



One thing should be certain for 1956. Farmers will be favored fellows in the pending political scramble. This prediction is a near cinch with both parties rushing headlong into the contest of bidding for farm votes.

The trend was apparent at the first inking of what was to be offered in the president's "soil bank" proposal. Before the plan was officially announced rival politicians were saying that it is what they had been encouraging for a long time.

While those other guys are claiming credit for a good idea, this column feels justified in stepping forward for its share of the praise. It wasn't just a year ago but considerably farther back when this space proclaimed that farm subsidies should be ditched out for soil conservation instead of for soil depletion. Again, just a few months ago this column cheered the intensive and extensive efforts of the Farm Bureau Federation to penetrate official Washington with basic concepts of the soil bank theory.

Regardless of who gets the credit, however, the important fact is that the boys on the Potomac are getting better oriented in their thinking. This is more like the traditional American principle of rewarding thrift rather than waste.

So far this column does not claim to understand the entire plan, but it openly admits some disappointment in reports that a fundamentally sound idea is to be complicated, and perhaps hindered, by compensations for mere reduction of acreage. This has overtones of the early depression fiasco when people were paid to kill animals and plow under crops. It's only one degree better, because this time they are to be subsidized for doing nothing rather than for destroying.

A far better program, it seems, is to base all subsidy on conservation. Don't pay for letting a part of the land lie idle, but pay proportionately more for turning that land to conserving and improving practices which will save and increase fertility for future years. Specifically, discard the notion of giving certificates, redeemable in cash or grain, for the crop which could have been raised on the idle ground, but pay proportionately more if the farmer puts that ground into conservation farming. That's the practical and constructive way. Compensate for adding to the nation's resources, not for neglecting them.

Such a plan also has its administrative merit . . . in that it calls for only one payment instead of two. The certificate deal apparently entitles the farmer to compensation for the crop he did not raise and the soil bank deal entitles him to compensation for land improvement. He gets two subsidies off the same field. It would be simpler, less expensive and more useful to eliminate the first deal and up the ante on the second.

Perhaps it isn't too much to hope that legislators will make such improvements in the process of shaping proposals into law.

Meanwhile we have reason to cheer that our farm program is finally headed in the right direction. From what we have seen of conservation hereabouts we can predict that a new era for agriculture is just around the corner.

To begin with, reduction of crop acreage will reduce surplus, which in itself will bring the two-fold benefit of restoring price levels and eliminating the nation's tremendous annual cost of storing grain.

From the farmer's viewpoint it offers as much as the old parity program, and more. He still receives a handsome subsidy. But as time rolls on he finds that he enters an era of more profitable farming. With surpluses gone the law of supply and demand operates in his favor. Meanwhile the land he has been improving yields better crops. His production on 150 acres will be about as much as it used to be on 200. Some farms will beat that record, some will fall short. But practically everybody will gain on net profit because net gain per acre will more than offset the reduction of acres.

This isn't just theory, either. Dozens of conservation farmers

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## Willie Sowder, 80, Pioneer Resident And Teacher, Dies

Death Friday claimed Miss Willie Sowder, 80, retired school teacher well known throughout Cooke county, who lived south of Muenster since childhood. She had taught in area schools including those at Linn, Freemound, Leo and Prairie Point.

She died at 6:40 p.m. in a Gainesville hospital following a stroke on Dec. 30 at her home. She had been hospitalized since that time.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 1:30 in Scott Brothers Funeral chapel at Saint Jo and burial was in the Hardy cemetery south of that city. Dr. Bob Evans, pastor of the First Methodist church of Gainesville, officiated.

Bearers were Andy O'Connor, Mims Lewis, Roy Atteberry, A. F. Griffin and Bill Lutkenhaus and Charles Wilson of Gainesville.

Miss Sowder was born Nov. 6, 1875, at Pilot Point, Texas, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Sowder, who moved south of Muenster soon afterwards and lived there until their deaths. He died in 1926 and she died in 1935. Two brothers also preceded her in death.

Survivors include an aunt, Mrs. Mary Sowder of Denison, an uncle of Collinsville, several cousins in Collinsville and Dallas, and cousins Mrs. Florence Garner of Gainesville, Mrs. A. N. Arveson of Nocona and Mrs. Albert Butler of Sapulpa, Okla.

## WITH THE MEN IN SERVICE

### Overseas Orders

Warrant Officer Mike Taranola has received overseas orders and will spend the next year on the Marshall Islands. He has been based at Fort Dix, N.J. His wife, the former Charisie Bradshaw of Muenster and sister of Mrs. T. S. Myrick, and their children will stay in New Jersey where she is teaching school at Pemberton.

### Assignment in Alaska

Marine Cpl. Merlin Jo Evans left Camp Pendleton, Calif., the latter part of last week for a tour to Alaska where he will be assigned to special duty for three or four months. His buddy, Cpl. Richard Epperly, who was here with him for the holidays was assigned to the same place. The boys left from San Francisco Friday after a sight-seeing trip to Seattle Wash.

### Settled at Fort Bragg

Cpl. and Mrs. Eddie Fette write that they are settled at Fort Bragg, N.C., where they are living in a trailer court just three doors from the C. C. Blanton. Mrs. Blanton is the former Eva Muller. Blanton recently finished Officers Candidate School at Fort Benning, Ga., and now holds the rank of second lieutenant.

### Visits Kin in Germany

A holiday leave from his duties at Kaiserslautern, Germany, afforded Cpl. Gilbert Bindel an opportunity to visit relatives in Westphalia and near-by towns. He wrote his parents, the Frank Bindels, that he had a most enjoyable time and the folks did their utmost to entertain him. He visited the house where his grandfather, Henry Fleitman, was born, got acquainted with Mr. Fleitman's brother, a priest now 83 years old, and his sister, and saw several cousins and their families. He also visited Conrad Jostwerner's former home and his people there. Most of his traveling with his cousins was on bicycle which is still the most popular means of travel in that area. He attended mid-night mass in a village church and also visited a shrine where pilgrimages are held at various times during the year.

### Returns To Hawaii

Marine Cpl. Pat Stelzer left Wednesday to return to duty in Hawaii following a 30-day leave and his marriage to Miss Pauline Myrick and their honeymoon trip. Mrs. Stelzer is continuing her nursing course in Galveston. She returned to classes Monday. Pat was driven to Fort Worth by his mother, Mrs. Henry Huchton. He boarded a plane for the remainder of the trip.

## Will F. Richey, 62, Of Saint Jo Dies After Long Illness

Will F. Richey, 62, of Saint Jo, a former long time resident of the Marysville community, died in a Wichita Falls hospital Sunday at 8:55 p.m. following an extended illness.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock in the First Baptist church at Saint Jo and burial was in Rest Haven Memorial Park in Gainesville. Masonic rites were conducted at the grave. Daugherty Funeral Home of Saint Jo was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Richey was born in Lamar county in 1893 and came to Cooke county with his parents in 1908. He spent most of his life in the Spring Creek and Marysville communities where he was a farmer and stock raiser. He moved to Saint Jo after retiring from active work.

He was a member of the Masonic lodge and First Baptist church in Saint Jo.

Mr. Richey is survived by his wife, a daughter, Mrs. Jordan Rogers of Dumont, Texas; a grandson, Don Ray Moon, U.S. Air force, Denver Colorado; his father, Sam Richey, Muenster; five sisters, Mmes. Bessie Gaston, W. H. Hobbs and Tom Binford, Gainesville; R. B. Clements, Oklahoma City, and O. H. Dennis, Dallas; and four brothers, J. D. La Pryor, Texas; Herman and John, Marysville, and Fred Richey, Sivelis Bend.

## Scholastic Census, Pre-School Count Begin This Week

The 1956 scholastic census, temporarily delayed by preparatory paper work, gets under way this week as blanks are sent to all parents with children in either of the two local schools. If the community responds with its usual promptness most of the data will be in Superintendent Homsley's hands within the next few days.

The blanks are forms for the official scholastic count and also for the community's unofficial census of all children under 18 years of age. Purpose of the unofficial census is to compile information which will be useful in future planning of the district, and also serve as a check list in scholastic counts of the next several years.

In reporting his progress to date Homsley again asked for the special cooperation of parents whose children are not listed on a previous district census. He said the old list will be checked and double checked to make sure that no family has been overlooked. But he has no way of being certain that his list of additional families this year will be complete.

So Homsley is asking that parents of school age and pre-school children call in and notify him if the family is not represented on last year's census. In

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## MHS Teams Win at Callisburg, Lose at Bellevue and Era

Muenster High's basketball activity during the past week resulted in wins at Callisburg and losses at Era, for a current standing of 2-1 in the district race, and a double loss in a practice tussle at Bellevue.

The teams opened their week's schedule by returning the games Bellevue had brought here some weeks before. Hosea's boys were soundly outclassed by the club which took runner-up honors at the MHS holiday tourney and went down for a count of 63-35.

The girls' game was a dandy, however, as the host team avenged its loss to MHS in the consolation final of the holiday tournament with a 40-39 decision. Saye's girls led 11-8 at the first quarter and fell behind in a poor second quarter for a count of 19-14. After that they gained a little but not enough for the third period tally of 30-26 and final score of 40-39. Haverkamp, with 19, was Muenster's top scorer.

Both games Friday night at Callisburg were easy. Girls led all the way by comfortable margins of 10-1, 24-4, 35-13 and 49-20. Top scorers were Homsley 17 and Haverkamp 15.

Boys started slow, coming out

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## Muenster Mutual's '55 Fire and Storm Losses Set Record

Continued growth in both membership and total insurance, and the heaviest losses in the history of Muenster Mutual Fire Insurance Association were reported Tuesday at the annual general meeting of the association in the city hall. Twenty-six delegates representing five districts were present.

Secretary W. H. Endres told the group that membership during 1955 had increased from 512 to 549 and the total of insurance policies had increased from \$3,544,510 to \$3,860,515. The association has 668 policies in effect.

Abnormally high fire and storm damage during the year brought the association's loss claims to a record high of 10,331.94. The figure includes 4,636.84 paid out for 9 fires and 5,695.10 for 30 storms. By comparison, the 1954 combined expenditures for claims and operating expenses were \$3,314.

The loss rate is also the high-

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## Bank Stockholders Hear Reports and Re-Elect Directors

All directors and officers of the Muenster State Bank were retained in their former positions at the annual meeting of the firm's stockholders Tuesday afternoon.

They are G. H. Hellman, chairman of the board, J. M. Weinzapfel, president; Herbert Meurer, vice-president; Earl Fisher, cashier, J. R. Danglmayr, J. W. Hess, John Kreitz and Dr. T. S. Myrick.

The report to stockholders revealed continued growth of the bank, as reflected both in deposits and the capital and surplus structure.

Deposits at the close of the year's business were about \$200,000 more than the year before. Capital, surplus and reserve have increased from \$145,000 to \$165,000.

A new policy adopted by the stockholders increases interest rates on savings accounts from 2 to 2½ per cent. The purpose is to encourage investment of local savings here so that more money will be available to the local bank to assist in local development.

## Favored St. Mark's Edges Tigers 45-39 In Snappy Contest

The Sacred Heart Tigers gave their coach and local fans a thrill Saturday night by playing a fast and furious game and almost upsetting the favored St. Mark's team of Dallas. After leading for three quarters they dropped behind for a final count of 45-39.

The contest was a sizzler all the way. Sacred Heart led 13-11 at the first period and 23-20 at the half. During the third quarter the visitors closed the gap for a 36-36 tie then pulled ahead for the final 6 point margin. Leading Tiger scorers were Herr, 16, Fleitman 12 and Walter 10.

Preceding that game Sacred Heart girls swamped the Gainesville Training School 59-9. Top scorers were Derichsweiler 12, Zimmerer 10, Bayer and Hoening 8 each.

Sacred Heart returned the game to the Training School Tuesday night, and romped away again with the big end of one sided scores.

The opener was the B contest in which Schilling hit 14 and Zimmerer 12 in leading their team to a 34-13 decision. The second tussle was very much a repeat of Friday's affair, ending with Sacred Heart A stringers ahead by a count of 66-17. Top scorers were Derichsweiler 16, Bayer 12, Hoening and Schilling 10 each.

Next activity for the parochial teams is a double header Friday night at 7 with Buckner and the training school. Saturday night the boys take on Catholic High of Texarkana, and Monday night the two teams will play Laneri and OLV Academy at Cowtown.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Morris and daughter Patsy left Wednesday morning for a visit in Portals, N. M., with relatives.

## N. Miller Resumes Scoutmaster Post For Muenster Troop

Nick Miller has again taken over as scoutmaster of Muenster Troop 664, returning to the job after two years' absence from scouting.

He made the announcement Monday and Father Patrick Hannon who had served as scoutmaster since January 1953, told the troop of the change at a meeting Monday night.

In returning to scouting Miller hopes to continue the program he had in effect at the time of his resignation when his business did not permit enough time to carry on as leader of the troop. He has an enviable record of accomplishments during 15 years as scoutmaster.

Two of his tenderfoot scouts advanced to Eagle rank and one of them, Randy Bayer, will serve as assistant scoutmaster. Jerome Pagel has accepted chairmanship of the scout committee.

Plans for the coming year, troop activity, organization of the scout committee and other details will be worked out in the coming weeks. The next regular meeting date is Jan. 16.

Father Patrick, who enjoyed work with the youngsters and was acquainted with scouting, having been a boy scout himself, reluctantly turns the job back to the former scoutmaster. He is giving it up because his teaching and parish duties leave too little time to conduct a full scout program.

## Ben Sandmann of Lindsay Is Victim Of Heart Attack

Ben Sandmann, 65, a resident of Lindsay for 63 years, passed away suddenly Thursday afternoon, Jan. 5, at two o'clock in a Gainesville hospital where he was admitted the night before when he became afflicted with a cough. His condition, at that time, was not believed to be serious.

It was known that he had a heart ailment for some years and death is attributed to heart failure resulting from a severe coughing spell that left him in a weakened condition. He had visited in Muenster the day before his death, was apparently feeling well, and was in his usual good spirits.

Funeral services with requiem high mass were held Saturday morning at 10:30 in St. Peter's church at Lindsay with Rev. Conrad Herda, pastor officiating. Burial was in Lindsay cemetery under direction of George J. Carroll and Son Funeral Home. Bearers were Henry Spaeth, Frank Neu, John Neu Jr., Ray-

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## James Enderby and Earl Taylor Seek Commissioner Job

A contest is assured for at least one of the county offices for this year's election. James Enderby will oppose the incumbent J. E. (Earl) Taylor for the office of Commissioner of Precinct 3.

Both of the contestants authorized the Enterprise during the past week to announce their candidacies for the precinct job. Their formal statements to voters will appear later in the campaign.

## NEWS OF SICK AND INJURED

Earl Robison entered Gainesville Sanitarium Wednesday morning after becoming ill suddenly at his home.

Janie Felderhoff, eight-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Felderhoff was a patient at Gainesville Sanitarium Saturday, Sunday and Monday for treatment of a virus illness.

Carroll Epps of Myra has been dismissed from Gainesville Sanitarium following medical care.

Otto Walterscheid is convalescing at his home, regaining his strength, following surgery at Gainesville Sanitarium for a kidney stone on Jan. 2.

Karla Wimmer, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wimmer, received medical care at M&S Hospital this week.

## City, County Agree On Plan to Place Deputy in Muenster

Arrangements have been made by the city and the county to station a deputy sheriff at Muenster, and the officer can be expected here as soon as Sheriff O. E. Whisnand locates a qualified man for the job.

According to an agreement reached Wednesday by the Cooke County Commissioners Court and representatives of the City of Muenster the county will pay the man \$150 a month and furnish his car while Muenster will pay an additional \$100 per month and furnish 100 gallons of gasoline a month.

It was also agreed that any fines collected by the officer will go into the county treasurer.

Representing Muenster at the meeting were Mayor Urban Endres, City Attorney Herbert Meurer and Councilmen John Fisher and Rudy Hellman.

## Bank Will Accept Poll Tax Payments

Following its long standing custom the Muenster State Bank is again accepting poll tax payments as an accommodation to people who do not want to make a special trip to the court house.

All that's necessary is to come in and fill out an application for poll tax receipt and remit \$1.75. The bank sends the application and payment to the tax office and the receipt is mailed direct to the taxpayer a few days later.

## Community Has 5 Revenue Sources For '56 Polio Fund

With at least five different sources, and possibly another, to draw from, the Polio drive stands a fair chance of doing well at Muenster this year.

Mrs. Richard Grewing, community chairman, said funds will be raised by collections at the theatre and at the churches and also by a porch light collection. In addition Polio banks are in several stores, and Red Gordon will present his annual polio-benefit variety show.

Collections at the theatre are being made every night this week. The porch light collection, to be made by FHA girls, is



scheduled for next Monday night. All who wish to contribute then are reminded to leave porch lights burning as a signal for girls to stop.

The following Sunday collections will be taken at the doors of both local churches at all services. Mrs. Steve Mosler heads the committee named for that collection.

At this time the date for Red Gordon's benefit show has not been set. Mrs. Lou Wolf, in charge of arrangements, says that Gordon's open dates do not correspond with the more desirable dates here for January, so the show may be postponed until Sunday, February 5.

Another proposed activity is the "blue crutch" sale which is being conducted by Lions clubs of many communities. It is somewhat similar to "buddy poppy" sales, each donor receiving a lapel size plastic crutch for his contribution. Lions will decide whether or not to participate at their meeting next Tuesday.

## SCHEDULE OF COMING EVENTS

FRIDAY, Jan. 13, Muenster vs Saint Jo, here.

FRIDAY, Jan. 13, Sacred Heart vs Buckner and Training School, here, 7 p.m.

SATURDAY, Jan. 14, Sacred Heart vs Catholic Hi, Texarkana, here, 7 p.m.

MONDAY, Jan. 16, Porch light collection for polio.

MONDAY, Jan. 16, Sacred Heart vs Laneri and OLV, there, TUESDAY, Jan. 17, Lions Meeting.

**Cain-Richey Rites Set for February 4**

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cain have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rita, to Wendell Richey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Richey.

The young couple has selected Saturday, Feb. 4, for the wedding date. They will be married at 7:30 p.m. in the First Baptist church here with Rev. Andy Stowe of Wichita Falls officiating.

Attending the bride will be her sister, Miss LaQuita Cain, and the groom's sister, Miss Wanda Richey. Hubert Richey and Dickie Cain, brothers of the couple, will attend the groom. Little Miss Debra Cain, another sister of the bride, will be flower girl, and her young brother Chris Michael Cain will be ring bearer.

Rita and Wendell were both graduated from Muenster High school with last May's class.

**MHS Basketball - - -**

at intermission with an 18-18 tie, but romped away in the final periods for a 51-28 win. Dougherty accounted for 28 of the points. With the win, however, the boys sustained a casualty that will handicap them for the next few weeks. Richey hurt his ankle in a bad tumble and has been hobbling around with a cast since then.

Era's teams made a clean sweep of the double header there Tuesday night. In the opener the home team held the lead all the way, by counts of 16-9, 29-17, 43-23 and 51-35. Pick led MHS scoring with 17.

The Era boys also led all the way but their margin was not comfortable until the closing minutes when they extended the lead for their final 72-62 win. Several times earlier Muenster trailed by only 2 or 4 points. Harris with 27 and Dougherty with 25 paced the Muenster offense.

Next on schedule for the



**LIONS JOIN MARCH OF DIMES**—Texas Lions Clubs will take the lead in the 1958 March of Dimes (Jan. 3-31) through participation in Blue Crutch Day. Club members in communities across the state will utilize small plastic lapel pins in the form of crutches to enlist financial support for the fight against polio. Lion District Governor Bob Bass, Athens, talks over Blue Crutch Day with two young Fort Worth polio patients, Sammy Jenkins, 8, and Elizabeth Anne Conlee, 4.

teams is a double header with Saint Jo here Friday night. They will be idle next Tuesday, the bye-date on their conference schedule.

**Garden Club Learns About Landscaping**

Members of the Muenster Civic League and Garden Club heard an address on "Landscaping with Blooming Shrubs" and saw colored pictures on the subject Monday night at their regular January meeting.

Mrs. Lonnie Thurman, county home demonstration agent, presented an informative discussion on landscaping and illustrated her talk by showing pictures of "before" and "after" scenes to emphasize the effect of well planned and kept yards.

Mrs. Tony Gremminger presided for the business session and Mrs. Lee Toothaker, conservation chairman, gave a report. Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel reported on the Christmas lighting and decorating program in the city.

The meeting was held in the city hall and after adjournment the club served hot coffee and cookies to those present.

Mrs. Toothaker and Mrs. Byron Sears will be hostesses for the February meeting in the former's home.

**Scholastic Census - - -**

most cases they would be contacted anyway, but this request is special precaution to make oversights less likely.

As regards per-school children, a phone report will be sufficient for the census report. The official school-age count, however, must be on the provided form and must show a parent's signature. Parents who receive those forms are urged to fill out, sign, and return promptly.

Homsley also pointed out that the unofficial count is intended to show all children up to 18, not just the pre-schoolers. Parents filling out the blanks are asked to list scholastics as well as the children under 6.

**Blessed Events**

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hennigan are the parents of a son, weight 11 pounds, born at the Muenster Clinic at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 11. They have three other boys and one girl. Mr. and Mrs. William Sandmann of Lindsay and Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hennigan of Albuquerque are the grandparents and Mrs. Frank Seyler of Muenster is the baby's great-grandmother.

T.Sgt. and Mrs. Roy L. Zwinggi have announced the birth of a son in Japan where the family lives while he is stationed there with the Air Force. The baby was born at 3 p.m. Japanese time on Wednesday, Jan. 4. Mrs. Zwinggi is the former Charlotte Corcoran and the couple has twin daughters, Deborah and Denise, four years old. The family has been in Japan for over a year and it will be 16 more months before they return to the states. The baby's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Corcoran of Gainesville and Leo Zwinggi of Lindsay.



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**Muenster Mutual - - -**

Directors re-elected are President Albert Henscheid, Vice-President J. B. Klement, Treasurer Victor Hartman, Secretary W. H. Endres and J. W. Hess.

The assessment for this year is based on the association's experience in normal years rather than its 1955 losses. The delegates agreed that the 25 cent assessment would result in a gain of the mutual's reserve. As a result of last year's heavy losses the reserve dropped from \$37,222 to \$35,687.

Most of the storm losses were caused by last spring's twister, which hit hardest at Lindsay and Valley View. Principal decisions made at the meeting were to retain all present directors in office, to consolidate the Valley View and Pilot Point districts, and to make an assessment of 25 cents per \$100 of insured value.

Following the general meeting each district has its local meeting to report proceedings to its membership. Muenster's district meeting is scheduled shortly after Easter.

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### Antoinette Neu and James Bayer Marry In Lindsay Saturday



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Miss Antoinette Neu and James Bayer exchanged marriage vows in Saint Peter's church at Lindsay Saturday morning, Jan. 7, at 9 o'clock with Rev. Hubert Neu of Dallas, brother of the bride, officiating at the double ring ceremony and nuptial High Mass.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Neu of Lindsay and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bayer of Muenster.

For her wedding the bride wore a gown of white Chantilly lace and nylon tulle over satin. The moulded bodice of lace with its petal point sleeves was designed with an illusion yoke of sheer net. The skirt, tulle over satin, was fashioned with a bustle effect of lace. The finger-tip length veil of nylon illusion netting was caught to a lace cap sprayed with seed pearls.

She completed her costume with a single strand of pearls, a gift from the groom, and carried a rosary belonging to her aunt, Mrs. Henry Henscheid of Muenster. Her flowers were white roses in a colonial arrangement. She entered the church with her father who escorted her to the altar and gave her in marriage.

#### Attendants

Miss Cecilia Neu was her sis-

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ter's maid of honor wearing a pastel yellow dress designed with a fitted brocaded taffeta bodice and a full skirt of nylon net over the taffeta. She wore a matching head piece and gauntlets and carried a colonial bouquet of yellow roses.

Randy Bayer was best man for his brother. Norbert Magas and Charles Neu ushered. Regi Bayer, brother of the groom, and Leroy Neu and Alfred Hermes, cousins of the bride, were mass servers.

The altar before which the couple recited their vows was adorned with white gladioli, greenery and candles.

Wedding music was presented by St. Cecilia's choir with Mrs. William Schnitz, organist, accompanying. After the mass the choir sang "On This Day" as the couple went to the Blessed Virgin's altar where the bride placed a bouquet of white carnations.

Mrs. Neu attended her daughter's wedding in a winter green ensemble with black accessories and the groom's mother wore a brown silk print costume with matching accessories. Their corsages were of white gardenias.

After the church services a breakfast was held in the home of the bride's parents. Dinner was served at high noon in the Lindsay parish hall to 300 guests. These were registered by Misses Maria Fuhrmann and Peggy Hermes.

The bride's table stressed her chosen colors and held the thre-tier decorated cake flanked by tapers.

#### To Live At Valley View

A dance in the Muenster VFW Hall completed the day's festivities and the newlyweds left on a trip not revealing their destination. For traveling Mrs. Bayer wore a navy suit with navy and ice blue accessories. They will make their home on a farm at Valley View.

The bride was graduated from St. Peter's High school in 1953 and from beauty school. She is employed at Evelyn's Beauty Shop in Gainesville. Mr. Bayer attended Sacred Heart school and Subiaco Academy in Arkansas. As a member of the Marine Corp he was overseas on duty in Hawaii. He is employed at National Supply Company in Gainesville.

### Future Farmers Make Dam Inspection Tour

Future Farmers of America of the MHS chapter were conducted on an inspection tour of the area's flood prevention reservoirs Tuesday. The boys were divided into two groups for the trip, the junior class going in the morning and the senior class in the afternoon.

Both tours began at the local soil conservation service office where Roy Endres Jr. presented an explanatory discussion on the entire flood prevention program on the Elm Fork of the Trinity Water Shed.

Then the boys visited the Voth Brothers farm where they watched machinery at work constructing a reservoir dam. From there they went to the Duesman farm where they inspected a completed reservoir which is filled with water.

Glenn Hellman, vocation agriculture teacher, accompanied his students on the tour which was conducted by Roy Endres Jr.

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No. 2 can Comstock Sliced Pie Apples		21c
No. 303 can Griffin Cherries	2 for	39c
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Sun-Spun Margarine	lb.	19c
No. 1/2 can Ocean Chief Grated Tuna		17c

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## Pause For Reflection

... with James C. Ingebretsen President, Spiritual Mobilization The New York Teachers Guild, a member of the old AFL, reportedly adopted a resolution, on the heels of the recent merger of the AFL with the CIO, praising the merger and declaring, "We look forward to the day ... when all teachers will be part of the organized labor movement."  
 Herrick Roth, vice president of the American Federation of Teachers, assertedly urged immediate steps to bring about collective bargaining for teachers.

At present there is no State with legislation sanctioning it.

Action to this end will, in my opinion, produce grave problems for the responsible members of the still dignified and honorable profession of teaching as well as for every parent and every child of school age.

We have already had isolated instances of teachers' going on strike and picketing their own schools while their perplexed pupils looked on. Are we to have a whole profession, held in high esteem since the dawn of history, to be turned into a commercial labor union? If and when that day comes, will the children of America be any longer able to look to their school teachers as friends and instructors wholly free to dedicate themselves solely to their (the children's) welfare?

## New Union Goals

"Labor unions, just now totting up fat 1955 gains, already are cooking up a batch of husky demands for the 1956 bargaining season," writes Angus Deming in the Wall Street Journal.

He goes on to describe some of the objectives various big unions want. Higher wages is one. A shorter work week—perhaps as short as 32 hours—is another. So is the guaranteed annual wage or something resembling it. So is the closed shop.

Time will tell about all this. But the top union leaders might be wise to wonder where the everlasting campaign for more money and other benefits for less work and less production will lead to. This has promoted inflation in the past—inflation that hits working people hard, and makes their dollar less and less valuable. And there can be no doubt that union demands will spur automation and other labor-saving techniques.

Most important is the closed shop issue. If it becomes the general rule that a man must join and pay dues to any organization before he has the privilege of working, we can talk about American freedom in the past tense. It will be gone. The right to work is the most basic of all rights. Long ago, and rightly so, outraged public opinion brought about tough laws to prevent employers from blackballing and refusing to hire mem-



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bers of unions. Now the shoe is on the other foot. It is the unions which want dictatorial and tyrannical power.

## Summit Twosome

Britain's Prime Minister, Sir Anthony Eden, is coming to Washington in late January to talk with President Eisenhower about the China trade—Red China, that is. Sir Anthony's constituents, it seems, are rather irked about continuing our agreement restricting exports of some 400 items to this people's paradise. British traders, to whom a shilling is a shilling, are pointing out that the same agreement restrains them on only about 175 items of export to the U.S.S.R. and its satellites—who may in turn ship the same goods

to Red China.

Since the huge military buildup of Mao's forces along the China coast, opposite Formosa, and in North Korea is well known—and since we used to think that anything to eat, wear or work with was "strategic"—there can be no doubt that the Russian list is too generous, and little question but that the free nations have also been over-indulgent with Red China.

Our only further suggestion is that if President Eisenhower should not be feeling up to these conversations, Dr. Homer V. Bradshaw, the American medical missionary released with Mrs. Bradshaw after both survived nearly five years of Red Chinese imprisonment, might be willing to talk to the Prime Minister.

## Should the State Be Hostile to Religion?

By Hon. Herbert Brownell, Jr., Attorney General of the United States

**FREEDOM** of conscience—freedom of religion—how vital these rights are to our way of life!

It was no accident that religion was the first of the liberties mentioned by our founding fathers in our Bill of Rights. The long history of religious persecution convinced them of the need for explicit guarantees in our Constitution to protect freedom of religion and other basic rights.



**NEVERTHELESS**, the Constitution, as adopted, contained no express safeguards for the freedom of religion. But the Bill of Rights was adopted shortly afterwards to protect from government interference the conscience, the spirit, and the minds of men. Its First Amendment provides in part: "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion or prohibiting the free exercise thereof."

Our courts have construed the Bill of Rights in a way intended to give freedom of religion the broadest scope that could be countenanced in an orderly society. The Supreme Court, in decision, emphasized that "both religion and government can best work to achieve their lofty aims, if each is free from the other within its respective sphere."

**WHILE THE FEDERAL** and state governments are forbidden from meddling in religion, however, the question has been raised frequently in recent years whether they are also barred from cooperating with religious authorities and assisting our religious way of life. Does our Constitution require that the state and religion shall be alien to each other—to be hostile, suspicious, or unfriendly to each other? Obviously it does not.

We are a deeply religious people whose institutions presuppose a Supreme Being. We have chaplains in Congress and in the armed forces. Our coins bear the inscription "In God We Trust." An act of Congress last year added to the Pledge of Allegiance the words "Under God." The Supreme Court upheld a law on the ground that it respects "the religious nature of our people and accommodates the public service to their spiritual needs."

**TODAY WE ENJOY** the blessings of freedom of religion in the fullest sense of the word. We also recognize the corresponding duty of not interfering with the rights of worship and freedom of conscience of others. We have learned how contagious the corroding effects of religious intolerance are. And we have learned from the experience in totalitarian countries that when a nation becomes contemptuous of religion and the rights of man, it is not long before all freedom is lost.

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

## Slow-Burning Fuse

Publisher Tom Anderson of Farm & Ranch magazine defines Socialism as "Communism with a slow-burning fuse." He adds: "Whether we call it Communism, Welfareism or Socialism, it leads to the same thing: ruinism."

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Loans and Discounts	\$2,788,755.37
Banking House	97,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	18,000.00
Customers' Bearer Bonds Held for Safekeeping	77,700.00
<b>AVAILABLE CASH</b>	
Bonds and Securities	3,908,210.05
Cash and Due from Banks	1,439,672.74
Total Available Cash	5,347,882.79
Total Resources	\$8,329,838.16

**LIABILITIES**

Capital Stock	100,000.00
Surplus and Profits	157,447.88
Capital Reserves	168,131.16
Customers' Bearer Bonds Deposited	77,700.00
Deposits	7,826,559.12
Total Liabilities	\$8,329,838.16

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**Local News BRIEFS**

Visiting relatives of the Endres families here Sunday and overnight were Mr. and Mrs. Len Endres, their daughter Della and another daughter and her husband, the Vincent Cookes, all of Roxbury, Wis. They were en-route home after a visit in California. The Endreses and Della were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Endres and the Cookes were overnight guests of Mrs. M. J. Endres. They also enjoyed a visit with Mrs. Henry Fette and were supper guests in the H. H. Endres home.

Miss Floradell Endres of Fort Worth was a weekend visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Endres.

Doris Vee is the name of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Mayer, born Dec. 29 in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schilling, her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swingler, their grandchildren Candy, Debby and Stevie Fette, spent Sunday in Ardmore, Okla., visiting the Bud Swinglers family.

Matt Yosten of West Point, Neb., and his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Yosten of Snyder, Neb., are here for a 15-day vacation with relatives. Matt Yosten now 83, enjoyed the car drive and is having a fine time visiting his Texas relatives, and playing cards, when he isn't on the go. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yosten entertained with a dinner party for the visitors and other relatives joined them in the afternoon. Among them were the Joe Yostens and the Gilbert Yostens of Gainesville and Bob Swirczynski of Ardmore. Monday the visitors were joined by Joe Swirczynski and Mrs. Bob Yosten on a trip to Fort Worth where they visited the Ferd Yostens, the Paul and Stan Yostens, Ed Swirczynski and family and Andy Yosten. Wednesday they went to Ardmore, Okla., to see the Bob Swirczynskis. Family gatherings are planned at the homes of other relatives here.

Officers of the Third Order of Saint Francis met Monday night to make plans for the fraternity's annual triduum, to be held this year on Feb. 28 and 29 and March 1. Rev. Elias Koppert of Chicago, provincial for the order, will conduct the conferences and special prayer services for the three days.

Joe Lutkenhaus has returned from a three-month visit in Amarillo with his daughter, Mrs. Oscar Detten. He helped her with farm work. Her son, Jerry, is in the navy now, stationed in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carter of Newcastle, Wyo., formerly of Muenster, were here for a visit Thursday with the Louis Steinbergers and other friends. They were on a vacation trip.

Wayne Schmitt left Tuesday to return to Colorado after spending a ten-day vacation with his parents and family, the Al Schmitts. It was his first visit home in seven months. He is employed as a relief operator for the Union Pacific Railroad at Fredrick, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hartman observed their 29th wedding anniversary Wednesday, Jan. 4, by driving to Denton for an evening visit with their daughter and family, the Keith Tompkins. Going with them were their son Gene and their son and daughter-in-law, the Alvin Hartmans.

**43rd ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. John Knabe observed their 43rd wedding anniversary Monday by spending the day in Windthorst with friends and relatives, among them the Charlie Meurers. Mr. Meurer who recently lost a leg due to an infection is getting along fine and says he is looking forward to walking again with an artificial limb. Mr. and Mrs. Knabe were married in St. Mary's church at Windthorst in 1912. She is the former Katie Gremminger.

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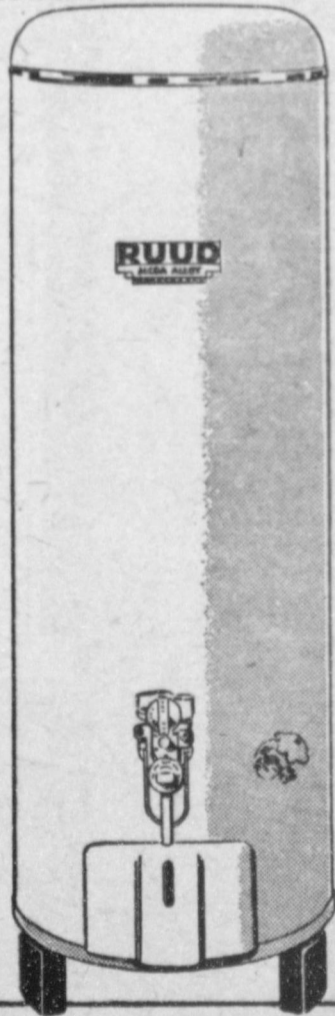


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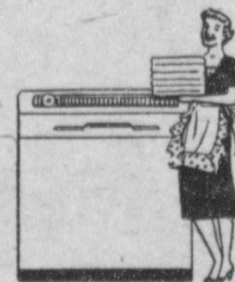


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## Myra Show Kicks Off County MOD Drive; Nets \$81

Cooke County's March of Dimes fund received \$81.21 Friday night when citizens of Myra sponsored a program at the school. It was the county's first benefit program in the current fight against polio.

Cloyce "Red" Gordon of Gainesville and his troop of about 20 entertainers put on a variety show that lasted an hour and 30 minutes, and women of the community sold pie, pop corn, coffee, sandwiches and hot chocolate. Some 200 persons were present.

Hostesses in charge of serving in the school cafeteria were Mes. Jake Biffle Sr., Roy Townsley, Lee Livingston, Ike Fulton, Lucille Huddleston and Parker Fears. Myra residents contributed the refreshments.

Dennis M. Speel, superintendent of the Myra school and general chairman of the drive there, said Monday that he was highly pleased with the turn out and contributions.

Praise came from Jerry Talley, county March of Dimes chairman, who said Myra was outstanding in the support it gave and added that if other communities and cities do as well on a per capita basis the county will have no difficulty in raising needed funds and putting this year's drive over the top.

Compliments also came from Cecil Tinsley, county publicity chairman for the campaign, who said he was highly pleased with this kick-off program for the March of Dimes in the county.

Persons who saw the show acclaimed it as the best ever put on by Gordon and his troop. Incidentally, it was at Myra, in 1951, when Gordon presented his first variety show as a polio fund benefit. Since then, he has given dozens of shows each year and is known in the county as the man who has raised more money for the March of Dimes in Cooke county than any other person. Gordon is a former polio patient himself.

## Mrs. Endres Hostess To Club Wednesday

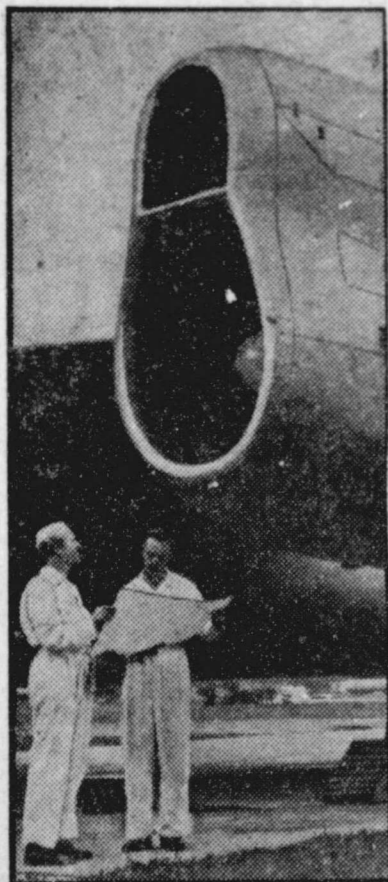
Mrs. W. H. Endres entertained members of the Get-Together club in her home when the group met for their regular 42 social on the first Wednesday of the month.

Three tables were arranged for the progressive series and after the games the hostess served fruit cake, home made cookies, sliced peaches and coffee.

Mrs. C. M. Walterscheid was birthday honoree for January and received a gift from her sunshine pal. She also received the consolation favor in the 42 games. Mrs. Al Walter received the high score award and Miss Anna Hellman drew the door prize.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. John Hartman as hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kupper and family moved during the past week from Giddings to Marlin. He is employed by the Soil Conservation Service.



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## Lutkenhaus Relative Passes in Nebraska

Members of the Lutkenhaus family received word Saturday morning of the death of Bill Kathman, 77, at St. Stephens, Neb., Friday night. He had been in failing health for some time and was unable to accompany his wife to Muenster when she visited here last November.

He was related by marriage to all the Lutkenhaus families. His wife is the former Theresia Lutkenhaus who lived here before moving to Nebraska. Also surviving are five sons and four daughters.

## Death Takes Brother Of Mrs. John Fette

Chris Steffensmeier, 93, brother of Mrs. John Fette, died at his home in St. Paul, Iowa, on January 6 and funeral services were held on Monday, January 9, in that city at 9:30 a.m.

Survivors include three sons, two daughters, the one sister, and one brother.

Funeral services with requiem mass were held in St. Stephens Monday morning.

The Harvard University Library has a collection of more than six million printed volumes.

The other day I was watching some men working in a vacant lot down the street and I got to thinking about that ingenious little helper, the humble wheelbarrow.

Because it has only one wheel it can travel along narrow paths where it is impossible for a wagon to go. It rests on three points, occupying a small amount of room, yet it is firm and cannot easily be upset. It seems to me

that when the wheelbarrow was first invented it must have been considered a remarkable contrivance.

I delved into my sources of knowledge to find the name of

the inventor and was greatly surprised to find that, according to tradition, it was Leonard da Vinci. The same hands which painted that masterpiece "The Last Supper" had fashioned this

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AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DECEMBER 31, 1955

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$2,192,541.56
U. S. Government Securities	1,084,364.00
Municipal, Other Securities	850,120.07
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	7,500.00
Cash and Due from Banks	2,036,687.13
Furniture and Fixtures	26,000.00
Banking House	14,000.00
Real Estate	1.00
<b>Total Resources</b>	<b>\$6,211,213.76</b>

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 125,000.00
Surplus	125,000.00
Undivided Profits	90,089.25
Reserve for Contingencies	125,000.00
Reserve for Dividends	12,500.00
Deposits	5,733,624.51
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$6,211,213.76</b>

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COLLEGE STATION — The 1954 agricultural census recorded a total of 292,946 farms in Texas. The total number electrified last November stood at 269,219 for a percentage total of 91.9. By contrast, in 1940 only 22.4 percent of the farms reporting were electrified, by 1950 the number had jumped to 260,373 farms or 78.5 percent.

In 1940 only 17.6 of all farms in the state reporting had telephones. During the next 10 years the percentage rose to 23.9 percent but from 1950-54 the percentage jumped to 38 percent. A summary of the preliminary reports from the 1954 Census of Agriculture covering Texas also show that rural residents have equipped their farms and homes with many electrical appliances for making life in the country more enjoyable and also have used electricity to save labor and increase production.

The summary shows that by October of 1954, 30.8 percent of all farms had television; 68.1 percent had piped running water; 32.1 percent had a home freezer; 12.6 percent had a power feed grinder; 3.4 percent a milking machine and 3 percent used electric pig brooders.

It must be remembered, points out Extension Agricultural Engineer W. I. Ulich, that the percentages are for all farms in the state and that the percentages vary with almost every county. In the case of feed grinders, he says the greatest number are found in the counties where much grain and forage is produced and fed to livestock and

poultry. Milking machines are most numerous in the counties where dairying is of major importance.

Electricity, he adds, has provided the energy needed to replace man power and bring more efficient production to the farm. Motors and appliances handle the chores which formerly required human labor, and they do it faster and cheaper. Research he says, is continually coming up with new machinery and equipment for making the job of farming less tiring and more enjoyable and electricity is a major source of power in the changing picture.

**Government Wins Again**

The government hit the jackpot again on December 6.

On that occasion, an attractive young woman Ph. D. won \$64,000 on the enormously popular TV show, "The \$64,000 Question." She did this by answering an almost incredibly difficult series of questions concerning boxing, all the way from ancient Roman gladiatorial days to the Dempsey-Firpo fight.

Just how much she must pay in income taxes can't be detailed exactly. However, a single person with an income of \$4,000 who won the \$64,000 would have a tax bill not far short of \$40,000. Inasmuch as the young woman winner is a practicing psychologist and her husband is a medical doctor, it may be presumed that the \$64,000 will push their total taxable income into extremely high levels. Yes, the government is the real winner!

Per Capita consumption of printed matter in the United States is more than 300 pounds annually.

**Soil Conservation Notes**

Start your own soil bank. That's the advice of local soil conservation service personnel assisting the Upper Elm-Red soil conservation district.

Every landowner can begin making deposits in his own soil bank by adding fertility in the form of organic matter, nitrogen, and improved soil condition this spring by growing a crop of sweet clover on a part of his land.

Sweet clover is an excellent crop for building up the organic matter content in the soil when it is left to mature seed and when all the crop remains are returned to the soil. Clover also protects the soil with lush green foliage from erosion. The deep roots of sweet clovers also open up tight soils and allow more water to soak into the soil to be stored for future plant use. The nitrogen fixing bacteria in the root nodules of clover can add up to 15 pounds of nitrogen per acre to land, and will greatly increase the yields of following crops.

Indications are that a lot of fall grain will have to be replaced and a large number of acres are still unplanted. Now is a good time to open an account in that soil saving bank by making a fertility deposit by growing a legume. The ASC office in Gainesville will assist financially in securing seed and fertilizer for clover plantings. Landowners are urged by SCS technicians to make this investment in the soil

**IT HAPPENED 15 YEARS AGO**

January 10, 1941

Sewer is ready for use, city authorizes connections; is available to 90 per cent of city homes and business houses. Billy Nell Cole, 8, dies after short illness. Andrew Wimmer, 88, dies after long illness. Flu epidemic hits scores of local people. Burglars take cash and gun from Jimmy's Service Station. Virgilla Schilling is first baby born here in 1941. Eleanor Henscheid and Walter Klement marry here Tuesday. No aluminum available for REA lines; airplanes get it. Herman Dangelmayr's left eye is okay after serious injury in which the eyeball was punctured by fencing staple. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fette married last week, are honeymooning in Iowa.

**10 YEARS AGO**

January 11, 1946

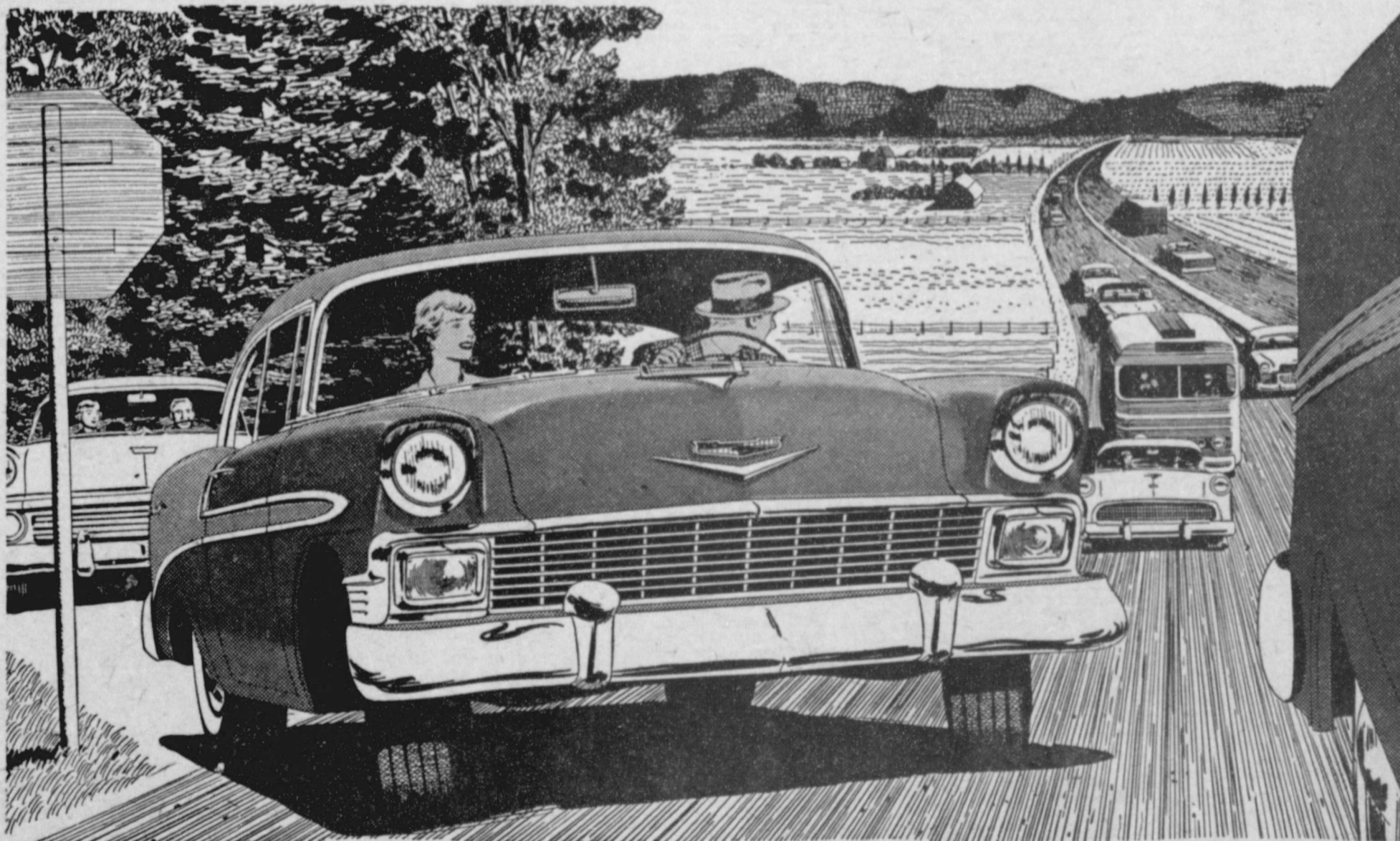
Leo Moster, 56, dies at his home here after six-month illness. Holy Name Society marks feast day with special services. Membership drive for local hospital makes progress. Al Walterscheid sells his machine shop to Louis and Lawrence Roberg and Jerome Pagel. Paula Ann Rosenberg is Muenster's first 1946 baby. Three inch rain brings welcome moisture to this area. Marty Klement is back at his old pre-war job at the FMA store. Loretta Rohmer and Joe Spaeth marry here. Mary Wiedemann and Steve Moster set Jan. 15 as wedding date. Lindsay Sodality elects Louise Hermes prefect. Marcella Knabe and Paul Hellinger marry here. Mary Fuhrmann and Henry Stoffels Jr. marry at Lindsay. John Klement, formerly with Shamburger Lumber Co., has joined the staff at Waples-Painter Co.

**5 YEARS AGO**

January 12, 1951

Architect visits here to discuss plans for new parish church. City adds 13 new street lights. Thirteen local boys who joined the air force and army last week sweat out transfers to training stations; the airmen are at the reception center in San Antonio; the soldiers are at the reception center at Camp Chaffee, Ark. Pat Hennigan is elected chief of local fire department. Gene Hoedebeck moves here from Denison to join Wilde Garage as mechanic. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Klement are honored on tenth wedding anniversary. Ethel Mae Bayer has joined the clerking staff at the FMA store, filling the vacancy created by Mike Luke who joined the Air Force. S.Sgt. and Mrs. John Durbin and three sons arrive here for a visit with her parents, the Frank Yostens, following their return from Japan.

**Speaks softly and packs a powerful wallop!**



THE BEL AIR SPORT COUPE—one of 19 high-priced-looking Chevrolets, all with Body by Fisher.

Whether idling at curbside or cruising, this new Chevrolet talks in a well-mannered whisper. You scarcely ever hear more than a soft undertone of power from its deep-chested V8. (One reason is the hydraulic-hushed valve lifters now in all Chevrolet engines—V8 or 6.)

Soft-spoken, yes—but this handsome traveler packs a wallop that ranges up to 205 h.p.! It's charged with sheer action!

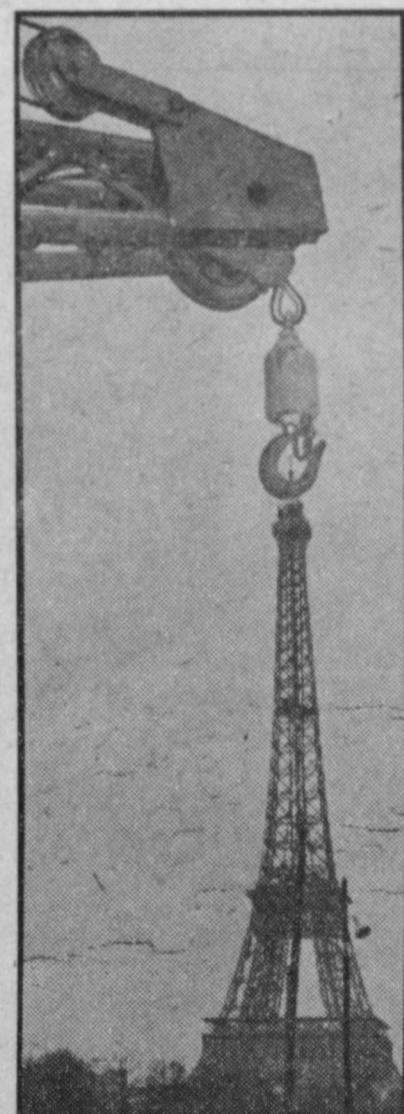
Action that can save you precious seconds for safer passing on the highway! Action that lets you take steep hills in stride!

Action that helps you zoom out of trouble spots almost as quickly as they develop!

And action isn't all. Chevy holds the road like part of the pavement! You feel added assurance in the way it clings to curves.

Of course, Chevrolet brings you the security of safety door latches in all models. Instrument panel padding and seat belts, with or without shoulder harness, are offered at extra cost.

Come in and drive a new Chevrolet. We've got one ready and waiting for you.



OF COURSE NOT — They're not moving the Eiffel Tower. Photographer's ingenuity, however, went into high gear when he spotted this seeming connection between crane and tower as he passed a construction project some distance from the world-famous Paris landmark.

**J. B. Wilde, Chevrolet Dealer**

Muenster

**Bulcher News**

By Mrs. R. J. Samples

BULCHER, Jan. 10 — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harrel and son Billy were Sherman visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Montgomery and son Ronnie of Gainesville were weekend visitors with his parents, the Edd Montgomerys and his grandmother, Mrs. Mollie Montgomery.

Guests of the Sam Williams this week are her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Sewell and baby of Detroit, Mich. Harley played pro football with the Detroit Lions the past season. Joining them for a visit Sunday were the Williams' daughter and family, the Hardy Burks of Pilot Point.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Cannon, Noah Pittman and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Samples were in Bowie for Trades Day Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Dennis, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. T. Whaley who are visiting here from California, drove to Grand Prairie Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dennis and family.

Mrs. Gid Prather was in Denton for dental care Tuesday. Mr. Prather accompanied her.

A guest in the R. V. Daffern home since Jan. 1 is Mrs. Daffern's sister-in-law, Mrs. Ira Adams of Fort Worth. Other guests recently were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Noonkester of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Daffern and two daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Mullins of Gainesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Huggins are now occupying their new home. The new house is located

on the home place near his mother's residence.

Mrs. Joe Rich and son Larry of Illinois Bend visited her parents, the O. W. Cannons, and her aunt Mrs. August Hyman and Mrs. R. J. Samples Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Dowd and sons Denny and Stanley of Nocona are making plans to return to Bulcher to make their home. They will move back to the house near the Bulcher Store which they vacated. Mr. Dowd left here to do barber work at Nocona and now has a job in Soint Jo. He will drive back and forth and help with work at the store in off hours. Bailey Dennis has been in charge of the store since the Dowds moved.

R. V. Daffern from here and his son Floyd from Gainesville are members of Red Gordon's Variety Show this year. They were among entertainers for the March of Dimes show at Myra Friday night.

**Bulcher Club Names Committee Chairman**

Chairmen of committees for the Bulcher Home Demonstration club were named at the club's regular meeting on Jan. 5 when Mrs. Bill Harrel was hostess in the community building.

Mrs. Harrel, new president, conducted the session and announced the chairmen as follows: Mrs. R. J. Samples, program and year book; Mrs. August Hyman, new membership; Mrs. J. M. Shields, finance; Mrs. Gid Prather, recreation; Mrs. R. V. Daffern, marketing; Mrs. C. V. Crabtree, exhibit. They will select committee members.

Members heard a note of thanks from the Abilene State Hospital for the club's donation of money to buy Christmas gifts for patients without families.

After adjournment Mrs. R. V. Daffern had charge of recreation and Mrs. E. L. Robison won the game prize. The hostess served refreshments.

Mrs. C. V. Crabtree will be hostess for the club's next regular meeting on Jan. 19.

**Marysville News**

By Mrs. Herman Richey

MARYSVILLE, Jan. 10 — Mrs. Horace Moody of Bovina and her granddaughter Nancy Hawkins of Odell spent the weekend with Mrs. Moody's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Shaw.

Mrs. Fred Richey of Sivells Bend was hostess for a birthday party in her home Sunday. There were three honorees: Mrs. John Richey, Mrs. Robert Richey and Mrs. John Barnes.

Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Paysinger of Dallas were Sunday dinner guests in the Foster Davidson home. Sunday services at the Methodist church were Rev. Paysinger's last here and he preached his farewell sermon in the evening. The couple are returning to their home in Arkansas. Rev. Charles Cook of Dallas will be the new pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Shaw

drove to Odell Tuesday for a visit with Rev. and Mrs. Gene Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Davison celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary Saturday, Jan. 7, when they were honored with a dinner party in the home of their daughter and family, the Owen Almons at Gainesville. The couple married at Marysville, then lived in the Valley Creek community for seven years. They returned to Marysville and have lived in their present home for 49 years.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COOKE SHERIFF'S SALE**

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of October, 1955, in Cause No. 598, in the District Court of Cooke County, Texas, wherein The State of Texas, County of Cooke and City of Gainesville were Plaintiff, recovered judgment against R. R. Bell and W. H. Wright, their heirs and representatives Defendant, for taxes, penalty, interest, and cost against the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, on the 28th day of November, 1955, by virtue of said judgment and the mandates thereof the Clerk of the above mentioned District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale commanding me as Sheriff of said county to seize, levy upon, and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, by virtue of said judgment and said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof I did on the 28th day of November, 1955, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendant the following described property, situated in Cooke County, Texas;

(Said description showing the number of acres, original survey, locality in county, and name by which said property is most generally known.)

FIRST TRACT: West one half of lots 7 and 8, Block 15 of the Peery Addition to the City of Gainesville, Texas.

And I will on the first Tuesday in the month of February, 1956, the same being the 27th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title, and interest of the Defendant in and to said property at the Court House door of said county in the city or town of Gainesville between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to the highest bidder for cash, provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to the owner of said property directly or indirectly or to anyone having an interest therein or to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, whichever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendant to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the Defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole.

DATED at Gainesville, Texas, this 28th day of November, 1955. O. E. Whisman, Sheriff Cooke County, Texas By Milton Thomason, Deputy (6-7-8)

**THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COOKE SHERIFF'S SALE**

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of October, 1955, in Cause No. 602, in the District Court of Cooke County, Texas, wherein The State of Texas, County of Cooke and City of Gainesville were Plaintiff, recovered judgment against J. P. Livingston, his heirs and representatives, Defendant, for taxes, penalty, interest and cost against the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, on the 28th day of November, 1955, by virtue of said judgment and the mandates thereof the Clerk of the above mentioned District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale commanding me as Sheriff of said county to seize, levy upon, and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, by virtue of said judgment and said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof I did on the 28th day of November, 1955, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendant the following described property, situated in Cooke County, Texas, to-wit:

(Said description showing the number of acres, original survey, locality in county, and name by which said property is most generally known.)

FIRST TRACT: Lot 10 and the South 14 feet of Lot 14, Block 31, of the Sparks Addition to the City of Gainesville, Texas.

And I will on the first Tuesday in the month of February, 1956, the same being the 27th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title, and interest of the Defendant in and to said property at the Court House door of said county in the city or town of Gainesville between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to the highest bidder for cash, provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to the owner of said property directly or indirectly or to anyone having an interest therein or to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, whichever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendant to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the Defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole.

DATED at Gainesville, Texas, this 28th day of November, 1955. O. E. Whisman, Sheriff Cooke County, Texas By Milton Thomason, Deputy (6-7-8)

**THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COOKE SHERIFF'S SALE**

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of October, 1955, in Cause No. 599, in the District Court of Cooke County, Texas, wherein The State of Texas, County of Cooke and the State of

sold to the owner of said property directly or indirectly or to anyone having an interest therein or to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, whichever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendant to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the Defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole.

DATED at Gainesville, Texas, this 28th day of November, 1955. O. E. Whisman, Sheriff Cooke County, Texas By Milton Thomason, Deputy (6-7-8)

**Citation by Publication THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To: Mildred Gaddie GREETING: You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 6th day of February, A.D., 1956, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable District Court of Cooke County, at the Court House in Gainesville, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 11th day of November, 1955. The file number of said suit being No. 16915. The names of the parties in said suit are Raymond Gaddie as Plaintiff, and Mildred Gaddie as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: This is a suit for divorce with plaintiff alleging that the defendant's actions and conduct towards him generally are of such a nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife, insupportable, premises considered.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. Isted this 20th day of December A.D., 1955.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Gainesville, Texas, this 20th day of December A.D., 1955. Woodrow U. Clegg, Clerk District Court Cooke County, Texas (6-7-8-9)

**THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COOKE SHERIFF'S SALE**

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of October, 1955, in Cause No. 604, in the District Court of Cooke County, Texas, wherein The State of Texas, County of Cooke and City of Gainesville were Plaintiff, recovered judgment against L. C. Pennington, his heirs and representatives and the unknown heirs and representatives of L. C. Pennington, Defendant, for taxes, penalty, interest, and cost against the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, on the 28th day of November, 1955, by virtue of said judgment and the mandates thereof the Clerk of the above mentioned District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale commanding me as Sheriff of said county to seize, levy upon, and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, by virtue of said judgment and said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof I did on the 28th day of November, 1955, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendant the following described property, situated in Cooke County, Texas, to-wit:

(Said description showing the number of acres, original survey, locality in county, and name by which said property is most generally known.)

FIRST TRACT: Lot 10 and the South 14 feet of Lot 14, Block 31, of the Sparks Addition to the City of Gainesville, Texas.

And I will on the first Tuesday in the month of February, 1956, the same being the 27th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title, and interest of the Defendant in and to said property at the Court House door of said county in the city or town of Gainesville between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to the highest bidder for cash, provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to the owner of said property directly or indirectly or to anyone having an interest therein or to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, whichever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendant to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the Defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole.

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**THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COOKE SHERIFF'S SALE**

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of October, 1955, in Cause No. 599, in the District Court of Cooke County, Texas, wherein The State of Texas, County of Cooke and the State of

Texas were Plaintiffs, recovered judgment against Paul Bailey, Margaret Bailey and their heirs and representatives, Defendant, for taxes, penalty, interest, and cost against the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, on the 20th day of November, 1955, by virtue of said judgment and the mandates thereof the Clerk of the above mentioned District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale commanding me as Sheriff of said county to seize, levy upon, and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, by virtue of said judgment and said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof I did on the 28th day of November, 1955, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendants the following described property, situated in Cooke County, Texas, to-wit:

(Said description showing the number of acres, original survey, locality in county, and name by which said property is most generally known.)

FIRST TRACT: Lot 7, Block 1 of the Prairie Addition to the City of Gainesville, Cooke County, Texas.

And I will on the first Tuesday in the month of February, 1956, the same being the 27th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title, and interest of the Defendants in and to said property at the Court House door of said county in the city or town of Gainesville between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. to the highest bidder for cash, provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to the owner of said property directly or indirectly or to anyone having an interest therein or to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, whichever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendant to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the Defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole.

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**THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COOKE SHERIFF'S SALE**

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of October, 1955, in Cause No. 603, in the District Court of Cooke County, Texas, wherein The State of Texas, County of Cooke and City of Gainesville were Plaintiff, recovered judgment against Mina S. Maddox, her heirs and representatives and the unknown heirs and representatives of Mina S. Maddox, Defendant, for taxes, penalty, interest, and cost against the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, on the 28th day of November, 1955, by virtue of said judgment and the mandates thereof the Clerk of the above mentioned District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale commanding me as Sheriff of said county to seize, levy upon, and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, by virtue of said judgment and said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof I did on the 28th day of November, 1955, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendant the following described property situated in Cooke County, Texas to-wit:

(Said description showing the number of acres, original survey, locality in county, and name by which said property is most generally known.)

FIRST TRACT: Lot 11, Block 1 of the Gossett Addition to the City of Gainesville, Cooke County, Texas.

And I will on the first Tuesday in the month of February, 1956, the same being the 27th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title, and interest of the Defendant in and to said property at the Court House door of said county in the city or town of Gainesville between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to the highest bidder for cash, provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to the owner of said property directly or indirectly or to anyone having an interest therein or to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, whichever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendant to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the Defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole.

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**THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COOKE SHERIFF'S SALE**

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of October, 1955, in Cause No. 600, in the District Court of Cooke County, Texas, wherein The State of Texas, County of Cooke and City of Gainesville were Plaintiff, recovered judgment against Henry Loren, his heirs and representatives and the unknown heirs and representatives of Henry Loren, Defendant, for taxes, penalty, interest, and cost against the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, on the 22nd day of November, 1955, by virtue of said judgment and the mandates thereof the Clerk of the above mentioned District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale commanding me as Sheriff of said county to seize, levy upon, and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, by virtue of said judgment and said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof I did on the 28th day of November, 1955, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendant the following described property, situated in Cooke County, Texas, to-wit:

(Said description showing the number of acres, original survey, locality in county, and name by which said property is most generally known.)

FIRST TRACT: Out of the Gossett Addition to the City of Gainesville, Lot 11, Block 1.

And I will on the first Tuesday in the month of February, 1956, the same being the 27th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title, and interest of the Defendant in and to said property at the Court House door of said county in the city or town of Gainesville between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to the highest bidder for cash, provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to the owner of said property directly or indirectly or to anyone having an interest therein or to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, whichever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendant to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the Defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole.

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**THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COOKE SHERIFF'S SALE**

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of October, 1955, in Cause No. 603, in the District Court of Cooke County, Texas, wherein The State of Texas, County of Cooke and City of Gainesville were Plaintiff, recovered judgment against Mina S. Maddox, her heirs and representatives and the unknown heirs and representatives of Mina S. Maddox, Defendant, for taxes, penalty, interest, and cost against the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, on the 28th day of November, 1955, by virtue of said judgment and the mandates thereof the Clerk of the above mentioned District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale commanding me as Sheriff of said county to seize, levy upon, and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property;

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FIRST TRACT: Lot 11, Block 1 of the Gossett Addition to the City of Gainesville, Cooke County, Texas.

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DATED at Gainesville, Texas, this 20th day of December, 1955. O. E. Whisman, Sheriff Cooke County, Texas By Milton Thomason, Deputy (6-7-8)

**BANK'S OFFICIAL**

**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF**

**The Muenster State Bank**

At Muenster, Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1955, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and discounts, including overdrafts	\$ 780,183.70
United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed	442,033.25
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	155,409.61
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	150,000.00
Corporate stocks, including \$nil stock in Fed. Res. Bank	None
Cash, balances due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house)	630,449.20
Banking house, or leasehold improvements	3,000.00
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	1,500.00
Other real estate owned	None
Other assets	42,000.00
<b>Total Resources</b>	<b>2,204,575.76</b>

**LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

Common Capital Stock	50,000.00
Income debentures	None
Surplus: Certified \$100,000.00, Not Certified \$15,098.88	115,098.88
Undivided profits	None
Capital reserves (and debenture retirement account)	None
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,551,390.35
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	243,815.37
Public funds (Incl. U.S. Govt., states and political subdiv.)	198,288.21
Deposits of banks (excluding reciprocal balances)	None
Other deposits (certified & cashier's checks, etc)	3,982.95
Total all deposits	\$1,997,476.88
Bills payable, rediscounts, or other liabilities for borrowed money	None
Other liabilities	42,000.00
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts</b>	<b>2,204,575.76</b>

STATE OF TEXAS ) COUNTY OF COOKE )

I, Herbert Meurer, being Vice President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HERBERT MEURER  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of January 1956.

Seal SUSIE BERNAUER  
Notary Public, Cooke County, Texas

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J. M. Weinzapfel  
Earl J. Fisher  
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**POULTRY SUPPLIES** if it's good for poultry we have it. Also peat moss for your flowers. Muenster Hatchery, Ph. 63. 9tf

**World Farm Output Keeps Abreast of Population Increase**

**COLLEGE STATION** — World agricultural production, excluding countries in the Communist bloc, was more than 25 percent greater in 1954 than in 1946-47, according to a report from the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations.

Reviewing agricultural development of the decade since the end of World War II, and since its own birth in 1945, the FAO says that food production in areas outside the Communist bloc has slightly outweighed growth in population since before the war. Consequently production per head is slightly above prewar levels.

Leaving out the Communist bloc for which figures are still incomplete, the world is now, for instance, producing about 20 percent more rice, milk, and cotton than before the war; about 30 percent more wheat, fats and meat; 50 percent more fruit and sugar; and 80 percent more natural rubber.

Against this background of greater abundance, the FAO report shows, however, that in many Far Eastern and in some Latin American countries the consumption of food per person still remains below the very inadequate prewar levels. Gener-

ally, over large parts of the world the problem is not yet solved of providing people with the means to buy as much as they need.

The striking aspect of trade in agricultural products, according to the FAO Report, has been the change in the pattern. Up to 1952, North American food exports were 3 to 4 times as much as before the war, but then began to decline with the recovery of production in other parts of the world. On the other hand, food exports from the Far East are still less than half the prewar volume. European food imports, which shortly after the war were unusually high, seem to have settled down at about 10 percent lower than before the war while North America's food imports show a slowly rising trend the Latin American food imports, although they have increased sharply, remain relatively small.

**Rats Cost Texans 170 Million a Year**

**AUSTIN** — Texans lose 170 million dollars every year on account of rats. They destroy and waste large quantities of food and are responsible for the spread of certain diseases to humans. "There is just one thing to do about rats," declares Dr. Henry A. Holle, Commissioner of Health, "and that is get rid of them."

Rats have been found to spread infection hepatitis (jaundice), rabies, typhus fever, rat bite fever, dysentery and other diseases. More eggs, chickens and small game are destroyed by rats than by all other animals. Sometimes they start destructive fires by gnawing wires and short circuiting them.

Exterminating rats is an endless process, if your building is not soundly protected against additional invasions. New buildings should be made rat-proof, and old one can be made so at reasonable expense. Building rats out is a whole lot cheaper than having them around. Solid concrete or heavy metal are about the only materials that keep rats from entering a building, and unless foundations extend about two feet under ground, rats can burrow underneath. You certainly cannot trust to luck — the rat is too clever and aggressive for that.

Red Squill is one of the poisons commonly used to kill rats, but this poison is not only death on rats, it is deadly for humans too. Warfarin is a comparatively new poison designed for killing rats — but it, too, is equally dangerous to humans. Both these poisons must be handled very carefully, and put out where neither children nor pets can get near them. Any kind of such poison must be stored in very safe places too.

If rats were starved out, by rat-proof construction, and with complete sanitation in our communities — around our homes and places of business, and all wastes and trash were properly disposed of in sanitary landfills—we would make an enormous economic saving and eliminate a real threat to health.

**Political Announcements**

for Commissioner Precinct 3  
**JAMES A. ENDERBY**  
J. E. (Earl) TAYLOR, re-election

Henry Martini of Wichita Falls stopped here Wednesday afternoon for a visit with his relatives, the Ted Gremmings. He was enroute home after a business trip to Sherman.

Mrs. Keith Tompkins and children of Denton were here Wednesday for a visit with her parents, the Victor Hartmans.

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A very fat man asked the doctor to prescribe for a complaint, which he declared was sleeping with his mouth open.

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Baby chicks have a very small capacity for feed but when growing normally they attain 20 times their hatching weight in eight weeks. This means that the feed you give them must be high in nutrient levels . . . and every particle of feed must contain the right quota of the various ingredients. Only by using the most modern weighing, blending and mixing machinery can this be assured. For example, when 10 grams of antibiotics is provided in a ton of feed each 100 pounds of finished feed must contain 1/2 gram. This is equivalent to 1/2 teaspoon of antibiotics. Very small amounts of vitamins and minerals are also needed . . . but these amounts also must be present for fast, healthy growth.

When you feed your chicks RED CHAIN Chick Starter you provide them with the very best feed we know how to make. SEE YOUR RED CHAIN DEALER TODAY.

**Muenster Milling Co.**



**PRETTY — AND CHILLY** — Patricia Anna Cowden, 21, is this year's "Maid of Cotton." That's a cotton-lace creation the Raleigh, N.C., beauty is wearing as she poses in near-freezing weather atop a New York City hotel. Pat was in New York to plan an international tour as representative of the nation's cotton industry.

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**Lindsay News**

Patsy Arendt, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Arendt Jr., has been dismissed from Baylor Hospital, Dallas, where she was a patient about two weeks for treatment. She is in a brace and must lie flat on her back for one month, then return to the hospital for a checkup.

The Lindsay senior boys' 4-H club held a regular meeting on Jan. 5 with Assistant County Agent Gene Sears in charge of the program. The discussion was on beef and a beef steer was drawn on the board, then the drawing was chalked off into sections showing the various cuts of meat that a steer supplies. Nutritional value, approximate cost of cuts and other information on the subject was given.

Lindsay senior girls' 4-H club, meeting on Jan. 5, heard an illustrated talk on nutritional foods for a balanced diet. Mrs. Lonnie Thurman, county home demonstration agent, presented the discussion and showed slides on the subject. She gave hints on preparing good meals and distributed recipes.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Arendt Sr. left Tuesday morning for the Rio Grande Valley, stopping enroute in Pilot Point to pick up Mrs. Ed Blumberg who accompanied them. The Arendts will visit their daughter and family, the Albert Bauers, and will make the acquaintance of their grandson Danny Carl, born Oct. 22. Mrs. Blumberg will be the guest of her brother, Rocus Spaeth and family.

(More Lindsay News on Pg.3)

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Many thanks to everyone who remembered me with cards, visits and other kindnesses while I was in the hospital and a special word of thanks to Father Lane for his frequent visits.  
Joe Fisher Sr.

**Ben Sandmann** - - -  
mond Sandmann, Henry Luttmer, and Frank Sandmann Jr.

Two rosary services were conducted at the Carroll chapel Friday night.

Mr. Sandmann, born in Windthorst, Kansas, Sept. 11, 1890, came to Lindsay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandmann, when he was two years old. He had lived there continuously since. On Nov. 12, 1912, he was married to Miss Catherine Hermes. They farmed a mile south of town.

He was interested in parish activity and community progress and was always willing and anxious to take part in undertakings that would benefit his church, school or town.

Survivors are his wife; three daughters, Mrs. George Bayer and Mrs. Edgar Klement of Muenster and Miss Ethel Sandmann of Lindsay; eight sons, Julius, Herman, Clem, Joe, Max and James, all of Lindsay, Henry of Valley View, and PFC Bernard Sandmann of Fort McClellan, Ala.; 20 grandchildren, two brothers, Frank and William Sandmann of Lindsay; and three sisters, Mrs. George Spaeth of Lindsay, Mrs. Herman Boeskin of Downey, Calif., and Mrs. Henry Strategier of Norman, Okla.

Among out of town relatives at the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strategier, their daughter Mrs. Marie-Letzo, and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strategier Jr., of Norman, and Misses Jeanette and Georgia Ann Bayer of Jonesboro, Ark.

**Confetti** - - -

of this area can vouch that the system works. They have found that their own application of the soil bank principle paid off in higher yields. It paid so well that they have practiced conservation even at their own expense. Well, if they could get along while financing their own soil improvement, other farmers should be able to get along with Uncle Sam paying for the improvement.

The soil bank program looks like a good deal all around. It pays farmers to improve land so they can make net profit with less expense. It costs the taxpayer no more as a subsidy and it does eventually relieve him of the gigantic grain storage expense. And, probably most important of all, it saves more productive resource for future generations. All we need to hope for now is that the fellows in Washington will make a good law out of a good idea.

**RELAX**

Friday-Saturday  
RICHARD CONTE  
PEGGY CASTLE  
**"Target Zero"**

Sun.-Mon.-Tues.  
Jane Wyman  
Charlton Heston  
Claire Trevor  
**"Lucy Gallant"**  
in CinemaScope

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SHEREE NORTH  
**"How To Be Very Popular"**  
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Men's Slacks	were 7.95 to 18.95	Now 5.97 to 14.22
Men's Jackets	were 6.95 to 19.95	Now 4.64 to 13.50
Boys' Suits	were 9.95 to 24.95	Now 7.47 to 18.72
Boys' Jackets	were 6.95 to 15.95	Now 4.64 to 10.64

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