

Local News BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Yates and children Paula and Jimmy left Sunday to return to Midlothian, Ill., after a week's visit with her

sister and family, the Clyde Fishers. While they were here they were honored with several dinner parties among them in the homes of the John Fishers, Joe Fisher Sr. and the Ed Schmitts. They returned home by way of Arkansas and Saint Louis to visit other relatives.

Since the beginning of this week Mrs. Ben Seyler is employed at Scott Brothers Furniture Store here.

Mrs. Clarence Hellman and children Timmy, Dyan, Eddie and Peggy, drove to Dallas Monday to take their daughter and sister,

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SAME OLD CORN IS NO JOKE—W. R. Olney, 80, of Rochester, N. Y., canned the corn he's being fed by Granddaughter Susan Olney, 13, while working as a cannery hand in Rome, N. Y., 63 years ago. Still perfectly preserved, the vegetable was sealed in a hole-and-cap container, forerunner of the modern metal can.

Mrs. Monte Hellman and little daughter to Love Field where they boarded a plane for Chicago. Monte met them there and took them home to Milwaukee. Mrs. Hellman and the baby had visited homefolks here since Dec. 22. Her husband was here for the holidays and returned home on Jan. 3.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Nix and children Jimmy and Paula Jan of Wichita Falls. Mrs. Morris' aunt, Mrs. Bessie McDonald, and her cousin Bob Steadham and his twin daughters June and Jane, all of Saint Jo.

Mrs. M. J. Endres is back at home since Tuesday after being away three weeks to spend the holidays with her son, Leonard Endres and family in Columbus, Ohio. While there she also met and visited with Father Patrick Hannon's sister. Columbus is the Hannon's home town. Mrs. Endres said the weather was lovely all the time and she didn't see a bit of snow—waited to come back to Muenster for that. She brought best regards from Leonard to all his friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sanders have moved back to Muenster after being away about four years during which time they lived in Shawnee, Okla. They're at home here in the Andy O'Connor house in the northwest part of town. Sanders is working on an oil lease south of town.

Wilson Kaden Is Guest Speaker at Garden Club Meet

Wilson Kaden of Gainesville was guest speaker at Monday night's meeting of the Civic League and Garden Club. The group met in the home of Mrs. R. N. Fette with Mrs. R. R. Endres as co-hostess.

Mr. Kaden presented an interesting and informative discussion on landscaping for home beauty, explained soil quality, and suggested plants best suited for this area. After his talk he

answered questions asked by members in a round table discussion.

Mrs. Tony Gremminger, president, conducted the business session during which committee chairmen gave reports. These included a detailed account of soil conservation in the Muenster work unit during the past year. Mrs. Lee Toothaker prepared the report which showed that 552 farmers are cooperating in soil building and soil saving and listed accomplishments during 1954.

It was announced that birthday calendars are still on hand for sale and that house numbers are still being ordered. The club has hopes of seeing every residence in the city identified by a number. Members were also asked for ideas for a location for the city's swimming pool.

An invitation was read from the Denton Council of Garden Clubs to attend a talk by Paul F. Frese on Feb. 9 at Hubbard Hall, TSCW, Denton. He will discuss horticulture suitable for this area. Luncheon will be served in Hubbard Hall. Those wishing to attend may secure tickets from Mrs. Tony Gremminger.

Members and guests brought attendance to twenty-eight for the meeting. Five new members,

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Members present were Mmes. L. A. Bernauer, Jim Cook, Tony and Ted Gremminger, Anthony Luke, Ben Luke, Jos. A. Luke, Edd McGannon, Steve Moster, T. S. Myrick, Joe Swirczynski, J. M. Weinzapfel and Frank Yosten and the hostesses who served cake and coffee.



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Eugene Klements Honored on Eighth Anniversary, Jan. 8

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Klement who observed their 8th wedding anniversary Saturday, were honored with a surprise party in their home in the evening. Guests arrived in a group with covered dishes for a 7:30 supper, and a shower of gifts in keeping with the occasion. After the meal, diversion consisted of games, picture taking and dancing.

Mrs. Klement is the former Miss Clara Raleigh of St. Paul, Minn., where she and Mr. Klement were married on Jan. 8, 1947, and they recalled that the weather was cold that winter. On their wedding day thermometers stood at 23 degrees below zero.

They have lived in Muenster all their married life, farming east of town. They have four children, Charles, Andy, Kay and Judy.

Twenty-four guests joined the honorees for the celebration. They are Messrs. and Mmes. Frank Schilling, Anthony Klement, Albert Henscheid, Carl Schilling, Ed Endres, Herbert Miller, Wilfred Bindel, Alfred Bayer, Albert Schilling, and Gary Hess, Mrs. George Mollenkopf Jr., Freddie Hennigan, Ethel Knabe, and Arnold Schilling.

80th Birthday of Mrs. Mike Kleiss Observed Sunday

Mrs. Mike Kleiss had a surprise birthday celebration Sunday afternoon when her children and other family members gathered at her home for the occasion. She was 80 years old Wednesday, Jan. 12.

Birthday cake, fruit jello and coffee, brought by the guests, were served to the honoree and her six children, Sister Aloysia, Mrs. C. M. Walterscheid, Mrs. Clem Hofbauer, Joe, John, and Al Kleiss, all of Muenster, and to Clem Hofbauer, Mrs. Al Kleiss, Miss Lena Kleiss, Mrs. Emil Vogel, Bernice, Bobby and Conrad Jr. Walterscheid, Mike, Gene and Mary Ruth Kleiss and Dale Hofbauer.

Mrs. Kleiss has been a resident of Muenster since 1903 coming here one year after her marriage to Mike Kleiss in Pesotum, Ill., where the couple lived during their first year of marriage. She has lived in her present home since 1925. Her husband died in 1937. She has 16 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren, living in Muenster, Lindsay and Gainesville.

Third Order Group Plans Conference

At their regular meeting last Sunday afternoon, following the unison recitation of the office in church, Third Order members discussed the annual triduum to be held the first week in March.

Rev. Elias Koppert, provincial from Chicago, will be here at that time and the usual three-day services will be supplemented by addresses given by members. These conferences will call for actual member participation in the program and an outline of subjects to be covered is being made by the officers. Several members accepted subjects for discussion at that time.

J. W. Hess, prefect, presided for the meeting in the presence of Father Louis who led the opening prayer. Twenty-eight members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Schilling and son John of Whitesboro visited here Friday with his brother, Frank Schilling and family, and the Ray Owens.

Would Almost Like To Prolong Stay in Europe to See More

Lt. and Mrs. Jerry Gorrie, stationed in Germany near Cologne where he is serving in the Air Force, will soon be on their way back home, according to a recent letter to her sister, Mrs. John Huchton. Mrs. Gorrie is the former Miss Joyce Williams. They've enjoyed their overseas stay so much they almost wish they could stay longer, and see more, Joyce writes. Her husband has been overseas almost a year and she has been with his since last May.

They have been touring Europe and she writes of a recent trip to Spain while Jerry was on leave. They stayed at a resort town on the Mediterranean, swam, played tennis, went sight-seeing and took in a bullfight at Barcelona.

Joyce attended the Conference of American Women's Activities in Europe. The meetings were held at Berchtesgaden in the Bavarian Alps where Hitler had his private retreat and it is a beautiful place, she wrote. General Gruenther and Miss Hickey, public affairs editor of the Ladies Home Journal, headed a long list of outstanding speakers. The afternoon there was no conference scheduled the group took a tour to Salzburg, Austria.

Henrietta Mages And Nick Dieter To Marry Feb. 19

Joe Mages has announced the engagement and approaching marriage of his daughter, Henrietta, to Nick Dieter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dieter of Lindsay.

The wedding will be solemnized here in Sacred Heart church on Saturday, Feb. 19, during a nuptial mass at 4 p.m.

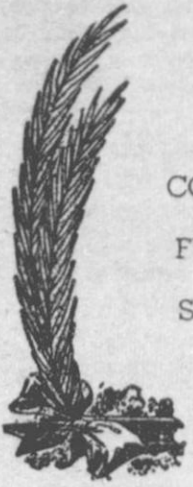
Miss Mages has selected as her attendants, her sister Miss Albina Mages as maid of honor and another sister Mrs. Harold Schmitz as bridesmatron. Mr. Dieter will be attended by his cousin, Rudy Dieter as best man, and Harold Schmitz as groomsman.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Sacred Heart High school with the class of 1954. The prospective groom attended school at Lindsay and served in the Air Force for two years. He is employed at National Supply Company in Gainesville.

AT INAUGURATION

Mrs. Ray Evans and her sister, Mrs. Howard Couch of Hot Springs, Ark., who spent the weekend here, were in Oklahoma City Monday to attend Governor

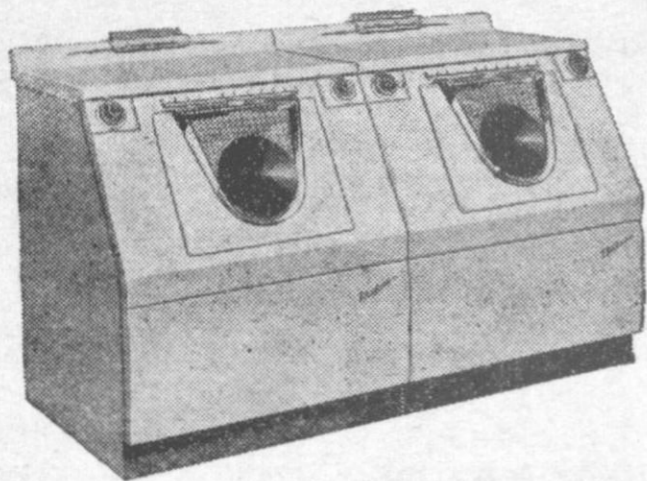
Raymond Gary's inauguration and the reception that followed. They were joined there by their brother, Joe Dickerson of Magnolia, Ark. The trio and the new governor were all in school together in Madill, Okla.



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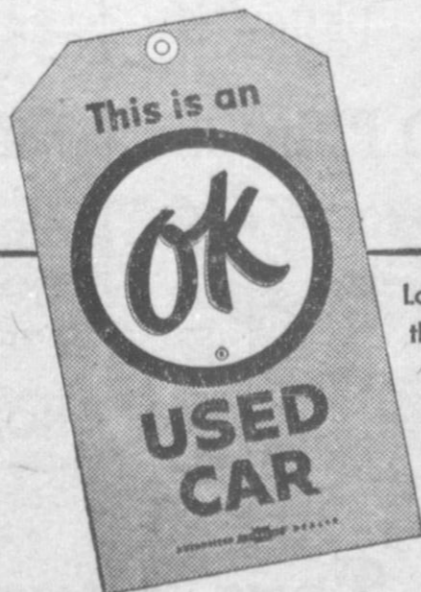
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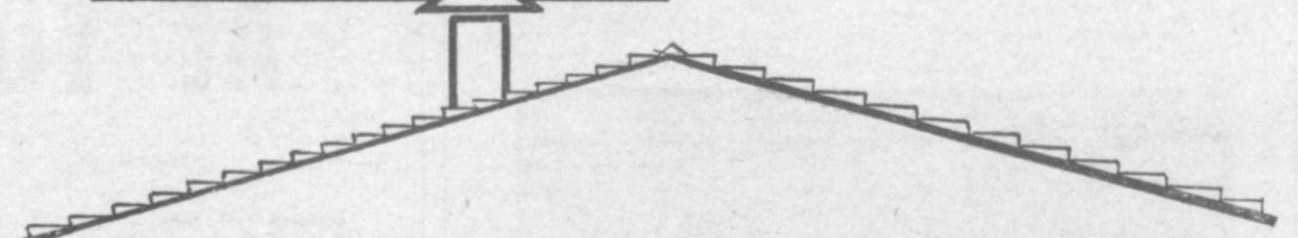
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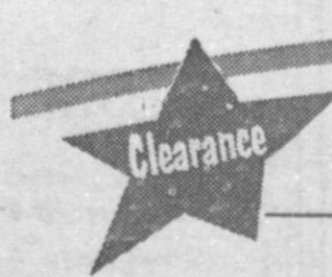
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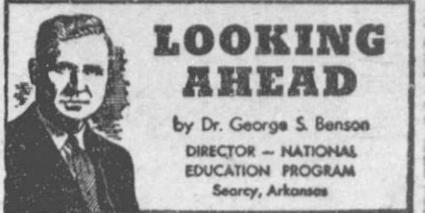
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LOOKING AHEAD
 by Dr. George S. Benson
 DIRECTOR — NATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAM
 Searcy, Arkansas

THE LESSON AT LOUISVILLE

Citizens of Louisville, Kentucky, recently learned that the Communist conspiracy in America is a grim reality, that its secret agents have infiltrated important elements in our community life and are influencing public opinion in a manner helpful to world Communism and harmful to our nation's security. A great many Louisville people were astonished. They had been apathetic toward Communism. They had scoffed at anyone who suggested that there might be Communist agents at work in Louisville. They are not scoffing now.

The series of events that astounded Louisville citizens centered around Carl Braden, who for years had been a member of the editorial staff of the Louisville Courier-Journal, the city's only morning newspaper. In his writings and civic activities Braden purported to be a special friend of the Negroes. Last May he quietly bought a house in a Louisville white suburb and immediately transferred ownership to a Negro, Andrew Wade IV, who moved in with his wife and daughter.

Racial Strife

Trouble started immediately. Neighbors protested. A "Wade Defense Committee" was formed, with Braden a central figure in it. The agitation of the "Committee" and the rising feeling in the neighborhood aroused the entire city. People took sides. Tension mounted. Shots were fired into the Wade residence. And then, on June 27, a bomb was exploded tearing a gaping hole in one side of the house. The Wades were not in the house at the time. The public assumed that the bombing was an act of the white people against the Wades. Racial enmity heightened.

Commonwealth Attorney A. Scott Hamilton conducted some thorough-going investigations and empaneled a Grand Jury. In October the Grand Jury stunned most Louisville citizens by indicting the ringleaders of the "Wade Defense Committee," in-

cluding Carl Braden and his wife, on the charge of advocating sedition. Subsequent indictments, in November, revealed prosecutor Hamilton's theory of the whole Wade incident.

Hamilton's Theory

Hamilton's theory was that Braden and the key people in the "Wade Defense Committee" were Communist conspirators, that they had used the Wade family and the house buying scheme, and had themselves actually bombed the house, for the sole purpose of agitating trouble between the races as a part of the Communist scheme to cause continuous trouble, calculated to weaken and finally overthrow the American government. This theory brought down on the Commonwealth's attorney a lot of abuse. Close acquaintances and newspaper colleagues refused to believe that Carl Braden, long-time member of the Courier-Journal staff, was a Communist. Many people were skeptical of the whole theory of Communist implication.

The Braden trial last month was a sensation in Louisville. Commonwealth Attorney Hamilton had done a thorough job in preparation. Before the indictments, and unexpected by Braden, police had entered the Braden home with search warrants and had found boxes filled with Communist literature. On the stand, Braden claimed this literature was merely evidence of his "interest in Communism, labor, political science and other mass movements." His primary interest, he said, was "socialism."

Reds at Work

Prosecutor Hamilton presented a parade of former FBI counterparts who had worked in the Red underground, including Matt Cvetic. They all testified that (1) the house buying and bombing was a specific technique used by Communists to foment civil strife and hatred between the races; and that (2) the type of Communist literature and the quantity found in Braden's home would only be found in the possession of a Communist.

Then, late in the trial, the prosecution introduced a surprise witness, Mrs. Alberta Ahearn. She quickly identified herself as a member of Communist Party cells in Louisville since January 1951—as a counterspy for the FBI. She said Braden was a Communist leader in Louisville; that

Cancer Is My Friend

By Rev. Daniel A. Lord, Author and Lecturer

"IT'S CANCER," said the doctors, "cancer of the lungs." My question was inevitable. "How long will I live?" They wanted to make it as easy as possible. And yet what could they say? "Who knows? There is no predicting with cancer."



I WAS RELIEVED. I had expected to die some day of heart trouble, or a stroke, and I dreaded that sudden and perhaps sacramental death. Cancer seemed kindly, almost like the preliminary coming of the Angel of Death to say, "Not quite yet. You've time to do some thinking and praying and straightening out of life's ledgers." I had always, in the Litany of the Saints, said with great feeling, "From a sudden and unprovided death, O Lord, deliver me."

I cannot but feel that the dread of cancer is greatly exaggerated. People with cancer often live long and sturdily. Cancer does not necessarily withdraw a man from his normal routine. Since we all must die, God is kindly when He sends a messenger in advance with a gentle but emphatic warning. Surely we can all use a little time to get ready for the Judge-

ment. FOR DEATH IS NOT THE END but the beginning of the only life which can satisfy the restless, limitless, glorious cravings of our immortal souls. God permits disease as the prelude to death. If there should be pain, Christ bore pain first and shares it with divine generosity.

The realization that one has cancer sharpens one's whole outlook on life; the earth is more beautiful, the sky a little clearer, and every moment of the day precious, a thing to be hoarded. I am glad that America is cancer conscious. But when I read that cancer is man's worst enemy, I am not so sure. I cannot quite understand the appalling fear of cancer. I have known so many who died gracefully from it: my priest friend who, with cancer of the tongue, went quietly to his room, spent months becoming a saint and died with a smile; the dean of a woman's college who ran the school from her bed, held interviews, pushed forward the college's development, and served almost better sick from cancer than in the full bloom of her health.

GOD SEEMS TO USE the things we dread to draw us closer to Him. Since we must die and since death is really the entrance into life, I am personally glad that cancer, the kindly messenger, came quite a bit in advance. For life seems sweetest when it melts gently into the Life that is our Eternal Promise.

† Paulist Feature Service, Washington 17, D. C.

she had joined the party at a meeting in Braden's home; that Mrs. Braden was a Communist, and that Braden collected dues for one of the Louisville cells. Braden was convicted of advocating sedition. Trial of Mrs. Braden and others under indictment will be held later.

Louisville citizens learned, at first hand, that the Communist conspiracy is a reality in the

daily lives of the communities of America; that it has the power, through infiltration, to mould segments of American public opinion and foment civil strife, that it is a monstrous threat to the life and liberty of every citizen.

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proud. John Hancock was an earnest worker for the cause of freedom, and on one occasion in particular demonstrated to what lengths he would go.

During the siege of Boston, General Washington consulted Congress upon the propriety of bombarding the town. His letter was read to Congress, of which Mr. Hancock was president. At first there was silence, then a member made a motion that the house should resolve itself into

a committee of the whole, in order that Mr. Hancock might give his opinion, since all of his property was located in Boston. Leaving his chair, John Hancock addressed the chairman of the committee as follows: "It is true, sir, nearly all of the property I have in the world is in houses and other real estate in the town of Boston; but if the liberties of our country require their being burnt to ashes—issue the order for that purpose immediately!"

TWO SHARE HONORS AT BIRTHDAY OBSERVANCE

A birthday dinner honored Mrs. John Barnes and Mrs. Robert Richey Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Richey. Mrs. Barnes' birthday was on the seventh and Mrs. Richey's on the fifth.

Guests for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Barnes and daughter Donna of Gainesville, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Richey and children Margaret and Larry of Sivells Bend, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Richey and children Bobby, Billy and Judy.

Marysville News

By Mrs. Herman Richey

MARYSVILLE, Jan. 11—Mrs. J. N. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davidson and daughter Becky and Foster Davidson were in Fort Worth Thursday to visit Mrs. J. A. Davidson, sister of Mr. Davidson and Mrs. Shaw, who is ill.

Mitchell Moon has been quite ill since Saturday and his daughter, Mrs. Houston Miller, is on her way here from Canada to be at his bedside.

Guests in the Foster Davidson home Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Paysinger of Dallas, the Bill Roes and family of Whitesboro and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Snow of Gainesville.

Rev. Herman Keelin a former pastor at Marysville, now at Carter, Okla., sends best regards to all his friends in the community. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fette of Muenster were in Carter Sunday to attend funeral services for her grandmother, met Rev. Keelin and brought back the message.

Bulcher News

By Mrs. R. J. Samples

BULCHER, Jan. 11—R. J. Samples was a visitor in Bowie Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Kidd and daughter and his mother, Mrs. Sallie M. Kidd, have moved into their new home. The new building replaces the one destroyed by fire early in December.

About three inches of snow fell here Sunday night. It was a wet snow and added quite a bit of moisture.

Word has been received here that Theodore West, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Morris and a former Bulcher resident, is critically ill after suffering a stroke during the weekend. He is hospitalized in Gainesville.

Monroe Atteberry and children of Nocona spent several days of the past week with his parents, the Jimmy Atteberrys.

FIRST BULCHER BABY

Miss 1955 for Bulcher is Rita Dianne Dennis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Dennis, who made her debut on Jan. 5 at 9:25 a.m. at M&S Hospital in Gainesville. The eight pound girl is also welcomed by her sister, Linda Ann, 14 years old.

STRAWBERRY CULTURE DISCUSSED AT HD MEET

A talk on how to grow strawberries was presented to members of the Bulcher Home Demonstration club at their regular meeting on Jan. 6 when they met in the home of Mrs. C. V. Crabtree.

Mrs. Bill Harrel was in charge of the program and led the discussion on growing strawberries. Members had answered roll call by telling "A Place I Can Grow Strawberries."

During the business session Mrs. E. L. Robison was elected secretary replacing Mrs. Calip Cannon who resigned, and Mrs. J. M. Shields gave a report on the county council's Christmas party. Mrs. C. V. Crabtree, new president, conducted the business session.

Mrs. E. Newby had charge of recreation and Mrs. E. L. Robison won the game prize.

After adjournment the hostess served refreshments to Mmes. Gid Prather, R. V. Daffern, Bill Harrel, E. Newby, R. J. Samples, August Hyman, E. L. Robison, J. M. Shields, Dexter Dowd and Jay Jones.

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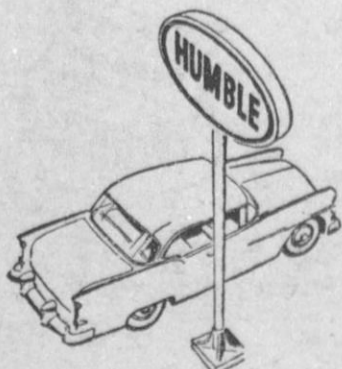
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Local News BRIEFS

Mrs. Dick Cain and children, Judy, Sandra, Chris and Debby, drove to Denton Sunday afternoon to visit LaQuita Cain at NTSC.

Mrs. Callie Baumhardt left Thursday to make her home in Devol, Okla., where she has a daughter living. She has her own home there and is located near her daughter. The Teddy Gremmings who bought Mrs. Baumhardt's property here are getting settled in their new quarters.

Mrs. Joe Gorman and three children, Hank, Dana Marie and Timmie, left Saturday to return to their home in Rockford, Ill., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Endres, and members of the family. Mr. Gorman met them in Chicago. While she was here Mrs. Gorman was honored with a number of social events, the final party being Thursday night when Mr. and Mrs. Urban Endres entertained with a supper party and family reunion in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melton Ramsey spent Sunday in Ringgold visiting her father, W. R. Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Roberg had as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dunn of Temple, Okla., former Muenster residents.

Guests of Ruth Needham and the Frank Needhams Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Leon McFarland of Claude.

Little Mary Ellen Endres observed her 6th birthday Sunday with a dinner party at her

home for members of the family and Paula Herr. A birthday cake topped with six candles, and gifts for the honoree added a festive touch to the occasion. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Endres.

Mrs. Mary Nause, a former resident of Muenster, has returned to Cooke County to make her home with her brother, Joe Prescher at Lindsay after living in San Diego, Calif., for several years. She looks forward to seeing all her old friends and invites them to visit her.

Mrs. Ben Seyler is back in Muenster after a visit in Midland where she spent the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Darrell Adams and family. She also visited a sister and her family, the C. W. Ratliffs in Lubbock.

ANNIVERSARY PARTY

A twelfth wedding anniversary party honored Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huchton Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Huchton. Card games and refreshments were enjoyed by the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tempel, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tempel of Gainesville, and the hosts.

IT HAPPENED 15 YEARS AGO

Jan. 12, 1940

Coldest weather in seven years here is accompanied by four inches of snow; thermometers stand at 5 above. Catholic Daughters of America observe court's silver anniversary with dinner party. Ignited clothing causes death of Mrs. Virge Piott, 30, formerly of Myra. Betty Hartman begins work at Louie's Cafe. Several people here are ill with influenza. A. F. Gremminger and C. E. Harmon buy Ben Lane's rod and tubing machine. Miss 1940 for Muenster is Nancy Noalene Cain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Cain; she was born at the Muenster Clinic on Jan. 4. Other new arrivals: James Frank, son of the Bernard Wolfs and Clarence John, son of the Clarence Hellmans. The Frank Klements are given surprise party on their 26th wedding anniversary. Grand jury bills fake ranger who took slot machines here.

10 YEARS AGO

Jan. 12, 1945

Muenster bank deposits pass million dollar mark. Veronica Rollman is seriously injured in car crash west of Gainesville. Dale Reiter, 10, son of the Al Reiters of Gainesville, dies from injuries received when struck by an automobile after getting off a school bus. Muenster Mutual Insurance Company holds 51st annual meeting, reports ten and one fourth cent rate and elects officers and directors for a new year. Funeral services are held for infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Jennings. Fire Department elects Joe Luke chief. Ed Knauf has appendicitis operation. Lindsay Mothers Society elects Mrs. Nick Block president. Herbie Herr is promoted to sergeant in France. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Luttmer put the fourth blue star on their service flag

Sunday when their son Walter left to join three brothers in the armed forces.

5 YEARS AGO

Jan. 13, 1950

Bank stockholders re-elect directors and hear year's report. Volunteer firemen elect Herman Fette as new fire chief. Infant daughter of the Sam Sparkmans dies. James Hess broke his collar bone in a fall on the ice last week. Mrs. J. J. Haverkamp is recovering from major surgery. Mr. and Mrs. Troy Cooper move to Muenster after living at Corsicana. Garden Club hears Ralph Maglaughlin talk on soil qualities. Mary Ann Felderhoff is elected president of Sacred Heart 4-H club. Veronica Fuhrmann and Albert Klement are married at Lindsay. Weldon Bezner is elected president of Young Men's Society at Lindsay. New arrivals: boys for Messrs. and Mmes. Urban Endres and Willie Fuhrmann; girls for Messrs. and Mmes. Johnny Moster, Joe Vogel and Joe Spaeth.

Attention, Typists!

"Now look here, I fired three girls for revising my letters, see?" said the boss to his new stenographer.

"Yes sir."
"All right, now take a letter and take it the way I tell you."

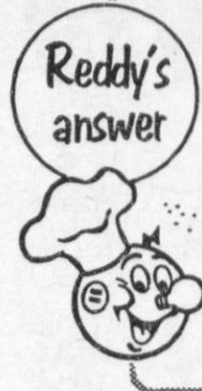
And the next morning Mr. O. J. Squizz of the Squizz Soap Co. received the following letter:

"Mr. O. K., or O. J. or some thing, look it up, Squizz, what a name, Soap Co., Detroit, that's in Michigan, isn't it? Dear Mr. Squizz, hrm. You're a heck of a business man. No, start over. He's a crook but I can't insult him or the bum'll sue me. The last shipment of soap you sent us was of inferior quality, and I want you to understand—no, scratch that out. I want you to understand—Mmmm—unless you can ship us something better to replace it we won't be doing business with your outfit no more period or whatever the grammar is. This confounded cigar is out again.

"Where was I? Paragraph. Your

soap wasn't what you said—I should say it wasn't. Them bums tried to put over a lot of hooey on us. We're sending back your last shipment of soap tomorrow. Sure we're gonna sent it back. I'd like to feed it to 'em with a spoon and make 'em eat it, the dirty bums. Now read it over. We've wasted enough time on them crooks. Fix it up and sign my name. What do you say we go out to lunch?"

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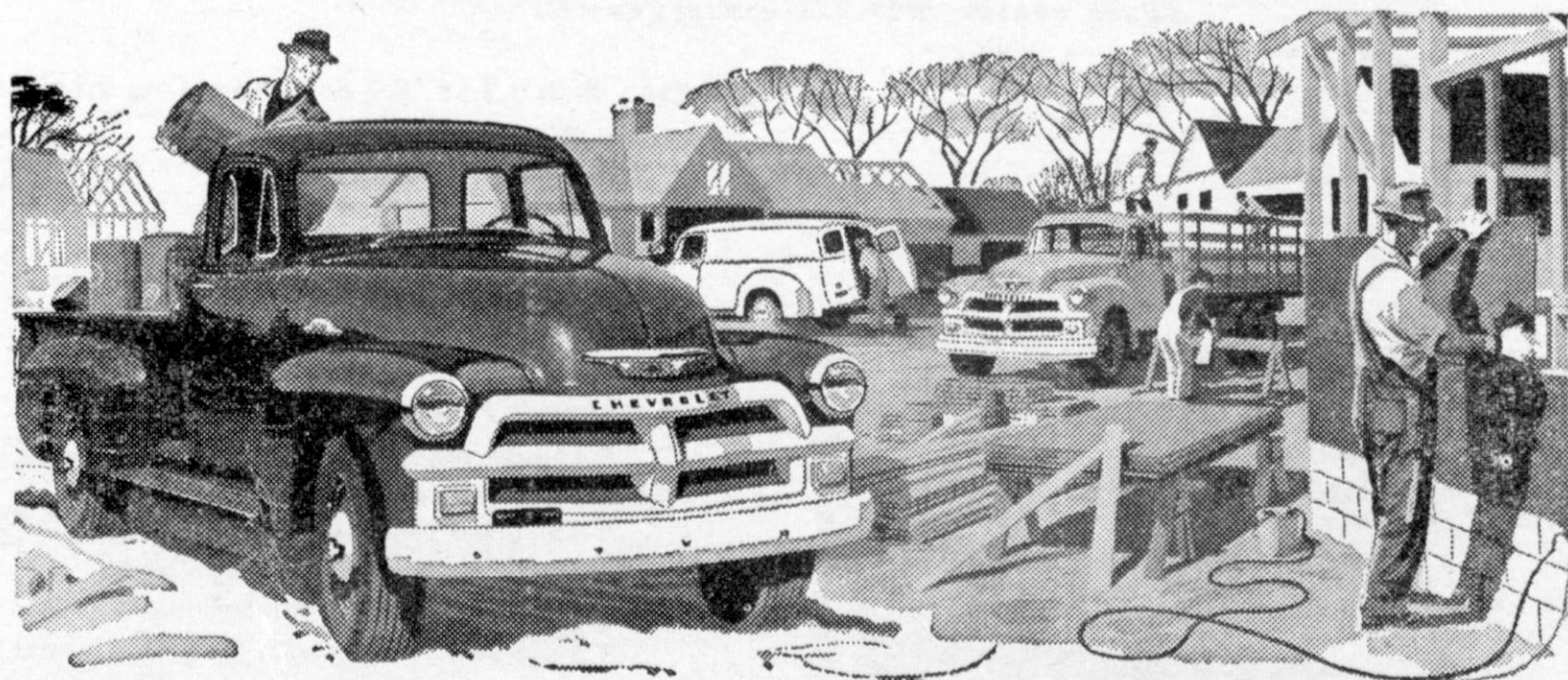
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Five games will be played away from home four here, and the Whitesboro game, as during the past several years, will be at Gainesville. Six are conference games and the other four are non conference games.

We're Coming, Moon

The turning out by General Motors of its 50 millionth car in the U.S. recently was an industrial phenomenon possible only in a free economy with a free market to absorb them. The event was celebrated in 64 plant cities in 19 states. Stretched out in a straight line, the cars made by GM since it began in 1908 would reach two-thirds of the distance to the moon!

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Soil Conservation Notes

Cooperators of the Upper Elm-Red Soil Conservation district have just opened up a new year and are looking forward to coming to grips with their ever present enemy of soil depletion and soil erosion during every day of the new year.

The factors that make for soil erosion are ever present and each landowner must constantly work to keep and maintain his precious top soil by which he makes a living.

Looking back over the year just ended one sees that landowners working with the local soil conservation district have taken some big steps toward winning the battle against the loss of both soil and water.

In the Muenster area during 1954 there were some 12,000 acres of cropland and pasture land protected by a cover of soil improving legume crops. And there were another 8,000 acres of cultivated land that was growing a mixture of grasses and legumes for hay and grazing. In other words, there were some 20,000 acres of farmland being protected and improved by having a cover of green plants that not only prevent erosion but also build up the fertility of the soil through the addition of nitrogen and organic matter.

Twenty waterways were planted to grasses to serve as safe outlets for terrace water. These strips will make it possible to protect sloping fields with terraces. There were 33 miles of terraces built near Muenster last year to help protect approximately 1,000 acres of cultivated land. And 383 acres were seeded to pasture grasses to prevent erosion and furnished more and better grazing.

Other accomplishments of Muenster landowners include construction of 39 ponds for livestock water so that better grazing practices can be followed and grasslands improved. About 8,000 acres of rangeland were improved by receiving a rest from grazing during part of the growing season and some 16,000 acres of cropland received benefits of having all crop remains left on or near the soil surface to form a protective mulch on the soil surface to prevent soil erosion and soil crusting.

All in all, Muenster landowners have had a good year in their fight against soil and water losses, but they are making new year's resolutions to take bigger steps toward soil improvement and protection in the coming year.

Muenster Edges Era, Swamps Callisburg In District Games

Both boys and girls of Muenster High have added two wins to their conference basketball record during the past week. Friday night they romped over Callisburg in a pair of one sided games and Tuesday night they edged Era in two thrillers. Both the double headers were played here.

Friday night's opener saw Muenster girls take an early lead and move ahead steadily. Scores by periods were 13-5, 21-8, 33-10 and 43-21. Myrick accounted for 15 and Butler 14. Next high scorer was Clara Fisher, usually a guard, who had a chance to break into the scoring column during the last quarter when the forwards and guards swapped positions.

The boys game was more of the same with Muenster extending the lead steadily for a final tally of 62-31. Scores in the first three periods were 18-7, 30-17 and 50-28. Hallmark connected for 12 and Cain for 8.

In the Tuesday night game with Era local girls made a slow start and trailed 7-4 at the quarter then pushed ahead for leads of 14-9 and 23-12 in the next periods and barely held out for a 25-23 win. It was a queer game in which both teams had their slumps though playing at top speed all the time. In the second and third periods Era had all the trouble, in the last Muenster had it. Butler led the way with 8, Cain and Haverkamp each scored 6 and Myrick 5. Wilson for the visitors was the game's hot shot with 13.

Likewise in the boys contest. Era took an early lead and Muenster recovered to get in front 9-6 at the quarter and continued the pace about half through the second period when the visitors hit their stride for a 26-22 intermission lead. By late in the third period Era stretched the lead to 10 points, after which Muenster recovered slightly to trail 39-32 at the end of the quarter. A whirlwind last quarter paid off for Muenster and the final tally was 47-44. Richey and Dougherty scored 12 each and Hallmark 8. Smith for Era made 22.

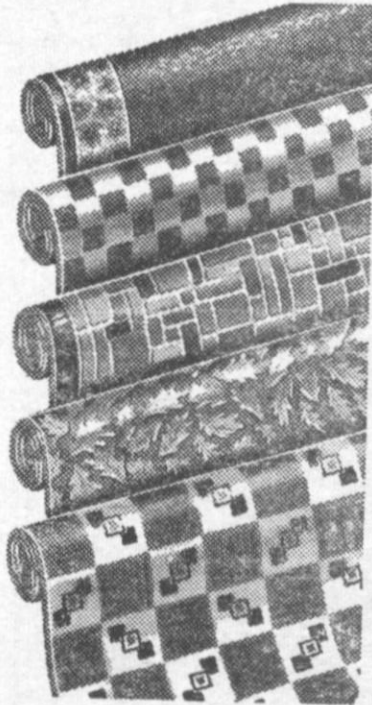
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Hermes-Rohmer Rite Set for February 2

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Agnes Frances Hermes to Emil A. Rohmer have been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hermes of Lindsay. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Rohmer of Muenster.

The wedding will take place on February 2 in Saint Peter's church at Lindsay during an afternoon mass at 4 o'clock. Miss Hermes is a graduate of Lindsay High school. Mr. Rohmer attended Sacred Heart school and served with the U. S. Army during world war II with duty in the Pacific Theatre. He is in the cafe business in Muenster.

Mary Ann Hellinger Lee Louis Tischler Say Vows Saturday



—Boyd and Breeding Photo

PHILLIP METZLER HAS EYE SURGERY IN DALLAS
Phillip Metzler is recovering satisfactorily following eye surgery last week Tuesday at Baylor Hospital in Dallas. The operation was on his left eye, injured several months ago. He has been dismissed from the hospital and is staying with friends in Dallas for several days. His wife and family members have been cheering him with visits.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sweeney and family of Venezuela, South America, left Tuesday after a ten day visit with friends in Cooke county. While they were here they made their headquarters at the Parker Fears home at Myra.

Clarence Hellman, Herbert Cunningham, A. J. Huchton and Elmer Fette are working on a drilling rig at Vernon.

In Saint Peter's church Saturday afternoon at four o'clock Miss Mary Ann Hellinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hellinger of Lindsay, and Lee Louis Tischler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tischler of Pilot Point, exchanged marriage vows.

Rev. Conrad Herda, pastor, read the double ring service and officiated at the nuptial high mass. White snapdragons and greenery adorned the altar. Mrs. William Schmitz, organist, played the traditional wedding marches and remained at the organ to assist the church choir in singing the mass.

Mr. Hellinger gave his daughter in marriage. Her white satin wedding gown was designed with a fitted bodice pointed at the front, long fitted sleeves that came to points over her hands,

and a wide gathered skirt worn over hoops and crinolines. A leaf-shaped bandeau of pearls and rhinestones held her tiered elbow-length veil and she carried a bouquet of carnations.

Miss Nelda Hellinger was her sister's maid of honor wearing a blue dress with a high neckline, moulded bodice and bouffant skirt. She carried pink carnations. Miss Josie Lee Tischler, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. Her costume in rose was made identical to the maid of honor's and she carried blue tinted carnations.

Gerald Tischler was best man for his brother and Pete Hellinger Jr. was groomsmen. Frank Mages of Gainesville and Paul Lubbers of Pilot Point ushered.

After the services a reception was held in the Lindsay hall for relatives and friends of the couple. The bride's colors were stressed in hall and table decorations with arrangements of snapdragons.

Misses Ona Lee Mages of Gainesville and Katie Hyman of Pilot Point presided at the bride's book. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fleitman and family of Muenster were among guests.

The couple will live in Pilot Point. He is employed at the Denton Brickyard.

Blessed Events

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sicking, route 1, Muenster, announce the birth of a six pound two ounce boy, their second son, at M&S Hospital on Jan. 6. Mrs. Sicking is the former Marcella Bezner, daughter of the Fred Bezners of Lindsay. Mrs. Will Sicking of Myra is the paternal grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren McKay of Lubbock have announced the birth of a seven pound twelve ounce son, Thomas William, who arrived on Dec. 31. Mrs. McKay is remembered as the former Odessa Morrison of this city.

City Officials Have Annual Dinner Party

City officials were treated to their annual dinner Sunday night in the public school lunch room. This year's event featured charcoal broiled steaks, prepared by Councilman Rudy Hellman on his portable grill.

Sixteen officers and guests found their places at a long table that held individual salt and pepper shakers relating to their business, hobby, or special talent. After the meal the group enjoyed card games.

Those attending were Mayor and Mrs. Urban Endres, Councilmen Rudy Hellman, Herbert Meurer, John Wieler and John Fisher and their wives, City Manager Steve Moster and Mrs. Moster, city treasurer; City Secretary Anthony Luke and Mrs. Luke, and City Health Officer Dr. T. S. Myrick and Mrs. Myrick. Two officers were unable to attend: Councilman George Mollenkopf and Tax Assessor-Collector Mrs. Nick Miller.

Confetti - - -

embarrassing facts to become known. Some years ago, while the reds were peddling their Utopian theories, lots of people were quite chummy with them, even helped them get into important positions. As loyal and reasonable people should, they changed their minds when they discovered the true nature of communism. They agree now that communism is a menace, but they are reluctant to have it exposed. They're afraid of being exposed as suckers while commies are exposed as scoundrels.

It is sad that people will risk the safety of their country to avoid embarrassment, but that seems to be what's going on.

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least expensive fire and storm insurance in the state. During 1954 the association paid \$983.15 on losses in six fires and \$456.22 on losses in 7 storms. The Muenster Mutual was organized here only four years after the community was founded. On Dec. 18, 1893, a group of local pioneers agreed on a mutual protective association essentially the same as that in effect now. In case of fire loss to any member of the group all others paid for the loss, the share of each being determined by the insured value of his own property.

For years assessments were made to cover losses after they had been sustained. As the organization grew and assessments for small odd amounts became more frequent members decided on the present method of maintaining a fund out of which losses could be paid. Annual assessments then became customary except when the members in their annual meeting decided the fund was adequate for another year.

In recent years, as storm coverage was added to the policy and as membership and valuation continued to grow, the organization favored a larger reserve as protection against greater losses from a general storm. Accordingly the assessments were continued regularly, and today the reserve is ready to meet the losses on a sizeable catastrophe. Much of the fund is invested and bearing interest.

It did not take long for the success of the association to become known, and within a few years friends in Lindsay, Valley View, Pilot Point, Windthorst and Electra were seeking membership. Those five communities along with Muenster are now included in the Muenster Mutual.

Some changes have been made since the organization. Storm insurance has been added. Membership which formerly was restricted to farmers of German descent now includes both non-Germans and non-farmers. One provision of the constitution, as amended after other communities were admitted, which still applies is that all directors must be residents of Muenster and the annual general meeting must be held here.

Next in order for the association are the local meetings for each district. At that time delegates to this week's meeting will make their official reports and each district will elect its delegates to the next general meeting. District meetings are due to be held near Easter.

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