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CON-FETTE

According to popular opinion there are two items essential to the concept of a soldier. One is his uniform, the other his rifle. According to that idea Con now feels as though he's made the real start in his training career. The greater part of his past week was directed to the proper use of the rifle — as a weapon, not just several pounds of extra lead to be carried around on hikes and drillings.

First, we had instruction on sighting and sling adjustment. How to compensate for possible error in the gun itself, also to make allowance for wind velocity and distance. All of which is mighty fine in theory, but not so good in practice for a guy like yours truly. To be able to determine how straight a gun shoots a fellow must be able to hold it on the mark, not weave around and trust to luck that he will fire when it happens to be right. Nevertheless, even a poor marksman can use the principle to get somewhere nearer the bull's-eye.

Adjusting the sling is another good idea. Once it is properly twisted around a man's arm, the gun is in place, as snug as any part of his uniform. Naturally that improves the aim, and fully as important, it helps absorb the gun's recoil. This high-powered army rifle kicks like an army mule.

There were a lot of run shy fellows in this crowd before we went out for our first practice shots. Reports had been circulating about the terrific pounding that butt gives a man's shoulder. Con was one of several who definitely dreaded it. All that ended, however, with the first shot. It's not nearly as bad as it seems. A fellow begins to enjoy it.

All our firing was done at will. Plenty of time to draw a bead and get in the best possible shot. First experience was on the 1000 inch range with small targets, just to get acquainted with the gun. Out of 10 rounds — which is simply so many individual shots, in case you did not know — yours truly peppered all around the bull but did not hit it once. That was 5 rounds prone and 5 kneeling.

Next day we went to a 200 yard range for 20 rounds, 10 prone, 5 sitting and 5 standing, and kept score on our shooting. Targets were considerably larger, of course. On them the bull's-eye is a 10-inch spot, but it looks very tiny from that distance. Score for hitting it is 5. The first circle around it has a diameter of 26 inches, and the next circle has a diameter of 46 inches. Shots within those circles are worth 4 and 3 points respectively. Anywhere outside the circle, but still on the target, which measures 4 feet by 6 feet, is worth 2 points. Con's initial trial on that range netted 78 points — three bulls, twelve 4's and five 3's. A long way from the best mark in our crowd, but likewise a lot better than some others.

What the boys hate is the red flag, commonly known as Maggie's drawers. It signifies a complete miss and a zero for the score book. Con was lucky enough not to see the thing wave past his target and is hoping the good fortune can last through the coming week. There's a rumor afloat that we fire for the record soon. That means 40 rounds, some of which are rapid fire.

Rapid fire system is to take position and get off ten shots within a minute. Allowing the time to put in an extra clip of 5 rounds, there's not much time left for aiming and re-loading. They say, however, that most fellows get in a hurry and finish long before necessary. Special larger targets help a fellow a little so that it isn't unusual to find men scoring better than on slow fire. Minimum score to qualify as a marksman in the 40 rounds of record shooting is 134. A sharpshooter must get 178 and an expert 189 — and brother, a man really has to shoot the bull to get that

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FOR DEFENSE



BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

Consumers Will Be Asked To Turn In Excess Sugar

Tire Rationing Board Has Taken Over Sugar Rationing Responsibility

As soon as the registration date for sugar rationing in Cooke county has been determined, consumers will be asked to turn back to grocers from whom they purchased their sugar stocks, all sugar in excess of two pounds per person.

This information has been received by County Superintendent Randolph O'Brien, who heads the sugar rationing program in the county.

Supplies for the sugar rationing program, including registration cards, have been received by County Clerk Jim Reese, and turned over to the county superintendent for distribution to the schools throughout the county.

Every citizen of the county will be asked to comply with the instructions that there be no more than two pounds of sugar per person in any home on registration date.

Grocers will refund money for excess sugar returned. Mr. O'Brien was advised.

Registration under the sugar distribution system will require residents to report to the school in which district they live, whether they have children in that school, or any other school, Ray Winder, member of the rationing board said Friday.

The tire rationing board, composed of Ray Winder, Gainesville attorney; Herbert Meurer, Muenster banker, and A. C. Enderby, Cooke county farmer, has recently taken the responsibility to ration sugar, hosiery, radios and bicycles, in the future.

After the first registration and issuance of books, rationing cards will be distributed by the rationing board.

Definite date for the registration has not yet been set, but it has been indicated that it will be sometime before April 1.

The registration date will be national in scope. The federal government could not set a date that would not conflict with some meetings or special events, but teachers are being advised that the registration must be held, regardless of previously arranged meetings.

MISSION CIRCLE MAKES MASS KIT FOR ARMY CHAPLAIN

The principal activity at the monthly meeting of the Mission Sewing Circle last Thursday afternoon was work on altar linens that will make up a Mass Kit for an army chaplain. A request for a complete Mass Kit was received some time ago. It consists of 21 pieces, including two large altar cloths, four smaller cloths, three corporals, two amices, four finger towels, four purificators, two palls, an alb and a cincture.

Mrs. Lena Streng is in charge of this work and money for the linen was furnished from the treasury of the Saint Anne's Society. Mrs. Streng and members of the society are completing the articles at home this week so that the kit can be sent off.

Other activities of the club consisted of hand mending and the making of a comfort. Mrs. John Eberhart, president, announced that a shipment of articles was scheduled to leave for the Central Bureau this week.

Twenty-six ladies, including two new members, Mesdames Joseph Hofbauer and Al Swirczynski, attended the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Walter and daughter, Dolores, and Miss Loretta Hartman were Stock Show visitors Tuesday.

IMPORTANT ISLAND



—Loss of Singapore and the Dutch East Indies bases has prompted discussion in London as to the possibility that Allied troops might occupy Vichy-controlled Madagascar in order to hold their supply lines in that part of the Indian Ocean. A Japanese mission has been reported there for weeks, negotiating for naval and air bases. The Axis already has a naval base on Vichy-owned Kerguelen Islands, southeast of Capetown.

J.G. Estes Speaks To Garden Club On Spraying

Members of the Civic League and Garden Club heard J. G. Estes of Gainesville as a guest speaker at their regular monthly meeting Friday afternoon. His subject was "What and When to Spray."

Mr. Estes, instructor of science in the Gainesville High School, gave a highly instructive lecture in a delightfully informal manner and answered numerous questions asked by club members.

He simplified the spraying problem which is troubling not only club members, but also other citizens of the community, by telling what to use and when to dust or spray for the prevention and control of insect pests and plant diseases which attack flowers, vegetables, shrubs and trees.

He displayed a number of specimens of plants affected by diseases common in this vicinity, named the disease, and told what to spray for its prevention and cure. He also had a variety of commercial and home-prepared solutions which he exhibited. Several types of sprayers and their special uses were also shown and demonstrated. After his talk he distributed booklets on spraying.

During the business session, following the guest speaker's address, Mrs. Joe Luke, president, presided. Committee reports were heard. Mrs. Herbert Meurer, sanitation chairman, stating that a city cleanup is planned for next month, and Mrs. Tony Gremminger reporting on activities of the local girls' 4-H club.

Mrs. Jim Cook gave an account of work being done by the defense committee. At present members are helping Mrs. G. H. Hellman with activity of the Red Cross sewing room. Twenty-seven women's wool dresses were recently cut and are now being finished. Six dresses were given to members at the meeting to complete.

Miss Olivia Stock, program chairman, announced that the meeting next month will be an evening meeting and a film will be shown. Flower arrangements of the month were presented by Mrs. Ben Hellman and Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel. The former was a large container filled with peach blossoms and the latter's was a bowl of violets and japonica.

Twenty-two members and six guests attended the meeting.

Three Lehnertz Brothers In Army; All Get Medals For Expert Marksmanship

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehnertz, who are the parents of three sons in the service of Uncle Sam, have indeed cause to be proud of their boys. All three have been decorated with medals during their training periods at camp.

Private Eugene Lehnertz, last of the trio to enter the service, received a medal last week in a rifle shooting contest at Camp Wallace. He scored 179 points out of a possible 185, in standing, kneeling and sitting positions.

Several months ago Pfc. Earl Lehnertz, now in Australia, was awarded a medal in pistol shooting, and Pvt. Jimmy Lehnertz qualified as a sharp shooter in a rifle contest while he was stationed at Camp Wallace. He took third place in the contest in which 600 men participated.

The protection of life and property against fire is important at any time. It is vital in war time.

KNIFE IN THE BACK



—BERNE. — Photo shows Lieut. Col. Werner Moelders, who was credited with the destroying of 115 planes and who was decorated by Chancellor Hitler with the "Oak Leaves of the Knights of the Cross of the Iron Cross." Reliable reports of last weekend from here state that Moelders was shot down on Hitler's orders by anti-aircraft batteries last November 22. On that date the official report from Germany was that Col. Moelders had been killed while on a business trip when a transport plane crashed. It seems that Moelders, a Catholic, had been indignant about the brutal treatment of nuns and monks driven out of the convents by the Nazis. Moelders' sister was an abbess in a Muenster (Germany) convent.

FRANK BAYER FARM IS SAMPLE UNIT FOR SOIL CONSERVATION

The Frank Bayer farm just east of Muenster on Highway 82, which was previously selected as a sample unit, was planned for soil and moisture conservation, Thursday, by Mr. Bayer and the Soil Conservation District staff, according to J. N. Gerreald, Work Unit Leader.

Mr. Gerreald said that this farm would be used as a sample in the Muenster Priority Area and that farmers in that group could get a good idea about working out their individual problems by studying Mr. Bayer's plan, which will be shown on maps at a meeting in the near future at Muenster.

The present plan is to hold a meeting of the farmers within the Priority Area and explain the various phases of farm planning using Mr. Bayer's farm as a sample, thereby enabling each owner to tentatively make his plan. Dates will be made at the meeting with each farm owner present for finishing his individual plan. It is hoped that this group of farmers will be planned in the next three weeks so that actual conservation work can start as soon as grain is harvested or conditions will otherwise permit, Mr. Gerreald concluded.

Frank Yosten Enlisted In Navy; Left Sunday

Frank Yosten, son of John Yosten, enlisted in the United States Navy last week and left Sunday for an induction center at Houston.

Members of his family had not heard by Wednesday noon, where he is to be stationed.

Frank was honored with a reunion party Sunday at his father's home as a farewell tribute. Members of the family present were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hildebeck and family of Shawnee, Okla., Pvt. Andy Yosten of Camp Walters, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Horn and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sicking and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pels and son, Miss Bonnie Yosten and the host.

Frank is a native of this community. He spent all of his life here with the exception of the past few years, at intervals, when he engaged in oil field work and traveled where his jobs took him.

THREE MORE LOCAL MEN ENTER SERVICE, BRING TOTAL TO 69

Three more Muenster men, Joe and Henry Pautler and William (Buck) Knabe, joined Uncle Sam's khaki clad troops this week under the selective service act. They left Gainesville Sunday morning in company of other boys of the county. Also included in this draft was Paul Wiesman, a native of this community, who moved with his parents to Pilot Point last year.

Muenster's men in the armed service now total 69. During the past two weeks four young men enlisted, three in the navy and one in the army.

Truck Load of Shrubbery Donated By Citizens To Camp At Wichita Falls

Herbert Meurer Attends Rotary Luncheon; Hears Talk on Rubber Outlook

Herbert Meurer was a guest at the luncheon of the Gainesville Rotary Club last Wednesday, saw synthetic rubber made and heard a lecture on rubber by F. W. Anthony, sales promotion manager of the B. F. Goodrich Rubber company, Dallas. Mr. Meurer witnessed the making of a small quantity of synthetic rubber by the guest speaker and viewed rubber tubing and hose and an automobile tire made of the synthetic mixture that was on display.

Meurer is a member of the county tire rationing board and quoted the speaker as saying that there is no reason for optimism in the rubber situation facing the United States, inasmuch as 98 per cent of our raw rubber supply has been coming from the Dutch East Indies and Malaya, now in the hands of the Japanese.

He said the speaker explained that synthetic rubber is being produced here only in small quantities and it may be the latter part of 1943 before any considerable amount may be manufactured, due to the fact that machinery, for the process, must be first designed, made and erected.

Rubber trees cannot be grown successfully in the United States and the guayule plant, grown in Mexico and parts of the United States, does not produce sap until four years of age and when the sap is removed from these plants they are killed requiring four more years before a new crop is available. Mr. Meurer said the speaker pointed out.

There is absolutely no reason to believe, at present, that the average motorist will be able to purchase a new tire for several years, Mr. Meurer said the speaker emphasized. Statistics show that the average automobile wears out one and one-third tires per year. Owners of fairly new cars and comparatively new tires may expect them to last four or five years, provided they drive at reasonable speed and use care with their tires. On that basis about half the cars of the nation should continue to operate for several years, deducting those whose tires will be completely gone. The army and navy requirements will consume the available supply and those to be manufactured from materials in stock piles.

MUENSTER LISTED AS "MODEL COLONY" BY ST. LOUIS MAGAZINE

The Social Justice Review, St. Louis, Mo., in its March 1942 issue lists under the heading, "Model Colony" the following:

Generally classified as one of the model colonies founded by German Catholics in our country, Muenster, Texas, has enjoyed many distinctions in the 52 years of its existence. Most recent of these was the appointment of one of its native sons, Rt. Rev. Msgr. Augustine Dangelmayr, as Vicar General of the Diocese of Dallas.

In many ways Muenster is an unusual community. Nearly all of its 1300 residents are Catholic and the town is built around the Parish, dedicated to the Sacred Heart. Under the administration of the Benedictine Fathers of New Subiaco Abbey, in Arkansas, for 48 years, the parish has progressed; the buildings include the church, rectory, a new school, a high school and a convent. Plans are under way for the construction of a new church to replace the present structure built in 1898. Rev. Frowin Koerd, O. S. B., has served as pastor since 1918.

The town has responded wholeheartedly to the war program. Already more than \$40,000 has been spent for the purchase of defense bonds and stamps. Even more important, is the number of men it has furnished for military service; more than 50 men have thus far answered the call to the colors. This is twice the number Muenster should have furnished in proportion to its population, taking the national figures as a yardstick. Selective Service, however, has disrupted the town's business to a considerable extent since several of those drafted were the owners and managers of commercial enterprises.

The parish societies have been active members of the Catholic State League and the CWU of Texas for many years. As early as 1906 Muenster served as host to an annual convention of the League.

A daughter was born at the local clinic Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Umberton of Saint Jo.

Community Helps Garden Club in Project To Beautify Sheppard Field

Muenster's Shrubbery-For-Camp campaign, under the supervision of the defense committee of the Civic League and Garden Club, met with the whole-hearted response of local citizens who contributed a truck load of cedars, trees of several varieties, hedge plants, roses, chrysanthemums, bulbs, and gallons of flower seeds.

The shipment left here for Sheppard Field Monday night. It was delivered free of charge by the Central Truck Line.

Mrs. Jim Cook and committee members, Mesdames Joe Luke, Tony Gremminger, Frank Kaiser, E. O. Teague and Miss Olivia Stock, made house-to-house visits during the weekend to pick up the plants, which were sorted, labeled and packed for shipping at the Cook home Saturday afternoon. Several bundles of magazines accompanied the greenery.

Mrs. Cook this week expressed thanks to all who contributed to this project. She had previously informed the camp that the greenery was forthcoming and received the assurance of the authorities in charge that it will be most welcome and appreciated.

That the boys are grateful for the beautification of their camp is evidenced in a letter Mrs. Cook received this week from the mother of an Ohio youth who is stationed at Sheppard Field. He wrote his mother that shrubbery from Muenster was forthcoming and her letter is as follows:

"My Dear Mrs. Cook: May I send my appreciation to you and the Muenster Garden Club for the perfectly grand piece of work you are doing in planting shrubbery around the Service Club at Sheppard Field.

"You are doing more than you will ever know to strengthen morale among the boys. Many of these boys have left behind homes, surrounded by grand old trees and beautiful gardens. And it is rather hard to become accustomed to the barrenness of a new camp.

"My own son, a young sergeant, has never yet complained, and yet, on his first visit to Wichita Falls, I saw real grass today, and imagine big, over-grown me, reaching down and patting it. But it was so nice to see green grass that I felt just like a kitten must feel with catnip! Of course, I feel grateful for what you are doing.

"Our Garden Clubs here are planning and talking Victory Gardens. But you certainly deserve a great deal of credit for providing, shall I call it 'Victory shrubbery'?"

Sincerely, Yours in Gardening, Mrs. L. K. Traphagen, Massillon, Ohio."

Fisher Brothers Note Fifteenth Birthday of Business This Week

Tuesday was more than Saint Patrick's Day to Joe and John Fisher. It was the fifteenth birthday of their business.

On March 17, 1927, the Fisher brothers opened a modern meat market in the northeast corner of the cheese plant building. They remained there until May of the following year when a vacancy in the new building constructed the previous summer by Joe Trachta gave them the opportunity of moving to their present location.

Ever since they started their business the Fisher brothers have been stepping forward with a steady series of improvements. Their shop is equipped with modern fixtures throughout. In 1933 they introduced groceries in their store and have been giving complete market and grocery services since that time.

During their 15 years the Fisher brothers have become famous for their country sausage. Every year find that the demand grows larger, as orders are received from customers throughout Texas and many from as far as Illinois and Michigan.

Both Fisher brothers are prominent in business and civic circles and take active part in parish religious activity. John is an alderman in the city council, and Joe is grand knight of the Muenster Knights of Columbus and a director of the Muenster State Bank.

Pvt. Anthony Luke is out of the hospital at Camp Wallace and well over a bad cold and illness resulting from the extraction of a wisdom tooth, he wrote to his parents this week.

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AMERICA MUST WIN

Texas and the entire Southwest have poured out a precious offering to the cause of liberty—and will not hesitate to sacrifice either blood or treasure to the utmost in that belief. The people have seen their sons depart and have watched with dry eyes, but with quivering lips. Bone of their bone, flesh of their flesh, the best that they have is going, day by day, toward the battle line. The people would not have it otherwise. America is worth it all.

In the flush of this high moment of crisis, little things seem little indeed; political differences are of no account; personal ambition and personal gains fade out of mind. A man is ashamed to think of them now—now when our boys are being forced back, back, back, without the airplanes they need to take the offensive, without the ships they need to take them supplies, without the tanks and guns they need to send them smashing, crashing forward to victory.

Mothers and fathers of fighting men have crossed all lines of party and vocation and social standing to join hands together. Up from the far reaches of the soil a mighty voice sweeps with this thundering word for the world: "America must win." These mothers and fathers have vowed a vow that no selfishness shall slow down production, no politics shall cripple defense, no disaffection shall sabotage the freedom of this free land. The blocs and the blockage will have to go. At last a fighting America stands forth. An embattled people is a terrible force, and terrible indeed will be the day for him who stands out against this people, whether at home or abroad. America must win!—Sunday Dallas News.

It Happened 5 Years Ago

Taken from the Enterprise of March 19, 1937

Farmers begin soil program for 1937, elect old committeemen, local block includes Myra, Muenster, Bulcher communities. — Both Wets and Drys predict victory in Saturday election. — Bleak winter weather returns for brief flurry. — Literary events at County Meet being held. — Burial held for Joe Neu, early Lind-

say settler. — Muenster players to present comedy drama on Easter Sunday. — Farmers checks pour in from Washington on conservation program. — District meeting of State League announced for April 20 at Pilot Point. — Mrs. John Eberhart, Jr. and daughter, injured in auto accident at Van. — Fisher Brothers observe 10th anniversary of business career on Wednesday of this week. — Large number of Muenster people attend Pat Stock Show. — Miss Regina Fuhrmann of Lindsay recovered from illness if influenza.

STUDENTS' SCRAP PAPER SOLD FOR RED CROSS

Pupils of the Public school this week made a donation of \$2.88 to the Red Cross. The money was raised by the students by the collection and sale of waste paper, and was presented to Mrs. G. H. Hellman who turned it over to county Red Cross headquarters at Gainesville.

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STYLES OF THE HOUR FOR THE MAN OF THE HOUR

MOSAICS of Sacred Heart High

Edited This Week By
Alfred Bayer
Alma Marie Luke
Tony Hess

Annual:
Work on the Annual is progressing nicely. The book is taking shape, and soon will be ready for the printers. We ask the public to put in their order now, while there is time. Only the number ordered will be printed. We would not like to see a sign like this in front of someone's house: "This family died of a broken heart; they waited too long and didn't get an Annual from Sacred Heart H." See Sister Agnes, or one of the Seniors or Juniors and place your order for your copy of the Annual now.

Athletics:
The month of March is running true to form. It is "Windy". This is vexing to the tennis players. Regardless of the wind you will always find us on the court and at play. It's a very nice pastime. We all enjoy it and nothing can stop us from playing tennis.

The boys are practicing vigorously in softball. We hope that in the near future we will have a game matched with some neighboring school.

First Aid:

On Monday afternoon Mr. Keel gave another lesson in First Aid. It dealt with the bone structures of the human body. He demonstrated various bandages. If some one sees one of the students with an arm in a sling, or a jaw bandaged, don't be frightened. It's only the First Aid class practicing bandaging. We have been "doing each other up" ever since Monday. We all appreciate Mr. Keel's kindness in giving us these lessons and wish again to express our sincerest thanks. The students look forward to these instructions for they are very interesting and highly instructive. Thanks again, Mr. Keel.

On Tuesday the students of Sacred Heart High received their membership cards enrolling them in the American Junior Red Cross. We shall also make thirty table favors for Easter for an orphanage as part of our Red Cross work.

Four-H Club

Of the sixteen Four-H-Club boys that went to the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth on Monday four were from the High School. Mr. Joe Fisher, Jr. took the boys down. Thank you, Mr. Fisher. We all enjoyed the trip and the show.

Mystery:

No doubt the Juniors and the Seniors wondered what the Freshmen were doing up in the library during their typewriting period on Tuesday. Well, let us explain. They were preparing their assignment in general science after they had been invited to do so.

Can You Imagine:

Marie Swinger not being quiet?
Miriam Koessler not bringing up a joke at every opportunity?
Celia Walterscheid not trying to talk at every turn?
Florence Endres not arguing on the tennis court?
Leo Becker using his baby voice?
Alfred Bayer not forgetting his assignment?
Joe Starke not grinning?
Rose Hennigan not having to find the right page in class?
Marie Felderhoff not excellent at rules?
Rose Marie Endres keeping company with "herself" alone?
Evelyn Wiesman not laughing at Harold Luke?
Martin Becker not doing the goose walk?
Harold Luke with his mouth not open?
Lucille Wimmer trying to use her voice?
Beatrice Reiter trying to be serious?

The folks who used to be parlor pinks no longer see Red.

School Daze

MUENSTER PUBLIC SCHOOL

Edited this week by
Irene Lutkenhaus

Monday, the 4-H Club boys visited the Ice Show at Will Rogers Coliseum and the Fat Stock Show. Since the group left early in the morning and returned in the evening, it seemed to have made a day of visiting the exhibits and viewing all the attractions. Mr. Gray chaperoned the Club and transportation was furnished by Mr. Joe Fisher and Mr. Martin. From the reports heard at school Tuesday, the boys spent at their money, but nevertheless had a good time doing it.

After several weeks of collecting waste and scrap paper, the entire amount was sold and the proceeds were turned over to the Red Cross. Although the profits realized were not as great as we hoped, we feel that we have helped a little toward a worthy cause. Used notebook paper was saved by the pupils, and other forms of waste paper was collected from various homes. The school wishes to thank all those who contributed in any way to this drive.

Juniors and Seniors are now becoming acquainted with Shakespeare and his works. MACBETH is on the program at present, and we're all wondering how the drama will end. We'll soon find out, and we

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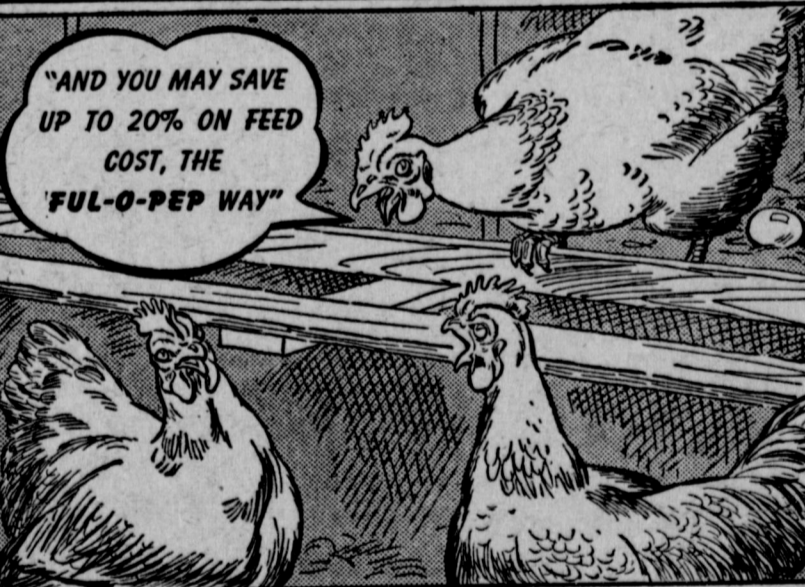
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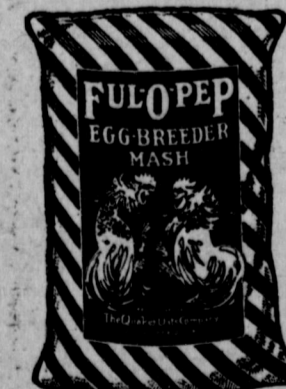
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LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

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

Vincent Luke, employed in an aircraft factory in Fort Worth, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Miss Edith Mae Rhodes of Denton, was the weekend guest of her mother, Mrs. Jim Cook.

Miss Cornelia Harrison spent Saturday night at Era as the guest of Miss Dorothy McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lutkenhaus and little daughters of Gainesville spent Sunday here with relatives.

Miss Eugenia Walter left during the weekend for Fort Worth where she is now employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Flusche and little sons of Decatur visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Bertha Faacke of Sherman was the guest of Mrs. Emmet Pette last Thursday.

Mrs. Henry Stelzer is up and about again after being quite ill three days this week.

Miss Lorena Fisher of Wichita Falls spent the weekend here with members of her family.

Michael Driever spent from Friday to Monday in bed suffering from an attack of influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Fisch, of Guthrie, Okla., arrived here Tuesday for an indefinite visit with relatives and friends.

Constable Frank Hoedebeck, John Ezell and John Hays of Gainesville were in Brady on official business Tuesday.

Mrs. John Ezell and Mrs. Jud Boyles and children were dinner guests of Mrs. T. P. Frost at Gainesville Tuesday.

Miss Blanche Hammer, student nurse of Wichita Falls, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Hammer, in Muenster.

Miss Mary Alice Bernauer of Sherman came in Monday night to spend Tuesday with relatives and friends in this city.

John Felderhoff sustained a sprained right ankle in a fall at his farm home Thursday afternoon.

Earl Fisher and Norman Luke of the Naval Reserve Aviation Base at Grand Prairie were here Sunday to visit homefolks.

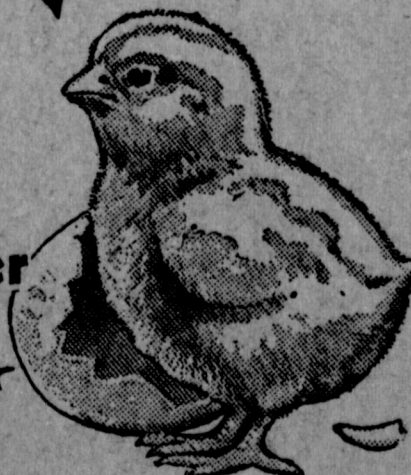
Rev. Anthony Weinzapfel of Denver, Colorado, visited here this week with his cousins, J. M. Weinzapfel and Mrs. Tony Gremminger.

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Political Announcements

The following persons have authorized the Enterprise to announce their candidacies for political offices, subject to the Democratic Primary Election, July 25, 1942:

DISTRICT CLERK:
 MARTIN G. DAVIS

COUNTY TREASURER:
 MRS. EVA G. TOWNSLEY

Tony Gremminger.

Pvt. Millard Gray returned last Thursday to Fort Sam Houston after spending his furlough in Cooke county with relatives and friends. While in this city last week he was the guest of his brother, Professor J. E. Gray, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chandler and daughters, Kay and Jan, of Fairfield, Ill., spent the weekend here with relatives and friends. They are spending this week in Dallas and will be here for another visit next week.

Bill Adams, former local youth, stopped by here Monday for a visit with old friends. He had been in Durant, Okla., to visit his parents and was on his way to Camp Barkley. He had served in the regular army some time ago and was recalled for service.

Pvts. Gene Lohmertz and Arnold Miller of Camp Wallace spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents here. They made the trip with a group of soldiers who spent the weekend with relatives at Oklahoma City.

Pvts. Carl Schilling, Ted Voth, Andy Yosten, Ed Swirczynski, Pat Stelzer, Joe Sicking, Water Becker, Alvin Koehler, Pete Stoffels and Ray Fuhrmann, all of Camp Wolters, spent Saturday night and Sunday here with members of their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Yosten were hosts at a dinner Sunday for which the following were guests: Cadets Paul Fidel and Bob Dunwell of Sheppard Field, Mr. and Mrs. John Fleitman and family of Myra, and Misses Josephine and Veronica Yosten.

A new home is under construction for the Bill Derischweller family, who have moved here from Tishomingo, Okla. The building is going up east of the John Grewing residence. The Derischweller family is staying with relatives until its completion.

Pvt. Chester Bentley of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bentley and daughter, Susan, of Duncan, Okla., visited relatives and friends here during the weekend and attended the funeral of their grandfather, A. F. Ackley, at Gainesville Sunday afternoon.

Announcement has been received here of the birth of a 10-pound son to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomasson of Shawnee, Okla., on March 10. He has been named Michael James. The lad is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmitz of this city. Mrs. Thomasson was Miss Magdalene Schmitz before her marriage.

Mrs. Frank Cler of Pesotum, Ill., and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Riley and two children of Tuscola, Ill., spent the weekend and Monday here with relatives. Mrs. Cler is a sister of Joseph Paulie and her husband is a cousin of Charles Cler. They are also old friends of the Vogels and Kleasess who they visited while here.

PVT. PAT STELZER IS HONOREE AT DINNER
 Pvt. Pat Stelzer, home from Camp Wolters for the weekend for a visit, was honored with a turkey dinner in observance of his 23rd birthday Sunday at the home of his father, G. A. Stelzer and Mrs. Stelzer.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Chandler and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Stelzer and Mr. and Mrs. S. Hamilton and baby of Henrietta.

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DINNER PARTY HONORS JOHN HARTMAN SUNDAY
 John Hartman was honored with a family dinner party Sunday in observance of his birthday. His son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Al Walter, were hosts for the party in their home.

The dining table was centered with a large decorated cake bearing 57 candles and places were laid for the honoree and members of his family.

BIRTHDAY PARTY GREETES MRS. JOHN HAVERKAMP, SR.
 Mrs. John Haverkamp, Sr., was delightfully surprised Sunday on the occasion of her 76th birthday when her children gathered at her home in the evening for a party in her honor.

Informal diversion and refreshments were enjoyed. Personnel of the affair included Messrs. and Mesdames Lee Haverkamp and family, Frank Haverkamp and family of Lindsay, Ray Vogel and son, Albert Stoffels, Charlie Haverkamp and daughter, John Kathman and daughter, Mrs. Nick Stoffels and the honor guest.

A reader wants to know if an editor is a man who puts things in the paper. Land, no! An editor is a man who keeps things out of the paper.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS
 TO Roy Lind, Defendant, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Cooke County at the Court House thereof, in Gainesville, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 27th day of April A. D. 1942, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 9th day of March A. D. 1942, in this cause, numbered 13508 on the docket of said court and styled MAYSEL LIND Plaintiff, vs. ROY LIND Defendant.

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

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

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Orders are now being taken for the 1942 Annual of Sacred Heart High school. See Sister Agnes or one of the students. 17-2

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and the Seal of said Court, at office in Gainesville, Texas, this the 9th day of March A. D., 1942.

ATTEST:
 TRUMAN PACE,
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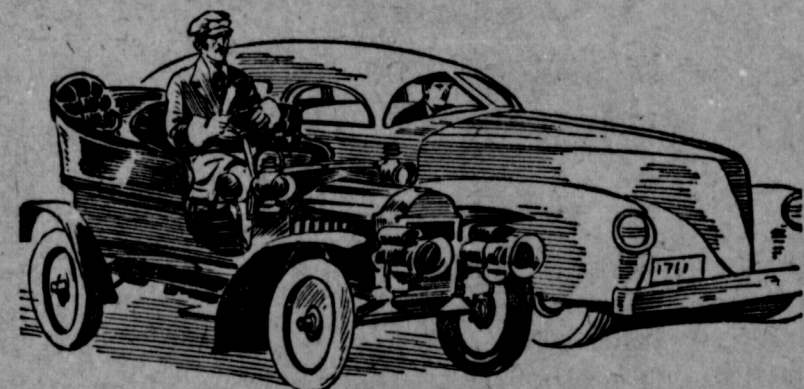
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Lindsay News

Monday the 4-H club boys and girls of his community attended the Fat Stock show at Fort Worth.

Fancy Idaho Potatoes. They're grand for either cooking or frying. \$2.90 buys a hundred pound sack at Hoelker Grocery. (adv.)

Eugene Schmitz, Walter Bezner and Joe Hundt, Jr., of Garland, spent the weekend here with home-folks.

Miss Gladys Hoberer of Dallas spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoberer and family.

Frederick and Vincent Zimmerer, who are employed at Garland, were here to visit over the weekend with relatives.

Mrs. Anna Loerwald spent several days of last week in Muenster with her daughter, Mrs. Alphonse Fleitman.

Fancy dried whole green peas. Quick cooking and tasty. Only 39 cents a package at Hoelker Grocery.

Henry I. Reinart was among the Cooke county boys inducted in the army through selective service this week. He left with the group from Gainesville Sunday.

Rose Marie, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Moosberger, is recovering this week from an illness of influenza that confined her to bed several days last week.

Cadets Leonard Zwingsel and Bernard Zimmerer, of Shepherd Field were weekend guests of their parents, Messrs. and Mesdames Leo Zwingsel and Herman Zimmerer and families.

For a healthful, delicious, ready-to-serve dessert you can't beat our gallon-pack fruits. Prices: Apricots, 55c; Peaches, 55c; Peaches, 48c; Prunes, 38c. Try 'em and be convinced. Hoelker Grocery. (adv.)

Henry Popp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Popp, was back at classes in the Lindsay school this week after being ill two weeks with influenza. Little Elsie Marie Popp is quite ill this week.

Pvts. Albert Hoelker, "Red" Loerwald, Lawrence Schad, Hugo Bengfort, Albert Laux, Valentine and Ray Fuhrmann, all of Camp Wolters, came in Saturday night to spend Sunday with relatives and friends.

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YOUTH BAND HAS OFFICER ELECTION MONDAY EVENING

Muenster's Youth Band held its annual election of officers Friday evening preceding the regular weekly practice session. Norbert Koessler was chosen president; Miss Katie Mae Walterscheid, vice-president; Miss Mary Elizabeth Endres, secretary. Those in charge of property, as named at the meeting, are Alfred Bayer, Joe Weinzapfel, Miss Johnny Ann Seyler and Miss Gladys Wilde.

This music group is now entering its second year of activity. Rev. Richard Eydell, assistant pastor, is director. The band has already won the love and appreciation of the community, and according to members, hopes to develop into a creditable organization during the ensuing year.

Ralph Hellman Enlists In U. S. Army Air Corps

Ralph Hellman, son of Wm. Hellman of this city, left last week for an induction center at Ft. Worth, following his enlistment in the Army Air Corps.

Ralph is a native of this city but spent most of the past seven years gold mining in Alaska. He was here for a week to visit relatives before joining the armed forces.

Ralph has considerable experience in flying; for a time he owned a plane, using it for his trips. On several occasions while he was back in the States for visits he "doubled" for Hollywood stars in plane scenes and parachute jumps.

His father had not heard this week where he stationed.

A. F. Ackley, Father of Mrs. Ralph Richards, Dies at Gainesville

A. F. Ackley, father of Mrs. Ralph Richards, died at his home in Gainesville Friday during the noon hour. He had been in ill health for several years and suffered a light stroke a week ago, but his death was unexpected.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the George J. Carroll and Son funeral chapel with the Masonic lodge in charge of the services. Burial was in Fairview cemetery.

Mr. Ackley, 73, had been a resident of Gainesville for 31 years, and had the first agency for the Ford automobile in that city. He was well known to people of this community.

Survivors are his wife, the former Miss Frankie Finch, and four children, Mrs. Rose Fletcher, Gainesville, Mrs. Ralph Richards, Muenster, George Ackley, Dallas, and Paul Ackley, formerly of this city, now of Iowa Park; eleven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

HYACINTH STUDY CLUB ENDS YEAR'S ACTIVITY

The Hyacinth Discussion Club met for its final lesson of the season Monday evening with Miss Rita Swirczynski as hostess. The concluding chapter of the textbook, "Fishes Apostles for Converts," was studied. Rev. Father Richard was a special guest.

The club was organized last October with eleven members. Miss Olivia Stock served as leader and Miss Marie Swinger was secretary. Other members were Misses Evelyn Swinger, Rita and Catherine Swirczynski, Bonnie Yosten, Arnelia Yosten, Dorothy Mae Yosten, Rose Marie Tempel, Anastasia Tempel, Myrtle Friske.

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SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION APRIL 4

Though intensely interested in the possibilities of improving their local school system, people here have shown little interest to date in the annual election of trustees on the first Saturday in April.

Two men, Henry Wiesman and J. S. Lawson will complete their terms this year. Up to this week no candidates have announced.

LOCAL 4-H CLUB GIRLS DISCUSS GARDEN PESTS

Muenster 4-H Club girls held their regular meeting Monday morning during which time speakers were presented on Garden Pests.

Thelma Kathman spoke on "How to Fight Cutworms", Laverna Starke read a paper on "How to Fight the Cabbage Bug" and Alene Swirczynski gave an account on "How to Fight the Potato Beetle." Marian Gremminger gave a reading on how to make a compost heap.

Mrs. Tony Gremminger and Miss Olivia Stock, sponsors, were present at the meeting and helped the girls decide on their goals for 1942. Catherine Reeves, a student at the public school, was welcomed as a new member.

Following business, the girls spent some time in recreation under the leadership of Mary Evelyn Seyler and Anna Grace Wimmer.

TOM CARTERS QUIT CAFE BUSINESS; GO TO GRANBURY

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carter, operators of Our Cafe for the past year, discontinued business at the cafe last week and left Sunday for Granbury where they will make their home. Mr. Carter is engaged there with an oil drilling company.

The Carters had resided in Muenster for a number of years and made many friends here whose best wishes go with them in their new home.



To the Boys at Camp

Pfc. R. W. Herr, (18021299) 7-G, Fort Greeley, Alaska.

Pvt. Peter G. Stoffels, Co. A, 61st Inf. Trc. Bn. 1st Platoon, Camp Wolters, Texas.

Lt. M. J. Endres, Jr., Ferry Project A CFC Morrison Field, West Palm Beach, Florida.

Earl Fisher, 114 West Woodin, Dallas, Texas.

Pvt. Joe H. Sicking, Co. D, 53rd Bn—4th Platoon, Camp Wolters, Texas.

Corp. S. F. Huchton, A. T. Co, 9th Inf. APO No. 2 Fort San Houston, Texas.

Sgt. W. B. Huchton, T. O. W. Target Det. March Field, Calif.

Pfc. Bill Eberhart, Co. B, 3rd Bn. Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Pvt. August J. Lutkenhaus, Co. E, 40th Inf. Div. Training Center, Camp Haan, Calif.

Pvt. Raymond F. Lutkenhaus, D-58 Trng. Bn. Camp Callan, San Diego, Calif.

Pvt. Lawrence Sicking, Bat. B, 51st F. A. Trg. Bn. Camp Roberts, Calif.

Pvt. Robert Beyer, Co. B, 9th Bn. AERTC, Fort Knox, Ky.

Confetti---

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A rather interesting chore connected with rifle shooting is working the targets. Every soldier gets his turn at it. When the gang gets to the range it is divided into two groups, each of which does the other's target work. A person would think it's dangerous to have all those high-powered bullets whizzing overhead. Fact is, no place could be safer. The man works far below the level of gunfire and what few shots go low plow into a mound of earth. After ripping through targets the bullets go into a hillside.

Between targets and that hill hundreds of trees have been clipped off. This doesn't mean just sapplings, but big trees as well. Many thousands of bullets have to zip past to do that job. It gives a faint idea of the tremendous expense Uncle Sam has in that one phase of a soldier's training. Ammunition with power like that costs big money, especially in that tremendous quantity. One redeeming factor is that all empty shells are picked up for reloading.

Something else to think about is the devastating effect of the army rifle in actual warfare. An enemy lurking behind a tree has no means safe, unless it happens to be a large one. The bullets are speedy, too. Men at the target hear the sharp crack of breaking paper a long instant before the rifle's report.

After the shot, the target is pulled down and the hole marked with a small disc, which can be seen from the firing line. After the next shot the disc is moved to the next hole and a small patch of paper is pasted over the first hole. And so on and on.

The past week has also brought other experiences. Several more cases of mumps with the inevitable extension of the quarantine. Also another tough day of scouting and mumps actually to pack up that stuff without benefit of daylight. Then we marched back, arriving about 9:30.

After reaching our destination we pitched pup tents, had supper and waited a while for darkness. Yes, that's all we waited for, so that we would have to pack up that stuff without benefit of daylight. Then we marched back, arriving about 9:30.

We're getting more and more meals outside. Furthermore we'll have even more of them. Present indications are we'll also have more night details. Officers here are serious about crowding in as much training as they possibly can. There are cases on record of men who went directly to combat area after their basic training. No one knows whether that will happen to us but they want us to be as well qualified as possible — just in case.

If only the rest of the nation would adopt a little of the army's attitude! This week is serious, as is plainly evident to every man in uniform. And still we have millions of thoughtless boobies, whose lives and liberty the uniformed men are struggling to protect, who apparently make no effort to cooperate. When will they have the sense to understand, or the common decency to admit, that such outrages as labor racketeering, industrial profiteering, strikes, 40 hour weeks, needless squandering and other such things are little short of treason?

America needs to wake up, to impose a little sacrifice on itself rather than have misery and slavery imposed by the Axis powers. If they'd endure only half of what the boys on the battle line have to, we'd be in high gear down the road to victory today. But too many still want all the fruits of this land of plenty. Their idea is plain selfishness, not democracy. Americanism calls for a share in responsibilities as well as luxuries.

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