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It's hard to understand our nation's official attitude in the Rhodesian affair, which is currently under discussion in the United Nations. There is a country proclaiming ideals and principles very similar to those our country proclaimed 190 years ago. It has declared itself free and independent from Great Britain, for which our own history ought to inspire full sympathy and support. But we have chosen instead to line up with England and several recently created African nations in political and economic sanctions intended to force the surrender of Rhodesia.

In a phony gesture of pretended compromise England agreed to recognize Rhodesian independence if Prime Minister Smith would allow Negro representation in government proportional to Negro population. Smith declined on the ground that the ratio of population was far different from the ratio of ability and responsibility hence was not conducive to a stable government.

One wonders whether England had that problem in mind when making the demand. Some of the other new nations of Africa made an awful mess of things by turning to native officials when breaking away from colonialism. The demand was equivalent to imposing an unacceptable handicap on the new government. So, when that demand failed England sought UN's help in putting on economic pressure.

There's an element of hypocrisy even in the demand for more Negroes in government. Neither England or U. S. lives up to the standard required of Rhodesia. Our own ten percent Negro population has less than three per cent in Congress. And a considerable number of Negroes in England have no representation in government. Actually Colored representation in Rhodesia is much greater than in this country and it is adequate to assure fair consideration of Colored interests.

There's also the fact that U. S. or England are not fussy about representation in some other nations they deal with. That includes all of the communist countries, in which the communist party, numbering three to five percent of the total population, has complete control over all of the governments. Rhodesia does better than any of those in ratio of representation.

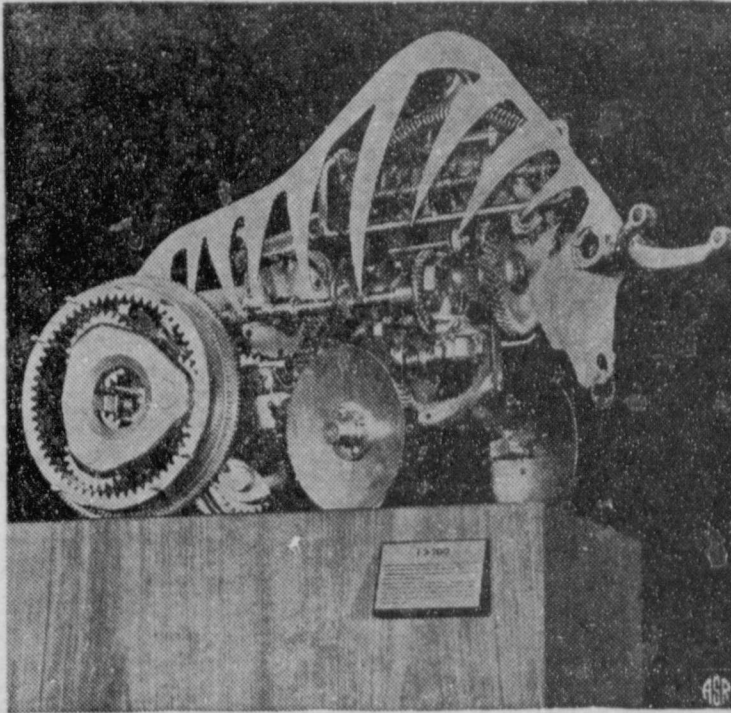
Another matter that shows up here is inconsistency. Several years ago when Africans were breaking away from Belgium and Portuguese colonialism we were all for them. We joined with the UN in putting pressure on the parent nations to assist the several independence efforts, even though we knew or should have known that reds were maneuvering to take over the new nations. We had a similar attitude toward French colonialism in Vietnam and Dutch colonialism in Indonesia, even though aware of communist involvement in those areas. In all those cases we claimed a traditional dislike for colonialism, referring with pride to our own break with England. And England, incidentally, was very agreeable with us and the UN about letting those other colonies break away from their mother countries.

But suddenly it's different. When the principle pinches England we're no longer for it. Why? If we have valid reasons, what are they? And why do we so often support the red side or remain quiet in the matter of colonialism? It's a well known fact that history's worst example of colonialism is the satellite system of Russia. But we have not objected. And now, ironically, when reds apparently have no part in the Rhodesian attempt to break away, we are not for it either. An embarrassing coincidence, to say the least.

Apparently our country's best answer to this puzzle is friendship. We have fought side by side in two major wars. We have mutually beneficial trade agreements. We have language and cultural ties that bring us closer to England than any other country. But so often the affection seems to be one sided as England goes its merry way with little or no regard for our interests.

For instance, Britain has opposed us for many years on the matter of admitting Red China to the UN and kicking out Nationalist China. Just a few weeks ago, after our promise for support in this Rhodesia (Continued on page 10)

"Agrisculpture"



This metal sculpture, made from more than 350 farm machinery parts, symbolizes man's technological achievements in his quest to feed the peoples of the world. . . one modern farm tractor can perform the work of 100 oxen. It was created and constructed in Detroit by industrial designers and engineers of Massey-Ferguson Inc., one of the nation's largest farm machinery manufacturers.

Santa Will Visit Saturday at 2:30

Santa Claus will come to town Saturday afternoon for his annual visit with kiddies of the community. His visit will be sponsored by the Muenster Jaycees, who have arranged to meet him at an undisclosed place and will then bring him to town on the fire truck.

Clifford Trubenbach, committee chairman, said Santa's stop here will be at the fire station, a special provision for greater comfort of the children. If weather is nice he'll see them in front of the station, if it's cold or wet he'll see them inside.

Santa is booked to arrive at 2:30 with candy for the kiddies and a sympathetic ear for those who want to talk.

Santa Party for Auxiliary's Tots

First official visit of Santa Claus in Muenster this pre-Christmas season will be Friday, Dec. 16, 9:30 a.m. at the VFW Post Home at a party sponsored by the VFW Auxiliary for their pre-school children.

Santa will distribute gifts around a lighted tree and members will have a gift exchange among themselves. Refreshments will be served.

BIRTHS

Here's that girl! Welcoming a daughter are Mr. and Mrs. Felix Pelzel of Pilot Point. Now their boys Randy, Wayne and Timothy have a sister. She was born at Gainesville Hospital Friday, Dec. 9, 6:32 a.m. weighing six pounds 12 ounces. Her name is Sharon Rene. She's a granddaughter for Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hennigan Sr. of Muenster and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pelzel of Pilot Point. And Mrs. Mathilda Wimmer of Muenster is great-grandma again.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmidtkoer of Lindsay announce an eight pound two ounce boy. Now Steve has a brother. So do Judy, Joyce and Janet. The baby brother was born Monday, Dec. 12, 9:32 p.m. Others welcoming him are grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Schmidtkoer of Lindsay and Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Flusche of Decatur. Mrs. John P. Neu is great-grandpa again.

Proudly announcing a daughter, their first child, are Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gressett of Dallas. Mrs. Gressett is the former Miss Carol Wimmer of Muenster. The seven and a half pound girl arrived at St. Paul's Hospital 3:30 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 14, and the good news was telephoned at that early hour to Muenster to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wimmer. The baby is their first girl grandchild. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wimmer have another great-grandchild. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gressett of Dallas and Mrs. Louise Newell of Dallas is the paternal great-grandmother.

Have you ever thought: A fool and his money are soon invited places.

NEWS OF THE SICK

Lee Roy Hess, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hess, has his right arm in a sling again. . . the same arm he broke in August but on a different place, above the former break. The accident happened at school playing tether ball.

Curtis Hacker, 11, underwent throat surgery at Gaston Hospital in Dallas Monday. His mother, Mrs. Henry Hacker, stayed with him until he was dismissed.

Mrs. John Felderhoff is a patient at Bethania Hospital in Wichita Falls where Monday a bone specialist performed hip surgery. She'll be in room 305 through the weekend, then spend some time afterward at the home of her daughter Mrs. Rita Jennings, 2515 Terrace, Wichita Falls, 76301. With her on the day of the operation were sons Frank and Vincent Felderhoff, Mrs. Vincent Felderhoff and Mrs. Jennings. Family members make daily visits.

Mrs. Joe Otto is a patient at Gainesville Hospital, admitted Monday for tests and observation.

HOSPITAL NOTES

The following patients were admitted and dismissed during the past week at Muenster Memorial Hospital.

Thursday: Admit — Dora Sicking, Kathleen Streng. Dismiss — Henry Golightly, Saint Jo.

Friday: Dismiss — Mrs. A. E. Cogburn, Gainesville, Lewis Lauderdale, Saint Jo, Audra Coleman, Saint Jo.

Saturday: Admit — Mrs. Jimmie Sconce, Gainesville. Dismiss — Mrs. Floyd Rudolph, Gainesville.

Sunday: Admit — Mrs. Christine Fletcher, Gainesville. Monday: Admit — Ruth Dill, Rosston, Mrs. J. A. Stovall, Era, Mrs. Joe Bengfort, Lindsay.

Tuesday: Admit — Don Miller, Saint Jo. Dismiss — Christine Fletcher, Gainesville, Mrs. J. A. Stovall, Era, Ruth Dill, Rosston, Mrs. Jimmie Sconce, Gainesville, Dora Sicking.

Wednesday: Admit — Calvin Evins.

Formal Opening of New Pagel Store Due in January

Completion of a distinctive, modernistic roof over the front and side entrances completes the building project at Pagel's Store.

The roof is steel and painted white and is supported by tapered steel pillars with the big end about two feet above the roof. And they are slanted nearer the building at the bottom than at the top. Their color is red, the same shade as the bricks.

Other recent work on the project is the concrete parking lot where the old store was located, also a narrow structure along the back to shelter mechanical equipment and add storage space.

Maurice Pagel, owner, said that finishes the building job and the formal opening will be held at the earliest convenient date, probably early in January.

Yule Program Will Present Band and Choral Numbers

Gareld Payne and his music students at Muenster Public School are putting finishing touches on a Christmas program of vocal and instrumental numbers they will present for the public next Tuesday, Dec. 20, 8:15 in MHS Auditorium.

There will be no admission charge and everyone is invited to attend.

The program as listed by Director Payne is as follows: vocal solo, Rhonda Shasteen, "O, Holy Night;" 97 voice grade school chorus in "What Child Is This?," "Silver Bells," "White Christmas," "Twelve Days of Christmas," and "We Wish You a Merry Christmas." The 97 students will enter the auditorium in a candlelight procession. Sandra Sloan will be piano accompanist.

Starting part two of the program will be the high school band presenting "Christmas Reverence," "Yuletide at Yorkshire," and "Christmas Greeting."

Miss Bettye Dodds will follow with a vocal solo, "Ave Maria."

The grand finale will be "The Story of Christmas" done by the combined Junior High and High School Bands and the Girls' Glee Club. Wayne Klement will give the narration.

Christmas Spirit In Full Swing At Sacred Heart

The spirit of Christmas is gaining momentum at Sacred Heart School this week and is expected to be in high gear by the end of next week.

Current effort is going into decorations as pupils of each room spend spare time competing in a contest sponsored by the student council. The winning room will then receive an additional decoration, a comic trophy as first award.

Next week's Yule activities begin Tuesday afternoon when the junior high department and all elementary grades have their separate Christmas parties featuring refreshments and gift exchanges.

Wednesday morning the event is an assembly for all the student body in the gymnasium. The program will consist of several numbers by Sister Leonard's band, excerpts from the Christmas play by primary pupils and presentation of gifts to the pastors.

Next on schedule is caroling by Junior High students under direction of Sister Maureen Wednesday night. A hay wagon will serve the dual purpose of stage and conveyance.

Friday night the Senior High department will be on a similar excursion, also with Sister Maureen directing on the mobile stage. After that they will have their Christmas party featuring gift exchange, comic acts and refreshments.

Purcell Pleased With US Progress In Vietnam War

Congressman Graham Purcell returned to Washington Monday following a visit to Vietnam and other points of military significance. The Texas Congressman, after viewing first-hand U. S. operations in Vietnam, said he feels that the announced goal of the U. S. Army sums up the aims of our varied programs in Vietnam. That goal is "Win the People . . . Win the Battle . . . Win in Vietnam."

Purcell visited military installations in the Saigon and DaNang areas and met with General William Westmoreland, U. S. Commander in Vietnam, and U. S. Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge, as well as officials of AID and other U. S. programs in Vietnam.

"We are winning in every military aspect of the battle in Vietnam," said Purcell. "I was most favorably impressed with the tactical course we are following, with the attitude of the military and civilian leadership, with the morale and dedication of our troops, and with the military progress we are making."

"I was also impressed with the efforts we are making in other vital areas of this battle in Vietnam. The military effort is only part of what we are doing. 'Winning the people' is just as important as securing a military victory."

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Rev. Larry Taylor Named Pastor of Muenster Baptists

Rev. Larry Taylor, a graduate theology student at Southwestern Baptist Seminary of Fort Worth, is the new pastor of Muenster Baptist Church. His assignment became effective last Sunday when he accepted the invitation of the local congregation.

He is in his late twenties, a native of Little Rock, Ark., and a graduate of Ouachita Baptist University at Arkadelphia, Ark., and of the Southwestern Baptist Seminary. At this time he is working on his doctorate in theology while spending weekends at pastoral work. He and his wife and four-month-old daughter continue living in Fort Worth. Mrs. Taylor teaches French in Bell High School at Hurst.

Rev. Taylor succeeds Rev. John Culpepper, who was killed in a car-train crash at Haslet about two months ago. He is one of the several ministers who have served here on special Sunday duty since the former pastor's death.

Firemen Reelect Alvin Hartman as Department Chief

Members of Muenster Volunteer Fire Department at their meeting Dec. 8 re-elected Alvin Hartman as fire chief for another year.

Herbert Walterscheid is assistant chief succeeding Jerry Wimmer and Tommy Herr is secretary-treasurer by re-election.

Ed Endres went in as three-year trustee replacing Gene Hoedebeck. Holdover trustees are Ed Schneider and Henry Pels Jr.

Pat Knabe joined the department recently making 29 members.

The department voted to sponsor the drive for Muscular Dystrophy again when the campaign for funds gets under way.

News of the Men in Service

On Holiday Leave

Pfc. Frank Schilling Jr. surprised his parents, the Frank Schillings, when he arrived Tuesday night on a two-week holiday leave from army duty. He is based at Key West, Florida, and will report back there on Dec. 27. The Schillings have no assurance that their other in-service-son, Pvt. Dwayne Schilling will be home for Christmas. Their last letter from him said it was doubtful. Dwayne is based at Fort Carson, Colo.

Back On Duty

Spec. 4 Willie Fisher writes his parents, the Paul Fishers, that he is back on duty in Vietnam after rest and recreation in Bangkok, Thailand.

Christmas Arrives

Pfc. Jerome Hennigan has written his parents, the Fred Hennigans, that Christmas came early in Vietnam with a surprise package of goodies sent by Muenster Jaycees.

Greetings From Germany

Christmas greetings have arrived from Germany from W. O. and Mrs. Jack Janicki and five daughters who added that they'll spend the Christmas holidays in the Swiss Alps. The girls are looking forward to skiing. Mrs. Janicki is the former Marcella Pagel.

NCO Graduate

Army Pfc. Clinton Endres, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Endres, was graduated on December 3 from the Noncommissioned Officers Academy at Fort Riley, Kansas, and has returned to Fort Carson, Colo., where he completed basic training. At Fort Riley he received five weeks of training in leadership responsibilities, exercise of command, map reading, and military teaching methods. Regularly assigned as a rifleman in Company B, 2nd Battalion of the 5th Division's 10th Infantry at Fort Carson, he entered active duty last February. Clinton is a 1964 graduate of Sacred Heart High School.

Begins Army Basic

Muenster's most recent young man in uniform is Alvin Hacker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hacker. He's at Fort Carson, Colo., for army basic. Alvin is a graduate of Sacred Heart High and NTSU at Denton.

School Board Feels Financial Pinch of Inadequate Revenue

Members of the Muenster School Board at their December meeting acknowledged that they are facing a financial emergency that needs an early solution. They are out of money and must soon find a way to get some.

The situation was foreseen several years ago, according to Superintendent L. B. Bruns.

Schools to Have Eight Holidays

Children of both Muenster schools will have eight days of vacation for the Christmas-New Year holidays . . . plus the two weekends.

Superintendent L. B. Bruns announced this week that the free time begins with dismissal of classes next Wednesday and will continue until Tuesday, January 3, when class work resumes at the regular time.

SH High Students Compete in Denton Speech Tournament

Sacred Heart High had 15 students participating in the speech, drama and debate tournament at NTSU in Denton Friday and Gloria Gieb was one of the first day winners going into the semi-finals the following day. She was in prose reading competition.

Other entries were Gloria Reiter in prose reading; in poetry reading, Robert Knaf, Melvin Bayer, Janie Fleitman and Joyce Schmitt; dramatic interpretation, Margaret Kralick and Linda Rohmer; duet acting, Mary Ellen Endres and Janie Knaf and Gloria Gieb and Donald Stoffels; original oratory, Janie Knaf.

In debate the girls' team was Cynthia Bindel and Lynn Reiter; the boys' team was Stan Endres and J. D. Luttmer. They competed with 168 teams. Fifty-nine schools from Texas had entries and some 1200 students attended. The tournament was sponsored by Denton Senior High School.

Sister Rose and Sister Richard, SHH teachers, coached the students, seniors, juniors and sophomores, and accompanied them. Others attending were Mmes. Wilfred Reiter, Gene Gieb, Arnold Rohmer and Wilfred Bindel who furnished transportation.

Friday night some of the students attended a play, "Caligula," presented by NTSU students. In the afternoon some attended a debate between a team from Oxford University, England, and NTSU on "Yankee Go Home."

Saturday Sister Rose and Sister Richard attended a speech, debate and drama workshop at Arlington State College.

Visitors Welcome To See Yule Decor At Colonial Manor

Christmas decorations and lights are up at Colonial Manor and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Medders graciously invite everyone who would like to see the display to drive by any night. The front gates are open.

There are thousands of colored lights — decorating each tree and shrub — along the curved driveway at the front and the side driveway. More lights are burning this year than last year. The Enchanted Forest is there with its many animated figures. This is on the north side of the man entrance. The stable with life-size figures of the holy family is to the south. Choir boys, angels and Dickens' carolers are in the yard. And a life size Santa waves welcome.

Santa Party Set For KC Kiddies

Knights of Columbus will follow tradition again this year and treat their kiddies to a Santa Claus party. The event is booked for Sunday, the 18th, 8 p.m. upstairs in the K of C hall.

Santa will be there to hand out candy and toys to children under 10. And the council meanwhile will treat them to soda pop.

Teacher salaries have been going up steadily and inflation has been constantly increasing the entire list of other operating expenses. And a big increase of enrollment this year upped the expense even more.

Meanwhile income has remained about the same. Tax revenue is unchanged and the per capita allowance from the state varies only slightly from year to year. For several years that was more than enough and the board accumulated a surplus. But more recently money was withdrawn from the surplus to supplement current revenue. And now the surplus is gone. The board is in financial trouble.

Two possible solutions are proposed to increase the local revenue. One is to continue the present tax rate and increase valuations. That can be done year to year without approval of taxpayers. The other is to continue valuations and increase the tax rate, which would require voter approval.

After studying both methods the school board decided against the former, principally because it forces up property valuations but also because it is less flexible and would require tedious changes in valuation for every change of total revenue requirement.

The board therefore decided to ask for an increase of tax rate according to Article 2784C-1 V.A.T.C.S. of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas. Adoption of the article would allow a maximum tax of \$1.50 per \$100 of assessed valuation to be used for local maintenance. The article would also require the district to prepare an annual budget showing the actual amount of tax needed for that year.

Adoption of the article would not effect the previously voted 50 cent tax for debt retirement, except that the rate actually assessed must be sufficient only to pay scheduled interest and principal.

Members of the board agreed to have that article submitted for approval of the district voters and arranged for preparation of a petition which, when completed, will authorize an election on the \$1.50 maintenance tax. That petition is circulating in the community now and, if completed in time, will be presented to the school board at its January meeting.

Audience Charmed By Tiny Tots in Christmas Play

With a cast of more than 150 small actors and actresses Sacred Heart School primary department staged a Christmas program Tuesday night and charmed the audience with song and dance routines.

A full house witnessed the show in MHS Auditorium. The play was composed of five scenes preceding a Nativity tableau and a grand finale. It was titled "The House of Christmas."

Children from grades one, two and three were costumed as brownies, soldiers, stars, Christmas trees, Santa Claus, shepherds, Wise Men and Mary and Joseph.

The colorful production was directed by Sisters Angeline, Henrietta, Alberta, Anna, and Christopher.

Brownies — four of them — appeared in every scene and did most of the narration. In those roles were Danny Endres, Johnny Henschel, Billy Krah and Terry Lewis.

Mark Mollenkopf, wee first grader, received an ovation as Santa Claus.

Janet Henschel portrayed Mary and Robert Grewing was cast as St. Joseph. In the roles of the Three Wise Men were Charles Hess, Benny Bindel and Tim Hess. The latter portraying the black king.

When I was a youngster we used to laugh at a few odd characters who figured the world owed them a living. I guess those characters will have the last laugh as subsequent developments are proving they were right.

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SUPERIOR EFFORT

We believe thoroughly in equality of opportunity, and we think a greater measure of it exists in our country than some would have us believe. These latter say little about equality of effort. Perhaps we should have a little more than equal effort on the part of those who may be somewhat

handicapped, as a means of overcoming their difficulties.

Equality of opportunity will not do much for a man, white or black, who has a lower IQ, less strength or less skill to offer. Such people need to put forth a little more than a normal amount of effort, in order to compensate for these handicaps.

It is not realistic to believe that those who are less equipped by nature, even though they have equal opportunity, can achieve equal success with equal effort. What they need is greater effort, in order to compensate.

Many Negroes, who have achieved success in the profession and in business in our country, show that it can be done; the opportunity is there but not enough stress has been placed upon superior effort.

Right now there is a great scarcity of yard workers and house workers in the area where we live. Any colored

man or woman willing to put forth reasonable effort and do just a little more than the average, would have no trouble in finding remunerative employment.

Any man, white or black, willing and able to do competent electrical or plumbing repair work at reasonable prices, would get all the calls he could handle. All he would need to find employment would be a willingness to go out on calls, say, \$5 an hour, just for himself, without requiring a standby helper to do nothing at \$3 an hour. Any man offering to do that would be swamped with calls.

There would be no prejudice against a firm of Negro contractors employing Negro workmen who would not indulge in featherbedding and collecting money for many hours for which no work was done. A firm of that kind employing workmen of that kind, would be fully occupied, and in great demand. In other words, it is not opportunity that is lacking, but skill, competence and a willingness to do good, honest work in full measure. Two men are not needed to put in a new washer in the bathroom, or clean out the clogged sink. A competent construction foreman, who would do his job for \$40 a day, would have no difficulty in competing with the foreman who finds ways of making his job pay him \$100 or more per day, which was the boast of a construction worker with whom we talked recently.

What we need is less bemoaning the lack of equal opportunity and more emphasis on effort, honesty, dependability and a willingness to give full, faithful and loyal service. Any Negro fulfilling these conditions will be much preferred over white workers who disregard them.

—Christian Economics

THE KREMLIN'S CONTEMPT
Leonid Brezhnev, supreme boss of the Soviet Union's dictatorship, thinks that President Lyndon B. Johnson is a simpleton, and says so. The occasion for this was a recent Polish-Soviet get-together in the Kremlin, and what Chairman Brezhnev said was that President Johnson was under a "strange and persistent delusion" about the possibility of friendly Russo-American relations while the United States continues to make war upon Ho Chi Minh and his regime in Viet Nam.

The question implied, but not really asked, was why President Johnson could not realize that the Soviet Union was actually a party to the struggle in Viet Nam as an active and deeply committed material and moral supporter of Ho Chi Minh's war of liberation, so-called.

While President Johnson's recent and repeated friendly gestures were not specifically cited by Brezhnev, his insulting remark about LBJ's delusion was clearly enough an official rebuff. What Brezhnev does not have to complain about is any harsh American protest against the Soviet Russian contributions to the Ho Chi Minh operation against us. So far as we know, there has been no official American protest against the delivery of such war gear as surface-to-air missiles and MIG planes, plus technical experts to show the North Vietnamese how to shoot our men out of the skies. Goodness gracious, no! Instead, our talk has been of easing trade relations, opening air traffic between Moscow and New York, and of welcoming top Communists to Washington for tete-a-tete talks.

In the light of the Washington end of the dialogue Brezhnev's remarks on our President's "strange and persistent delusion" sound very much like an expression of contempt for such American "mellowing."

Whatever we Americans think of that war in Viet Nam—whether we should end it by getting out of it, or end it by winning a decisive victory there, none of us can relish being held up to contempt by those shysters in the Kremlin.

And we should certainly like to hear President Johnson say that — and then some more.

Clearly Brezhnev hasn't been impressed by Washington's sweet-talk. Nor has Ho Chi Minh. Nor Mao Tse-tung. Who then has been impressed?

At least ten countries use the eagle as the symbol of supremacy.

ROOT OF PRICE PROBLEMS

Back in December, Mr. Johnson held a press conference at his Texas ranch and announced that the government employment was too high. It would be reduced by 25,000 workers during the remainder of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1966, he declared.

And what happened? In January, 4,830 new employees were added; in February, 24,946; in March, 30,262; in April, 33,373; in May, 21,007; in June, 73,008; and in July 47,082.

A total of 234,588 workers have been added to a payroll which Mr. Johnson said was 25,000 too high in December.

Thus, 260,000 of the 2785,123 federal employees are excess baggage riding the gravy train at the expense of the taxpayers.

But, Mr. Johnson is freezing the employment level at the July figure rather than at the cutback mark he talked about in Texas last December.

Mr. Johnson, accordingly, does not always practice what he preaches to private industry. As did Mr. Kennedy before him, Mr. Johnson can be expected in any price increase situation to blast away at industry — for effect, to a large degree.

It would be surprising under the circumstances if businessmen did not anticipate his actions. It is simple to announce a price increase at a high level and then pull back a bit as a show of concession.

None of this — higher civil-

ian prices, higher federal wages or increased federal payrolls — checks in the least the inflationary trend. Prices keep edging upward, pay increases are eroded away and the buying power left is a bit less all the time.

That will continue until President Johnson and his administration applies in practice some of the economics and sacrifices the public is being asked to bear.

—Fort Lauderdale, Fla., News

COMMISSIONER BUSEN HIS SON

A lot has been said recently about United States Education Commissioner Harold Howe II and how he wants to "bus" school children to different neighborhoods. Well, don't say he doesn't practice what he preaches.

For example, he has one school-age child. And Mr. Howe has "bused" his own son — out of a Washington, D. C. school where enrollment was 53 percent white, 47 percent Negro, to private Taft school, in Watertown, Connecticut, where tuition is \$2,750 a year and there are eight or nine Negro students among 385 boys.

Mr. Howe has "freedom of choice" in sending his son to school, but he wants to deny that choice to millions of Americans who can't pay tuition of \$2,750 a year and want their youngsters to go to public schools in their own neighborhoods under local administration.

—Chattanooga News

PRESIDENT SHOULD PRACTICE WHAT HE KEEPS PREACHING

President Johnson, in the midst of a political caper through the Northeast designed to help some of his hard-pressed Congressional supporters win reelection this fall, gave the nation his prescription for curing some of our current ills.

Like many Americans these days, the President has little difficulty putting his finger on what is causing most of our troubles. They are being caused by too much of some things and too little of others, and somewhat in the nature of a petulant father warning his children, Mr. Johnson said that if more Americans don't start using some restraint and self-discipline their government "will be compelled by sheer necessity to take action."

What the President said is all too true. Everywhere one cares to look these days the dangers of what Mr. Johnson termed "excess" are real. And it is also very true that in urging "a strong dose of self-restraint," Mr. Johnson pointed his finger at a remedy that could be of vast help in easing many problems we face today.

Unfortunately, however, Mr. Johnson failed to recognize that a drunken father is a poor one to give his own children a lecture on the evils of excess drinking. Such a father can preach and moralize all he wants to, but so long as he doesn't follow his own advice, he isn't apt to make much of an impression on his kids.

ENOUGH FULFILLMENT

Four lines attributed to St. Francis of Paula, noted for his gifts of prophecy, have been called to our attention by a friend who found in family papers a copy of them made in an English cemetery. In view of the fact that St. Francis of Paula died in 1507, only a remarkably well directed imagination could have enabled him to write.

When pictures look alive with movements free, When ships, like fishes, swim beneath the sea,

When men outstripping birds shall scan the sky —

Then half the world, deep drenched in blood, shall die.

Our century has already produced the motion picture, the submarine, the airplane — and savage wars involving to some extent half the civilized world, at least. Despite the bloodshed in modern wars, no prophecy that half the world will die has yet been fully borne out.

Yet, however confidently we rely upon the deterrent strategy of preventing the recurrence of large-scale war, we all must realize that mankind has recently acquired the technology that makes the fulfillment of that last line of verse literally possible. Earlier generations may have been as malicious as ours, or even more so, but they lacked our expertise in killing.

—Chicago, Ill., Tribune

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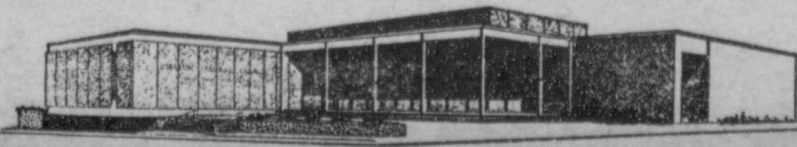
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Lake Club Elects Officers at Meet

Gene Brown of Gainesville was elected president of the Sycamore Lake Club during a meeting Thursday night.

Other officers are W. O. Russell, vice president, and Mrs. Kenneth Thurman, secretary-treasurer.

Board members are David O'Brien, Albert Kubis, Bill Metzler, Dr. Gordon Yeargan, Joseph Montry, Earl Taylor and Walter Wolf.

A new home was started this week for Mrs. Marie Kappas on North Main Street, adjoining the home of her mother, Mrs. Barney Voth on the south.

The Ike Fultons To Be Honored on 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Fulton, life long residents of Myra, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, Dec. 18, at an open house from 2 to 4 p.m. in the Myra School.

All friends of the couple are invited to attend.

Mr. Fulton is a native of Myra and Mrs. Fulton considers herself a native. She was an infant when her family moved there from Leonard. They grew up in Myra and were married on Dec. 17, 1916. The observance will be on Sunday for convenience of out of town relatives planning to attend.

The Fultons farmed until he retired from active work. They are parents of two children, Ben Murray Fulton of Archer City and Mrs. Bob Powell of Wichita Falls. They have three grandchildren. Mrs. Fulton is the former Miss Mildred Jones.

Miss Cunningham Charles Bridier Marry in Dallas

St. Edward's Church in Dallas was the scene of the wedding Friday, Dec. 9, of Miss Carolyn Cunningham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cunningham of Muenster and Charles Bridier Jr. of Fort Worth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bridier of that city.

Rt. Rev. Msgr. John P. Brady celebrated the Mass at 7:30 p.m. and performed the double ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white wool suit with white accessories and carried an orchid atop her prayer book.

She was attended by her cousin, Mrs. Charles Wray of Dallas, who wore a light blue suit with white accessories and a gardenia corsage.

The bridegroom's brother, John Bridier, was best man. After their honeymoon the newlyweds will be at home in Fort Worth at 808 Phillip Parker Road.

Mrs. Bridier is a graduate of Sacred Heart High School and has been employed by an insurance firm in Dallas. Mr. Bridier is in business in Fort Worth.

Among relatives and friends at the wedding and a reception afterward at the Wray home were the bride's parents, her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Alfons Pautler, and cousins Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Pautler.

Never argue at meals — the one who isn't hungry always wins.

Open House Will Honor Redmans on 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. (Ted) Redman, long-time Cooke County residents who reside northwest of Muenster, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Saturday, Dec. 17, at an open house party.

Their son and daughter-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. Roy Alvin Redman, will host the observance in Fellowship Hall at First Methodist Church in Saint Jo from 2 to 4 o'clock and extend a general invitation to all friends of the couple to attend.

Mr. Redman is a retired farmer. The Rev. Redman is the couple's only child.

Report on Fresca: Instant Success, Soaring Profits

Fresca, the newest soft drink introduced in the Gainesville area by the Gainesville Coca-Cola Bottling Co. is continuing to surprise even its own producers by exceeding all goals set for it. Mr. Wilson, manager, states that since this sugar-free citrus-flavored drink moved into general distribution nine months ago, Fresca has passed up all sales forecasts by the Coca-Cola Company and its Bottlers, and has become America's fastest growing soft drink.

The "blizzard" image generated by national advertising to describe the frosty taste of Fresca has stirred not only a storm of sales but unprecedented problems of keeping supply lines open in volume sufficient for the instant demand. "Everywhere, consumer enthusiasm is mounting for the advertising and the product that so completely delivers the refreshing promise," Mr. Wilson declares.

Currently, Fresca is marketed by Coca-Cola Bottlers distributing to areas having over 120 million people. Mr. Wilson said that the 1966 national projections for the beverage had already been exceeded by more than 50 per cent. "Although it was available only in 20 test markets last February, it will be nationwide by Spring," he predicts.

"After Fresca was developed by Coca-Cola Company, consumer taste tests confirmed that we had a unique, completely different kind of drink that is extremely refreshing," states Mr. Wilson. "The finding which surprised us most, however, was that the majority of purchases were being made in addition to normal soft drink purchases... additionally convincing evidence that a completely new and different soft drink has been created. The fact that it is sugar-free is just an incidental bonus to the consumer," he said.

Although the marketing program for the new drink is geared toward the all-family refreshment market, Fresca also has exhibited high potential as a mixer, emphasizing its appeal to all market segments.

Local News BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Al Horn enjoyed a recent trip to Port Aransas for deep sea fishing and visits in Harlingen with friends. They made the trip with Mr. and Mrs. Al Swirczynski of Mesquite, Enroute they spent one night with a niece and family, the Paul Deltzes in Houston. In Harlingen they visited the L. A. and Leo Spaeths.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Homsey were back for a visit Friday enroute to their home in Fort Worth after a business trip to Wisconsin and Illinois. They visited their daughter and family, the Willie Walterscheids and went to see building progress at the Walterscheids' new home.

Fresh oranges and grapefruit came back from the Valley with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lutkenhaus when they returned Sunday night from a four-day trip that combined pleasure and business in Brownsville, LaFeria, and Old Mexico including Matamoros and Nuevo Laredo. The citrus fruit came from the orchard of Carl Bauer.

Mrs. Frank Haynes Jr. and children, Marie, David and Kenneth spent the weekend with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Milner.

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For example, hefty glasses of Fresca, a new and zippy, cold-as-a-blizzard, citrus flavored beverage is a cheery drink. Poured right from the soy bottle into frosted glasses refreshes the low in spirit or heightens the spirit of the conqueror. It has less than 2 calories per serving, too. To the glass add a sprig of mint, a whole cherry or wedge of pineapple if you desire—for added frill.

To go along with the ever-so-tasty-cold, cold drink, guests will really go for unusual marinated shrimp and dunking sauce. The marinade uses as the base the same zesty beverage and some of the marinade then goes into the dunking sauce. Who says it doesn't pay to accentuate the positive—especially when you know you're positively right!

Serve the shrimp with rounds of buttered toast, olives, pickles and carrot curls. You can't lose—no matter who wins the game. For another time you might like to serve the shrimp in an avocado mold. Here again the citrus flavored beverage is used as the liquid in the mold enhancing and complementing the flavorful shrimp.

MARINATED SHRIMP

1-1/2 to 2 pounds whole peeled and deveined shrimp



2 10-ounce bottles low-calorie citrus-flavored beverage (Fresca)

1/2 teaspoon powdered ginger

1/4 teaspoon powdered cloves

2 cloves garlic

2 teaspoons soy sauce

1-1/2 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce

1/4 cup lemon juice or vinegar

2 teaspoons salt (more if needed)

1 teaspoon marjoram

1 teaspoon basil

1/4 teaspoon hot pepper sauce

Combine all ingredients; bring to boil, turn off heat and

let shrimp cool in liquid. Let stand several hours or overnight. Remove shrimp. Reserve marinade.

DUNKING SAUCE

18-ounce package cream cheese

1/2 cup chili sauce

1/2 cup mayonnaise

Enough marinade to make of dunking consistency

Combine cheese, chili sauce and mayonnaise, blend to smooth. Beat in enough marinade to make of dunking consistency.

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Phone Employees Have Yule Party

Muenster Telephone Corporation employees and their spouses or guests were treated to their annual pre-Christmas dinner party Sunday by their employers, Alvin Fuhrman and Billy Joe Miller and their wives.

The 6 p.m. dinner was catered by Rohmer's and was held in the telephone building. A gift exchange followed the meal. Eighteen were present.

A special guest was Mrs. J. S. Horn, 91, who took over as first switchboard operator when the system was installed in 1907 and held the job for many years.

Local News BRIEFS

Muenster bankers and their wives were at a bank party Saturday night at Leeper Lake with First State Bank of Gainesville as host. Attending from here were Messrs. and Mrs. J. M. Weinzaepfel, Herbert Meurer, Earl Fisher, Henry Weinzaepfel and John D. Meurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kappas have moved to Fort Worth where both are employed for a finance company. They visited here with his mother for a few weeks following his separation from the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hennigan Sr. were at Gainesville Hospital twice, Friday and Sunday, to see their new granddaughter, Sharon Rene Pelzel, and to visit their daughter Mrs. Felix Pelzel. Mr. and Mrs. Pelzel welcomed their little girl Friday morning. Mother and baby were dismissed Monday and are at their home in Pilot Point.

Weekending here with the J. M. Weinzaepfels were their daughter Mary and family, the Bill Birdens, Billy, Andy and Jonathan of Fort Worth. Thursday visitors were another daughter, Dora, Mrs. H. L. Jackson and three children of Fort Worth. They were all anxious to hear details of the parents' and grandparents' trip around the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Medders returned Tuesday from a visit in Tennessee — Knoxville, Jellico and Memphis — with relatives and long-time friends.

Muenster Hospital Administrator Sister Mildred returned Saturday from a five-day institute for hospital administrators in Houston. Also there was Sister Thomasine Walterscheid, formerly of Muenster, administrator at Mercy Hospital in Brinkley, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Tugle enjoyed a telephone visit with their daughter, Miss Donna Tugle, who phoned from Washington, D. C., Tuesday night. News was exchanged from both ends of the line. Donna said it was snowing and six inches of snow was on the ground.

Members of Muenster Hospital Auxiliary gave Muenster Memorial Hospital a Christmas look Tuesday when they set up two ornamented trees — one in the front lobby and one in the main hall near the family lobby. The women also placed artistic decor at the main entrance and at vantage spots throughout the building.

Annual ritual of the Advent Wreath was held the past week at Sacred Heart High as assembly with Father Benedict Buergler blessing the wreath and explaining its meaning. The wreath has four candles symbolizing the 4000 years the world waited for the coming of the Redeemer. One candle is lighted each week. The wreath was made by Cheryl Reiter and Joyce Klement.

Gary Hess, pure bred Charolais breeder, and Mrs. Hess attended a cocktail party and he was at a cattle sale during the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Hess were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson B. Hunt for the pre-sale party in First National Bank Building in Dallas. Accompanying them from here were Messrs. and Mrs. Frank Schilling and Gene Klement. Saturday Mr. Hess and daughter Gloria attended the cattle sale at the Hunt Ranch in Terrell. Bidding was lively and one of the cows brought \$12,500.

Members of Sacred Heart fifth and sixth grades boys' 4-H club had a program explaining a camera, its parts and how to take pictures. Paul Jenkins, assistant county agent, demonstrated as he lectured. Lonnie Hellman, president, presided. Paul Bloom led the inspiration and Ernest Martin counted 21 present.

4-H Group Hears Christmas Ideas

Sacred Heart 4-H Club girls at their December meeting heard Christmas gift suggestions presented by Mrs. Eddie Fleitman and Mrs. Julian Walterscheid.

The girls also discussed cooking classes some had attended and made plans to attend the county-wide Christmas party.

Lenora Fleitman, president, presided, Nancy Fuhrmann led the inspiration and Janet Knabe reported 33 members present.

For recreation the group sang Christmas songs and Lenora Fleitman closed the meeting with the 4-H motto.

TRUCK WILL CALL

The Salvation Army truck will be in Muenster to pick up clothing and household discards on Monday and Tuesday, December 19 and 20. A call to 759-4311 will bring the truck to any home or business place in the Muenster area.

Back in Muenster, Joe Lehnertz tells about a fine time visiting his sons in Spokane, Wash. One of them, Gene Lehnertz, drove him home and spent a few days visiting his mother and other relatives.

Basketball Wins Remain Scarce At Public School

Basketball wins are still scarce at the Muenster Public School. During the past week the record for all teams was 2 out of 7.

High school activity consisted of two games for each team in the Saint Jo tournament. The Hornets met Saint Jo B in their opener for a slim win of 42-34, and ran into real power in their next game. Forestburg clobbered them 88-29.

MHS girls, already weak, were lots weaker with their three regular forwards out for sickness. The team, including five freshmen, was mauled in the opener by Saint Jo's regulars and was eliminated from the consolation bracket by Saint Jo B.

B stringers of MHS won by a single point and the two elementary teams lost in a three game program at Sanger Monday night.

The B game was a hot one ending in a 24-24 tie in the overtime. During the first overtime Muenster got a 2 pointer and the home team got only a free shot.

Elementary girls, who beat Sanger in a previous game,

made a good start in this one for a 16-8 half time lead, then went into a second half slump and lost 21-18.

Elementary boys were annihilated, as before. The score was 51-8.

Last pre-Christmas activity for the high school teams will be a tournament at Krum this weekend. Last for elementary kids will be boys' and girls' games with Lindsay next Monday night in the MHS gym.

SH Alumni Assn. Elects '67 Officers

Sacred Heart Alumni Association, meeting Wednesday night, elected officers for a new year and discussed plans for a spring volley ball tournament.

Continuing in office as the result of the election are President Ervin Henscheid, Vice President Charles Bayer, and Secretary Mrs. Sylvan Walterscheid. Dennis Hess is the new treasurer succeeding his brother, Donald Hess who will leave for military service soon after the first of the year.

Father Benedict Buergler and Sister Roberta met with the group. Twenty-five were present and helped themselves to a buffet of pickup foods after adjournment.

Parish Societies See Rev. Alcuin's Foreign Trip Films

Highlight of the December meetings of the Parish St. Joseph's and St. Anne's Societies was a program of colored slides shown by Pastor Father Alcuin Kubis with his commentary on his recent trip to Europe and the Middle East.

The men and women groups held a joint session for the program.

Business was brief and routine with a report on the Thanksgiving benefit picnic and dance. The societies earmarked some of the funds for improvement of facilities on the parish picnic grounds.

Wilde Chevrolet Company's shop foreman Ollie Horn spent several days this week at General Motors Training Center attending a Fisher Body School — a special course in body training.

Bill Medlen, former resident and Enterprise employee, was back in town Wednesday making pop calls on old friends.

Benjamin Franklin was the first American ambassador to France.

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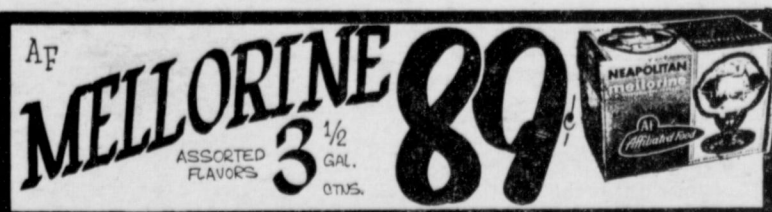
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Parochial Teams Win 2 and Lose 2

Sacred Heart High teams broke even in their four basketball game of the past week.

Tigerettes, competing in the tournament at Saint Jo started with a 25-15 decision over the Pantherette B team, then were rudely eliminated from the tourney 60-9 by the Pantherette A team.

Tuesday night boys and girls divided honors at Lindsay.

The Tigers started with a 10-10 tie in the first quarter and gained a little in each of the other three periods for counts of 23-17, 33-22 and 43-29. Larry Hess led the scoring with 15 and Tommy Hess hit 12 points besides doing a fine defensive job. Jerry Otto and Leon Endres each scored 8. Lindsay leaders were M. Hundt 8, D. Arendt 7, and R. Zimmerer 6. Tigerettes made a slow start falling back 8-15 in the first quarter and 15-27 at the half. After that they played it even for a third quarter score of 23-35 and the final score of 31-43.

Dianne Gehrig was top Sacred Heart scorer with 13 points. Margie Fuhrmann and J. Zimmerer each made 15 for Lindsay.

Next action for the teams will be in the Slidell tournament this weekend and with Lindsay on the Sacred Heart court next Wednesday night.

The weight of a man's years invariably settles around his belt line.

Concert, Parties On Public School Yule Calendar

Next week's Christmas schedule at the Muenster public school will consist of two big events, both at night.

The first will be a combined vocal and band concert of Christmas music Tuesday night under direction of Gareld Payne, band director. It is due to begin at 8:15, admission is free and the public is invited.

Wednesday night is the time for all Christmas parties. The big one is a combination event for junior and senior high students starting at 7:30 o'clock. It will consist principally of gift exchanges and refreshments.

While that one is under way each of the elementary classes, grades 1 through 6, will have a separate party in its own room. And the main activities at each will be refreshments and gift exchanges.

Joe Lukes Hosts At Texaco Party

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Luke entertained at their home Tuesday evening with an open house party and buffet for the Texoma area Texaco Inc. employees and their wives. More than 30 guests attended from 7:30 to 10 o'clock.

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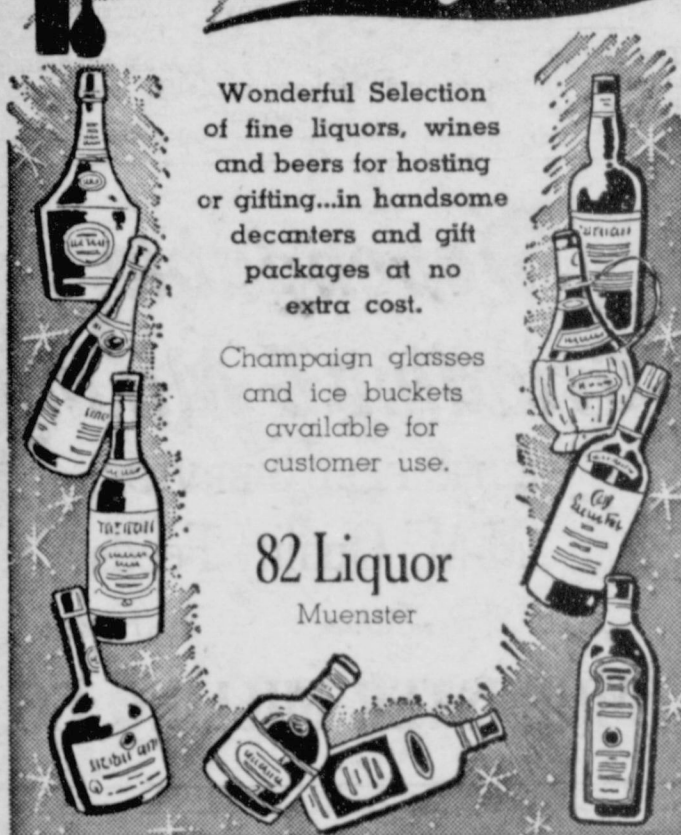
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Sacred Heart Parish opens fund for new church. Tom Watson, 39, of Myra dies of pneumonia. Mrs. John Sturm 77, dies at Lindsay. J. W. Meurer is seriously ill following collapse at bank desk after refusing to take off from work for attack of flu. C. J. Kaiser is seriously ill with pneumonia. Mrs. Rosina Klement, 84, breaks hip in fall. Joe Cooke's jaw is broken by horse's kick. Klough Edelen dies of injuries in Oklahoma oil field explosion. Bill Fink of the Enterprise moves his family here from Kerrville. Sumacs accept invitation to Ringgold basketball tournament.

25 YEARS AGO

Dec. 12, 1941

Muenster anxiously follows reports of Japanese conflict... several youths from here are believed located in war zone... Ensign Robert Weinzaepfel dive bomber pilot on aircraft Lexington, is stationed at Pearl Harbor, scene of last Sunday's Jap assault. Ray Tempel, 19, follows father's precedent; is first to enlist since the declaration of war. Ludwig Zimmerer of LaFeria dies. Railroad crossing crash is fatal to Marvin Davidson 24, of Myra. Eddie Magee, Harry Fisher, Alois Rohmer, Adolph Schumacher and Alphonse Schmitz enter selective service. Thirty-one children are in this year's First Communion class. The home of Annie and Mary Becker is being remodeled.

20 YEARS AGO

Dec. 13, 1946

Edward "Buddy" Fette, 43, dies suddenly of heart failure. Community clothing drive for war relief totals 1097 pounds. Sacred Heart Alumni plans holiday dinner dance. Mrs. Bob Knabe breaks left ankle in fall. Kathy Voth has minor surgery. Arnie Swirczynski joins Lou Wolf in barber shop. Community's annual turkey market hits new low with only 400 birds. Lena Kleiss returns from a visit in Houston. Three inches of rain falls in three days. Meinrad Stoffels is promoted to sergeant in Toyko. Elsie Sanches of Wichita, Kansas, fiancée of Gene Hoedebeck, is visiting the family here. The John Hoberers Jr. celebrate their silver wedding anniversary at Lindsay.

15 YEARS AGO

Dec. 14, 1951

City asks for drilling bids on new water well. Three of four busses on parochial school routes are in service. Parish gives \$537 to Dallas orphan-

age in annual collection. J. M. Weinzaepfel attends credit school at A&M. J. J. Haverkamp and Alex Lutkenhaus are recovering from surgery. Sacred Heart Press Clubbers attend Denton convention. Local farmers make tour of Texas Research Foundation at Renner. The Eugene Klements and family are back from a vacation visit in Wisconsin. Boy Scouts pass cooking tests on Sunday outing. New arrivals: Lola for the Joe Voths and Terry Ann for the Russell Herbs. SH Sodality observes patronal feast with attendance at Mass, reception of 14 new members and Communion breakfast.

10 YEARS AGO

Dec. 14, 1956

Cold, wet weather puts handicap on Christmas parade and reduces attendance. Rain measures half inch to bring year's total to date to 18.04 inches. Muenster and Saint Jo Bands work on joint concert. Robert K. Maupin, state VFW leader and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Lyons, dies. Fire Department elects Herbie Herr chief. Infant son of the Eddie Fettes dies at Kermit. Brownie troop will have Christmas program and caroling. Franciscan Third Order admits four new members. Girl Scouts make Christmas gifts for their mothers. Max Harrell, who survived historic brain surgery, is making progress in recovery. Rex Anderson resigns as assistant county agent to take vocational ag teaching job at Forestburg. Mrs. Frank Yosten's father, Julius Filer, 84, dies at Tours.

5 YEARS AGO

Dec. 15, 1961

Little interest is seen in Saturday's election to elect successors to Congressman Frank Icard and Representative Tony Koriath. Season's worst ice storm brings 12 degree temperature. County men join state wide effort for animal health in screw-worm program. Gene Hoedebeck is elected new fire chief. Completion nears on detail plan for local hospital. Larry Hofbauer takes on defense project as missile technician in New York. Muenster teams win two trophies in basketball tournament: SH girls are runner-ups and MHS boys win consolation. A. J. Phillips is new man for Lone Star Gass Co. in this area. Leonard Hartman is recovering from major surgery. Kenny Fette is transferred to Guam. Lindsay youngsters and Craft Club leaders take Christmas gifts to children at State School in Denton. CDA meeting Friday will feature business and annual Yule party. Celine Trubenbach and Walter Bartel set wedding Jan. 6. New arrivals: girls for Messrs. and Mmes. Jim Herms, Leroy Schmidkofer and Thomas Felderhoff.

47 Will Be Killed In Holiday Traffic Says DPS Director

Predicted by the Department of Public Safety are 47 deaths in traffic accidents for the Christmas holiday weekend.

Says Col. Homer Garrison Jr., DPS director, "We are going to undertake one of the most intensive safety efforts ever, in hopes of reducing this figure." Several state agencies and organizations interested in safety are working hand-in-hand with the department to help hold down the toll as much as possible.

"Operation Deathwatch" will be conducted from 6 p.m., December 23, until midnight, December 26, to focus attention on the dangers involved in holiday travel.

"Deathwatch" will be re-

sumed at 6 p.m., December 30, and continue until midnight, January 2. It is predicted that 36 persons will die in traffic accidents during this period.

Some 150 additional patrolmen will be on duty in an effort to reduce the toll.

In terms of lives lost and property damage in 1966 to date has been the most terrible in Texas history.

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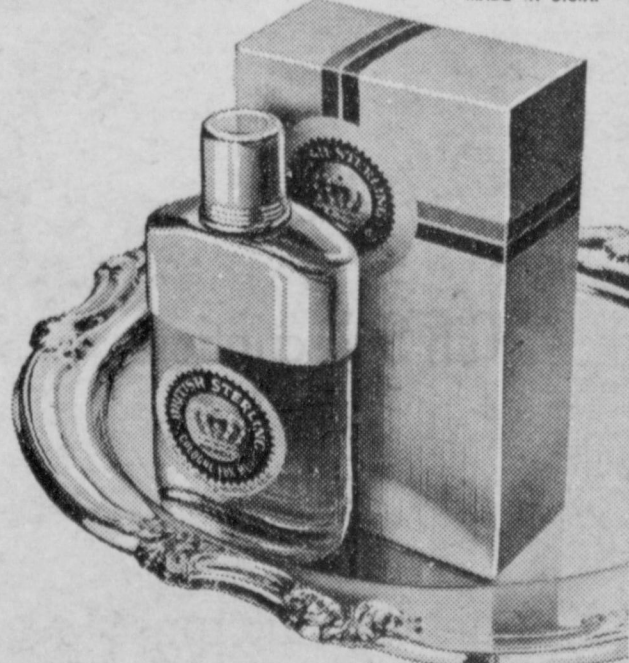


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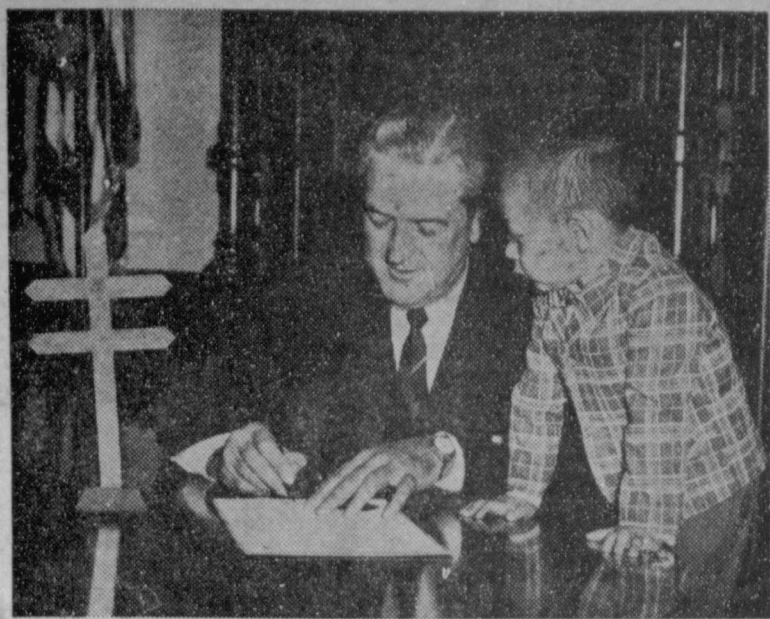
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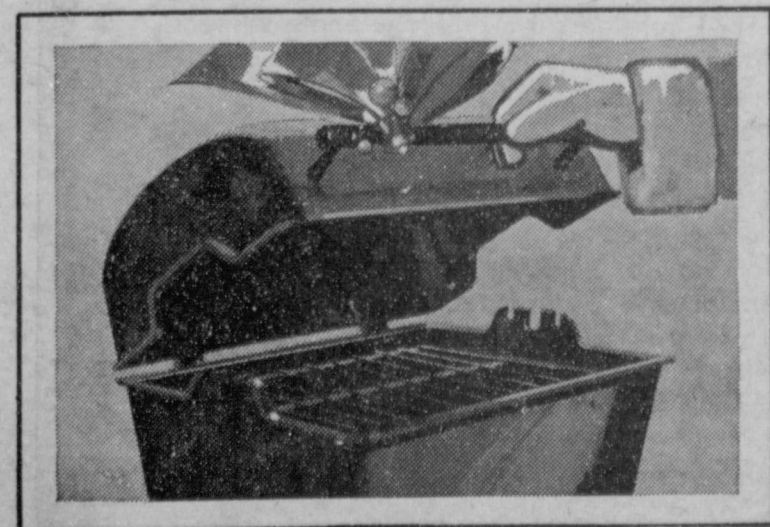
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Medicine Has Control but Not Cure for Diabetes

As an editorial in the Journal of the American Medical Association points out, millions of diabetics are living essentially normal lives, and among them are many outstandingly active and successful people. Beginning with the discovery of insulin, techniques for controlling diabetes have undergone tremendous development.

Diabetes is a chronic condition which develops when the body cannot make use of certain foods, especially sugars and starches.

Diabetes can be controlled in most patients. It cannot be cured, but it can be endured with a minimum of discomfort. The problem is to find those millions of Americans who have diabetes and bring them under medical care.

The American Diabetes Association estimates that one American in every 50 has diabetes, and that there are approximately 4,000,000 diabetics in the United States today. Of this number, about 2,400,000 know they have diabetes, and about 1,600,000 are still unaware of their condition. At least 250,000 new cases are being diagnosed each year.

The usual signs of severe diabetes are increase in thirst, constant hunger, frequent urination, loss of weight, intense itching, easy tiring, and changes in vision. However, diabetes may be present without any signs at all.

The most likely targets are persons who are related to diabetics, are overweight, or are past 40 years of age.

Diabetes can be controlled by diet, exercise, and, when necessary, insulin, or, in older and milder diabetics, one of the oral compounds. A planned diet is always a fundamental of diabetes treatment.

Goals of National Diabetes Week, sponsored each year by the American Diabetes Association, are four-fold—

Encourage everyone to be tested for diabetes, since there are many who have diabetes and do not know it;

Warn everyone of the dangers of hidden diabetes;

Inform those whose tests indicate a possibility of diabetes; See that those definitely found to have diabetes receive proper medical care.

Diabetes ranks seventh in the list of causes of death by disease. Neglect of the disease can lead to such complications as heart disease, failing eyesight, hardening of the arteries, kidney disorders, gangrene, cerebral hemorrhage and diabetic coma.

A simple kit which enables anyone to take a test for diabetes at home, called Drey-pak, has been widely distributed to many communities for National Diabetes Week. It consists of a chemically-treated strip of paper which comes in a return envelope.

If the kits are available in your community, the American Medical Association urges everyone to use them. Or ask your family physician for his advice on testing your family for diabetes. This is a serious illness, but can be controlled, with the help of your physician. To be controlled, it must first be discovered.

1,104 Students Are Registered at County College

With 1,104 students registered this semester, an all-time record, Cooke County Junior College is helping to raise the educational achievement level of families throughout the North Texas area.

To most students and their families, the cost of a college education is a sacrifice to themselves and their families. About 85 per cent of the CCJC students lessen this sacrifice by earning part of or all their expenses.

President John H. Parker says a major goal of the CCJC administration is to expand the scholarship opportunities on the campus through the College's long-range development program. He believes a major factor in the future growth of the college, as well as in the economic development of Cooke County, is the availability of student jobs or scholarships whereby families with reduced income can participate in the benefits of higher education.

The outstanding example of philanthropy in the CCJC development program has been the Mary Josephine Cox Foundation. More than 1,000 Cooke County students have been helped by the legacy. Eighty-five students are on Mary Josephine Cox scholarships at the college this semester.

A major addition to the CCJC scholarship program during the past year has been the work-study scholarships, 90 per cent of which are financed by the federal government. At CCJC this semester 57 students are on work-study scholarships compared to 28 students during the spring semester.

A third major source of scholarships has been the "Dollars for Scholars" foundation supported by Gainesville citizens. Five CCJC students are benefiting from "Dollars for Scholars" at the present time.

Three new scholarship funds were established at CCJC during the past year. The largest of these is the Lee Clark Scholarship Fund, which was established by the first graduating class of CCJC in honor of the Gainesville school superintendent who founded CCJC in 1924. Donations to this scholarship fund have exceeded \$1,000 during the first six months of its existence.

Two Sally Bass scholarships have been awarded by the College this semester to future teachers. The Sally Bass awards are donated by the children and friends of the late Mrs. Sally Bass, school teacher. Her two sons, Ed and Jim Bass, are former students of CCJC. Billy Joe Linn and Patsy Wilson are 1966-67 Sally Bass scholars.

Nine CCJC students are benefiting this semester from tuition scholarships established by the Astronomy Club at CCJC under the leadership of Paul Thomas, Astronomy instructor.

It takes 10 inches of snow to equal an inch of rain.

William Henry Harrison was the oldest U.S. president to take office. He was 68.

SH 4-H Girls End Cooking Classes

A group of Sacred Heart 4-H Club girls have finished a series of six cooking lessons in preparation for the annual Favorite Foods Show.

Adult leaders were Mrs. Arnold Rohmer and Mrs. Ed Sicking while Miss Dianne Sicking was junior leader.

The group met at Sacred Heart School in the homemaking room. Lessons and demonstrations after classes, were on nutrition, purchase and preparation of food. For the lesson on food purchasing the group toured a local grocery store.

Members finishing the course are Mary Bayer, Joanie Rohmer, Gayle Sicking, Donna Sicking, Janel Stoffels, Nancy Endres, Peggy Sicking, Marla Grewing.

SHH Sophomores Hear, Give Talks In Religion Study

The sophomore class of Sacred Heart High has been striving for unity and a Catholic understanding of other faiths by listening to talks from speakers of other religions.

Among these speakers were Episcopal Father Russell L. Clapp from Gainesville, Rev. W. D. Craig from Nocona and Billy Taylor, a student at Nocona High School.

Student speakers from Sacred Heart High visited Nocona and spoke to students on various phases of the Catholic religion. The speakers and their topics were J. D. Lutmer, "The Mass;" Margaret Kralicke, "The Pope;" Diane Hess, "The Sacraments of Baptism and Holy Eucharist," and Kenneth Schmitz, "The Other Sacraments."

County Assn. for Retarded Children Has 6th Birthday

The Cooke County Association for Retarded Children observed the sixth birthday of the organization Dec. 8 at a regular meeting. Principal business was election of officers for a new year and project planning.

Members approved the slate of officers as presented by the nominating committee and Joe Walter is serving as president for another term. Two other officers were re-elected. Don Slagle continues as first vice president and George Stephenson as treasurer.

Other officers are Mrs. Barbara Marshall, second vice president; Solen Bragg, Mrs. Ed Sicking, Mrs. Alice Clapp and Mrs. Annie Crawford, two year directors.

Holdover directors are Bill Hughes, Mrs. Joe Walter, Rev. Russell Clapp and Mrs. Mary Brown.

Current project of the association is gathering Christmas gifts for the State School at Denton. Anyone wishing to contribute is invited to leave items at Joe Walter Lumber Company through Saturday this week. The gifts will be delivered Sunday.

Projects for the new year are sponsoring a county child at Denton State School and transportation.

Hostesses for the social hour and birthday party after adjournment were Mes. Annie Crawford and Barbara Marshall. Mrs. Crawford made and decorated the cake. It was served with a buffet of pickup foods and coffee.

A woman waiting at the door ready to go to the store had her arms full of coats and four little children at her side. Her husband, coming down the stairs, asked why she was standing there. She replied, "This time you put the children's coats on and I'll go honk the horn."



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FB Prexy Names Committee Heads

Charlie Kammerdiener, newly-elected president of Cooke County Farm Bureau assumed his duties at the organization's monthly meeting last week for the board of directors and named appointive officers.

Hugh Porter is secretary-treasurer; J. T. Cole heads the animal health committee, Burney Almon is in charge of membership.

Named to head the policy development committee are Martin Krah, J. E. Balentine and J. T. Cole.

Heading the social committee for the coming year is Mrs. Al Bengfort. The young people's committee is headed by Jerry Sicking, Hugh Porter and Richard Klement.

In charge of the 1967 queen's contest will be Mrs. Jerry Sicking, Mrs. Hugh Porter and Mrs. Richard Klement.

Garden Club Has Cookie Bake for December Meeting

Members of Muenster Civic League and Garden Club had a cookie bake Monday night for their December meeting, baking, decorating and packaging Christmas cookies which they will gift to Muenster Hospital and Golden Years Rest Home for Christmas.

Thirteen members gathered in the MHS homemaking room with favorite recipes and ingredients and "had a ball." At the end of the meeting they viewed 45 Christmas packages, and had a recipe exchange and examined homemade Christmas decorations and novelties members exhibited.

Mrs. Henry Weinzaepfel and Mrs. John Mosman were co-hostesses. They served coffee and cookies.

Doug Hellman Has Part in Program For Bronco Week

Doug Hellman who is a professor of psychology at Pan American College in Edinburg, Texas, has written his parents, the Arthur Hellmans, about Bronco Week. He was sponsor of the fraternity which was in charge of planning and putting on the program. It was a huge success.

Included were rodeo, campus activity and a hootenanny in the auditorium, a parade including 18 decorated floats, 20 convertibles carrying Bronco queens, and six marching bands. Also a street dance, barbecue, and the Bronco dance. Ben Barnes was among those attending an assembly and was presented a hat.

Doug was on television twice and on radio in connection with the week's program.

He was especially congratulated by the college president for engineering such a successful program which detailed lots of work.

Doug will be home for Christmas. So will his brother Mark, student at A&M University, majoring in veterinary medicine.

School Operation Will Cost State Over \$667 Million

Last year's price of \$647,516,534 for the minimum operation of Texas public schools set a record, but State Education Commissioner J. W. Edger says the "minimum foundation fund" will be even greater this year — \$667,875,000.

Fund, which is distributed according to the needs of the school district and its average daily attendance, draws its resources from two state sources; the available school fund, including a fourth of all occupation taxes by that state, and other state revenues.

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CD of A Members Cheer Shut-ins With Yule Gifts

Shut-ins were cheered Saturday when members of Muenster Court Catholic daughters of America distributed Christmas basket taking them to the homes.

After the court's regular meeting Friday night members packed 21 baskets of homemade goodies and other treats for local shut-ins, the hospital and rest home and for the pastors and Benedictine Sisters.

The business session was brief with routine reports including Mrs. Steve Moser's library report and her announcement that the court is again sponsoring the annual poetry contest for students. Both schools are planning to participate. Mrs. Paul Fisher, grand regent, presided and 42 members attended.

Mrs. Andy Schoech displayed vestments she made for her priest son, Father Frowin Schoech. The vestments are white dacron knit with red.

Mrs. Tommy Knabe, refreshment hostess, served coffee and Christmas cookies. The cookies were made and donated by Mrs. Jerry Walterscheid.

One Third of American Adults On Federal Payroll

Nearly one out of every three adults has come to depend for his or her income on a regular check from Uncle Sam.

Once or twice each month the federal government makes out checks to 34,000,000 individuals, according to U. S. Treasury Department disbursing office.

Social Security recipients, federal payrolls, veterans, retired civil servants are a growing army of Americans whose sole or partial support comes from the banks of the Potomac River.

Also to be added to this vast army are other millions who are direct and indirect beneficiaries of federal funds spent for various projects for poverty and slum elimination.

Truly the United States worker and employer is the modern ALIAS.

—Weekly Labor Forecast and Review

TSTA Asks for Thirteen Grades In Texas Schools

Addition of kindergartens to public schools will be a major school proposal in the 1967 session of the Legislature.

State Board of Education has recommended it. Texas State Teachers Association feels it is vital to public education, and will support the board's position.

Expanding the public school system to 13 grades is advocated by educators on the ground that children learn more quickly at age 5, and simply because more education is needed for this complicated world. It would, of course, increase the cost of public schools by one-twelfth, at both state and local levels.

School teachers will press for a pay raise to lift Texas salary levels to the national average, but will let the Board of Education carry the ball on the kindergarten proposal.

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at the Courthouse thereof, in
Gainesville, Texas, by filing a
written answer 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 9th day of January A.D.
1967, to Plaintiff's Petition filed
in said court on the 26th day
of October A.D. 1966, in this cause,
numbered 20372 on the docket of
said court and styled Smith L.
Stover, Plaintiff, vs. Linnie Stover,
Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature
of this suit is as follows, to-wit:
Suit for divorce as is more fully
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If this citation is not served

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of its issuance, it shall be returned
unserved.
The officer executing this writ
shall promptly serve the same
according to requirements of law,
and the mandates hereof, and make
due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand
and the seal of said court at
Gainesville, Texas, this 25th
day of November A.D. 1966.

Attest: Milton Thomason, Clerk,
16th District Court
Cooke County, Texas

By: Linda Morgan, Deputy

A high school teacher walked
into a noisy class room, slap-
ped his hand on the desk
sharply. "Now hear this! I
demand absolute pandemonium!"
and the class quieted com-
pletely at once.

Marysville News

By Mrs. John Richey

MARYSVILLE, Dec. 13 —
Mrs. John Richey is conval-
escing at home after recent
surgery in Nocona Hospital.
Cheering her with visits have
been her sisters, Mrs. Earl Coc-
bra of Gainesville, and Mrs.
Fred Richey, her husband and
son Larry of Era, Mr. and
Mrs. O. H. Dennis of Dallas,
her brother and sister-in-law,
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wyatt of
Callisburg, the Robert Rich-
eys, Judy and Johnny of Siv-
elis Bend and local friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles David-
son and daughter Becky
were guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Bob Hurley at Gainesville
when they were hosts enter-
taining choir members of
Whaley Memorial Methodist
Church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. David-
son spent Thursday at Callis-
burg with their daughter, Mrs.
Bill Roe and Mr. Roe.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ramsey
of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Mel-
ton Ramsey and sons of
Whitesboro, Mr. and Mrs. Wil-
lis Robison of Gainesville and
Bro. Burnett of Denison cheer-
ed V. M. Ramsey with bedside
visits at Golden Years Home
Sunday. Visiting him Monday
were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon
Ramsey of Gainesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sparkman
and son Sammy drove to Sag-
inaw Sunday to join other
relatives in celebrating the 81st
birthday of his mother, Mrs.

THAT'S A FACT

CHRISTMAS "BOXING DAY"
A CUSTOM CARRIED
OVER FROM ENGLAND
BY THE EARLY AMERICAN
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"BOXING DAY", INTO
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honoree at the celebration were
Mrs. A. A. Young of Valley
View and Mr. and Mrs. Joe
Hemphill of Saginaw. The
party was in the home of the
honored guest's daughter, Mrs.
Terrell Collins and family.
Those attending took covered
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for Mrs. Sparkman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Morris
visited Tuesday at Spring

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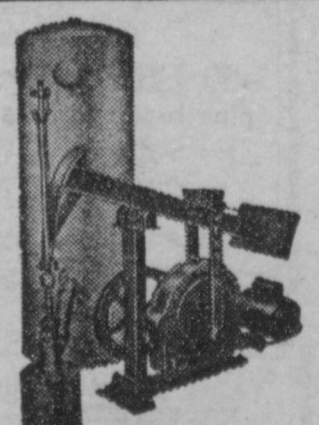
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Felderhoffs Host
8 Grandchildren
At Birthday Fete

December is birthday month
in the Tony Felderhoff family
and Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Tony
Felderhoff were hosts in their
home for a dinner party hon-
oring eight of their grand-
children.

Sharing honors of the occa-
sion were Jenny Felderhoff,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe
Felderhoff who was three,
Laurie Walterscheid, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Wal-
terscheid, who was six, and
Carol Felderhoff, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Felderhoff,
who was 12. These three birth-
days were Sunday.

Others sharing equally in the
honors were Kathy Felderhoff,
seven on Dec. 3; Anthony Fel-
derhoff, 14 on Dec. 7; Steve
Felderhoff, 13 on Dec. 14 —
all children of the A. J. Fel-
derhoffs — and Greg Walter-
scheid, brother of Laurie, who
will be two Dec. 20.

Their families attended with

them.
Decorated cakes, a gift ex-
change, and picture taking
were among party highlights.

The group recalled that
three other family members
observe birthdays in Decem-
ber. Mrs. Felderhoff's broth-
er, the Most Rev. Bishop Aug-
ustine Dangelmayr of Tyler had
a birthday Sunday, the coup-
le's son Charles Felderhoff has
a birthday Sunday, Dec. 16, and their
daughter Mrs. Sylvan Walter-
scheid, has a birthday Dec. 26.

Laurie Walterscheid started
her birthday celebration Sat-
urday with a slumber party for
Kathy Felderhoff, Monica
Hartman and Sherri Herr. Sun-
day after the dinner party,
back at home, other little
cousins and Mrs. Julian Wal-
terscheid and Grandfather and
Grandmother Walterscheid
gathered for gift giving, picture
taking and party refreshments.

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Lindsay News

Weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hermes was a friend, Frances Wendel of Wichita, Kansas. It was her first visit back to Lindsay in 16 years and she was amazed at the changes and growth that have taken place.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cutaia and daughter Carol of Dallas drove over for a Sunday afternoon visit with her mother, Mrs. Joe Bezner Sr.

Lindsay 4-H clubbers and their families were well represented at the annual Cooke County Christmas party for 4-H clubs in Gainesville Monday night.

Danny Eberhart has been dismissed from Gainesville Hospital where he was a patient since Nov. 18 when he sustained a back injury in a football game. He is the son of Mrs. Ruth Eberhart.

Annual Christmas party for Knights of Columbus and their families will be held Sunday, Dec. 18, in the KC Hall beginning at 2 p.m.

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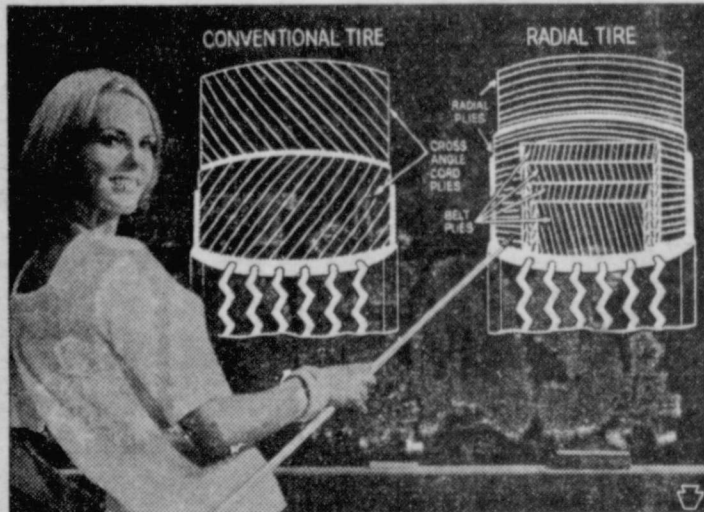
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There's a new type of automobile tire in your future, one as different from today's conventional bias ply tire as the first inflatable type was from the carriage wheel.

It's the radial ply tire, which many experts predict will become standard equipment on all new cars within five years. In fact, one auto maker already is offering this tire as standard on one '67 model and as optional equipment on others. What's more, radials are now available throughout the country as replacements to fit most American-made cars.

In outward appearance, radials look just about like any low profile bias ply tire. But that's where similarities end.

For one thing, reinforcing cords run straight across the tire from head to head at right angles to the direction of travel instead of diagonally in a crisscross pattern. Also, radials have additional plies of cord forming a rigid belt around the circumference of the tire directly beneath the tread, something conventional passenger tires don't have.

Finally, one type of cord material — rayon — has been found most satisfactory in the construction of radial ply tires. Nylon, for example, doesn't meet the demanding requirements for this radically different tire.

What does all this mean? It boils down to the fact that radial ply tires offer benefits of economy, safety and trouble-free service never before available to the motoring public.

Sunday, Dec. 18, is annual church warden election. Candidates are Henry Zimmerer, Bill Metzler, Frank Kuhn, Alloys Fuhrmann, Julius Sandmann, Bobby Bierschenk, Bill Gruber, Leonard Bengfort, Walter Luttmer and Melvin Voth. When votes are counted the top three will become wardens beginning Jan. 1. Next three high will become wardens Jan. 1, 1968. Method of voting is to write three names on a slip of paper and drop it in the collection basket.

Anton Dieter has been moved from his home to the home of his nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Dieter at Gainesville. His sister, Mrs. Albert Krebs, is spending the week with him there. Mr. Dieter has been in failing health for some time and his condition became worse during the weekend. He was moved Monday.

Mrs. George Spaeth accompanied her daughter, Miss Frances Spaeth of Denison, on a weekend visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Walt Barry Jr. and son James in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Krebs of Coalgate, Okla., visited during the weekend with her brother, Anton Dieter, who is ill. They also stopped to see other relatives and went to Muenster for a visit with their daughter, Sister Alberta.

Mrs. John Neu Jr. is in Weatherford since last Thursday with her seven grandchildren while their father, Victor Bierschenk, is at Harris Hospital in Fort Worth where he underwent back surgery. Mrs. Bierschenk is staying in Fort Worth to be near her husband. Mr. Neu took his wife to Weatherford and returned the same day.

Lindsay 4-H Sets Achievement Day

At their regular meeting for December members of Lindsay Community 4-H Club postponed their annual Achievement Day until January and will hold it in connection with their regular meeting. They are planning to show foods along with other projects.

Ralph Hermes, president, presided. Meeting opened with group recitation of the club motto.

Members decided to have a caroling party before Christmas.

For the program Ralph Hermes gave a demonstration on use of a camera and told members to take pictures of their projects.

After adjournment games were played and refreshments were served to 32 members and four adults present.

2 Babies Baptized In Joint Service

An infant girl and boy were baptized in a joint christening service in Sacred Heart Church Sunday afternoon with Father Alcuin Kubis officiating.

Connie Sue, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Regi Bayer, had as godparents, her grandparents, Mrs. Johnny Streng and Frank Bayer.

Afterward the baby's par-

ents were hosts in their home for a supper party attended by Messrs. and Mmes. Frank Bayer and Johnny Streng and Mr. and Mrs. Randy Bayer and daughters Cheryl, Diane and Leigh Ann of Grapevine.

David Anthony, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Dankesreiter, had his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Hermes of Lindsay as godparents. Others at the service, with the new parents, were the pater-

nal grandfather, Lawrence Dankesreiter and the baby's maternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Alfons Koesler Sr. They were all at a buffet supper afterward in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Dankesreiter.

Little David followed a family tradition by wearing the baptismal dress worn by his mother and all the children of the Tony Hermes. It was made by Mrs. Hermes.

Confetti - - -

ian affair, Britain voted again for Red China in the UN. A few years ago when we asked for an embargo of shipping to Cuba Britain continued shipping busses. Nowadays Britain continues hauling supplies to our enemy in Vietnam. The rule seems to be that England does as it pleases and when the chips are down we too do as England pleases.

This loyalty of ours would be understandable if Britain stuck with us though thick and thin. But as matters stand now we owe no favors, especially when they violate our traditions and principles.

The use of Xmas for Christmas originated in the early Christian Church. In Greek, X is the first letter of Christ's name. It often was used as a holy symbol.

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