



If you should come along a few years hence and find a fellow manhandling his car out of a tight parking space or lifting it on a block to change a tire, you'll know the age of magnesium has arrived, perhaps to leave its name on an era of civilization the way iron does today.

That is, unless the whole metal group is shoved back into second place by plastics. There was a time, you know, before iron or bronze were known well enough to be used extensively, when non-metallic substances such as stone and wood were accepted as basic materials.

Of the metals, we have reason to believe, magnesium will become a long odds favorite. Its feather weight makes it an ideal material for almost any movable object. Planes, trains, and ships at sea will use it to save tremendous tonnage in dead weight and increase their pay loads proportionately. Furniture, tools, appliances and gadgets will be made of it so they can be handled more easily. An automobile made of it will run more economically and literally float over mud bogs impassable to present cars.

While we're thinking about automobiles, let's take time out a few moments to imagine what they will be like after industry has had a chance to introduce some of its new developments. First there's the lightweight body, requiring less power. The power, most likely, will be furnished by a very small and highly efficient unit, the nature of which is anybody's guess. Perhaps an improvement on our present engines, perhaps something altogether different such as a turbine, a diesel or a modern adaptation of a steam engine. Such a thing has been developed, the principal innovation being that the steam—in this case some other propelling substance—is used over and over like the refrigerant in cooling systems. Who knows, maybe the car of tomorrow will be another steamer, one without the "bugs" that caused it to be discarded a few decades ago.

Getting back to magnesium, there's no reason to worry about the supply for quite a while. Doc Dow, head of the world's largest magnesium producing plant, is authority for the statement that 9 billion pounds of it are available in every cubic mile of ocean water. Obviously the only factor to determine how plentiful our supply of the finished metal will be is the cost of extracting it from water.

Possibilities in the development of this one substance alone are sufficient to dispel pessimism in our post war outlook. Then think of what has been done with aluminum, with plastics, with electronics, with medicines, in fact with thousands of new materials and new gadgets. The storehouse of future opportunities is literally bulging.

A sort of philosophical sidelight associated with future possibilities came up in a rab session here not long ago. It concerned that time worn subject, the end of the world, and here is the opinion advanced. In making the universe the Creator incorporated in it wonderful potentialities all to be discovered or developed in their proper time, and it is not consistent with our concept of the Creator to think He would permit a halt in His planned development until the full cycle is completed; or to use the biblical expression, "until the consummation of the world." Now the question is, how near are we to reaching the limit of our possibilities? That's about how near we are to the last day.

As far as yours truly is concerned, that line of reasoning has a lot more appeal than the other which bases its conclusions on an imagined similarity of present conditions with those predicted in scripture. A crape-hanger thinks of present woes and feels that things can't possibly get much worse, therefore concludes that the end of the world is just around the corner.

Before changing the subject the column offers its apologies for delving into the sacred realms of theology. And lest this go any farther, it refuses to be inveigled into an argument by any dissenting theologian.

At last we have an answer—such as it is—why our country cannot draft men to work as well as it can draft them to fight. The fighting man is directly serving the country whereas the working man is directly serving his immediate employer and only indirectly serving his country. What gets us is this persistent mockery of a term that has been crammed down our throats untempered gillion times. This is everybody's war, but... A man can't be forced to work in war industry because that would be forcing him to work for another man. But why

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WRITES FROM HOSPITAL

Master Sergeant Jimmy Lehnertz, writing from Italy to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehnertz under date of Feb. 27, advises them that he was at that time confined to a hospital but that he was recovering rapidly and would soon be back on duty with his outfit. His injuries consisted of bruised ribs and a lung injury sustained in a fall on a spike that entered his side and pierced his lung. Jim commented "I have been laid up a week today and this lying around gets in my hair. Although I receive the best of care and attention I am anxious to be back with the boys of the battery. Give my best regards to all my friends."

Back In The States

Sgt. Earl Lehnertz arrived back in the states Sunday and sent his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehnertz, the following telegram: "Am in California. Feeling fine. Hope to see you soon." He has been overseas in the Pacific theatre three years, serving with the ground forces of the air corps all the way from Australia to the Philippines. He entered the army in September 1940 and served as a cook.

Eight Day Extension

When S. Sgt. Joe Hess reported at Fort Sam Houston last week for re-assignment following a 30-day furlough here after returning from overseas, he was given an 8-day extension and came back to Muenster to spend it with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hess. He left again this Thursday.

Back At Home

T-5 Alphonse Schmitz arrived home Friday and has a 30-day furlough to spend with relatives before reporting at Fort Sam Houston for assignment. He and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schmitz of Valley View, spent Friday afternoon here visiting Messrs. and Mrs. Charles Fisher, H. and J. B. Schmitz and other relatives. T-5 Schmitz served in the Mediterranean theatre since going overseas in Sept. 1943. He was with an engineers battalion.

Stationed in France

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Schmitz have a letter this week from their son, S. Sgt. Bernard Schmitz, advising that he has arrived safely overseas and is stationed in France.

Word From Davey Lehnertz

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehnertz had a letter Friday from their son, Davey, advising that he was recently made a private first class. He is on duty somewhere in the Philippines and his letter was written from a hospital. His comment was: "I got too close to a Jap. But so far I have six notches on my rifle." No other details regarding his hospitalization were given.

Here On Furlough

Pfc. and Mrs. Henry Schneider are here for a visit with her mother, Mr. Carra Pagel, while he is on a 15-day furlough. Previously stationed at Independence, Kansas, Pfc. Schneider is being transferred to Randolph Field on completion of his furlough.

Transferred To New Mexico

S. Sgt. Harold Trachta was last week transferred from Casper, Wyoming, to Kiriland Field, New Mexico, he has a wife and his mother, Mrs. Annie Trachta.

Army Nurse Cadet

Miss Dorothy Nell Fletcher left on Feb. 28 to begin training as a cadet nurse at Fort Worth. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fletcher.

At Brooks General Hospital

Pfc. F. E. (Tood) McLeod, recently returned from overseas, is convalescing at Brooks General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, his wife advises this week. He spent from Jan. 8 to Feb. 5 with his family at Ardmore, Okla. upon his return to the states. He was injured while on duty in Italy.

Home From Persia

Pvt. Hugo Wilde, who spent the past 26 months overseas in Iran, returned home Friday. He is on a 30-day furlough with his wife and baby daughter at Gainesville. The baby was born after he left the states. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wilde of Gainesville, former Muenster residents, and visited here during the week with his brother, Richard Wilde and family, and his uncle, J. B. Wilde, and other relatives. On completion of his furlough he will report to Fort Benning, Ga., for assignment. He served with an ordnance company.

ABOARD TANKER



Roy Schumacher, seaman first class, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alf Schumacher, serves aboard a tanker and has spent 16 months in the Pacific war zone. He joined the Navy in May, 1943, and took his boot training at San Diego after which he was assigned to sea duty. He visited here the latter part of January on a 10-day leave and then reported back to the west coast. In a recent letter to his parents he advised that he was in Hawaii for a brief stay.

Capt. C. J. Fette

Awarded Distinguished Unit Citation Ribbon

A NINTH AIR FORCE RECONNAISSANCE BASE, FRANCE: Captain Christopher J. Fette, has been awarded the Distinguished Unit Citation ribbon as a result of a Presidential citation to the Ninth Air Force's 67th Reconnaissance Group.

The group, commanded by Colonel George W. Peck, of Detroit, was cited "for extraordinary performance in a action against the enemy in executing the most extensive low-altitude oblique photographic assignment ever undertaken over enemy territory." Shortly before D-Day, photographs of the invasion coast were required for completing invasion plans, and the task of obtaining these photos was assigned to Col. Peck's group.

"Successful accomplishment of this mission," the citation reads in part, "required long flights over heavily defended coastal areas, with the pilots foregoing evasive action and flying straight, level undeviating courses in spite of constant enemy fire. The brilliant achievement of the 67th Group in providing these indispensable photographs was a significant factor in the successful invasion of the Continent. Their extraordinary achievement and heroism in the execution of the arduous task was in keeping with the highest traditions of the Army Air Forces."

Capt. Fette, photographic officer of a P-51 Mustang tactical reconnaissance squadron, has been in service since April 1931. He has been in the European Theater of Operations since December 1943.

He is the son of Henry Trachta of this city and his wife and baby son reside in Meridian, Miss., since Capt. Fette is overseas. Two brothers, Sgt. David Trachta and Cpl. Richard Trachta, also serve with the army in the European theater.

JOE SICKING SENDS HANDMADE SOUVENIRS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sicking received an assortment of interesting and lovely souvenirs from their son, Pfc. Joe Sicking, last week. He is on duty in the Philippines.

One of the gifts is a handmade ash tray. The base is a 75MM Jap shell and in the center of the tray is a 50 caliber machine gun shell on which is mounted a miniature P-38 airplane that revolves. The whole is fashioned of small arm cartridges of various caliber.

Some more complicated hand work is displayed in a picture frame made of Japanese shells including rifle shells, and another souvenir is a mother of pearl shell about six inches in diameter.

Three Day Pass

S. Sgt. Ferd Yosten of Randolph Field spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday here on a three day pass and was accompanied back to San Antonio by his wife who will reside with him in that city.

Weekend Visitor

Pfc. Nick Mayer of Camp Barkley visited his wife here at the weekend. He left this week for his new station at Camp Edwards, Mass. Mrs. Mayer also left this week for Chicago where she will visit her parents-in-law, before joining her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Don C. Cooke were visitors in Dallas last week.

Storm Causes Damage N.W. Of City Wednesday

A sad sequel to the "million dollar ice storm" two weeks ago was the cloudburst and wind that took on cyclonic proportions in this sector Wednesday night. Greatest damage was felt in the area north west of the city in the vicinity of the Wm. Becker, Hubert Felderhoff and Charles Cler farms.

In that part of the community the wind reached the storm stage and did extensive damage to windmills, barns trees and power and telephone lines.

Lines that had just been rebuilt were again laid flat. Hubert Felderhoff's place was most severely hit. Huge trees were uprooted, the chimney of their home was torn with such force it knocked a large hole in the roof, a new machine shed was completely destroyed, the beams and sheet metal roofing being carried almost as far as R. M. Zipper's place. The garage was demolished, and machinery housed in the shed was battered and torn. A threshing is simply a pile of junk.

The Felderhoff place, across the road, where Leo Rohmer formerly lived, also felt the brunt of the twister. The house was moved about four feet off its foundation, all windows were blown out and barns, sheds and other small buildings on the place were razed.

At the Al Hess farm, just south of the Felderhoff farm, window panes were broken, and a windmill blown down, but other damage was light. Likewise at the Charles Cler place, roofing was torn from buildings, but apparently the storm had run its course by that time.

Indications are that it started at the Wm. Becker farm, reached its peak at the Felderhoff place, and was spent by the time it came to the Cler farm.

Severe lightning accompanied the rain and wind and in the city minor damage was sustained to roofs and lawn furniture.

At Sacred Heart church one section of roofing on the south front corner was torn off and a considerable amount of bricks were ripped loose.

About 3 inches of rain fell during the period of the 10 p.m. while the twister was felt from 9 to 9:30. All creeks were out of their banks and over bridge railings. The rain and wind was general in the community, but was not damaging south and east of the city, according to reports reaching this office Thursday morning.

No personal injuries were reported at the Enterprise office.

A report reaching this office at noon, just as the paper was going to press, indicated that a similar twister was felt in one section northeast of the community, doing damage to the Walter Eberhart and Herman Pierce places.

Billy Hamilton Buried At Saint Jo Wednesday

Funeral services for Billy Ray Hamilton 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hamilton of Saint Jo formerly of this city were held Wednesday afternoon from the Saint Jo Baptist church with Rev. Calvin Dennis, pastor of Muenster Baptist church officiating. Billy Ray died at his home Monday.

Burial was in Mt Park cemetery under direction of Scott Brothers. Serving as pallbearers were Blanton Standerfer, Claude Cannon, Henry Koehler, Starling Lawson, Tom Hamme, Lindie Dickerson and Emmett Martin, all of Muenster.

Survivors include the parents, two brothers, Dalton Wesley and James Doyle, and a sister, Miss Betty Jo, all of Saint Jo, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hamilton of Henrietta, and Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Henson of Bogota.

Billy Ray was born at Petrolia, Texas, on May 21, 1926. The family moved to Muenster from that city and Billy Ray attended the Muenster Public school. For the past year he was employed at J & L Supply company here. The family moved to St. Jo last summer. His death was the result of an incurable liver ailment which afflicted him for several years. Up until the day before his death he was on duty at his work here. He was good natured and genial and possessed a spirit of cheerfulness which won him many friends both in private life and in business.

A large number of local friends attended the funeral services.

Red Cross War Fund Soars Over Goal In Muenster Monday

The 1945 Red Cross War Fund drive in Muenster that started off with a great response on March 1st soared over the assigned quota Monday March 12, three days before the official close of the campaign while contributions continued to pour in, it was revealed Tuesday by Mrs. G. H. Hellman, Muenster chairman.

Official figures were not available this week, but the \$1,200 goal had been passed with an ample margin to spare. The drive was under the direction of Mrs. G. H. Hellman, assisted by G. H. Hellman, Joe Otto and Mrs. Jim Cook.

The leaders are highly elated over the response they received from the people of this community. The cooperation displayed in making the drive successful cannot be over-emphasized. Mrs. Hellman said. Sincere thanks are extended to all who gave to this cause.

Public response this year was so cheerful and the spirit of generosity so great that the result is the largest purse for the Red Cross in this community's history.

In the county the fund had passed the half-way mark Wednesday and it was reported that the drive is going strong over the entire county. W. C. Robinson, general chairman, said the campaign was moving forward at a fast pace and he entertained the hope that the quota would be exceeded by the end of the week.

The local purse received a boost of \$25.00 Sunday afternoon when a free will offering was taken at a program given by pupils of Sacred Heart school in the parish hall.

All contributions will be acknowledged through the Enterprise beginning with this issue and continuing each week until all have been listed.

Donations acknowledged this week are as follows:

\$25.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel, Dr. and Mrs. T. S. Myrick, Waples Painter Co., Shamburger Lumber Co., Muenster Enterprise.

\$20.00
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Mrs. J. W. Meurer, Henry Fuhrmann, H. G. Stelzer, Joe Parker, L. A. Bernauer, Adolph Herr, Clara's Cafe, Magnolia Station, L. Burchfield.

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\$3.00
Mrs. Frank Seyler, Frank Hacker, Al Schrad, Frank Bindel, Mrs. R. L. McNeley and Mother, Lou Wolf, Buddy Bernauer, Herman Hartman.

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\$1.00
Olivia Stock, Lorette Hartman, Mrs. W. L. Dickey, Andy O'Connor, Mrs. Henry Walterscheid, Rav Hess, Cecil Sims, Leo Henschel, Joe Mages, Al Walterscheid, Mrs. R. E. Norwood, Joe Kathanman, Inelda Felderhoff, Rose M. Encic, Johnny Moster, Mrs. J. S. Horn, Evelyn Steng, Elizabeth Fleitman, Joe Lehnertz, Emmet Fette, T. P. Frost, Gus Steler, Lawrence Dankesreiter, John Herr, Bill Haverkamp, G. A. Stelzer, Walter Denny, Matt Schmitz, W. O. Russell, Louis Steinberger, Blanton Standerfer, Werner Henschel, Henry Trachta, Herman Fleitman, P. J. Rollman, H. H. Kathanman, Anastasia Tempel.

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WASH HOUSE, CONTENTS LOST IN FIRE AT ORLEN EDELEN PLACE

Loss, estimated at several hundred dollars, was sustained by Orlen Edelen Sunday when the wash house and its contents at his place burned to the ground. Included in the loss were an electric wash machine, a water heater and several dozen jars of canned fruits, vegetables and jellies.

The fire was discovered shortly after 5 a.m. but was in its advanced stages and nothing could be saved. Origin of the blaze was not determined but a short circuit is believed to have been the cause.

Fortunately a light drizzle was falling Sunday morning and prevented the blaze from reaching the Edelen's residence which was quite near the burning building.

Pvt. Richard Wimmer was home on a weekend pass to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wimmer and family. He is stationed at Fort Sill, Okla.

LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Short Items of Interest About Folks You Know

Miss Olivia Stock was a business visitor in Dallas Monday.

Mrs. John Schilling visited in Saint Jo Monday afternoon at the John Mosman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Reeve A. Cooke visited their daughter, Mrs. S. L. Duffey and family at Fort Worth during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cler of Valley View spent Sunday here with relatives.

The Elmer Martin home was redecorated on the interior during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bernauer and daughter, Mary Faith, spent Monday in Fort Worth and Dallas.

Miss Anna Marie Shilling went to Saint Jo last week for an indefinite stay with the John Mosman family.

Miss Esther Christy of Denver, Colo., spent last week here as the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Joe Knabe and family.

Miss Miriam Koehler of Sherman spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfons Koehler.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pannell of Dallas were here for a weekend visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Streng.

Mrs. Frank Seyler returned Saturday from Fort Worth where she had spent a week with her daughter, Mrs. Elwyn Hope and family.

Sister Theophane suffered a bruised foot Saturday when a school bench she was moving fell on it. An X-ray was taken but it showed no broken bones.

Misses Ann and Laura Huchtons have returned to Dallas after a visit with their mother, Mrs. O. J. Huchtons and family. Both young ladies are nurses at the Dallas Veteran's Hospital in Oak Cliff.

Denis Walterscheid, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Walterscheid, had his tonsils removed at the local clinic Monday and is recovering satisfactorily.

A son, Richard Ladd, was born at the local clinic Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelley of Rosston. The father is a chief carpenter's mate with the Navy on duty overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Owen are the parents of a daughter born at the local clinic Saturday, March 10. At her christening the following day the infant was named Henrietta Lucille.

Mrs. Luke Tempel entertained with a dinner in her home Sunday at noon honoring her nephew, Sgt. Paul Tempel of Camp Howze, who spent the day here. The guest list for the affair included relatives from this city.

John Tempel left last Thursday for Jonesboro, Ark., to visit his daughter, Sister Florentine, and to accompany his wife home. Mrs. Tempel spent several weeks at

Jonesboro for her health. They returned Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Friske and daughters, Gwendolyn and Elaine, of Dallas spent the weekend visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mosman at Gainesville and Mr. and Mrs. August Friske and family here.

Eugene Michels of Munday was here Friday to visit his aunt, Mrs. August Friske, and was the overnight guest of his cousin, Mrs. Joe Luke. Relatives gathered at the Friske home Friday evening for a get-together in his honor.

At Ben Seyler's Garage a recent improvement is the addition of a private office in the south center of the building which has been enclosed, painted and laid with linoleum. Miss Olivia Stock is book keeper for Mr. Seyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Cooke and children of Fort Worth are spending his two weeks' vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don C. Cooke. Since receiving a disability discharge from the army air corps a year ago Harold has been employed in a war plant.

Pfc. Gene Schnitker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schnitker of Denison, formerly of this city, is now stationed at Camp Howze and was here Sunday to visit his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Schumacher and other relatives. He was previously stationed at a camp in South Carolina.

Miss Veronica Rollman, who spent two months in a Gainesville hospital following critical injuries received in a car accident on Jan. 6, was sufficiently recovered to be moved to her home Wednesday. It will be several weeks before she is able to be up and around, however.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mosman of Saint Jo announce the birth of a son, Thomas Michael, at the Gainesville sanitarium on March 8. Mrs. Mosman and the infant were moved to their home Monday, and her mother, Mrs. Frank Seyler, accompanied them for a week's visit. At the baby's baptism last Friday, Ben Seyler of this city and Mrs. T. L. Anderson of Gainesville were sponsors. The latter served as proxy for Mr. Mosman's sister, Mrs. Charles Curran of Dallas.

Following a regular monthly meeting of the Catholic Daughters of American last Friday evening, members gathered at the home of Mrs. Ben Seyler for an informal social hour. Saint Patrick's Day theme was accentuated in decorations and favors and a series of clever and interesting games relating to the famous Irish saint were conducted. Prizes were won by Mesdames Joe Fisher, Al Schad and Jake Pagel. Refreshments of coffee and cookies were served at the close of the affair.

Members of Congress are called Solons after the Athenian named Solon, who was noted for his learning and wisdom. He was known as the law-giver of Athens, and it was he who revised the Athenian constitution.



"THEY SAY THINGS ARE GETTING REALLY TOUGH BACK HOME. A GUY HAS TO SHARE HIS CAR IN ORDER TO GET GASOLINE FOR DRIVING TO WORK."

Party Sunday Announces Engagement Of Urban Endres And Jane Miller

To announce the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Jane Miller of Gainesville and Urban J. Endres of Muenster, Mrs. A. P. Miller, mother of the bride-elect, and Mrs. Ralph Breeding, sister of Miss Miller, entertained Sunday afternoon in the Breeding home between 3 and 5 o'clock.

Receiving the guests were the hostesses, the honoree, and Mrs. W. H. Endres, mother of the bridegroom-to-be. The tea table was centered with an arrangement of white spring blossoms and laid with a lace cloth. Misses Jeanette Lohn and Florene Endres presided at the table the first hour, and during the second hour Misses Nora Jane House and Marjorie Gohlighly served.

As the guests arrived, each was presented with a small corsage of carnations to which was attached white heart-shaped cards bearing the inscription "Urban and Jane, April 3." The corsages were pinned on by Miss Dollie Endres and Mrs. Valentine Fuhrmann. Seventy-five guests called during the afternoon.

Miss Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Miller, is a graduate of Gainesville high school and is employed at Boyd and Breeding studio. Mr. Endres, son of Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Endres is in business here and the couple will make their home in Muenster. The wedding will take place in Saint Mary's church at Gainesville on Easter Tuesday at 9 o'clock.

Senator Moffett Author of Bill To Aid War Veterans

The Enterprise has received the following statement from Senator Moffett relating to a bill recently signed by the Governor, of which Senator Moffett is the author.

"The mass of rules and regulations involved in the Federal G. I. bill of benefits for service men and women of World War II, and also the various regulations which are somewhat different for veterans of World War I, are so complicated and confusing that it takes a specialist who understands them, to properly file a claim for a vet-



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PAROCHIAL PUPILS HONOR REV. THOMAS ON FEASTDAY SUNDAY

Pupils of Sacred Heart school presented a pleasing program Sunday afternoon in the parish hall honoring Pastor Father Thomas on his feastday. A large number of persons attended the affair which was admission-free and later gave a free will offering that was turned over to the current Red Cross drive fund.

To open the program the Youth Band, under direction of John J. Hoffman, presented a concert, after which the welcome address was given by Lillian Wimmer, who concluded with feastday greetings and a word of appreciation to Father Thomas for the interest he takes in school work and activity.

The High School Glee Club rendered two numbers with Margie Endres and Jewel Hoffman at the piano, and an ensemble of high school girls gave a vocal selection.

Stealing the show was the number "Twenty Little Froggies" an action song by little boys of the first and second grades. The tots were attired in green crepe paper frog suits and presented their

talk, sing, drill, hop act to the delight of the entire audience.

The closing skit was presented by boys of the high school, a comedy in which Herbie Yosten and Tommy Otto took the parts of girls.

As a token of appreciation to their pastor, pupils presented the honoree with a shower of gifts and a spiritual bouquet.



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Washington Notes

By Congressman Ed Gossett

Washington, D. C. March 9—Because the wounded cannot wait, I supported the nurse draft bill passed by the House this week. This would make graduate nurses, who were single on March 15, between the ages of 21 and 40 subject to being drafted into the armed services. These drafted nurses would be commissioned, as are those who volunteer. The Army and Navy, prior to passage of the bill, presented evidence that the program to recruit women in the

nursing corps had failed, and Army hospitals in the United States have only 1 nurse to 26 beds, instead of the recommended 1 nurse to 15 beds. In many places overseas the shortage of nurses is even greater. Most Congressmen feel the Army muddled the nurse recruiting program or the draft would not be necessary.

Most of the Texas Members, including myself, voted for the "work or else" bill which passed the House over a month ago. Since then it has been pending in the Senate, which has now passed a very different bill from that of the House. A conference committee of the House and Senate is now trying to adjust the difference between these measures. A majority of the Senate apparently has been advocating a milk toast bill which penalizes nobody except employers.

An important bill affecting farmers passed by the House recently was a joint resolution regarding deferment of essential farmers for draft purposes. This more clearly defines the provision than did the Tydings amendment to the original selective service act. I supported the Tydings amendment as well as the recent bill.

This week I presided over a session of the Insular Affairs Committee when Rex Tugwell, Governor of Puerto Rico, testified concerning the sugar problems of the Island. For more than a month a strike has been going on throughout the Puerto Rican sugar industry. Most of our five million tons of sugar consumed annually is imported. Sugar from the Island apparently will be a half million tons short during 1945, and perhaps much less than that in 1946. Puerto Rican sugar growers, laborers, and processors would all be satisfied with a small increase in price, which OPA refuses to allow. As a result of this situation there will doubtless be a shortage of sugar this year and next, with decreased incomes to our impoverished wards in Puerto Rico.

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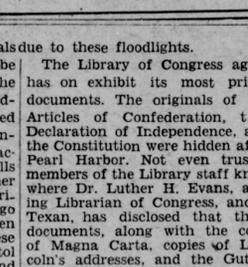
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Milking Time In South Africa



SOUTH AFRICA—A far-away photographer took the rather different photo shown above. In this part of the world, many herds are milked outdoors, which perhaps accounts for the somewhat unusual costume of the dairy farmer—all set to start the milking. We will accept the explanation with the suggestion that no doubt the milking was done next to one of the buildings in order for him to use the modern equipment he is carrying.

berg Bible, were stored in the bullion depository of the Mint at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Schools needing lunch equipment will have first chance at surplus army supplies. Sales will include stoves, trays, cutlery, mixers, and other equipment adaptable to school lunch programs. Regional Surplus Branch of Procurement Division, U. S. Treasury, Dallas, is taking applications.

The Veterans' Administration still pays a pension each month to the widow of a War of 1812 soldier, to 42 Mexican War widows or veterans, to 3,818 pensioners resulting from the Indian Wars, and 21,896 remaining on the Civil War rolls. Nearly 350,000 of the nation's World War II soldiers and dependents are now on the pension rolls.

Washington that military officials due to these floodlights.

no longer expect this country to be bombed by the enemy. In the early days of the war public buildings had certain areas designated as air raid shelters, and occasionally there was an air raid practice, somewhat like the fire drills of school days. Arrows and other signs were painted on the corridor walls indicating where to go in case of raid. Painters have been busy recently eliminating these signs in the buildings on Capitol Hill, and the boxes of sand and shovels which had been placed in strategic points in the buildings have been removed.

Also the floodlights, which in peace time illuminate the Capitol dome and Washington Monument have been repaired. It is expected they will be turned on again in celebration of "victory in Europe" day. Visitors to Washington used to exclaim over the beauty of the city at night from the hills of Maryland and Virginia, largely

The Library of Congress again has on exhibit its most prized documents. The originals of the Articles of Confederation, the Declaration of Independence, and the Constitution were hidden after Pearl Harbor. Not even trusted members of the Library staff knew where Dr. Luther H. Evans, acting Librarian of Congress, and a Texan, has disclosed that these documents, along with the copy of Magna Carta, copies of Lincoln's addresses, and the Guten-

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FARM NEWS **FOOD**

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TEXAS EXTENSION SERVICE

SOME FACTS ABOUT MASTITIS

Dairymen agree that mastitis is taking a high toll of milk production and is sending more dairy cows to slaughter than any other one thing. Here is a brief statement of what mastitis is and what can be done about it.

1. Mastitis merely means INFLAMMATION of the udder.
2. Chronic mastitis is a progressive inflammation of the udder characterized by frequent or occasional acute activity. Acute attacks may occur at any time, but occur more frequently at the beginning or end of the lactation period.
3. Fibrosis—an increase in fibrous or scar tissue at the expense of secretory tissue—is a constant symptom. The udder may contain knots, lumps, or indurated areas or the quarter may eventually atrophy and become "blind" as a result of the infraction and resulting fibrous tissue formation.
4. Various factors such as improper feeding, improper milking, either by hand or machine, and poor sanitation influence the rate of spread or the severity of infection. It cannot be emphasized too strongly that the true cause of chronic mastitis is a specific bacterium.
5. The biggest single source of infection is the badly diseased cow. The more marked the udder changes, the more apt the cow is to be eliminating the bacteria in the milk. If all cows with VISIBLY affected udders were placed at the end of the milking line the greatest source of infection would be removed. If such cows are not removed from the milking line, eventually all animals in the line become infected.
6. There is little natural or artificial immunity in chronic mastitis. Vaccination in this type of infection has not proven satisfactory.
7. Calves fed on infected milk may infect each other by sucking and THE INFECTION PERSISTS IN THE UDDER UNTIL THE FIRST CALVING. Such infected helpers may have a blind quarter or become spreaders at their first calving. If infected milk must be fed heifer calves, it should be pasteurized.
8. Udders & teats should be protected from injury. Many cases of mastitis develop following an injury to the teats or udder. Such

injuries provide ideal condition for infection with the streptococcus.

9. The bacteria of chronic mastitis do not cause disease in man. They are ordinarily found only in the udders of cows.

10. Pasteurization kills the organism; it has no resistant stage.

WORMY FRUIT

If you are interested in having peaches and plums without worms, now is the time to act. The first spraying should be done when about half the petals from the blooms have fallen to the ground. The second spraying should take place about 10 days later. You can not obtain results without spraying twice. This spray should be put on the blooms and young leaves. The most successful formula to use in mixing this spray is as follows:

To 1 gallon of water add 4 tablespoonfuls of zinc sulphate, 4 tablespoonfuls hydrated lime and 1 tablespoonful of lead arsenate. Each of these chemicals should be made into a paste and added to the one gallon of water. If you need 50 gallons of spray add to 50 gallons of water 4 pounds of zinc sulphate, 4 pounds of hydrated lime and 1 pound of lead arsenate.

The same formula should be used for both sprayings. Act now if you want good clean fruit this summer.

Your Health

Austin, Texas.—There were 3686 cases of scarlet fever reported in Texas during the year 1944 according to statistics just released by the Texas State Department of Health.

Describing some symptoms which may indicate the presence of this disease, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, states that when a child is coming down with scarlet fever the parents may first notice that he seems tired, restless, and out of sorts. Early definite signs are fever, sore throat, and vomiting. The skin is dry and hot to the touch. The tongue is furred and under this white coating red spots become visible within a few hours. The entire tongue gradually assumes a bright red color. If any of these symptoms appear, Dr. Cox said that scarlet fever should be suspected.

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by JOHN SWANCK

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Some individuals, when attacked by the scarlet fever streptococci do not develop a rash because they are more or less immune to the rash-producing toxin. Cases of scarlet fever in which the rash is missing are often confused with other illnesses, particularly sore throat, tonsillitis, or an acute cold. However, scarlet fever without the rash is just as contagious as scarlet fever with a rash. The State Health officer declared. In the former case the dan-

ger is sometimes not recognized and in that even quite likely nothing is done to keep the infection from spreading to other individuals.

"Call your doctor at once when the first definite symptoms appear or when the child develops a cold or sore throat after known exposure," Dr. Cox urged. "Follow the physician's instructions as to food, treatment, and general care. Skilled nursing is essential to the patient's recovery."

Scarlet fever is reportable and quarantinable in Texas. Report any known cases to the health department. Cooperation in this respect is a community responsibility which will help to protect the health of children and reduce the incidence of this dangerous disease.

What we can't understand is how nature takes care of things, even though they may happen years and years later. For instance, look how our nose and ears are located, just to hold spectacles.

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Coralee Fuhrman
Anna Grace Wimmer
Philomene Felderhoff
Margaret Zipper

On March 7, we celebrated the feast of St. Thomas Aquinas, patron saint of Rev. Father Thomas. We opened the day with High Mass, followed by Benediction.

Due to unforeseen circumstances, the feast day program presented by the school children was postponed until the following Sunday.

In return, Rev. Father Thomas declared Monday March 12, a "free" day. We wish to thank Father for the day. It proved useful to both the teachers and students.

We received our report cards last Tuesday afternoon and from the expression on the faces of most of the students as they received their notes, the results of the last six-weeks were not very good. Many of us seem to have decreased in our grades. We will all have to do our best to raise our

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grades with the present period. So come on, boys and girls, let's do our best.

The 4-H Club members left early Monday morning for Fort Worth to attend the Fat Stock Show. The group went in the new school bus which was driven by William Joseph Miller. All those who went reported that they had a very wonderful time. We wish that everyone could have gone.

SADIE THE SNOOP:

As one student to another:
First one: Do you know when the Chinese started clipping their hair?

Second one: No, when?
The Public School enjoyed being host to the 4-H Club of Sacred Heart in showing a picture show brought here by the County Agent.

One of the girl's sponsors, Mrs. Matt Stelzer, brought an interesting basket of vegetables she had grown in an open garden.

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Katherine, don't take the fortune teller so serious. All of us really appreciate Mrs. Fernander who accompanied us as chaperone.

The visit to the Zoo, by itself, was worth the trip. One unsoleful coyotes to such dismal serenade

School Daze

MUESTER PUBLIC SCHOOL

By Alene Moore and Mary Jo Williams

All of the classrooms are planning Easter egg hunts for Wednesday, March 27. The little children looked like Easter flowers in their colored hats that were saved from Jo's birthday party.

Mrs. Thompson's room had charge of the program for P.T.A. last Thursday. We all enjoyed a one act play based on the parts of speech that was given by the fifth and sixth grades and the readings by the fourth grade.

Quite a lot of competition has

been going on in Spelling Classes lately. Bonnie Neil Hammer has made 100% for the past five weeks. Others coming close to a perfect score were Bobbie Robertson, Buddy Sanner, Mary Alice Hollars, Jackie Robertson, Leon Brent, Donald Brent, James Hammer and Janie Marie Reeves. Murlin Joe Evans has decided that, if the rest can make it, so can he. Now for the past three weeks he has made 100% too.

Billie Jane Gasaway whose home is in Wichita, Kansas, has been visiting Mrs. Thompson's room. She is a guest of the Brents.

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CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this means of thanking everyone for the kindness and cheer I received during my stay in the hospital. The cards and letters and other considerations certainly are appreciated and I am grateful.

Veronica Rollman

Pfc. Walter Becker Has "Hot Time" In Foxhole In The Philippines

WITH THE 24th INFANTRY (VICTORY) DIVISION IN THE PHILIPPINES—Private First Class Walter J. Becker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Becker, spent many uncomfortable minutes when the Japs tried to burn his company off a hill in the Philippines by setting fire to head high jungle grass.

But men of the unit, Company "F" of this Victory Division's hard fighting 21st Infantry Regiment, let the hot flames crackle over their foxholes, withstood choking, acrid smoke and then mowed down the enemy as he attacked in the wake of the flames. Only a few were forced from their positions.

"The fire wasn't much worse than trying to spot the enemy positions in the thick grass," said Becker.

"We couldn't see two feet ahead, and our fire was directed entirely by sounds of enemy firing or his moving about. Frequently we could not be sure when nearby rustling was caused by the Nips or our own men. We met many Japs face to face in the grass, but we recovered first from the shock each time.

"Actually we felt more secure in the areas burned over than in the grass."

The company fought off repeated attacks on their positions for eight days and nights. The men counted 150 dead Japs, some within a few feet of their foxholes, and heard many more being dragged away after the attacks.

The company dubbed the high ground "Arson Hill."

This information reached The Enterprise in a letter from the General Headquarters Public Relations office and was passed by military censorship for publication.

Before marriage they bill and coo. After marriage the cooing stops and the billing begins in earnest.

Hot Tip Saves Cold Cash



Pretty Cherie Gist, popular Northwestern University coed, never forgets that in wartime fuel conservation is everybody's business. She's clipped the family fuel bill to her window shades to remind herself to save vital fuel by drawing the window shades. Actually, Dad's fuel bill will be smaller by 10% if the family remembers to keep the shades drawn halfway during the day and to the sills at night.

Cherie has also found that an old fashioned woolen nightie and an extra blanket help beat the fuel shortage during cold winter nights.

MISS CHAPMAN TO SPEAK AT GARDEN CLUB MEET TODAY

Miss Mildred Chapman, county home demonstration agent, will be guest speaker at the meeting of the Civic League and Garden Club this Friday afternoon, and the members extend an invitation to anyone interested to attend the session.

The time is 4 o'clock in the public school.

Greetings From Belgium

Pfc. Ray Wilde, now stationed in Belgium, sends greetings to all his friends in Muenster. A letter of March 3rd arrived at the Enterprise Monday. He wrote: "I had quite a look-see over Wales and England, too much of France, but this is quite a nice country. My knowledge of German has been coming in mighty handy. If you know of any home-town boys in this country I'd appreciate hearing about it. I haven't seen anyone from Cooke county since I've been overseas. Give my greetings to all." Ray is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilde and serves with a medical battalion.

Advice to the girls: Never let a fool kiss you; or a kiss fool you.

WANT ADS

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Lindsay News

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Schmitt of Sherman visited his mother, Mrs. Lena Schmitt last Thursday.

Pfc. and Mrs. Al Bezner, Cpl. John Murphy and Cpl. Jack Morrison, all of Dallas were weekend guests of Al's mother, Mrs. Joe Bezner.

Cpl. Nick Arend of MacDill Field, Fla., is here on furlough to visit his mother, Mrs. Lena Arend, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zimmerer and Sgt. and Mrs. Purme are visiting in San Antonio and the Rio Grande Valley this week.

Walter Schmitz, who has been here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmitz, left this week to resume his duties with the Merchant Marines.

The Enterprise is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Adolph Fuhrmann of Bede, Iowa, expressing appreciation for the paper and renewing her subscription for another year. She included best regards from herself and her family to all her friends in Lindsay.

Coast Guardsman Julius F. Loerwald, who has been doing sea duty, is now in Hawaii he has written his wife. He mentioned having enjoyed a visit with Seabee Hugo Bezner and Sgt. John Weiss, Lindsay boys stationed on the Island.

Mrs. Ray Lewis is in receipt of a message from the War Department advising that her husband, Lt. Ray Lewis, was seriously wounded in action on Feb. 25. He was on duty in France. Mrs. Lewis is the former Miss Regina Fuhrmann, who with her baby son, makes her home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fuhrmann.

William Schmitz, Sr., Mrs. Phillip Metzler, Mrs. Henry S. Fuhrmann, Mrs. Joe Schmitz and Mrs. Joe Bezner were in Muenster Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jake Horn, Jr. and also visited Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wolf.



Humphrey Bogart, the screen's most masculine he-man meets the year's sexiest feminine discoverer, Lauren Bacall, in "To Have And Have Not."

L. F. Bezner, 68 Former Lindsay Resident, Dies

Louis F. Bezner, 68, former resident of Lindsay, died Thursday, March 8, at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo, following an illness. Funeral services were held Saturday morning from Saint Anthony's Church, Hereford, at 10:30, with Rev. Father Albert Heald officiating.

Pallbearers were Matt Jesko, Ed Loerwald, Lawrence Jentzen, Henry Hoffman, Joe Reinart and John Paetzold.

Surviving Mr. Bezner are his wife; 4 sons: Leo of Bushland; Alban of Amarillo; T-5 Edward J. Bezner of the U. S. Army stationed in England; Louis Bezner, Jr., member of U. S. Navy in the South Pacific; 7 daughters: Mrs. Cornelius Dreyer of Hale Center; Mrs. James Borer of Toledo, Ohio; Mrs. Mike Kocan of Colorado Springs, Colo.; Mrs. James Reynolds of Bushland; Sister Anna Clare, S.A., Lake Placid, N. Y.; and Misses

rillo. Rita and Elizabeth Bezner, Amarillo. Also surviving are three brothers, Albert, John and Jake Bezner of Lindsay, and three sisters, Mmes. Lena Schmitt and John Schmitz of Lindsay and Sister M. Alban of Laredo, and 18 grandchildren.

Mr. Bezner was born at Mt. Carmel, Iowa, on October 19, 1876. He came to Texas in 1895 with his parents who settled at Lindsay as one of the pioneer families of that community. In 1925 the deceased moved to Hereford where he resided until 1942. Since that time Mr. and Mrs. Bezner made their home with their son, Leo at Bushland.

While Mr. Bezner resided at Lindsay he was active in parish and community work and was a progressive farmer.

Among out of town relatives at the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bezner and Mrs. Lena Schmitt, Lindsay; Sister Alban, and all children of the deceased with the exception of the two sons in the service.

VIRGINIA ZIMMERER HAS PARTY ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Bruno Zimmerer entertained with a party Thursday afternoon honoring her niece, Virginia Zimmerer, on her seventh birthday.

The honoree was presented with a shower of gifts and games were enjoyed after which refreshments of sandwiches, soda pop, ice cream and cake were served by the hostess assisted by Mr. Orville Albers.

Personnel included Verna Kuhn, Mary Margaret Hermes, Irene Block, Naomi Sue Evans, Tommy Albers, Jimmie Zimmerer and the honor guest.

LINDSAY SCHOOL TATLER

By the Juniors

March 4th to the 10th was chosen as "Think Week." The project was sponsored by the sophomores. Everyday a new poster was placed on the bulletin board. Each poster had a suitable motto, giving us something to think about. How many of us ever stop to check on our thoughts? What do we usually think about? Do we dare to tell even ourselves?

The 4-H Clubs held their regular meetings this week. Prizes for the best-made cup towels were given to the following: 1st prize, Lucille Fuhrmann; 2nd prize, Beatrice Block; 3rd prize, Rita Block. Miss Chapman showed the girls several interesting tips to follow when sewing. On March 28, she will give the girls a demonstration on remodeling hats.

The boy's discussion centered around the Fat Stock Show held at Fort Worth, March 12. Because our vicinity had no electric lights at the time of the meeting, the planned picture show on Agriculture had to be postponed to a later date.

Seniors 1945

We promised to introduce to you our senior class of 1945. Since there are only three boys in the class, we'll begin with them. First we place before your gaze a remarkable boy—truly a very remarkable one—our tall, blond-haired, blue-eyed, shy Edgar Benfort. He is a good student, in spite of having to be absent sometimes, always obliging, friendly, and willing to help when he can. He serves as reporter on the 4-H Club.

Another blond-haired, blue-eyed lad is William Hermes. He is outstanding in history and math. No one can ever catch him on current events. In his manners, he is "Johnny on the Spot" William is treasurer of our S. C. A. Club. And

we haven't missed a single penny yet!!

Ewald (Curly) Fuhrmann is the "cracker-jack" of his class. He spreads sunshine wherever he goes by his witty remarks. The fact that he is short makes him a swell hind-catcher in baseball.

Mumble a few words in church and you're married. Mumble a few words in your sleep and you're divorced.

Confetti---

is the other man permitted to stand in the way? Why is any individual skill, any bit of energy, or any kind of material property permitted to be withheld from public service in such an emergency?

In the first place no war plant should have the right to make a profit on its products. If it is needed to produce war goods it should be taken over by the government and the owner reimbursed at a reasonable rate per year on the value of the property surrendered. Managing personnel could be permitted to stay on their old jobs at salaries in keeping with army salary scales. That would put labor, management and equipment all under direct fed-

eral control, and, if run efficiently, would put a stop to strikes and profiteering as well.

There are problems involved, of course. Perhaps management would not put forth as much effort if the profit motive were removed. On the other hand, realizing it could not reap a profit until the war is over, management might feel impelled to do its part in hastening the end, whereas fat war profits under our present system could be a factor in delaying production and the war.

We also hear that fair adjustments are practically impossible when the government takes over industry? So what? Fair adjustments are also impossible when a man has to leave a thriving business to enter the army. Losses are inevitable. But a person cannot stop to worry about them when the fate of the nation is at stake.

It's a deplorable fact that after going almost all the way through this war we still do not seem to realize that total war means everybody and everything.

Henceforth there will be no more coffee hour for personnel (commissioned, enlisted or civilian) of the navy, coast guard and marine offices in Washington. The

reason: Someone discovered that a tremendous number of man hours is wasted over those 15,000 cups of coffee served daily during duty hours. Judging from the duration of a normal kaffee klatch in the army Con would estimate the 15,000 cups as representing no less than 2,000 of the 40,000 persons now employed.

Remember a few months ago when army and navy people were estimating how many men could be drafted for military service from the ranks of agriculture? How's that for a situation? People who could spare coffee time out of a 44 hour week wanted to draft men who were working 70 or 80 hours a week.

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