfth graders. Winning poems from here will be entered in the state contest.

Other routine business at the session consisted of committee reports. Mrs. Joe Swirczynski, mission chairman, said that she had shipped 24 pounds of toys and clothing to St. Anne's Indian Mission at Belcourt, N. D., as Christmas gifts for the children.

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Gifts, games, and refreshments of birthday cake, ice cream and punch, made it a jolly affair for the youngsters. Johnny Luttmer and Linda Zimmerer won game prizes.

Adults present were Mrs. Charlie Wolf, Mrs. Joe Luttmer and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schad of Lindsay. Mmes. Wolf, Luttmer and Schad helped Mrs. Streng serve.

"Love your enemies. It'll sure make them feel silly!"

Lucile King to Wed in Graham Saturday

Miss Lucile King, daughter of H. E. King of Myra and sister of M. H. King of Muenster, will be married Saturday to James Herschel Mills of Odessa.

The ceremony will take place in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Crenshaw at Graham with Rev. E. R. Gordon, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating.

Miss King, a native Cooke county, is serving Sherman county as home demonstration agent.

Mrs. Frank Seyler Is Party Honoree

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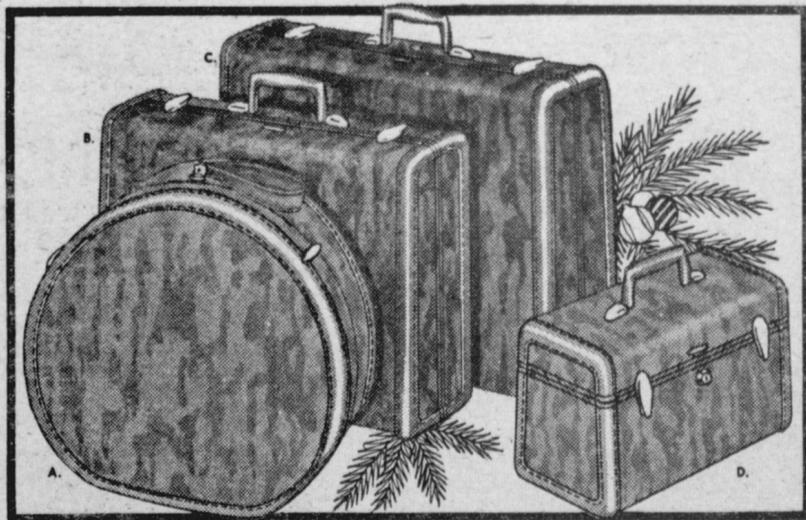


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No Law to Protect Juries?

Few revelations of our time are more shocking, and none more sinister than the discovery that a Federal jury room in Wichita, Kans., was "bugged" and recordings made of the jury deliberations — with the reported consent and approval of the chief judge, the trial judge and the attorneys on both sides of the five cases involved.

Prof. Harry Kalven, who conducted this "research" for the Law School of the University of Chicago, under a \$400,000 grant from the Ford Foundation, says the idea was to "improve the administration of the court system."

Attorney General Herbert Brownell, Jr., says of this outrage of May 1954: "We in the Department of Justice are unequivocally opposed to any recording or eavesdropping on the deliberation of a jury under any conditions, regardless of the purpose." He said further that he would ask Congress for a law to prevent it.

Chairman James O. Eastland, of the Senate Internal Security committee, will hold hearings and "recommend whatever legislation shall be necessary to insure that anyone who so violates

the sanctity of the jury room in the future will find himself in violation of the law."

Somewhat, we had always thought that there was a law against jury tampering. And we had also naively supposed that a judge or a lawyer who collaborated in this act would be considered even lower as a moral offender than laymen who might be involved.

Senator Eastland thinks that any Lawyer cooperating in such an enterprise as the Wichita "research in law and the behavioral sciences" merits the severest censure.

All this will be interesting to sundry characters who are now in stir for failing to have the proper respect for our jury system.

Standing on Their Own Feet

The Holbrook, Arizona, Tribune-News — a paper which is published in a region where livestock is a major crop — recently ran a straight-talking editorial about the agricultural situation. It said: "Today we're tremendously thankful . . . that we live in a section . . . where Americans still attempt to stand on their feet and ask little from anyone in their efforts to make a living except to be left alone as much as possible. . . ."

"Our father went broke in the livestock business. We don't believe he was unusual in this country, but he never blamed anyone for it in our hearing. It was 'just the times,' and he died with a measure of pride and dignity we have always been proud of."

"Livestock business at present cannot be said to be encouraging, yet we have yet to hear anyone in our territory that wants the government to do something about it. And we hope they never will."

"The best way to solve surpluses of pork, wheat, cotton, potatoes, butter, or whatever, is to produce less — and quit asking the government to bail them out with tax money contributed by everyone, including themselves."

Give A Gift To Christ This Christmas

By Bishop Fulton J. Sheen

HOW INCONGRUOUS THE ANGELS' SONG sounds this Christmas. Many parts of the world enjoy, at best, a perilous peace. And everyone asks: how can men, even men of good will, find Christmas peace in a world tottering on the precipice of war?

We shrink in terror and fear from what might happen to the world if there is another war. And yet America's sons must prepare themselves for war because too many of us want peace on earth without giving glory to God.

WE FORGET THE ANGELS' SONG: "Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace to men of good will." If enough men of good will give glory to God, we shall have peace on earth. But talking about it does no good. Christ could be born again each year in Bethlehem but it would do the world no good. We can have no peace until Christ is born in our hearts.

As Christ was physically formed in Mary on that first Christmas, so He must be spiritually formed in each of us. As Mary cooked the meals in her Nazareth home, as she nursed her aged cousin, as she kneaded the dough and swept the floor, she was conscious that Christ was in her.



Sheen

IF WE REMEMBER that Christ sees through our eyes, we will see in our fellow man a child of God. If we remember that He works with our hands, we will bless all the day long. If we remember that He speaks with our lips, then our speech, like Peter's, will betray that we too have been with the Galilean.

As a Christmas gift for the Christ child, resolve to spend one hour each day in His presence. It is hard. But it was harder for the God of Heaven to be born in a stable amidst dumb animals and forgetful men. It is hard. But we need salvation; and where else shall we find a Savior?

OUR UNWORTHINESS should not keep us back. Christ came to earth not because we are good but because we are not. He came not because there was peace but because there was not.

The Babe of Bethlehem came to earth at a time when the social order was most ripe for class war. Instead of capitalizing on any one class to win support, He chose the hard way — by preaching the unity of all men, living in concord and peace through the love of His Holy Spirit.

I WANT ALL OF YOU to have a holy and happy Christmas. But Christmas is meaningless without Christ. And a holy and happy Christmas is impossible without Him. May you all have a holy and happy Christmas!

† Paulist Feature Service, Washington 27, D. C.

These may seem to be harsh words. Yet they are based in the granite of logic. Sooner or later, we'll have to return to an agricultural economy based upon production for consumption, rather than for storage. Meanwhile, the livestock people deserve warm congratulations for their independence of spirit.

A youngster, being scolded for a poor report card, asked: "Dad, what do you think is the trouble with me — heredity or environment?"

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

New Light on an Old Subject

Mr. Evans from the Lighting Company gave an interesting talk at the Community Hall last night — on how farmers can cut electric bills. For those who missed it, here's a short recap.

Don't try to light up the cobwebs in the rafters. Use a reflector and a smaller bulb will probably do the job. Too many farmers use naked bulbs that waste 50% of the light.

Try using moveable projector bulbs that beam light the way a searchlight does. A couple of these "spots" will often give you

better illumination than a gang of juice-wasting overhead lamps.

From where I sit, it's amazing how often we misuse the things we have . . . like electricity. We also make a mistake if we misuse our right of personal choice — about which candidate to vote for, say, or whether beer or coffee makes the ideal mealtime drink — by trying to force our opinions on others. Respect for the other fellow's point of view should be our "guiding light."

Joe Marsh

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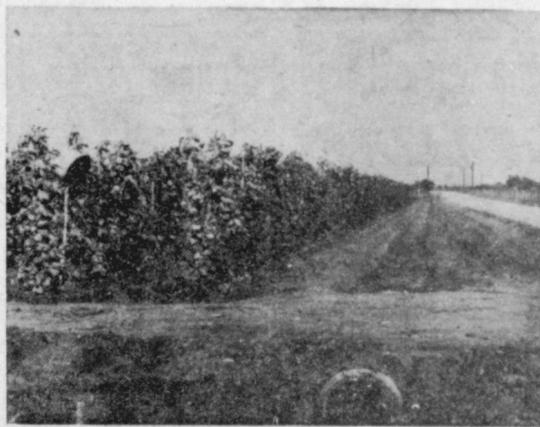
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Local Herds Among County DHIA High Producers for Nov.

Listed as high producing herds in the Cooke County DHIA for the month of November are those belonging to Paul Fisher, Alfred Bayer, Leo Hesse, J. W. Fleitman, Paul Fetsch, Ben Sicking, John Knabe and Wilfred Sicking.

A summary for the month shows J. L. Masten's herd leading in both milk and butterfat production with 1,110 pounds of milk and 44 of BF. H. H. Moody's herd was in second place with 1,050 and 38 pounds, respectively.

Total number of cows tested was 757 in 24 herds. Cows producing 40 pounds or more of butterfat totaled 163. Average milk production per cow was 771 pounds and average butterfat production was 31 pounds.

Muenster DHIA members had 46 cows in the 40 or more butterfat class as follows:

J. W. Fleitman, six, 46-74; Alfred Bayer, eight, 47-65; Leo Hesse, four, 48-50; John Knabe, four, 45-53; Martin Bayer, four, 49-78; Paul Fetsch, six, 45-65; Joe Fisher, two, 45-46; C. A. Fisher, two, 46-51; Paul Fisher, five, 45-50; Ben Sicking, four, 45-53; and Wilfred Sicking, one, 60.

Individual high milk producer with 2,450 pounds belongs to J. L. Masten. The champion butterfat producer, with 95 pounds, belongs to H. F. Schniederjan.

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GREETING:
You and each of you are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Cooke County, Texas, to be held at the Courthouse thereof, in the City of Gainesville, Texas, by filing a written answer made and covering same, on or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 23rd day of January, 1956, to Plaintiffs Petition filed in said court, on the 6th day of December, 1955, in this cause, numbered 16,932 on the docket of said court and styled Albert J. Hess et al vs. J. E. McKanna et al, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:
This is a suit to partition the mineral leasehold estate in 45 acres of land out of the J. DeGuire survey, Abstract No. 341 in Cooke County, Texas, and in which it is alleged that the defendants own a one-fourth (1/4) undivided interest in the minerals in the North 33 acres thereof; that plaintiffs are the owners of the mineral leasehold in the remainder of said 45 acres by virtue of two mineral leases heretofore made and covering same, and in the event that it be determined that said leasehold estate is incapable of partition in kind, that a Receiver be appointed to sell said two mineral leases covering all of the South 10 acres and an undivided 5/8 interest of the North 33 acres of said 45 acres of land, and to lease for mineral purposes the unleased part of the minerals under said lands at private sale, for cash, as is more fully shown by Plaintiffs Petition on file in this suit.

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

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Gainesville, Texas, this 6th day of December, A.D. 1955.
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W. Cowan Elected Mayor of Nocona

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Cowan was unopposed on the ticket, but a write-in campaign which developed on election day resulted in a small percentage of votes for W. R. Robb.

The new mayor is owner and operator of Nocona's Ben Franklin Store.

Junior Cagers Split Pair with Saint Jo

Elementary basketball teams of the Muenster public school divided honors with the Saint Jo kids Tuesday night as the boys won 31-21 and the girls lost 30-15.

The boys' game was hard fought all the way with local lads gradually pulling ahead to their final 10 point margin. The half time count was 16-12. Douglas Hellman and Johnny Hosea shared scoring honors with 9 points each.

Saint Jo apparently had a cinch from the beginning and had no trouble in posting the 30-15 win. Kirk led the Muenster scorers with 7.

Farmers Hear Talk On Social Security

About 60 farmers of the Muenster area heard a talk on their participation in the Social Security system Wednesday night of last week in Muenster High School. The meeting was sponsored by Glenn Hellman, agriculture teacher.

Roy E. Westfield of the Dallas Social Security office explained details on the program as it applies to farmers and answered questions.

He will be available again, for individual conferences on the subject next Tuesday, December 20, from 8:30 to 12:00 in the county court house.

This is the first year that farmers are required to participate in the Social Security system. Their reports and remittances will be submitted with the year's income tax report.

Cooke County DHIA Leads State in Milk And BF Production

Cooke County Dairy Herd Improvement Association was out in front among state associations during October leading Texas DHIA groups in both milk and butterfat production. The report for October was released by as-

sociation officers Tuesday. The summary is prepared at A&M College.

Cooke county's 24 herds comprising 728 cows ran up a total average of 810 pounds of milk and 31 pounds of butterfat.

Randall county was second in milk production with 780 pounds

and four counties tied for second place in butterfat production. They are Hopkins, Mission, Parker, and Tarrant with 29 pounds.

There are 23 state associations in operation with 11,553 cows in 307 herds. Overall averages were 590 pounds of milk and 25 pounds of butterfat.

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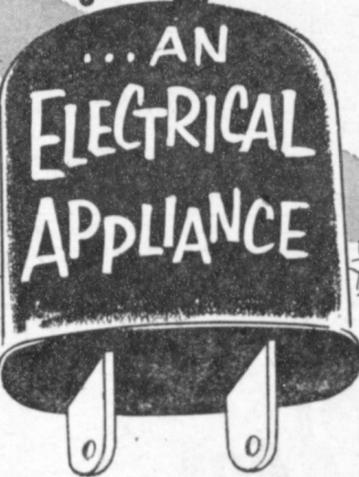
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Mrs. Darrell Adams and four children Paul, Aggie Lou, Pete and Ben of Midland spent the weekend as guests of her mother, Mrs. Ben Seyler, and also visited other relatives here and her sister and family the Lambert Beznars at Gainesville.

Mrs. Henry Stelzer and her sister, Mrs. Bill Stelzer, have returned from a week's visit in Fort Worth where they stayed in the home of the former's daughter and family the Henry Luebberts while Mrs. Luebbert was in the hospital for medical care. Mr. Luebbert and daughter Carol Ann brought them back to Muenster Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R.T. Brock have returned from a visit in Pecos. This weekend they will leave to spend the Christmas holidays in Columbus, Ohio, with her family. After that they'll tour Florida and other states before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hogan of Burleson spent Monday and Monday night with their daughter and family, the Dick Cains.

Miss LaQuita Cain of Denton and Miss Rita Cain of Galveston spent the weekend at home. The girls will be back again Friday for the holidays and the Cain family will join other family members at Burleson for a Christmas reunion.

Mrs. Victor Hartman and son Gene spent Saturday in Denton with the Keith Tompkins family. Miss Georgia Ann Hartman of Dallas joined them there and accompanied them home for an overnight and Sunday visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Holland of Fort Worth spent Saturday overnight and Sunday as guests of her mother, Mrs. Bob Yosten. They visited other relatives and also drove to Gainesville to see the Tony Wiesmans. The Hollands made the trip to Muenster in their new Pontiac.

The George Letsons and children spent last Wednesday night and Thursday in Weatherford visiting his parents, the H. E. Letsons, and her mother, Mrs. S. D. Varner.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Linn had as guests Friday and Saturday her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Clark and three children of Durant, Okla.

Vincent Felderhoff transacted business in Longview Tuesday. His wife and daughter Debbie accompanied him on the trip.

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Mrs. Joe Horn and her committee wish to thank everyone who helped make the PTA sponsored pancake supper a success. They say thanks to Fishers Market for helping organize the event and furnishing the margarine, to Pagel's and the Farmer's store for the bacon, to Karo company for the syrup, to Folgers for the coffee and to everyone who attended.

Santa to Treat Kids At KC Yule Party

Children of members of the Muenster KC council will be the special guests next Monday night at the organization's annual Christmas party. Santa Claus is due to arrive at 8 o'clock with gifts for all of them.

Other members of the families will also be remembered, according to plans announced by Chairman Charley Hellman. The party for members and families begins with a free lunch at 6 p.m.

Get-Together Club Has Christmas Party

Get-Together Club members held their annual Christmas party Tuesday night in the Blue Room of the Main Cafe. High lights of the affair were a roast turkey dinner, a gift exchange and a progressive 42 series after the meal.

The dining table held a centerpiece of white carnations flanked with red candles in hurricane lamps. Favors were miniature corsages or red holly berries. The gift table was centered with a Christmas arrangement of silvered Magnolia leaves and colored balls surrounding a huge pink candle.

In the after-dinner games Mrs. Al Walter won high score prize and Mrs. W. H. Endres the consolation favor. Mrs. Joe Horn drew the door prize.

Twelve of the 13 members attended and signed a get-well-quick card for Miss Anna Hellman who was absent on account of illness.

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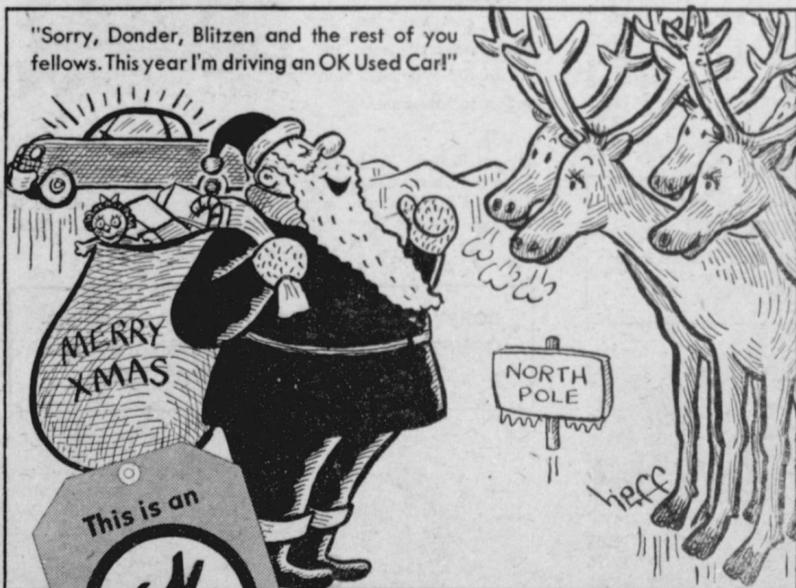
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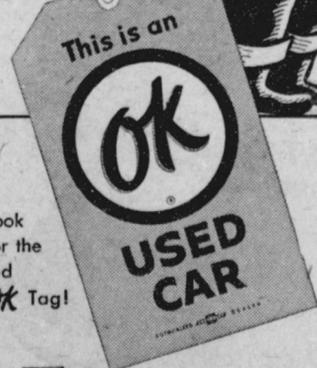
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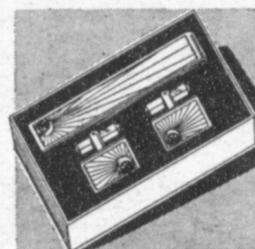
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Chasing the girls isn't what gets you into trouble — it's catching them. "It's the sad truth that too often the woman who's easy on the eyes is hard on the nerves."

Club Has Annual Christmas Social

Members of the Friendly Neighbors Club, with their husbands as special guests, gathered for their annual Christmas social Saturday night. This year's affair was a dinner party in the Blue Room of the Main Cafe.

The menu featured fried chicken and after dinner entertainment featured progressive 42.

The table was Christmasy with its red runner of fluted crepe paper and clusters of holly and bright miniature bells. A decorated miniature tree was the centerpiece. Place markers were tiny candy canes with a bell attached with gay ribbons and bows.

Present were Messrs. and Mmes. Ray and Bernard Swirczynski, L. B. Bruns, Dick Trachta, J. C. Trachta, M. D. Kaderli, Al Walter, Al Wiesman, John A. Klement and Ray Otto, Otto Walterscheid and Ann Huchton, Mrs. M. H. King and Mrs. Ray Stewart.

Award winners in the 42 series were Mr. Kaderli, high score and Mr. Wiesman, second high; Mrs. J. C. Trachta secured the galloping prize and Mr. Bruns received the consolation award.

"When a man and woman marry, they become one. The trouble starts when they try to decide which one!"

What one mother kangaroo said to another mother kangaroo: "I hope it doesn't rain today; it's awful when the kids have to play inside."

IT HAPPENED 15 YEARS AGO

Dec. 13, 1940

Death summons two Lindsay residents, Mrs. Joseph Krebs and Charles Loerwald. Turkey volume at FMA this season passes six car loads. City applies for new WPA sewer grant, present fund will reach 90 per cent of possible connections. Farmers will vote Saturday on second attempt to create a soil district in this area. County draft call for January is 20; there was no call for December. Mrs. Joe Horn, formerly of Muenster, dies in Spokane. Cheese plant installs automatic can washer. Dr. Myrick is elected president of Cooke County Medical Society. Girls' Sodality admits 31 new members in largest class of candidates in the society's history. The Erwin Hamric announce the arrival of Dan in Flora, Ill.

10 YEARS AGO

Dec. 14, 1945

Main street building is gutted by fire Sunday morning; three tenants sustain losses; is second fire in 18 months for Hotel building, one of colony's landmarks. Paul Nieball Jr. suffers severe burns in service station gasoline blaze. Boy Scout troop is organized here with John J. Hoffman as scoutmaster. Jim Lehnertz buys Gulf Station from Al Horn. Henry Stelzer ends 45 years with Katy Railroad; plans to retire Jan. 1. Mildred Walterscheid is elected Sodality president. Social observes 31st anniversary of local CDA court on Dec. 6. Father Thomas Weinzappel's ordination will take place Dec. 23. More local men return from war: enroute home or already here are Herman Fette, James Eckert, Richard and Lawrence Martin, Pat Hennigan, Richard Wimmer, Roy Schumacher, Bernard Schmitz, Lawrence and Louis Roberg.

5 YEARS AGO

Dec. 15, 1950

"General Calls" on local telephone lines have been discontinued except for emergency cases. William Bierschenk, 50, of Valley View dies suddenly. Parochial pupils rehearse cantata and Nativity play. Sacred Heart senior class announces cast for "Little Women." Public school shop classes will exhibit handwork next week. Twenty-three teams compete in local invitation basketball tourney. Lt. Jane Hoehn is transferred from Japan to Korea. Wilfred Luttmner begins army training at Fort Bliss. Alvin Fuhrmann and Robert Bayer leave for army training. Sodality observes patron's feast with religious service and communion breakfast. Holy Name Society plans reception ceremony. Paul Fisher herd leads DHIA production for October.



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Marysville News

By Mrs. Herman Richey

MARYSVILLE, Dec. 13 — Russell Doughty of Artesia, N.M., visited Saturday overnight with his parents, the Marvin Doughtys.

Lucian Bone of Dallas was a

guest in the B. G. Lyons home Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McGill and children Sandra and Dub of Lamesa spent a few days of the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Davison.

Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Pay-singer of Dallas were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jap Shaw Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Moon, Mrs. John Richey and Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Lyons attended funeral services for M. S. Ramsey Saturday.

Marysville HD Club Has Christmas Party

Members of the Marysville Home Demonstration Club held their annual Christmas party Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Herman Richey.

Gifts were exchanged around a decorated tree and Christmas carols were sung by the group. Mrs. Bill Moon read the Christmas Story and Mrs. Earl Robinson read a story about Christmas in a small town.

Refreshments of fruit salad, cookies and punch were served by the hostess.

Bulcher News

By Mrs. R. J. Samples

BULCHER, Dec. 13 — Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Samples and daughter Belva visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Samples in Denton Saturday and they all attended the Christmas pageant at North Texas State Teachers College.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bradberry visited their daughter and family the Hershel Ivins at Jacksboro, and other children in Wichita Falls and Burkburnett last week.

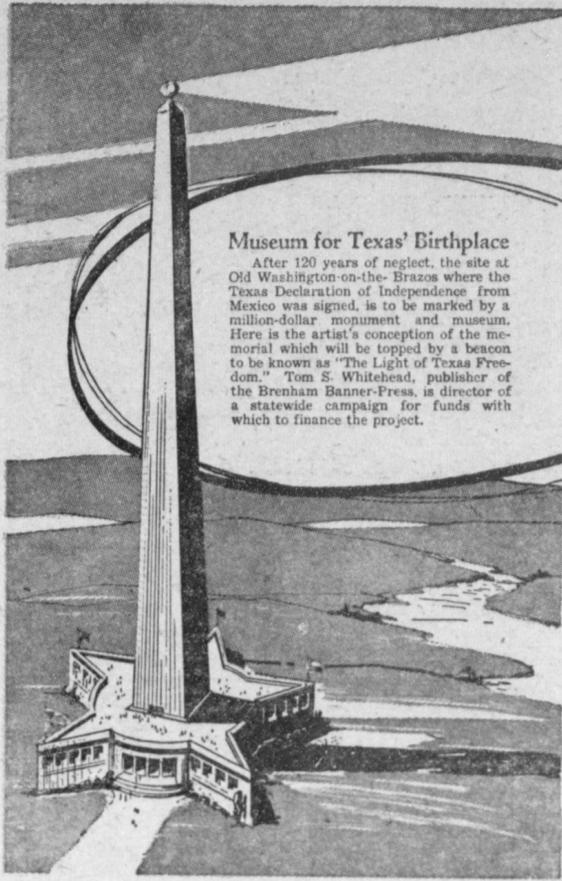
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Harris were Denton visitors over the weekend.

Mrs. Willie Leaf Adams of Ardmore is here as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. V. Crabtree and family. Mrs. Crabtree visited in Ardmore Wednesday and brought her back with her.

Mrs. Charles Dickerman and children of Myra spent several days of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Shields.

BULCHER PROGRESS CLUB HAS BI-MONTHLY MEETING

Bulcher Progress Club held its regular bi-monthly meeting Thursday night in the community center building with a full attendance.



Museum for Texas' Birthplace

After 120 years of neglect, the site at Old Washington-on-the-Brazos where the Texas Declaration of Independence from Mexico was signed, is to be marked by a million-dollar monument and museum. Here is the artist's conception of the memorial which will be topped by a beacon to be known as "The Light of Texas Freedom." Tom S. Whitehead, publisher of the Brenham Banner-Press, is director of a statewide campaign for funds with which to finance the project.

E. Newby, chairman, presided during the business session and committee chairman gave reports. The road committee told about the group's recent trip to Austin, and members decided to have their community Christmas tree and program on Friday night, Dec. 23. Everyone bringing a gift will receive one in exchange.

The group voted to give a contribution to the TB fund, and to send a letter of thanks to Shamburger Lumber company for a new circulating gas heater the company presented to the club for use in the community building.

After adjournment coffee and cookies were served by hostesses for the evening.

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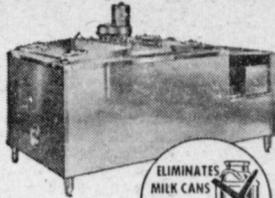
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Lindsay News

Jake Bezner and Paul Arendt Sr. and Joe Walter of Gainesville spent the weekend at Subiaco, Ark.

Mrs. Sophie Schad is back at home after spending a week in Muenster with her daughter and family, the John P. Strengs.

Randy Joseph is the name of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Hermes. He was baptized Thursday in St. Peter's church with Father Conrad as officiant and his sister and brother Rosemary and Cecil Hermes as sponsors. The little boy was born at Gainesville Sanitarium on Dec. 6. He weighed eight pounds, eight ounces. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alfons Koessler of Muenster. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Caplinger and three sons of Sherman stopped here Sunday for a visit with the new baby and his family.

Lindsay School to Present Christmas Play Friday Night

Students of St. Peter's school at Lindsay will present a Christmas program featuring a play "The Meaning of Christmas" Friday night, Dec. 16, and invite the public to attend. Starting time is 8 p.m.

Also on the program will be selections by the Rhythm Band, a recitation by Lorene Voth and Jolene Zimmerman, hymns by the school choir and carols by a group of choristers.

In the play, Dolores Hess portrays the Blessed Virgin and Bernard Kubis is Saint Joseph. Virginia Zimmerman is the heralding angel and girls of the fifth and sixth grades take angel roles. Grade school boys are shepherds, and Henry Fleitman, Lambert Hess and James Sandmann are the three kings.

Others in the cast are Doro-

thy Geray and Paul Sandmann, children, and Cecilia Fuhrmann, their mother. Jimmy Flusche is a shepherd boy and Alice Voth is the innkeeper's wife.

Participating as readers are Irene Block, Mary Jane Block, Marlene Bezner and Lucy Stofels.

The program is directed by the Lindsay Sisters. Melvin Voth and Frank Sandmann are stage managers.

Pre-Holiday Reunion Held in Bezner Home

A pre-Christmas dinner and reunion Sunday in the home of Mrs. Joe Bezner brought together 30 members of the family while Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bezner and son Rickey of New Orleans were on a vacation visit.

Others present for the day were M. and Mrs. Leo Cutaia and daughters Margaret Rose and Carol Ann, the Bob Youngs and son Jimmy, and the Bob Bezners and children Debbie and Stevie, all of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bezner Jr. and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Zimmerman and children.

The Hubert Bezners returned to their home this Thursday after spending a two-week vacation here and at Valley View with family members.

KC Dinner - - -

Honorary Members. Principal speaker for the occasion was District Deputy Tom C. Unis of Dallas. His subject was "Modern Day Columbianism," in which he enumerated the many activities of the order on national and state levels. He also emphasized the urgent need for members to live up to the ideals of the order so as to assist in directing present world trends back toward the Christian ideal of "knowing, loving and serving God." Columbianism was organized, he said, because at the time there was a great need for united activity by laymen to assist the clergy in its work. Today with atheistic communism and un-Christian materialism so widespread, the need is greater than ever before.

Father Christopher expressed a similar opinion and emphasized that the united action of the organization which is recognized as the "right arm of the Church" can be a powerful force in bringing the nation and the world nearer to God.

Father Louis congratulated the three groups of honored members and praised them for achievements in the council and for their part in developing an outstanding parish.

The dinner and program were held in the public school lunch room with Mrs. Joe Lehnertz in charge of preparing and serving. Margie Milner played the piano during the dinner.

Before dinner Knights and ladies had cocktails in the KC hall.

Confetti - - -

thousands of other UN prisoners in China. Likewise we could demand fairness in other dealings, possibly eliminating such humiliations as the economic hardships during the Berlin air lift.

It is easily possible that firmness and fairness on our part could become the one factor to preserve world peace. If, on the other hand it should lead to war, we still are no worse off than before . . . because the present course will lead to fighting anyway. Eventually either free nations will get their fill of abuse, or communism will advance far enough to launch its long promised conquest of the world.

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