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F. J. Hess Withdraws From Race For Muenster Mayor

The bottom fell out of Muenster's anticipated torrid campaign for city mayor this week when Frank Hess announced that he had withdrawn from the race. His reason for withdrawing was that he was not eligible under existing statutes which decree that a person must reside within the city limits for one full year before holding the office of mayor. He had lived in town for seven and one-half months.

This leaves J. M. Weinzapfel the only man on the ticket for mayor. However, on Wednesday, J. P. Rollman announced that he would be a write-in candidate.

During the days preceding Mr. Hess' announcement of withdrawal the campaign was getting hot with charges and counter charges making the rounds and betting was going on as to who would win the office.

Three aldermen are also to be chosen.

The election will be held next Tuesday, April 6, at the Muenster city hall.

Persons who are eligible to cast a ballot at the election are citizens of Muenster who have paid their poll tax. A voter does not necessarily have to be a city tax payer; on the other hand, a tax payer not residing in the city is not entitled to a vote.

Anyone wishing to cast an absentee ballot must register it with the city secretary and attach thereto his poll tax receipt. On election day the secretary will cast all votes according to the wishes of the absentee voters and they can get their poll tax receipts from him any time after election day. The city secretary for Muenster is F. A. Kathman.

Week Of April 4th To 10th Designated As Clean-up Week

By proclamation Gov. Coke R. Stevenson has designated April 4 to 10 as the annual spring Health and Clean-up Week in Texas. The Governor respectfully solicited the support of municipal officials, public health authorities, fire departments, civilian defense units, schools, clubs, civic organizations, the press, the radio and citizens individually in making the observance of clean-up week statewide in scope and results.

In part the proclamation reads, "every loss of food, supplies, production facilities, property and life weakens the resources of this nation, and the preservation of the health of our citizens and the preservation of property from destruction by fire is of vital importance to the support of our men engaged in the battles of a global war."

"Governor Stevenson's proclamation is indeed a timely one. There has not been a time in our generation when the need of fire prevention was of greater importance than now," said Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner.

"Our active participation in clean-up week," he continued, "can mean fires prevented by the removal of hazards. In our battle to reach war production goals fire haunts us as our most destructive and deadly enemy on the home front."

"As war conditions will in the future exact a heavier toll on our resources and productivity each fire loss reflects a delay in hastening victory."

Illustrating the need for fire prevention, the Commissioner added, "we burned almost a million dollars a day in 1942 in fires that included the destruction of war supplies, factories, essential raw materials and homes of war workers."

More Old Hose

Five pounds of silk hose were picked up at the local collection depots by Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel, chairman, this week and represents the amount collected during March. The chairman wishes to remind citizens to keep up this form of war work but emphasized that the hose deposited for this cause must contain silk. All rayon hose do not suffice. The War Department salvages only the silk contained in silk and rayon, silk and cotton, and other mixtures.

John Hofbauer visited his mother and other relatives here during the week and then went back to Hereford to engage in farming. He had just been issued an honorable discharge from the army to engage in this work. He is over 38. While in the service he was stationed at Camp Gruber, Oklahoma.

I hope no one ever asks me to name the most important course in Artillery. O. C. S. Having already had four conflicting answers to that question, I'd be at a loss to shed any light on the subject.

At the very beginning the Motors instructor emphasized the fact that the best guns and firing crews are helpless unless transportation facilities are adequate for moving them to the right place at the right time. In Materiel we heard that proper maintenance was the important consideration. Gunnery instructors were smugly satisfied that their line is the only one. "We won't tell you that this is the most essential. We'll just remind you that an artillery battery has only one purpose—to deliver the fire. That's what this course teaches. So, draw your own conclusion." And then we were introduced to Communications—again with the reminder that everything will go haywire if our system of transmitting orders and information breaks down. In Tactics we'll hear the same line. "All that we've learned before is of little avail if we fail to make the most of the situation at hand." What is this, professional jealousy among instructors or a considered plan to keep us constantly on the beam?

Whatever the answer, we can weigh all the claims and realize that many factors have to click in harmony if artillery is to be effective. Likewise, all the branches of the army have to click together to get results. And the army has to click with the navy and marine corps. It takes team-work all the way through to win a war.

Just now, Communications is the cause of our worries. In a way it's simple stuff, but dished out with the customary O. C. S. speed. It's a big assignment. We're to become familiar with radios, telephones and switchboards, how to install them, what procedure to follow in using them. Installing, incidentally, includes laying miles and miles of wire with the usual list of do's and don'ts. Codes also come in for their share of consideration.

Until this week I never imagined that anything so seemingly simple as speaking over a telephone could become so complicated. This isn't like home where you simply pick up the handset and start talking. No sir, you use authorized army lingo all the way through from the original designation of the party to be called to the final click of the receiver and you're always to remember to press a little switch when talking. The cut-off is there to avoid all unnecessary wear and tear on batteries, which may become scarce in the combat zone.

As regards procedure, we're told the purpose is to simplify as well as standardize. Simplify? Well, who am I to argue with the army?

We have a new alphabet, too, to replace the one they taught us in grade school. It's Abel, Baker, Charlie, Dog, Easy, Fox, etc., instead of their respective letters, always. A single letter is never pronounced. Also, we say "wun-nin-eh" instead of nineteen, and "fl-yiv thuh-ree" instead of fifty-three. Don't laugh. There's a good reason behind it all—more distinctness, resulting in fewer mistakes. The only trouble is trying to form the habit of speaking like that in a few short days. "Out" means good bye. "Over" means I've had my say, now it's your turn. "Repeat" is never used. It's "say again," or "I say again," a little peculiarity for which we are indebted to the British. In their procedure the word is a command to fire another salvo or volley at the same range. So we change our procedure to prevent any misunderstanding if and when we have to communicate with the Tommies.

There's no doubt that Class 61 is headed down the home stretch now. Notice, I referred to the class, not to any individual. Nobody has a cinch. We were emphatically reminded of that the evening we got out of Gunnery. Tactical officers called us together for a session and proceeded to squelch that well known tendency toward a let-down. And just to show they were serious they started stretching the gig list. We'll have to be on the beam whether we want to or not. More drill too. Plus orders for a super-duper job of Spring house cleaning. This is also the season for floods of come-on letters from clothing stores that are interested in gleaming a part of the allowance Uncle Sam provides for uniforms.

FINAL COTTON REPORT

The cotton ginning report for 1942, released this week by Edwin J. Huffaker, special agent for the department of census, shows that 6,578 bales of cotton were ginned in Cooke county from the 1942 crop, as compared with 6,761 bales for the crop of 1941.



Home Nursing Class in the living room of the T. S. Myrick home. Mrs. Myrick, (back to the camera) a registered nurse, conducted the lessons. Mrs. G. H. Hellman is the patient pictured with a thermometer in her mouth, and others shown are, left to right, Miss Marie Trubenbach, Miss Margaret Rohmer, Mrs. Joe Horn, Mrs. Al Wiesman, Mrs. Orlan Edelen, Miss Elizabeth Fleitman, Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel, Mrs. Joe Kathman, Miss Olivia Stock, Mrs. Tony Trubenbach, Jr., Mrs. T. M. Hammer, Mrs. Ray Evans and Miss Ida Rohmer.

Home Nursing Class Ends 12-Week Course

Training Was Given Weekly By Mrs. T. S. Myrick In Her Home

Muenster's Red Cross Nursing Class this week completed a twelve-week course under the instruction of Mrs. T. S. Myrick, registered nurse. The group began study on January 13 and met once each week for a two-hour course. Due to the large number of local women interested two classes were held, the one meeting on Tuesday and the other on Wednesday. Mrs. Myrick gave the course in her home.

Members learned how to diagnose cases, how to treat minor ailments, how to change a bed with a patient in it, and many other rules of community hygiene and elementary nursing. They were taught to call a doctor when in doubt, to give the correct amount of medicine at the right time, to wash their hands with soap and water before attending a patient and to air the sick room with patient firmly covered.

They also learned never to give medicine without a prescription, how to keep fever charts, how to bathe their patients and many tips for making a sick person more comfortable in bed. They learned how to bathe and care for infants and small children, and to destroy left-over medicines when the patient recovers. Many drugs deteriorate with age, or grow stronger, becoming worse than useless.

The course was the official Red Cross course and was conducted only by registered nurses to give wives and mothers the necessary knowledge to care for sick persons, especially during war times when physicians and nurses are busier than usual, and fewer are practicing in civilian life, due to the fact that they are serving in the various branches of the armed forces.

Now, if Uncle Sam needs a corps of home nurses in this locale he will have a complete roster in Mrs. Myrick's class which consists of the following members:

Mesdames Joe Kathman, Herman Swirczynski, E. P. Buckley, J. P. Fisch, J. M. Weinzapfel, M. J. Endres, Tony Gremminger, John Ezell, Jud Boyles, E. O. Teague, Jim Cook, Ben Luke, Frank Bayer, Bruno Fleitman, Tony Felderhoff, John Herr, Joe Horn, Joe Swirczynski.

Mesdames Sammie and Hazel Cooke, Orlan Edelen, Ray Evans, Tony Trubenbach, Jr., Andy Hofbauer, Al Wiesman, G. H. Hellman, Lou Wolf, Arnold Swirczynski, Ira Yaskley and T. M. Hammer, and Misses Ida and Margaret Rohmer, Marie Trubenbach, Elizabeth Fleitman, Anna Hellman, Mary Becker and Olivia Stock.

RATIONING OF MEAT AND ALLIED FOODS IS STARTED MONDAY

The rationing of meat, butter and allied products went into effect Monday, and local meat counters looked rather empty following more than usual week-end buying. From now on the average American citizen can buy only 16 points "worth" of such products weekly, using the red stamps in his No. 2 ration book.

Eight points buys a pound of beef steak this week and the housewife will have to count and save stamps for other items such as butter, lard, margarine, cheese, and canned fish.

This week only red coupons A are valid. These provide 16 points per person. The A stamps may be saved, however, and used anytime through April 30, with other stamps becoming valid in that period. Expiration date of the fifth week has not yet been fixed.

Although a bit confusing, the red stamps cause little trouble, if the dates are remembered.

Column "A" became valid Monday and is good for meat purchases until April 30. Column "B" becomes usable on April 4 with the same deadline. Column "C" comes out April 11, and "D" on April 18. All are good until April 30th.

Though "C" is not valid until April 11, all four columns of stamps may be saved until April 30 and spent a one time.

ATTEND USO OPEN HOUSE

A number of Muenster citizens attended open-house observance at the Gainesville USO club rooms Sunday. The day was designated as national USO day and open house was held in all clubs of the United States. Mrs. Joe Luke, Mrs. Nick Miller and Miss Olivia Stock were among the ladies who served as hostesses during the afternoon and evening at the Elm St. USO club.

Charles, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herr, has been brought home from the Gainesville sanitarium where he last week underwent an operation for a ruptured appendix. He is reported recovering normally, after being seriously ill.

Mrs. T. S. Myrick, in nurse's uniform, shows student nurse, Mrs. Orlan Edelen, how to administer a dose of medicine to student patient, Mrs. Al Wiesman. The class completed the twelve-week course this week. Gainesville Register photos

FARMERS, GARDENERS BUSY THIS WEEK AFTER GOOD RAIN

Muenster and vicinity farmers and gardeners are busy this week in the mild sunshine, getting their land in shape and tending to growing crops and vegetables.

The heavy rain which farmers had been wishing for came last week and spring crops, gardens, pastures and stock tanks all received the full benefit of the heavy precipitation.

Light rains on Tuesday increased in volume during the night and fell incessantly Wednesday and Thursday. Light precipitation continued until Friday noon. 3 1/4 inches were recorded locally.

Practically all the March rainfall came during the two last weeks of the month which interfered with planting. It was either too cold or the ground was too hard and dry. It was the coldest March on record for several years. Since Saturday balmy weather has prevailed.

COOKE COUNTY HAS TOPPED QUOTA IN RED CROSS DRIVE

Cooke county has topped its Red Cross quota. Tabulations on Tuesday showed a total figure of \$10,905.63. The quota assigned was \$10,000.

In Muenster a few more collections have come in, including a \$5 donation from Henry Branham, one dollar from J. H. Gallaher and one dollar from Arnold Hess and fifty cents from Miss Josephine Yosten. Any other contributions not yet acknowledged through this newspaper will be listed next week.

FREE MOVIE MONDAY

A moving picture will be shown at the K of C hall next Monday evening at 9 o'clock under the auspices of the local knights by the NCCS of the USO. It is a religious drama and everybody is invited to attend.

Tin Cans Will Go To War; Drive Is Begun

School Children Are Organized For Campaign Which Ends April 9th

Muenster school children this week joined other students of Cooke county and pupils of Fannin and Grayson counties in an all-out tin can collection campaign which began Monday and ends April 9.

On account of the critical shortage of copper in the war production program, the school children in these 3 counties are conducting a concentrated drive to get all tin cans accumulated in central depots.

Trucks from the Shredded Steel Company in Dallas will pick up the cans and take them to the Dallas plant for processing. They will be shredded for use in copper mines of the Southwest in precipitation mining.

County Superintendent Randolph O'Brien and John R. Block, president of the Gainesville Chamber of Commerce, visited the local schools this week and explained the campaign. School superintendents and general salvage chairmen are assisting the students in the drive.

Mayor Ben Seyler, local salvage chairman, stated that the drive will be conducted in all seriousness this time. "Heretofore when we tried to collect tin cans we had no definite outlet, but this time we are assured of speedy disposition and we want to collect all we can," he said.

Tons of tin cans have been hauled to the local dumping grounds and government trucks will make their pickups there for these. Cans now on hand at local homes will be picked up by school children, wherever possible in the city limits, and farmers are asked to bring theirs to town and leave them at the collection depots.

Both local schools are working out contests between the pupils and after the initial contests are held the collection program will be continuous to supply the vitally needed tin cans to the Dallas plant, which needs all that can be salvaged within a 100-mile radius of Dallas.

Collection depots have been designated at the two schools. The parochial school will stack its pile south of the church, between the sacristy and the side walk. The public school playground, where the scrap was dumped last October, will again serve as the collection spot for students of that school.

All sizes of cans up to gallon size can be used.

Persons in the city limits who have no way of getting their cans to the collection depots are asked to call the principal at either school and they will make arrangements for students to call for them.

Full cooperation of all citizens is urged.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD AT NOCONA FOR JESSIE COKER

Funeral services were held last Tuesday, March 23, at the Methodist church in Nocona for Jessie J. Coker, 68, who died suddenly at his home here on Monday. Rev. J. Frank Blackburn officiated and interment was in Nocona cemetery under direction of Scott Brothers, Saint Jo.

The deceased was born in Decker, Tenn., March 12, 1875, and came to Texas as a youth to live in various cities of the state. He died at his home here, east of the church, but had lived in Nocona for 15 years prior to moving to this community about a year ago. He lived on a farm northwest of the city until about a month before his death.

Survivors are his wife and six children: Paul Coker of Camp McCoy, Mass., Mrs. William Stouder of Nocona, Mrs. Mary Ann Boyles of Muenster, Mrs. Jessie Hill of Henrietta, Mrs. Kathleen Melville of Laredo, and Betty Jean Coker of Muenster.

Mr. and Mrs. Coker had celebrated the 36th anniversary of their wedding on January 13.

Muenster people attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Grammer and son, Harvey, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robertson and children.

POINTS NOT NEEDED FOR DRIED FRUITS

OPA decreed last week that housewives may now buy prunes, raisins and other dried fruits and apple juice without coupons. Other fruit and vegetable juices and dehydrated soups were also cut in point value.

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It Happened 5 Years Ago

Friday, April 1, 1938
 Worst deluge in three years steals tons of top soil, destroys crops and bridges; rainfall amounts to six inches — Two names on ballot for city election of two aldermen. — Muester has low showing in County Meet competition. — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Otto are parents of a daughter, Virginia Rose. — A son is born to Mr. and Mrs. Clem Reiter. — Mr. and Mrs. John Fleitman are parents of a son. — School children honor Pastor Father Frowin with program on feast day. — New equipment added to cheese plant for rush season.

Trained
 Commuter: "Well, I'll tell you, Jones, I wear the trousers in my home."
 Jones: "Yes, but I notice that right after dinner you wear an apron over them."



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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 3rd day of May A. D. 1943, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 20th day of February A. D. 1943, in this cause, numbered 13725 on the docket of said court and styled George F. Moore Plaintiff, vs. B. L. Hoover, et al Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Being a suit to set aside and annul a judgement rendered in the Cooke County District Court in cause No. 12774, and rendered on the 22nd day of February 1939, and to recover the land mentioned and described in plaintiffs petition, and for the recovery of \$60,000.00 damages, and the costs of suit and for general and special relief, as shown by plaintiffs petition herein filed on the 20th day of February 1943, as is more fully shown by Plaintiffs 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 hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Gainesville, Texas, this 16th day of March A. D. 1943.

Attest:
 Martin G. Davis, Clerk,
 District Court, Cooke County,
 Texas.
 (SEAL) (17-18-19-20)

MOSAICS of Sacred Heart High

Principal Absent:
 For the past two weeks, the absence of Sr. Gerarda has resulted in many changes taking place. Sister Geraldine and Sister Paula are managing the classes very

well The upstairs doesn't look so empty any more, as we have the Sophomores and Freshies with us quite often.

Friday the students of S. H. H. S. attended mass and received Holy Communion in a body for the speedy recovery of our principal. As a further token of our love and gratitude a mass stipend and floral offering were sent to Sister Gerarda.

Typing Awards:
 Last Thursday the typing students were doing their best, trying to achieve a certain amount of words. Gladys received a fifty word certificate and Frank a thirty word award. If the others keep up their untiring efforts, they also will reach their goal.

We Admire:
 The snoopers ability to snoop—Juanita's ability to give the glee club a few pointers in singing—Mickey's brown eyes — Harold's descriptive adjectives and his frankness — Rueben's selection of pretty ties — Frank's new title, Junior—Lou's red hair—Gladys's typing ability — Alfons's power to carry the tenor voice in our glee club, all by himself.

Jam Session:
 A song session was held during the afternoon recess, last Thursday. The one and only song sung was "Down in the Pea Patch", the reason being that the pianist couldn't play anything else. While this was going on, Mary Ann said: "It sounds as if they're singing for a funeral". Sis Swinger: "Yes why can't they let a person be buried in peace?"

There is much comment now-a-days about Dolly Endres' receiving ARTIEfyng letters.

It seems that in the Freshman room everyone is swiping bows (beaus). You know they're scarce these days.

Mickey (asking or a blank to fill out) "Sis, will you get me a form?" Sis Swinger: "A form? Oh you mean a shape? Well, I have to get one myself first."

School Daze

MUESTER PUBLIC SCHOOL

The first spring weather has brought a real buzz of activity to the public school. Our game with Saint Jo, caused a lot of excitement. The girls lost the first game after leading it most of the way, then came back to win the last two. We were very proud of their teamwork and sportsmanship. Miss Harrison has helped them learn to work together and play together without personal grudges. The basketball boys were taken for a cleaning, their first loss this year. We remember however that they couldn't practice all week on account of the mud and that we played 8th, 9th and 10th graders while Saint Jo played Seniors. Mr. Burchfiel said "It was a good experience for them and they learned a lot about handling the ball".

Since the boys lost their game they gave the girls a picnic. We met at the school Monday evening and then drove to the Roadside park near Gainesville. The boys had arranged to have plenty to eat and really made it a nice party.

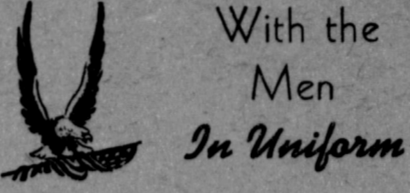
The school bought a new softball and bat for the girls. The boys haven't decided whether to play hard or soft ball. The ball from Mrs. Kline's room has come back home but the bat is still missing.

The eighth grade English class have been making reports on

Philip Sousa, the band leader, and are going to have the program at the Saint Jo Study Club this week. We know the school will be proud for them to represent us. Sammy has been worrying about being the only boy at the meeting.

Raymond, Harold, Louise and Betty were caught doing a thriving business in Note-writing. Have you noticed how Harold winks at a certain girl in his room?

The Junior High Civics Class wrote themes on Citizenship or Personality. Millie's was especially good.



Transfers To Paratroops

Pvt. Alphonse Felderhoff, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Felderhoff, last week transferred from Camp Roberts, Calif., to join the Paratroop division and is now training at Fort Benning, Georgia. He is Muester's second young man to choose this division of the army.

In an interesting letter to the Enterprise Alphonse gives a little information on his training schedule. The first week is devoted to exercise, and at the end of it a six mile run must be made in fifty minutes. During the second week half the time is taken up by learning to pack chutes and the other half by jumping out of thirty-foot towers. During the third week jumps are made from 25 foot towers and the fourth week is the one that gives them the actual jumps from planes, the first jump at an altitude of 1500 feet and the others each at a lower elevation.

He's very enthused over his course and hopes to make the grade. With him in the same outfit is Cecil Harry of Forestburg, the first from that community in the paratroop division.

Alphonse mentioned that his trip was an enjoyable one, taking him through ten states excluding California. He saw his first snow of the winter in New Mexico and missed coming through Texas, but added "I'll be back in the Lone Star state one of these days."

His address is: Pvt. Alphonse J. Felderhoff, 38287116, 1st Paratroop Training Regiment, 2nd Battalion, Co. M, Fort Benning, Ga.

Writes About Activity

Pfc. Harry Fisher, now stationed somewhere in Australia, after a campaign in New Guinea for several months, wrote an interesting letter to his father, Joe Fisher, dated March 15, and received here March 27. The letter states in part: "Here I am in Australia, just loafing, but must get down to business by the end of the week. Will go back to the old camp and start training. If you have been wondering what I did the past five months, well, to begin with, I went through a bombing the first night I was stationed on the island and raids were a regular occurrence every few days. On Christmas morning we had the worst air raid I experienced. I spent several hours in a fox hole. But had earlier attended Mass with artillery shells flying all around us. "Sometimes we were so sleepy we slept in fox holes through the whole raiding procedure. "On one occasion we started up the famous pass, that you have heard much about, but I simply couldn't keep up with the fellows so gave up the chase. I went over the range a different way and after ten days of hard travel through jungles, swamps and rivers, came out and helped build an airstrip

which proved to be one of our greatest achievements. After maintaining the strip about three weeks we met the enemy on their own grounds. We were attacked by a squadron of Zeros. The Nips were dishing it out, but our men gave more than they took. I helped evacuate the casualties and bury the dead. Two of ours to sixteen of the enemy, that's the way the score stood all along.

"We were the boys responsible for keeping the New Burma road open and were subject to many attacks. However, the enemy's marksmanship was quite poor, and we lost not a single man in our company through the whole ordeal."

Harry added that he didn't know how much of his letter would be left by the censors, but nothing was cut out. He stated that he tried to steer clear of certain definite facts in this letter, and could write volumes more, but well, anyway, he was in there pitching all the time. He is with an Engineers Combat division.

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LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Short Items of Interest About Folks You Know

A new brooder house is under construction at Frank Schilling's.

Joe Tempel is employed as a clerk at the FMA store since the weekend.

Misses Marcella and Anselma Pagel of Gainesville spent Sunday with their parents in this city.

Danglmayr Brothers last week bought the Buddy Pette farm six miles southwest of town. The land adjoins the Joe Kreitz farm.

Mrs. Mary Gremminger of Windthorst is here for a visit with her son, Tony Gremminger, and her daughter, Mrs. John Knabe.

Miss Irene Lutkenhaus, employed in Oklahoma City, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lutkenhaus.

Members of the Mission Circle are reminded of a regular afternoon of sewing next Thursday, April 8, in the school basement.

Mrs. Al Swirczynski of Dallas spent Wednesday and Wednesday night here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Yosten and daughter, Linda Ann, of Saint Jo were Sunday dinner guests of his father, Frank Yosten and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Bernauer and sons and Miss Mary Alice Bernauer of Decatur spent Sunday here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Virginia Carter of Fort Worth arrived Wednesday for an indefinite visit with her sister, Mrs. Charlie Hellman and family.

Emil Vogel spent several days of last week in San Antonio as the guest of his son, Sgt. A. F. Vogel, stationed at Fort Sam Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Evans and daughter of Pilot Point were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hess.

Since the beginning of the week Miss Blanche Hammer is employed as bookkeeper at the local refinery.

Jack Hoehn spent last week in Garland with his sister, Mrs. Ed Cler, who accompanied him home

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for a weekend visit in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Endres and sons of Fort Worth spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Endres

Mrs. W. H. Endres is recovering normally from an operation performed at Gainesville Sanitarium last Thursday.

Mrs. A. J. Sprengel of Pilot Point is here for an indefinite visit with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Knabe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Graff and baby of Stroud, Okla., were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Fisch, Jr.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Klement who has been quite ill during the week is reported improved.

Mrs. Ray Swirczynski and little daughter and Mrs. Joe Swirczynski and son, Bernard, spent Sunday at Mineral Wells visiting Pvt. Ray and Sgt. Ed Swirczynski.

Civic League and Garden Club members will have their regular monthly business meeting and program next Friday, April 9th, in the public school at 3:30.

Misses Olivia and Katie Mae Walterscheid entertained with a dinner party in their home Sunday for which twelve of their girl friends were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dickerson announce the birth of a daughter, Linda Lee, at the local clinic Saturday. The Dickersons reside on the Al Wiesman lease.

Virgil Hellman returned to his home in Chicago Saturday after spending two weeks with his father, Wm. Hellman and other relatives in this city.

Mrs. Eddie Magee returned home last weekend from California where she had spent the past two months with her husband who had been stationed at Camp Roberts.

Al Swirczynski this week received another promotion at North American in Dallas. He is now assistant chief engineer of the plant.

Saint Hyacinth's Study Club completed the current year's work Friday evening when it met in the home of Miss Olivia Stock. Seven members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel and children, Joe, Henry and Mary Elizabeth, drove to Wichita Falls Sunday afternoon to visit Rev. Father Frowin and relatives in that city.

Yeoman Earl Fisher and his wife of Dallas and Miss Ida Fisher of Gainesville were weekend guests of their father Joe Fisher and family.

Joe Starke is convalescing nicely at his home northwest of town following a major operation in Wichita Falls recently. He was permitted to be moved home Sunday.

M. and Mrs. Adolph Walterscheid and little son, Sylvan, ac-

companied by his sisters, Misses Olivia and Katie Mae Walterscheid, were Sherman visitors Friday.

Sister Gerarda is recovering normally following a major operation at St. Vincent's hospital in Sherman Friday. Sister Anastasia attended her bedside during the weekend.

Matt Simons of Mena, Ark., visited here Saturday with his sister, Miss Margaret Simons, and with F. J. Schenk. He was enroute to Windthorst to see members of his family.

J. M. Weinzapfel spent one day of last week in San Antonio on business and also enjoyed a visit with his son, Thomas, at Saint John's Seminary, and Ray Wilde, a student at Saint Mary's.

A call meeting for Catholic Daughters of America is scheduled for this Thursday evening at 8:30 in the K of C hall. It is an important business session and full attendance is urged.

Relatives and friends surprised Mrs. J. J. Haverkamp at her home Sunday evening when they gathered to help her celebrate her birthday. A social evening and refreshments were enjoyed.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sicking were their son, Pvt. Lawrence Sicking of Camp Hood and Miss Ruth Mauldin of Gainesville. The visitors were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sicking.

Miss Catherine Seyler of Dallas spent the weekend here with her mother. For Sunday dinner they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hennigan. Other dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Mosman and children of Saint Jo.

Frank Hoedebeck returned to Muenster Tuesday following an honorable discharge from the army. He had been stationed at Camp Livingston, La., with a military police company since his induction last September.

A seven-pound son, Billy Ray was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hellman at the local clinic on Friday, March 26. The baby was baptised the following day by Father Thomas assisted by G. H. Hellman and Miss Anna Hellman as sponsors.

Mrs. Steve Fette left last week for Spokane, Washington, to visit her husband, Pvt. Steve Fette, stationed at Geiger Field, near that city. After arriving there she secured employment at the field and will remain until her husband is transferred.

Pvt. Joe Henry Walterscheid of Fort Sill, Okla., was home for another weekend visit and Sunday at noon was honored with a dinner at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Danglmayr. Other members of his family were also guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Knabe announce the birth of a daughter, Margaret Elizabeth, at the local clinic on Thursday, March 25. The baby was baptised by Father Thomas, assisted by Mrs. A. J. Sprengel of Pilot Point and Gus Knabe, grandparents, as sponsors.

Mrs. Ray Mathews who is making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Patrick south of the city since her husband was inducted in the army three weeks ago, reported this week that Pvt. Mathews is stationed at Camp Santa Anita at Arcadia, Calif., with an Ordnance company.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hellman were delightfully surprised Sunday evening when a group of soldiers from Camp Howze arrived at their home (in time for supper) and spent the evening. The group was composed of musicians and a pleasing program of instrumental

and vocal numbers was presented.

The first 1943 "steel" penny seen in Muenster is the property of John Tempel. It was sent to him by his son, Pfc. Paul Tempel, stationed at Camp Robins, Ga. The penny is bright, very much like a dime, and may be confused and given in change for that piece of money, if not watched.

Mr. and Mrs. John Felderhoff are rejoicing over the birth of their first grandchild, an 8-pound boy, born to Pfc. and Mrs. Aubrey Jennings at Nazareth Hospital in Mineral Wells on March 22. The grandparents went to that city to be baptismal sponsors for the baby. He was named John Aubrey in honor of his grandfather and father. Mrs. Jennings is the former Miss Rita Felderhoff.

**SUNDAY DINNER PARTY
AT J. B. WILDE HOME**

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilde were hosts at a delightful dinner party in their home Sunday for which the following were guests:

Sgt. Michael Tarantola, Sgt. Al Galeoto and Sgt. George Androsko, all of Camp Howze, Miss Inez Tims of Dallas, Miss Charline Bradshaw of Gainesville and Miss Anita Hullum and Mrs. Mildred Olson of Denton.

The young men from camp were also Saturday evening guests at the Wilde home.

**YOUNG LADIES SODALITY
HAS REGULAR MEETING**

Members of the Young Ladies Sodality enjoyed an interesting session recently when they met for their regular March meeting.

Chairmen of the various committees gave reports and plans were made for future activity.

Father Richard, spiritual director, was present and gave a brief address.

Some fellows with nothing better to do have figured out that there are 293 ways of making change for a dollar.

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Query to optimists: If this is a pretty good world for the fix it's in, why is it in the fix it is in?

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WANT ADS

WANT TO BUY an electric iron. J. W. Fisher, Muenster 18-2

EXTRA NICE man's all-wool used suit, only \$12.50 Boy is in the army. See Nick Miller, Muenster. 19-2

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Lindsay News

F. J. Gruber was a business visitor in Muenster Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hundt and children spent Sunday in Muenster with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Becker.

Mr. and Mrs. Pip Fette and sons of Muenster spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brown, here.

Little Elroy Neu was honored with a dinner in observance of his birthday Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neu, entertained in their home.

Cpl. Lawrence Moster of San Francisco, Calif., is here on furlough to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moster and family, and will also visit his brother, Johnny Moster and family at Muenster.

Miss Margaret Gruber of Sherman was the weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Gruber, who also had as their guest Sunday their son, Cpl. Harold Gruber of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Ed Wiesman is back at home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoberer, after visiting in Michigan with her husband who is stationed there with the army.

Pvt. Francis (Cotton) Schmitz of Fort Sill, Okla., spent the weekend here with his father, Theo Schmitz and family. He was driven back to camp Sunday evening by his wife, his sister, Miss Isabel Schmitz and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Schmitz.

Lambert Bezner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bezner has recently been promoted to a second class petty officer. He is with the Seabees branch of the Navy since last August. After training in the states three months he was sent to Alaska. In a letter to his parents this week he advised that he is well and that he would enjoy

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FRIDAY SATURDAY

Don Amechie
Jack Oakie
in

"Something To Shout About"

PREVIEW SAT.-11:30 P. M. and SUNDAY - MONDAY - TUESDAY

Bonita Granville
Tim Holt, & H. B. Warner
in

"Hitler's Children"

PLAZA FRIDAY & SATURDAY

Charles Starrett
in

'The Fighting Buckaroo'

SUNDAY-MONDAY TUESDAY

John Loder
Paul Cavanager
in

"The Gorilla Man"

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'Mysterious Rider'

SUNDAY-MONDAY TUESDAY

"Mississippi Gambler"

TEXAN FRIDAY SATURDAY

"Law Of The Jungles"

SUNDAY-MONDAY TUESDAY

John Sutton
Jene Tierney
in

"Thunder Birds"

THREE BROTHERS SERVE UNCLE SAM



CLARENCE W. MOSMAN



HERBERT MOSMAN



FRANK F. MOSMAN

hearing from friends in Lindsay. His parents will be glad to give his address to friends who would like to write to him.

Mrs. Frank Magee was honored with a surprise dinner party Wednesday in observance of her birthday. Her children and grandchildren gathered at her home with covered dishes for the affair. Present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Felix Yosten and daughter of Saint Jo and Mrs. Henry Grewing of Muenster.

LINDSAY STUDENTS FINISH FIRST AID RED CROSS COURSE

Students of the Lindsay school have completed a junior course of instruction in Red Cross first aid under the direction of Sister M. Viannay. The following made up the class:

Clarence Metzler, Leroy Schmitz, Marie Schmidkofer, Bernadine Lutkenhaus, Norma Jean Mosser, Janette Geray, Donald and Emelia Hermes, Anna Mae and Linus Fuhrmann, Betty Lou Bezner, Elfrieda Block, Robert Lee Bezner, Adeline Dieter, Raymond and Joseph Sandmann, Martha Lee Neu, Sylvester Mosser, Jerome Neu, Clement, Joseph and Julius Hermes, Bernard and Mildred Fleitman, Florence Arendt, Evelyn Block, Rosalie Beyer, Jerome Dieter, William Fuhrmann.



O. C. S. Graduate

Lieut. Bob Mac Cooke arrived here Friday evening for a 10-day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cooke. He had just completed his officers training and was commissioned a second lieutenant at Camp Hood, where for the past three months he had been studying. He is connected with a tank destroyer division. He entered the army last September.

Moved To Florida

Pvt. Anton Fleitman, a mechanic with the army air corps, was last week transferred to the air

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FRIDAY - SATURDAY

2 Features, 1 Price
Feature No. 1

"Texas Trails"

Wm. BOYD
Feature No. 2

"Sweater Girl"

Eddie Bracken, June Preisser
Cartoon
Chapter 1 "Adv. of Red Ryder"

SUNDAY-MONDAY

Two Features—One Price
Feature No. 1

"Hold That Ghost"

BUD ABBOTT and
LOU COSTELLO
Feature No. 2

"Henry & Dizzy"

Jimmy Laden
Mary Anderson
Cartoon
Latest Universal News

These three Mosman brothers, serving in two branches of the service, are sons of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Mosman, former Lindsay residents now residing south of Gainesville. The boys were born in Lindsay and received their education at the Lindsay school. Frank, 26, Master of Arms, enlisted in the Navy last August, and has been stationed at the Dallas base since that time. Herbert, 24, was inducted in the Army on February 2, 1942, and after receiving his basic training at Camp Wolters was sent to San Diego, Calif., where he is stationed with an Infantry division. Clarence, 21, youngest of the trio, is a Seaman First Class, and has been in the Navy since last September. He is stationed at Purcell, Okla. Frank and Herbert are married and their wives are residing near their posts.

base at Venice, Florida after being stationed at Meridian, Miss., for the past two months. His new address is: 386th Service Squadron, Army Air Base, Venice, Florida.

On A Trip For Uncle Sam

Recent communications to their parents from Pvt. Joe Hess, Pvt. Vincent Felderhoff, Pfc. Gus Fleitman and Pfc. Adolph Knabe, reveal that they are "going on a little trip for Uncle" in the near future. The young men are sons of Messrs. and Mmes. J. W. Hess, John Felderhoff, Joe Fleitman and Albert Knabe. Also included in their party are Pvt. Frank Moster of Gainesville and Pvt. Leonard Luttmier of Lindsay.

At Camp Peary, Va.

Sidney J. Otto, Fireman 1-C, who was called for duty two weeks ago is settled for his basic training at Camp Peary, Williamsburg, Virginia, he wrote his mother, Mrs. A. A. Otto, this week.

In Washington

Pvt. Emil Rohmer was recently moved from California to Fort Lawton, Washington. He writes that he is well and that he enjoyed his trip through northern California, Oregon and Washington. His camp is near Seattle.

Stationed Overseas

Pvt. Hugo Wilde, who left the states in January is now stationed with the army in Iran. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wilde received word from him during the week. His wife also resides in Gainesville.

Made Staff Sergeant

Gene Lehnertz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehnertz, was promoted to the rank of Staff Sergeant last week at Camp Stewart, Georgia, where he is attached to a division as an instructor for recruits.

Training In California

B. H. (Bernie) Schumacher, A. S., is now settled in San Diego, training for Navy duty. His wife received a letter from him stating that he is well and interested in his new work.

Reports For Training

Ray J. Berend, son of Mrs. Phillip Berend of Gainesville, former local young man, reported last week at Texas A & M College for a course of Army Air Force

instructions lasting approximately 5 months, prior to his appointment as an aviation cadet in the Army Air Forces. He will take numerous academic courses and elementary flying training. Upon completion of the course he will be classified as a pilot, navigator or bombardier and will go to schools for further training in these specialties.

With Signal Company

Pvt. William Lutkenhaus was last week assigned to a signal depot company at the Army Air Base in Syracuse, N. Y. He was recently moved to that base from Tanforon, Calif., where he attended the air force school for armors. He has been in the service since August.

Reports OK In Africa

Pvt. Jimmy Lehnertz, writing to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehnertz, on March 9, reported that he was OK and plenty busy somewhere in Africa following several major battles in that sector. It was the first word from him in several weeks. Necessarily the letter was brief, but included regards to all his friends here. It was received on the 25th.

To Be Pilot

Staff Sgt. C. M. (Bud) Hoehn, who received his present rating last week at Pyote where he was stationed with the 19th Bomb Group, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hoehn, here Thursday night and Friday and then reported to San Antonio where he is now training for a pilot. He asked to be permitted to transfer to that branch of the air corps and his request was granted. Bud is a veteran of the war having seen action in New Guinea as a tail gunner during the Lae battles.

Off For Duty

Technical Sgt. Charles Wimmer left Monday to report for duty at Camp Campbell, Ky., after spending a two weeks furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wimmer, following his return to the states from Hawaii where he spent 14 months.

Transferred

Pvt. Eddie Magee was last week transferred from Camp Roberts to Greenville, Pa. He had been stationed in California since his induction in December.

First Furlough

Louis Roberg, S 1C, arrived here Monday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Katie Roberg, and other relatives. It is his first furlough since he entered the Navy in Jan. 1942. Stationed in Portland, Maine, most of his 15-day vacation will be taken up by travel. He was five days enroute to Muenster.

Weekend Visitor

Pvt. James Patrick of Strother Air Field, Kansas, spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Patrick.

Tie a little string around your finger and remember to give your scrap metal to the Army today.

SAINT JO CLUB MEETS WITH MUESTER MEMBER

The Twentieth Century Club of Saint Jo met with Mrs. Loyal Burchfiel of this city for its regular meeting for March. Study centered on "International Problems" and a social hour followed.

Interesting facts concerning the South American countries were given in response to roll call. Mrs. Wayne Sills of Saint Jo was leader of the program. Mrs. P. S. Holland gave a discussion of the customs of Brazil and Mrs. J. L. Morgan reported on art and literature of Latin America.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to six members from Saint Jo. Mrs. D. C. Kline of this city and 4 Muenster guests, Misses Elfreda Luke and Mary Wiedemann and Mesdames Jake Menzie and Henry Sicking.

MRS. J. D. WALKER IS HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Shiloh church members and other friends of Mrs. J. D. Walker honored her with a surprise birthday dinner on Sunday, March 21. Mrs. Walker was 52 years old. Some fifty persons enjoyed the affair.

Brothers and sisters of Mrs. Walker in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Ramsey and sons, Roy and Melton, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ramsey and son, Sidney, Matt Ramsey and Mr. and Mrs. Austin McEreath and grandsons, Pat and Mike.

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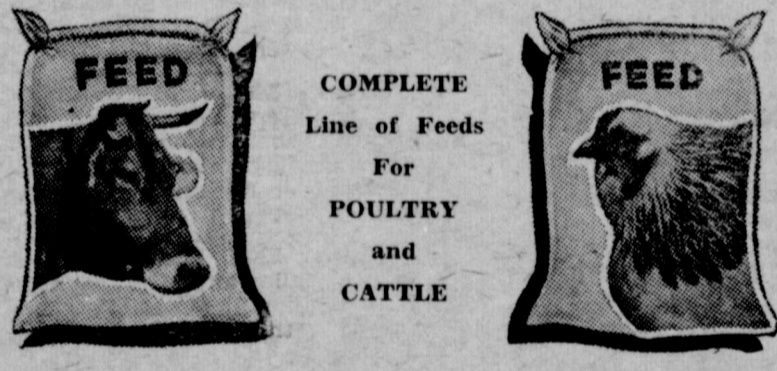
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