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Again the ladies of the Garden Club rate a rousing cheer for their flower show. It was a sight worth anybody's attention. A person did not need a highly developed artistic taste nor a comprehensive knowledge of flowers—those qualities help, however—to appreciate the general planning effect and the merit of individual displays.

Naturally, flowers predominated the scene. That was to be expected because the show is sponsored by the Garden Club for the purpose of creating greater interest in flowers and shrubs. But it deserves a more comprehensive title—"Flower and Art Exhibit" or something to that effect. It is a great deal more than a flower display. There is fancy needlework, delicate woodwork, hobbies, antiques, china, glassware, miniatures, decorations and what-nots by the dozens.

Few things can foster community enthusiasm quite as well as such exhibits. They encourage people to do things that might otherwise be left undone, or to put those extra touches on things they would do anyway. A lady embroidering a dresser scarf or a man building a card table, either will put in more patience in order to win community acclaim. Call it conceit if you wish, but it's a characteristic we all have in some degree. We need a bit of such conceit. Without it we would accomplish much less.

The flower show also serves to remind us of a fact that is constantly evident at dozens of places in town. Garden Club members are entitled to the eternal gratitude of this community. The improvements made here since they became active are amazing. Many a home now adorned with lawn, shrubbery and flowers would still be bare had the ladies not aroused general interest. And homes that would have been decorated anyway have received extra attention.

The spirit extends into other fields. House improvements and the number of new homes would have been fewer during recent years if the trend were not leaning toward more beauty and greater convenience. You can bet your last nickel on that. And there's the cemetery. Without the energy of the Garden Club that hallowed spot would still be a few well kept graves lost in a wilderness of neglect. Incidentally, those dimes the ladies charged us to see their show will go mostly to the cemetery fund.

There are many towns that look better than Muenster, but few can boast the same degree of improvement during the past few years. This burg has dressed up wonderfully, and the ladies of the Garden Club are the real incentive behind it all. More power to them! May their annual show continue to improve, and may the progressive spirit evident at dozens of homes continue to spread.

We note with some satisfaction that the Delaware Senate has passed a bill making it a misdemeanor for anyone to drive so slow as to retard the normal flow of traffic. That is another step toward greater safety. The slow poke is second only to the speed demon as highway menace.

Almost everyone recalls the exasperating experience of trailing at a snail's pace behind another car while traffic from the opposite direction is too heavy to permit passing. But delay is not the half of it. The real trouble is going out of line to pass the slow car, and frequently there isn't sufficient distance for safe passage. Besides, collisions into the back of the slow car are frequent. Especially at night, when the light from the opposite traffic obscures a clear view of the car in front, such crashes are easily possible.

It would be a good idea for every state to pass laws prodding the slow poke on to a sensible speed. It would be better for every driver to think over the situation and understand it as a common-sense rule for safety.

What is a communist? Employing political technicalities, that word is difficult for most of us to define. But a Mid-west editor submits an everyday definition that is hard to beat: "A communist is a fellow who raises hell when he doesn't have a job and strikes when he does have one."

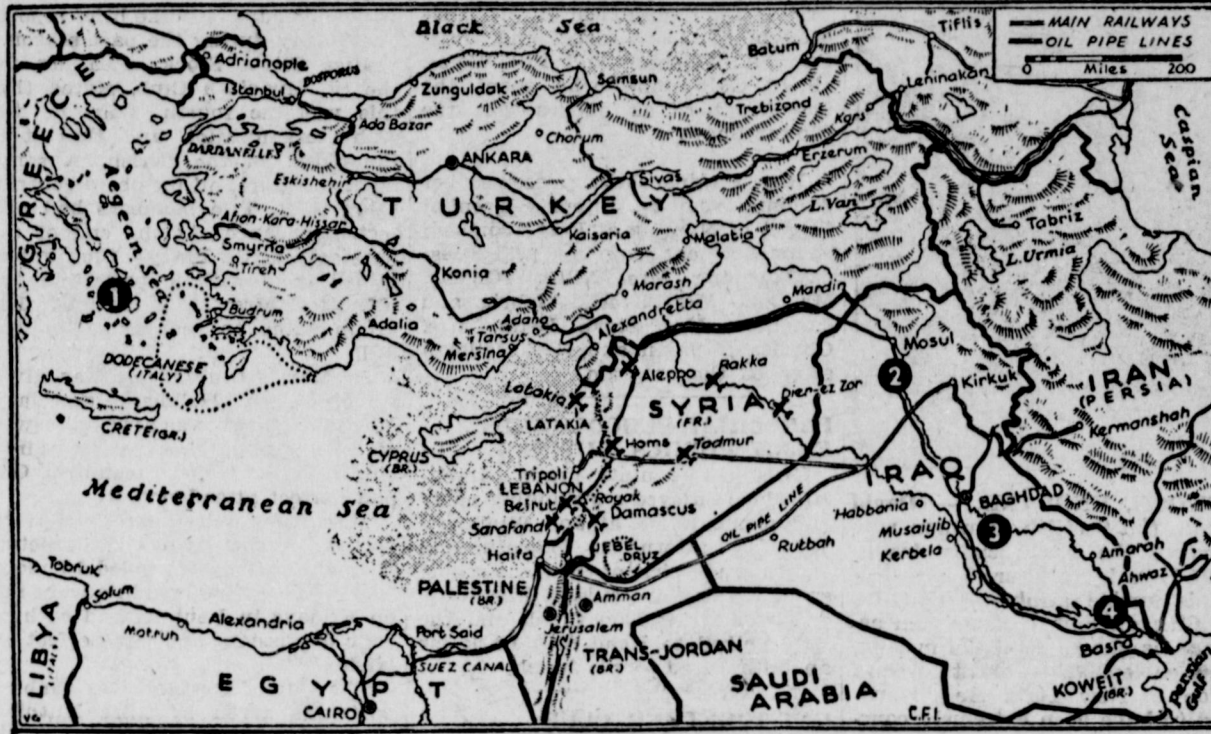
It's just too bad if a draft age man moves and fails to notify the selective service board of his change of address. The penalty, so they say, can be as severe as \$10,000 fine or a jail term or both.

Neither is it a good idea to be caught trying to evade the draft. A man in New Mexico got 10 to 15 years in the pen for that offense.

All of which is quite proper. There should be a penalty for shirking one's duty to his country. But why can't this country be more consistent? By what manipulation of the law of logic does it contend that

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## GERMAN PLANES ENTER SYRIA TO AID IRAQ



This graphic map shows clearly the new stages in Europe's theatre of war. Notice the long flights necessary for Nazi planes, which are probably flying from newly acquired island bases in (1) the Aegean. It is claimed the German planes are arriving in Syria, a French mandate in the Near East. Many of the latter country's airbases (shown by planes) are reported to

be under German control and are under heavy attack by British aircraft. Nazi planes are supposed to have landed around (2) Mosul where extensive oil fields are located, also at Baghdad (3), capital of Iraq. British bombers raided the railway near Baghdad. A small arms factory at Musayib in the same area and barracks at Amaran near the port of Basra (4).

## This Year's Flower Show Best To Date

Muenster's annual Spring Flower Show, sponsored by the Civic League and Garden Club, was presented in the parish hall Friday. It was the fourth affair of its kind to be shown here and was acclaimed "the best to date" by the large numbers of people who came to view the various exhibits.

The hall basement was transformed into a fairland of blossoms displaying a riot of colors. All flowers shown were grown in and around Muenster and were grouped into attractive exhibits. These consisted of roses, annuals and perennials, potted plants, shadow box arrangements and window displays.

Competing with the flowers in general interest was the hobby show, while the school children's exhibit was of particular interest to the young group. It held many articles made during the past school term.

The hall walls were backed with flowering shrubs surrounded by a white picket fence that created a real garden atmosphere. Flower arrangements were placed alongside of the fence and in other advantageous positions. One corner of the hall was converted into a rock garden that held numerous cedars, several varieties of cacti and a lighted pond in which gold fish swam. The center of the building was transformed into a lawn, a veritable carpet of green, with gay colored verbenas growing at selected spots. Other decorative arrangements consisted of rambling pink roses around the pillars and clusters of honeysuckle. One ornamental display was a patriotic arrangement of red, white and blue roses.

On the north side of the building a Colonial living room was designed, and around this the hobbies were displayed. This group included card collections by Miss Olivia Stock and Mrs. Rosa Driever; a vase collection by Miss Alma Marie Luke; toothpick holders by Mrs. Ben Seyler; paper match covers by Miss Anastasia Tempel and J. D. Harmon; dog collections by Mrs. Clarence Wilson and Miss Laura Lee Wilde; model airplanes by Gerald Stelzer; knitting, Mrs. J. P. Fisch; needle point, Mrs. John Fuhrbach, and perfume bottles by Miss Olivia Stock.

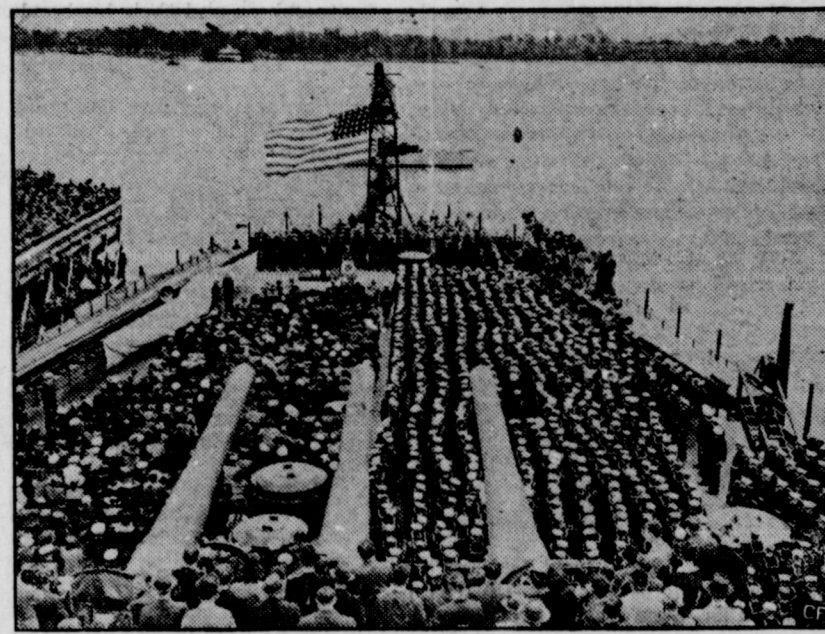
The hobby show also contained woodwork made by J. P. Fisch, Jake Horn Jr., Andrew Yosten, Joe Lutkenhaus and Albert Henschel, who enjoy wood carving and inlay work as their hobby. Each had on display very attractive articles.

The show opened at 3 o'clock and closed shortly after 10:30. At 8:15 a program was presented on the main floor. The first number was a group of four selections played by the recently organized Youth Band, under the direction of Father Richard, which was followed by a vocal solo, "Have You Ever Been to Texas in the Spring?" by Miss Billy Geneva Roberson, accompanied by Miss Elfreda Luke at the piano. The senior and junior boys of the parochial high school then presented two songs with Miss Gladys Wilde playing the piano accompaniment, and two films were shown.

The first, a technicolor film on flower arranging was shown through the courtesy of Coca Cola company by Roland Wilson of Gainesville and the other was a health film shown

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## COMMISSIONING THE U. S. S. WASHINGTON



PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—The scene aboard the mighty battleship as Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox addressed officers, members of the crew and visitors under the 16-inch guns of the dreadnaught during the commissioning ceremonies at the Philadelphia Navy Yard. The battleship brings to 17 America's dreadnaught strength. It was completed six months ahead of schedule.

## WATER LOSS FROM 7 LEAKS IS 1,500,000 GALLONS A MONTH

In the future there will be greater efficiency in the city's water department, Frank Hoebeck, supervisor of the system, estimates a saving of about one and one-half million gallons a month as a result of repairing seven bad leaks which were discovered last week by service men and equipment borrowed from the Dallas Water Department.

One of the leaks was wasting more than eight gallons a minute and the others averaged slightly less than five. "It seems like a big estimate," Hoebeck said, "but actually it does not amount to much more than one hydrant running at full speed. Under 70 pounds pressure, such as we have, a three-fourth inch faucet will discharge about 30 gallons a minute, almost 1,300,000 gallons a month."

Hoebeck is confident his trouble at those seven joints is ended for a long time. There was no patch-up work about it, he said. Every joint was thoroughly cleaned out and re-run with new lead. Every seal should be as substantial as on the day of original installation.

The repairs are expected to increase the system's efficiency from 25 per cent to more than 60 per cent. According to recent records the monthly volume pumped is 2,400,000 gallons whereas the volume delivered through customer meters is only 600,000. If calculations are correct, only 900,000 will have to be pumped now.

Though one-third loss still seems very large it is considered fairly good in view of the many possibilities for small leaks as well as dripping faucets which often do not register on meters. Sixty per cent efficiency is said to be fairly good for a city water system.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Frost of Ada, Okla., spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hellman. Mrs. Frost remained for a longer visit. She spent Thursday in Dallas on business.

## Defense Bond Sales Here Reach \$6,300; In County, \$46,450

Up to Wednesday of this week Cooke county citizens have invested \$46,450 in national defense, according to W. T. Bonner, chairman of the County Defense Bond Commission.

Muenster has invested \$6,300, of which the bank sold \$6,000 and the post office \$300. Gainesville has sold \$29,400 through its banks and \$5,600 through the post office. Valley View has a total of \$5,150 through banks and post office. Members of the state defense bond commission are well pleased with Cooke county's record in the campaign, Bonner said. A recent letter from the state commission commends him for his activity and commends the county for its response.

## RUDOLF HESS



The sensational flight of Rudolf Hess, personal deputy to Adolf Hitler and No. 3 leader of the German Reich, has been the outstanding development in the war thus far. England has gained a phenomenal psychological victory, while Germany's latest repercussions have been a large number of arrests of Hess's associates. The 550 mile flight, outlined with only a blue pencil and landing within a mile of his destination, is proof of Hess's remarkable ability as a pilot.

## DEPOT AREA BUZZES AS ROAD, REA LINE CREWS BEGIN JOBS

The vicinity of the Katy tracks was a bee-hive of activity Tuesday and Wednesday. It was the center of operations for two construction companies.

Trucks, a heating unit and most of the Public Construction Company's road surfacing crew were hovering around the five tank cars of asphalt to be applied on Highway 82 from the Montague county line to the crossroads near the REA substation about three miles east of town. W. D. Hollers, superintendent, stated that Tuesday night's light shower west of town had delayed progress several hours, and the job could not be finished Wednesday as originally planned. He expected to finish Thursday.

Taylor Construction Company had two trucks hauling poles to the right-of-way of the new electric lines to be built as extensions of the local rural system. The date to begin building the line remains indefinite because of the delay in securing materials during the present national emergency.

## New Stanolind Pipe Line Gets First Oil Saturday

The new seven mile extension of Stanolind pipe line reaching into the South Muenster oil field has been in use since Saturday. Construction is not complete, however. From the point where the line connects with the North Muenster field—near Frank Yosten's—a six-inch line is being installed into Nocona via the Bulcher field. When that is complete the present four-inch line from that point to Nocona will be taken out.

## ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION IS RED CROSS CLASS TOPIC

With "Artificial Respiration" as the topic of the weekly lesson, members of the Red Cross First Aid course enjoyed an unusually instructive meeting Monday afternoon. Vernie Keel, instructor, discussed the principals of artificial respiration and gave a demonstration, after which members practiced the standard technique of applying prone pressure. Members took turns at being the victims.

## Death Ends 2 Day Illness of Mrs. Al Flusche

Former Resident, 28, Dies Tuesday in Decatur; Will Be Buried Here 9 a. m. Friday

Mrs. Al Flusche, 28, former Muenster resident, died in Decatur Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock following an illness of two days.

The body was brought to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Fuhrmann, Wednesday, and the funeral has been set for 9 o'clock Friday morning. The requiem mass will be held in Sacred Heart church with Father Frowin officiating and burial will be in Muenster cemetery.

Palbearers are six cousins of the deceased: Volly Fuhrmann, Damien Fuhrmann, Paul Fuhrmann, Edward Fuhrmann, Norbert Koesler, and Raymond Fuhrmann.

Mrs. Flusche is survived by her husband and two sons, Arnold 6, and Larry 2, of Decatur; her parents, two sisters, Mrs. Theo Walterscheid and Mrs. Ed Hess, two brothers, William and Marcus, all of Muenster.

Relatives and friends of Mrs. Flusche were grieved and shocked to hear of her untimely death. While it was generally known that she was in poor health her condition was not thought to be serious. She was here to spend Mother's Day with her parents and remained during the week to visit other relatives. The grave illness that took her life lasted only two days. Members of the Fuhrmann and Flusche families and Rev. Edward Devers were in attendance at her bedside.

She was born in Lindsay and attended school there, moving to Muenster with her parents in 1930. She was Miss Hilda Fuhrmann before her marriage to Mr. Flusche here on October 6, 1931. They moved to Decatur to reside in January, 1937.

## ANOTHER RAIN, BUT IT'S WELCOME; MOST PLANTING FINISHED

In spite of excessive rainfall during April, this community in general was well pleased with Monday's shower of .30 inches. For the majority it was very timely, falling just after they had finished planting their row crops. A few were caught with their jobs not quite done.

As far as the land is concerned, the moisture was very useful. Deep cracks were beginning to form in the hard, crusted ground. Corn, cane and garden crops were definitely helped along. Grain crops did not need the moisture but were not hurt by it.

If clear weather prevails the annual rattle of binders may get under way before the end of this week. Scattered fields are ripening fast, some appeared to be ready for cutting Wednesday but low land was still treacherously wet.

## CITY WELL IDLE TWO DAYS WHILE PUMP IS OUT FOR REPAIRS

The city water pump is back at work after a two-day shut-down because of excessive wear. Sand had cut out the hard rubber bearings and caused a bad vibration in the shaft.

During the interval the city again called on its oil source at the FMA well. After breaking connection Sunday afternoon the pumping mechanism was pulled and taken to Houston for repairs. Mayor and Mrs. Ben Seyler made the trip, returning here Monday night. The pump was back in operation by noon Tuesday.

With the pump in good condition and the major water leaks eliminated, city officials are confident their trouble is ended for some time. Besides moving less water they can pump more slowly, giving sand a better chance to settle out before it is carried to bearing surfaces.

## Bowling Alleys Open Again After Renovation

Muenster's bowling alley is again open after being closed since early in Lent because of poor attendance during unpleasant weather. Both alleys have been renovated.

Arrangements have been made by the Knights of Columbus to have the alleys open to the public every night except Wednesday, which has been reserved for the knights.

## MUSIC PUPILS TO BE IN RECITAL SUNDAY

The annual musicale given by the Sacred Heart School of Music will be presented in the parish hall Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Twenty-five pupils will appear in solo and duet numbers and selections will be played by the school orchestra and accordion band. The public is invited to attend. Sister Leonarda is the instructor.



# LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

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

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carter Saturday and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fincher of Dallas.

Mrs. Ed Hess is a patient at the local clinic suffering from pneumonia.

Martha Jane and Ruby Lee, little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jennings, are ill with measles.

Miss Hazel Mitchell of Olney spent Saturday with Mrs. Baston Robertson.

The home of Dick McEntire is being remodeled and repaired this week.

Leo Wolf's barber shop underwent a complete interior repair and redecoration program last week.

W. T. Campbell and family left for Fort Worth Monday after being advised of the illness of a relative.

J. R. Welch of Era spent Monday and Tuesday here with his brother, Virgil Lee Welch and family.

Hugh Jackson of Fort Worth spent Sunday here as the guest of the J. M. Weinzapfel family.

Miss Ida Rohmer of Dallas arrived Friday for an indefinite visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rohmer.

Miss Anne Gordon of Dallas will spend the coming weekend in Muenster as the guest of Mrs. Rosa Driever.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cler of Valley View were Sunday guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Schoech.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Evans and son spent the weekend in Celina at the bedside of Mrs. Evans' grandmother, who is seriously ill.

Bert Fisch and son, Jerry, of Fort Worth were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Fisch, and other relatives.

Miss Dora Weinzapfel of Fort Worth is in Muenster with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel, preparatory to her marriage to Hugh Jackson of Fort Worth. The rites

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will take place here on June 11th in Sacred Heart church. Miss Weinzapfel spent the past year at St. Joseph's hospital school of nursing.

M. J. Endres, accompanied by M. J. Endres Jr. of Denton, spent Thursday in Fort Worth and Dallas.

Texas Company is building a new house on the lease north of the city. When completed it will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hoehn.

Anthony Luke transacted business in Wichita Falls Monday and J. B. Wilde was in that city on business Tuesday.

Private Gus Fleitman of Camp Bowie arrived Saturday for a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleitman and family.

Mrs. Frank Seyler is back in Muenster after being in Dallas at the bedside of her daughter, Miss Catherine, who was ill with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Moser were hosts at a dinner Sunday for which Mr. and Mrs. John Tempel and family and Mrs. Luke Tempel and family were guests.

Mrs. John Amann and daughter, Miss Margaret, of Chicago, Ill., visited here from Wednesday to Friday of last week as guests of Miss Margaret Simons and other friends.

Children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Danglmayr gathered at their home Sunday for a family reunion and in the evening enjoyed a goat barbecue.

Leo Appel is repainting his home and the Jerome Pagel residence this week. The Palace Pharmacy was also favored with a fresh coat of white paint during the week.

Andrew Yosten was taken to St. Vincent's hospital, Sherman, Monday, preparatory to a goler operation which was to be performed during the week.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Buckley since Monday are his mother, Mrs. J. M. Buckley and his sister, Mrs. W. C. Fryer, of Pawhuska, Okla.

Staff Sergeant Leon Hellman has been transferred from Brooks Field, San Antonio, to Ellington Field, Houston, his father, William Hellman, was advised this week.

Mrs. Ben Luke and sons, Wilmer and Harold, were in Dallas Tuesday evening to attend graduation exercises of the nurses of St. Paul's hos-

## DISCOVERED HESS



LONDON, ENGLAND. — David McLean, the Scottish plowman who discovered the Nazi deputy leader Rudolf Hess lying injured in a field near his humble farmhouse ten miles from Glasgow and who lent him assistance, is shown with his mother, in this cablephoto transmitted from London to New York. Hess is reported to have been extremely courteous to Mr. McLean's mother and wife.

## HALIFAX IN KANSAS



KENNETH, Kan.—Lord Halifax, British ambassador to the United States, talks over farm problems with George B. Longan on the latter's Miles-of-View Farm, here. Mr. Longan is a director of Associated Press and publisher of the Kansas City Star, as well as a farmer-stockman, noted for his herd of purebred Shorthorn cattle. In fact, the Longan herd was imported last year the supreme champion bull at Perth, Scotland, Carlrossie Prince Peter. The Halifax visit to Kansas was occasioned by a speaking engagement before 10,000 in the Kansas City auditorium. Theme of Lord Halifax's talk was that the fate of the democracies hangs on the tide of battle in Europe. England, he said, will win with American aid.

Miss Dorothy Mae Luke, although not a graduate, participated in the program and sang with the choral club.

Miss Pauline Boyles returned to Denton Saturday after a visit here. Her little nephew, Billy Ben Boyles, accompanied her home to spend a week.

New cars in the community: E. O. Teague, Chevrolet coupe; Charles Bernauer, Plymouth coupe; H. E. Harrell, Ford coupe; Herman Bindel, Ford truck; Kingery Brothers, Chevrolet truck and pickup.

A weiner roast and outing was enjoyed by a group of young people Sunday evening near C. J. Wimmer's. Hosts for the party were Urban Endres, Wilfred Reiter, Ed and Roy Endres Jr.

Mrs. John Chandler and two daughters of New Harmony, Ind., accompanied by Mrs. Steve Fette of Princetown, Ind., arrived Monday evening for a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends.

A picnic party consisting of Eu-

gene and Anthony Klement, Walter and Vincent Becker, Joe Sicking and Misses Anna Marie Klement, Henrietta Wiesman, Katie Mae Walterscheid and Hilda Becker spent last Sunday at Windthorst.

Mrs. Ed Wolf is back in Muenster following the completion of a beauty culture course at Wichita Falls. She is now a licensed operator and is in charge of her shop, Miss Quinteta Hamblin who has been in charge of the shop during her absence remains to assist with the work.

Mrs. G. H. Hellman entertained with a dinner in her home at noon Friday for Mesdames S. M. Yarbrough, R. L. Bledsoe and John Culp, M. Rushing and Bill Weiss, all of Gainesville, who spent the morning here as judges for the Flower Show.

Miss Virginia Gehrig received her diploma from St. Joseph's Hospital School of Nursing at Fort Worth in commencement exercises held Tuesday evening. Mrs. William Gehrig, Mr. and Mrs. George Gehrig and daughter, Mrs. Steve Fette, Mrs. Charles Hellman and Ray Hellman attended the program.

## PAROCHIAL SCHOOL GIRLS ENJOY PICNICS, OUTINGS

Girls of the ninth grade parochial school enjoyed a swimming party and picnic lunch at Joe Wimmer's Saturday afternoon. Seventh and eighth grade girls of the same school spent Sunday on outings. The former picnicked at Elm Creek and the latter hiked to Road Side Park for an outing and picnic lunch.

## GET-TOGETHER CLUB HAS THEATRE PARTY

Members of the Get-Together Club enjoyed their annual theatre party last Wednesday afternoon when they drove to Gainesville to see the current State attraction.

## 42 PARTY AND SUPPER GIVEN BY CIA'S SUNDAY

Catholic Daughters of America entertained with a 42 party and supper for members and their husbands in the K of C hall Sunday evening. Approximately 80 were in attendance.

## JOE WALTERSCHEID HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY FRIDAY

Joe Walterscheid was complimented with a party at his home Friday evening in observance of his birthday. The courtesy was extended by his wife and daughters. He was 62 years old.

Mr. Walterscheid was presented with a shower of gifts, including a large decorated cake, and the evening was spent playing cards and dominoes.

## TWO YOUNGSTERS OBSERVE BIRTHDAYS WITH PARTIES

Little Miss Agnes Felderhoff observed her tenth birthday Sunday with a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Felderhoff.

Twelve little girls, who remembered the honors with gifts, enjoyed games after which birthday cake and other refreshments were served by the honor guest's mother and sister, Miss Rita Felderhoff.

## LEONARD WALTERSCHEID WAS HONORED ON 35TH ANNIVERSARY

The 35th wedding anniversary of

his mother, Mrs. Frank Walterscheid, entertained for twelve little boys at the family home.

The honoree was presented with gift remembrances from the guests and games were played. The party was concluded with the serving of birthday cake and ice cream to the group.

## GENERAL MEETING OF DISCUSSION CLUBS HELD

A general meeting for all discussion club members was held in the parish hall Tuesday evening. Father Richard was in charge and called upon leaders or secretaries of the various groups to make brief reports on activity during the past season.

Miss Olivia Stock, speaking for the St. Hyacinth Club, stated that this was the fourth year of the club's organization and that it is the oldest in the parish. A scrapbook was kept, all members contributing to it. Two members had perfect attendance. At the end of the past season, St. Mary's Club entertained them with a party at the home of Mrs. M. J. Endres. The group plans to reorganize in the Fall.

St. Mary's Club report was given by Mrs. Ben Hellman, secretary. Meeting roll call was always answered with ejaculations, patron saints, etc. It consisted of 20 members. One had perfect attendance.

Miss Mary Wiedeman, leader, reported on Our Lady of Perpetual Help Club. It had enrolled 15 members, met on Tuesdays in advent and on Fridays in Lent. It had enthusiastic discussions and one perfect attendance.

The Lily of the Mohawks Club report was given by Miss Mathilda Hess, secretary. It consisted of 14 members and each took a turn at leading the discussion. Three had perfect attendance records. Father Richard attended most of the meetings.

Miss Cecilia Walterscheid, secretary, reported on the St. Jude Club. It was made up of 12 members, two of whom discontinued during the course of discussions because of marriage. Summary of the lives of patron saints was given at one of the meetings. Four members had perfect attendance.

St. Joseph's Club and the Little Flower Club were not represented and no report on them was given.

Following reports a general quiz contest was enjoyed. Questions were submitted by each club and were discussed by all present. The discussion continued until the questioner was satisfied.

Later members were entertained with a transcribed talk by Rt. Rev. Msgr. Fulton J. Sheen. It was the sermon he delivered in the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum on the occasion of the Hierarchy Centenary on October 13, 1940. Two talks by Father Lyons and Father Lord were also heard.

## CLEM HOFBAUERS HOSTS AT THEIR HOME SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Hofbauer entertained with a dinner in their home at noon Sunday honoring his sister, Sister Frances. It was a farewell party as Sister Frances will soon be leaving for the summer vacation.

Other guests were Sister Agnes Voth, Mrs. Anna Wiedeman and daughter, Miss Mary, Mrs. Hofbauer Sr., and Mrs. Mike Kleas.

In the afternoon a house blessing rite was held at the Hofbauer's newly completed home with Father Richard officiating. Later in the afternoon other local Sisters were guests for a visit and refreshments.

## BOB YOSTENS HONORED ON 35TH ANNIVERSARY

The 35th wedding anniversary of

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Yosten was the occasion of a delightful party given in their honor at their home Thursday evening. It was a surprise affair planned by relatives. The honor couple received an attractive assortment of gifts and a huge double heart-shaped cake inscribed with "35". Following a social hour, refreshments were served to 50 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Yosten have resided in Muenster since their marriage here on May 15, 1906. She is the former Miss Agnes Swirczynski. They are the parents of nine children and have three grandchildren.

## LEAVES FOR ALASKA

Richard Fette is again on his way to Tin City, Alaska, on the Bering Strait less than 70 miles from Siberia. He left here Monday via "thumb" for Los Angeles, then Seattle, where he will take a boat for the Arctic camp on May 30. As during the past year, he will be employed in the mining crew of American Tinfields until about mid-autumn when severe weather forces the company to suspend operations.

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**L. JOHNSON PLEDGES SUPPORT TO F.D.R. IN RACE FOR SENATE**

AUSTIN.—With a rousing Campaign opening speech behind him, energetic, fast-moving Cong. Lyndon Johnson, this week had hit the campaign trail full blast with a whirlwind tour of the state to meet supporters and campaign workers.

Johnson opened his campaign Saturday night at San Marcos before a crowd of thousands that time after time roared full-throated approval of his firm stand for unity of all Americans behind Pres. Roosevelt in the current grave international crisis.



From every section of the state to his opening came friends—new ones and old ones—to San Marcos, where in his college days Johnson worked at jobs from janitor to secretary to the college president to pay for his education.

Among them was Federal Judge James V. Alfred, former governor and old friend of Johnson, and Mrs. Alfred, once his classmate.

Speakers from the five major sections of Texas bespoke the support of their areas for Johnson and their faith that his experience and dependability in the national congress would carry him to victory.

They were Dr. J. T. Harrington of Waco, chairman of the board of Baylor University and noted Texas physician; Mike Anglin of Longview, East Texas attorney; Frank Wilson of Dallas; Lloyd Croslin of Lubbock, and County Judge Roy Hofheinz of Harris county, who also acted as master of ceremonies.

**Your Health**

BY GEO. W. COX, M. D. Texas State Health Officer

AUSTIN.—The approach of summer weather foreshadows prevalence of intestinal disorders, according to morbidity reports reaching the State Health Department. "Infants are most susceptible to the so-called 'summer complaint' (diarrhea and enteritis), but older persons are also affected, the aged being more likely to contract the disease," states Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"Symptoms of diarrhea and enteritis usually appear suddenly, accompanied by fever and severe diarrhea due to inflammation of the bowel (enteritis). The patient suffers depletion of bodily fluids, and the bowels discharges often contain blood and mucus. Convulsions and coma frequently precede fatal cases, particularly in the infantile type of summer diarrhea.

Vital statistics records of the State Department of Health distinguish between fatalities from diarrhea and enteritis occurring under two years of age and those occurring among persons over two years of age. Death records filed in the Vital Statistics Bureau for 1940 show that 1,972 infants under two years of age died of diarrhea and enteritis, and 653 persons over two years of age were victims of this disease.

Diarrhea and enteritis as a rule is contracted by use of contaminated food products or contact with a patient or carrier. Dysentery bacilli (germs) are often found through laboratory examination of intestinal discharges. Laboratory studies further demonstrate that many patients suffering from symptoms similar to diarrhea and enteritis in reality have contracted bacillary dysentery. This infectious disease is very similar to typhoid fever in its methods of spread and contraction.

Prevention of diarrhea and enteritis is dependent upon public health control measures, chiefly: (1) Safe-guard food, milk, and water supplies; (2) Improvement in sanitation methods of excreta disposal and

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The serious part of this curious behavior is that bad manners make bad driving, and bad driving makes accidents and death.

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fly control; (3) Scrupulous personal cleanliness on the part of all those who prepare and serve food; (4) Careful attention to matters of infant care and home hygiene.

**NOTES FROM the COUNTY AGENT**

By ALBERT BRIENT County Agent

"A garden is a magic spot— You plant a little, eat a lot."

Who can make it stop raining? Too wet even in areas where it never has rained before. Moral: If this wet weather keeps up, don't try to store your Irish potatoes and onions at home. They just won't keep when grown under conditions of continued wet weather. If there are large white "specky spots" on the skin of Irish potatoes at harvest, sack them and place enough for home use in cold storage at 45 degrees Fahrenheit, then sell the rest or trade them for groceries. I don't believe I would try to store the onions at all if they are the Bermuda variety. Sweet Spanish and Australian brown varieties are more apt

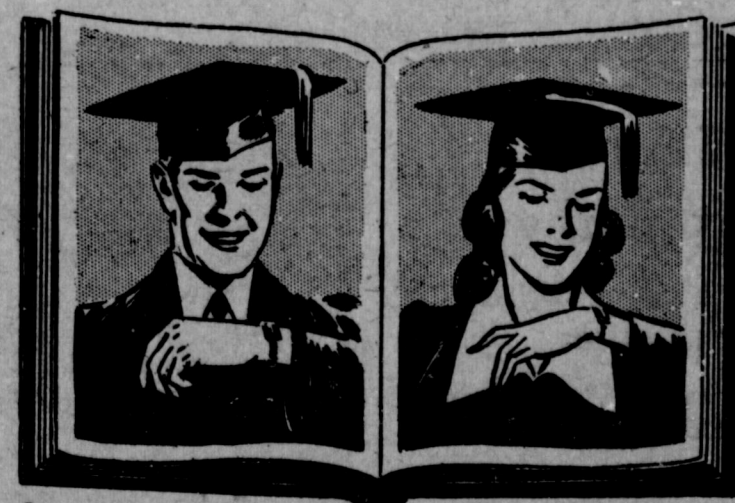
to keep if they are in a cool, dark place.

Following the harvest of potatoes, onions and English peas, plant field peas. Blackeye, cream and purple hull are all good. If the peas are to be shelled for canning, the purple hull variety shells easier—the quality after they are shelled is about the same.

Tomato Troubles:—Wet weather usually facilitates tomato disease. Early blight defoliates the plants and bacterial spot (often called nail head rust) causes white and brown spots on the skin of the fruit. The tomato disease laboratory at Jacksonville under Dr. P. A. Young recommends copper sulphate and 50 gallons water be applied when the first fruit is about 1-4 inch in diameter. The calcium arsenate is added to control the tomato worm. Commercial copper chemicals (names furnished on request) have been used effectively in spraying tests. Where spraying equipment is not available, basic copper sulphate and copper hydroxide dusts are available in suitable forms for dust-

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ing. The spray or dust applications should be made 7 to 10 days apart to within 10 days of harvest.

Speaking of bugs—To lay out harlequin bugs, squash bugs, cucumber beetles and tomato fruit worms, use rotenone as a dust or spray. The rotenone should be in combination with sulphur and the mixture should contain at least 3-4 of one per cent rotenone. Commercial rotenone mixtures are available in seed stores, or drug stores and may be used as a dust or spray.

**FRUIT DRIPPING**

Most fruit trees in Texas are dripping and drooping with fruit. What are we as Extension workers going to do about it? That's easy—thin 'em, spray 'em, eat 'em.

Thin 'Em:—Thin the peaches or plums to six inches apart before they are the size of a quarter. Pull off those on the lower branches with your hands, and those on the higher limbs should be tapped off with a stick five or six feet long to which a piece of rubber hose 8 to 10 inches long has been attached.

Spray 'Em:—This month spray the peach trees and fruit with 51 pounds wettable sulphur, 3 pounds zinc sulphate and 50 gallons water. Repeat this spray every three weeks until harvest.

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and three taking off the type. "You want an operator who is sober? Then you don't want me." —CAPS and lower case.

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In many respects the shark is more valuable to man than the pig. From the hides of these marine scavengers various grades of durable leather can be made; medicinal and other oils are obtained from the liver and intestines; the head can be converted into glue; the teeth sold to jewelers; fins exported to China; bones ground into fertilizer, and the flesh used as food, shark meat not only being edible, but very palatable.

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## ELEVATING THE SOLDIER'S RECREATION

Better days are in store for the soldiers and sailors in training. A short time ago representatives of private welfare agencies and the Federal government got their heads together and agreed that recreational facilities of a more wholesome nature should be available adjacent to camps and naval bases. From that agreement followed another agreement—the government would build and equip such recreational centers and the welfare workers would staff and operate them.

Protestant, Catholic and Jewish welfare groups have since been organized under the name "United Service Organizations" to carry out the recreational program. Their campaign to raise funds has been launched very recently. Their total goal for the nation is almost 11 million, for Texas, \$400,000.

Before long we of this community will have the opportunity to contribute to that cause. Those of us who consider conditions as they are and as they will be, will not decline to help along.

It is notoriously true that camps and naval bases have been attracting recreational facilities of questionable character. The social scavengers who operated those places had only one purpose, to make a lot of easy money by appealing to the weaker nature of men. The U. S. O. has a different purpose, to improve the soldier's or sailor's welfare through approved recreation. At the same time the U. S. O. will conduct an active campaign against the vultures who prey on human weakness.

There are cynics who claim this is idealistic stuff that will not work out in practice. They have a shabby idea of the moral standard of soldiers. However, their opinions do not stand up against reports compiled from a careful survey. A small percentage of soldiers will follow the straight and narrow path in spite of the worst environment, another small percentage respond to their weaknesses in spite of the best environment, but the vast majority are swayed by environment. Hence there is only one proper thing to do. Improve the environment.

After all, it isn't reasonable to assume that young men in service are essentially different from those who left city, town and farm a few months before. There is no reason to assume that the moral standard at camp should be lower than the moral standard of a typical community. The difference is that communities usually do not tolerate the conditions that have been tolerated near camps.

People of American communities will have a chance to elevate camp standards. In the words of President Roosevelt they can assist in "an essential and patriotic duty." It is to be hoped they can see the movement in that light.

## UNDER THE CLOAK OF DEFENSE

Most sound thinkers in this country are agreed that the tremendous burden of defense spending which the nation is now assuming makes it highly advisable that non-defense expenditures be cut to the bone. Examination of civil expenditures to see how and where the activities of various government agencies may be curtailed is being urged, not alone by outside economists, but by the Treasury itself.

In this light, one recent tendency observable in Washington at the present time seems to be an evasion of the realities of the case. We refer to the device of simply shifting civil agencies over from one side of the fence to the other, and classifying them as "defense agencies."

Typical recent examples are Fish and Wildlife, National Parks, and Grazing Services. And a short while ago, even an insane asylum in the nation's capital was officially placed under the defense heading.

The question of whether current expenditures in these fields are justified can be decided on its own merits. But it doesn't help those who are trying to get a clear picture of the situation when these agencies are put under the "special dispensation" of national defense, any more than it would help a shepherd to count the white sheep in his flock if you dyed some of them black.

It is hardly being candid with the individual taxpayer—who is willingly assuming the heaviest weight of taxation in our history in order to meet the needed costs of defense—to use "defense" as a thin cloak for activities not remotely connected with real national security.

—Industrial Press.

**Washington Snapshots**  
 by JAMES PRESTON

Washington officials—particularly those connected with defense ac-

tivities—hope the nation got as much inspiration and comfort as they did out of a recent development which illustrates what a free nation can do.

It involved steps necessary to call into full operation all of the nation's tremendous industrial productive capacity so the country can be made so strong that no aggressor

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will dare attack it.

The "ism" method is to send a horde of agents from factory to factory. Many of these agents know nothing about production methods. But they give orders as to what the factories must make.

One reason why American production in a few short months has speeded up as much as Germany's did in several years is that the United States method has been different up to this point. The men who know what their factories and the men and machines in them can produce are still being consulted.

The recent development is part of an interesting story which begins in 1919. In that year, the United States made plans for any future emergency which called for industrial mobilization.

As part of that plan, government officials made continuing surveys of some 20,000 major factories, to find out what defense goods they could turn out on short notice.

Last summer, however, it became apparent to some that in these days of mechanized warfare, the 20,000 factories alone could not do the whole job. So the question arose of what to do about getting more productive facilities.

Government agents could not do the job. They did not have enough industrial experts to canvass thousands of additional plants. They did not feel that questionnaires sent into these plants would produce results, because manufacturers already were getting questionnaire after questionnaire from the government.

So the National Association of Manufacturers and some 150 national, state and local manufacturers' associations affiliated in the National Industrial Council decided to do the job.

After a necessarily long period in which all government agencies were consulted about the information they might want, and creation of the machinery necessary to handle the inventory, the job was begun.

And now the findings have been turned over to government officials. In brief, this survey has covered in less than five months 13,002 industrial plants. A great majority of these are not included in the 20,000

surveyed by the government since 1919. So that as of this moment, the government knows exactly what some 38,000 plants around the nation can produce, what machines they have, how many employes, etc.

This material not only is available in Washington, but in the offices of the state and local organizations which cooperated in the survey. It also has been turned over to scores of federal agents throughout the country who are placing government contracts and looking for sources of supply.

Washington officials feel that since the information was supplied voluntarily by men who know their own plants it means first that it is sound information, and second that it indicates a willingness to produce for defense. A manufacturer would hardly supply the information without expecting that he might be called upon to produce.

Such is the way of free people.

Congressmen, incidentally, are still waiting for demands for economy from back home. They don't want to vote the three and one-half billions in new taxes and also vote millions for non-defense items which could be cut. But so far, their constituents are silent, although they probably won't be when next year's tax bills come due.

Meanwhile, they are appealing through Speaker Reayburn to the President to take the lead in reducing non-defense expenditures.

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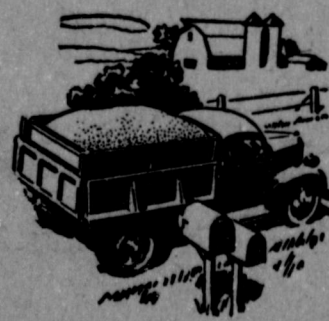
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Trapping of coyotes is carried on in regions where it is believed the coyotes are so numerous that they are doing considerable damage to game. It is recognized that it is practically impossible to completely eradicate coyotes, but the work the Department is doing along these lines helps keep the predators under control.

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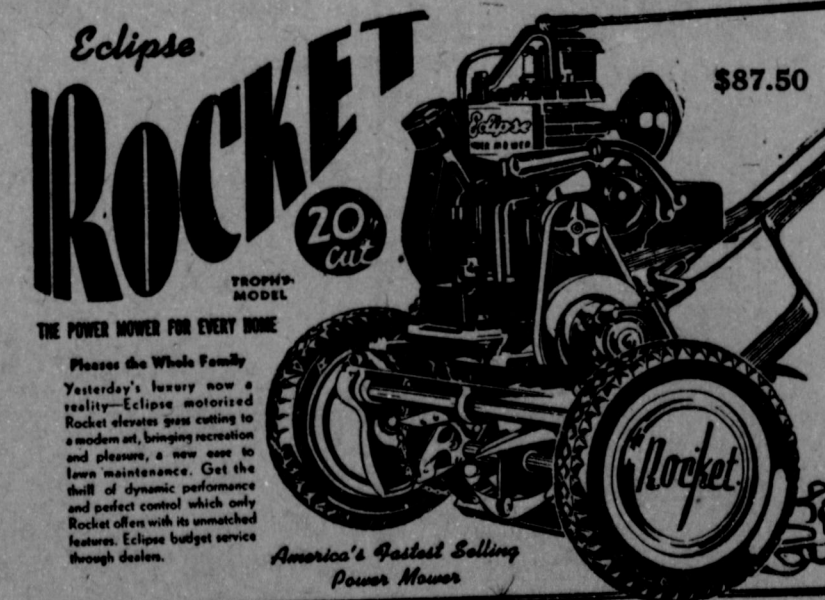
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**Lindsay News**

Mr. and Mrs. John Parker of Wichita Falls visited here Saturday afternoon as guests of Mrs. C. Hoelker.

Miss Lena Mae Schmitz of Gainesville attended graduation exercises here Sunday evening.

Imperial Cane Sugar \$5.50 per hundred pounds. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv. 26)

Mike Kupper of Dallas visited during the weekend with his father, Joe Kupper and other relatives.

Miss Dorothy Peicht of Saint Louis, Mo., arrived Sunday for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. C. Hoelker and family.

Miss Isabel Schmitz is in Muenster where she will spend two weeks with Mrs. Al Walterscheid and family.

Eat Pangburn's Lemon Flake Ice Cream and keep cool. Only 10 cents a pint. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv. 26)

Miss Ann Bengfort of Dallas spent several days of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bengfort and family.

See us for hay ties, binder twine and cotton hoes. Our prices are right. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv. 26)

Members of the Mission Sewing Circle met with Mrs. John Schlad at her home last Wednesday to quilt for the missions.

Egg prices are advancing. Now's the time to feed hens Fant's Laying Mash. We have it. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv. 26)

Miss Katie Fuhrmann of Decatur visited here Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Fuhrmann and family.

We have a large variety of lunch meats. Just the thing for quick harvest meals and lunches. Always fresh. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv. 26)

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Schmitt and family and Miss Mary Elizabeth Schmitt of Sherman were Sunday guests of their mother, Mrs. Otto Schmitt and family.

Two pounds of Armour's Star Peanut Butter in beautiful refrigerator jar for 29 cents. Get several while the supply lasts. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv. 26)

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rauschuber had as guests at their home Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rauschuber and family of Valley View, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Rauschuber of Gainesville, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Hermes and family and Mrs. Nick Arend.

Misses Dorothy and Mildred Becker accompanied Miss Elvalda and L. C. Wilkerson, Bob Livingston and Jack Reeves of Gainesville on an outing to Lake Dallas Sunday. The group enjoyed swimming, fishing, boat riding and a picnic lunch.

Black Flag Insect Spray is a sure killer. We have it in pints, quarts, and gallon sizes. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv. 26)

The Venerable Sisters who were here during the past school term left Tuesday evening for San Antonio where they will spend the summer at Our Lady of the Lake Convent. There were six teachers and a housekeeper.

Mrs. Alex Flusche and children of Corpus Christi arrived Saturday for a visit with relatives. On their homeward trip they will be accompanied by Dolores and Patsy Flusche who attended school here during the past term.

Prepare now for harvest meals. Buy delicious fruits in gallon cans. Prunes 33c; Peaches 43c; Apricots 53c; Pears 53c. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv. 26)

Miss Frances and Agnes Spaeth of Dallas spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Spaeth. Sunday dinner guests at the Spaeth home were Messrs. and Mesdames Andrew Schoech and sons and Lee Haverkamp and family of Muenster.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bezner were Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Zimmerer, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Zimmerer and son, Vincent, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Young of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Young remained to attend graduation exercises at the hall in the evening.

When making your grocery list include Gladola or Fant's Fairy Flour. They are sold on a money-back guarantee. They produce the finest baked goods. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv. 26)

Miss Theresa Loerwald and Clarence Metzler of Lindsay, Mrs. Francis Schmitz of Gainesville, Pat Schmitz of Thackerville, Miss Mary Ruth Nichols of Valley View and Miss Catherine Swirczyaski of Muenster returned Saturday from a week's trip to Harford, Carlsbad, N. M., and other points west.

Penick Syrup is rich in dextrose, excellent for infant feeding, good for children, and just the thing for hot cakes. Attractive half-gallon glass jar for 35 cents. Hoelker Grocery. (Adv. 26)

**LINDSAY SCHOOL LUNCH PROJECT CLOSES SEASON**

LINDSAY.—With the closing of the school term here the lunch room discontinued serving meals on May 15th. The last dinner served was for the senior banquet. A successful season was enjoyed with approximately 147 lunches served each day, John P. Mosser, sponsor of the project, advised.

In charge of cooking and serving during the past term were Mesdames Fay E. Bolten, Fred Mosman, Lena Schmitt, Claire Becker, Maudie Smith and Elsie Dean.

This WPA project was secured for

the Lindsay school on the first of the year.

**WORK ON NEW RECTORY PROGRESSES STEADILY**

Work on the new rectory is progressing steadily as workers continue construction at a fairly rapid pace. Made of native rock, the house is a two story structure and will be modern throughout.

Since the departure of the local Sisters, who will spend the summer in San Antonio, Rev. Conrad Herda, pastor, is occupying their residence. He was temporarily residing in the Block house for the past several weeks.

**MUTUAL INSURANCE GROUP RE-ELECTS EXECUTIVES**

LINDSAY.—Members of the executive board of the local German Mutual Fire Insurance Company were returned to office for another year when the annual officer election took place Monday evening during a meeting held in the community hall.

Officers are Fred Mosman, president; J. P. Mosser, secretary and John Orth, treasurer.

A report of last year's business was given by the secretary. Forty members attended the meeting. Refreshments were served at the close of business.

**BANQUET HONORS LINDSAY HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

LINDSAY.—A banquet honoring the graduates of the Lindsay High School took place in the school auditorium last Thursday evening with 142 students and eleven guests in attendance.

A special table was arranged for the eight graduates, the seven teachers and the pastor. It was centered with an arrangement of roses, flanked with pink tapers.

Rev. Father Conrad led the invocation and was the principal speaker. Miss Elsie Louise Bezner, class president and valedictorian, also spoke.

The meal was prepared and served by ladies in charge of the WPA school kitchen project. It consisted of a complete fried chicken menu.

**Myra News**

MRS. JOHN BLANTON Correspondent

Mrs. Paul Curley and her two children are ill at their home here.

Bud Tucker and Morris King made a business trip to Fort Worth Sunday evening, returning Monday.

Miss Dorothy Fay Blanton, who has been teaching at Seminole, Texas, returned to her home Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Reid of Sherman is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Aldridge.

Jake Biffle and Johnnie Biffle are reported ill at their homes here southeast of town.

Larkin Martin, who has been ill, is able to be up and around town a little.

Mr. and Mrs. Jean Edmonson and Waldo Neely of Dallas were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Neely.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blanton spent Sunday in Haskell as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arlis Weaver and Mrs. Elva Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cogburn, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Puckett and Misses Tula Lewis and Kathleen Watson, all of Leo, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. L.

Gray and attended church here Thursday night.

Mrs. B. C. Rosson left Friday for Perryton to attend the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Spencer Burgett.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Needham and Mrs. Ernest Biffle were guests Sunday of Mrs. Ida Gardner and L. Aldridge at Hays.

Mrs. A. D. Gay and daughter, Jeanette, of Throckmorton, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Andress over the weekend.

Mesdames Parker Fears and Dora Fears visited Mr. and Mrs. Lude Fears and Mrs. Addie Williams at Era Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Barnett of Saint Jo visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hudson and attended church here Sunday evening.

Mrs. Wheeler went to Dallas Wednesday to be at the bedside of her husband who is ill in Baylor Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Platt and Mrs. J. W. Bell spent Sunday in Denton with Mr. and Mrs. Oran Gaston and Mr. and Mrs. George Platt.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gay and sons of Abilene spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Andress. Charles and Bob remained for a week's visit with their grandparents.

Dr. Hal Maxwell arrived Sunday night from New York to be at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. C. L. Maxwell Sr., who was operated at the Gainesville Sanitarium Monday.

Mrs. Oscar Nislar of Lubbock and Mrs. L. O. Hickenon of Albuquerque, New Mexico, spent Friday here visiting their sister and aunt, Mrs. Walter Neely and family, and old friends. Mrs. Nislar was the former Miss Ora Shultz and Mrs. Wilkerson, Miss Pearl Mullins.

Harry and George Jones and Mrs. Bill Fool and A. D. Ganham of Corpus Christi spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ike Fulton. Mrs. Harry Jones, who has spent the past month with her daughter, Mrs. Fulton, returned home with them Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Fulton and daughter and their guests spent Sunday at Turner Falls on a picnic outing.

**SQUIRREL BATTLES SNAKE**  
C. C. Barton of Temple recently

came to the rescue of a mother squirrel which was battling a large snake for one of her offspring, but apparently the little nut eater would have triumphed over its enemy even without assistance from man.

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Mr. Barton was driving near a creek on a farm he owns eight miles north of Temple when he noticed a large snake twisting and rolling. He got out of his car, picked up a club and started for the snake. Then he noticed that an adult squirrel was battling the reptile, twisting and turning with every move of the snake, which the squirrel had by the head. The nut eater had bitten the snake clear through the head. Then Mr. Barton noticed a half grown squirrel under the snake. It was injured, but managed to follow its mother to a tree when Mr. Barton approached to kill the reptile. It was unnecessary for him to do so.

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## MOSAICS of Sacred Heart High

Edited This Week By  
Katie Mae Walterscheid and  
Helen Henschel

On Monday morning the pupils of Sacred Heart High enjoyed a talk by Sister M. Angeline. She spoke not only to the seniors but to every student present, and gave a few points of special interest that we should specialize during our vacation and during our whole life.

The students of Sacred Heart High, together with some faculty members, will enjoy a picnic Wednesday. The spot for the picnic has not yet been chosen but it will not be very far out of Muenster.

During the past week the seniors have been rehearsing the "Commencement Song" and their speeches. Everyone is eager to make the graduation exercises a success, therefore all are studying their parts very diligently.

During the last recreation periods the high school girls have taken up the game of "jumping rope." At first they thought it would be no fun but after they started they decided it was very exciting.

The boys are still playing softball and the captain stated that they would have some games in the near future.

The seniors were pleasantly surprised when their invitations cards came in Tuesday's mail. They thought that the cards would not arrive soon enough to be mailed before graduation, but many happy faces were wreathed in smiles when the cards and caps and gowns arrived on Monday afternoon. The library also received the final addition in form of "Alice Adams," "The Magnificent Ambersons," "Gentle Julia," "The Gentleman from Indiana," all by Booth Tarkington. These books are a part donation of the Senior Memorial of 1941.

### Flower Show--

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by Miss Amilee Adams, through the courtesy of the county Health Unit.

The entire show was under the direction of Mrs. Rudy Hellman, general chairman. Other chairmen were Mrs. J. B. Wilde, roses; Mrs. Nick Miller, annuals and perennials; Mrs. Jim Cook, pot plants; Mrs. Tony Gremminger, children's exhibit; Mrs. J. H. Flood, shadow boxes; Miss Olivia Stock, hobby show; Mrs. Ben Luke, refreshments. The rock garden was planned by Mrs. G. H. Hellman and the Colonial room was arranged by Miss Olivia Stock and Mrs. John Fuhrbach. Each of the chairmen had a group of assistants who worked earnestly in making the affair a success.

Mesdames John Culp, R. L. Bledsoe and S. M. Yarbrough, M. Rushing and Bill Weiss, all of Gainesville, as judges, awarded blue, red and white ribbons Friday morning before the show officially opened. The men judged the manual training exhibit.

The following are first, second and third place winners in the order listed:

Rose Specimens—Red: Mesdames J. B. Wilde, Andy Hofbauer, John Fisher. Pink: Mesdames John Kath-

### THOUSANDS ATTEND PATRIOTIC RALLY



NEW YORK.—The above soundphoto shows a crowd of Americans who gathered in New York's Central Park to celebrate "I Am An American Day." They are shown pledging allegiance to their country and flag.

man, Fred Hennigan, J. B. Wilde. Bi-color: Mesdames Andy Hofbauer, Henry Hennigan, Mary Lehnertz.

Rose Bouquets—Red: Mrs. J. B. Wilde, Mrs. Nick Miller, M. J. Endres. Pink: Mesdames Ben Luke, Herbert Meurer, John Kathman. Mixed: Mesdames John Fette, M. J. Endres, Fred Hennigan.

Annuals and Perennials—Poppies: Mesdames Joe Lehnertz, Joe Luke, Joe Luke. Corn Flowers: Mesdames Joe Danglmayr, Jake Pagel, J. M. Weinzapfel. Larkspur: Miss Mary Becker, Mesdames Fred Hennigan and Joe Luke. Pinks: Mesdames Ben Luke, Nick Miller, Henry Hennigan. Butter and Eggs: Mesdames Joe Lehnertz, Joe Luke and John Kathman.

Verbena: Mesdames Jake Pagel, Joe Luke, John Fuhrbach. Pansy: Mesdames Herbert Meurer, Nick Miller, E. P. Buckley. Carnations: Mrs. Ben Luke, Miss Anna Hellman, Mrs. John Kathman. Snapdragons: Mesdames Andy Hofbauer, Joe Danglmayr, Andy Hofbauer. Sweet Peas: Mesdames Ben Luke, J. H. Flood, Herbert Meurer.

Unusual Bouquets—Red Peony: Miss Anna Becker; Yellow Daisies: Mrs. John Mosman; Red Honey-suckle, Mrs. J. B. Wilde. Mixed Bouquets: Mesdames J. B. Wilde and Ben Hellman. Miniature Bouquets: Mesdames Nick Miller and J. P. Fisch. Wild Flowers: Mesdames Joe Danglmayr, John Fuhrbach, Nick Miller.

Potted Plants—Red Geraniums: Mrs. M. J. Endres, Miss Olivia Stock, Mrs. Rosa Driever. White Geraniums: Mesdames August Friske, Joe Luke, August Friske. Pink Begonias: Mesdames Joe Luke, E. P. Buckley, John Eberhart. White Begonias: Local Sisters, local Sisters. Mrs. M. J. Endres. Lace Ferns: Mesdames M. J. Endres, Joe Luke, Joe Luke. Boston Ferns: Local Sisters, Mesdames M. J. Endres and Joe Luke. Asparagus Ferns: Mesdames August Friske, Joe Luke, Joe Luke. Miscellaneous: Mesdames August Friske, Joe Lehnertz, Joe Luke. Others: Mesdames Louise Wies, Joe Lehnertz, August Friske.

Shadow Boxes: Mesdames E. O. Teague, Andy Hofbauer, Tony Gremminger. Miniatures: Miss Pauline Boyles, Mesdames Jake Pagel and J. H. Flood.

Window Arrangements: Miss Olivia Stock, Mrs. Nick Miller, Mrs. Joe Lehnertz.

The school children's division was judged according to grades as follows: Third Grade—Earleen Bowling, Carolyn Wiesman, Olive Haver-

son accompanied him as far as Oklahoma, where she will visit with members of her family before joining her husband here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sloan McCool and sons of Gainesville visited at the Buddy Reiter home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Joe Hoening is still suffering from an infection on her finger. It was lanced recently and is thought to be healing normally.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Walterscheid and family attended a birthday party, honoring his father, Joe Walterscheid, at his home Friday night.

Mrs. T. N. and Selby Fielder and Miss Minna Fae Rosson visited with relatives at Wichita Falls one day last week.

Helen Ann Haverkamp, Pauline Lutkenhaus and Marcelene Wimmer returned to classes Monday following an illness of measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parker and son of Muenster were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Walterscheid.

Charlie Bradley, Mrs. Diamond King and little daughter, Mrs. Sam McCool and small sons were in Nacoma on a business and pleasure trip Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford Harrison and family attended the commencement exercises held at Hood school Thursday night at which time their son, Owen, graduated.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Lutkenhaus Thursday were Mrs. W. T. Richter and Mrs. Harold Walterscheid and children of Muenster, Miss Clara Richter of Dallas and Mrs. Chris Jansen of Wichita Falls.

Miss Cornelia Harrison of Linn and Miss Katie Mae Mathews of

### Confetti--

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workers in defense industry have a right to evade their share of responsibility to the nation and still be immune to penalty? Figure it out. Who causes the greater injury to this country—the man who tries to evade armed service or the worker who foments a strike causing thousands of man-hours of delay in the production of essential materials?

We have a crop of short-sighted numb-skulls who seemingly cannot think of anything but more money and less work. It would be well for them to realize that French workmen used to think more of the 40-hour week than they did of national safety. Now they work as long as Hitler tells them to, and are paid what he sees fit to give.

### Linn News

MRS. A. WALTERSCHEID  
Correspondent

Thad Harrison of Bellevue visited in the community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy O'Connor of Myra visited with Mr. and Mrs. Mims Lewis Wednesday.

Miss Lucille Lutkenhaus of Muenster is the house guest of Miss Irene Lutkenhaus this week.

Quite a number of Linn ladies attended the Flower Show at Muenster Friday afternoon and night.

Glen Hellman returned to school Monday after a week of illness resulting from a snake bite.

Charlie Harrison of San Diego, Calif., arrived during the week for a two weeks' vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alford Harrison and family, Mrs. Harrison and

Myra were honored with a birthday party Saturday night at the latter's home. An evening of games and contests was enjoyed with refreshments being served. Miss Harrison was 15 years old.

### JOE HOENIG HOME IS PARTY SCENE TUESDAY

LINN.—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoening were hosts for a five o'clock dinner in their home Tuesday honoring her aunt, Sister Floribetha of Quincy, Ill., who is visiting relatives for several weeks. The day was also Mrs. Hoening's birthday. The dining table was centered with a decorated cake and places were laid for the honor guest, members of the Hoening family, and Henry Fleitman and daughter, Miss Irene, of Muenster.

### LINN SCHOOL CLOSURES CURRENT SEASON FRIDAY

LINN.—Classes at the Linn school will be dismissed Friday 23, to close the 1940-41 scholastic year. Miss Dorothy McKinney has been reappointed to teach next year. Another teacher, to complete the teaching

staff has not been named to date. Teachers, Mr. Dunn and Miss McKinney, entertained pupils of the school with a party Monday afternoon. Games and refreshments were enjoyed by the scholars and Mrs. Selby Fielder and children and Mrs. Diamond King and daughters, who were special guests at the affair.

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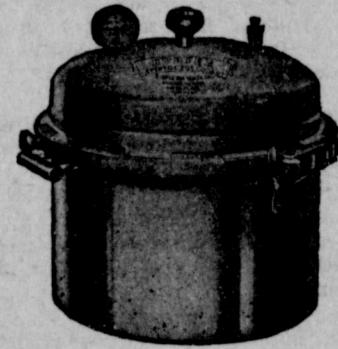
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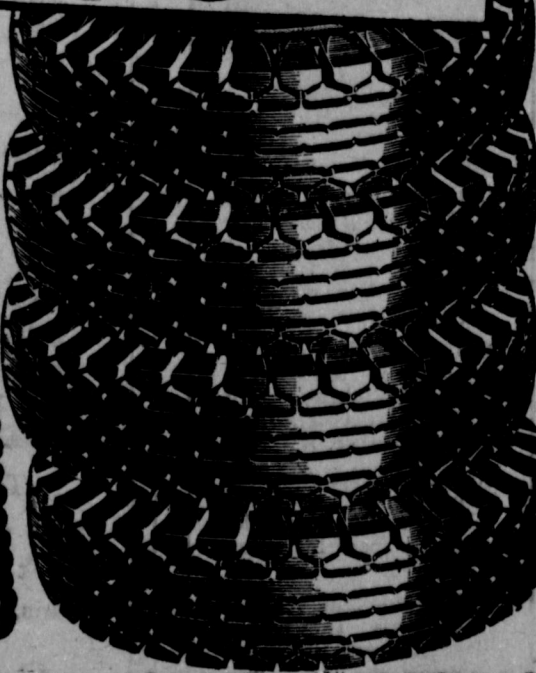
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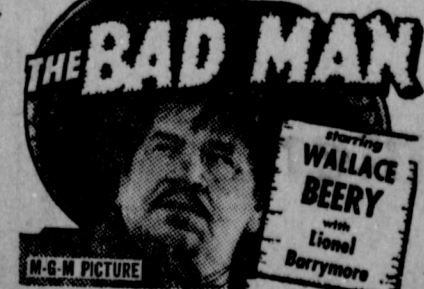
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