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In case you did not know, that memorial picture of John Meurer in the bank is a masterpiece of photographic art.

The original of this picture shows him with his grandchildren. As you would expect of a man who has had youngsters climbing over him, some minor details were not quite right. Coat and shirt were wrinkled, the tie was crooked, a few hairs were pointing the wrong way, and one youngster's head was leaning against his shoulder. After making an enlargement the artist got out his tints and gave a first class valet service—ironed the shirt, pressed the coat, straightened the tie and combed the hair. Cutting off the child's picture, he left the coat very incomplete, then patched it without a flaw.

There are other pictures of Mr. Meurer, but none compare with that group picture. It shows him relaxed and natural, completely free of camera consciousness. Obviously his concern was to get a good picture of the children.

That is about the surest way for a person to get a good picture of himself. Con happens to remember the best picture he ever took. All his attention was centered on making a child smile. Yes, sir, if you want a good snapshot of yourself have it taken with a baby, and center your attention on the baby. You'll look pleasant when the baby smiles.

What's this we hear about a petition to the Secretary of the Treasury asking him to discontinue using the fasces—a bundle of rods enclosing an axe—on our dime because it happens to be the emblem of the Fascist party? The suggestion is about as ridiculous as the hundreds of others that were meant to show resentment to Germany, Italy and Japan. We had customs and designs and decorations long before those countries made a choice. Why discard them and give a complete monopoly for their use to a bunch of crack pots we don't like?

We recommend Charlie Chaplin's re-act as the best for that situation. When Hitler demanded that Chaplin cut off his misplaced-cyebrow type of mustache, Chaplin said "Cut off your own, mine was famous before yours was."

One of our contemporaries has come upon the old statement that every part of the human body replaces itself within a seven year period. Science admits it is a fact. Every bit of flesh and bone, every brain cell and every gland in the human body is different from what it was seven years ago. And so, the fellow reasons, the hand of your wife on your tenth anniversary is not the same as that on which you placed the wedding ring. Or you might repudiate your seven year old contract on the grounds that another assortment of flesh and brains affixed the signature. Sounds whacky, doesn't it?

Of course the fellow was only having his fun, but there have been half-baked philosophers who advanced such theories in all seriousness. Naturally they did not get far because of the very obvious fact that John Doe is essentially the same as the John Doe of seven, twenty, or even fifty years ago.

A little bit of knowledge can make a person mighty ridiculous. He can't invade the field of psychology with only a smattering of biology.

You and I may not be able to prove scientifically that we are the same persons who did this or that ten years ago, but we have our opinions of the fellows who try to tell us we are not those same persons.

If you want another whacky idea, one that gets a little closer to our every-day problems, try to figure out the justice or common sense in old-age pensions. For centuries it has been considered wise to provide for the future. We even have an instinct that prompts us to do it just as squirrels and ants instinctively store food for the winter. But politicians have no regard for such fundamental ideas. They can get more votes by appealing to men's weakness. They have a lot of humanitarian trimmings to the theory, but stripped of all embellishment it means "eat, drink and be merry and don't worry about the future, for tomorrow the saps who were thrifty and thoughtful will have to take care of you."

How can this country expect to retain its traditional standard of ambitious, self-reliant men when it encourages people to rely on the public purse for support in their old age?

Earnest Hayley of the Saint Jo Tribune analyzes the word "restaurant" and emerges with two reasons for taking your wife to a restaurant once in a while. "Rest" is what she is entitled to, and "rant" is what she will do if she doesn't get an occasional rest. So it's "rest-or-rant."

No matter how bright your prospects are, don't take too much for granted. Remember: No matter how many times a Jersey cow has been registered, you still have to pull for every drop of milk you get from her.

90 ITALIAN ALIENS SEIZED BY U. S.



NEW YORK CITY—Some of the ninety Italian aliens formerly employed at the Italian pavilion of the World's Fair as they awaited to be booked after being taken into custody by immigration authorities who charged them with overstaying their leaves in this country and, in some cases, of entering the country illegally. The Italians were taken to Ellis Island, there to await deportation.

Garden Club Holds Flower Show Today

Muenster's annual Spring Flower Show will be held today, (Friday) and members of the Civic League and Garden Club, sponsors of the affair, made final arrangements and outlined and discussed final plans for the event in their regular monthly meeting last Friday. The show will take place in the parish hall basement, beginning at 3 o'clock and will continue during the evening hours.

A program for the evening at 8:15 has been arranged for the enjoyment of the guests who come to the show. It will include band music, vocal selections and the showing of a film on flower arranging. This feature will take place in the auditorium, and a single admission will admit a person to all events.

Mrs. Rudy Hellman is general chairman of the show and all other members are taking part by being in charge of or by assisting in the various divisions and departments. It was stressed that all entries be made early as none will be accepted after 9 o'clock a. m. on the day of the show.

Out-of-town judges will decide upon the merits of the entries and will award first, second and third place ribbons.

During the meeting Mrs. T. S. Myrick, president, was in charge. Roll Call was answered by giving a report on the club iris planted last Fall, and committee reports were heard.

Mrs. Nick Miller stated that shrubbery at the cemetery had been sheared and a few stones, blown over by the cyclone last week, had been reset. She also announced that the annual drive for funds to maintain cemetery beautification will begin next month.

Mrs. Joe Luke advised that members of the highway planting committee had set out a number of crepe myrtles, maples and altheas at the overpass and at the city markers. Mrs. Tony Gremminger read the treasurer's report.

Speakers on the garden club program during the afternoon were Mrs. Tony Gremminger and Mrs. E. O. Teague. The former gave a reading on "Annals and Perennials for the Amateur Gardener." She discussed ways of planting, grouping and color combining, with hints on cultivation. Mrs. Teague read a paper on "Varieties and Culture of Phlox."

Before adjourning each member was presented with a book entitled, "Flower Arranging. A Fascinating Hobby," given through the courtesy of Roy Stamps and Coca Cola Bottling company of Gainesville.

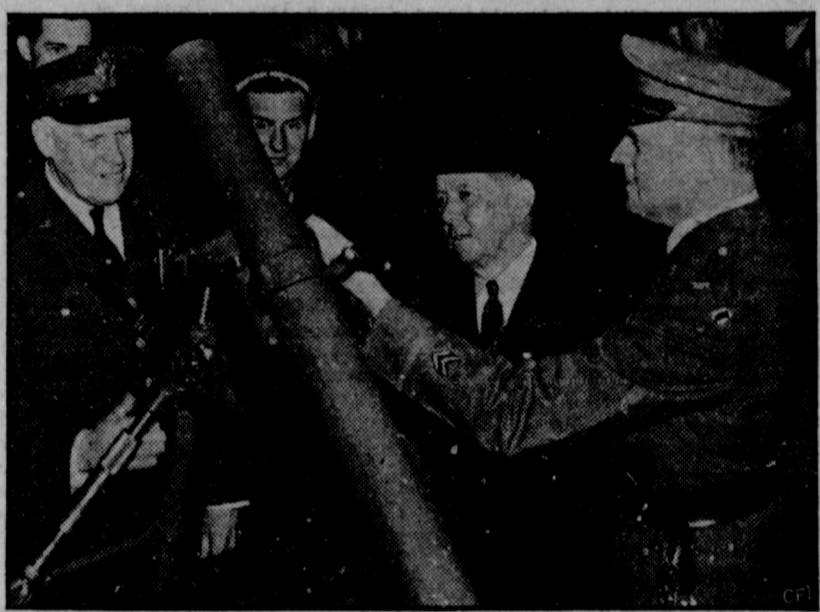
The meeting was marked with unusual enthusiasm and the attendance of 23 members. One new member, Mrs. J. E. Menzle, was enrolled and two visitors, Mrs. R. L. McNelly and Miss Leona Haverkamp, were present.

Felderhoff and Schilling Rebuild Storm-hit Barns

An "after-the-storm" building program is in progress at the Frank Schilling and Tony Felderhoff places. Schilling is building a new barn on a new location, using principally the lumber from the old barn. Almost all of it was in usable condition.

Felderhoff is repairing some dozen or more objects damaged by the cyclone and preparing for a new barn on the site of the other which was completely demolished.

ARMY GETS 81 MM. MORTAR



HAMMOND, Ind.—Brig. Gen. A. G. Gillespie, commanding general of the Watervliet, N. Y. arsenal; C. A. Liddle, president of the Pullman-Standard Car Manufacturing company, and Col. Donald Armstrong, executive officer of the Chicago ordinance district, left to right around gun, inspect one of the first 81 mm., trench mortars completed in the United States for the national defense program. The 81 mm. mortar, manufactured by the plant of Pullman-Standard here was presented to Col. Armstrong for the army in a ceremony at the Hammond shops.

MRS. JOHN EBERHART ELECTED PRESIDENT BY MISSION GROUP

Catholic Daughters of America, meeting Friday evening, named Mrs. John Mosman grand regent of the court during the annual election of officers.

Other officers elected to serve on the executive committee are Mrs. Jake Pagel, vice president; Miss Ida Fisher, lecturer; Mrs. Joe Luke, monitor; Mrs. Ben Hellman, historian; Mrs. Paul Fisher, prophetess; Mrs. Leo Appel, trustee.

Returned to office for another year by re-election are Mrs. J. W. Fisher, financial secretary; Mrs. Carra Pagel, sentinel; Miss Anna Hellman, treasurer and Miss Elfreda Luke, organist.

Following the election, members planned a social affair in the form of a card party and buffet supper to be given for their husbands and guests next Sunday afternoon and evening in the parish hall. It will begin after the 3 o'clock church services are concluded.

Gossett To Go On Air With Weekly Review of Events in Washington

Through the courtesy of the Wichita Broadcasting Co., Congressman Ed Gossett will be heard each week over station KWFT from Wichita Falls. This program is called "This Week in Washington," and will be on the air at 5:00 p. m. each Sunday.

In addition to this broadcast, on Sunday, May 18, at 7:00 p. m. Eastern Standard Time (6:00 p. m. in Texas), Mr. Gossett will be one of the guests on the American Forum of the Air Program out of Washington. The Forum's debate subject at this time will be "Should America have a separate Department of Aviation."

Discussion of the Summer School of Catholic Action to be held in St. Louis, furnished the principal business at a meeting of the Young Ladies' Sodality Monday evening. A number of local socialists plan to attend.

FIRST CAR WRECKED BY GAS LINE, NEXT BURNED IN RESCUE

Gary Hess lost his Model "A" Ford car Monday morning in a gas fire ignited by the motor of the car itself. The gas was escaping from a line break which Gary had caused some minutes before when he collided with the pipe while driving another car.

Going through his pasture, Hess had forgotten a rise in the line and hit it squarely with his front axle. Result, a bad break in the line and his car so badly damaged it could not move on under its own power. He hurried home for the old car with which he pushed the other forward, but as the old machine was passing over the escaping gas, something, muffled or the ignition system, gave off the fatal spark. The torch-like flame below ignited the car instantly. Fortunately the other had already reached a safe distance forward.

Damages caused by the impact will require a sizeable repair bill for the better car.

Musical Sunday, May 25 To Present Music Class

The annual musicale of the Sacred Heart School of Music will be held Sunday evening, May 25, Sister Leonarda, instructor, has announced.

The program will consist of piano, violin, accordion, trombone, clarinet and trumpet selections and will include action songs, orchestra music and presentations by the accordion band.

3 Men Elected Saturday to Soil Conservation Board

The executive committee of the Upper Elm-Red Soil Conservation district is complete since last Saturday when landowners of the district elected Henry D. Martin, V. W. Redman and John B. Rice to the board. The other two members of the committee, Oscar Aldridge and G. E. Blackmon, had previously been appointed by the state soil conservation board.

WPA Appropriation To Complete Sewer Received By City

Bonds Offer Simple And Wise Method of Donating To Church

Persons who wish to make donations to the new Muenster church fund in the form of defense bonds will find the method very simple.

J. M. Weinzapfel, president of the Muenster State Bank and secretary of the church building committee states that larger denomination bonds (F series) may be made payable directly to the treasurer of the fund but smaller denominations (E series) must be made payable to individuals who would later redeem the bonds for the fund.

He suggests that Series E bonds be made payable to Rev. Frownin or the name of the person purchasing the bond and given to the fund. At redemption time the building committee could secure the endorsement of either person for payment.

While building plans remain indefinite the bonds constitute the best method of donating, Weinzapfel said. In that way otherwise idle money not only helps the government but also draws interest for the church fund. Besides, the bonds are practically the same as cash. E series can be redeemed any time after 60 days; F series can be redeemed on one month's notice after six months.

TRUCK TAX REFUND IS TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE — FEW RESPOND

When a tax assessor-collector offers to pay out money instead of taking it in, it's something. And when a normal citizen fails to call for money that is due him, that's something else. But such is the predicament in the Cooke county tax office. It is trying to pay out, and no one comes-around to collect—possibly because they think the report is too good to be true.

Nevertheless, the greater part of \$2,000 in truck license refunds remains to be given to approximately 100 persons, according to a statement Monday by Tax Assessor-Collector Tom Hayes.

A new ruling reduced the license rate on commercial and farm trucks with a gross weight of more than 6,000 pounds. Every owner of a truck within that weight classification who bought his plates before the new rate went into effect may obtain a refund at the tax office. The group includes several Muenster men.

THIS YEAR'S RECORD OF LOCAL BUSINESS IS HATCHERY'S BEST

Ending another very successful season, the Muenster Hatchery closed Wednesday, three days before its scheduled closing date. With the last chick sold, Manager Felix Becker saw no reason for staying open longer.

This has been the best year for local business in the hatchery's career, Becker said, but not the greatest in total volume. Outside dealer connections had been better in the past.

Other conditions contributed to a generally favorable year. Weather was not severe and the demand for chicks was consistently good—two factors which helped efficient operation.

This has been a good season for most hatcheries of North Texas. Becker states that reports from other managers have all been favorable.

Engineers of Dallas Water Department Test City Mains for Leaks

A vast reduction in the percentage of water loss through city mains is expected as a result of the complete and thorough test conducted Tuesday and Wednesday by engineers of the Dallas Water Department.

The two men use a sensitive sound recording instrument carried on a truck. Sounds are carried to the instrument via a wire and a rod driven down until it touches the water main. If a leak is near it will be detected by a hissing sound in a set of earphones and by a needle deflection on a dial.

All the principal lines are receiving the test every 60 feet. Wherever a leak is detected the spot is marked for digging.

Roman Trachta is now a First Class Private at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, relatives here have been advised.

Sum Believed Sufficient To Finish Work Without Further Expense to City

Two telegrams from Washington last Saturday assured Muenster that its WPA sewer job will be completed in spite of several months delay which gave rise to considerable doubt. Senator Tom Connally notified Mayor Ben Seyler and Representative Ed Gossett sent a similar message to Herbert Meurer.

No confirmation from WPA headquarters had been received by Mayor Seyler up to noon Wednesday. Hence he was not in a position to know when work would be resumed nor the number of workmen assigned to the job.

The amount of the WPA appropriation is \$11,303, Seyler said. He believes it will be sufficient to complete the project without incurring any additional expense to the city.

In the original project the city had many extra expenses as a result of WPA's failure to furnish a full crew. Realizing the difficulties, WPA officials suggested that a compensating amount be figured in the application for a new grant.

The work to be done on the new appropriation consists of slightly more than a mile of sewer line serving about ten per cent of the city's possible connections.

LEONARD YOSTEN IS ONE OF 5 SELECTEES TO REPORT MAY 22

Leonard Yosten will be one of the five Cooke county selectees inducted into military service next Thursday, May 22, according to information given by Ancel Ross, clerk of the county board.

Leonard, one of the first on the list had previously been placed on the deferred list because of a slight foot handicap retained from an accident two years ago. His change of classification was made recently after a state official judged his injury was not serious enough to keep him out of service. He is now employed with Trumter Oil Company.

The board's only additional order for inductees during this month calls for two negroes on the 29th.

Activity has been on a boom at the selective service headquarters since last week when orders were received to have all remaining questionnaires filled as soon as possible. The number reached prior to the order was 1100. On Monday the board had submitted questionnaires up to 1400.

Physical examinations will be slower, however. The board's present plan is to give the exams only fast enough to keep ahead of the calls. "Things can happen in several months time," Ross explained. "An early physical report may not be true at induction time, hence we will have to examine many men a second time."

MRS. JOHN MOSMAN IS GRAND REGENT OF CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

Mrs. John Eberhart was re-elected president of the Saint Anne's Mission Sewing Circle when the annual officer election took place last Thursday during a monthly meeting. Mrs. Eberhart was also chosen as head of the quilting department, a position she has held for several years. Others elected to assist on the executive committee are Miss Anna Hellman, vice-president and Mrs. John Fette, secretary.

During the part of the afternoon devoted to sewing one quilt was completed, numerous new garments were made, old clothing was remodeled, hospital bandages were rolled and altar linen work done.

Several large boxes of finished articles were packed for shipment this week to the Central Bureau in St. Louis for distribution.

At the close of activity refreshments were served to twenty-five members, including one new member, Mrs. Ben Hellman, who joined the circle at this meeting.

"Gilded Lily" Nets \$264 For County Charities

The Gilded Lily, replica of the old time saloon as a featured attraction at this year's Circus Roundup, netted Cooke county charities \$264, according to a report at a recent meeting of the Gainesville Young Men's Civic League.

Well pleased with the Lily's success—as an entertainment feature and also as a money maker—members of the League voted in favor of presenting it again next year. Suggestions for improvements are already under consideration.

LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Short Items of Interest About Folks You Know
ROSABELL DRIEVER, Society Editor

Alphonse Feltman's home is being repainted this week.

Concrete walks were laid at the F. A. Kathman home Tuesday.

Jake Pagel is the owner of a new Ford coupe purchased last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hoedebeck and children of Shawnee, Okla., were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Anthony Luke and Lee Jennings made a business trip to Collinsville Tuesday.

Two new Chevrolets in the community this week are Al Wiesman's sedan and King Reed's coupe.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Endres and children of Denton spent Mother's Day here with relatives.

Ed Swirczynski of Wichita Falls came to Muenster Tuesday for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schoech of Dallas spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cooke had as guests during the weekend Miss Edith Mae Rhodes of Tyler and Mrs. G. G. Jones of Ben Wheeler.

Mrs. Joe Luke entertained with a dinner at her home Sunday at noon honoring her mother, Mrs. August Friske, on Mother's Day.

Mrs. Al Flusche and children of Decatur are here to spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Fuhrmann and other relatives.

Mrs. R. M. Zipperer is reported recovering normally from a major operation at St. Vincent's hospital, Sherman, Monday.

Miss Clara Richter has returned to Dallas after a two weeks' visit with her parents to regain her strength after an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Billingsley and children of Ardmore were here to spend Mother's Day with her mother, Mrs. William Wleler and family.

Mrs. Orval Malone and little son of Wichita Falls are here for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Katy Roberg, and family.

Mrs. Jim Cook and her guest, Mrs. G. G. Jones of Ben Wheeler, visited relatives and friends in Bowie Tuesday.

Display windows at the FMA store are now dressed up with neon lighting. Installation was made on Thursday of last week.

A Mother's Day dinner was given Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Eberhart for which their children and grandchildren were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Meurer, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fisher, and Henry Hennigan spent the early part of this week attending a K of C convention at Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Vogel are the parents of a daughter, Helen Marie, born at the family home on May 7. The baby weighed 4 pounds, one

ounce. Mother and infant are doing fine.

Mrs. T. S. Myrick and children were in Weatherford Saturday and Sunday as the guests of relatives. They were accompanied by Miss Charlene Bradshaw of Denton on the trip.

Carl Bentley has been named manager of an oil field supply store in Duncan, Okla., and began work during the past week. His wife and daughter will join him there this week to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Boyles and children spent the weekend in Denton with relatives and were accompanied home by his sister, Miss Pauline Boyles who is their guest this week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Schoech, Miss Harriette Schoech, Mr. and Mrs. Al Wiesman, accompanied by Mrs. Alvin Cler of Valley View, spent Tuesday in Dallas visiting with Miss Pauline Schoech.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Walterscheid had as guests for a turkey dinner Sunday, Miss Theresa Loerwald and Theo Schmitz of Lindsay and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walterscheid and family.

Ven. Sister Floriberta of Quincy, Ill., will arrive Monday for a visit with her brothers, Henry and Joseph Feltman and their families. She is observing her fiftieth year as a member of the order of the Poor Handmaids at Quincy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Fisch and daughter, Rose Mary, of Okmulgee, Okla., returned to their home Sunday evening after a five-day visit with his father, who is ill, and other relatives of the Fisch and Trachta families.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Herr and Mrs. Henry Schnitker were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schnitker and family of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Herr of Gladewater, and Mr. and Mrs. John Corcoran and children of Gainesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Danglmayr and son, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bayer and children and Mrs. Gertrude Bayer and children were guests Sunday at a Mother's Day dinner given in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walterscheid.

A joint meeting of all Catholic Discussion Clubs of the parish will be held next Tuesday evening in the parish hall, Father Richard has announced. All members, including those of the adult clubs, are urged to attend.

Dick Cain has completed arrangements this week to join a fleet of trucks operating between Dallas and northern cities. It is an organization in which drivers run their own machines. Dick will begin with a new Chevrolet purchased here Monday.

Ensign Robert Weinzapfel left Monday on a leisurely drive to San Diego after spending 10 days of his furlough with his family here. At San Antonio he visited with his brother, Tommy, and former schoolmates at Saint Mary's University. El Paso is another stop after which

he is scheduled to report to the San Diego Naval base on May 19. Robert recently completed his training at Miami, Fla. For at least six weeks he will be stationed on the aircraft carrier U. S. S. Lexington as a member of the dive-bomber crew.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Henschold and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Boyles exchanged homes during the weekend. The former moved into the John Bayer house south of the church and the Boyles, who had been occupying it, moved into the house east of Ben Hellman's.

Fan mail from some twenty pupils of the J. M. Lindsay school of Gainesville came to the cheese plant Wednesday. The youngsters sent letters thanking Rudy Hellman for their trip through the plant and the refreshment course of cheese and crackers.

Fred Hoedebeck, Norbert and Philomina Hoedebeck and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Spurgeon, all of Denton, spent Sunday here with relatives and were accompanied home by Mrs. Hoedebeck, who had been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Clem Reiter, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Trachta and son, Richard, spent Sunday at Fort Hill, Okla., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Christoph Fette. Chris is now training for a pilot. He has been doing aerial photography. The Muensterites enjoyed an inspection tour through the camp and surrounding territory.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Pagel announce the birth of a 7-pound daughter, Kathleen, at the local clinic Tuesday evening. The little lady was baptized Wednesday afternoon by Father Frwin assisted by her grandparents, Mrs. Katy Roberg and Jake Pagel as sponsors. She is the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Pagel and the first great-grandchild of Jacob Pagel.

MISS LORENA FISHER IS OUTSTANDING OLV PUPIL

Miss Lorena Fisher, daughter of Joe Fisher of Muenster, is one of the outstanding pupils of Victory College at Fort Worth. She is president of the college Sodality of Our Lady, is an honor student and vice president of the Women's Athletic Association. She received a lettered sweater as award for athletic work and will have a special picture in the college year book. She will receive her teacher's certificate at the close of the term.

ALTAR BOYS SOCIETY HAS ALL-DAY OUTING

Members of the local Altar Boys Society participated in an all-day outing Thursday at Leonard Park in Gainesville. The affair was a courtesy extended by Father Richard, their director.

During the day fishing, out-door games, a wiener roast and other refreshments were enjoyed along with an inspection tour of the Crystal Bottling company.

Thirty-two boys enjoyed the affair accompanied by Father Richard.

JOHN WALTER HOME IS DINNER PARTY SCENE

Miss Eugenia Walter entertained Saturday evening with a 6 o'clock dinner party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Walter to honor her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Fisch of Okmulgee, Okla., also to compliment her mother in observance of Mother's Day and to honor her father on his birthday. He was 65 years old Sunday.

Other guests present were Miss Rose Mary Fisch and J. C. Trachta.

DEMONSTRATION, LECTURE GIVEN AT MATERNAL CLASS

A demonstration on "Bathing and Dressing the Baby" was given by Miss Amilee Adams, county health nurse, at the weekly meeting of the Maternal Care Class Tuesday afternoon. The women were guests of Mrs. Virgil Lee Welch for the afternoon.

Miss Adams also lectured on nu-

tritional requirements for mother and baby and distributed booklets on the subject along with books containing information for expectant mothers.

Accompanying Miss Adams to Muenster was Miss Sue Nickerson, state advisory nurse of Austin, who is making an official visit with the nurses at the County Health Unit.

TWO FAREWELL EVENTS HONOR EARL LEHNERTZ

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehnertz was the scene of a huge open house party Monday night as a farewell to their son, Earl, on ending his two weeks furlough from the army at Selfridge Field, Michigan. The number of guests at a buffet supper served at 10:30 is estimated at about 175.

Saturday night Earl was honor guest at an outing given by his associates of the Muenster Motorcycle Club.

Earl left early Thursday for his return to camp. His first stop is Carml, Ill., where he will visit briefly with his brother Eugene—and return the motorcycle he used for the trip.

"MAY QUEEN" CORONATION CEREMONIES HELD HERE

Impressive ceremonies were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock when members of the Young Ladies' Sodality participated in a procession and May Queen crowning in connection with the international celebration of Sodality Sunday.

For the procession the girls wore white frocks and carried bouquets of flowers which, at the end of the procession, were placed along the communion rail. Miss Mary Wiedeman, president of the sodality, crowned the statue of the Virgin and led the act of consecration.

Father Richard, spiritual director of the sodality, officiated at the services.

On Saturday evenings at 7:30 a similar ceremony took place in which 128 school children participated. Miss Helen Ruth Otto crowned the statue of Mary. This rite was held in celebration of "Mary's Day." During May devotions following the procession Father Richard officiated and delivered a sermon on the origin and meaning of the day.

MRS. WILDE IS HOSTESS TO GET-TOGETHER CLUB

Members of the Get-Together Club enjoyed their monthly social on the first Wednesday of the month with Mrs. J. B. Wilde as hostess in her home. The party room was decorated with arrangements of roses, and progressive 42 series furnished diversion during the afternoon.

At the conclusion of the games, Mrs. Joe Luke was presented with a pair of pretty hand embroidered pillow cases as high score award and Mrs. C. M. Walterscheid was consoled with a pair of crocheted pot holders. Mrs. W. P. Bratcher received the guest prize, a crocheted basket filled with flowers.

Mrs. Jake Pagel, president, was in charge of the brief business session during which members decided to have their annual outing on the following Wednesday. Mrs. Clarence Wilson was named hostess for the meeting next month and Mrs. John Kathman received a birthday gift from her sunshine pal.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess in the late afternoon to the members and five guests, Mesdames John Eberhart, Joe Swingler, Carra Pagel, W. P. Bratcher and Miss Evelyn Swingler.

DISCUSSION AT 4-H MEET BASED ON GOOD GROOMING

Muenster 4-H Club girls held a regular meeting Monday morning in school auditorium with sponsors, Mrs. T. S. Myrick and Mrs. Rosa Driever, present. "Good Grooming" was the subject under discussion.

Anna Grace Wimmer read a paper on "Bathing and Care of the Teeth." Therese Walter discussed care of the skin and Georgia Ann Kathman gave a reading on care of the nails.

Martha Hennigan told members about a training school meeting she

attended with Mrs. Myrick in Gainesville recently when Miss Nette Shultz, county agent, demonstrated the preparation and serving of a simple dinner and correct table service. Twenty-five girls and sponsors from the county were present.

The annual club picnic was discussed and tentatively planned for August, and several dresses and sewing boxes were inspected. All girls were urged to have their sewing boxes properly fitted by the next meeting on May 26th and bring them to the session.

A quiz contest, "Are You Growing Gracefully?" concluded the morning's business.

The meeting opened with "God Bless America" and closed with "America" by the group. Mildred Wiesman, president, was in charge. Piano accompaniment for the songs was played by Helen Ruth Otto and Martha Hennigan, respectively. Thirty-five members attended.

34 Children in Solemn Reception of Eucharist On Ascension Thursday

On Ascension Thursday, May 22, Solemn Communion services for a group of 34 children will take place during the 8 o'clock high mass at Sacred Heart church. The class has

been receiving special instruction from the pastor during the past weeks in preparation for the occasion. In addition a three-day retreat will precede the reception of the sacrament.

Other masses on Thursday will be at 6 and 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Walterscheid and son, Sylvan, were visitors at the McElreath home east of Marysville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Lutkenhaus, accompanied by Miss Clara Richter of Muenster, were in Wichita Falls Friday where they visited with relatives.

Joe Schmitz
 Agent for
 "State Reserve Life Insurance Co."
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DENTIST
 DR. C. L. STOCKS
 Teague Building
 Gainesville

VOTE TO PROMOTE MARTIN DIES TO THE U. S. SENATE

This Is His Program—

- (1) Establish joint Senate and House committees to continue investigation of un-American activities, with greater powers.
- (2) Build a national defense second to none and superior to all.
- (3) Expel thousands of fifth columnists from every national defense industry and from government service.
- (4) Deport every communist, Nazi or Fascist alien to the land of his affection.
- (5) Revoke the citizenship of every disloyal naturalized citizen, so that he must be deported.
- (6) Stop Communist instigated and engineered strikes in defense industries by compelling the C. I. O. to get rid of its Communist leaders through a law which will deny recognition for collective bargaining purposes to every union which has Communists, Fascists or Nazis in positions of leadership.
- (7) Outlaw the dictator controlled political organizations in America. These organizations have a total membership of 7,000,000.
- (8) Tighten our immigration and deportation laws to exclude and deport all disloyal and other undesirable aliens.
- (9) Give the farmers a living wage through parity prices.
- (10) Secure the aged and unemployed against want by adequate pensions and unemployment insurance.
- (11) Give labor a fair share of the profits of industry, and protect the rights of labor to collective bargaining.

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GERALD C. MANN

RECEIVED B.A. degree from S.M.U. in 1928. President of student body, attending athletic and athletic honors rarely achieved. Entered Harvard University for law degree. Married Miss Anna Mary Mann in 1929. Two children.

NAMED Sec'y. Texas Planning Board; resigned Sec'y. of State office to represent Texas as co-ordinator in Washington. Received millions of dollars for state projects. Member State Democratic Executive Committee. In 1938 announced for attorney general. Led field of 5 candidates. Nominated in 1940. Offered appointment as chief justice of supreme court by governor, but declined this high honor.

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NOTES FROM the COUNTY AGENT

By ALBERT BRIENT
County Agent

FIELD DAY AT DENTON EXPERIMENT STATION, FRIDAY, MAY 16, 1941.

Public demand for the latest results of experiments being conducted with farm crops at Substation No. 6, four miles west of Denton, Texas, makes Annual Field Day necessary. Farmers, by the thousands, who have attended previous field days found they got the information they wanted by seeing the growing crops and by hearing the results discussed by competent guides and research workers. Some of the experiments underway at this time include:

1. Corn: Native varieties, Texas Cornbelt Hybrids
2. Rotations—Fertilizers, Crop sequence, Legumes
3. Cotton: Varieties, Diseases
4. Plant diseases and control: Rusts, Smuts, Root rot
5. Newest plant breeding developments with—Wheat, Oats, Barley
6. Sorghums: Varieties for grain and forage; Effect upon following crops
7. Legumes for soil building, pasture, hay: Clovers, Lespedeza, Alfalfa, etc. Soy beans (300 varieties), Cowpeas
8. Pastures: Grass varieties, Seeding—sodding, Contouring—management
9. Foundation seeds: Higher yields and quality, Seed certification, Sources

Since three to four hours will be required to make the tour, visitors should try to arrive at the station by 9 a. m. From 2 to 4 p. m. the most important results of the work of this Station during the past 28 years will be discussed before a meeting of all visitors. Visitors should bring their own lunches. The Denton Chamber of Commerce will furnish hot coffee and dessert. Cold drinks and sandwiches can be purchased on the grounds.

Data gathered by E. R. Eudaly and G. G. Gibson, Extension Dairy-men for A. and M. College, shows that the number of milk cows in Texas increased about 100,000 in 1940.

The specialist attributes this to better prices for butterfat, dairy cows and dairy heifers. Since 1937, about one half of the cows kept for milk have been bred to beef bulls as a means of offsetting the price spread between beef and dairy products. However, he deducts from the number of dairy bulls bought in 1940 that cross breeding will be substantially reduced in 1941.

According to records, the average production for each cow in Texas in 1935 was 136 pounds, but in 1939 the average had increased to 144 pounds. Eudaly says that the best information available places the

1940 average to 146 pounds, and expresses the opinion that the increase was due to better breeding and management. In 1935 about 100,000 Texas farms had no milk cows, but in 1939, the situation had improved about 25 per cent.

The phenomenal expansion of trench silos in the past five years has largely solved the dairymen's problem of a sustained supply of good cheap feed. At the end of 1936 there were 5,841 feed containers of this type in the state, but in the succeeding four years the expansion was so rapid that at the end of 1940 they numbered 37,811. In addition there were 2,190 silos of other types, such as upright, pit, stack and pick-et fence.

About 2,500 of the trench silos are filled with threshed grain sorghums, grain sorghum heads, threshed barley and ear corn. The average capacity of the silos is 115 tons and the average cost of the silage, including cost of growing and storage, was \$2.15 a ton. The amount of feed in silos at the end of 1940 was 4,640,000 tons, which at current prices was worth \$29,200,000. This aggregate storehouse contained enough to maintain the 1,400,000 dairy cows in Texas 153 days.

Last year, 2,338 4-H Club boys enrolled in dairy calf club work owned 2,293 animals. Records kept by 423 club boys on their heifers showed that the average production of the animals was 4,465 pounds of milk and 245 pounds of butterfat.

Texas retail merchants get \$324,000,000 a year of the money put into circulation by the Texas petroleum industry.

TEXAS OIL INDUSTRY TAXED 10 MILLION BY OMNIBUS BILL

AUSTIN.—The Texas petroleum industry will pay new taxes almost equivalent to the additional funds for old age assistance raised by the omnibus tax bill, figures obtained from the State Comptroller's office show.

New taxes imposed on the Texas petroleum industry by the bill total \$10,990,617, it was estimated. The Texas old age pension fund will get an additional \$11,253,121 from new taxes levied by the omnibus bill. Of course, not all the new petroleum taxes go for old age assistance, as teacher retirement, dependent children, needy blind and the general revenue fund all get their share.

Although the petroleum industry will be paying much of the increased cost of the new Texas pension program, its employees will receive virtually no benefit. Its workers are beneficiaries of the Federal old age insurance law with benefits which usually disqualify them for any State assistance. Furthermore, approximately half of the petroleum workers of Texas are employed by companies already maintaining pen-

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tion plans for their employees. Of the total of \$22,987,501 in new taxes which the bill is estimated to raise, the petroleum industry will pay \$10,990,617, or almost half.

PROPER DISPLAY OF U. S. FLAG EXPLAINED BY WAR DEPARTMENT

The proper way of displaying the American flag, according to the regulation of the War Department in Washington, D. C., may be summarized as follows:

When carried in a procession with another flag or flags, the flag of the United States of America should be either on the march right, i. e., the flag's own right, or when there is a line of other flags, the flag of the United States of America may be in front of the center of that line.

When displayed with another flag against a wall from crossed staffs, the flag of the United States should be on the right, the flag's own right, and its staff should be in front of the highest point of the group.

When the flags of states or cities or pennants of societies are flown on the same halyard with the flag of the United States of America, the latter should always be at the peak.

When displayed either horizontally or vertically against a wall, the union should be uppermost and to the flags own right, i. e., to the observer's left. When displayed in a window it should be displayed the same way, that is with the union or blue field to the left of the observer in the street.

When displayed over the middle of the street, the flag should be suspended vertically with the union to the north in and east and west street or to the east in a north and south street.

When used to cover a casket, the flag should be placed so that the union is at the head and over the left shoulder.

When the flag is displayed in the body of the church, it should be from a staff placed in the position of honor at the congregation's right as they face the clergyman. If in the chancel or on the platform, the flag should be placed on the clergyman's right as he faces the congregation. The American flag should not be permitted to touch the ground, or

trail in the water and it should not be used as drapery or as a decoration, where bunting of red, white and blue is in order. When the flag is in such condition that it is no longer a fit emblem for display, it should be privately burned.

The complete flag circular of the war department can be obtained by writing to the adjutant general's office, Washington.

Treated Toothpicks in Roots of Young Pecan Trees Stimulate Growth

COLLEGE STATION.—U. S. Department of Agriculture scientists have found another use for toothpicks than decorating the lips of easy-mannered diners.

They have found that the tooth-clearing splinter is an aid in getting a higher survival of transplanted pecan trees the first year. Pecan growers have been having high losses because not enough new roots are formed the first year to support the top. The toothpicks are soaked

in a growth-promoting substance and a hole bored in a pecan root is plugged with the treated toothpicks. This puts the "growth promoter" into the circulation system of the tree. Treated trees produce more new roots and make more rapid growth than untreated trees. More of them survive the critical first season, too.

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As you read this, a new \$21,000,000 Ford airplane engine plant, started only last fall, is nearly completed. A new magnesium alloy plant, one of the few in the country, is already in production on light-weight airplane engine castings. Work is right now under way on a new \$18,000,000 plant for mass production of big bomber assemblies. Orders have been filled for military vehicles of several types, including army reconnaissance cars, staff cars and bomb service trucks.

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WHEN WE BUY WE WANT DEFENSE

Early reports indicate that defense bond sales are going strong. People are flocking in for them, buying simply because they have an opportunity to put their savings in the nation's service.

Here is justification for our confidence in the loyalty of the average American citizen. He is doing his part. Today he is investing what money he can spare conveniently. Tomorrow, when the defense bond drive gets under way, he will invest at a sacrifice, just as he did during the last war.

In view of this fine spirit, this common man's confidence in his government and his eagerness to help defend the nation, we feel even more acutely the discouraging failure of other factions.

Many have been at fault. Some industrialists have not hesitated to jeopardize safety for the sake of a few extra dollars. Labor leaders have been using the emergency as a means to advance their powers and fatten their purses. Thoughtless citizens have been playing into the hands of subversive elements. Even high ranking officials have been grossly negligent.

It has been estimated that blunders in construction of army camps alone are costing the taxpayers more than 300 million dollars—blunders such as Camp Blanding, Florida, which requires an extra \$740,000 for a drainage system. Men who chose the site had never seen it, otherwise did not realize that water runs down hill.

People who buy bonds are investing in defense and have a right to get their money's worth. Like the soldiers who work long hours for little pay, they are straining themselves to keep this country secure. And they are being betrayed by every worker who loafs on the job, every executive who demands exorbitant prices, every labor racketeer who wastes a day, every government who fails to exercise common sense in spending defense money.

The many millions who pay the defense bill have already expressed their willingness to cooperate. Certainly it is not unreasonable to ask that the few million in actual defense work begin showing a little more cooperation. Let's have more honesty. Let's have a fair measure of defense for our defense money.

LABOR RACKETEER — THE INDUSTRIAL TYRANT

Not many years ago the country was clamoring for regulations to protect Labor from Capitalistic greed. Drastic things were done, and the condition of the working man was improved.

But in the process labor leaders gained too much power. Swinging to the opposite extreme, they created an evil fully as bad as the original one. Now Capital is being oppressed. However the working man gains little by his theoretical advancements. Labor racketeers, who use workmen simply for their own profits, are gaining most by this constant and useless bickering.

A recent letter by Senator Norris to A F of L and CIO heads presents one of the major problems. "During all my public service," he said, "I have been, I think, a consistent friend of organized labor. But labor itself cannot expect its representatives, either in Congress or out of it, to sustain any action that requires a man who is out of work to pay a fee of \$50, \$100, \$150, and in some instances \$250, for membership in a local union, in order to get a job.

It must be granted that unions have increased wages, but a woeful percentage of that increase is taken out for the fat salaries of leaders whose most conspicuous activity is to keep alive the old antagonism between employer and employe.

The big shots call a strike. Workers lose two or three weeks, then receive a wage increase of 50 cents or \$1.00 a day. Considering the time lost and the union fees, how much gain do they actually realize out of their increase? Working men are still the goats, as much as they were under the old system when they had no make-believe friends to fight the plutocrats for them.

Army construction officials at Fort Meade Maryland, estimate that the two unions took \$400,000 or more as initiation fees and dues out of wages paid to workers. In many of the principal crafts this condition prevails. A man either "kicks through" or he doesn't work. Union leaders are as greedy and as ruthless as capitalists ever were.

Even worse, those leaders haven't the slightest regard for the common good. It makes no difference to them that vital defense work must await their demands. In fact they take advantage of the emergency to serve their selfish interests.

It is common knowledge that labor racketeers long tried in vain to force their demands on Henry Ford, but they always met the same answer. If his plant would operate at all, it would operate his way. Then the emergency came. Racketeers knew that neither public opinion nor

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the government would permit Ford's vast resources to lie idle.

And what was the bone of contention? Not wages, nor hours, nor working conditions. Ford was already above union standards in those respects. It was to give labor leaders the right of collective bargaining. Men who did not have a penny invested insisted on a hand in the management. The workers, in whose name the whole trouble was brewed, did not gain a thing.

If such abuse continues we can expect a reversal in which organized labor will lose many of its legitimate gains. Smart workmen should realize this and dispose of the racketeers.

Washington Snapshots

by JAMES PRESTON

As Congressmen prepare to vote billions in new taxes for defense, many of them are sending a fervent if unspoken prayer to the folks back home. Their constituents, if they will do it, can help them out of a tight spot.

The legislators have been translating the tax proposals into terms which fit the pocketbooks of their constituents. Their only hope to keep the tax burden from rising entirely out of sight is that they can cut down on some of the wasteful non-defense expenditures.

Even Secretary Morgenthau suggested a billion dollar cut in non-defense expenditures. But the men on Capitol Hill are between the devil and the deep. The minute they begin to talk about cutting the expenses of a government bureau with peacetime functions, the bureaucrats in that agency buzz around them like flies around a jam pot.

On the other hand, the constituents apparently are willing for taxes to be increased to the extent necessary to arm America. But the legislators know that the heavier taxes will fall due next March, in an election year, and they are afraid that the dose will be too heavy for some voters.

What the legislators actually want

is support from their constituents for a reduction in non-defense expenditures. For the first time in many months, the Congressmen are actually hoping for a letter and postcard demand from back home—that non-defense spending be slashed.

If they don't get support from home, then the Washington bureaucrats will triumph and the people simply will have to keep on paying taxes for defense plus taxes for wasteful spending.

One thing that stimulated the fervor behind this telepathic plea for constituent support is that some figures have been passed around on Capitol Hill translating tax and defense billions into terms that anybody can understand.

Figures, the solons realize, may be hoing to a lot of people—but they think they aren't so boring when they are expressed in a size that fits the average man's pocket-book.

For instance, before the defense emergency arrived, the government in 1939 collected an average of \$43.21 in taxes for every man, woman and child in the nation. In the same year, the government spent \$70.55 for each man, woman and child.

Next year, in 1942 however, the Treasury wants to collect \$92—instead of \$43.21—for each man, woman and child. But even that won't pay the defense load.

For defense alone, expenditures this year will average \$110 per person. Next year, they will amount to \$138 per person. So that despite the

fact that taxes will be more than doubled, defense expenditures alone will be only about half paid.

Consequently, if the non-defense expenditures aren't reduced, then the solons will find themselves doubling the taxes and more than doubling the deficit. That, some of them think, isn't a very sound thing to do.

Those figures are sound, but some others that are being bruted around are a lot less applicable. Sidney Hillman is the author of some of them. He says, for instance, that in 1940, four days of labor were lost by accidents to each one lost by strikes.

That much of the truth sounds fine. But there are other things too. First, 1940 was a low-strike year. Most of the trouble started after 1941 began.

Even more important is the thing that anyone can understand: When one man in a branch of a factory is hurt, that whole branch doesn't shut down. A substitute takes his place, or his co-workers double up, or something else is done. Production goes on.

Yet when a strike shuts down that branch entirely, it may and frequently does keep a whole factory from turning out airplanes or bombsights or other defense goods.

THE AMERICAN EAGLE

Until the passage of a law by Congress last year giving federal protection to the bald eagle, our national bird had been threatened with extinction, in spite of laws against its killing in most of the states.

The Federal law provides a penalty of \$500 fine and six months imprisonment for capturing or killing an American eagle, which is described in the act as "no longer a bird of mere biological interest, but a symbol of the American ideals of freedom."

Much debate occurred in the Continental Congress over the selection of a national bird, and three different committees wrestled with the problem for a period of six years. Benjamin Franklin, a member of the first committee, proposed the wild turkey, but the bald eagle was finally adopted as the design for our national seal and coat-of-arms on June 20, 1782.

The bald eagle is so called because of the white feathers which cover the head and neck of the mature birds, the plumage of the young however, being wholly dark brown. This species of eagle is found only in America. The eagle's favorite diet is fish, but it will also devour birds, fowl and rabbits when fish are not readily obtainable. Stories of their carrying off children are said by scientists to be without foundation.

From ancient times the eagle has been employed as a symbol of might and authority, and in Greek mythology the eagle was portrayed as the emblem of Jupiter, king of the gods.

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Lindsay News

Leo Neusch and Robert Loerwald were in Fort Worth on business Monday.

James Bezner and Bill Schmitz of Lindsay and Francis Schmitz of Gainesville were in Dallas Saturday.

Miss Isabel Schmitz spent the weekend in Muenster with her sister, Mrs. Jake Horn Jr., and family.

See us for hay ties and binder twine. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv. 25)

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sandman and son were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Beyer.

Little Raymond Zimmerer Jr., is spending two weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zimmerer.

Mrs. William Walterscheid and daughter, Miss Cecilia, of Muenster, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry N. Fuhrmann Sunday.

Beautiful 18-ounce crystal tea glass FREE with the purchase of a 25 cent box of White Swan tea. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv. 24tf)

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eberhart and family of Muenster were guests at a Mother's Day dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Flusche Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bezner, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walter of Gainesville, left Monday morning to attend the annual K of C convention at Galveston.

For Sunday dinner, or as a treat at any time, serve Pangburn's ice cream. Pints only 10 cents. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv. 24tf)

On Monday night the junior class of the Lindsay school entertained with a wieners roast at the home of Alphonse Benfort to honor the seniors.

Kenneth is the name of the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zimmerer born May 10th at Medical Surgical hospital in Gainesville. Mrs. Zimmerer is the former Miss Stella Fuhrmann.

Now's the time to feed hens laying mash, while egg prices are high. Insist on Fants Laying Mash, \$1.95 per hundred pounds. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv. 24tf)

Miss Olivia Mosman, who has been in San Antonio for the past several months, is here to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mosman and family.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Zimmerer was baptised by Father Conrad Thursday and named Richard Eugene. His grandparents, Mrs. Joseph Flusche of Muenster and John Zimmerer, were sponsors.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Loerwald and her mother, Mrs. Mosman, accompanied by Fred Loerwald of Graham, who spent the weekend with his parents and other relatives, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Kuhn in the Hays community.

Members of the Gun Club, their wives and guests enjoyed the first Sunday of the month social Sunday evening in the community hall. Music was furnished by Miss Mildred Walterscheid of Muenster and

refreshments were served. The large crowd lingered until shortly after midnight to wish John Bezner, president of the organization, many happy returns of the day. He observed his birthday Monday.

A Mother's Day dinner was given Sunday at noon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Spaeth with the following out-of-town guests: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schoech and sons, Melvin and Gene; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Haverkamp and children of Muenster.

Pat Schmitz of Thackerville, Oklahoma, and Miss Mary Ruth Nichols of Valley View, Clarence Metzler and Miss Theresa Loerwald of Lindsay, and Mrs. Francis Schmitz of Gainesville left Tuesday morning for Hereford and other West Texas cities to visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gleb, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Heitzman, Bernard Gleb and Miss Marie Geray left for Oklahoma City Wednesday morning to attend graduation exercises for the nurses of St. Anthony's hospital in the evening. Miss Lonie Gleb was one of the nurses receiving a diploma.

BRUNO ZIMMERER HOME IS PARTY SCENE SUNDAY

LINDSAY.—Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Zimmerer were hosts for a buffet supper and party in their home Sunday.

The following guests enjoyed the affair: Messrs and Mesdames Joe Bezner, Al Bezner, Phillip Metzler, Frank Aldridge of Gainesville, I. A. Zimmerer, Henry Zimmerer and daughter, Virginia, Miss Louise Kuntz, Ray Kupper, Vincent Zimmerer, Miss Elsie Louise Bezner, Hubert and Bobbie Bezner.

Linn News

MRS. A. WALTERSCHEID
Correspondent

Frank Harrison made a business trip to Dallas Thursday.

Carl Coursey spent the weekend at Gainesville as the guest of relatives and friends.

Miss Cornelia Harrison was the guest of Misses Katy Mae and Dorothy Mathews at Myra Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Reiter and daughters spent Sunday at Muenster with relatives.

Miss Anna Fleitman visited with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleitman and family at Myra Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Sam McCool and children were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Aiken at Whitesboro.

Tom Gaston of Denton visited here during the week with his daughter, Mrs. Selby Fielder and family.

Andrew Harrison of Gainesville spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alford Harrison and family.

Mrs. Bob Steadham and twin daughters, Jane and June, left Saturday for New Mexico to visit with her mother for several weeks.

Glen Hellman and Marceline Wimmer were absent from school this week several days on account of illness.

Mrs. Darrell McCool spent Mother's Day at Era where she visited with her mother, Mrs. Jim Howton and other relatives.

Those from this community attending the play at Hood entitled, "Ten Minutes for Lunch," held at

the school house Friday night were Miss Dorothy McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Alford Harrison and family, and Mr. and Mrs. George Lutkenhaus and family.

Mother's Day dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sicking were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Klement and daughter, Janice, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sicking.

Mrs. Ross Townsley and little daughters of Gainesville were brief business visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Lutkenhaus Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schnitker of Pottsboro and Mr. and Mrs. John Corcoran of Gainesville visited here with Mr. and Mrs. George Lutkenhaus Sunday evening.

Miss Anna Fleitman spent Wednesday and Thursday at Van Slyke with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fleitman. Thursday evening Andrew Fleitman visited his brother, Herman and family, at which time Anna returned home with him.

COOKER CLINIC HELD AT LINN CLUB MEETING

LINN.—The Women's Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Jack Biffle for a regular meeting Tuesday afternoon with ten members present. A pressure cooker clinic was conducted and five cookers were tested. School lunches were also discussed.

After the business was concluded games were played with prizes going to Mrs. Darrell McCool, Mrs. Selby Fielder, Miss Willie Sowler and Miss Hilda Sicking. Later the hostesses served refreshments.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Darrell McCool and Miss Nette Shultz will give a demonstration on how to prepare vegetables and fruits to be placed in cold storage lockers.

Myra News

MRS. JOHN BLANTON
Correspondent

Mrs. Mattie Meador is visiting friends and relatives at Bryans Mill for the next two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnes spent Sunday in Valley View with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Myers.

Mrs. Bill Jacobs of Holdenville, Okla., came in Sunday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Jake Biffle, and brother Oscar Aldridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Aldridge were guests of her mother, Mrs. J. B. Reid, in Sherman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cain are the parents of a baby girl born May 6. She has been named Judith Ann.

Mrs. Leroy Porter and daughter, Miss Betty Joy, were in Sherman shopping Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Worley Wheeler of Fresno, Calif., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Biffle last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Gaston and children spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Nat Platt.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Harrison and

children of Bellevue and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rosson of Fort Worth were guests of their mother, Mrs. J. T. Rosson Sr., for Mother's Day.

Rita Joyce and Dickie Cain are spending a few weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hogan at Mallard.

Mrs. R. L. Pearson and son, Wayland, and daughter, Louise of Browstown, Illinois, and Miss Elizabeth of Vandalla, Illinois, visited friends here Saturday. They formerly lived in Myra.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Underwood of Hutchens and Mrs. Joe Pike of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. John Pike of Gainesville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Underwood.

Harry Wheelis, who has been ill at his home here the past two months, was taken to Baylor Hospital at Dallas Tuesday for medical examination. He was accompanied by Rev. Preston Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Fears and Mrs. Dora Fears had as their Sunday guests Miss Inez Fears, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Fears, Johnie Fears and Don Sturdevant of Dallas and Miss Gertrude Fears of Fort Worth.

TEACHERS FOR MYRA SCHOOL ARE NAMED

MYRA.—A. E. Barnes, principal, S. L. Gray and Miss Lena Maude Corbin have been re-elected to teach in the Myra school for another term. The place left vacant by Miss Faye Roark, home economics teacher, has not been filled.

PROGRAMS PRESENTED AT CLOSING OF MYRA SCHOOL

MYRA.—Closing exercises at the Myra school took place last week with a large attendance at the pro-

WANT ADS

LOST: Lady's yellow gold Clinton wrist watch Sunday morning somewhere in Muenster city limits. Reward. Mrs. John Mosman. 25-1

WANTED: German girl for housework and care of one child. Free Saturday afternoons and Sundays. J. L. Lynch, Saint Jo, Texas. 25-1p

FOR SALE: John Deere tractor with row equipment, 2-disc tractor plow, three cultivators, two planters, hay press, two wagons, four horses. Paul M. Endres, 4 miles south of Gainesville. 24tf.

FOR SALE: John Deere tractor with row equipment, double disc plow, one way plow, 8-foot John Deere binder, three cultivators, two planters, hay press, two wagons, four horses. Paul M. Endres, 4 miles south of Gainesville. 21tf.

FOR SALE: Farmall F-30 on rubber; CC CASE on rubber with all row-crop equipment; John Deere model D tractor \$100; Clete-track Caterpillar tractor \$65; one set late Farmall F-20 cultivators practically new \$75; John Deere 7-foot grain binder 4-years-old \$100; also have listed 1937 AC Combine \$200; two 1939 models \$350 each. I have a number of John Deere and McCormick Deering 2 to 6 disc Timken roller bearing disc plows. All above machinery in first class condition and at bargain prices. Lawrence Zimmerer, 5 miles northwest of Lindsay. 24-2

grams. On Tuesday night the Intermediate grades presented their program. On Wednesday evening the senior class gave their play, "The Coo-koo's Nest." Commencement exercises were held Thursday evening and three boys and three girls received their diplomas, namely Dorothy and Katie Mae Mathews, Lois Martin, Robert Payne, David Sluder and Walter Hoover.

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GRADUATION PRACTICE

With only two weeks of school left, practice for class night and graduation night were begun last Monday during Club meeting. Especially the processional and recessional were practiced.

The Seniors have almost conquered the rather difficult commencement day song.

MAY DEVOTION IN SCHOOL

Beginning with May 1, short May Devotions are held every morning in Sacred Heart High, in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary. The Juniors and Seniors have a little May altar in the assembly room, while the Freshmen and Sophomores gather in the tenth grade room each morning to dedicate themselves to Our Lady before her little shrine.

CHEMISTRY ADDITION

The latest addition to the Chemistry division is a book on the study of living plants and animals. The book was written by Samuel Sallier. Its title is, "Chemistry in Familiar Things."

An addition to the library is expected as soon as an order for five books of Tarkington, one of Cooper, and three of Alcott's arrive. These are a part of the memorial of the Senior class to the high school library.

ATHLETICS

With the encouragement of the long awaited sunshine, the boys won a glorious victory in soft ball over the public school team last Wednesday. The score was 21-0. After the game the girls practiced for an hour.

BOYS RECEIVE INVITATION

The Junior and Senior boys were honored last week when they received an invitation to participate in the Muenster Flower Show which will be sponsored by the Civic League and Garden Club on May the sixteenth. Their spare time is now spent in learning two songs for the occasion entitled, "Adown the Dell" and "The Bull-Dog."

NEW PAINT JOB

The iron benches that were presented to the school as a memorial by the 1939 and 1940 classes have been favored with a new coat of dark green paint.

Sighs of relief and smiles of approval have been given by many students. Many of them were afraid the benches would begin to rust; but now all is well.

CEREMONY

A most inspiring and impressive ceremony was held on Saturday night, May the tenth. In the gathering dusk of a beautiful evening, two lines of little boys and girls slowly wound their way from the school to the church. All of the girls were dressed in white and carried bouquets of flowers. The boys carried burning candles which lent an air of solemnity to the occasion.

After the procession had entered the church, they marched through the aisles while the choir sang suitable hymns to the Blessed Virgin Mary. At the end of the procession an eighth grade girl crowned the statue of Our Lady.

After this impressive ceremony the usual May devotions took place. This ceremony was held in honor of Mary on Mary's Day.

NOTE

We wish hereby to inform the parents of our students, the patrons of our school, and all others who may be interested, that no party, dance, or any other kind of social affair held at night is sponsored by the faculty or any faculty member, with the exception of Class Night and Graduation Night.

One yearly picnic is given near the end of the school term for the enjoyment of all the students on outside picnic grounds, and this affair is chaperoned by the faculty. Every other affair that is under

PEACE MOBILIZATION PICKETS WHITE HOUSE



WASHINGTON, D. C.—Nine members of the American Peace Mobilization started picketing the White House in what officials of the organization said would be a "permanent vigil" to demonstrate "the desire of the American people to stay out of war." Photo shows pickets of the American Peace Mobilization at the White House, led by Morris Watson.

school auspices takes place during the day time on the school grounds, and theatre and other parties, dances, or any night affairs whatsoever, are neither sponsored nor approved of by the faculty, and parents and guardians who permit their children to attend such affairs do so on their own responsibility.

The Faculty of Sacred Heart high school.

EXAMS FOR FEDERAL JOBS ANNOUNCED BY CIVIL SERVICE

The United States Civil Service Commission announces open competitive examinations for the positions of Junior Stenographer at \$1440 a year and Junior Typist at \$1280 to \$1440 a year, open to both men and women, for which applications will be accepted until the close of business on May 21, 1941. This examination is announced for filling vacancies as they may occur in all branches of the Federal service in the Tenth U. S. Civil Service District, which comprises the states of Louisiana and Texas.

The age limits are 18 and 53 years. As it is expected that a large number of appointments will be made from these examinations, qualified persons are urged to apply.

Applications must be on file with the Manager, Tenth U. S. Civil Service District, Customhouse, New Orleans, Louisiana, not later than the close of business on May 21, 1941.

Additional information and application blanks may be obtained from the Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Post Office, Muenster, or from the Manager, Tenth United States Civil Service District, Customhouse, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Film Magic in "Thief Of Bagdad" Surpasses Ancient Hindu Magic

For centuries laymen have been trying to fathom the methods by which the world famous necromancers of India and Persia have accomplished their magic. Numerous so-called explanations have been offered to clear up the mystery of the Rope Trick and the Sword and Basket Trick. It has been claimed that they were accomplished by everything from true sorcery to mass-hypnotism but they still remain enigmas that cannot be duplicated except by the small number of initiates of the magician caste who pass on the knowledge from father to son.

When Alexander Korda decided to make "The Thief of Bagdad," the all-Technicolor production playing at the State Theatre, Friday and Saturday, he did not attempt to probe the mysterious workings of the well known tricks. Instead, he created new ones, beside which the standard magic pales. He uses magic in this picture that would make a Hindu Fakir gape in amazement. For instance, "The Thief of Bagdad" presents a Flying Horse, a Magic Carpet, a Six-Armed Dancing Doll, a chest of pebbles which turn into soldiers when thrown upon the ground and a djinni so flexible in size that he can instantly change from a few inches in height to a giant several hundred feet tall. These are but a few of the magical accomplishments that Mr. Korda produced with camera techniques as carefully guarded as the secrets of

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CONTRACTOR ARRIVES TO BEGIN WORK ON REA LINE PROJECT

Construction on the Cooke County Electric Cooperative's 102 mile extension project is due to begin within the next two weeks. W. B. Autrey, superintendent for Taylor Construction Company has been here since Wednesday morning arranging an office and warehouse in the MK and T depot and making other preliminary plans.

Clearance work along the right of way has been in progress for more than a week. This task, previously a part of the contract, was reserved by the electric co-op on this project for the benefit of new members who wished to work out the cost of wiring their homes.

Emmet Fette has been engaged for the duration of the project as time keeper and clerk in the superintendent's office.

There will be a number of jobs open to local men on this project, Autrey disclosed. Those wishing to apply may see him at the office in the depot.

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