



It's going to be old stuff by the time this appears in print, but just now the news from North Africa is so good that nothing else seems worth considering. A definite milestone marking a substantial advance in our march to the final victory.

It caused a cheerful buzz around this camp. And as you would suspect, gave rise to profuse speculation among us bunk strategists regarding the anxiously awaited invasion of Europe. We were trying to guess whether the Allies will push forward now while Hitler is still groggy from this blow, or will pause long enough to re-organize a more systematic drive — at the same time giving the Axis an equal opportunity to get set.

We're wondering too about the Luftwaffe. Almost overnight, it seems, the Allies took over complete air supremacy in the entire western area. On African and Russian fronts. Even over the Reich itself, if we are to judge by dwindling resistance to RAF and American raids, or by feeble Axis efforts to bomb England. If this means what we hope it does, the handwriting on the wall is so plain that Hitler himself cannot fail to read it.

But maybe we haven't got the answer. We won't know until some time hence. We like to presume that the Nazi war bird has had its wings clipped — either as a result of bombings on German industry or the fuel shortage predicted two or three years ago. On the other hand we cannot ignore the possibility that the old vulture is lurking nearer its lair waiting to pounce on anyone that threatens to move in. Certainly the time for that kind of strategy is drawing near. The Yanks are coming. So are the Tommies and the Reds. And thousands of oppressed war victims awaiting the chance to avenge past atrocities.

As Schickelgruber sees the day of doom approaching he must regret a lot of things. For he and his mob have branded themselves as more than enemy leaders. They are international criminals who must be tracked down and exterminated. A fact as unfortunate for Germany and the rest of the world as for the gangsters themselves. The Nazis know the verdict that awaits them, so their only recourse is to struggle on to the bitter end — it is not conceivable that they, beasts of their calibre, will give themselves up in order to spare their people any suffering. Unless Germany itself can get rid of them, it is due to go on and taste the ravages of war long after defeat becomes obvious. And thousands of soldiers on both sides will have to continue struggling and dying in a useless fight.

Regardless of possible future developments, the success in Tunisia is a long step toward eventual victory. It has weakened the Axis in men and equipment. It has given the Allies strategic positions. It is enough to lift national optimism back to the peak from which it had been slipping during the past several months.

To leave this wishful thinking and return to the job at hand. The past week has brought a tremendous change in Con's army career. Compared with previous regimentation, this seems almost like a return to the freedom of civilian life. Only a matter of being subject to higher authority and reporting for work at specified hours. Otherwise a person is practically on his own. No curfew, no restriction on passes, no rushing or waiting in line.

Specifically, the assignment is with the Field Artillery School, which consists of specialist training for enlisted men. Courses in artillery mechanic, motor mechanic, communication, care of horses and every other phase of field artillery. Our job is to take care of the administrative needs of one of these groups of students —

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## VISITING HERE



Cpl. Arnold J. Henscheid arrived from California Monday evening to spend a 15-day furlough here with his father, Wm. Henscheid and family. It is his first visit home since his enlistment in the army air corps in October, 1942. He received his basic training at Sheppard Field, later trained at March Field, Calif and was recently moved to the desert training center in California. He is connected with the 854th Engineer's Aviation Battalion, and is assigned to duty as a meat cutter and cook.

## HIGH STUDENTS TO SHOW 3-ACT COMEDY THIS SUNDAY NIGHT

"Silas Smidge from Turnip Ridge", a rural comedy-drama in three acts by Jay Tobias, will be the parochial high school students' final offering of the year. It will be presented in the parish hall this Sunday evening at 8:30.

Heading the all-star cast is Harold Luke as old Silas, and Juanita Weinzapfel, a stage-struck hired girl; Frank Hennig, the village detective; Gladys Wilde, the aristocratic daughter; Thomas Otto, his stepson, the black sheep of the family; Rose Marie Endres, his sister; Leo Felderhoff, a clerk in the country store; Alma Marie Luke, an orphan waif; Marie Felderhoff, her aunt; Evelyn Wiesman, a young minister; Johann Seyler, his sister; Lucille Wimmer, the village postmistress; George Swirczynski, a young farmer; and Marie Swinger, Imelda Felderhoff, Mary Ann Reiter, Marian Starke, Geneva Gremminger and Della Rose Endres, villagers.

Between acts the Youth Band will render a number of selections. The publicity committee is composed of Mary Ann Reiter, Della Rose Endres, Geneva Gremminger and Marian Starke and stage effects will be taken care of by Alvin Fuhrmann, Harold Sicking and the villagers.

Everybody is invited to attend.

## Sister Bertha Recalls Gift Trip Five Years Ago; Sends Best Wishes

Sister M. Bertha, for thirty years a teacher in the local school before being sent to Stuttgart, Ark., last year, has written the Enterprise this week to extend greetings to all the Muenster citizens and thank them again for the trip to Europe that they gave her five years ago.

It was in the middle of May, 1938, that local residents made up a purse for Sister Bertha so that she might join her companions, Sisters Anastasia and Theresina, on a visit to her homeland and her mother in Switzerland.

Sister Bertha recalled that it was just five years ago next week that she began her trip and that in recalling the incident she was filled with many loving and grateful thoughts of the good people in Muenster.

Her letter disclosed also that on May 2 her little charges of the Holy Rosary school made their 1st communion. She was happy to have a communion class, otherwise her school term would have been incomplete, she added. For thirty years she instructed the children of this parish for their first reception of the Eucharist.

Concerning her next year's station Sister Bertha says as yet she does not know where the new school term will find her. Most likely it will not be Stuttgart and she does not figure on Muenster, although she would love to return to this city.

"Please give all the dear people of Muenster my best regards and assure them that they are always remembered in my prayers," she concluded.

Miss Charles Bradshaw of Gainesville was the weekend guest of her sister, Mrs. T. S. Myrick and family.

## Parochial High Graduation Next Monday

### Bishop Danglmayr Is Speaker; Class Night Was Held Tuesday

Commencement exercises for the fifth graduating class of Sacred Heart High School will be held Monday evening in the Parish hall at 8 o'clock.

Climaxing the evening's program will be an address by the Most Rev. Augustine Danglmayr, D.D., Auxiliary Bishop of Dallas, who will be the commencement speaker. Diplomas will be presented by Rev. Thomas Buerger, pastor.

The graduates are: Rose Marie Endres, Marie Felderhoff, Harold Luke, Marie Swinger, Evelyn Wiesman and Lucille Wimmer.

Harold Luke is valedictorian and Lucille Wimmer is salutatorian of the class. In addition to the graduation program the Youth Band and Glee Club will offer selections.

### Class Night Program

Class Night was held by the students Tuesday evening of this week in the parish hall with a large attendance of parents, other relatives, classmates and friends.

The pleasing program opened with an address of welcome by Imelda Felderhoff and was followed by a short skit and songs and dances by the Spanish class. Mary Ann Reiter announced the numbers which included La Paloma and other Spanish songs by the ensemble, with Gladys Wilde giving a solo chorus, and later, joined by Juanita Weinzapfel, a duet chorus. Miss Weinzapfel and Alma Marie Luke played the piano accompaniments. The Glee Club also sang a group of songs.

The stage was attractively decorated to resemble a Spanish patio. Next on the program was the class history by Rose Marie Endres, parading the seniors by Alvin Fuhrmann and stalling the juniors by Marie Felderhoff. A comical reading "Can You Imagine" was given by Evelyn Wiesman who also read the last will and testament. Marie Swinger presented the class memorial gift, a war bond, and Marian Starke reciprocated with acceptance thereof. The class prophecy was read by Lucille Wimmer and the distributive reading "Can You Imagine" with clever lines to accompany them, by Mary Ann Reiter, brought the program to a close.

## PAROCHIAL GRADE SCHOOL EXERCISES SET FOR MAY 23RD

On Sunday evening, May 23, twenty-six pupils of the parochial grade school will receive diplomas indicating their graduation from the eighth grade. A program has been arranged in connection with the graduation exercises. Sister Lacy, principal of the grade school department, is in charge of the commencement program and pupils of the other grades will also appear in songs and short skits under the direction of their respective instructors.

The program is as follows: Opening selection by the violin class; Salutatory address, A. J. Felderhoff; Presentation of class gift, Anna Grace Wimmer; Acceptance, Betty Lue Buckley; Presentation of Keys of Graduation, Paul Luke; Acceptance, Dolores Henscheid; Presentation of War Bonds, Rose Marie Becker; Valedictory, Teresa Walter; Awarding of certificates, Rev. Thomas Buerger; Piano selections, Bernice Henscheid, Ernestine Zipper and Martha Hennigan; Song and tableau, the graduates.

The second, fourth, fifth and sixth grades will appear in short skits, the glee club will sing and prizes for promptness at Holy Mass will be awarded.

## CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS TO ELECT OFFICERS AT TONIGHT'S MEET

Catholic Daughters of America will hold the annual election of officers this Friday evening in the K of C hall. The meeting is scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock and a full attendance is urged.

A report on the state convention held last week at Yoakum will also be given by Mrs. Al Walter-scheid.

## Attend K of C Convention

Grand Knight J.W. Fisher and R. R. Endres, Edward Endres, State Treasurer Herbert Meurer, C. J. Kaiser and Rev. Thomas Buerger left here Sunday evening by car to attend the annual Knights of Columbus convention in Galveston this week. They returned Thursday evening.

## RAIN-BENEFICIAL TO THIRSTY CROPS; NO HAIL-WIND HARM

Thirsty Muenster and vicinity farms and gardens took a new lease on life Monday after week-end rains that totaled 2 1/2 inches. Accompanying the heavy rains Sunday evening was an electrical storm, and scattered hail fell in the city, while north of town, in the Hays community the hail was considerably heavier and slight damage to crops in that sector was reported.

Northwest of Muenster, in the vicinity of the Cler Brothers farm and the Wilfred Reiter farm, two twisters formed Sunday evening at about dusk, but spent themselves in the sky and in the fields without doing damage to buildings. Werner and Ray Cler reported watching a vicious funnel-shaped black demon that hung over their house for several minutes before disappearing into the sky. It was followed, a few minutes later, by another tornado that they said was headed straight for the Reiter home. However, it dropped in a field and exhausted itself before reaching any buildings. One telephone pole was demolished. A cloud burst followed immediately in that area.

Hail stones north of the city were reported unusually large and Tony Otto recovered one that measured seven inches in circumference. The hail was scattered, fell only a few seconds, and no damage was reported to crops and buildings.

Most of the rain fell in intermittent gusts Sunday, and a gentle drizzle continued until almost noon Monday.

Newly planted feed crops are off to a good start. Pasture lands and grain crops were greatly benefited and the moisture "puts a season in the ground" for cotton.

Victory gardens that were suffering from the drought and recent warm dry winds, that not even artificial irrigation could offset, set, at this week looking fine and have enough moisture for several weeks.

The 2 1/2 inch reading was made by I. A. Schoech at the government gauge in the city but residents of nearby farms reported three-inches of precipitation in their vicinities.

## TWO LOCAL GIRLS GRADUATE FROM NURSING SCHOOL

Two local young women, Misses Dorothy Mae Luke and Joyce Bentley, were among the thirty-six graduates of Saint Paul's Hospital School of Nursing in Dallas this week.

Commencement exercises were held Tuesday evening in the auditorium of the nurses home with Msgr. Wendelin Nold as speaker. Later benediction was given in the hospital chapel.

Attending the rites from this city were Messers, and Mmes. Ben Luke and Ralph Richards, parents of the two girls, and Harold Luke Mrs. Joe Luke, Rev. Richard Ewell, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fette and First Sgt. Gene Lehnertz.

Miss Luke will remain at St. Paul's as a supervisor in surgery, she told her mother.

## Nursing Certificates To Be Awarded Today At League-Garden Meeting

Mrs. Estelle Trew, Home Supervisor of the Fraternity Administration, will be guest speaker at the meeting of the Civic League and Garden Club this Friday afternoon. The session is scheduled to begin at 3:15. Mrs. Trew will replace Miss Netie Schultz, who was scheduled to speak, but who will be unable to be in this city at that time.

Also appearing as a guest speaker at the afternoon's program will be Mrs. Beatrice Siebel of Gainesville, a volunteer Red Cross worker, who will talk on the needs of the Red Cross.

Mrs. Trew will show some motion pictures to illustrate her talk and as an added feature the Sacred Heart School Glee Club will offer some selections.

The usual monthly business session will be held before the program, and Mrs. M. J. Endres will give garden suggestions for May.

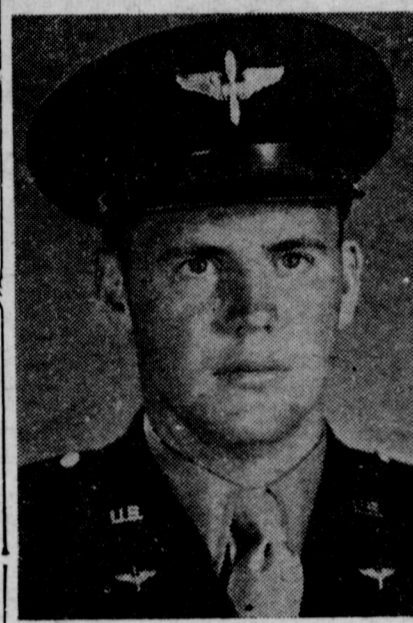
### To Give Nursing Certificates

At this meeting Mrs. Culp, chairman of the Red Cross Home Nursing Committee, and Mrs. Joe Hansen both of Gainesville will be present to award certificates to the class of ladies that recently completed a nursing course under the direction of Mrs. T. S. Myrick.

All members of the Muenster Home Nursing Class are urged to attend this session, even though they are not members of the League, so that they may receive their diplomas.

## Local Hero Fought Japs; Is Trying For Return Engagement

### Ex-Sergeant "Bud" Hoehn Is Now Aviation Cadet In San Antonio



SAN ANTONIO AVIATION CADET CENTER, TEXAS, May 12—

Pounded about a bit but still on his feet at the end of 45 minutes point-blank battle with Japanese Zeros. Aviation Cadet Clarence "Bud" Hoehn of Muenster, Texas, is booking a return engagement with Nipponese sky fighters.

Member of the Army Air Forces most famous unit, the 19th Bombardment Group, Cadet Hoehn was manning a side gun on a Flying Fortress July 3, 1942, when 12 Zeros started a battle which cost them five ships, resulted in two medals for the 21-year-old Texan, put him in the hospital "for a spell" and paved the way for an American bombing attack in force on the following day, July 4.

Bearing a few scars and wearing a blouse decked with seven ribbons, the 21-year-old Texan is at the San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center. He has been classified for training as a pilot, has started on a new career in the Air Forces after more than two years service as an enlisted man. The ex-staff sergeant tells a terse story of the running battle with the Japs.

## REV. FATHER FROWIN IS BACK FOR VISIT IN THIS COMMUNITY

Rev. Father Frowin, O.S.B., for 24 years Muenster pastor, arrived in this city Friday evening for a ten-day visit with old friends and former parishioners. It is his first trip back to his former parishes since he was forced to resign ten months ago following a hemorrhage that gravely impaired his eyesight, last May.

Since that time he has been at a hospital in Jonesboro, Ark., until March 12 when he went to Wichita Falls to stay with his cousins, Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Hesse, where he will return when he concludes his visit here.

Father Frowin is looking well although he is many pounds thinner. He has been reading mass here each morning at 6:30 and has enjoyed meeting old friends. The famous 'Father Frowin voice' is as powerful as ever and, with the aid of special lenses on his glasses he is able to get around almost as good as of yore.

On Monday he enjoyed a visit with relatives from Arkansas who stopped by here on their return home after having attended the funeral of a brother-in-law, Emil Essler, at Scotland. Visiting here were his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seers and son, Bernard, Mrs. Annie Spanke and Alex Soers of Hartman, and Mrs. Clara Sacks of Altus, Ark.

Miss Rose Koelzer, former Muensterite is reported recovering normally from a major operation performed last week in Wichita Falls. For the past several years Miss Koelzer has been housekeeper for the pastor at Windthorst. Sunday she was cheered by a visit from her sisters, Miss Elizabeth Koelzer and Mrs. Lena Streng and her nephew, Johnny Moster of this city.

Members of the Holy Name Society who appeared as the cast of characters in the minstrel show two weeks ago were treated to a social in the parish hall Wednesday evening by their director, Rev. Father Richard. Games and refreshments were enjoyed.

"We had a pair of 2,000-pound bombs in the bay and were headed for the Jap airport at Lae, New Guinea. About the time we had completed a neat bombing run and unloaded 12 Zeros started after us," the Cadet recounts. "They caught us in about 20 minutes. The pilot headed our ship down from 28,000 feet in order to get more speed. But they caught us, anyhow."

"They must have made 16 or 17 passes at our ship. I guess the entire fight must have lasted 45 minutes. After about 30 minutes a 20 millimeter shell exploded in the plane. Then an armor piercing 7.7 exploded. I was hit twice in the shoulder and once in the back by the steel from the .20. When the 7.7 exploded I was hit in the fleshy part of the hip.

"I didn't feel hurt, though. It just felt numb. I could still use my hands and legs so I stayed at the gun.

"The fact everyone was firing in a lot of directions made it impossible for anyone to receive credit for shooting down any particular one of the Zeros. We were protecting the left side of another '17, which was without fire power from its left side gun. They were firing also, so it was hard to tell who was knocking down the Japs."

Hoehn spent two and one-half months in a hospital recuperating from the battle and shortly afterwards started for home and his present training as a pilot.

The aerial fight wasn't the only action in which the Muenster youth participated. He was with the "19th" at Java, working on the ground as a radio maintenance man. The Japs kept the crews busy in the daytime — running for the shelter of slit trenches or sand bag barricades. Hoehn was assisting in refueling a '17 when the Japs came in late one afternoon.

"I was on the wing with the gasoline hose. The Japs came in low and were strafing us. I jumped behind a truck for a minute and then made a run for the sand bags in the center of the field. We had some .50 caliber machine guns out there and I started firing as fast as I could find something to shoot at. But it was hard to tell who was getting in the shots which were hitting the Japs."

Bombing and strafing were almost routine, he declares, and continued until the 19th was forced to evacuate to Australia. It was on a flight from a base in Australia that he engaged in the running fight. For suffering wounds in action he received the Purple Heart, for remaining at his gun position after being wounded he was awarded the Silver Star. But he has five other ribbons, denoting meritorious service in the Air Forces. He wears the 19th Bombardment Group citation, a gold bar with blue ribbon and two laurel leaves before Pearl Harbor ribbon; Asiatic and American defense ribbons and the Veterans of Foreign Wars ribbon.

Some of the incidents of his career in the skies are worth talking about. There was the flight at 30,000 feet when the ball turret gunner passed out. His oxygen mask froze. Hoehn, assistant radio man at the time, told the pilot of the gunner's condition. The pilot started the ship in a steep descent to get down to an altitude where the youth could breathe. In the meantime, Hoehn placed an extra mask on the gunner so he was revived and able to move about by the time the pilot reached 14,000 feet. But the Flying Fortress had dropped into trouble.

The ship was over the Japanese base at Rabaul and as soon as the ground gunners spotted the ship Hoehn says "They threw everything at us but the kitchen sink." The Fortress was punctured a few times but arrived at its home base safely.

He was also aboard a ship in an engagement wherein a Zero went after the tail gunner. Hoehn says the gunner, Sgt. Edwin Rhodes of Santa Barbara, California, was hit in the hip. "But as he was hit his reaction was to grab the triggers of his gun and squeeze. The Zero flew into the path of fire and was shot down."

He hasn't had enough action. Hoehn is in a hurry to get his silver wings and get back in the air for that return engagement. After a few more weeks of training at the pre-flight school of the San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center he'll be headed for primary school. At primary he'll start flying, in a few months will have his wings and a job at the business end of a battle plane. That's what he wants.

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# LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Short Items of Interest About Folks You Know

Miss Mary Alice Bernauer of Bridgeport spent the weekend and Monday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cler of Garland spent last Sunday here with their parents.

A new water well is being drilled on the George Gehrig farm place.

Pvt. Francis Swirczynski of Camp Howze was here Sunday to visit his cousins.

Mrs. Morris King of Gainesville spent the weekend here with Mrs. John Schmitz.

Cpl. Russell Herb of Camp Howze was a Sunday guest at the John Tempel home.

Mrs. Noel Jacobs of Dallas spent the weekend here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Andy O'Connor.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luttmer and children of Gainesville were here to spend Mother's Day with her mother, Mrs. August Reiter.

Miss Catherine Seyler of Dallas spent the weekend here with her mother, Mrs. Frank Seyler, and other relatives.

Mrs. T. M. Hammer and daughters, Misses Blanche and Nina, visited in Ardmore, Okla., Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Mae Yosten of Fort Worth spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Yosten.

Miss Armella Yosten and Miss Almarie Hoff of Fort Worth were Sunday guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Yosten.

Pvt. and Mrs. J. N. Smith of Camp Howze were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sicking.

Frank Yosten and family had as guests Friday Cpl. J. A. Durbin and Pvt. Ray Panunzio and Frank Sottile of Camp Howze.

A son, Gary Dop, was born at the local clinic Friday night to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Geurin of Saint Jo.

Eddie Rohmer is back in Muenster following a medical discharge from the army. He had been stationed at Indiantown Gap, Pa., since his induction March 4.

Louis Nieball was recently granted a medical discharge from the army and is back at his home in Gainesville. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nieball of this city.

Bill Herr of Pampa is spending a week of his annual vacation in his old home town. He arrived Saturday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Herr and other relatives.

Martin Bayer recently purchased the John Haverkamp Sr. farm northeast of the city consisting of 220 acres. The remaining 40 acres on the south was bought by Lee Haverkamp.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mages had as dinner guests Sunday his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mages Sr. of

Lindsay and Mr. and Mrs. Felix Yosten and daughter.

Miss Doris Schram of Fort Wayne, Ind., spent Sunday with the Joe Lehnertz family. She was enroute to Midland to see her brother get his wings.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luebbert and children and Mrs. Anna Havis of Fort Worth visited here Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stelzer.

Mrs. E. B. Roberson and baby son are residing in his city since last week. They are at home in the Friske cottage. Cpl. Roberson is somewhere in North Africa with the army.

Miss Mildred Walterscheid plays her accordion and offers vocal selections every Saturday evening and every Sunday afternoon at Gainesville in connection with the rodeo.

S. Sgt. Wilmer Luke spent several hours of Mother's Day here with his mother, Mrs. Ben Luke and family. He secured a weekend pass from his duties at Kirtland Field, Albuquerque, N. M.

Mrs. Ludwig Zimmerer and daughter, Elizabeth, arrived Monday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. John Schilling and members of the Siegler families and will also visit relatives in Lindsay before returning home.

Miss Frances Birmingham of Hot Springs, Ark., spent Tuesday here with her sister, Sister Charles, and then went to Wichita Falls for a visit with her brother, Pvt. Robert Birmingham, stationed at Sheppard Field.

A foundation is complete and work is going forward on a home for Oscar McEntire, across the road, south from the J. W. Fletcher residence in this city. Lumber used in the building was salvaged from a house that was razed when completed. Mr. McEntire will move from north of town to occupy it.

Mrs. Christopher Fette writes this week that she is enjoying the Florida sunshine being there for a week's visit with her husband who is attending a special school with a reconnaissance group at Orlando. Both will return to Fort Knox, Ky., when Lt. Fette finishes his course.

### MRS. JOE LUKE HOSTESS TO CLUB WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Joe Luke entertained members of the Get-Together Club in her home for the first Wednesday of the month social. Four tables were arranged for progressive 42 series in which Mrs. C. M. Walterscheid scored high and Mrs. Joe Kathman low. Both received attractive gifts and Mrs. Kathman also received the galloping prize. Miss Lena Herr drew the guest prize. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess to 12 members and the following guests: Mesdames W.H. Endres and R.R. Endres, Paul Endres, M.J. Endres and Henry Walterscheid and Miss Lena Herr and Vera Luke.

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### MISS LEONA KNABE AND SGT. RAY ARE MARRIED SATURDAY

A pretty church wedding took place here Saturday morning at 8 o'clock to unite Miss Leona Knabe of this city and Sgt. Joseph Ray of Camp Howze and Elizabethtown, Ky.

Rev. Thomas Buegler read the ring ceremony and officiated at the nuptial high mass. Music was provided by Sacred Heart choir assisted by Sister Leonarda at the pipe organ.

The bride wore a lovely floor length frock of white silk made on princess lines with a full skirt, square neck and wrist-length sleeves. Her veil of illusion was full length and fell from a wreath of orange blossoms. The bride's flowers were an arm bouquet of white roses and as "something borrowed" she wore a gold cross and chain belonging to her sister, Miss Marcella Knabe.

Miss Margaret Sprengel of Pilot Point, a close friend of the bride, was maid of honor. She was attired in a frock of blue chiffon with fitted bodice and bouffant skirt and carried an arm bouquet of pink roses. A headdress of blue ribbon completed her costume.

Ben Knabe, brother of the bride, was best man.

Following the church rites a wedding breakfast was served in the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Knabe, to members of the bridal party and immediate members of the family.

Sgt. Ray is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Ray of Elizabethtown, Ky., and has been in the Army for 18 months. He received his basic training at Fort Benning, Ga. and has been stationed at Camp Howze since last November. He is attached to the Headquarters Company, 84th Division. Mrs. Ray is a native of this city and attended the local school. For the present she is at home with her parents until living quarters can be secured at Gainesville.

Out of town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knabe of Gainesville and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hellinger of Lindsay.

### MARGIE JO COOPER MARRIES SOLDIER AT WICHITA FALLS

Miss Marjorie Jo Cooper of Wichita Falls, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cooper of this city was married on May 1 to Sgt. Morris W. Wolfcan of Sheppard Field and Houston. The ceremony was read at the First Methodist church in Wichita Falls by the pastor, Dr. Paul E. Martin, officiating in the presence of relatives and close friends.

The bride wore a dress and hat of ice blue with accessories in black and carried a bouquet of sweetheart roses. She was attended by Miss Verma Kendricks as maid of honor, and Sgt. Russell C. Sutton of Sheppard Field as best man for the groom.

The couple left immediately after the ceremony for Dallas and Houston on a short wedding trip to visit relatives and friends and on their return stopped in this city to visit her parents. For traveling Mrs. Wolfcan wore a black and white suit with matching accessories. She is well known locally and has many friends here.

The bride is a graduate of Olney High School and attended Oklahoma University at Norman and is a graduate of a business college in Wichita Falls. She is now employed by Ray Puckett Finance Co. in that city.

The groom is the son of Mrs. W. G. Wolfcan and the late Dr. Wolfcan of Houston. He graduated from Larmer high school and attended Texas University. He entered the army 18 months ago.

The couple reside at 1302 Travis in Wichita Falls.

### SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR JOHN YOSTEN TUESDAY

John Yosten was honored with a surprise party in observance of his birthday Tuesday evening.

Enjoying the affair were Messrs. and Mrs. Joe and Herman Swirczynski, Nick and Bob Yosten, Paul Nieball, Joe Horn and Ed Fels, and Frank Yosten. Misses Josephine and Veronica Yosten, the honoree and his family, and Mrs. Joe Yosten.

Mrs. R. W. Crawford of Pampa spent the weekend here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stelzer. She is a former Muensterite and this was her first visit back to the old home town in three years. She is spending this week in Fort Worth with her daughter, Mrs. and Frank Yosten, and will accompany her son-in-law, Bill Herr, back to Pampa when he returns home after concluding his visit here.

### MOTHER'S DAY DINNER HONORS MRS. JAKE PAGEL

A Mother's Day dinner was given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Pagel. Present for the occasion were the honoree's children, Misses Marcella and Anselma Pagel of Gainesville. First Lieut. John F. Janicki and Cpl. Glenn Scott of Camp Howze, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Pagel and baby daughter, Kathleen.

### MOTHER-DAUGHTER PROGRAM SUNDAY FOR MOTHER'S DAY

In observance of World Solidarity Day and Mother's Day, Sunday, members of the Young Ladies Sodality and the Mothers' Society of the parish attended the 7 o'clock mass, received communion in a body, and in the afternoon attended a joint meeting and program in the parish hall.

During the afternoon's program Miss Elfreda Luke gave an address "A Tribute to our Mothers", and crowning of the May Queen took place. Miss Celia Walterscheid, sodality president, crowned the statue of the Virgin while the assemblage sang appropriate songs. Rev. Father Richard, spiritual director of the sodality, and Rev. Father Thomas, spiritual director of the mothers' group, were in attendance and gave short addresses. An act of consecration to the Blessed Virgin was recited and the meeting closed with prayer.

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TO: Joyce N. Perry Defendant,  
 Greeting:

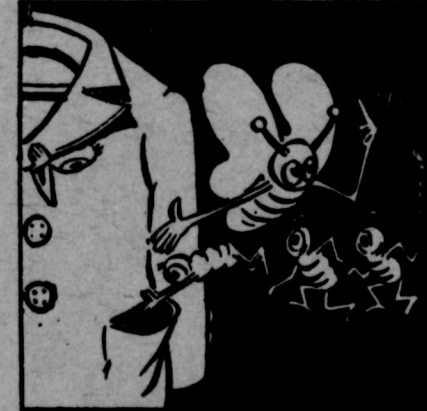
You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Cooke County at the Courthouse thereof, in Gainesville, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 14th day of June A. D. 1943, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 26th day of April A. D. 1943, in this cause, numbered 13778 on the docket of said court and styled George E. Perry Plaintiff, vs. Joyce N. Perry Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce and for general and special relief, as is

**LOOK Lady**  
 with JOSEPHINE HUDDLESTON

Actually, although appearing meek as fifth columnists, clothes moths too are vicious saboteurs, invading American homes and destroying some \$200,000,000 worth of woolens and furs every year. Such wholesale invasion assumes major importance as wool shortages loom on the consumer horizon because of government priorities.

So, homemakers are urged to become combat troopers against this form of sabotage by killing all the clothes moths they see flying around. These flying millers actually don't damage clothing but if left alive, they lay eggs inside pockets, under lapels, under turned down collars and turned up cuffs anywhere at all they can find a nice woolly bed!



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## It Happened 5 Years Ago

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 New R E A ruling demands membership fee and easement before granting allotment. Work on boiler and cooling tower under way at cheese plant. — Muester's first flower show to be held Thursday. — Mrs. Ode McFarland, 69, laid to rest at Hays. — Sacred Heart music pupils are presented in recital. — Charter received by Muester unit of Germania Insurance. — Rosa Driever joins Muester Enterprise staff as associate editor. — Anna Sandmann and George Bayer are married in Lindsay rites. — Father John, Lindsay pastor, leaves for trip to Europe on 15th. — Jewell Elzey is bride of Joe Yosten in Dallas rites. — Mr. and Mrs. Tony Noggler observe tenth wedding anniversary.

more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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

Issued and given under my hand and Seal of said Court, at office in Gainesville, Texas this the 27th day of April A. D. 1943.

Attest:  
 Martin G. Davis Clerk,  
 District Court, Cooke County,  
 Texas. 23-4-5-6

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 THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Audrey Sheley Defendant,  
 Greeting:

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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce from the bonds of matrimony, plaintiff alleging cruel and harsh treatment by the defendant, and that defendant is living in adultery with another man, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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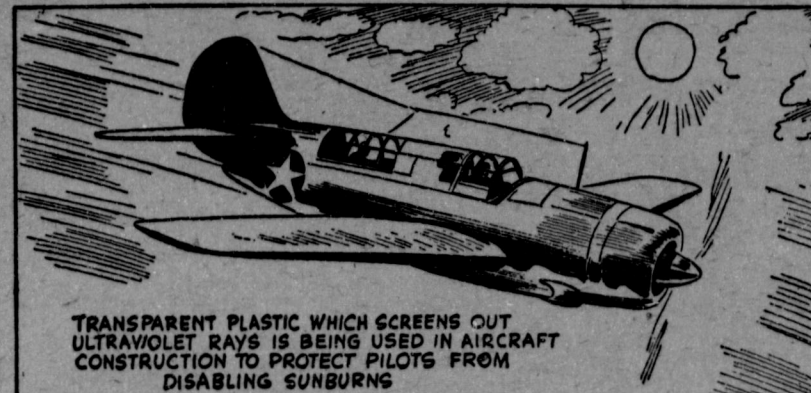
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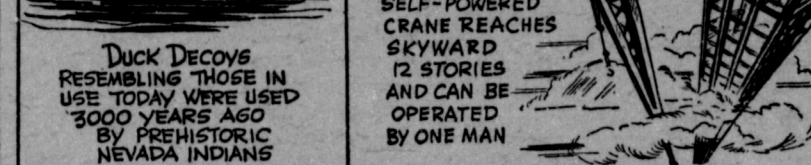
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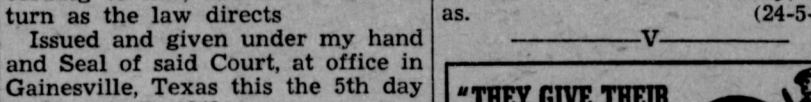
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Attest:  
 Martin G. Davis Clerk,  
 District Court, Cooke County,  
 Texas. 24-5-6-7

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 THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Evelyn Johnson Defendant,  
 Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Cooke County at the Court House thereof, in Gainesville, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 21st day of June A. D. 1943, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 3rd day of May A. D. 1943, in this cause, numbered 13786 on the docket of said court and styled L. G. Johnson Plaintiff, vs. Evelyn Johnson Defendant.

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

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## WANT ADS

FOUND: 1943 license tab. Owner may get it at the Enterprise by paying for this ad. 25-2

FOR RENT: Two bedrooms at the August Friske home, Muester. 25-2

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FOR SALE: Red River Special 22-36 threshing machine. Excellent condition. See Howard King 4 miles south of Myra. 14-2p

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**FIXING CORDS NEAR ENDS**



Loosen screws in plug and pull out wires.

Cut off frayed part of wire.



Fasten wires back into plug, and screw into place.



**HOW TO REPAIR FRAYED CORDS**

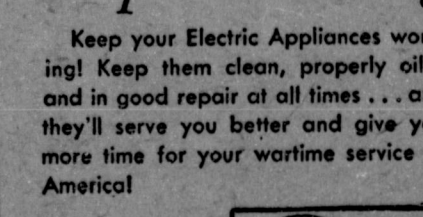


Clean away the frayed or crumbled parts.

Tape each wire separately, using electrician's tape.



Then tape wires together. (Adhesive tape cracks. Use electrician's tape.)



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Full the new ends of wire through the plug and around the terminal blades.

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**Lindsay News**

Weekend rains were very beneficial for growing crops gardens and pastures.

Lt. Sandy Sanders of Camp Howze was a dinner guest of the John Bezner family Sunday.

Since the beginning of this week Miss Isabel Schmitz is employed in a defense plant at Garland.

First Lieut. Francis A Zimmerman arrived Wednesday for a surprise visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Zimmerman. He is a chaplain at Fort Benning, Ga.

Lawrence W. Schmitz is now at Fort Hueneme, Calif., following his recent move from Davisville, R. I. He is a member of the Navy Seabees.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hale and daughter, Bobbie Ann, of Dallas are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bengfort.

Misses Agnes and Frances Spaeth of Dallas were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Spaeth.

Mrs. Ludwig Zimmerman and daughter, Elizabeth, of La Feria are visiting relatives here and in Muenster this week.

Sgt. and Mrs. Leonard Zwings of Sheppard Field were here Sunday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Zwings.

Cpl. F. Joe Spaeth of Indian-town Gap, Pa., was here Sunday to visit his parents and other relatives.

Pvt. Joe Bauer of Camp Roberts Ark. was here Sunday to visit relatives and friends. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bauer, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mosman and children of Saint Jo spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mosman, and attended the community festival.

Paul Zimmerman, baker first class of the U. S. Navy, arrived here Friday to spend a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Zimmerman and family. On the 17th he

will report for duty in New York City. Before coming here he stopped at Fort Benning, Georgia, for a visit with his brother, Chaplain Francis Zimmerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luebbert and children and her mother Mrs. Anna Havis, all of Fort Worth, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luebbert.

Joe Hundt Jr., who recently finished a special course in power turrets at Lowery Field, Colorado, and is now stationed at Kingman Airfield, Arizona, as an instructor.

Mrs. Albert Mosser is reported recovering nicely after spending several days in a Dallas hospital for treatment. She was able to return home Friday.

Pvt. and Mrs. F. J. (Cotton) Schmitz of Fort Sill, Okla., were here for a visit with relatives Sunday and also stopped at Muenster to see his sister, Mrs. Jake Horn Jr.

Rev. Conrad Herda spent Monday afternoon in Muenster visiting with Father Richard and Father Frowin, former Muenster pastor, who is in that city for a 10-day visit.

Frank Rauschuber of Lindsay and Joe Walter of Gainesville spent from Monday to Thursday of this week in Galveston at the annual Knights of Columbus convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moser, accompanied by her sister, Miss Elizabeth Koelzer of Muenster, drove to Wichita Falls Tuesday to visit at the bedside of the ladies' sister, Miss Rose Koelzer, who underwent a major operation in that city last week.

In spite of the bad and threatening weather Sunday the May festival sponsored by the CYO of this parish was an outstanding success. Hundreds of local citizens and residents of Muenster, Gainesville and other nearby cities gathered to enjoy an afternoon and evening of games, refreshments and visiting.

**FIND CARRIER PIGEON WEST OF LINDSAY**

An injured carrier pigeon was found west of Lindsay last Wednesday bearing the following inscription on its legband: WFD-1202-Aug. 40. The bird had apparently struck a power line injuring its breast.

Postmaster Ewald Hoelker took the pigeon to the fair park zoo where he expected to leave it until it was well enough to resume its journey.

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**Lindsay School's Graduation This Sunday Evening**

Rev. Thomas Buegler, Muenster Pastor, is Commencement Speaker

Lindsay — Commencement exercises for the 1943 graduating class of the Lindsay High School will be held in the community hall here Sunday evening, May 16, at 8 o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend.

Rev. Thomas Buegler, pastor of Sacred Heart Church, Muenster, will deliver the commencement address and County School Superintendent Randolph O'Brien will confer the diplomas and award scholarships.

Graduates are: Rosemary Dieter, Elfrieda Hermes, Agnes Fuhrmann, Wilbert Block and Gerald Metzler.

Agnes Fuhrmann, with an A-minus average for her four years of high school, is valedictorian and Elfrieda Hermes with a scholastic average of B is salutatorian.

Gerald Metzler, president of the senior class, will speak in behalf of his classmates on a topic of deep concern to him "School and the War".

Elsie Louise Bezner, Mary Louise Bezner, Lucille Bezner Rita Block, Michael Neu and the high school Choral Club will contribute a number of vocal and instrumental selections to the program.

Following the guest speaker's

**Our Merchant Marine**

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GREATEST FRIEND OF OUR COLONIAL SHIPPING WAS JOHN WINTHROP FIRST GOVERNOR OF MASSACHUSETTS WHOSE TINY SLOOP, "BLESSING OF THE BAY," 1630, TRADED ALONG THE NEW ENGLAND COAST AND EVEN WITH THE DUTCH ON MANHATTAN ISLAND.

FROM THOSE MODEST BEGINNINGS, COASTAL AND INTERCOASTAL TRADE GREW STEADILY BY THE THOUSANDS UNTIL TODAY, MORE THAN HALF OUR TOTAL TONNAGE WAS DEVOTED EXCLUSIVELY TO TRADE OPERATIONS.

address the diplomas will be presented to the graduates of the high school and the following students who have completed their grammar school course: Rosalie Eyer, Robert Bezner, Evelyn Block, Adeline Dieter, Beatrice Fuhrmann, Bernard Fuhrmann, Linus Fuhrmann, Mildred Fleitman, Emilia Hermes, Alfred Kuhn Norma Jean Mosser, Jerome Neu, Math Lee Neu, Marie Schmidtkofer and Leroy Schmitz.

**OUR BOYS WITH THE COLORS**

**Receives Promotion**  
Leo Haverkamp, stationed at Camp Hulen training with the coast artillery, was last week promoted to a T-Corporal. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Haverkamp and has been in the service since February 25.

**Sunday Visitor**  
Pfc. Raymond Hess of Camp Hulen had a weekend pass and was here to spend Mother's Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hess. He received his present rating last week.

**Here For Weekend**  
Pvt. Joe Henry Walterscheid of Fort Sill, Okla., spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walterscheid, and on Sunday was a dinner guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. Joe Bayer, for which other members of the family were also present.

**To Take Special Course**  
Vincent J. Luke EM 3C of the Naval Air Station, Dallas, is leaving this week to go to a school on aircraft electrical equipment in New Jersey and New York, he wrote the Enterprise Saturday when he renewed his subscription to this newspaper. He joined the Navy last August.

**Home On Furlough**  
First Sgt. Gene Lehnertz arrived Saturday afternoon to spend a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehnertz and other relatives. He will return to Camp Stewart, Ga. where he is assigned as an instructor in coast artillery.

**One Dozen Roses**  
Mrs. Joe Luke's Mother's Day gift from her son, Ensign Norman Luke, stationed in Hawaii, was one dozen red roses. They arrived Sun-

day morning.  
**At Corpus Christi**  
Vern H. Aston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Aston, enlisted in the Navy recently and was last week called for duty. He is assigned to the naval air station in Corpus Christi.

**First Promotion**  
Larry Yosten was made a first class private last week he wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Yosten. He has been in the army connected with the ground forces of the air corps, since September and is stationed at Tonopah, Nev.

**Brothers Meet In Africa**  
It was a grand reunion one day recently in North Africa when Sgt. Frank Felderhoff and his brother, Pvt. Vincent Felderhoff, met. The boys wrote their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Felderhoff of the incident last week. Frank has been stationed in that sector for several months and Vincent arrived there recently. He contacted his brother three days after he landed.

**Home For Visit**  
Paratrooper Pvt. Alphonse Felderhoff, who two weeks ago received his wings is here since Tuesday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Felderhoff and family. His father drove to Sherman to meet him and he will be here until next Tuesday when he leaves again for Fort Bragg, N. C. It is his first visit home since his induction December 4.

**Reports For Duty**  
Ray Wilde left Tuesday to report for induction in the army at Fort Sam Houston. He enlisted in the E. R. C. and was sworn in last December and was called for duty this week. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilde, accompanied him as far as Dallas.

**THIRTY-SEVEN IN SOLEMN RECEPTION OF EUCHARIST MUNDAY**

A class of thirty-seven boys and girls solemnized the reception of their first communion Sunday morning during the 9 o'clock mass at Sacred Heart church. Rev. Father Thomas officiated at the rites and also directed a part of his sermon to the communicants.

In the afternoon during the 3 o'clock services the children were enrolled in the brown scapular and recited their baptismal vows. The class this year was composed of: James Bayer, Jerome Fette, Arthur Hennigan, Joe Hennigan, John Louis Hess, Raymond Hess, Gerald Knabe, Henry Pels, Robert Dean Reiter, Edward Starke, Julian Walterscheid, Wilbert

Vogel, John Hacker, Thomas Jetzelsberger.

Ethel Mae Bayer, Betty Lue Buckley, Anna Mae Dankersreiter, Agnes Felderhoff, Ruth Lee Fisher, Betty Jean Fleitman, Rosalie Grewing, Kathryn Hartman, Doris Lee Hellman, Anna Dell Herr, Eleanor Hoenig, Mary Evelyn Hofbauer, Celine Koelzer, Barbara Jean Miller, Margie Seyler, Dorothy Sicking, Frances Streng, Ethel Mae Trubenbach, Virginia Walterscheid, Pauline Yosten, Tresa Ann Hess, Lorene Derichsweller and Bernice Nehib.

**Impressive Ceremony Marks Observance Of "May Day" Here Sunday**

Beautiful and impressive ceremonies were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Sacred Heart church in connection with the crowning of the May Queen.

The procession was made up of the solemn communicants and the tiny tots who made their first communion in December. The girls were attired in white dresses with wreaths and veils.

To little Pauline Ann Myrick, a member of the first communion class, went the honor of crowning the statue of the Virgin which was placed on an improvised shrine in the sanctuary. She was attired in a floor length dress of white taffeta with a full-length veil and wreath of pink rose buds, and carried the crown of pink roses on a white satin pillow. Her maids of honor were Betty Jo Owens and Norma Vogel.

The procession filed into church as the children's choir sang "Tis the Month of our Mother" and when their voices rang out in "Mary we crown thee with blossoms today" little Miss Myrick placed the wreath upon the May Queen.

The May Day ceremony proceeded May devotions and Sacramental Benediction at which Fr. Thomas officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eschberger and their daughter, Mrs. Mack Norris, all of Robstown, spent Thursday and Friday of last week here with Mrs. Eschberger's sister Mrs. August Friske and family. On Friday they also visited Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Friske at Gainesville.

**Confetti---**

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considerably more than a thousand. We feed, clothe, quarter and pay them, give passes and furloughs and provide transportation at the end of the course. We give them too, when they get out of line. In short, we do everything but the actual teaching.

By a strange coincidence the coolest weather Fort Sill has felt in more than a month strikes on the very day that we came out in summer uniforms. That's today, Sunday. We could be quite comfy with long handles under them, but most of the guys are wearing just field jackets. And rain coats. Prayers for rain in this corner of Oklahoma are being answered today. I've been hoping that Cooke County, Texas is similarly favored.

Mrs. Frances Binz of Gainesville was here Tuesday to attend class night exercises. Her granddaughter, Evelyn Wiesman, is a member of the graduating class.

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**May 19th**

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