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Drive Is Underway For Membership In Local Hospital

Boosters of compulsory military training are trying to sell the idea that a lot of stoop shouldered narrow chested fellows would not be that way today if they had spent a year of their youth in the service. Doubtless a valid contention, because it is a well known fact that most soldiers come out of their training period in a better condition than they entered. Some acquire health habits that stand them in good stead the rest of their lives.

One thing the boosters discreetly refrain from bragging about is the extent of the young man's spiritual development, which, they know very well, is usually a minus quantity. Scidom does a young man improve morally in the service, and for an obvious reason. Moral standards and environment are seldom as good as the men had at home.

There's no point in kidding ourselves about the intrinsic merits of military training. Its faults offset its advantages. At best it is a necessary evil forced upon us by circumstances and is justified only as a possible means of national security, not for its contribution to personal improvement.

We would be better off individually and collectively if we did more to discourage militarism in aggressive nations instead of trying so frantically to imitate their folly.

Yamashita's attempt to have his case transferred from the court martial to our supreme court prompts us to wonder whether he is not wised up to the delays of American court procedure. In the end he'd come to the same verdict, and he probably knows it, but he would have considerably longer to live. He wants to die of old age, not of the noose or rifle volley.

One of the CIO unions is perturbed about two large manufacturers allegedly preparing to quit their big town plants and move to smaller places where the union will have less chance of keeping them under control. The companies deny they had any such thing in mind. They should however, be grateful for a good idea.

During the war there was quite a bit of talk about manufacturer's trend toward the smaller places. Among advantages mentioned were lower property costs, lower living expense and proximity to both raw materials and markets. If in addition to that it were possible to get away from labor bosses manufacturers ought to be in their fond of the idea.

In that connection this column recommends Muenster as an ideal location for a thriving little factory.

Something I did not know until today, and maybe it's just a rumor, is that a snail will starve to death rather than eat something he does not like. Whether true or not the theory so intrigued a group of New Orleans gourmets they organized a club known as the "Society of Orleans Snails". Every nine months the Snails get together for a super duper feast prepared by an outstanding chef of the city that is famous for its fine foods. And judging from the volume consumed, they don't need more than just a few snacks between feasts.

One thing the writer failed to mention about the Snails is whether they really live up to the reputation of their lowly namesake. If so, and if any of them have eaten in the army, or some of the restaurants I've tried, they must have had quite a few light meals.

Well, every man to his own taste. If those guys want to be fastidious here's hoping the enjoyment from foods they like will compensate for what they miss in other dishes. But give me the man with a cosmopolitan taste, the man who can enjoy liver, lamb, fish, spinach, okra and tomatoes with or without sugar. He has fewer disappointments, and so do the cooks who prepare his food.

Among the many things that go against the grain nowadays is the report that surplus materials, millions of dollars' worth, are being destroyed in combat areas because the cost of shipping them back home is greater than their value.

True, there are perishable items that have spoiled already or will spoil before they can be returned here. However, that classification does not include blankets, clothing, canned food, jeeps and count less other varieties of supplies and equipment.

This stuff was paid for by the people of the United States. They bought bonds and remitted taxes until it hurt and now they are being asked to believe that the stuff they sweated to provide isn't worth sending back. That isn't the way they feel about it. They'd (Continued on Page 5)

MORE LOCAL MEN RETURN WITH ARMY, NAVY DISCHARGES

Several more local servicemen have received honorable discharges from the armed forces and are either at home, or enroute to this city.

Herman Fette and James Eckert, ex-privates, arrived Saturday with discharges from the army. They were drafted in May, this year, and trained at Camp Hood. They were released from the service under the ruling that fathers with three or more children could get discharges.

Richard Martin, who received a discharge from the Navy, has been visiting his father, Frank Martin and family for the past two weeks. His wife, who resided in Sherman, joined him here and they plan to leave this week for that city to make their home.

Martin, who held the rank of seaman, first class, was in the service three years and served in the Pacific one year. A brother, Pvt. Lawrence Martin, army, who served in the Pacific war zone with a coast artillery battalion is enroute home.

Pat Hennigan, MM1c, USNR, member of the Seabees, son of Mr. and Mrs. H.P. Hennigan, is on his way home. He is one of over 2,000 high-point navy veterans who came back to the United States aboard the U.S.S. Bottineau, which left Okinawa on Nov. 20 and arrived at San Pedro Calif. last weekend. He reported to a separation center to complete the formalities of obtaining a discharge, after which he will be at home as a civilian.

Pvt. Richard Wimmer is a civilian and is back in Muenster after serving in the army in this country for 49 months. He was stationed at Camp Pendleton, Va. and Fort Sill, Okla. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wimmer, who have another son, Pfc. Arnold Wimmer in the army on duty in Japan.

Roy William Schumacher, gunner's mate, third class, of Mr. and Mrs. Alf Schumacher, former Muensterites, now residing in Wichita Falls, has a Navy discharge. He served on the fleet oiler U.S.S. Kaskaskia and helped take that ship approximately 271,000 miles during the Pacific campaign to keep the U.S. Fleet supplied with essential fuel. The Kaskaskia, a 9,000 ton ship, poured more than two hundred and ten and a half million gallons of fuel into thirsty fighting ships. Crewman of the oiler regard her as a lucky ship, since she was caught several times in enemy air raids, but came through undamaged. The vessel took part in almost every important operation or strike of the Pacific Fleet and often entered the harbor under attack on the day U.S. forces landed and while there was still plenty of enemy opposition, newly revised Navy records on the ship have disclosed.

Bernard Schmitz, ex-staff sergeant, is back here at work in the Muenster oil fields following his discharge from the army. In the army since Jan. 1942, he trained at Fort Benning, Ga., and after going overseas served in Germany, France, Czechoslovakia and Sudentland. He returned to the states last August, had a furor, and reported back to Fort Sam Houston, where he became ill with yellow jaundice and was hospitalized until his recovery, after which he was discharged. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmitz, and has a sister, WAC Cpl. Louise Schmitz on duty in Pueblo, Colo.

Lawrence Roberg, S1c, Navy, arrived home with a discharge Sunday after being in the service since Aug. 1943. He was on duty in Hawaii and served aboard ship in the Pacific as a ship fitter. His brother, Louis, also Navy, arrived home several weeks ago with a discharge. They are sons of Mrs. Katy Roberg.

FATHER WEINZAPFEL WILL BE ORDAINED ON DECEMBER 23RD

Rev. Thomas William Weinzapfel, son of Mayor and Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel of this city, will be ordained to the priesthood by the Most Rev. Joseph P. Lynch, bishop of Dallas, in Sacred Heart Cathedral, Dallas, on Sunday morning, December 23, at 8 o'clock.

First Solemn Mass

Father Weinzapfel will offer his First Solemn Mass Thursday Dec. 27, at 9:30 a.m. in Sacred Heart Church here.

He will also officiate at Solemn Benediction at 3:30 p.m.

Miss Anna Hellman spent last week in Dallas visiting her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. John Chandler and family.

Paul Nieball Jr. Suffers Severe Burns Tuesday

Jim Lehnertz Sustains Burns In Attempt To Extinguish Flames

Paul Nieball, Jr., suffered painful second degree burns on his face, both hands and his right leg Tuesday afternoon and Jim Lehnertz sustained second degree burns on his left hand and minor burns on his right hand as the result of an accident at Jimmy's Service Station at about 2:30.

Young Nieball's condition, thought at first to be grave, was later reported as being satisfactory and uncomplicated development, he has a splendid chance for recovery.

The accident occurred when Paul's slicker caught fire from an open gas stove and immediately burst into flame. Working at the station, washing a car, he had come into the office to warm and backed up against the stove. Witnesses said he was completely enveloped in flame, and "looked like a big ball of fire".

Jimmy's burns resulted from his efforts to jerk the blazing slicker from the boy, and in an attempt to help, John Beemer of Lindsay a patron at the station, sustained minor burns about the face. In the confusion that followed, young Nieball ran outside and the brisk north wind fanned the flames still further. At this point, Harold Jones, a traveling salesman from Denison, arrived on the scene, sensed the situation and whipped off his overcoat, which he wrapped about the boy, smothering the blaze.

Both Lehnertz and Nieball were taken to the local clinic for treatment and shortly thereafter Nieball was moved to the Gainesville sanitarium.

Lehnertz returned to his work, with both hands bandaged to the size of boxing gloves and would not take off to get the rest he was advised to take by his physician. He was back at work the following day, with no ill effects, other than the severe pain in the badly burned left hand. He also visited at Paul's bedside during the day and found the youth in apparent good spirits in spite of extreme pain. Paul had never lost consciousness.

EX-SGT. ANTHONY LUKE OPENS CITY'S NEWEST BUSINESS MONDAY

Anthony Luke, ex-technical sergeant with the 82nd Airborne Division, is the owner of this city's newest business, which opens Monday under the name of The Variety Store. This information was disclosed by the owner Tuesday, after he received a large shipment of hundreds of new items for his store. Before being greeted by the President Anthony was in the garage business.

Almost immediately after returning from overseas service he got busy looking around for something to do. Shortly thereafter he decided to put in a variety store here and leased the former Schenk drug store building on Main street, and began a remodeling program.

The building has been redecorated from ceiling to floors, fixtures have either been refinished or bought new and the entire building has been improved.

Anthony stated that by "variety" he means he is going to sell everything with the exception of groceries.

His present stock includes more than 500 different items, for the home, the family, gifts for showers, weddings and anniversaries, toiletries and cosmetics, ready to wear, and toys, and scores of other merchandise.

He invites the public to come in and look his place over.

HENRY STELZER ENDS 45 YEARS WITH KATY; TO RETIRE JANUARY 1

On Dec. 9, Henry Stelzer entered his 37th year as depot agent for the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railway in Muenster. In all he has spent 45 years in this work.

He came to Muenster from Celina, Ohio, where he began with the CH&B lines in 1900. He was with that company until he came to Muenster in 1909.

Mr. Stelzer, who will be 70 years old next June, will be retired with an annuity after the first of January, 1946. His successor as depot agent has not been announced to date.

Main Street Building Guttered By Fire Here Sunday Morning

Boy Scout Troop Is Organized Here Monday Evening

J. J. Hoffman Is Named Scout Master; All Boys Invited To Join

Local Boy Scout Troop No. 164 was organized here Monday evening and J. J. Hoffman was elected scout master. Named as his assistant was Rev. John Waibe, assistant pastor at Sacred Heart church.

A group of local men met with an organizer from Denison, discussed the movement and made plans for a program of activity that is to get underway shortly after the first of the year.

Herbert Meurer served as chairman for the meeting and other men present, in addition to the local pastors, were Irvin Hamric, R.R. Endres, J.W. Fisher, Henry Luke Ben Seyler, C. J. Kaiser, Andy Hofbauer, Adolph Herr and Dr. T. S. Myrick.

A round table discussion was enjoyed and those present decided that as a starter there will be one troop, including boys from the age of twelve up. While later a Cub troop will be organized for younger boys.

It is pointed out that all boys of Muenster are welcomed into the organization, and those interested in belonging are asked to register with Mr. Hoffman. Registration forms are expected within the next few days. Following a line-up, the boys will meet regularly.

The revival of the Scout movement here is welcomed enthusiastically by local citizens. A good troop was active about 10 years ago, with Nick Miller as scout master, but it died out following his resignation, due to the fact that no leader could be secured.

JIM LEHNERTZ BUYS GULF STATION FROM AL HORN THURSDAY

Jimmy Lehnertz, ex-master sergeant in Uncle Sam's army and former manager of the service station that bore his name, is again back at his old place of business in the Gulf Station on Highway 82. He bought the business last Thursday from Al Horn and has renamed it Jimmy's Service Station.

As in the past, it will feature Gulf Petroleum products, improved facilities for washing and greasing and the service and maintenance of cars, trucks and tractors.

Jimmy, who took over the management of the station back in October 1938, had, already at that time, a background of several years' experience in automobile sales and service. His army career has added further to his knowledge of the mechanism of cars and trucks.

When he answered his country's call on Nov. 4, 1941, he had the intention of keeping the business going under his management, from camp, until his return from his year of military training, but the war changed that plan, and he served overseas 34 months as a motor sergeant in charge of the maintenance and repair of army vehicles.

For about two years, Gussie Reiter, an employee, kept the station going for its owner, but Jim found that managing a business thousands of miles away was not so easy while fighting in North Africa, Sicily, Italy and in the hills of the Appennines and the valley of the Po, so in March, 1944 he sold to Reiter, who subsequently sold to Al Horn in March, this year.

Jimmy extends a cordial and friendly welcome to all his old friends and customers, and invites new patrons to visit him at his place of business.

He stated that he will endeavor at all times to give the best of smiling, satisfactory, snappy service, and will be happy to see his patrons at any time.

He is being assisted in station management by his brother, Gene Lehnertz, also an ex-serviceman, recently discharged from the army.

Three Tenants Sustain Losses

2nd Fire In 18 Months For Former Hotel, One Of Colony's Landmarks

Fire, early Sunday morning, almost completely destroyed J. C. Trachta's Main street building which housed the Vogue, a hat and dry goods shop, operated by Mrs. R.L. McNelley, the city council room and the Joe Knabe living quarters. It was the former Main Hotel building which was badly damaged in a \$4,000 fire in June 1944.

The blaze was discovered by Walter Grewing, passing by, at about 8:15. He saw smoke billowing from the second story which had not been in use since the previous fire. Young Grewing reported the blaze to Mrs. Knabe, who was at home with two small children, preparing breakfast, and was unaware of the flame. Mr. Knabe was on duty at Camp Howze, where he serves as a fireman, and the other Knabe children were in church.

During the few moments that elapsed from the time the fire was discovered and reported the first Mass at Sacred Heart church let out and the Muenster Volunteer firemen, most of whom had attended the services, took over. They battled the raging flames, in their dress clothes, bucking a freezing north wind. The blaze was brought under control in about an hour, with the assistance of a truck and firemen from Camp Howze.

When notified by telephone that his home was in flames, Knabe received permission to bring one of the camp's trucks and its personnel to this city to aid the local department. Open flames in the lower south portion of the building and hidden flames under the roof in a dense cloud of smoke required considerable work before being brought under control. Efficient work of the firemen served to protect other nearby frame buildings and no other structures were ignited.

Estimates place loss of the building at about \$1000. Since the first fire, only the lower floor had been rebuilt and a metal roof put on.

Smoke and water damage to the Vogue's merchandise and fixtures is set at \$300, while similar damage to the Knabe household furnishings is estimated at \$200. The city hall, occupying the north front portion of the building suffered the least damage. Furniture damaged by water and smoke is estimated at about a loss of \$50. No documents were lost having been stored in a fire proof safe.

No insurance was carried, except by Mrs. McNelley to cover her loss.

Origin of the blaze is undetermined, but starting as it did, on the upper floor, it is believed to have been caused by defective wiring.

Mrs. McNelley said this week that she will not reopen her shop immediately as no building in the city is available at the present time.

The Knabe family are staying with relatives until living quarters can be secured.

The city plans to use the south half of L.A. Bernauer's building, formerly the WPA sewer office, as its council room.

Persons from all over town, and scores of those just leaving church, rushed to the scene of the big blaze.

So badly gutted by fire as being beyond repair, the standing portion of the building will be torn down by its owner. He has no definite plans as to what, if anything, he will rebuild on the site.

With the disappearance of the building another old landmark of the community will vanish. Erected in the early days of the colony, the first portion built served as the colony's land office and its first place of worship in 1889. Later enlarged and rebuilt it was this town's first hotel operated by the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stelzer. They kept it in operation for more than 20 years. It later changed hands a number of times, always remaining a hotel until the 1944 fire.

LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Short Items of Interest About Folks You Know

Mr. and Mrs. William Bergman moved here Friday from Ardmore, Okla., and are occupying their home. It is the former Mrs. Agnes Wilde place in the east part of the city on the highway.

Muenster Public school P-TA met on Friday, Dec. 7, and completed plans for the annual Christmas program to be held on Dec. 20.

The WMU of the Baptist church held its regular weekly meeting Monday. Mrs. Ed Williams was Bible study leader and the lesson was from Exodus, 15 through 20 chapters.

Members of the Young Ladies Sodality are reminded of a regu-

lar meeting next Monday evening Dec. 17, in the school auditorium. Officers point out that it is to be an important session and a 100 percent attendance is urged.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Tarrant moved during the past week to occupy an apartment at the Herman Fette home. For two weeks they had been living with her sister, Mrs. T.S. Myrick and family while the apartment was being refurnished.

Cpl. and Mrs. John Durbin and son are here for a visit with her father, F.J. Yosten and family until after Jan. 1. He is on a furlough, following re-enlistment in the army and will report to New Orleans, La., when leaving here.

Capt. Charles Taylor was discharged from the army last week and is back here with his wife, the former Miss Lorena Fisher, and their son. He spent more than 9 years in the army and at the time of his discharge was stationed at Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Cris Jensen and son and Mr. and Mrs. Amber Eschall of Wichita Falls, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Richter.

Mrs. Bob Yosten is spending this week in Sherman visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bayer announce the birth of a daughter Ruth Agnes, at the Gainesville hospital on Dec. 6. The baby was baptised the following day at St. Mary's church with Father Brady officiating, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Klement as sponsors. Mrs. Bayer is the former Miss Anna Sandmann of Lindsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fette were hosts in their home Sunday, Dec. 2, for a dinner party for which her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Otto, her sister, Mrs. Isabel Fette and son, Jimmy, and Mrs. Rosa Driever and son, Michael, were guests. Following a sumptuous meal informal diversion was enjoyed by the grownups while the youngsters spent their time riding horseback and participating in other outdoor sports. At six o'clock supper was served.

Buddy Bernauer is improved this week following a serious illness of influenza.

Mrs. August Friske ventured out for the first time on First Friday to attend church services after being confined to her home for several weeks on account of a leg ailment. Her condition is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hess and Mr. and Mrs. John Hess drove to Sherman Sunday to visit Frank Evans of Pilot Point who underwent an operation at St. Vincent's hospital last week. He is the husband of the former Miss Clara Hess of this city.

A new wash house has been completed at the Barney Voth farm home and a combination wash house and garage is under construction at the Jake Horn, Jr., place.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bischoff, Miss Dorothy Bischoff and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bell, all of Louisville, Ky., visited here last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Hess. The Bischoffs are cousins of Mrs. Hess.

Mrs. Imogene Caldwell and Mrs. Louis Leiner of Sparta, Ill., left Saturday to return to their homes following a week's visit here with their sister, Mrs. John Beard, who had been seriously ill with a heart ailment, but who is now improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tischler had as their guests last weekend Mr. and Mrs. G.I. Lane and Mrs. Sue Britt of Dallas, Mrs. Justin Jesek of Celina and Mr. and Mrs. Al Yosten and children of Saint Jo. Mr. Tischler accompanied the

Dallasites home for a short visit and to attend to business matters. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Endres and her sister, Miss Loretta Harman visited in Fort Worth last Thursday.

Mrs. Albert Herscheid and daughter, Rosalie, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Feltman, her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Clark, and Mrs. Frank Echling spent last Wednesday in Sherman shopping.

Leonard Yosten was taken to a Gainesville hospital Tuesday morning suffering from pneumonia.

Mrs. John Mosman of Saint Jo took over Mrs. L. Burchfiel's classes at the Public School Wednesday and will continue as substitute teacher until Mrs. Burchfiel recovers from an illness.

Announcement has been made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Laura Hutchins, daughter of Mrs. O.J. Hutchins, and Richard Trachta, son of Henry Trachta of this city.

Agnes Fette Stormer, veoman first class, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Fette, has received a discharge from the WAVES. She reported for duty on Feb. 17, 1943 and served at Norman, Okla., and Norfolk, Va. She is married to Lt. Tim Stormer, member of the army air force, who is to be discharged from the service soon.

FRIDAY IS DEADLINE FOR CLOTHING DRIVE

The local court Catholic Daughters of America wish to remind citizens that the drive it is sponsoring for children's clothing will come to an end this Friday, and all those who still have garments to donate to this cause are asked to get them to the collection depots before Friday night.

The court will have a meeting Friday evening at 7:30 in the K of C hall and all clothing must be turned in at this time, so that it can be sorted and made ready for shipment.

Collection depots are the home of Mrs. Al Walterscheid, the home of Mrs. Joe Luke, Fisher's Market and The Enterprise office.

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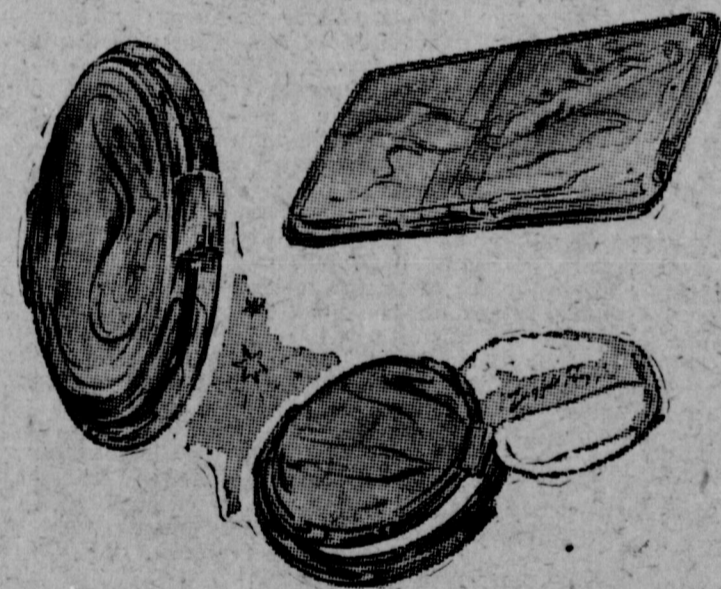
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LUTTMEER BROTHERS TOGETHER FOR FIRST TIME IN FOUR YEARS

This is to be the happiest Christmas in four years for members of the Herman Luttmer family, because for the first time since December, 1941, the whole family will be together.

Ferd Luttmer, gunners mate, third class, is here on a 30 day leave after which he reports to New Orleans for a discharge from the Navy. He entered the service in June 1942 and served aboard ship in both the Atlantic and Pacific oceans.

Pvt. Joe Luttmer, who saw more than a year's action with the army in the Pacific theatre, has a discharge and is at home. He entered the service in Dec. 1942.

Pvt. Henry Luttmer member of an anti aircraft artillery battalion since Dec. 4, 1942 and on duty in the ETO for more than two years arrived home with a discharge Thursday. Incidentally he came to the states aboard the U.S.S. Kokomo, on which his brother, Walter Luttmer, served as a merchant seaman. The latter is also at home for a 30 day visit.

STOLEN CAR IS RECOVERED HERE

An automobile stolen in Lake Village, La., sometime ago was recovered here last week. The car was abandoned near John Bayer's farm home south of town and remained there several days after which it was pulled to the Ben Seyler garage and authorities in Oklahoma and Arkansas were notified. The vehicle carried license plates from both states.

Within a short time an army lieutenant called for the car. It belonged to his sister. Further details regarding the theft were not learned. The car was not damaged.

BAPTIST WOMEN GIVE PARTY FOR HUSBANDS

(Held Over from Last Week) The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Biffle was the scene of a party on Nov. 23 given by active women of the local Baptist church to compliment their husbands.

The Thanksgiving theme was noted in decorations, favors and table appointments and a delicious baked chicken menu was served to 26 guests. After the meal table games were enjoyed.

RECENT BRIDE



—Mrs. Andrew Arendt is the former Miss Mary Ann Reiter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Reiter of this city, whose marriage to Mr. Arendt took place here on Nov. 27. Mr. and Mrs. Arendt are making their home south of Lindsay. —Boyd & Breeding Photo

was performed by Rev. Father Hartnett, assistant pastor of Sacred Heart Church, who also officiated the the nuptial mass.

Mr. Litteken gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a gown of white marquisette with lace insets, designed with semi-fitted bodice and a full skirt which extended into a long train. For "something borrowed" she wore a diamond cross, and her flowers were white orchids carried atop of her prayerbook.

Attendants for the couple were Miss Ann Valentine of Amarillo and William J. Sullivan of Dallas. Miss Valentine wore a gown of blue taffeta and a smart bonnet fashioned from the same material. She carried a bouquet of white carnations.

Following the church services a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

VISITORS HONORED AT DINNER PARTY TUESDAY

(Held Over from Last Week) Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schmitt and daughter, Juanita, visiting here from Washtucna, Wash., were honored with a dinner Monday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Schmitt. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schmitt and all their children, along with their families, enjoyed the affair. Each lady brought a covered dish for the occasion. The visitors left Tuesday to return to their home.

NEW BORING BAR IS ADDED TO SEYLER GARAGE EQUIPMENT

Modern block reborring the factory way, is now offered at Ben Seyler Motor Company. Mr. Seyler has just installed a new Van Norman Boring Bar for all car, truck and tractor engines. It is the latest and largest machine of its kind in this part of the state, Mr. Seyler said.

The machine is equipped to do reborring on any kind of a vehicle engine and leaves a highly polished mirror finish.

KENTUCKY VISITORS ARE HONORED AT PARTIES

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bischoff Miss Dorothy Bischoff and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bell, all of Louisville, Ky., who visited here several days last week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hess, were honored with a number of social events. Included in the courtesies was a 12 o'clock dinner party Thursday given by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hess in their home. Enjoying the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hess, Mr. and Mrs. John Hess and daughters, the honorees and the hosts and their family. During the afternoon the visitors were taken on a sight seeing tour of the city, after which refreshments were served.

In the evening Mr. and Mrs. John Hess were hosts in their home for a party complimenting the Kentuckians. Some 40 guests were present for informal games and refreshments.

The visitors left Friday morning for a short visit in the Rio Grande valley and then stopped in Mexico to visit, enroute to their homes. The Bischoffs are cousins of Mrs. John Hess.

SURPRISE PARTY GREET'S CARL SCHILLING SATURDAY

(Held Over from Last Week) Carl Schilling was given a surprise dinner and party Saturday evening in observance of his birthday Dec. 1, when his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schilling entertained in their home in his honor.

The honoree was brought to the house after all the other guests had arrived and was greeted with "Happy Birthday To You", played on the trumpet by Miss Rosalie Henscheid, after which he was presented with a shower of gift remembrances.

Dinner was served at a beautifully appointed table laid with white linen and silver and centered with a decorated cake, flanked with tapers. Places were marked for Mr. and Mrs. Albert Henscheid and daughters, Misses Rosalie and Delores, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fleitman, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Endres, Albert Schilling, Miss Evelyn Swingler, Eimer Pette, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Owens, the honoree and the hosts. After the meal 42 series were enjoyed. Prizes went to Mr. Owens for high and to Mrs. Owens for low.

WICHITANS WELL KNOWN HERE MARRY NOV. 22

Of interest to relatives and friends here is the marriage of Miss Anna Mae Litteken, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Litteken and David A. Otto, son of Mr. and Mrs. S.P. Otto, in Wichita Falls on Nov. 22. The ceremony

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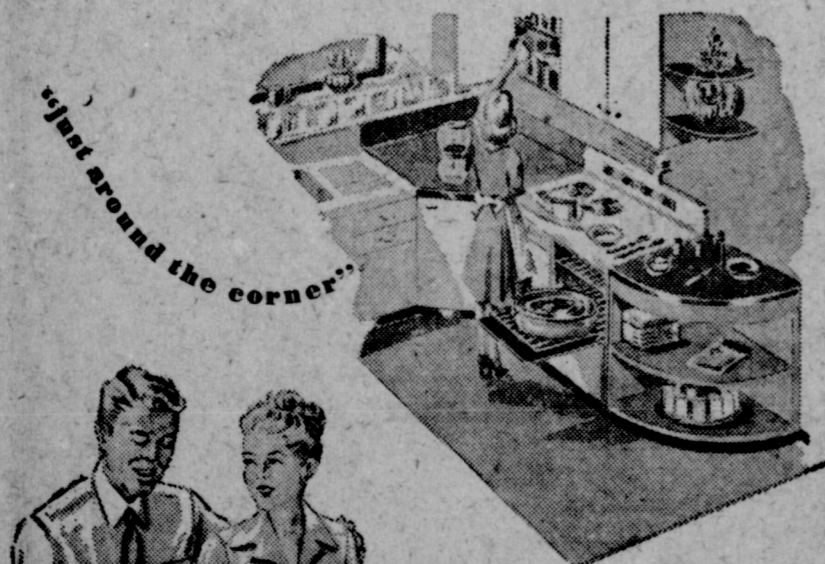
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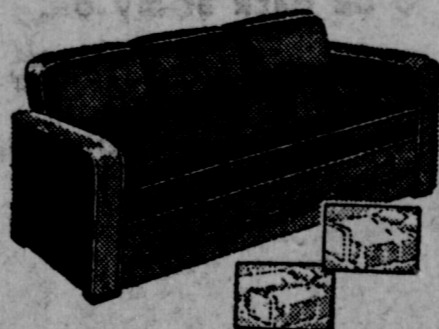
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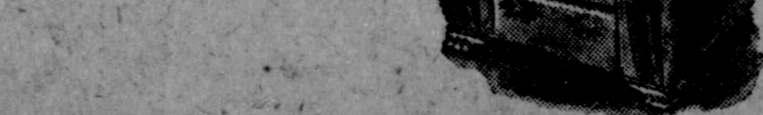


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THE STATE OF TEXAS
 TO: Lillian Koehler, GREETING:
 You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the ex-

piration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 14th day of January, A.D., 1946, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable District Court of Cooke County, at the Courthouse in

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Gainesville, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 26 day of October, 1945. The file number of said suit being No. 14517.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Charles F. Koehler, as Plaintiff and Lillian Koehler as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce from the bonds of matrimony, plaintiff alleging cruel, harsh and tyrannical treatment on the part of defendant as grounds therefor.

Issued this the 26th day of Nov. 1945
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Gainesville, Texas, this the 26th day of November, A.D. 1945.
 SEAL Martin G. Davis Clerk
 District Court Cooke County Tex.
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MOSAICS

of Sacred Heart High

Another yearly cycle passed and the students of Sacred Heart High again enjoyed the Thanksgiving holidays.

One day of the entire year is set aside for us to pause and give thanks to God for all that we have received during the past year. We have many reasons for giving thanks; one day should not be sufficient to thank God for His benefits to each one of us. Why not make use of every day of the year for favors received?

Did you read the Dec. 2nd O.S. V.? If not turn to the youth section and read the article entitled "The Hi-Angle". The article applies to the activities of S.H.H.S. very accurately. There is always something to get ready for. Don't these words sound familiar to each one of the students: "decorating the gym for an occasion", "practicing for a book week program", "building a stage set or making a poster or writing a bulletin about an event." Yes, there is always something happening at S.H.H.S. and there is plenty of opportunity for each one to put his talents where they can be seen.

New Desks Arrive
 Science students were thrilled last Tuesday when the desks for the science department arrived. Lack of desks, however, did not

prevent the science classes from carrying on their work until now although it was a little inconvenient.

The biology class has been studying the grasshopper and enjoyed dissecting grasshoppers in the laboratory last week.

Bookkeeping Students Merit Certificates

Members of the bookkeeping class have reached another rung on the ladder to success and are registered as members of the National Order of Business Efficiency. The following received their senior bookkeeping certificates: Dorothy Vogel, George Swirczynski, Florence Haverkamp, Lillian Wimmer and Jewel Marie Hoffman.

Hornets Win Last Game Over Mustangs

The Hornets met the Mustangs for their last game of the season Sunday afternoon November 25.

Excellent playing was exhibited by both teams and after an exciting game the final score was 18-0 in favor of the Hornets.

As usual, a large crowd attended the game.

Although football season has closed the Hornets will continue their practice and hope to play an occasional game with nearby schools.

The Hornets wish to take this opportunity to publicly thank the K of C for their contribution to the football fund to procure suits for members of the football team.

Everyone enjoyed the picture "Son of Lassie" shown last Tuesday afternoon for the student body at the Relax theatre.

We would like to know who the "Tattletails" are. The faculty and students better be on their guard now. We do think the way in which the "Tattletails" made their appearance was rather cute.

Holiday Cheer Appreciated

Students of Sacred Heart School were pleased and delighted on December 6 when very distinguished visitors came to school. None other than Jolly Old Saint Nicholas, and Santa Claus, two such distinguished visitors at one time. Santa was in his traditional red costume and Saint Nick in his customary black robe. They distributed gifts of popcorn & candy to each pupil of the grade and high department. Our sincerest thanks.

Night clubs nowadays reminds us of the gay nineties. The women are gay and the men are around ninety.

MRS. JOE LUKE IS CLUB HOSTESS WEDNESDAY

Members of the Get-Together Club met with Mrs. Joe Luke as hostess in her home for the regular monthly meeting on Dec. 5. Roll call was answered by a guess as to who was each member's sunshine pal during the past year after which this was revealed, and names were drawn for the coming year.

Five new members were welcomed: Mmes. Al Eberhart, John Klement, R. R. Endres, Henry Walterscheid and John Hoffman. In the 42 series that followed high score award was won by Mrs. Al Walterscheid and low by Mrs. Al Eberhart. The former also

received the galloping prize.

A delicious plate supper was served by the hostess, assisted by Misses Laura Lee Wilde and Anabel Herr. Hostess for the next meeting will be Mrs. John Kathman.

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Sodality Girls Observe Feast Day With Four Events Mildred Walterscheid Is New President

Members of the Young Ladies Sodality observed the feast day of their patron, the Immaculate Conception, on December 8 with fitting religious rites and a communion breakfast.

First on the program was group attendance at 9 o'clock mass and corporate reception of the Eucharist, in which the 22 candidates for reception participated. Rev. Father John officiated at the services and directed a part of his

CLEANING & PRESSING SHOE REPAIRING Nick Miller

MOOS OF THE MOMENT

BY UNCLE BOB
of the Kraft Dairy Farm Service



They tell me two microbes once met each other and started up a conversation. After a time, the first microbe said:

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The standard sterilizing solution can be made by following the manufacturer's directions. For a good pamphlet on this subject, write for Purdue Leaflet No. 260 on "Cleaning and Sterilizing Dairy Utensils", Extension Service, Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind.* Or write me at 500 Peshigo Ct., Chicago 90, Ill., and ask for "Care of Milk on the Farm." It will be sent to you without charge.



I used to have a nice head of hair. Then something knocked the "h" out of it and now I have a nice head of air.

All of which is neither hair nor there, except that it gives me an opportunity to say that your dairy utensils need air more than I need hair. And that's saying a lot. So one

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sermon to the members.

Immediately following the mass the group went to the parish hall where breakfast was served. The sodality colors of blue and white were noted in decorations and the tables were adorned with autumn leaves and berries. Officers and Father John, spiritual director, were seated at the head table. One end of the hall was transformed into a shrine, where a statue of the Blessed Virgin stood on a pedestal, surrounded by greenery, flowers and candles. Here the formal installation of officers took place after the breakfast.

Mothers of the candidates prepared the delicious meal and it was served by the boys of Sacred Heart high school. Father John led the invocation and Miss Jewel Marie Hoffman served as toastmaster. Addresses were given by Father John, who welcomed the new members; Miss Imelda Feldehoff, who announced her resignation as prefect and thanked members for their cooperation during her term of office; Miss Mildred Walterscheid, new prefect; Miss Rose Marie Endres, vice-pre-

fect; and Miss Helen Hess, secretary and treasurer. Some 100 members attended.

Father John officiated at the formal installation ceremonies during which the new officers were installed.

In the afternoon, during the 3 o'clock church services, the new members were formally received into the society. Pastor Father Herman gave the sermon for the occasion.

31ST ANNIVERSARY OF LOCAL CDA COURT OBSERVED ON DEC. 6

The 31st birthday of the local court Catholic Daughters of America was observed on Thursday, Dec. 6, with a delightful social in the K of C hall. In charge of arrangements were Misses Ben Hellman, Al Schad and Paul Fisher.

Decorations of purple and gold the court's colors, were noted in decorations and tables were prettily appointed. Refreshments consisted of birthday cake, ice cream and coffee. The large decorated cake bore the inscription "31st Anniversary," and while members were being seated a phonograph record, made by the late Rev. Frowin Koerdt on the occasion of the organization's 25th anniversary, was played. The message was a congratulatory one and recalled the court's silver anniversary.

Organized in 1914, there are still seven charter members. These were recognized and presented with a gift, a linen handkerchief with embroidered dates in the corner. They were given to Misses Jake Pangel, M.J. Endres, J.S. Horn, J.P. Fisch, and L.A. Bernauer and Misses Anna Hellman and Theresa Luke.

Another interesting feature of the evening was a history of the court's activities from the time of its organization to the present. It was prepared and read by Mrs. Joe Luke, who was presented with a gift for this courtesy.

Later group singing, with Mrs. J.M. Weinzapfel at the piano was enjoyed and table games played.

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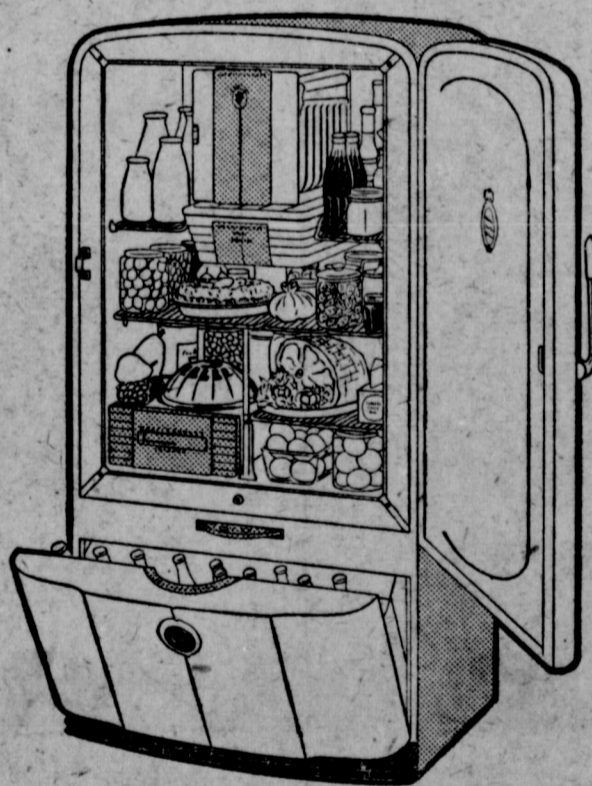
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Lindsay News

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Mrs. F.J. Laux, is home with a discharge from the army. He served in the ETO.

Mr. and Mrs. F.A. Benenate of McKinney visited her mother, Mrs. Joe Bezner over the weekend. Benenate was wearing civvies this time.

Mrs. Henry Gieb who has been sick and confined to bed for the past five weeks, was able to be up for the first time Wednesday this week. Her daughter, Miss Lonie Gieb, has been nursing her.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sandmann are receiving congratulation on the arrival of a new granddaughter, infant Ruth Agnes Beyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Beyer of Muenster, born December 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zimmerer and Paul Zimmerer are on a trip for visits in the Rio Grande valley, Corpus Christi and San Antonio. Little Leonard Zimmerer is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I.A. Zimmerer, and his sister, Virginia, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Zimmerer, while their parents are away.

Paul Neu Of Lindsay Accidentally Shot In Leg

Paul Neu, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Neu of Lindsay, sustained a painful knee injury last Friday, Dec. 9, when a .22 rifle was accidentally discharged as he mounted a horse preparatory for a hunting trip near his father's farm.

Taken to M & S hospital in Gainesville for treatment, it is reported that the bullet was located lodged under the right knee cap. Further details were not learned by the time The Enterprise went to press.

SODALITY RECEPTION HELD AT LINDSAY

On December 8, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, a very inspiring ceremony was held at St. Peter's Church when ten new members were received into the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Father Conrad, O.S.B. officiated at the reception rites after which he spoke encouraging the members to remain faithful in their consecration to the Blessed Virgin Mary. During the 7:30 Mass all the members of the organization received Holy Communion. Misses Louise Hermes and Catherine Bengfort were the acting officers.

After Mass the Mothers' Society served breakfast to the Children of Mary. Miss Marie Zimmerer, who was in charge received compliments for the selection of the menu. Gertrude Bengfort was toastmaster. A welcome to the new members was given by Dorothy Beyer and a response was made by Joan Arendt who spoke in the name of the honorees. Spokesman for the high-school boys, who were also present for the breakfast, was Weldon Bezner. His nonchalant way of speaking called for a hearty applause. Miss Louise Hermes, the Prefect, expressed her thanks to the Sisters, the Ladies and all who had helped to make the affair a success.

The breakfast hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion in azure blue and white. Pink roses were used for table centerpieces.

Those received into the Sodality are: Joan Arendt, Rita Block, Nick Dieter, Juliana Fuhrmann, Joan Geray, Julius Metzler, Frieda Mae Neu, Fred William Neu, Margie Sandmann and Clara Stoffels.

Confetti---

be only too glad to buy some of those things for the amount of the shipping charges against them. Many a farmer would have taken one of the jeeps that was run into the Pacific. Many a family could have used some of the blankets that were burned.

Suppose we were to accept the absurd claim about the shipping expense, we certainly cannot admit that the stuff isn't worth sending to distressed countries. Clothing and food destroyed in the Pacific could have been sent to the Chinese. But no. We prefer to destroy the tons and tons already at China's back door and make new shipments from here.

Even shipping to Europe would be cheaper than making new shipments from here. No manipulation of figures will ever convince us that the cost of shipping a boat load of food already crated, from the Pacific is greater than the cost of as much food plus crating expense plus land transportation to a port plus shipping cost across the Atlantic.

To make matters worse, this waste goes on while congress talks of voting hundreds of millions of dollars to provide food and clothing to stricken Europe, while a Victory Loan drive is under way to raise a few more billion dollars.

At that the money angle is only secondary. The real crime is that we waste food and clothing while millions of people are dying of starvation and exposure, or vital metals that should be brought back to relieve the excessive drain on our depleting resources.

To the short sighted that thought may not have much appeal. They don't expect to be around anyway when the pinch comes. Future generations will have to take the consequences.

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Group B Plus —
Lu Ella Arendt, Weldon Bezner, Alfred Kuhn, Joan Arendt, Rita Block, Frieda Mae Neu, Elfrieda Block, Clem Hermes, Bernadine Lutkenhaus.

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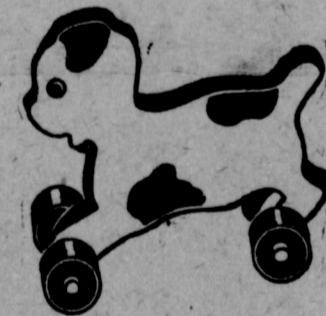


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