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WORK STARTS TODAY ON NEW K.C. SIDEWALK

C. M. Walterscheid Placed in Charge of Project by Council

Preliminary work in constructing the sidewalk around the Knights of Columbus Hall begins today in accordance with the decision made at the special K. of C. meeting Wednesday night. When completed the walk will completely surround the building and will be four feet wide with the inside edge five feet from the wall.

C. M. Walterscheid, a member of the council and an experienced concrete worker, was given the contract for the job. At the same time it was agreed that allowances would be made for gravel already hauled to the premises and that members of the council who wish to work out their dues would be given preference for labor jobs.

In keeping with the sacredness of the season of Lent the council voted to have a round table discussion on the religious problems contest now being conducted by "Our Sunday Visitor." Father Francis suggested the program and the council immediately prevailed upon him to take charge of it following the regular business meeting next Wednesday night, March 3.

HOME BEAUTY SHOP HAS NEW LOCATION IN NORTH MUENSTER

Geraldine Neathery has been well occupied during the past week in moving the Home Beauty Shop to its new location in the large square building at the north end of Main Street formerly known as the Schmitz Hotel.

Basing her estimate on the progress made during the early part of this week Miss Neathery stated that she will be ready to carry on her regular business by next Monday.

Preparatory to setting up the equipment Miss Neathery had minor changes made in plumbing and wiring. Her telephone was to be installed in the latter part of the week.

Furniture being used in the new location was hauled by Pete Rollman from the former Neathery home in Las Vegas, N. M., last week. Geraldine left for Las Vegas by bus on February 14 to prepare the furniture for shipment and returned with her brother Hale and Mr. Rollman last Sunday afternoon.

Equipment for the Home Beauty Shop was moved from its former location here in Muenster.

Lethal Does Is Cause Of Sharp Decline in Dog Population Here

Canine casualties around town ran high last Saturday when someone laid out a generous portion of strychnine doped bait. As a result children in several homes were bewailing the loss of their pets.

Joe Wilde is the only person who was fortunate enough to save his dog. When the first symptoms of poisoning became apparent he fed the dog about two cupfuls of lard and toward evening the pet was frisking about like his usual self.

Less fortunate were Tony Gremminger, Lee Haverkamp, John Herr, Luke Temple, Rudy Hellman, Joe Swingler, and Ed Eberhart. Even Mr. Beard's cat was a victim of the lethal party.

Reciting Way of Cross In English Breaks Old Custom of Pastor Here

A custom of long standing was broken last Friday, when the Rev. Father Frowin recited the Way of the Cross in English.

Ever since the founding of the Muenster parish that devotion was conducted in German, the native tongue of the pioneers, and Father Frowin himself, who has been ordained for more than 33 years, had never before recited the Way of the Cross in anything but the German language.

Program at Myra Draws Large Crowd

Approximately 200 people attended the entertainment sponsored by the young people of this community Thursday evening at the school house.

A program on "Home" was presented. Mr. Chalmers from Gainesville high school was the guest speaker. Others on the program were Misses Emmagene Linn, Lillie Perryman, Ila Mae Neeley, Dorothy Neeley, Olela Rosson, Mrs. Earl McTaggart, Welburn Barns, Earl McTaggart and Ralph Neeley.

A social hour was directed by Rev. Tom Hardy. Refreshment plate was served to each guest by a committee of mothers.

Attack of Appendicitis Causes Ray Fuhrmann To Return to Muenster

Raymond Fuhrmann, a student at Subiaco College in Arkansas for the past two years, returned to Muenster Tuesday to recuperate from the sickness that has hung over him for the past two weeks.

On the advice of the college physician Mr. Fuhrmann drove to Subiaco early Tuesday and returned with his son the same day.

At the present time Raymond is resting in hopes that his attack of appendicitis will pass without an operation. He is now under the observation of Dr. T. S. Myrick.

Prior to the appendicitis attack Raymond was down for several days with influenza.

He plans to return to Subiaco as soon as he has sufficiently recovered to resume his class work.

Pottsboro and Ardmore Visitors Spend Sunday With Relatives Here

Among visitors here during the last week end were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schnitker and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hughes, all of Pottsboro. They spent their time with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schnitker, Mr. and Mrs. George Gehrig, and the Matt Mueller family.

In the latter home they were joined by Frank Herr and family of Ardmore, Okla., for a party Sunday afternoon.

The Herr and Schnitker families returned to their homes Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Hughes left on the 7 p.m. train Monday.

Bill Stelzer Quits Mail Route During Sick Spell

During the latter part of last week Bill Stelzer was on the sick list, and Vincent Stelzer, his nephew, substituted for him as rural mail carrier on the Star Route.

While at Marysville Mr. Stelzer was first attacked with the sick spell and feeling it unsafe to attempt the trip home alone he prevailed upon Jap Shaw to accompany him.

Mr. Stelzer has been sticking close to home lately, however, he has not been sick enough to be confined to bed.

Father Frowin Leaves For Short Retreat at Monastery in Subiaco

The Rev. Father Frowin, pastor of the Sacred Heart Parish, left Sunday morning to attend a retreat at his alma mater, the New Subiaco Abbey in Arkansas. Father Meyer, O. F. M., a famous retreat master of Cincinnati, Ohio, was in charge of the gathering.

Father Frowin is expected to return to Muenster Friday or Saturday, Father Francis advised.

MUENSTER FANS ENJOY TRIP TO FORT WORTH

On hand and rooting for the Sumacs at the district tournament last Thursday were Ida Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher, Mary Barker, Marie Seyler, Dorothy Fette, Mrs. Elton Burger, and Bill Daniels.

The Fishers returned home after the game. Misses Seyler and Barker spent the night visiting with Marie's sister, Mrs. Rachel Hope. Dorothy and Mrs. Burger enjoyed a big gab-fest and inspection tour through the premises of American Airlines at the request of Miss Lillian Fette.

DON'T 'IF' SUMACS UNLESS PREPARED FOR THE PAY-OFF

In a way the Sumacs' loss at the district tournament was a relief to some of the "if-you-win" proposers hereabouts. For a while it seemed as though anyone who propositioned the basketeers with that "if you win" was called on for a payoff.

At the time the round robin race was in progress Fisher Brothers offered Toney's proteges a basket of fruit "if you win that deciding game." The next day the boys were munching apples.

After the county tournament they began making plans for the theatre parties promised by Mrs. Hoehn, Mrs. Barker and Ben Seyler "if you win that Class B trophy."

Then in the second game with the Gainesville Leopards Nick Miller said "if you fellows win I'll clean your suits for the district tournament." And the boys took Nick for a cleaning.

ELECTRICAL EXTENSION MADE BY T. P. & L. CO. TO 3 COUNTRY HOMES

Quite a number of the rural residents around Muenster are hoping that the recent extension of electrical service to the homes of John Walter, Wm. Richter, and Tony Felderhoff is only the beginning of the rural electrification project that has been under consideration for the past several years.

The lucky citizens who live on the highway and comparatively near the power line had the extensions to their homes completed last Saturday.

In accordance with the present policy of Texas Power & Light Co., which provides for the company's setting up lines within a limited distance from the main line, the extensions were made free of charge. Heretofore all rural connections were made at the expense of the consumer.

DALLAS GROUP INVITES MUENSTER SINGERS TO TAKE PART IN CONCERT

The Muenster men's choir recently received an invitation to participate in a concert to be held in Dallas on April 4 by the "Gesangverein Frohsinn," an organization of German singers. The concert is being given to commemorate the 60th anniversary of the club's organization, which occurs on March 25.

In his invitation to Leo Henschel, director of the Muenster choir, Hugo Linartz, secretary of the organization, suggested that Muenster singers join in the choral numbers and also sing a few of their own selections. Besides singing the program, as outlined, provides for instrumental solos.

Mr. Henschel stated that in view of the big time the singers had on their last trip to Dallas, they are likely to accept the invitation unless it interferes with some more urgent program here.

Henry Laebbert Moves To Home in Gainesville

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laebbert are moving from their former home near Myra to their new location on Denton Street in Gainesville. Mr. Laebbert, an employe of the "Stogie" Mitchell radio shop, has just completed a two weeks course in air conditioning engineering at Dallas. During his stay at Dallas Mrs. Laebbert visited with her mother at Greenville.

BRUNO ZIMMERER BEGINS NEW JOB WITH MARATHON

Bruno Zimmerer of Lindsay, a former employe of Magnolia Petroleum Co., recently joined the Marathon Oil Co. staff at Gainesville. He is filling the vacancy created by John Wieler when he moved to Muenster to take over the Magnolia agency formerly held by Fische Bros. Bruno divides his time between county deliveries and trips to the refinery at Fort Worth.

Two Girls Born February 18

Two little girls made their first appearance in local families on Thursday, February 18. Betty Joyce, the first born child of Mr. and Mrs. Reeves Matthews, arrived at the Matthews home southeast of Muenster about the same time that Mr. and Mrs. Martin Friske's new daughter was born at the Gainesville Sanitarium.

MUENSTER QUINTET LOSES OPENER IN FT. WORTH TOURNAMENT FEB. 18

DEMONSTRATION CLUB HAS REGULAR MEET IN LINN COMMUNITY

"As bread is the main food in the daily diet, our menus can be varied and made more attractive by serving different varieties of bread," Miss Nette Schultz, county home demonstration agent, told the members of the Linn club at their meeting Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Ben Sicking.

The advantage of having a weekly menu prepared in time was also explained as being of much convenience to the housewife. A daily meal planning chart was given to those present.

Two readings, "A Boy and His Stomach," and "When the Stomach Strikes," were read by two of the members.

After the business meeting an hour was devoted to recreation, which included singing, and games.

Those attending were Mesdames Jack Biffle, Ed Aston, Jr., Adolph Walterscheid, Jim Howton, Selby Fielder, John Coursey, Alfred Harrison, Dude Rosson, Sam McCool, Linton Coursey, Misses Irene and Rose Sicking and one visitor, Mrs. Oscar Aldridge of Myra.

The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Jim Howton's home March 9.

Joe Felderhoff Gets New Hammer Mill for Heavier Grinding Jobs

A new hammer mill with all the latest improvements is the most recent addition to the Muenster Milling Co. The machine arrived late last week and the milling company crew has been spending spare moments since getting it installed. It is expected to be ready for use early next week.

In discussing the mill, Joe Felderhoff, manager of the milling company, stated with a gleam of pride that he is now prepared to handle grinding jobs faster than they have ever come in in the past.

He added that the new machine can handle a greater variety of grinding jobs than the old one and furthermore it is equipped with automatic feeding devices and disposes of ground feed more effectively so that working conditions are decidedly improved.

The machine is designed to grind stalk feed and even hay in addition to grain, Mr. Felderhoff stated.

J. B. Wilde to Receive Carload of Chevrolets

J. B. Wilde's first carload of Chevrolets since the recent General Motors sit-down strike was shipped from the Kansas City assembly plant on February 25 and is expected to arrive Friday or Saturday.

According to Mr. Wilde the shipment includes two Master Town Sedans, a Master Coupe, and a long wheelbase truck equipped with a stock rack.

New Embankment and Drainage Ditch Keep Flood from Al's Garden

With the completion of the new drainage ditch east of his place and embankment along the street north of Ralph Esker's home, Al Walterscheid is spending his spare time building a new fence around his garden.

Heretofore Al has been unsuccessful in his gardening ventures because of the drainage water that flowed over the road and across Ralph Esker's and his gardens. The recently completed embankment along with the new culvert leading water to a new drainage ditch about 100 feet to the east, Al feels will solve his flood problems in the future.

As the ditch was being dug Al moved the surplus dirt to his garden to provide a better soil bed. The fence he is now constructing is of concrete about eight inches high mounted by a wire fence with steel posts imbedded in concrete.

Barney Wilde, though tired and sleepy, was bragging about the 15 beauties he and John and Ed Eberhart brought back from their all-night fishing party at Lake Bridgeport Tuesday night.

Lose 20-17 in Hot Contest With Strong Azle Quintet

"We just ran into a good team," was Toney Burger's comment on returning from the district basketball tournament Friday. "But at the same time I'm proud of the boys. They looked good and did their half to give fans the best contest of the day."

Going into the game as favorites, the Sumacs gave fans reasons to think that certain rumors about their ability were not entirely unfounded. They started the scoring and held the strong Azle quint on equal terms through the first quarter 6 to 6.

In the next period they forged to a 3-point lead to end the half at 11 to 8. The third and fourth quarters saw the Muenster lads losing their advantage as Azle trailed by only one point, 15 to 14, at the third frame and ended with the game at the long end of a 20 to 17 count. Two beautiful shots from the foul zone put the game on ice for the Tarrant County contenders.

In the opinion of Coach Burger Azle held only a slight advantage over his boys in ability, so little indeed, that they could have won with the faintest smile from Lady Luck. But since neither team got any lucky breaks the victory went to the better club.

Figuring comparative scores, which is interesting though after all it doesn't mean a thing, Muenster compares favorably with the best at the Fort Worth tourney. Azle, winning from Muenster by three points, lost a heartbreaker to Slidell 12 to 10 and Slidell in turn played the champion Fort Worth team two extra periods before losing 21 to 18.

In one respect Muenster did leave the best impression at the tournament. Their appearance drew favorable comment from all quarters and the only team that rivaled them in that respect was the champion Poly team of Fort Worth.

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Meurer and Weinzapfel Attend Bankers Meeting At Wichita Falls Feb. 22

J. W. Meurer and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel were at Wichita Falls Monday attending the Seventh District meeting of the Texas Bankers Association at the Kemp Hotel.

In addition to the regular business session which was featured by several prominent speakers, the program included a banquet and dance. Visiting ladies were entertained in the Hamilton building.

R. L. Baskin of Seymour was chosen as district president for the coming year and Fort Worth was selected as the location for the next district meeting on Washington's Birthday next year.

While at Wichita Falls Mr. Meurer and the Weinzapfels spent some time with S. P. Otto, a sister of Mrs. Weinzapfel and Mr. Meurer, and visited briefly with Charles Graham, who was the banker at Myra for many years before going into business at Henrietta.

B. EVANS ESCAPES WITH MINOR INJURIES IN PIPE ACCIDENT

Buster Evans escaped serious injuries by a streak of luck Monday morning when seven drill stems slipped and rolled over him while he was helping load a truck at the Frick-Reid Supply Co.

Though bruised and battered, Buster was pronounced OK Tuesday afternoon after he had spent more than a day in the Muenster Clinic and had been thoroughly checked over by Dr. T. S. Myrick. X-ray pictures failed to reveal any broken bones or internal injuries.

Boyle Family Are New Residents of Muenster

Mr. and Mrs. Judge Boyles and their infant son, Willie Ben, who visited for a short time in the home of Ben Hellman, have recently decided to make their home in Muenster. They are now living in the small house east of the Ben Hellman residence.

Hays Couple Observes 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cook Are Honored by Friends at Party

Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cook, surprised them by gathering at their home in the Hays community honoring them on their 50th wedding anniversary Thursday, February 16.

Through the first quarter and the second quarter Mrs. Martin, Miss Aftena and Kathleen Crow and Katie Mae Martin rendered special music, and this was followed by group singing.

Refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Don Cook and son, Harold, Mrs. Sammy Lee Duffy and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Reeves Cook and son, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cook and children, John R. Rice and daughter of Fort Worth, John Clapp, Mrs. Bill Crow, Mrs. C. M. Martin, Mrs. Sam Epps, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Vestal and son, Mrs. Ode McFarland, Miss Aftena and Kathleen Crow, Katie Mae Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Vestal.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook are held in high esteem by all who know them. They are very active members of the Liberty Baptist Church. Their unnumbered friends of this community wish them many more years of happiness.

MUENSTER SCOUTS PASS TEST DURING HIKE ON SUNDAY

All the scouts passed their tracking test last Sunday and most of them passed other tests also, Mr. Miller advised in commenting on the hike up Elm Creek to the church land.

Herbert Camp passed another test in his march toward a first class rating in judging the height of several objects by the length of their shadows and considering the time of day.

Tests in cooking and fire building were passed by Edward Endres, James Endres, Thomas Weinzapfel, and Norman Luke. Rawlin Patrick did not succeed in kindling a flame with two matches but passed his cooking test and also his first aid test.

All the Muenster scouts are working for their second class badges with the exception of Herbert Camp, who is working for a first class badge.

The boys have set a goal for themselves Mr. Miller advised. Their new slogan is "a test a week."

Car Accident Thursday Causes Minor Injuries To Lehnertz Children

While driving to school Thursday morning in their old Model T school jitney, four of Joe Lehnertz's children narrowly escaped serious injury as their car overturned at the side of the road about a quarter of a mile west of the Kleiss Brothers home.

Quentin and Giles, "Bunny", were later brought to Dr. T. S. Myrick to have a few minor scratches stitthed. All the children were considerably bruised but none was seriously injured.

A washed out place at the side of the road caused the accident. When a front wheel struck the hole the steering wheel was jerked out of Giles' control.

After the accident the four children walked to Joe Hesse's and he took them home.

Ben Seyler, whose wrecker was called into service, reports that the car was badly damaged.

DRAMATISTS PRACTICE ON NEW COMEDY PLAY

Under the direction of Father Francis the Muenster Players are holding their regular practice sessions for a three-act comedy entitled "The Antics of Andrew." According to present plans the play will be presented the Sunday after Easter, Father Francis announced.

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STOP SIGNS

THERE is no fool greater than the one who deliberately crashes a stop signal or a red light. That person is rushing headlong into a path that is admittedly open to cross traffic. Oncoming cars are usually going too fast to permit emergency stops and in almost all cases the oncoming driver is not prepared to stop on short notice no matter what his speed is.

If cross traffic is coming a crash is almost inevitable when a driver disregards a stop signal.

A stop sign is supposed to mean just what it says. And after the car has been brought to a halt the driver is expected to wait for a safe opening.

In a way the sign means "Stop, Look, and Listen." A mere mechanical stop as some persons make only to barge forward again without observing cross traffic is useless. It too frequently results in one's driving directly into the path of an oncoming car.

Stop signs, and also slow signs, should convey a definite message to the driver: "Danger! Get the car under control, watch the cross traffic, pick a safe opening to cross."

Traffic signs are not made to irritate drivers but to protect them.

VITAL TO OUR PROGRESS

SEVERAL newspapers in North Texas have been devoting considerable space to the proposed 7-cent per barrel tax on crude oil. In effect the law, if passed would double the tax on the oil industry.

In view of the importance that oil has in the progress of this community this publication should, of course, be more than willing to add its voice in the chorus of protest. In view of consequences that would be felt in other localities as well as Cooke County an objection can be made on other than purely selfish motives.

The oil industry is one of the largest industries of Texas. The oil industry already pays a higher tax in Texas than it does in any other State. With that condition prevailing there is already great danger that Texas will lose some of its oil business. After the tax has been doubled Texas is certain to lose a great deal of its oil business to States that do not demand an exorbitant tax.

But getting back to our own community, the problem becomes even more acute. As most of us realize, wells in the Cooke County field are almost all small producers and almost all of them require pumps to bring out the oil. Some of these wells are hardly paying for themselves now; under the added 7 cent tax they would have to be abandoned. Furthermore promoters would be reluctant to drill more wells here if they are faced with the prospect of a probable heavy loss.

In brief, the proposed tax increase would at least cripple and very likely kill Cooke County oil interests. It would decrease the royalty income many of our farmers now enjoy. It would decrease lease incomes. It would cause the loss of dozens of oil field jobs resulting in the community's loss of dozens of families. And the decreased farmer income along with the decreased payrolls would reflect on the income of business men.

It is quite possible that the bill was

aimed at the heavy producers who are better able to stand an increased tax. But while it seeks to soak the big boys it washes out the little fellows.

Cooke County is interested in keeping the little fellows. They have figured prominently in her prosperity during recent years. Unless hostile legislation interferes they will continue to figure in her prosperity.

RUNNING IN LOW GEAR

A FEW DAYS AGO a man remarked about all the power his car has. It not only climbed such and such a hill in high gear but actually gained speed all the way up.

Automobiles are being built that way nowadays. Public opinion demands the power necessary for all but the hardest pulls, little thinking of the energy that must be sacrificed under normal conditions.

Regardless of the position of the shift lever, a car that accelerates up a steep grade is running in low gear. And it is wasting power on the level.

No doubt our public demands the low geared cars because so many of our public are themselves running in low gear. Under normal conditions they waste talent and energy for mile after mile on their journey through life.

On an occasional up-grade they show their reserve power and betray the fact they are usually loafing. They reveal how much they could do to improve living for themselves and their fellowmen if they did not simply coast along on a very small percentage of their ability.

Although the public will not permit it, cars would be far better if their gear ratio were increased to use their abundant power. We human beings would be far better if our useful activity were increased to coincide with our ability.

THE BIGGEST MAN IN TOWN

WHO IS the biggest man in our town? Is he our leading capitalist or banker, is he the sheriff or is he the star pitcher on our team? If not, maybe the biggest man in our town is the new minister, or then it might be the mayor.

The biggest man in our town may be any one of these, but not because he is a banker or the sheriff or the mayor. In fact he may not hold any office at all, and it is possible that lots of people couldn't even guess who he is because he may not be very noisy about it.

The biggest man in our town is the man who is thinking the most about doing the most to help the town grow larger, cleaner, better and happier. He is thinking and working for the town as a whole and not entirely for his own little business or career.

The biggest man in town is not afraid to see more shops here for fear of competition. The biggest man in town knows that if our town is better paved, better lighted and more sanitary, the taxes spent on such improvements are not a loss but an investment which will attract more business of the right sort just as his advertisement is an investment that attracts.

The biggest man in our town believes in the Golden Rule and practices it in his business and in his community life. He believes as an American and as a Christian he has a duty to perform toward his city as a whole.

You may be the biggest man in our town.

Your personal advancement is linked up with the advancement of your community.

The Chamber of Commerce affords you an opportunity to advance the growth and welfare of our community.—Exchange.

Physicians advise folks to lie on the right side. Yes, if you must lie, always lie on the right side.—Jackson (Miss.) News.

Book notes report that there have been two recent lives of Santa Anna. Old-fashioned Texans used to think that he had nine.—Dallas Morning News.

It was only fair of British labor to endorse the proposed marriage of the King and Mrs. Simpson. She certainly has demonstrated her belief in unions.—Ohio State Journal.

Lindsay News

MISS LONIA GIEB
Correspondent

Henry Gieb is confined to his home north of Lindsay on account of illness.

Mrs. Albert Krebs was reported ill at her home with an attack of influenza last Thursday.

Andrew Kupper of Mesquite spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kupper.

Freddie Bierschenk and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Will Bierschenk, were in Marietta, Okla., on a business mission last Tuesday.

Miss Edna Blumberg of Pilot Point is the guest of her cousin, Miss Leona Berend in the Phillip Berend home about three miles east of Lindsay.

By way of improvement Valentine Dieter has added a porch, built a storage room and put new shingles on the roof of his home west of Lindsay.

Mrs. Charles Curran returned to her home in Dallas Thursday after spending several days of last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mosman.

The crew of laborers working under Road Commissioner Joe Bezner attended the catapillar demonstration at the R. B. George Machine Co. in Dallas last Friday.

Phillip Metzler, who resides about five miles north of Lindsay, had the misfortune of losing a yearling calf early last Friday morning when the animal was struck by lightning.

Joe S. Zwinggl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Zwinggl, and Joe Bengfort, son of John Bengfort of this city, have enlisted in the United States Army and have been assigned to the infantry at Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyo., it was disclosed.

Miss Nettie Schultz, county home demonstration agent, visited the 4-H Club hotbed on the school grounds last Friday and took group pictures of the 4-H girls and their hotbed. She was accompanied by a Mrs. Ratcliff of Big Bend, Texas.

Francis Schmitz, who is enlisted in the U. S. Army and assigned to the infantry at Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyo., arrived early Saturday morning for an indefinite visit with his father, Theo. Schmitz, and family.

Joe Geray has gone to Muskogee, Okla., for medical treatment in a hospital there. He left Sunday evening, February 21, via the Katy, but the nature of his illness and the length of his stay in Muskogee could not be definitely stated at the time of his departure.

Mrs. Joe Hofer and daughter, Georgia Mae, of Houston, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Loerwald Sunday. Mrs. Hofer was joined by her husband, Joe Hofer of Kilgore Monday afternoon for a brief visit with relatives here. Later in the day he accompanied his wife and daughter back to Houston, and then proceeded to his work at Kilgore.

Mrs. Jesse Galvin and little daughter, Peggy Lou, left Saturday for their home in Dallas after spending the past week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bezner. Mrs. Galvin was accompanied to Dallas by her two brothers, Al and Joseph, and her sister, Miss Kathryn Bezner, who returned after a brief visit with other relatives in Dallas.

Misses Regina Fuhrmann, Dorothy Bezner and Lonia Gieb attended the recreational meeting for club leaders and program committees of Women's Home Demonstration Clubs and Girl 4-H Clubs held in the Chamber of Commerce assembly room in Gainesville Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Miss Mary Baird Shook of Fairview, chairman of recreation of the county council, directed the program.

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County Death Notices

Arthur Lee Lynch, 6, died 12:15 a.m. February 18, at the Gainesville Sanitarium. Survived by parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Floyd Lynch and two brothers. Funeral February 18 from Baptist Tabernacle, C. M. Thomas and H. H. McBride officiating. Burial at Nelson Grove Cemetery, Woodbine. Arrangements by Brooks Powell.

Mrs. Pearl Gilbert, 36, died February 19, at home 1516 N. Weaver Street, Gainesville. Survived by husband, two sons and three daughters. Funeral February 19 from Brooks

Powel chapel, Rev. Thurman Schumac and Wm. Rice officiating. Burial at Fairview Cemetery.

Maude McCann, 15, daughter of Carlton McCann, died February 17. Funeral February 18 from Carroll chapel, Rev. E. J. Patton officiating. Interment at Fairview Cemetery.

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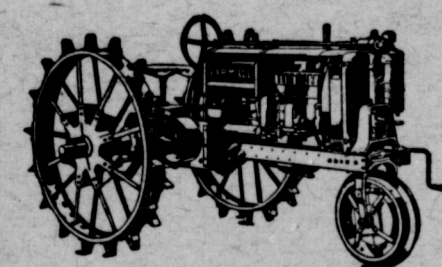
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- 1934 Plymouth Coupe with radio.....\$395
- 1934 Chevrolet 4-Door Sedan, new tires.....\$395
- 1934 Plymouth Coupe, new motor and tires.....\$395
- 1932 Ford 4-Door Sedan, new motor.....\$245
- 1932 Chevrolet Coupe, new tires and paint.....\$225
- 1933 Chevrolet Truck, motor A1, dual tires and flat bed.....\$265
- 1931 Model A Ford 2-Door, new motor, paint and tires\$235
- 1930 Model A Ford 2-Door, new paint, tires.....\$225
- 1931 Ford Model A Coupe, new motor, paint.....\$210
- 1930 Ford Model A Coupe, new motor, paint.....\$175
- 1929 Ford Model A 4-Door Sedan, new motor and paint\$145

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News Briefs

For Sale—Two Milk Cows. See Ed Eberhart. (Adv. 13.)

Don't forget the big party at H-5 Motor Service on March 2. (Adv. 14)

F. E. Schmitz and John Wieler were in Dallas Wednesday on a business trip.

Joe Leonard, editor of the Gainesville Register was at The Enterprise office Friday afternoon.

I. M. Jones of Forestburg purchased a '34 Chevrolet truck from Herr Motor Co. this week.

Tony Hoenig spent last Tuesday at Dallas attending a meeting of the T. P. Coal and Oil Co. dealers.

Pete Kleiss is up and about again after spending almost a week at home with an attack of influenza.

Charles Knauf of Gainesville recently purchased a '29 Ford Coupe from Joe Wilde's used car stock.

A capacity load of Muenster cheese was hauled to Dallas Tuesday by C. J. Fette in the F. M. A. truck.

Alois "Skinner" Wiesman is spending his spare time lately building a new brooder house for his chickens.

John Felderhoff is replacing the old shingle roof on his house with a more substantial fireproof metal roof.

Eugenia Luke of Fort Worth was here for a short visit with friends last Monday. She returned early Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Swirczynski and children spent last Sunday in Denison as guests in the home of Happy Sturm.

Muenster's first tank car of whey was loaded Tuesday and shipped to the Kraft-Phenix Cheese Corporation of Denison.

Gertrude Roberg is home for a two weeks' visit following her recent three weeks illness with tonsillitis at St. Vincent's Hospital in Sherman. She intends to return to her work there in the near future.

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ON THE MARKET SQUARE

Pruitt Produce Co. of Ardmore, Okla., picked up a truck load of hens at the Farmers Marketing Association Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Chandler and their daughter, Mrs. Ludwick, left last Friday for a week's visit with friends in Graham.

John Wayne is the name of the new son and heir of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jarrett. He was born February 17 in the Jarrett home.

For Sale—Registered White Face Bull, F10 (Tony). Weight 1500 lbs. 5 years old. \$80. Come and see his calves. H. J. Lutkenhaus. (Adv. 14.)

The latest improvement on H. P. Hennigan's farm is a new concrete stock watering tank. John Walterscheid started working on it last Monday.

Mrs. Jack Beckham who lived in Muenster about a year before moving to Ryan, Okla., in December, visited friends here over the last week end.

For the first time in their many games of this year the Parochial School basketballers broke through to give Toney Burger's reserves a drubbing 19-12.

Caroline Streng, who has been employed in Dallas since early in December, spent the past week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Streng.

Mrs. John Kaiser and her son, Ray, accompanied by Mrs. L. A. Bernauer, spent Sunday and Monday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stelzer at Fort Worth.

For Sale—Reconditioned tractors; 2 row crop type and 2 four-wheel type. Also several head of horses and mares. H. E. Myers & Sons, Gainesville. (Adv. 13.)

Last Sunday and Monday Harold Trachta spent another double holiday at Muenster with his family. Harold, employed at the Mercantile Bank & Trust Co. at Dallas, returns almost every time a bank holiday falls on Saturday or Monday. That plan permits a two-day visit whereas normally he could spend only one day.

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1933 Chevrolet Master Coupe
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Hays News

MRS. BEN LANE
Correspondent

Curtis Martin visited in Dallas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lane visited in Wichita Falls Friday.

Porter McClure of Holliday visited A. C. Stalcup Tuesday.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Al Garrett, a boy, February 16.

M. M. Epp of Valley View visited in this community Tuesday.


Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Greene visited in Denton this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stalcup were visitors in Gainesville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lane made a business trip to Pilot Point Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cook and son, Bob Mac, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Biffle of Myra, Sunday.

Carl and Shine Chadwell of Gainesville visited Mrs. Ode McFarland and L. Aldridge last week.



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Auto Death Toll 9,176;
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Washington, Feb. 25.—The death toll from highway accidents during 1936 was 9,176, only slightly under that of last year, census statistics disclosed today.

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With its six cylinders giving overlapping power—and a decreased intensity of individual power impulses—the motor in the new Row Crop "70" runs more smoothly and with less vibration than a two or four-cylinder engine.

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Increased Economy in Modern Farm Methods Shown by Testimonial

Editors Note: The following testimonial was submitted by H. S. Wilde as an interesting bit of information on modern farming methods as experienced by a prominent farmer of this county.

Gainesville, Texas,
January 30, 1937.

Allis-Chalmers,
Dallas, Texas.
Gentlemen:

Just a few lines to tell you how I like my All-Crop Harvester.

I want to give you an example of how cheap it will harvest a crop. I had a small field of wheat, (15 acres), it being 4 to 5 feet tall and partly tangled. I harvested a bushel a minute in this field and it yielded 35 bushels per acre. I used 15 gallons of fuel at 7c a gallon, which equals \$1.05 for fuel to harvest 525 bushels of wheat. If I would have harvested this field of grain the binder and thrasher way, it would have taken at least 4 lbs. of twine per acre, and 4 lbs. x 15 acres equals 60 lbs. of twine at 9c a lb. equals \$5.40 for twine alone. The fuel the tractor would have used to pull the binder would have been 10 gallons at 7c equals 70c for fuel. The thrasher bill would have been 10c a bushel, 10 times 525 bushels equals \$52.50 for threshing, which makes \$58.50 to harvest the binder and thrasher way, and \$1.05 for the All-Crop Harvester way.

I would like to give you an example of the way it saves grain. I had a field of wheat (70 acres), 15 acres of which I cut with a binder and had it threshed and yielded 21 bushels per acre, the other 55 acres I harvested with my All-Crop Harvester and it yielded 27 bushels per acre, which proves that 6 bushels per acre was wasted going through the binder, shocking, hauling and threshing process.

I harvested 4,200 bushels of grain this year with my All-Crop Harvester cheaper than I ever dreamed possible.

Yours truly,
(Signed) JOE HUNDT.

A Jew with a bad cold ordering ham and eggs in a restaurant:

"L O J K."
"L O A B."
"P U N E M?"
"S V F M."
"P U N E X?"
"S V F X."
"O K M N X. L M N X!"
"O S M R X."
"O K J K"
"M N X."



John Wieler
Authorized Agent
PHONE 44

BOX SCORE

Azle—	fg	ft	pf	tp
Thompson, f	2	0	0	4
R. Gilley, f	3	1	0	7
Willimas, f	0	0	0	0
P. Gilley, c	4	1	3	9
Ritchey, g	0	0	0	0
Gilbert, g	0	0	2	0
Cannon, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	9	2	5	20

Muenster—	fg	ft	pf	tp
Renfro, f	2	0	0	4
A. Hoehn, f	3	0	1	6
Stelzel, c	0	2	2	2
C. Hoehn, g	0	0	0	0
Fette, g	0	0	1	0
Fisher, g	2	1	1	5
Totals	7	3	5	17

Point Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Duncan is the former Miss Cleva Lillard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Lillard.

Dorothy Crow, who has been ill with influenza, is able to go back to school. She is a student of Gainesville Junior College.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Porter visited Sunday with Mrs. Porter's sister, Mrs. M. E. Solomon of Hood and brother, Price Weatherford, of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Higgins and Mr. and Mrs. Holman Acker and J. M. Higgins went to Terrell, Okla., Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jim Higgins and family.

Dan Duggan and wife of Gainesville and Miss Mary Lee Biffle, a student nurse of Gainesville Sanitarium, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Biffle Sunday.

The Missionary Society of the Baptist Church met at the church Monday afternoon. Mrs. S. R. Crow taught a Bible study from the sixth chapter of Matthew.

Mrs. Tom Pryor was given a surprise quilting party last Thursday. Those present were Mrs. Dave Gillett, Mrs. J. T. Biffle, Mrs. B. C. Rosson, Mrs. F. S. Platt and Mrs. Ernest Biffle.

Linn News

MRS. SELBY FIELDER
Correspondent

Little Sandra Ann Gray is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Will Bancroft of Hood spent Tuesday with Mrs. Edna Fielder.

Mrs. Jimmie Chafin and babies went to Denton Saturday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dude Rosson and Minna Faye visited Mrs. Tom Rosson at Myra Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dude Rosson and daughter, Minna Faye, visited relatives in Wichita Falls last Sunday.

Guests Sunday of Mrs. Edna Fielder and family were Mr. and Mrs. Horace Trew and Mrs. John Gatewood of Myra, Mr. and Mrs. T. L.

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Fresh Fish and Oysters

Farmers' Marketing Association
Farmers' Store & Market
Muenster, Texas

Smart for Afternoon



Maggy Rouff created this charming afternoon ensemble of wool and velvet. The jacket is of corduroy velvet in navy blue; the dress is of scotch plaid wool—in navy blue, white and green. The collar and lapels of the jacket are done in the plaid material. The snappy felt hat is an ideal "top-off" to the trim ensemble.

Prices on Local Market (Wednesday's Prices)

Eggs, per doz.	16c
Light hens, per lb.	8c
Heavy hens, per lb.	10c
Roosters, per lb.	5c
Cream, bf. basis, lb.	29c
Milk, bf. basis, lb.	36c
Hides, per lb.	4c

Gaston and son, Paul, of Hood, and Mrs. J. T. Barker of Muenster.

Mr. and Mrs. Linton Coursey vis-

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First Door North of Kress
Gainesville

ited Mrs. Coursey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn in Gainesville several days last week.

Miss Pauline Harrison, Frank Harrison and Mr. Craven, all of Gainesville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Harrison Sunday.

Only 1.26 per cent of Kentucky's

population—35,333—paid federal income taxes for 1934.

A. R. Porter
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EFFICIENT WATCH REPAIR SERVICE

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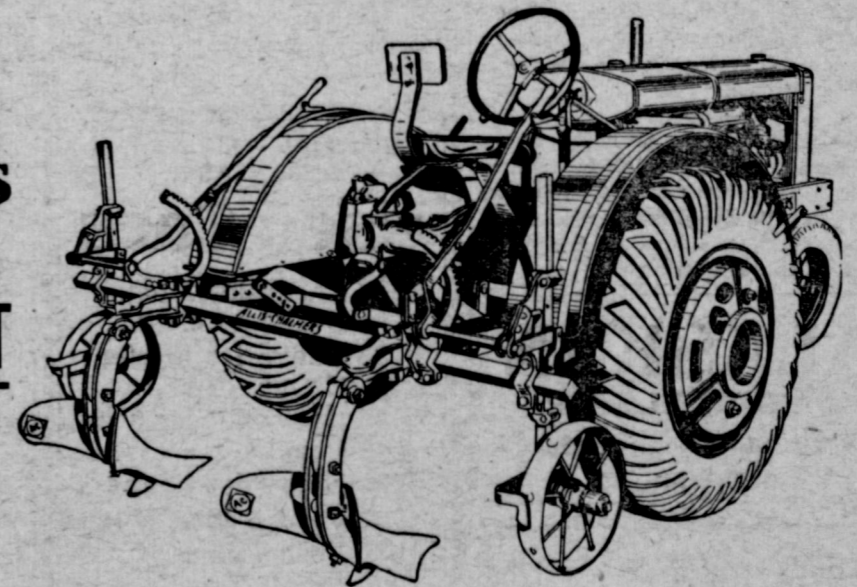
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