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The favorite subject of conversation around here hasn't changed in the past week—nor in the past three weeks. Everybody is still conscious of the alert order, and keeps wondering whether we'll go back to regular routine or take off for foreign shores. Even bets are available on either side of the question.

Naturally, anyone would say that the army isn't going to waste a lot of time getting men ready for the move and then forget about them. Evidently this gang is going. But new developments in the changing fortunes of war can easily induce the powers up the line to change their plans. Perhaps other units are more needed in the immediate future than ours. In that case we wait until they can get to us. Such procedure isn't at all new. Men here have been telling about friends who were on the alert for months. After which some were shipped, some went back to the same old duty.

So, we don't know what the score is. Neither do we worry. The only reason we discuss it so much is that we can't pick better subjects to talk about. And, after all, the principal reason for all the interest is the possibility of first moving to another part of the country. The East Coast boys especially have wonderful plans. Visions of parking a month or so at an Atlantic port of embarkation—a month to be taken up completely by three day passes. More power to them. Let's hope they get the break. After being out here all these months they are entitled to a visit home. Actually, this is the kind of wishful thinking that is responsible for most of the current rumors. What will probably happen now is a return to plain duty or embarkation from the West Coast.

Meanwhile the training tempo has slowed down a bit. At any rate, the more interesting part has passed. Drilling and other fundamentals such as we have been having the past week just don't have the exciting flavor that range practice has. Without the rumors and suspense, this column would be at a total loss for material.

Something new as far as I am concerned is the disclosure that I am one of the few to carry the old fashioned Springfield when we get over there. That, after I've practically fallen in love with the Garand. However, there's a catch to this. The rifle is meant to serve as a grenade launcher in addition to its usual purpose. What a vicious weapon that makes! It will heave trouble a lot farther and a lot more effectively than the best pitching arm ever can. With it a good shot can place a grenade in a gopher hole 75 yards away. And he can lob it another 40 or 50 yards with fair results.

This system is entirely new to me, although, I understand, it is old stuff as far as the army is concerned. The grenade itself is somewhat similar to the regulation hand type, except that it has a shaft that fits down into the barrel, the business end extends out in front. A blank cartridge furnishes the energy to send it on its way.

So far, all I know about the contraption is what I've been told and have read in a manual. No opportunity so far to see it in action or to fire it myself. I've doped out, however, that it has a tremendous kick. And others tell me I guessed correctly. Quite often the thing is handled like a mortar, with the butt to the ground and merely pointed out in the desired direction. Nevertheless, the way to really hit the mark is to sight as in firing an ordinary rifle. When my time comes to try it I intend to have a well padded shoulder, as well as a snug sling. I'd rather have all of me picked off the ground than just my arm.

Something else we're likely to see plenty of is booty traps. Those innocent looking or invisible little gadgets that send honorable enemies to their honorable ancestors if they come snooping around in the wrong places. There are as many varieties of them as the imagination can figure out. Essentially, they are all alike. A black thread across a path is broken, and Wham! Or a twig is bent, or a sensitive magnet is attracted. Seems like cold-blooded warfare. Actually, it is. However, this only happens to be a case of playing rough because the other team is doing it. Our slant-eyed foes have been using every trick in the book. They have come forward in surrender only to heave a grenade. They have sent fake emergency calls and ambushed stretcher bearers. They have done practically everything that is con-

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GREETINGS FROM ALASKA

An interesting letter from Seaman First Class Earl Swingler, stationed at Dutch Harbor, Alaska, with the Navy Construction Battalion, reached the Enterprise this week. Written the day after Thanksgiving, Earl reports on the very sumptuous dinner the boys were served, terming it a "super-duper."

There are real artists in the outfit, too, he said, and the mess hall was elaborately decorated for the occasion. In the middle of the hall was a table centered with a huge turkey-shaped cake bearing the battalion slogan. "It was more like a snowy Christmas day, than the weather I'm used to on Thanksgiving," he said. Commenting on his surroundings Earl reported that the only animals he has seen are dogs and rats, the latter almost as big as cats, and the only fowl are a variety of over-grown sea gull and a cross-breed between a crow and a hawk.

But the fish is an entirely different story. Many varieties, and he often gets to go fishing. He mentioned that he caught an 8½ pound salmon recently and it was "quite a thrill."

As for entertainment, he reports that they have all anyone can ask for. Four theatres, a recreation hall, pool hall, bowling alley and a large gym.

Earl and Pat Hennigan are still together. Earl included best wishes for both to all their friends here. Their most recent address is: Navy 8115, Co. Hdq. A. B.; 21st N. C. Batt.; % Fleet Postoffice, San Francisco, Calif.

Correction From Pvt. Temple
Pvt. Norbert Temple, in a letter to the Enterprise, this week, wishes to correct a statement made about him in this paper recently. His letter follows:

"I was very surprised when I received the Enterprise, as is customary each week, to read the ovation about myself in regard to my attending officers candidate school. You have evidently been misinformed a bit. The true fact is that I am going to the Boeing School of Aeronautics for the purpose of making an airplane mechanic, or maintainer. My tests and examinations, at Kearns, Utah, proved though, that I will have a chance for OCS if and when I finish this present course, provided I make the proper grades.

"So far I am only a buck private, with big ideas. Naturally, I like the way you had me written up, but will feel better, if the correction is made.

"And one more thing, I happen to be one of the many soldiers who loves letters from home, so please tell the folks to write. It helps us lots."

Moves to Miami
Pvt. Louis E. Sicking, with the Army Air Corps, ground crew was recently moved from Perrin Field to Miami Beach, Fla., his parents Mr. and Mrs. Gus Sicking advised this week. He has the following address: 1132 T. S. S. S. P. Training Unit; A. A. F. T. C.; Miami Beach, Florida.

Assigned to Sea Duty
Sailor Louis Roberg recently was assigned to sea duty and his address is: Louis E. Roberg; U.S. S. Pierce (A.M. 97); % Postmaster, New York City, N. Y.

Stationed at Norfolk
Joe Yosten, recently enlisted in the Navy, is now stationed at Norfolk, Va., for training, his wife advised Monday following the receipt of a letter from him.

Gene Robertson, formerly of Gainesville, and well known here, is a private in the Army, stationed at Camp Lee, Va. He enlisted two weeks ago, leaving from Washington, D. C., where he had been employed by the War Department.

Pvts. Albert Steinberger and W. P. Bratcher of Perrin Field spent Sunday here with their wives and also visited relatives and friends.

Pvt. Herbert McDaniel, inducted Dec. 4, and stationed at Camp Wolters until the week-end is now on duty at Camp Howze, his wife advised Tuesday.

BROTHERS SERVE UNCLE SAM



Pvt. ANTON FLEITMAN
—Pfc. Gus Fleitman, 23, and Pvt. Anton Fleitman, 21, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleitman, are both serving Uncle Sam. Pfc. Fleitman enlisted in the Army on January 27, 1941, and trained at Camp Bowie for 13 months, then spent six months at Camp Blanding, Fla., and is now stationed at Camp Edwards, Mass. with the 142nd Infantry, 36th Division. He qualified as a marksman in rifle shooting. Pvt. Fleitman is a mechanic in the Air Corps and is now taking a special course at Lockheed-Vega Service School, Burbank, Calif. He entered the service June 18, this year, and trained at Sheppard Field and at Tulsa, Okla., before being sent to Burbank. Pfc. Gus Fleitman spent last week here on furlough, returning to duty Saturday.

Local Men Attend USO

Breakfast And Hear

Major Conley Lecture

Five Muenster men, J. W. and John Fisher, J. M. Weinzapfel, Herbert Meurer and John Wieler, were special guests at a breakfast Sunday in the Gainesville K of C hall, honoring members of the Holy Name Society of Camp Howze. The breakfast was under the auspices of the USO, and a group of men from Gainesville were also guests.

The outstanding feature of the breakfast was a most interesting talk given by Major Conley of Camp Howze, a Catholic chaplain. He has recently returned from Hawaii, and in his lecture drew a vivid word picture of the attack on Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7th, 1941, and other incidents and experiences on the islands.

So excellent was his talk that members of the local council Knights of Columbus are planning to have Major Conley come to Muenster to give a similar lecture. No definite date has been decided upon, but it was announced that the meeting would be open to the public.

Best Wishes To All

From Father Frowin

Father Frowin, now at Saint Bernard's Hospital, Jonesboro, Ark., this week sends his best wishes and regards to all the Muenster people and extends to them sincerest felicitations for a joyous Christmas and a blessed New Year.

Father Frowin (of wonderful memory) recalled that Sunday, December 13, it was fifty years since the trio, Father Frowin, Father Gregory, pastor at Altus, Ark., and Father Benedict, professor at Lanier High School, Fort Worth, entered New Subiaco College as students.

OLDER SELECTEES

ARE NOW IN 4-H

Draft boards across the nation now have a new selective service classification—4-H—in which to place registrants from 38 to 45 years of age.

Name of the new group was announced during the weekend by the Office of War Information.

Red Cross Will Help

Get Word To Loved Ones

In Foreign Countries

Persons who have not heard from relatives in foreign countries for several months and whose letters have either been returned or left unanswered now have the opportunity to contact these relatives through the Red Cross. It has been announced, Miss Alma Jo Hansen, secretary of the County Red Cross chapter, discussed the matter with Mrs. G. H. Hellman and placed her in charge of any such details as may be required in this community.

If all other means of communication have failed the Red Cross will get word through. Working through its various branches the Red Cross sends word back and forth. There is no charge for this service.

That this method is successful in sending and receiving messages was demonstrated recently in Lindsay when one citizen, who had not heard from her mother in four months, sent a message and received an answer disclosing that the mother was well and in Berlin.

Any local persons wishing to contact their loved ones in foreign countries are asked to see Mrs. Hellman.

FARMERS APPROVE

COTTON CONTROL IN

SATURDAY BALLOT

Cotton-growers in 19 southern and south-western states appeared to have approved federal control over the production and marketing of cotton for the sixth successive year. Incomplete, but fairly accurate, returns from the referendum held Saturday showed 642,234 farmers favoring federal control and 103,186 against, with a majority of the returns tabulated.

Muenster farmers voted 36 for and 5 against marketing quotas on the 1943 crop. County returns showed about five to one in favor of federal control.

Burr Russell fell Thursday evening and broke an arm while playfully wrestling with his brother, Hoover.

Mrs. Philomina Wilp Succumbs To Heart Attack Saturday PM

Civic League, Garden Club Has Election

Mrs. Joe Luke Re-elected President; Christmas Program Is Presented

Mrs. Joe Luke was re-elected president of the Civic League and Garden Club at the annual election of officers during a regular monthly meeting Friday afternoon. Mrs. M. J. Endres and Mrs. Rosa Driever were re-elected vice president and secretary, respectively, and Mrs. John Ezell was elected treasurer.

The following committee chairmen were elected: Miss Mary Becker, cemetery; Mrs. Jim Cook, defense; Mrs. Herbert Meurer, sanitation; Mrs. Nick Miller, highway; Mrs. T. S. Myrick, flower show; Miss Olivia Stock, pilgrimage; Mrs. E. O. Teague, program and yearbook; Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel and Miss Stock, girls 4-H club. Mrs. Elmer Martin was admitted to membership at the meeting.

Mrs. Cook, Red Cross chairman, announced that 24 pairs of pajamas, 12 skirts and several knitted articles have recently been completed by volunteer workers in the community.

Announcement was made by Mrs. Tony Gremminger, 4-H club sponsor, that the girls will have a Christmas party on Dec. 21 at the parochial school.

Preceding the business, pupils of the Public school under the direction of Miss Elfreda Luke and Miss Barbara Harrison, presented a short Christmas program of speeches and a song. Appearing on the program were Mary Ann Jones, Milly Yeakley, Mary Janette Kline, Elizabeth Ann Tilleron, Loveta Martin and Bobby Jo Carter. Singing of Christmas carols concluded the meeting attended by 16 members.

STUDY CLUBS END

CURRENT ASSIGNMENT

Some fifteen Catholic Discussion Clubs of the parish are this week concluding the first half of their assigned work, the first eight chapters of the current textbook, "The Commandments." The remaining eight chapters will be studied during Lent.

Two clubs, starting later than the others, will end their discussion next week. They are Saint Richard's Club with Mrs. Martin Friske as chairman and Miss Myrtle Friske as secretary, and Saint Catherine's Club, with Mrs. Bill Kathman and Miss Georgia Ann Kathman as chairman and secretary, respectively. Both of the clubs are composed of families in the vicinities of the chairman's homes.

Sugar Stamp No. 10

Good For Three Pounds

Sugar stamp No. 10 is good for three pounds and must be used between December 16 and January 31.

Stamp No. 9 expired at midnight Dec. 15.

Funeral Services Held Here Monday Morning For Pioneer Resident

Mrs. Philomina Wilp, 77, a resident of this community for 45 years, died at her home Saturday afternoon, following a heart attack and a stroke that afflicted her earlier in the morning.

Funeral services were held from Sacred Heart church Monday morning at 9 o'clock with the pastor, Rev. Father Thomas, officiating at the requiem high mass and at burial in the Muenster cemetery.

Pallbearers were Joe Kathman, P. J. Rollman, Ed Schmitt, J. W. Fisher, Emil Vogel and John Walter. Lazer-Keel Funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

The deceased was born October 8, 1865, in DuBois, Indiana, and was married to Joseph Wilp in January 1888. Mr. Wilp was at that time a resident of this community and went to Iowa for the wedding. He brought his bride back here and they resided northwest of the city on a farm until his death in January 1929.

They had one son, Edward Wilp, who died here in 1938. Since that time Mrs. Wilp lived alone, just south of the church.

One step-son, Joe Wilp of Oklahoma City, and six step-grandchildren, survive.

Mrs. Wilp's death was sudden, though it was generally known that she was suffering from a heart ailment. She was not confined to bed, however, and was always up and about, doing her housework, until she was stricken about 11 o'clock Saturday morning. Mrs. Joe Streng, a near neighbor, who visited her frequently and looked in upon her several times daily, found her in the critical condition and immediately summoned help. She and Miss Lena Kleiss were with her when she passed away several hours later.

No Assurance Of Mail Delivery For Christmas Unless Posted Early

Some of the public, but not enough, have heeded the warning of the Post Office Department that Christmas gifts and cards be mailed this year earlier than ever before, it has been reported.

Postal officials have warned that early mailings had not been in sufficient volume to prevent delay in deliveries of gifts until after Christmas, unless mailings increased sharply at once. All mailings of both parcels and cards, should have been completed by Dec. 15.

Postmaster General Frank C. Walker, who has held repeated conferences with his Department officials on the Christmas mail problem, called attention again early this week to the absolute necessity of the public's cooperation.

Postal employees are doing their best as always, it was stated, to see that holiday mail is delivered on time, but this year such deliveries are impossible unless parcels were mailed earlier than ever before.

So—If that looked for package isn't here for the 25th, just remember that it wasn't mailed early enough this season. Maybe it will arrive in time for New Year's Day.

35 Children To Receive First Communion Sunday

Thirty-five little children will approach the altar to receive the Blessed Eucharist for the first time Sunday during the 9 o'clock Mass.

For about two months the children have been preparing for the event by a special course of instructions under the direction of Sister Anastasia. This week they are to have a brief final examination by the pastor, Father Thomas.

Mass schedule for Sunday is the same as usual with the exception that the high mass, usually held at 9 will take place at 11 o'clock instead.

BAPTIST CHURCH TO HAVE YULE PROGRAM SUNDAY

The Baptist church will have a Christmas program, carols, a tree and exchange of gifts Sunday morning at 10 o'clock for children of its members, it was announced by the Sunday School teachers who are arranging the program.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation that may appear in the columns of The Enterprise will be gladly and fully corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Joe W. Gregory, 23, son of J. B. Gregory, Rt. 1, has been advanced to the rating of Aviation Machinist's Mate, second class, at the Naval Air Training Center, Pensacola, Fla., according to the public relations office of that station. He enlisted in the Navy in January, 1941, and received preliminary training at San Diego.

Catholic Daughters To Have Social Jan. 7th.
Catholic Daughters of America will have their monthly social on the evening of Jan. 7, with Mrs. Emmet Fette as hostess in her home, it has been announced. Because the usual social night, the fourth Thursday of the month falls on Christmas Eve, the affair has been postponed.

It Happened 5 Years Ago

December 17, 1937

Turkey season ends with two carloads; seven cars are this year's total. Catholic Daughters send candy and cookies to Dallas Orphanage. Suit for damages in Seyler wreck opened at Denton. Mrs. T. L. Gatton, 67, dies at Myra. Fire at Clem Reiter home checked in early stages. A son is born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walterscheid. Engagement of Miss Agnes Weinzapfel and P. W. Hellman is announced. Muenster Hatchery makes improvements prior to opening for season.

MOSAICS

of Sacred Heart High

By: Alma Marie Luke, Gladys Wilde, and Juanita Weinzapfel
Football Game

Last Thursday afternoon our boys of Sacred Heart High battled the Public School boys in the outstanding football game of the season. Sacred Heart High was victorious with a score of 12 to 6. The game was really exciting and believe us we're proud of our boys. They have no one to coach them and everything they do is on their own initiative. Good sportsmanship and teamwork was shown by teams throughout the game. Keep it up boys, we're behind you one-hundred per cent. Oh yes! the girls helped the victory by cheering loudly and wildly.

Annual Christmas Party Plans

This year our annual Christmas party will be one which we will long remember. The members of the Senior Junior Club are in charge of plans for the party. At a special meeting held last Wednesday three committees were chosen. Chairman of the Decoration Committee is Gladys Wilde, Evelyn Weisman was elected chairman of the Refreshment Committee and Juanita Weinzapfel was chosen for the Entertainment Committee. These chairmen chose their helpers and immediately started work. Reports from the Refreshment Committee are that the luncheon is going to be a feast. The Committee for Decorations are mum. Their plans are really going to surprise everyone and we know they'll be pretty. The Entertainment Committee is still in search of appropriate games for the affair.

We have already sent Santa an invitation to come and see us. Although we have received no answer we know he'll come because we've been such good little boys and girls.

The average person forms an opinion by adding to a small measure of information a dash of imagination and a large quantity of prejudice shaking well with emotion.

Citation By Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO ROSALIE BURNS, Defendant,
GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Cooke County, Texas, at the Court House thereof, in Gainesville, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, the same being the 18th day of January, 1943, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 2nd day of December, 1942, in the cause, numbered 13668 on the docket of said court and styled John Robert Burns, plaintiff v. Rosalie Burns, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows: Suit for divorce on the grounds that defendant was guilty of excesses, cruel treatment and outrages toward the plaintiff of such a nature as to render their living together insupportable, and that defendant had intimate relations with other men, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Gainesville, Texas, this 2nd day of December, 1942.
Martin G. Davis, Clerk

When In Gainesville Eat at the Coffee Pot

Gene and Milton Tutt Prods.
1 Block North of State

of the District Court of Cooke County, Texas.
(SEAL)

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Citation by Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Fletcher Robeson, whose residence is to the plaintiff unknown, and the unknown heirs of Fletcher Robeson, Walter Robeson, and Georgia Mathews, Flora Robeson, Roy Robeson, Lee Robeson, Jesse McCracken and Coln McCracken, who have been served with citation herein, and complaining of the unknown Heirs of James Madison Robeson and his wife, Emmette, or Emmie Robeson, and the unknown heirs of John C. Robeson, and the unknown heirs of Albert M. Robeson and wife Mattie Robeson, and the unknown heirs of Jasper Newton Robeson and wife Rosa Robeson, and the unknown heirs of James A. Robeson and his wife Tibatha Robeson, and the unknown heirs of Olive Robeson, and the unknown heirs of Kate Campbell and the unknown heirs of Isabella Robeson McCracken and her husband Joseph McCracken, and the unknown Heirs of Melvin G. Robeson, and the unknown heirs, whose residences are to the plaintiff unknown.

Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Cooke County at the Court House thereof, in Gainesville, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 11th day of January A.D. 1943, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 25th day of November A.D. 1942, in this cause, numbered 13539 on the docket of said court and styled Albert G. Robeson, Plaintiff, vs. Fletcher Robeson et al, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

A suit to recover 50 acres of land situated in Cooke County Texas, and being the South east one half of the 100 acre tract of land out of the 160 acres of the E. Southern Survey and being the same land described in a deed from Emeretta or Emmie Robeson to Kate Campbell dated April 25, 1910, and recorded in Vol 104, page 42 of the deed records of Cooke County Texas, to which deed

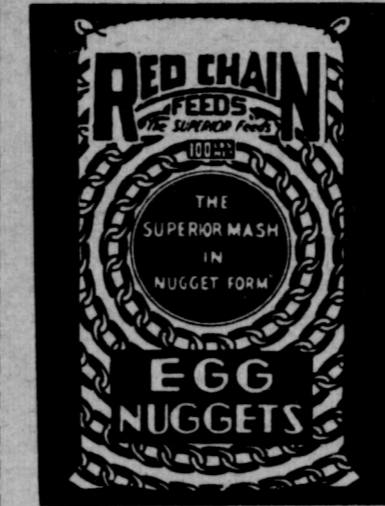
and its record reference is made for all purposes. Plaintiff alleges that he has had open and notorious possession of said land using, occupying and paying taxes on the same for more than ten years prior to the filing of this petition, but that the defendants are claiming some right therein the nature of which is to the plaintiff unknown, and that plaintiff has made valuable improvements thereon prior to the death of Kate Campbell and paid taxes thereon with her knowledge and consent, and upon final hearing he prays that all right and claim of the defendants to said land be cancelled and

that title thereto be adjudicated in this plaintiff and for costs of suit and for general and special relief as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Gainesville, Texas this 25th day of November A.D. 1942.
(Seal) Attest: Martin G. Davis, Clerk
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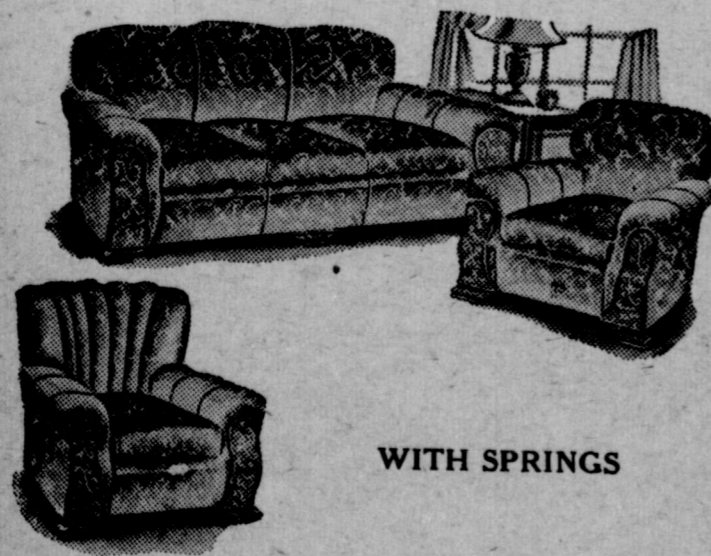


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LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

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

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Teague have as their guest since Wednesday morning, her brother, Cpl. Marcus Webb of Pine Camp, New York, who will spend the holidays here and with relatives at Nocona.

Miss Edith Mae Rhodes will arrive Friday from Wichita Falls for a two weeks' holiday vacation with her mother, Mrs. Jim Cook and Mr. Cook.

**CLEANING & PRESSING
SHOE REPAIRING
Nick Miller**

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hundt of Lindsay are the parents of a son, David Joseph, born at the Muenster clinic Saturday. Mrs. Hundt is the former Miss Marie Becker of this city.

Miss Laverna Starke is recovering normally from an operation for the removal of her appendix at a Gainesville hospital last week and will be moved to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Starke, this week.

The local Mission Sewing Circle has several lovely quilts for sale. Mrs. John Eberhart, president, announced this week. She said they are made of the best materials, are reasonably priced and make excellent Christmas gifts.

Mrs. John Eberhart was able to be up again Monday after spending last week in bed because of illness.

G. H. Hellman sustained a broken index finger on his right hand Saturday when he attempted to crank a tractor.

Mrs. Leona Jackson of Pecos arrived Sunday to spend the coming holidays with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parker of Ft. Worth visited here Sunday with her brother, Hugh Jackson and wife.

Major Connley, a Catholic chaplain at Camp Howze, visited here Sunday with the local pastors and with J. W. Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Branham are rejoicing over their first grandchild, a daughter born Dec. 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Liedtke, Jr., of Gainesville. The baby has been named Carol Ann. Her mother is the former Miss Betty Ann Branham of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rosson of Krum and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rosson, Jr., of Baltimore, who were their guests, visited here last week with Messers. and Mmes. Joe Bergman and Henry Pette. Clyde Jr. soon enters the army. The Rossons formerly resided in Muenster.

Anthony Klement was honored with a farewell party Monday evening in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Klement. He left Tuesday for Coast Guard duty. Fifty relatives and friends enjoyed a social evening of games and refreshments.

A social hour marked the close of the current study club season of the Saint Patrick's club in the Herbert Meurer home Monday evening. Rev. Father Richard was a special guest at the session and the brief social was given to honor him on his birthday. Hot chocolate and cake were served.

Little Miss Olive Haverkamp was honored with a party in observance of her 10th birthday Tuesday when her mother, Mrs. Lee Haverkamp entertained at the family home. Ten little guests enjoyed games and refreshments and the honoree received a nice assortment of gifts. Mrs. John Kathman assisted with hostess duties.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fisch and daughter, Rosemary, moved last week to occupy the house on North Main recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Power. The house vacated by the Fisch family is now the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Horn and the place they formerly occupied has been purchased by John Yosten, who will move to town this week. The Yosten farm will be taken over by Henry J. Fuhrmann of Lindsay.

Muenster ladies recently completed another Chaplain's Kit, and forwarded it to the Chaplain's Aid Society in New York for placement. Mrs. Joe Streng is in charge of the work and this week received a letter from the society thanking those who participated in the work, complimenting the neat handwork and particularly the lovely crocheted cincture. This is the third kit the local ladies have made under the supervision of Mrs. Streng.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hoehn had a Christmas card from their son, Sgt. Clarence Hoehn, Wednesday, which was sent from Angel Island, California. Bud is definitely back in the states after an exciting episode in Lae, New Guinea, where he was injured. His parents are hoping he will be home for Christmas, although the card, mailed Dec. 11, did not give this information.

School Daze

MÜNSTER PUBLIC SCHOOL

Editors: Billy Hoehn and Florentine Trubenbach

This week a new schedule went into effect. School now starts at 9:30, instead of 9, and all the subjects are a half hour later. Classes are dismissed at 4, instead of 4:30, so that children who live in the country can get home sooner. Everyone is rejoicing over the fact that they can stay in bed a half hour longer in the morning.

Thursday and Friday sees the beginning of another six weeks test. All the pupils are wondering if they will make the grade, what with Christmas nearing and their minds on Santa and toys, they wonder.

Emmet Martin is the only one who doesn't think Santa has gone to war. And Dorothy Nell is the only junior who is planning and saving for the big event. What is she expecting?

Mrs. Burchfield is our new teacher for the present, and we are really proud of her, for she can teach us Algebra.

J. L. Cole is back in school this week. What did he eat for Thanksgiving that he would be sick for a whole week?

Bill Hamilton has been absent for three days. Is he ailing, or Christmas shopping?

The girls cooked Wednesday and the boys had to eat the finished products. Naturally the former were concerned over their school-girls figures. Wonder how they would look about ten pounds heavier?

Who broke the water pipe in the General Science and Chemistry class room? Hints or tips appreciated.

The pupils are glad that Catherine and Cornelia are getting along nicely, and are hoping that they will soon be back at classes.

The boys played football with the Sacred Heart team last week, and it was a good game, even if the local team did lose. They tried hard, and perhaps will do better next time. They haven't lost hope.

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The bids are for the sale of the school building only and must be submitted by Saturday, December 19th., 1942. File bids with Albert Henscheid, President of Board, Muenster, Texas.
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Lindsay News

Mrs. Ed Wiesman spent last week with her brother, John Hoberer, Jr., and family.

Miss Rosalie Fuhrmann has recovered from a tonsilectomy performed in Gainesville last week.

Pvt. Vincent Fuhrmann is now stationed at Sheppard Field, his parents disclosed this week.

Pvt. Nicholas Arend was home to spend the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Lena Arend.

Miss Wanda Lou Brown spent the weekend in Muenster with her sister, Mrs. Herman Fette, and family.

Mrs. Margaret Geray and family have moved and now reside about ten miles south of Lindsay on the Cantright Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Trubenbach and son of Muenster were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr.

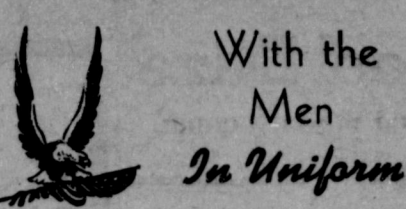
and Mrs. Joe Schmitz.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Loerwald of Galveston spent this week here and at Gainesville with relatives. He is stationed with the Coast Guard at Galveston.

Pvt. Henry Sandmann, who had been at Camp Wolters, was last week transferred to Fort Custer, Michigan, where he is attached to Co. C, 782nd M.P. Bn.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hundt are the parents of a son, David Joseph, born at the Muenster clinic Saturday. The baby was baptised here by Father Conrad Sunday afternoon, assisted by Mrs. Bill Becker and Joe Hundt, grandparents, as sponsors.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Zimmerer miraculously escaped serious injuries Sunday afternoon when she was run over by the family car. Attempting to jump on the running board, while the car was in motion, she fell, and the vehicle passed over her right leg. X-rays revealed no broken bones but the limb was badly bruised and the child has suffered considerable pain this week.



Aviation Student Giles Lehnertz is back in Albuquerque, N. M., for training with the Glider division, after spending several weeks of special study at Artesia, N. M.

Pvt. Martin W. Klement is now stationed at Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyoming, with Co. G, 2nd Regt., QMTR, QMRTC, Bks. 344. He was inducted in the Army on Dec. 4.

To Army Chaplains School
Rev. Francis Zimmerer, recently commissioned a first lieutenant in the Army Chaplains corps will leave on December 29, from Subiaco, Ark., to go to Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., to attend the chaplains school for his basic training, it has been reported. The course will comprise four weeks of study after which he will be stationed at some army camp.

Pfc. Sicking In Africa
Mr. and Mrs. Gus Sicking had a letter from their son, Pfc. Thomas Sicking, Monday, advising that he has landed safely in Northwest Africa. He had previously been stationed in England. Thomas added that he'd like a few more letters from Muenster. His address is: Pfc. Thomas Sicking, 888th M. P. Co., APO 302, New York City, N. Y.

Off to Coast Guard
Eugene Klement, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Klement, who enlisted in the Coast Guard some time ago was called for duty and left this week, Tuesday. His parents and Mrs. Arthur Endres accompanied him as far as Dallas where he joined a group of recruits on the trip to camp.

At Fort Custer
Pvts. Vincent Felderhoff and

Confetti---

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temptible — including a sneak attack while a peace parley was in progress. Any system by which they can be exterminated is legitimate.

What makes me keep thinking about the Nips? When there is no special way of knowing whether we will be assigned to them or the Heinies? Incidentally, that's another thing we have been wondering about. Will the destination be Africa or the South Pacific?

Joe Hess have recently been transferred from Camp Wolters to Fort Custer, Michigan where they are attached to Co. C, 782nd Military Police Bn., their parents advised this week.

BAPTISM ADMINISTERED TO THREE SUNDAY AFTERNOON

An impressive baptism service was held at Sacred Heart church Sunday afternoon when little Pauline Ann, Margaret Mary and James Thomas Myrick, children of Dr. and Mrs. T. S. Myrick, were baptised, following rosary devotions.

Sponsors for the trio were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Meurer, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Hellman and Miss Charlsie Bradshaw and John Lehnertz. Rev. Father Thomas officiated.

WANT ADS

FOR RENT: Two room furnished house. See Bob Yosten, Muenster. 3-2

FOR SALE: Good improved lots with buildings. See Gertrude Esker, Muenster. 2-2p

SCRAP IRON and Metals. Used parts of all kinds. J. P. Flusche, Muenster. 23-1f

WANTED: Two-wheel trailer. Must have good tires. See T. A. Parsons at Magnolia Station, Muenster. 3-2p

FOR RENT: Four room house, 3 miles N.W. of city on highway. See Mrs. Aug. Friske, Muenster. 3-1p

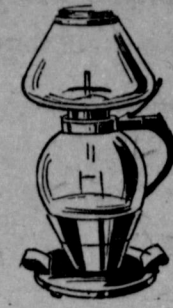
FOR SALE: Goose feathers. Nice and fluffy for pillows or comforts. See Mrs. Joe Lutkenhaus, Muenster. 3-2p

The Masonic oyster supper was well attended Saturday night by members and their families. Visitors were present from Gainesville and other surrounding communities.

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FRANK J. WENDEL, FORMER LINDSAYITE DIES IN KANSAS

Lindsay—Friends here learned this week of the death of Frank J. Wendel, 65, former Lindsay resident, in Wichita, Kansas, following a long illness.

The Wendels resided here for a number of years prior to 1926 when they moved to Kansas. Mr. Wendel was organist at St. Peter's church during his stay in this community.

The deceased was born in Ohio in 1877 and spent most of his lifetime farming. His wife preceded him in death in 1930.

Survivors are three sons and four daughters, a granddaughter and two sisters, who are nuns in St. Francis Convent, Nevada, Mo.

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