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## A.E.F. MOVES INTO NORTH AFRICA



CLEVELAND, OHIO. (Sound photo)—Thousands of American soldiers, supported by Naval and Air Forces, have established beachheads and have advanced inland at numerous points around Casablanca and Agadir in French Morocco. Axis forces, including U. S. troops Sunday night and airdromes were taken over in that vicinity. The airfield at Oran also is reported to be in American hands.

Furloughs are swell, thank you. In fact, they're about the most agreeable portion of a soldier's career. To me this one is especially welcome because it came somewhat in the nature of a surprise. No less unexpected than my arrival was to the folks at home. When furloughs first became available to our battalion a few weeks ago, I was told that I was entitled to only five days—after deducting the previous leave from my accumulated furlough time. That wasn't enough to make the trip. So I settled for a 3 day pass. Then came the news that fellows like me were entitled to the holiday after all. A memo from Hq. decreed that furlough time accrued at the beginning of a man's service year, hence that he's entitled to 30 days any old time he can manage to get away, regardless of how long he's been in uniform. That was wonderful news—except for the probability that I had queered my eligibility by taking the three day pass. But it worked out OK in the end. Company moguls decided not to be fussy about a few extra days taken as a result of earlier erroneous interpretations.

It's a good thing furloughs are given for as much as 15 days. Otherwise there wouldn't be time left for the visit at home. For that matter, men who travel all the way across the continent still have very few days after the long ride. This experience has convinced me that transportation is getting to be quite a problem. Trains are crowded. More passengers than seats. Over most of the distance on our trip there were several persons who never got to settle down. When others wandered around leaving seats vacant for an hour or so, they moved in temporarily. There happened to be enough such opportunities to relieve most of the strain.

Besides, the trains are slow. We were told that almost all passenger trains, including the one we rode, have to give way to war trains—whether loaded with troops or machinery. Many is the time we had to park on a side track while a long freight rumbled past. At times we were inclined to suspect that our train moved over for a repair gang on its hand car. That's exasperating to a fellow who's losing precious furlough time. Almost prompts him to get out and try hitch hiking.

Nevertheless, it's easy to understand the circumstances behind the inconvenience and delay. Tire shortage has forced a large percentage of people to give up their cars. In addition, there are thousands of soldiers moving hither and yon on pass or furlough. What it will be like a few weeks hence when gas rationing goes in to effect is anybody's guess. We might as well expect a rationing of train and bus tickets as the next restriction. The only exception to poor train service was the short jump from Fort Worth to Gainesville. Slightly more than an hour—which means an average of about 60 per. At that rate the entire riding time could have been exactly half of what it actually was.

However, the tiresome trip is more than offset by the treat of being back home. In spite of changes that the war has brought about, this is still home in every sense of the word. While we think of the changes we can find ample reason for a warm glow of pride. For instance, all the youngsters so conspicuous by their absence are in the service, doing their bit for Uncle Sam and humanity. The local honor roll now has 128 names. Not exactly a staggering figure perhaps, but very impressive for a community of some 2000 population. If the entire nation were as well represented our armed forces would now number more than 8 million. Likewise, the town is going strong on war bonds, salvage programs, and other activities in line with the war effort. So, in one respect, Muenster hasn't changed. It's still out in front doing a lot more than its share.

As far as business is concerned, there are the usual handicaps because of red tape, priorities, shortages, etc. But the town is buzzing like a bee hive nevertheless. Seeing it gives a fellow the urge to get back and join in the game. Big news of the past several days offers fair prospects for just such a development. Con still clings to the opinion that next summer will see the end of it. Now that the Allies have launched (Continued on page 4)

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## Welch Resigns; Miss Harrison New Teacher

Virgil Lee Welch, principal of the local Public school since 1937, has resigned, effective this weekend and will begin work as a chemist at Camp Howze next Monday.

Miss Barbara Harrison has been appointed as the new teacher on the staff. She comes to Muenster from the Bulcher school where she has taught since the beginning of the term.

Other changes in the school teaching staff place J. E. Gray in the office of superintendent and Miss Mary Weidemann, principal. Mr. Gray will continue teaching the same subjects and Miss Harrison will take over the intermediate grades formerly taught by Miss Weidemann who will instruct the high school students. No other changes will result, Misses Charlie Bradshaw and Elfreda Luke continuing in their respective positions in the high school and the elementary grades, respectively.

Miss Harrison, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alford Harrison, who reside south of the city, is well known locally. She attended the Linn school, graduated from the Nocona High School and has had two years and one summer term at TSCW, Denton, where she majored in Home Economics.

## MUENSTER RELATIVES ATTEND FUNERAL OF MRS. HENSECHID, JR.

Frank Hess, Mrs. John Hartman and Miss Dorothy Hartman were in Norman, Okla., Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. John Henschid, Jr., who died in Long Beach, Calif. The services were held at Saint Joseph Catholic church and burial was in the Norman cemetery.

Mrs. Henschid, 18, succumbed after three days of illness resulting from infection and complications brought on by the removal of several teeth. She was Miss Geraldine Haskins before her marriage to Mr. Henschid in May and in addition to her husband is survived by her mother and a younger brother.

## Rev. Meinrad Koester, Brother of Mrs. Luke Dies in LaCrosse, Wis.

Rev. Meinrad Koester, C.P.P.S., a brother of Mrs. John Luke, Sr., died of a heart attack at La Crosse, Wis., last Thursday, and funeral services were held Monday at Carthage, Ohio, where he was ordained a priest almost forty years ago. A requiem high mass was also said here Monday morning for the repose of his soul. He was 65 years old.

Father Koester was a native of Missouri. He visited here five years ago and made many friends in this community. Survivors in addition to Mrs. Luke are three brothers and two sisters and numerous nieces and nephews. He was the youngest in the family of seven. Other members of the family reside in northern states.

Eddie Rohmer, who spent three days of last week in a Sherman hospital for treatment, is still not up to par and spends only a few hours a day at his business. He hopes to be back on full time next week.

## BUDDIES AT HOME — TOGETHER IN NAVY



—Pat Hennigan and Earl Swingler, Seamen First Class, who were buddies in the local school and enlisted in the Navy at the same time are still together. The boys, both 21, reported for duty on August 12 and received their basic training at Norfolk, Va. They were later transferred to Hueneue, Calif., and were called for overseas duty on October 11. Both are with the Sea Bee group and are now stationed at Dutch Harbor, Alaska. Pat is a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hennigan and Earl, better known to his friends as Bud, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swingler.

## DEPOSIT OLD KEYS AND SMALL SCRAP AT LOCAL STORES

"Small scraps of metal will win the big scrap," is the slogan of a campaign that has been initiated by 800 franchise salesmen of Curtis Candy Company in nine middle western states in which it is planned to collect 100 tons of small pieces of scrap metal weekly in cooperation with the nationwide salvage drive, according to Richard Schmitz, local salesman for the company.

Beginning this Monday morning Mr. Schmitz and other salesmen placed receptacles for the collection of such scrap in the various places of business they visit and in the future will make pickups of the small scrap each week as they call on the dealers. The trucks have been equipped with a collection receptacle, and the salesmen are endeavoring to pick up all small pieces of metal that have been overlooked.

Especially solicited in this drive are old keys, bits of copper and brass, etc. Proceeds from the sale of the scrap will be donated to charitable and service organizations in the respective areas. "We are trying to help in the big job before us all and we hope the general public will bring their small pieces of metal with them when they come to the stores to do their shopping, so that we can pick it up and add it to the growing stacks of metal that are so badly needed as an aid to victory," Mr. Schmitz stated.

## Deceased Knights Honored In Memorial Services

Deceased members of the Muenster council Knights of Columbus were honored Wednesday evening, Nov. 4, when the annual memorial services were held in the K of C hall following the regular business session.

A special program was presented by District Deputy Harry Lampman of Denison and all deceased members were remembered in the rites.

Other business of the meeting consisted in completing plans for a major degree initiation to be held in Denison on November 22. During the meeting Rev. Thomas Buergler, new pastor, was presented with a special gift from the council after which he expressed his thanks and offered his cooperation in all undertakings of the council and the Order in general.

## Knights Complete Plans For Major Degree Initiation

Final plans for a major degree initiation to be held on November 22 in Denison were completed by members of the local council Knights of Columbus during their regular business session Wednesday.

District Deputy Harry Lampman of Denison was a special guest at the meeting and announced that he had received confirmation from the Supreme Council that their representative would be in Denison to confer the honor of knighthood on the candidates at that time.

It is anticipated that the class will number between twenty and thirty new members and approximately that many re-instatements. Councils participating in the degree are Muenster, Gainesville, Pilot Point, Sherman and Denison. Invitations have also been extended to Wichita Falls, Dallas, Fort Worth and Marshall councils.

Gus Strauss, state deputy, will be present at the program which is scheduled to begin at 8 a.m. with attendance at mass. The first degree will be exemplified at 10 o'clock, the second at 1:30, followed by the third degree at 2:30 p.m. A social program will be held after the conclusion of initiation ceremonies.

## Navy Program In Parish Hall Tonight

The United States Navy recruiting service will present a program consisting of a motion picture and a brief talk by a Navy recruiter in the parish hall here this Friday evening at 8 o'clock. No admission charge will be made and the public is invited to attend.

## Cotton Ginning Report

A report of cotton ginnings in Cooke county, released by Edwin J. Huffaker, special agent of the Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, shows that 4,527 bales of cotton were ginned in the county from the crop of 1942 prior to October 18, as compared with 5,365 bales from the 1941 crop to the corresponding date.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Streng and son, Joe Henry, of Modesto, Calif., are visiting this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Streng, Marie Streng of Dallas was home for a weekend visit with her parents and family.

## Gasoline Rationing Delayed Till Dec. 1 Sign-Up Nov. 19-21

### Flower Show Acclaimed By Large Crowd Exhibits Depict Beauty, Art And Ingenuity; Many Prize Winners

Despite chaotic world conditions the Muenster Garden Club's first war-time flower show Wednesday was an exhibit of beauty, art and ingenuity. Noteworthy is the fact that no expense was detailed in decorations, all ornamentation consisting of home or forest grown berries, vines and leaves.

Visitors to the K of C hall, scene of the show, were greeted by charming hostesses who directed them to the various exhibits. The eye of the arrival at the show scene first was caught by the many arrangements of chrysanthemums which definitely held the spotlight in the floral displays.

Also seen upon entry in the building were the fancy work exhibit, 4-H achievements, colorfully appointed tables, miniature gardens, a perfect tiny farm yard and mounted displays of garden pests and insects. Entries in the floral division included practically every type of blossom typical to this season of this year.

The miniature farm yard, complete in every detail, from the service flag in the window of the house, to dairy barn and garage, boasted also of growing corn, wheat and other grain in the fields, flowers and vegetables, a wagon loaded with cotton and two ginned bales. It was arranged by Mrs. John Ezell.

The section of the show that presented table settings was colorful and attractive. The first place award went to Mrs. Nick Miller who planned a Thanksgiving dinner table, centered with a large basket of fruits and vegetables. Miss Olivia Stock won the second place rating on a Christmas tea table, the centerpiece of which was a trio of red candles embedded in cedar, brightened with red berries, and Mrs. Herbert Meurer scored third on her table setting for breakfast, gay in blue and gold with Fiesta ware and a centerpiece of marigolds and ageratum. Honorable mention in this division went to Mrs. Joe Luke who planned a ranch party setting and therefore centered her table with a cacti arrangement and laid it with tin cups and plates. Likewise honorable mention went to Mrs. E. O. Teague on her doll table arrangement.

The miniature gardens, made in cigar boxes, and depicting perfect tiny gardens, brought awards to Mrs. Nick Miller, first; Miss Mary Becker, second; Mrs. Andy Hofbauer, third, and Miss Olivia Stock, honorable mention. Honorable mention awards for displays in which there was no competition went to Mrs. John Ezell for the farm yard, Miss Charlie Bradshaw for the mounted display of garden pests, Miss Elfreda Luke for the mounted display of garden weeds and to Mrs. Tony Gremminger for the 4-H exhibit. Mrs. Ezell also received the chairmanship award.

Also on display at the show was Red Cross work done by local women. Knitted garments and woolen skirts, the most recent assignment of the Red Cross Sewing Room, were featured. In the divisions of the show winners were awarded blue, red and white seals for first, second and third and a green seal for honorable mention.

The show opened at 3 o'clock and continued during the evening hours. Preceding the opening entries were judged by Miss Ruth Scott, Mrs. J. M. Collier and Mrs. Taylor Davis of Saint Jo, who were selected by the flower show committee as judges.

Hundreds of persons visited the show to view the displays and enjoy an afternoon and evening program. During the afternoon hours pupils of Sister Leonard's music class presented a group of vocal and instrumental numbers and in the evening the Youth Band, under the direction of Rev. Richard Eved, gave a concert. Refreshments of cold drinks and candy were available during the show.

In the divisions of the show devoted to floral arrangements winners included the following, first, (Continued on Page 4)

### Postponement Necessary Due To "Unavoidable Delays" In Distribution Of Coupon Books, Forms

Gasoline rationing in the 31 states not now under ration control has been postponed from November 22 to December 1, OPA announced Tuesday, while Secretary of the Interior Ickes warned that a cut in the four-gallon value of ration coupons in the east may be necessary.

The postponement of rationing in the West and Midwest from Nov. 22 is necessary because of hitches in the distribution of coupon books and forms over the country, OPA said.

State OPA Director Mark McGee announced definitely Tuesday that the registration of Texas passenger cars for gasoline rationing would be held on November 19, 20, and 21, one week later than had been planned.

## 1942 Turkey Project Here Opened Friday Expect Only About Half Of Last Year's Volume

The current turkey packing program got underway here Friday. As in previous years and accordance with a pre-arranged plan to deliver early and prevent congestion in the packing process most of the birds delivered during the weekend were from members of the Farmers Marketing Association.

As was anticipated, the crop of turkeys this year and likewise the volume of business, will be about 50 percent of last year's, when 5 carloads were shipped at Thanksgiving. The birds that have been delivered are of good quality, but most turkeys in this sector are light and not fully developed and are being held over for the Christmas market, it was disclosed. Most of the early hatches of turkeys died, and the second crop has not had time to develop properly. Few of those brought in, however, were culled back.

With the introduction of the plucking machine this year, for the first time in the program's history, the usual major problem of securing an adequate force of pickers was eliminated. Although only about one-half of the usual number of pickers are on duty the work is speeded up tremendously by the machine which takes off all but wing and tail feathers and pin feathers. It was not known Wednesday when the Thanksgiving packing season will close and officials of Wilson and company did not disclose the total pounds of dressed birds ready for shipment.

## Father Frowin Secures Large-Type Missal; Will Say Mass On Christmas

According to word received recently from Rev. Father Frowin he has secured a large-type missal and is looking forward to saying Mass again on Christmas for the first time since he was afflicted with eye trouble last May.

He reveals that he is feeling well otherwise although the left eye, in which he suffered the hemorrhage is unimproved, and he cannot see out of it at all. However, he sees fairly well out of the right eye, which has been fitted with a special lens. He is at Saint Bernard's Hospital in Jonesboro, Ark.

Father Frowin asked that his best regards be conveyed to all his former parishioners, adding that he thinks of the Muenster citizens often.

## DAVID CLARK JOINS ENTERPRISE STAFF

David C. Clark has joined the staff of the Enterprise as linotype operator-printer. He comes from a family of printers and was for years engaged with his father and brothers in publishing a Sault, Michigan daily. He has also been employed by the Detroit Daily News, Michigan and the Chidress daily Index.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jackson visited relatives and friends in Fort Worth Sunday.



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## It Happened 5 Years Ago

Taken From the Enterprise of November 12, 1937

Forty candidates to be admitted into the ranks of the Knights of Columbus here Sunday. — Catholic Daughters will have reception and banquet here Sunday. — Ben Albers of Lindsay badly burned from fall on burning weeds. — Fans received for heating system in parish church. — H. H. Kathman re-opens lunch room in Henry Trachta building. — This week to close turkey season here. — A son is born to Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Fette. — Lindsay school installs new drinking fountains. — Men confident of REA approval on loan application.

rings arrived. At long last they feel like true seniors and we can assure you that they spend plenty time displaying their prized possession.

We would like to know: Why all the Freshmen started laughing when Alphonse Koester walked across the room to the library?

What Lillian Wimmer's wish is that all the Sophomores are talking about?

What those strange noises were issuing from the Senior-Junior room after school last Wednesday?

Why Billy Joe Miller seems to think he has no head?

If we are going to beat Lindsay next Friday or not?

Monday evening word was received from Lindsay requesting a game the following Friday. We consented and so for the first time this year, S.H.H. volley ball team will compete with another school. We hope that next week we can report that we won another victory, but if not, well better luck next time.

## MOSAICS

of Sacred Heart High

Father Visits School: Friday of last week Rev. Father Thomas honored the school with a visit. He came to distribute report cards, and to give the students a short talk. He spoke on the benefits of Catholic education, and of the various uses of the subjects we are now learning in daily life. It was Father's first visit to the High School since his arrival here.

Seniors Receive Rings: Friday also was an eventful day for the seniors because on that day their

## GIRLS' 4-H CLUB IS ORGANIZED AT HAYS

Miss Nettie Shultz, county agent met with girls at the Hays school Monday and assisted in organizing a 4-H club. Officers for the year were elected as follows: Nellie Marie Tucker, president; Sue Sears, secretary; Florence Ward, vice-president; Eva Lois Hobbs, reporter; Dorothy Joyce Vestal, food supply demonstrator, and Billie Pearl Waggoner, clothing demonstrator.

Miss Dolly Wilson, Mrs. C. M. Martin and Mrs. R. C. Wilson were chosen as sponsors. Every girl signed a victory card and pledged to purchase war stamps. Twenty were enrolled at the organization meeting.

## School Daze

MUENSTER PUBLIC SCHOOL

Editors: Dossie Hamilton  
Ernest Marlin

Last Saturday the teachers of Cooke County had a meeting at which Mr. Spencer, the Deputy State Superintendent for this district, was present. He gave an interesting talk, outlining eight specific things which our schools could and should do to speed up war efforts. He urged the schools of Cooke County to stress these subjects: mathematics, physics, chemistry, first aid, conservation, shop work, and social work.

Mr. Spencer stated that in his opinion Texas schools would be radically changed by spring. It may be that students will attend school half a day, work half a day, due to the labor shortage. The teachers are urged to qualify themselves and to be able to supervise the new subjects.

We are planning to start a Junior and Standard Red Cross First Aid courses which are to be instructed by Miss Luke. The Junior class will consist of persons under fifteen years of age and the Standard Course will consist of persons from fifteen to seventeen.

Again we would like to thank the P.T.A. Mothers for their assistance while we are without one of our cooks.

We turned out on Wednesday to observe Armistice Day. Quite a few students went to Gainesville to the parade.

Most of us feel very blue when we think of Mr. Welch, for this is his last week at Muenster Public School. He has been with us since 1937. To tell you the truth we really hate to see him go. But if he must go, we wish him success with his work at Camp Howze.

## SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

GREETS MARTIN HACKER

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hacker entertained with a party in their home southwest of town Monday evening in honor of their son, Martin, on his twenty-first birthday. It was a surprise affair.

A social hour was concluded with a course of refreshments served to Messrs. and Mesdames Henry Streng and daughter, Evelyn, Joe Hoening, Ben Sicking and family, Sylvester Streng and son, George Lutkenhaus and family, Joe Streng and son and Leo Haverkamp, Joe, Alfred, Walter and Wilfred Lutmer, Tony Hacker and the honoree.

## SHOWER-PARTY HONORS

MRS. LEO SICKING

Mrs. Leo Sicking was honor guest at a pretty party and shower given Monday by Mrs. R. L. McNelley in her home.

Games and contests were directed by the hostess after which the honoree was presented with an assortment of lovely gifts.

The party was concluded with the serving of attractive refreshments to eighteen guests.

Personnel of the affair included: Mesdames John, Ray and Walter Klement, Ben and Henry Sicking, Weinzapfel, M. J. Endres, Myrick, Bill Becker, John and Norbert Knabe, J. B. Wilde, Bill Stelzer.

## WANT ADS

FOR SALE: Heavy bottom-land Corn. See W. A. Griffin, Rt. 2, Muenster. 51-2p

FOR SALE: Baby Beef Turkey Hens. Alford Harrison, Rt. 2, Muenster. 51-1

FOR SALE: White Rock Roosters. Excellent for breeding stock. See Joe Otto, Muenster. 50-2p

FOR SALE: My house and lots in city. Mrs. Henry Schnitker, Muenster. 48-1f

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## PFC. GUS LUTKENHAUS IS HONOREE AT PARTIES

Mr. and Mrs. George Lutkenhaus entertained with a dinner Sunday at their home to compliment their son, Pfc. Gus Lutkenhaus, who completed his furlough that day and left in the evening to return to San Francisco. Pvt. Joe Hess and Henry Sandman of Camp Wolters were present in addition to a number of other guests.

## Reunion At Endres Home

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Endres were hosts in their home Sunday for a reunion party for which all members of the family were present. Personnel of the affair included: Warrant Officer Gilbert Endres, of Portsmouth, Va.; Urban Endres, Fort Smith, Ark.; Miss Florene Endres, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Endres and son, Gainesville;

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## LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

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

Miss Mary Hirschy is back in the city after spending several months in Wichita Falls.

Sgt. and Mrs. Amber Estes visited in Wichita Falls Tuesday evening and Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Laake of Dallas visited here Sunday with his sister, Miss Angela Laake and the W. L. Stock family.

Urban Endres, employed in Fort Smith, Ark., came in during the weekend for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Endres.

Mrs. Frank Seyler had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. William Seyler of Justin and accompanied them home for a few days' visit.

The Esker families had as guests Sunday Pvt. Roland Thibodeaux and Jerome Ermice of Camp Howze.

Pvt. and Mrs. Manford Rice have returned from a vacation trip to several northern states where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Frost of Perry, Okla., spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hellman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rebentish returned to their home in Dallas Tuesday after visiting here with relatives since Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ezell have as

their guests for the week, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Brown of Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. John Corcoran and family of Gainesville were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Herr.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hoedebeck and children of Shawnee, Okla., arrived Saturday evening and spent until Tuesday here with relatives.

Arthur Felderhoff and Raymond Haverkamp made a business trip to Enid, Okla., during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Roberson and daughter, Bobby, moved to Gainesville Monday. He is employed as an electrician at Camp Howze.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Branch of Marysville are the parents of a daughter born at the Muenster clinic Saturday.

A daughter, Connie Sue, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones of Gainesville at the Muenster clinic Monday.

Pete Kleiss of Sedalia, Mo., was here for a weekend visit with relatives and old friends. He returned home Tuesday.

Miss Florene Endres, a student at O.L.V. College, Fort Worth, spent Saturday evening and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Endres and family.

Mrs. D. C. Kline was about town during the weekend for the first time in almost two weeks during which she was confined to her home suffering from a throat infection.

Mr. and Mrs. Werner Becker an-

nounce the birth of a son, Werner Henry, at the local clinic Friday, November 6. The little lad was baptised Saturday morning by Father Thomas, assisted by Mrs. Bill Becker and Leo Rohmer, grand parents, as sponsors.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sicking are the parents of a nine-pound son, James David, born at the local clinic Sunday. The baby was baptised Monday morning by Father Thomas, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hoedebeck, uncle and aunt, of Shawnee, Okla., as sponsors.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Hellman and daughter, Judy, of Tulsa, Okla., spent from Sunday to Tuesday with her parents, Messrs. and Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel and Gus Hellman. On their homeward trip they were accompanied by Mrs. Bernie Schumacher who will be their guest for several days.

Miss Elizabeth Fleitman is recovering normally, but is still confined to her bed at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleitman, after undergoing a major operation at Medical Surgical hospital in Gainesville on October 20, where she spent two weeks before being moved home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hellman had as their guest during the weekend her nephew, Pfc. W. A. Mertes of the Naval Training School, Aviation Maintenance, Norman, Okla. He is a son of Robert Mertes, brother Mrs. Hellman and a former resident of Muenster now residing in Coffee Creek, Mont.

Miss Clara Richter of Dallas was here to spend Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Richter.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Herr of Orange and Joe Herr of Arlington visited here Tuesday and Wednesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Herr. Paul is employed at a shipyard in Orange, and during the weekend for the first time in almost two weeks during which she was confined to her home suffering from a throat infection. He is off duty from his work in a defense factory for several weeks.

her brother. Guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Joe Walterscheid and daughters, Adolph Walterscheid and sons, Herman Danglemayr and son, Martin Bayer and family, Mrs. Joe Bayer and family and Mrs. T. Walterscheid and children.

Following the meal the party proceeded to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bayer where a large number of relatives and friends gathered for a social evening of games, music and refreshments. On Friday evening Mrs. Joe Bayer entertained with a supper party in her brother's honor.

**GET-TOGETHER CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. BEN HELLMAN**

Mrs. Ben Hellman entertained members of the Get-Together Club in her home on the first Wednesday of the month for their regular social and business meeting. Three tables were arranged for progressive 42 series in which Mrs. Joe Luke scored high and Mrs. Jake Pagel low.

During the brief business session Mrs. J. B. Wilde, president, presided and members handed in their gifts to be featured at the country store at the Thanksgiving bazaar. Mrs. Paul Nieball, who has a birthday this month, was the recipient of gift from her sunshine pal.

At the conclusion of activity the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Jud Boyles, served delicious refreshments to fifteen women.

**ENDRES-FUHRMANN RITES TO TAKE PLACE TUESDAY**

Announcement has been made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Mary Elizabeth Endres, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Endres, to Pvt. Valentine Fuhrmann of Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif., son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fuhrmann of Lindsay. The wedding will take place here at Sacred Heart church on the morning of November 17 at 9 o'clock, with the pastor, Rev. Father Thomas, officiating. Pvt. Fuhrmann will arrive on furlough Saturday and following the wedding the couple will take a trip. They will make their home in San Luis Obispo after November 24.

**Dinner At Yosten Home**

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Yosten was the scene of a delightful dinner party Sunday at noon. Guests were Pvt. J. A. Dur-

bin and Gabriel MacKnight of Camp Howze, Misses Veronica and Josephine Yosten, Henry Yosten and Frank Yosten.

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**NUTRITION CLASS TO CONCLUDE LESSONS MONDAY AFTERNOON**

The Nutrition Class, conducted by Miss Nette Shultz, county agent, will hold its final meeting next Monday, November 16. It has been announced. The two concluding lessons will be given at that time. The meeting is scheduled to begin at 2 o'clock.

The course consists of ten lessons and meetings were held twice a week until some time ago when Miss Shultz was called to the bedside of a sick relative, during which time classes were suspended. Some twenty women are enrolled in the course and are urged to be present for the final lessons, Mrs. Jacob Pagel, Jr., chairman, stated Monday.

**DISCUSSION CLUBS BEGIN ACTIVITY**

Saint Hyacinth's Discussion Club re-organized for the current season Friday evening meeting in the W. L. Stock home. This club is composed of families residing in the northeast part of town.

Miss Olivia Stock was appointed chairman and Miss Rose Hennigan secretary. The first chapter of the textbook, "The Two Great Commandments," was the topic discussed. Miss Stock led the lesson and it was decided that members will take turns at leading, and that in the future meetings will be held each Sunday afternoon at the homes of the members. The next meeting was scheduled for Nov. 15 at the home of Miss Imelda Felderhoff.

Rev. Father Richard, head of the discussion club movement in the parish, was a special guest.

A group of neighbors residing in the southeast part of the city organized Thursday evening under the name of Saint Joan of Arc club with Miss Anastasia Temple as leader.

A number of other groups have organized and are holding weekly meetings but no report reached this office regarding their activity. Clubs this season are composed of neighborhood groups due to gasoline and the rationing.

**SOCIAL AFFAIRS HONOR PVT. JOE H. WALTERSCHEID**

Pvt. Joe Henry Walterscheid of Fort Sill, Okla., who was here on a three day pass to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walterscheid, was honored with a number of dinners and parties during his stay from Wednesday evening to Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bayer entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner in their home Thursday to honor

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### Lindsay News

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Mrs. Pete Block spent the weekend in Rhineland visiting her brother, Rev. Herman Laux.

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Sisters Adrienne and Fabronia left Friday for San Antonio where the latter will remain for some time.

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At next Friday's meeting plans will be made for the Thanksgiving Carnival which will be held on Thursday, November 26.

The basketball practice season opened with a big bang last Friday. Four girls' teams were organized and captains for each team were elected. The captains are Marcella Schmitz, Rita Popp, Lucille Arendt, and Florence Zimmerman. A practice schedule has been arranged giving each team one-half hour practice each day. The sophomores have high hopes that they will win the basketball championship this season, and the juniors say victory for them is "in the bag." The freshmen aren't saying much but they intend to show us. It's really too early to make predictions, but interclass competition spells enthusiasm and hard, sustained practice.

Gene Lehnertz received a promotion recently and is now a sergeant. He is stationed at Camp Stewart, Ga. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehnertz now have three sons that are sergeants in the army. The other two are, Earl, somewhere in Australia, and Jimmy, somewhere in Great Britain. When last heard from two weeks ago he was in Scotland.

Warrant Officer Gilbert Endres arrived Sunday for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Endres. He returned to Portsmouth, Va., Wednesday, and is expected to be transferred in the near future.

Cpl. R. N. Fette arrived Thursday for a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fette and family, and friends. He will report back to Camp Young, Indio, Calif., at the completion of his furlough.

Sgt. Amber Estes of Salinas, Calif., is here for a 15-day furlough with his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Richter. Sgt. Estes has been in the service 8 months. He is with the air corps ground crew.

Pvt. Joe Henry Walterscheid of Fort Sill, Okla., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walterscheid, and family from Wednesday to Saturday of last week. It was his first trip home since his induction July 23. On Saturday morning Miss Olivia Walterscheid, Robert Bayer and Alphonse Felderhoff drove him back to Fort Sill.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Clem Cole and children, Martha Rae and T. C., of San Antonio, arrived Saturday for a ten-day visit with relatives in this city and at Gainesville.

According to a letter received this week from Pvt. Richard Wimmer he is still stationed at the Post Motor Pool at Fort Story, Va., and is driving a truck for his Uncle Sam. He included regards to all his Muenster friends and added that he'd like to get some letters from home. Address him: Pvt. Richard J. Wimmer, Post Motor Pool, Fort Story, Va.

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