

C OF C GROUP HAS ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Unanimous Vote Proclaims Leo N. Henscheid as '38 President

By unanimous vote of acclamation Leo Henscheid was elected president of the Muenster Chamber of Commerce at the first general meeting of the year in the public school Wednesday night. He succeeds J. M. Weinzapfel, who during the past year assumed the duties of both president and secretary. Mr. Weinzapfel was elected to continue in his activity as secretary. Henry Fleitman and J. A. Fisher were chosen to the positions of vice-president and treasurer.

Immediately after their election the officers made the following selections for chairman of committees: Rev. Francis Zimmerer, Recreational, Educational, Religious and Social Committee; J. W. Hess, Agricultural Committee; Dr. T. S. Myrick, Industrial and Roads Committee; R. N. Fette, Publicity and Advertising Committee; J. P. Flusche, Civic Progress and Membership Committee. Upon appointment each of the chairmen was requested to make his selection of committee members, and if possible determine a definite goal with a plan for its achievement, for discussion in a special meeting with officers sometime next week.

Opening the meeting the president, J. M. Weinzapfel outlined the several activities and achievements sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce during the past year; and called attention to future plans as outlined (Continued on page 6)

MUENSTER PLAYERS TO PRESENT THREE ACT DRAMA SUNDAY

A three act comedy, "When a Woman Decides," on which members of the Muenster dramatic group under the direction of Father Francis Zimmerer have been working tirelessly for the past month, will be staged in the Muenster parish hall Sunday night February 13 at 7:30 o'clock, according to word received from Father Francis Wednesday.

Due to their hard work the cast, which is made up of a completely new group of actors promises to stage an exceptionally good play. In it are five girls, Misses Emma Hoenig, Mathilda Hess, Marie Pels, Rita Swirczynski, and Josephine Yosten, and three boys, Joe Streng, Alois Hess and Eugene Lehnertz.

The play is packed with fun and laughter and has a good moral besides, the director said. Rastus Toll, blacker than coal, is played by Gene Lehnertz, who avers that Mandy Dehaven, no whiter than a raven, and played by Josephine Yosten, will change her whole life if she is not careful with her language. She, in turn, has an inkling that he will change her name. Rastus, the head butler, gave his wife the "exquisite" and Mandy says that she had five husbands but the first four starved and she divorced the fifth. In spite of all she wants Rastus to be the sixth.

Serious things happen when Billy (Alois Hess) attempts to evade the affections of three ladies and two young people. Silas Sawyer, just a lawyer, and Hilda M. Burl, a quite ancient girl, who have been engaged for 17 years, decide to help Billy into a rush marriage.

It is a different play with a different cast and hailed by Father Francis as a sure fire hit.

CHURCH PACKED AT CLOSING SERVICE OF 40 HOURS DEVOTION

Crowding the Sacred Heart Church to capacity Catholics of Muenster gathered Sunday afternoon for the closing exercises of forty hours adoration.

Father Bede Mitchell, O. S. B., of Subiaco Abbey, Ark., who conducted services during the period of special devotions, gave the closing sermon, in which he commended the people of Muenster for their piety and faithful attendance. Also included in the closing exercise was the recitation of the rosary, procession and benediction of the Blessed Eucharist and the singing of "Te Deum" by the congregation.

Another special service was the Solemn High Mass Sunday morning with Father Frowin as celebrant, Father Bede as deacon, and Father Juvenal Emmanuel as sub-deacon. Forty hours adoration began at the 8 o'clock Mass Friday.

LITTLE BUSINESS MEN PRESENT VIEWS TO ROOSEVELT



WASHINGTON, D. C.—A committee of twelve representatives of the little business men's conference conferred with President Roosevelt for more than an hour last week in a general discussion of the problems of the small business man. Photo shows the group leaving the Executive Office. Left to right front row: R. P. Hasteley, Chicago; O. L. Roach, Danville, Virginia; Leslie Sanders, Orlando, Florida; Secretary of Commerce

Daniel C. Roper; B. F. McLain, Dallas, Texas; Harold D. North, Cleveland, Ohio and William D. Kimbal, L. I., New York. Back row: D. E. McAvoy, N. Y. C.; Joseph B. Kleckner; Earnest Draper, Assistant Secretary of Commerce; W. C. Tinsley, Tampa, Florida; James G. Daly, Columbus, Ohio and W. K. Hunter, Gafney, S. C.

REA PROJECT GETS DISCOURAGEMENT IN ENGINEER'S LETTER

A slight setback for Muenster's rural electrification project came early this week when a communication from REA headquarters at Washington revealed that authorities regard the project as too small for efficient and economical maintenance. J. W. Hess, chairman of the Rural Electrification committee, said Tuesday.

Stating that a minimum of 100 miles averaging three consumers per mile would be far more satisfactory than the proposed line of some 50 miles with 178 consumers, the REA engineer suggested that steps be taken either to extend the proposed project or to combine with some other project.

In this connection Mr. Hess said that a suggestion had already been received from a state engineer that the Muenster REA seek to be included in the Denton project which already extends as far north as Era. Mention was also made that the Denton allotment is large enough to permit the inclusion of the Muenster project without additional grants from Washington.

Since he feels that the Muenster project would be successful and profitable once it is completed, Mr. Hess is anxious to avoid connection with another project if it is at all possible. To that end he is now inquiring into the possibility of extending to some of the surrounding communities and trying again for the signature of a few who did not sign up in the first survey.

DEATH WEDNESDAY ENDS SICKNESS OF ELIZABETH BEYER

Lindsay, Feb. 9.—Funeral services for Miss Elizabeth Beyer, who died at the home of her brother, Adam Beyer near Lindsay at 2:15 Wednesday morning, were held from Saint Peter's church at 9 o'clock Thursday morning.

Death came to Miss Beyer as an end to several years of failing health and a relief to her critical illness of intense suffering during the past five weeks.

FATHER JOHN NIGG DRIVEN TO BED BY BRONCHIAL ATTACK

Lindsay, Feb. 9.—Since Thursday of last week the Rev. Father John has been confined to bed at his home with a severe attack of bronchitis. Reports Monday were that he was resting better but that he was in a very weakened condition.

Due to the Rev. pastor's illness, services in St. Peter's Church Sunday were conducted by the Rev. Father Francis of Muenster.

REVEREND FRANCIS RELIEVES STRICKEN PASTOR OF LINDSAY

On Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday Father Francis Zimmerer was in Lindsay to assume the pastoral duties of Father John Nigg, who for the past week has been confined to bed with a serious attack of bronchitis. Father Francis returned to Muenster Tuesday afternoon when the Rev. Edward Burgert, Abbot of Subiaco Abbey, arrived at Lindsay to remain with the patient.

THIRD COUNTY TITLE WON BY BURGER QUINT

Defeat Calisburg in Final To Win Trophy Of Class B Race

The Muenster High School basketball team climaxed the most successful season of its basketball career by defeating the Bulcher Cardinals in the final county play-off game at the Fair Park Gym, Gainesville, Wednesday night, to cop the Cooke County Interscholastic League championship.

Starting with the elimination last Friday, the Sumacs survived a field of 14 teams to win the right to represent Cooke county in the district meet which will be held at the T. C. U. Field House, Fort Worth, February 18 and 19.

Coach Burger's quintet won the class B Championship by defeating Union Grove 42 to 10, Myra 38 to 19, and the strong Calisburg five 24 to 12. Calisburg Hot

Entering the competition with an untainted record, the Calisburg five proved to be the Sumacs' most formidable foe. The basketekers from the Eastern part of the County had the Westerners on the defensive when he two Castleberry brothers threw long range field goals from difficult angles of the floor to give their team a 7-1 lead early in the game. The tide gradually turned, however, as the Blue and Gold defense tightened while the offense hit its stride to take a 11 to 8 lead just as the half ended.

The Burger quintet worked smoothly during the second half to score 13 points to their opponents' four.

Bulcher Defeats Gainesville
The Bulcher Cardinals, Class C champs, defeated the Gainesville Leopards, Class A contenders, 23-4, to go into the finals with Muenster.

DANCE BRINGS \$150 TO CEMETERY FUND OF CIVIC LEAGUE

Members of the cemetery committee of the Ladies' Civic League are thrilled with the splendid success of their benefit dance given Tuesday night in the Knights of Columbus hall. Taking in well over \$200, the ladies estimate their addition to the cemetery maintenance fund at almost \$150. Mrs. Herbert Meurer, chairman, stated after a hasty estimate of expenses incurred.

The success of the dance was due in a large measure to the tireless efforts of several ladies in their advance ticket selling campaign, which netted considerably more than half of the gross receipts. Those sales, in many cases, were voluntary donations, as was revealed by the fact that more than thirty tickets were not presented. Gainesville business men especially supported the cause but did not appear at the dance.

By the dance the ladies raised to almost \$200 their fund to continue in the cemetery improvement program.

Gordon Shay and his orchestra of Wichita Falls provided music for the occasion. Attendance was drawn principally from Muenster and Gainesville.

BLINDNESS RESULTS FROM INJURIES OF DYNAMITE BLAST

After encouraging prospects following the first day of his injury, Robert McKinney, who sustained a badly butchered face when dynamite discharged under him on Wednesday of last week, now faces a life of blindness. Attending physicians, first working feverishly to save the unfortunate man's sight, decided to remove the eye only after their chance of saving it had become hopeless.

The operation had not been performed on Tuesday, according to Worth Shawver, who had been visiting Mr. McKinney daily, but doctors intended to operate as soon as swelling would recede sufficiently to permit it.

Except for intense pain in the eye the patient is said to be progressing nicely. His several facial wounds are beginning to heal, and the foot which was injured by the terrific blow beneath it, is causing less pain.

Mr. McKinney's injuries were received on the left side of his face, the side containing his only eye. Both of Mr. McKinney's eyes were lost in the service of R. W. McKinney, Worth Shawver stated. His right eye was destroyed in an accident several years ago.

The injured man is not a relative of his employer.

VOLLEY TOURNAMENT OF COUNTY SEXTETS TO BE HELD THIS WEEK

Following the excitement of last Friday and Saturday, in which schoolboys of the county were in the limelight, the schoolgirls will make their bid for attention this week-end when they compete for Class B and Class C volleyball championships.

Team pairings which were in effect during the basketball tournament, as well as the same hours for playing, will be in effect during the girls tournament.

Miss Fette's charges at Muenster High School, competing for Class B honors, are rated as underdogs in their division. In the event, however, that they rise to the heights they have reached on a few occasions during their past season they will have a fighting chance for the coveted title.

Valley View, a consistent winner of the tourney, again ranks as favorite, but its supremacy is being challenged by an up and coming sextet at Calisburg that has an enviable record for its games thus far. These teams are due to meet in the semi-final match.

Scheduled to meet Union Grove and Myra in the opening games Muenster has a fair chance to play in the finals contest. With hard consistent playing the girls can eliminate Myra. As for Union Grove, little is known, but judging from its teams of the past, Muenster should be able to win.

In the Class C division Bulcher's Cardinal girls loom up as the most formidable contenders. As in basketball tournament, indications are that the ancient rivalry of that school and Valley Creek will be carried into the finals.

NEW BRIDGE NEAR BULCHER

Road activity on precinct 4 nowadays is being concentrated on grading and the construction of a new bridge on the Huggins oil field road south of Bulcher. Commissioner Joe Bezner revealed this week.

Hauling of Base Rock to Road East of Muenster Completed Wednesday

TEXAS CO. STRIKES GOOD PRODUCER ON TREUBENBACH FARM

Another good paying well for the Muenster field is that brought in by Texas Company Tuesday on Tony Treubenbach's place. Twenty-six feet of pay sand were struck at a depth of 765. According to A. T. Hoehn, local representative of the Texas Company, the production is estimated between 50 and 100 barrels a day. Setting of pipes is now in progress and pumping will begin within the next few days.

SACRED HEART HIGH GRILS TAKE ENTIRE CHARGE OF PLAYLET

A delightful playlet, "The New Cook," presented by the girls of the eleventh grade under the direction of one of their classmates, was the outstanding attraction of the assembly period at Sacred Heart High School Monday afternoon. As a test of their ability to take hold of a situation the young ladies were permitted to select parts, rehearse and present the play without help from their instructors.

Miss Frances Wiesman directed the play, which dealt with the manifold problems in selecting a new cook. The cast consisted of Misses Marie Pels, Catherine Swirczynski, Rita Voth, Clara Hoenig, and Lorene Fisher.

CAR, PURSE STOLEN FROM J. T. BARKER BY ARMED THIEVES

Prior to Wednesday no trace had been found of the 1936 Chevrolet coupe stolen from J. T. Barker at his home last Saturday night, Mrs. Henry Barker said Wednesday morning.

At the point of a gun Mr. Barker was forced to surrender the keys of the machine to the thieves who entered his home about 10 o'clock, only a few minutes after he and his wife returned from the Cooke County basketball tournament at Gainesville.

After they were in the house a short time, Mrs. Barker stated, J. T. decided to give his usual attention to oil pumping equipment, and while going through a back room on his way outside encountered the criminals, who robbed him of his wallet containing \$11 and demanded keys for the automobile.

Judging from trampled flower beds and other footsteps, the Barkers think that the thieves were on the premises at the time they returned home. Their demanding the keys seemed to indicate also that they attempted to steal the machine immediately then came in with the sole intention of getting the keys.

Mrs. J. T. Barker, preparing to retire in an adjoining room was unable to determine what was taking place between her husband and the visitors but promptly secured the keys and passed them through the door when J. T. asked for them.

While leaving one of the criminals held his gun on Mr. Barker while the other turned the car around, then both speeded away. By the time Mr. Barker procured his gun the car was out of range.

His next move was to notify Muenster and Gainesville peace officers by rushing to the refinery, where he broke a window in order to reach a telephone.

Fortunately Mr. Barker's car was insured against theft. Unless his machine is recovered he will, however, be without a car for three months, the time required by law to permit a thorough search.

JOE BEZNER ASKS FOR RE-ELECTION AS ROAD COMMISSIONER

Joe Bezner, the present commissioner of precinct number 4 is a candidate for re-election in the Cooke county primary election in July.

The Enterprise, authorized to announce Mr. Bezner's candidacy, will present his message to voters in a future issue.

40,000 POUNDS OF MILK

Following the best January business of its career the Muenster cheese factory entered the month of February with a daily receipt of about 40,000 pounds of milk, a figure almost twice as large as that of last year and greater than the February receipts of any previous year.

Require Another Week To Prepare Road For Traffic

At the end of next week, so the signs read now, the road between Muenster and Gainesville will be thrown open to traffic. Jack McKinney, bookkeeper of the R. W. McKinney Co., said Wednesday. The last load of crushed rock for the base was deposited shortly before day-break Wednesday.

About one week of grading and slush rolling, which consists of packing the rock while it is thoroughly soaked, was estimated by Mr. McKinney as the care needed to get the road in condition for travel. From that time until the road is again closed for final topping it will be open to traffic, with the possible exception of extremely wet weather when the road is more subject to chopping out.

With the completion of this job the McKinney Company begins on its final week's work before moving its power shovel and crushing equipment to the next location at Muleshoe. During that time about 14,000 yards of topping rock will be crushed to await application with topping oil as the last course.

Also to be completed is a span of about 200 yards adjoining the quarry on which the rock course is yet to be applied. This space has been left open because of the many rocks which fly there while blasting. After blasting is finished uniform size rocks can be hauled to the place.

The greater part of the McKinney equipment and also most of the men will begin the westward move at the end of next week provided favorable weather permits them to follow the regular schedule.

Many of the men, however, and a few tractors and graders will remain here to put the finishing touches on the job and to maintain the road in suitable condition. In many places tile underdrains will have to be installed to avoid seepy spots. In other places grass retards must be built in ditches to avoid the possibility of cutting out at the side of the road.

Men are scheduled to remain at these tasks almost constantly for the next four or six weeks. At that time it is thought, the topping course can be applied.

NEXT ELECTION OF CITY OFFICERS ON TUESDAY, APRIL 5

Giving notice of the approaching annual election of officers to the city council and fixing the election date for Tuesday April 5, headlined the activity of the council in its regular meeting Monday night, February 7. Two aldermen are to be chosen in the election, one for the position to be vacated at the end of Henry Stelzer's term and the other for the position that has been vacant since Joe Felderhoff's death last year. To date no candidates have been named.

A report from city water commissioner, M. J. Endres revealed that a new and more efficient gauge had been completed on the water supply tank. Replacing the old type gauge, that now in use has an indicator attached to a cable which in turn is connected with a copper float inside. Passing over barn door rollers the cable is thought to wear indefinitely, and the previous noises from wind lapping the cable against the tank is eliminated by a guard holding it rigidly in place. The repair work was done recently by J. M. Luke.

A proposition to seek help from the Texas Railroad Commission to secure a lower gas rate for Muenster also received attention and ended with a resolution to welcome the commission's assistance.

Regarding a request from the Ladies' Civic League for a donation of sufficient water to maintain trees and shrubs in the cemetery, the council voted to furnish half the water provided the Sacred Heart Parish furnish the other half. In the discussion it was pointed out that the cemetery is parish rather than city property and its maintenance should therefore be a community enterprise. As pastor of the parish Father Frowin will be requested to furnish water from the church and school supply.

FORMER RESIDENT HURT

Mrs. Joe Horn of Spokane, Wash., who is remembered as a resident of Muenster for many years, sustained a broken hip in a fall on January 30, according to word recently received by the J. S. Horn family. Her doctor states that she will be forced to spend at least 3 months in a hospital and probably will have to use crutches the rest of her life.

LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

After an absence of several months Miss Mary Wiesman of Fort Worth returned Sunday for a visit with her mother.

Clarence "Dutch" Albers of Gainesville was on special duty at H-5 Motor Service during the early part of this week.

J. B. Wilde, Charles Cler, and William Becker were in Dallas Tuesday to attend the showing of new Case tractors and combines.

Rowena is the name selected for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Selby Fielder. She was born on Feb. 6.

Stanley Yosten of Denison returned for the Ladies' Civic League benefit dance Tuesday night.

Mrs. John Kathman is said to be recovering nicely from her appendicitis operation at the Gainesville hospital last Monday.

The Pollards living in the trailer house near Joe Swinger's home are the parents of a new baby boy. The little fellow was born Sunday.

Since about a week ago Harley Wall of Decatur has been on the personnel of the Muenster Milling Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Flusche and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clevenger of Decatur attended the civic league benefit dance here Tuesday night.

Clyde Woods left for Fort Worth early Wednesday after receiving a message that a sick niece is not expected to live.

Misses Clara Hoenig and Lorene Fisher represented Muenster at a CYO meeting in Pilot Point Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Schmitz and Ray Hellman spent Sunday at Fort Worth.

Following a several weeks visit with friends here Henry Weske and Joe and Ed Breckl left last Thursday for their home in Colorado.

The home of John Fleitman south of Myra has just been favored with new wall paper and paint.

John Walterscheid and John Hacker have finished their carpenter work, and interior decorating is almost complete in Frank Hess' new four room house on North Main St.

Completing his mid-term exams at A. and M. College, M. J. Endres Jr., returned to Muenster for a visit during the past week-end.

Paul Gray of Bowie spent the past week-end as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Carter.

Headed south and searching for any adventure, Richard Fette left Sunday for a trip of indefinite duration to parts unknown. His place on the Enterprise staff has since been taken by Jake Horn Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schoech and son, Jimmy of Dallas, were guests of friends in Muenster last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Schad of Gainesville are the parents of a baby daughter, born on February 8. She has been named Margaret Marie.

Mrs. Orval Malone of Wichita Falls was back Tuesday night for a visit with old friends at the dance. She accompanied her husband, who is a member of Gordon Shay's orchestra.

About 36,000 pounds of Muenster cheese was shipped out during the first four days of this week. The larger consignments were two loads each to Dallas and Fort Worth and one to the Vernon Meat Company.

Since last week the alley leading from Main Street past Ben Seyler's garage is on a par with any of the town's side streets. Ben hired a grader to complete the work he began several months ago by hauling gravel to the alley. Once the scene of junk piles, the alley is now open and passable.

Among recently installed improvements at the cheese factory is a new centrifugal pump for the aerator by which almost a third more milk can be treated than with the formerly used gravitational system. The pump also permits the aerator to be placed in a lower, more accessible position, which is more convenient for adjustment or cleaning.

Father Juvenal Emmanuel, O. F. M., of Chicago, continued Monday on his tour to parishes of the South having units of the Third Order of

St. Francis. During his five day stay in Muenster he enjoyed visits with his boyhood friends, the members of the Yosten families.

While on a business tour to several cities of this state Adolph Hellman of Chicago paused here for a brief visit in the G. H. Hellman home last Sunday. He was joined there by other relatives for an impromptu party Sunday night.

John Walter was host and high man at the weekly card game and Dutch lunch party of the Sheephead club last Wednesday night. Pete Rollman was the goat of the evening.

Joe Smith, one of the employees of the R. W. McKinney Company, underwent an operation for rupture at the Gainesville hospital Tuesday afternoon. The injury was sustained early that day when Mr. Smith was attempting to lift a large rock.

Since Monday Frank Wiesman has been a night watchman at one of the road barriers of the R. W. McKinney Company. Previously employed at the rock quarry, Mr. Wiesman was transferred to less strenuous work after receiving painful head and chest bruises from an engine backfire while attempting to start the air compressor. Two stitches taken in his forehead on Wednesday of last week were removed Wednesday.

VISITOR GREETED WITH BIRTHDAY DINNER, PARTY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cooke was the scene of a delightful dinner and party last Wednesday night when Mr. James Parker, then a guest of his son, Joe Parker, was honored on his 72nd birthday. Guests in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. James Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parker, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Buckley and daughter, Betty Lou, Mrs. Gene Carter and daughter, Peggy.

Mr. and Mrs. James Parker left Thursday afternoon to visit a daughter at Gladewater after which they will return to their home in Illinois.

17th ANNIVERSARY HELD IN HENNIGAN HOME

Observing the 17th anniversary of their marriage, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hennigan entertained about 30 guests at a delightful bridge party in their home Tuesday night. The party room was beautifully decorated with pink snapdragons and the dining room with white cornucopias.

The lunch plate consisted of fresh sausage and roast tenderloin with accessories, fruit cake and coffee.

BANS ANNOUNCED FOR TWO WEDDINGS

Bans revealing the approaching marriage of two couples were announced for the first time at the Sacred Heart Church Sunday morning.

On Feb. 21 Miss Marie Flusche will become the bride of Lawrence Zimmerman of Dindsay.

Miss Agnes Knabe and Albert Hess will be married on Feb. 22.

MUENSTER FRIENDS WILL ATTEND FIRST MASS AT HEREFORD

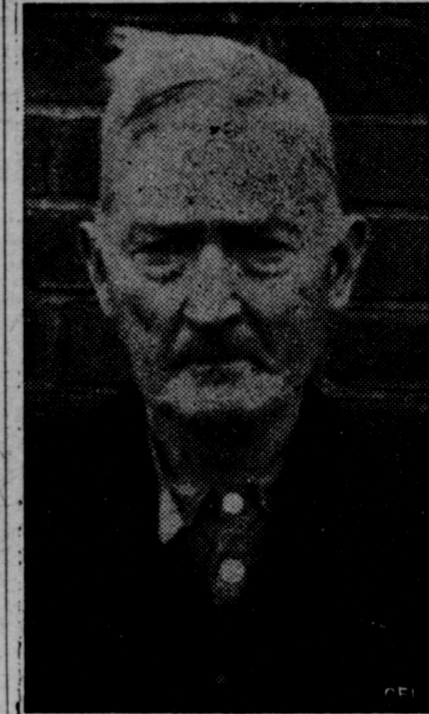
Indications during the early part of this week were that about twenty relatives and friends will be in Hereford next Tuesday, February 15, when Rev. Bonaventure F. Koelzer, S. A. celebrates his first Solemn High Mass following his ordination at Amarillo Sunday. The new priest is remembered here as Louis Koelzer, who moved to Hereford with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Koelzer,

COMBINED AGES TOTAL 265 YEARS



Believed to be the three oldest living sisters in Indiana whose combined ages are 265, are Mrs. Mary Treman, age 90, Miss Charlott "Lottie" Brundage, aged 87, and Mrs. Calistra McCullough, aged 85, all of Michigan City, Indiana.

GHOSTS WANTED



Hickman Whittington, 68 years old, a farmer, of Benton, Illinois, has run this advertisement. "Any one having a house that is haunted, let me know, I will redeem it. It will cost you nothing." Hickman said he would enter the haunted house alone and sit there in darkness until the ghost arrived. Then he would recite a Biblical text, that would drive any ghost from the place at once.

Club met in the home of Mrs. Dude Rosson, Tuesday afternoon for their regular monthly meeting.

The program for the day was devoted to discussions on orchard and garden, and a demonstration was given in soil testing to determine excessive acid or alkaline content.

During the recreation hour, games were played, and prizes were given to Mrs. Sam McCool and Mrs. Adolph Walterscheid.

Seven members and two visitors, Mrs. Jeff Linn and Mrs. Era Mitchell were present.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Ben Sicking on the afternoon of Tuesday, February 22.

M. J. Endres spent Tuesday in Dallas buying his Spring supply of merchandise.

If your business isn't worth advertising, advertise it FOR SALE!

TENNIS CHAMP



ORLANDO, Florida. — Pretty Marta Barnett of Miami is Florida's women tennis champion. She recently won the state open title at Orlando.

During recent years Father Bonaventure has been a student at the Catholic University, Washington, D. C., and at the Society of Atonement seminary in Graymoor, N. Y.

Linn News

MISS BARBARA HARRISON Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hellman announce the birth of a daughter born to them January 29.

Mrs. Robert Fears of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Price McCool, Sunday.

Mrs. Adolf Walterscheid gave a birthday party in honor of her little 10 year old son, Dennis, Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Linn has returned from a three weeks visit with her daughter,

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SHORT WAVE COLD TREATMENT DIRECTS HEAT ON INFECTION

BOSTON.—A quick and effective treatment for the common cold and sinus infections was announced Friday night by the New England Medical Center.

This treatment is by a new type of short wave machine which concentrates and directs the rays upon infected areas, and, through heat, destroys the infection.

In treating a head cold, for instance, the rays are applied to the nasal region of the face. Doctors at the Boston Dispensary, a unit of the medical center, said the treatment gave no pain and no unpleasant sensation.

Six hundred patients were treated at the dispensary before physicians revealed their findings.

The value of the new machine over those previously in use, the center said, lay in its ability to concentrate and focus the rays.

EDISON PUPIL TO CAST LOT WITH RELIGION

SAN FRANCISCO.—The "boy genius" selected in 1929 by Thomas A. Edison has turned his back on science and invention in favor of religion.

Picked by Edison after a nationwide investigation, Wilber Huston of Seattle was sent to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology to be groomed as a possible successor to the great electrical wizard. He did brilliantly and after graduation established himself as a consulting engineer.

But now he declares the world can get along without his contributions to science. He will devote his life to the Oxford group, a world-wide movement to bring religion home to the individual.

"Instead of building bigger and better bridges and machines," he explains, "the need is to build better individuals. Today there is a real hunger on the part of the people for spiritual values."

A lot of disastrous things—wars, depressions and so forth—have occurred since young Huston was catapulted to fame as the probable "second Edison." He admits these have influenced his decision.

Huston is only 25 years old and looks forward to a long and useful career in personal evangelism. He believes Edison would have approved his change of plans.

NEW NICKEL IS DUE THIS YEAR, JEFFERSON WILL REPLACE BISON

WASHINGTON.—The American public will jingle a new nickel in its jeans before the close of this year. It will be the first time since 1913, when the buffalo nickel was introduced that there has been a change in the design of the nickel.

Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau Jr. announced that a likeness of Thomas Jefferson, third President of the United States, will replace the bison of the Western Plains that has been used for twenty-five years.

A national competition for a design will be held, with a first prize of \$1,000.

On the side of the new nickel with Jefferson's likeness will be the word "Liberty" and the date. On the reverse side will be a representation of Jefferson's home, near Charlottesville, Va., and its name, "Monticello." There also will be the legal re-

quirements — the inscriptions, "E Pluribus Unum," "United States of America" and "Five Cents." The design will have the familiar motto, "In God We Trust," which is not on the present nickel.

MAGICIAN RAPS FAKE SEERS, TABLE-RAPPERS

SAN FRANCISCO.—John Mulholland, one of the better magicians who thinks spiritualists, fortune tellers, astrologists and phrenologists are fakes, explained his formula for doing tricks today.

"Magic is 10 per cent apparatus, 10 per cent manipulation and 80 per cent psychology," the magician declared. "It's no more, no less, and there you have the story of the so-called psychics who roam the earth today."

Mulholland likes to carry his magic to the club cars of trains, to trolleys, to formal dinner parties or musicales.

He likes to tell of his appearance before the Sultan of Sulu, ruler of 500,000 Mohammedans in the Philippines. After the magician produced bright coins out of a native beauty's hairdress, the sultan wanted to make Mulholland minister of finance.

WAITING FOR WINNER



Here's the reason why 232,656 tenpin artists from coast to coast are rolling high, wide and handsome in the \$31,000 Bowling Sweepstakes. Naomi Anderson (left) and Donna Crowley hold some of the "big money" checks waiting for high scorers at Chicago headquarters of the Sweepstakes which attracted more entrants than any other event in sports history. The mineralite balls and regulation shoes are part of the bowling equipment which are among the prizes awarded each week for six weeks in the Sweepstakes.

WHO WAS THE OLDEST PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES?

Andrew Jackson was the oldest man who has occupied the Presidency thus far. He was born March 15, 1767, and lacked only eleven days of being 70 years of age when he retired from the White House March 4, 1837.

James Buchanan lacked 50 days of being 70 when on March 4, 1861,

YOUNGEST DRIVER



Robert William Meadows, two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meadows of North Wilkesboro, North Carolina, claims the distinction of being the world's Youngest Operator of a power driven automobile. Bobbie is shown above driving the tiny motor car constructed for him by his father.

A little lady of five who started dancing as soon as she was able to walk and who a year ago decided to become an outstanding figure skater, tucked her skates under her arm last week and boarded a plane in St. Paul for her first professional appearance in New York. Miss Irene Davidson, small daughter of the Harry Davidsons of St. Paul, will make her debut at a leading New York hotel shortly.

he yielded the presidency to Abraham Lincoln.

William Henry Harrison, who was born February 9, 1773, was the oldest president at the time of his election and inauguration. He was 68 when elected and 69 when inaugurated March 4, 1841. He died a month later.

Theodore Roosevelt was the youngest man who has occupied the presidency. He was born October 27,

1858, and lacked 42 days of being 43 years of age when he became president as the result of McKinley's death September 14, 1901.

Roosevelt was also the youngest man who has been elected to the presidency, being only a few days past 46 when he was elected in 1904.

Ulysses S. Grant, his nearest competitor in respect to youth, was also 46, but a few months older, at the time of his election the first time.

HEART ATTACK ENDS 'ICE BATHER'S' LIFE

NEW YORK.—Harry Kennedy, 63-year-old tavern keeper boasted to his friends that for 40 years, summer and winter, he had not missed his daily swim in the waters off Rockaway Beach.

Frequently, in the dead of winter, he sat on ice cakes and did exercises before plunging into the waters, as chilled spectators watched.

Yesterday, with the 30-degree temperature, practically "tropical" to Kennedy he started his swim through the cold surf. Suddenly he collapsed, and watchers dragged him to shore.

He was dead of a heart attack.

RUNS QUAIL INTO HOLE, SITS ON IT

M'CAMNEY.—West of the Pecos there ain't a better bird dog anywhere than Ed Schnaubert's "setter."

He runs round and round in circles chasing quail down a prairie dog hole then he sits on the hole.

"When Ed is ready, the dog eases over a bit and out flies a bird," says S. S. Key of McCamney, who hunts with Ed.

"And you know, that doggone dog watches Ed's trigger finger for signals and lets a bird out every time it's lifted. Last time we got 21 birds. Did you ever hear of such a bird dog?"

DOG'S COLD NOSE MAKES HOT NEWS IN CHICKEN COOP

DALLAS.—Roast chicken will be

the main course at Henry Lemond's house for at least eight days. Lemond, a member of the Dallas police force, heard a noise in his chicken coop last night. With only one house dog and an old-fashioned night shirt, he went out to investigate. He cocked both barrels of his shotgun and waited.

Curious to know what his master was up to, the family dog came sniffing along. Finally the cold canine nose came in contact with an unprotected portion of Lemond's anatomy.

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HAPPINESS

Speaking before the Knights of Columbus last week Father Juvenal Emmanuel O. F. M., of Chicago called attention to the fact that men universally guard their worldly goods against theft but too few attempt to guard their greatest possessions—happiness and peace of heart.

Aware, as many of us are, of now existing circumstance that has caused some resentment and a few sharp words, we cannot but accept the speaker's words as gems of wisdom scattered at a very opportune moment.

At this very time there are some who expose their happiness to theft like the careless fellow who leaves a valued possession in a convenient place for a sneak thief. They, by their attitude, are encouraging others to do or say the very things that will arouse their anger; then spend days, perhaps weeks or months, with a resentment as unpleasant to themselves as to others.

At times it does seem difficult to keep a temper under control. Man has an instinctive tendency toward self preservation, which asserts itself just as definitely in defense of opinions as of life or limb. The comparison goes even farther. There have been times when brutes have used force to gain their ends only to find that they have increased their own danger, and lost the respect of others and themselves. People can impose their opinions on others and find that they have weakened their own advantage and also lost respect.

When contention arises it is always wise to remember the injunction "Let him who is without sin cast the first stone." According to usual human standards all strife should end there. For in very few cases, perhaps in none, was there ever a conflict without both sides being at fault. When such is the case does it not seem reasonable for both sides to consider their sins and refrain from throwing stones?

History will tell us that the world's greatest business transactions resulted from compromises. Though only a very insignificant event for the world at large, history is in the making here and now. Will those concerned drive their little problems into a conflict or will they compromise?

Another remark by Father Juvenal was that persons who spread cheer and happiness in their own communities are missionaries just as surely as those laboring to save heathen souls. His statement becomes self evident when we consider that happiness and salvation are both included in the Divine plan.

For our own good we must realize that happiness is too precious to be exposed to the ravages of petty conflicts.

A GYM AS A NECESSITY

Regarding gymnasiums, here is an interesting comment taken from A. Morton Smith's column in the Gainesville Register.

City and School officials in Gainesville are very gratified over WPA approval of the high school gymnasium project, for without a gymnasium next year, they would have a real problem on their hands.

For some years, the State Department of Education has promoted the teaching of physical education in public schools, but now the teaching of physical education is required by law, and no high school can be carried as a fully accredited institution un-

less each grade in the system from primary through senior high school is given a well organized physical education program.

To conduct such a course as prescribed in the State Department of Education bulletin issued last September in high school, a gymnasium is an absolute necessity. And without it, Gainesville high school would probably lose its standing as an accredited institution.

Some people, not familiar with school requirements, get the idea that a gymnasium is nothing more than a playhouse or enclosed basketball court. But if they investigated to any extent, they would learn that basketball and play occupy but an infinitesimal part of the time put in by high school students in a gymnasium.

Today, physical education is recognized as important to the high school student, as geometry or English."

From the fact that the state of Texas has made a course in physical education compulsory we can take it for granted that eminent men are convinced of its importance as a scholastic course.

Agreeing with Mr. Smith that Gainesville's scholastic rating would be jeopardized unless a gymnasium were erected there this year, we contend that a scholastic rating for Muenster is no less important. Even now we are rejoicing over the wonderful progress being made at the Parochial school. At the beginning of this school year pupils were admitted for the first time to the third year of high school. Next year, according to present plans, the fourth year will be started.

At the same time the Parochial faculty is equipping a science laboratory that is well above state requirements and a library, also above the requirements. The sisters are also taking steps to get the school accredited, a task which may prove futile unless something is done to bring a course in physical education up to the standard.

On several occasions this publication has been privileged to plead the cause of a gymnasium but it has not previously presented the relation of gymnasium and scholastic standing. Now another and even more important reason arises to take its place beside such arguments as organized recreation, more widespread good will, increased business for the city, and soundness of financial investment.

For us to say that a gym cannot be supported here seems ridiculous in face of the fact that dozens of communities smaller and less prosperous are supporting them. For us to say that a gym is not needed here is to admit that our children do not deserve as much as those of other communities.

WHEN SELFISHNESS HELPS ALL

Another meeting of the Chamber of Commerce introduces another flurry of interest in Muenster's possibility as a city of the future. With each attempted change it seems that just a little more enthusiasm is apparent, and that the time may not be so far distant when community interest reaches the point that it can carry on of its own momentum.

One by one the doubting Thomases fall in line. Being normal and reasonable they are beginning to realize that their future welfare, and more so that of their children, depends upon what provisions are made now. They realize also that people of other cities who are no more entitled to the fruits of progress than they, are reaping a bountiful harvest in comfort, health, and business advantages.

To the remaining element who scornfully demand whether Muenster is not good enough, these men reply, "No. We want our home town to be up with the times and better than other places. We want it to offer the best features of modern civilization. We want these things because we ourselves live in Muenster and want the town to offer us a more pleasant and more profitable living."

To be sure every person on Muenster's improvement program is thinking ahead to the advantages he will derive, but it is hard to conceive how others could possibly object to changes that would favor them also.

If a dozen persons in a room suffer from the cold and a few decide to start a fire the others should not object. Perhaps those who go after the coal are thinking only of their own comfort, but the room is made warm for all.

What Others Have to Say--

INVESTIGATE THEIR RECORDS

The state's most vociferous if not greatest industry is getting down to business in earnest. Politics is warming up.

Most Texans welcome a political year, because it furnishes diversion and excitement from the hum-drum routine life. We choose sides and get into the game with much the same spirit we participate, on the sidelines, in a popular athletic event.

But politics really is much more serious than that. The men and women who emerge victors out of this mad scramble every other year have the destiny of our nation, state and county and city in their hands. What they do vitally affects the lives of everyone of us, if we only would stop to realize that.

Thus we cannot afford to take our politics too lightly.

Experience should have taught us that we cannot accept an office-seeker's promises seriously. From the highest to the lowest, promises apparently mean little. Platforms and promises are merely ammunition with which to shoot the "enemy" or bait to entice the votes. After a successful candidate moves into office, he gradually gets that feeling that he is "pretty good" and that, after all, he must run his office according to his way of thinking, rather than upon the platform and promises he made while campaigning for the office.

And thus another platform is repudiated. Although platforms and promises are worth less, ordinarily, than the paper they are written upon, or the words used to utter them, there is one sure way by which the voter can judge a candidate for any office. Look at his or her record.

If the candidate ever has held public office before, consider what he did then—how well he fulfilled his promises. Did he work for the greatest benefit of all the people, or did he work for a favored few—and for votes the next time he runs?

If he has never held public office, what has he done in the past to indicate that he will make good promises made to the public? What has his experience and conduct been to indicate his conduct when he gets into public office?

These acts are signposts along the way the candidate has traveled, marked clearly for all to see. Read them—and vote accordingly.

If all voters would do that, we would hear of much less waste in public office, much less disregard of the public good, much less criticism of public officials in general.

The signs are there for you to read. Read them—and vote accordingly.—The Menard News.

WASTED TIME

Between the ages of 20 and 30 anyone with an ambition for improvement can acquire the equivalent of a college education merely by using hours otherwise given to idleness and boredom to reading and study.

It's the old story. Most of us are careful in the expenditure of large sums of money. We have little regard for nickels, dimes, quarters, or even dollars. They slip away easily and with them go the possibility of acquiring a competence. So with our time. We waste time in half hours, perhaps, the equivalent of one year in every ten. With wasted half hours goes the possibility of making of one's self the man each would like to become.—Brown's Ink Spots.

COMMON HONESTY AND INTEGRITY

The great need in our present day is a greater regard for common honesty and integrity among the people. So says Judge W. W. McCrory, eminent jurist of San Antonio in a New Year message in his criminal court. He says:

"The country talks about losing all the money which was loaned to Europe and was not paid back. That loss is small compared to the loss of national integrity and the common honesty of the people."

The veteran jurist blames the present state of the country's morals on the fact "too many young people are being educated away from work. They are being taught that the most important thing is a bountiful life, and are not being taught that real hard work is good for them."

CAUSE OF MANY WRECKS

In an effort to reduce traffic accidents by reducing the number of unreliable cars on the streets, a check was undertaken in one city. The authorities stopped 2,000 autos at random and gave them a thorough inspection to find their mechanical condition.

The results of the study were hardly flattering to the motorists. Only 50 cars out of the 2,000 were in really good mechanical condition. In the other 1,950 various things were wrong—defective brakes, lights, windshield wipers, steering gear, horn, tires and so on. Any of these cars caught in an emergency or in heavy traffic, might cause a bad tie-up or a serious accident.

Furthermore, 60 drivers of the 2,000 stopped were intoxicated. That is a small part of 2,000, but enough to create a serious traffic menace.—San Marcos Daily News.

MODERN ENGLISH

From New York comes the word that Dr. Joseph K. Van Denberg, chairman of the city board of examiners, is disturbed by the fact that New Yorkers say "ciddy" when they mean city, "dem" for them, and "jern" for join.

Dr. Janet Aitken of Columbia University asks, "What of it?" and remarks:

"If they are evolving a new English, I think it has a good chance of being an improvement over the old. Perhaps English needs to become a new language."

As a fact, English is steadily becoming a new language.

If you contact an American who died before 1850, you could talk to him for many minutes in modern slang or in modern technical terms without once saying anything he could understand.

Our American English will continue to change, just so long as knowledge continues to expand and wit to flow.

The pleasant thing to remember is that thus it will never become fixed, formal and cold, but will continue to gain in interest and variety.—San Antonio Light.

You can't coast uphill and no one is going to take you up on his handlebars. The wheel of fortune is a bicycle and spins only when you pedal it yourself.—Romer's Thinker.

The ENTERPRISE SNAPSHOTS

White Chinese Boy—New York—Fung Kwok Keung, 19-year-old white boy has returned to his foster father, Dr. Fung Dong, who adopted him at the age of four years. Born Joseph Rinehart, Fung was brought up in China and cannot speak a word of English.

Scotchman Shaves Expenses

Famous Horse Laugh—Charles S. Howard's Seabiscuit, the handicapped king of last year, pictured recently at Santa Anita.

Child of the Sun—It's always tennis weather in balmy Puerto Rico, where Lucille Cope, refugee from ice and snow, suns herself beside the Caribbean.

Silk Stockings Lend Allure to these lovely American women shown discussing their objection to the silk boycott. They are among the millions who refuse to join in the campaign lest America be harmed far more than Japan. Experts say that the raw silk represents only about 10 cents of the purchase price of a dollar pair of stockings, the other 90 cents going to American workers and industry.

Jack Harbert, Iowa farm boy who won the Gruen award of a Curvex wrist watch in a nationwide dressmaking contest, is sewing his way to fame. Barred from athletics by a heart ailment, he plays the baritone horn in the school band. In high school he took up sewing and now plans to be a dress designer. He made the clothes he is wearing in the picture.

Myra News

MRS. JOHN BLANTON
Correspondent

Mrs. C. J. Tuggle is ill at her home here.

Miss Kate Pearson visited in Sadler over the week-end.

Misses Claudine Brogan and Lillian Speake were in Dallas Saturday.

Mrs. John Lucas is seriously ill at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Porter visited relatives in Hood Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Bates of Paris were week-end guests of Mrs. R. Cain.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Plott visited her sister, Mrs. B. F. Harrell of Aledo, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Roewe were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fleitman of Lindsay Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. M. L. Purcell and son of Gainesville visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davidson Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Townsley and children of Bonham visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Porter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Rosson and son J. C. spent Sunday with Miss Enoch Rosson in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Aikens and Bill London of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Davidson Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Porter and daughter, Betty Jo, visited Mrs. Porter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Doty, Sunday at Chillicothe.

Mesdames Leroy Porter and John Blanton spent Saturday in Denton



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visiting Misses Ora Lee Doty and Dorothy Fay Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Smith and two sons of Kemp visited his grandmother, Mrs. Ode McFarland, here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. R. L. Pearson returned home Monday evening after spending several days with her sister, who is ill in a Dallas hospital.

Mrs. J. B. Reid and daughter, Miss Hattie Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Philpott and daughter of Sherman spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Aldridge.

J. T. Biffle of Dallas spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Biffle. Mrs. Biffle who spent last week visiting here, returned home with him Sunday.

Mrs. George Thompson and Carl McFarland of Lubbock and Mrs. Joe Smith of Dallas spent the week-end here with their mother, Mrs. Ode McFarland, who is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Earnest Biffle.

Mr. and Mrs. Elby Dodson and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Brewer all of Bloomfield, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Taylor and baby, Wayne, of Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Cain and baby and Richard Cain were inner guests of Mrs. R. Cain Sunday.

Rev. Roger Smith of Fort Worth filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church for Sunday morning and evening services.

MYRA SUNSHINE CIRCLE HAS VALENTINE PARTY

Myra, Feb. 9—Mesdames Lee Livingston and Ike Fulton were co-hostesses to the Sunshine Circle Friday afternoon. The valentine motif was carried out in the decorations and entertainment.

Those present were: Mesdames Ray Hudson, Fred Snuggs, Albert Adress, A. E. Barnes, Tom Pryor, Leroy Porter, Oscar Aldridge, C. J. Tuggle, Mac Burks, Misses Ruby Tucker and Frankie Whiteside, Mrs. J. T. Biffle of Dallas and the hostesses, Mrs. Ike Fulton and Mrs. Lee Livingston.

MYRA P. T.-A. MEETING OBSERVES FOUNDER'S DAY

Myra, Feb. 9—The P. T.-A. of Myra met for its regular session Thursday, February 9, to commemorate National Founders Day and the twelfth anniversary of the Myra P. T.-A.

Miss Lillian Speake was the leader of the afternoon. The devotional was brought by Mrs. John Blanton. The guest speakers were Mrs. Thomas Hardy whose subject was "The Origin and Present Day Functions of P. T.-A." and Mrs. N. C. Sparks, president of the high school P. T.-A. of Gainesville who brought greetings from that organization and an invitation to attend the Founders day program at Gainesville, at which time, Mrs. Jack Little, state president will be present.

Mrs. Jake Biffle gave a history of the Myra P. T.-A.

At the close of the program, the home-economics department served the birthday cake and Russian tea to thirty members and guests.

Bulcher News

TRESSIE LEE DENNIS
Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dennis are on the sick-list.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Austin and baby are visiting his mother in Healdon, Oklahoma.

Due to the basketball tournament, P. T.-A. was postponed until next Friday night, February 18.

Nellie Dennis has returned to her home near Gainesville after spending a few days with her-brother, T. J. Dennis, and family here.

Mr. E. M. Lambert went to Marietta, Oklahoma Sunday morning taking his mother and her grandson one after a visit with him and his family here.

Rev. Martin of Marysville preached at the old Schoolhouse Sunday morning. Christian Endeavor program Sunday night was led by Velma Tucker.

Miss Mary Ruth Thompson is taying at Gainesville where she is employed at the Goslin Beauty Shop. She recently finished a beauty course in Dallas.

TRAVEL PICTURE IS SHOWN TO CHILDREN OF BULCHER SCHOOL

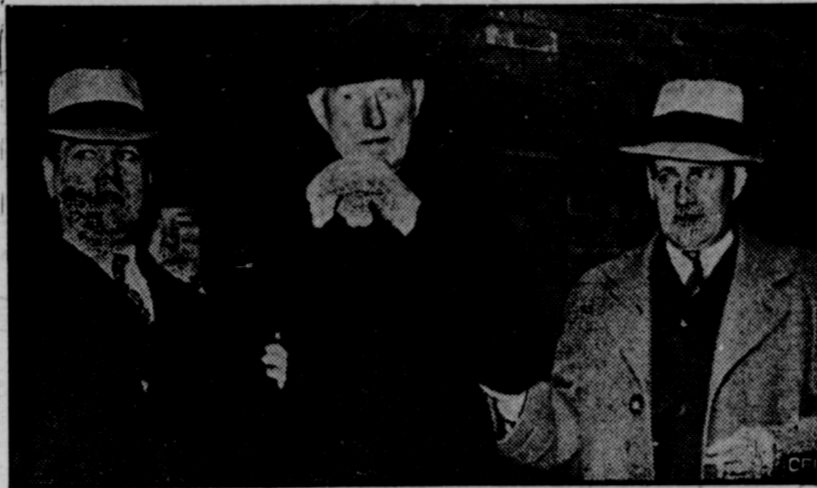
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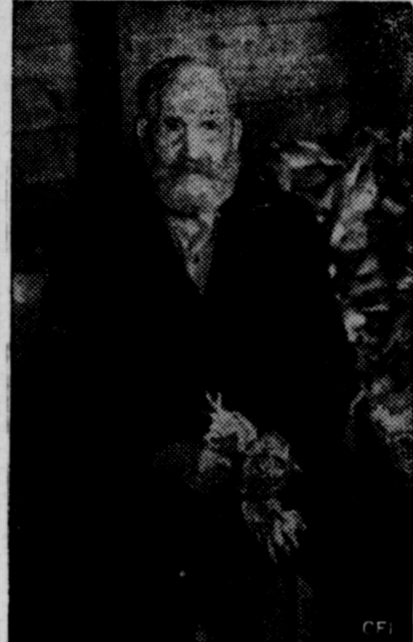
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AGED MAN KILLS THREE



TEWKSBURY, Mass.—John Mack, 77-year-old inmate of the pauper ward of Tewksbury State infirmary who killed three fellow inmates and wounded two others with a mail order pistol last week "because they were mean to me," is shown in custody. He was captured at Lowell where he fled four miles along railroad tracks. Mack is shown in center with Chief Cyril L. Baker of the Tewksbury police and Sergeant William Delay of the Massachusetts State Police.

OLDEST FARMER



Carl Hartwig, age 90, native of Frankfurt, Germany, now lives five miles south of Clintonville, Wisconsin. Hartwig works every day, is very active, and in fine health.

moving picture was enjoyed by all the school pupils and a few of the parents when Mr. Roy P. Wilson, county superintendent, and Mr. Mudge visited the Bulcher school Tuesday morning, February 8.

Mr. Mudge brought his movie projector and screen and showed a series of pictures of his travels in Canada. The show lasted 45 minutes and was very interesting and educational. It showed scenes of hunting wild game and fishing, also Rocky Mountain scenes all in color.

Lindsay News

MISS LONIA GIEB
Correspondent

John Srader of Ardmore, Okla. was a business visitor here Friday.

Johnnie Zimmerer returned on Thursday from a trip to Amarillo.

Joe Koerner of Amarillo is here for an indefinite visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Koelzer left Sunday for their new home at Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rauschuber of Valley View visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rauschuber Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schmitz of Wichita Falls spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmitz.

A large group of young men and young ladies of Lindsay were in Pilot Point Tuesday night to attend a CYO meeting.

Mrs. Genevieve Lindeman left Tuesday for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Louis Gehring and other relatives at Windthorst.

Adam Kemp left Thursday for his home at Electra after spending several days here at the bedside of his sister-in-law, Miss Elizabeth Beyer, who is critically ill at the home of

MEET AFTER 56 YEARS



Frank G. Westerdale, 81, of Newark, N. J., and his sister, Mrs. C. H. Henrickson, 79, of Rockford, Illinois, were reunited in Rockford recently after 56 years. They are natives of Grolanda, Sweden, and upon their arrival in America parted, not to meet again for 56 years.

her brother, Adam Beyer. Mrs. Kemp who accompanied her husband here remained with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nortman and children, Harold and Dorothy, of Pilot Point were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gieb Sunday.

Mrs. Leo Zwinggi and Mrs. John P. Mosser spent Sunday in Gainesville visiting their father Stephen Geray who is ill at his home on Fletcher street.

Misses Laura and Gladys Hoberer returned to Wichita Falls Sunday afternoon following a visit here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoberer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurshel Moore, accompanied by Miss Frances Roab, of Wichita Falls were the guests of Mrs. Moore's sister, Mrs. John Neu Jr., over the week-end.

Members of the Gun Club met in the local hall Sunday night for their regular first Sunday of the month social get-together. The usual card games and a dutch lunch featured the evening's entertainment.

Johnnie Schmitt, in the company of his sister, Marie Schmitt, Catherine Cooke and Joe Koriotoh of Sherman were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schmitt Friday.

Misses Laura and Gladys Hoberer accompanied by their brother, Richard (Scottie) Hoberer, motored to Sherman Friday to visit the Venerable Sister Teresa and other friends at St. Vincent Hospital.

WILLIAM FLEITMANS HAVE TENTH ANNIVERSARY PARTY

Lindsay, Feb. 9—Mr. and Mrs. William Fleitman were hosts at a retty party Sunday evening when they entertained a number of relatives and friends in their home south of Lindsay, in observance of their tenth wedding anniversary.

Gifts appropriate to the occasion were presented to the honorees after which the guests were entertain-

MAKES 45TH VIOLIN



Just a hobby, but an unusual one; Jay Squier of Clarinda, Iowa, printer by trade, has just completed his 45th violin, a superb toned instrument worthy of the famous Stradivarius himself. Here he is shown completing construction, and on the bench are parts for violin No. 46. He carved the most of this instrument from a piece of maple cut in Decatur county, Iowa; the spruce top is from wood purchased years ago, and the finger board of native walnut. Both top and bottom are beautifully inlaid, all his own handiwork. Mr. Squier has also manufactured several efficient cameras.

ed with bingo, cards and various other parlor games. Special features of the evening's entertainment were the humorous skits presented by Nick Block, Mrs. Ben Hermes and Miss Irene Fleitman.

The hostess served refreshments of sandwiches, fruit cake, pie and coffee to Messrs and Mesdames Henry Fleitman, Joe Hoenig, Frank Bindle, Al Fleitman, Johnnie Fleitman, Ben Roewe and their families, Mrs. Joe Felderhoff, Alphonse Fleitman and Irene Fleitman of Muenster and Messrs and Mesdames John Block, Pete Block, Ben Hermes and Nick Block, Lawrence Streng and Miss Zita Flusche of Lindsay.

LINDSAY FACULTY ANNOUNCES HONOR ROLL AT MID-TERM

Lindsay, Feb. 9—The honor roll for the first semester as announced by the faculty of the Lindsay school is as follows:

High School—Genevieve Bengfort Dorothy Bezner, James Geray, Fred Mosman, Regina Fuhrmann, Catherine Bengfort, Clara Hundt, Alma Sandmann, Anna Bengfort, Anna Mae Dieter, Francis Dieter, Joseph Fuhrmann, Mildred Becker, Elsie Louise Bezner, Laurie Alice Geray, Louise Hermes, Lena Mae Schmitz.

Seventh Grade—Miriam Koessler, Sixth Grade—Dorothy Becker, Evelyn Bezner, Rose Mary Dieter, Agnes Fuhrmann, Cara Mae Fuhrmann, Elfrieda Hermes, Victoria Kuntz, Virginia Reeves, Elfrieda Zimmerer.

Fifth Grade—Leonard Bengfort, Alvin Fuhrmann, Anna Doris Geray, Hubert Neu, Catherine Roewe, Marcella Schmitt, Mary Elizabeth Schmitt.

Fourth Grade—Ida Mae Neu, Roy Lee Zwinggi.

Third Grade—Gertrude Bengfort, Dorothy Beyer.

Second Grade—Rosalee Beyer, Norma Jean Mosser, Leroy Schmitz.

First Grade—William Fuhrmann, Janet Geray.

Hays News

MISS KATIE MAE MARTIN
Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lane of Gainesville spent Sunday afternoon with

her mother, Mrs. A. C. Stalcup, who has recently returned from a visit with relatives in Wichita Falls.

Those on the sick list this week are Mrs. Byron Sears and Mrs. W. W. McFarland.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulen Waggoner, of Denton, were back in our community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Cole, of Krum, visited Mrs. Bill Crow and family Sunday.

Miss Wilma Lee Dickinson of Freemound, spent the week-end with Miss Lucile King.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Welch spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Jim Davis of Reed.

Joe Martin of Gainesville spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith and Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson visited L. and Noel Aldridge Sunday.

Rev. W. E. Hand held morning and evening services at the Liberty Baptist Church Sunday. There were 39 who attended Sunday School and some sixty for evening services.

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By CON FETTE

Backing up their reputation as the best team in the county Toney Burger's Sumacs breezed through Class B tournament with flying colors and now await the formality of another game before taking the Cooke county basketball crown for the third consecutive year.

It may seem slightly presumptuous to assume now that the title is already in the bag, but in doing so we merely voice the general opinion of county coaches. If it were not for love of the game and the ever so slight possibility that some fluke may change the tide, it is probable that the title would be conceded without further contest. Regardless of dopesters and comparative scores there is always the chance of an upset.

A classic example of surprises was the Class B final tilt between Muenster and Calsburg Saturday night when Muenster fans got the scare of a lifetime from Calsburg's rapid fire seven point lead off while the Sumacs were missing consistently. But once the boys hit their stride it was a different story. From then on they tallied their 24 points while their opponents got 5.

Now that the boys have got into the upper class we are going to call on them for some real action. A few weeks ago Toney Burger intimated that big demands from his boys were perfectly in order, that they are ready to back up any reasonable claim. We think it is reasonable to ask the Sumacs to return with a district title because we think their ability is on a par with the opposition they will meet in Fort Worth. But just in case we are aiming too high we'll make this claim. The team that eliminates the Sumacs, if any

team does, will be the district champion.

We don't recall where this one came from, we can't as much as vouch for its truth, but just the same we consider it worth passing on. A negro youth's dying request to his brother was that his funeral be made as cheerful as possible. "Not a bit of sadness or show of grief" was his wish. The brother, an orchestra leader, obliged by bringing his jazz band to the funeral. His selection was "I'll be glad when you're dead, you rascal you."

Riots can well be described as an outbreak of mob violence in which people are likely to forget that they are supposed to be sane human beings. But in Paris, so they say, none of the participants so far forget themselves as to postpone meals or cause themselves undue exertion. During the series of riots in 1934 a truce was always called during the supper period, 7:30 to 9. And again the fighting ceased at 12 o'clock sharp so that combatants could jostle into the last subways and ride home rather than walk. The next morning at 7:30 the rioting started again.

Chamber of Commerce

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lined in the five year program adopted last year. He also called attention to the fact that the Ladies' Civic League, which was organized in connection with the five year program, has been far more active than any group of men and is entitled to special commendation for its fine work in the cemetery improvement project and the beautification program. Another group of ladies mentioned as deserving of praise was the Mothers' society of the parish, whose tireless efforts resulted in the raising of about \$2000 in 1937 for Muenster's proposed new church.

Words of encouragement and enthusiasm for the Chamber of Commerce plans of future progress were offered in short addresses by Rev. Francis Zimmerman, J. W. Meurer, and Leo Henschel.

After the election of officers, which consisted chiefly of votes of approval on nominations as submitted by the nominating committee, J. M. Weinzapfel called on Leo Henschel to preside at the remainder of the meeting. It was decided then that the officers and chairmen hold a meeting at the earliest possible date to determine a plan of action and set a date for the next general meeting.

MANHATTAN WILL BE GAINESVILLE'S BEST SAYS LEO M. KUEHN

At the Manhattan Clothiers in Gainesville the new spring line of men's clothes will find their welcome in a completely remodeled store. The series of changes, which are now in progress, is scheduled for completion before the spring clothes arrive about the first of March.

According to Leo M. Kuehn, manager of the business, it is his intention to have the most modern and attractive store in Gainesville.

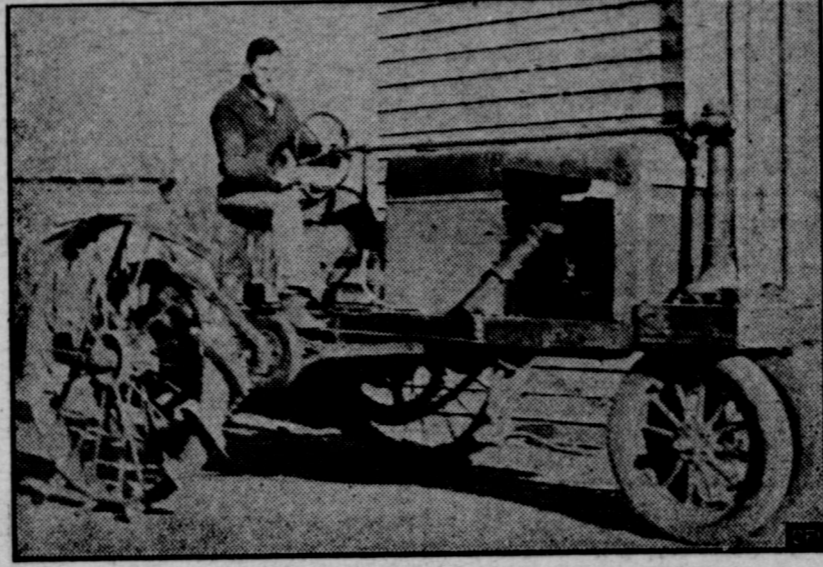
OFFICERS ELECTED BY EIGHTH GRADE PAROCHIAL PUPILS

A long delayed election of officers of eighth grade pupils at the Sacred Heart School was held Monday, February 7, with the following results: Alfred Bayer, president; Rose Hennigan, ice-president; Armella Flusche, treasurer; Anselma Pagel, secretary.

The principal reason for organizing the class was to have more system in the series of activities leading up to graduation, one of which is to begin raising funds for a party gift to the school. Three candy sales have already been held for this purpose.

It has been stated that this year's class present will probably be books for the library.

LOW COST TRACTOR



Victor Fox, Gibson, Iowa, age 22, built this tractor from a junked automobile, and wheels from a manure spreader. It pulls a plow and other farm machinery. A 100 acre tract is farmed with it. It has six speeds and operates by a chain drive. The tractor cost about \$20 for parts and was built by Fox in four weeks of his spare time.

WORK SHEET NEEDED TO APPLY FOR 1937 SUBSIDY PAYMENTS

Farmers who intend to make application for price adjustment subsidy payments for cotton grown in 1937 must have 1937 work sheets, according to word received this week from Lee S. Reese, Senior Field Assistant of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

The following communication from Mr. Reese is self explanatory.

All farms not already covered by 1937 work sheets must file one with local committeemen or the county committee in accordance with information received through State Headquarters from I. W. Duggan, Acting Director, Southern Division, Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

It is ordered that a 1937 Work Sheet be placed on every farm in Cooke and other counties so that bases may be established and allotments assigned for the Cotton Price Adjustment Subsidy payment which is to be made on cotton grown in 1937.

Where a producer made a 1937 Work Sheet covering the farm or farms he is now operating, he will not file another, even though he did nothing to comply.

Meetings will be held Friday and Saturday, February 11th and 12th, in each of the regular communities in Cooke county, where community committees will assist producers in filling out the 1937 work sheets.

If the producer or landlord fails to file a work sheet, the committeemen will be forced to set up bases for them, so it is obviously to the farmer's interest to do this himself or be present when it is done.

Producers may file 1937 work sheets at any time at the County Agent's Office, and need not wait for the regular sign-up days. No subsidy payment on cotton grown in 1937 can be made until this is done.

There is no information yet on the 1938 farm program, but as soon as it is announced explanatory meetings will be held and the sign-up started.

Lee S. Reese, Senior Field Ass't., A.A.A.

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BULCHER CARDINALS WIN COOKE COUNTY CLASS C CAGE TITLE

Bulcher, Feb. 9—The Bulcher Cardinals played their first tournament game with Marysville Friday at 2 p. m. at Gainesville. They won over their opponents by a score of 30-15.

The Cardinals won their second game when they played Radware at 10 a. m. Saturday. Through excellent playing they scored a victory of 27-10 over their opponents.

The Cardinals played the Valley Creek Frogs at 7 p. m. Saturday for the class C championship of Cooke County. A large number of basketball fans witnessed the game.

In spite of their desperate fight the Frogs were outscored 21 to 9. As a result of winning the Cardinals received a trophy for being Class C champions in basketball. They also won this honor last year and were awarded a trophy when they beat Valley Creek.

The Cardinals played the Gainesville High School Leopards at Leonard Park at 7:30 p. m. Monday and won by a score of 23 to 14.

Bulcher will play Muenster Wednesday night for the all around county championship.

STUDY CLUB SPENDS EVENING AT REVIEW OF PREVIOUS WORK

Meeting for their regular session Monday night in the home of Mrs. M. J. Endres the Hyacinth Study Club refreshed their memories with a review of the subjects covered in their previous meetings, stressing especially the Mass of the Catechumens, which was under discussion on Monday of last week.

Two new members, Mrs. Joe Fisher and Mrs. John Fisher joined the club Monday night.

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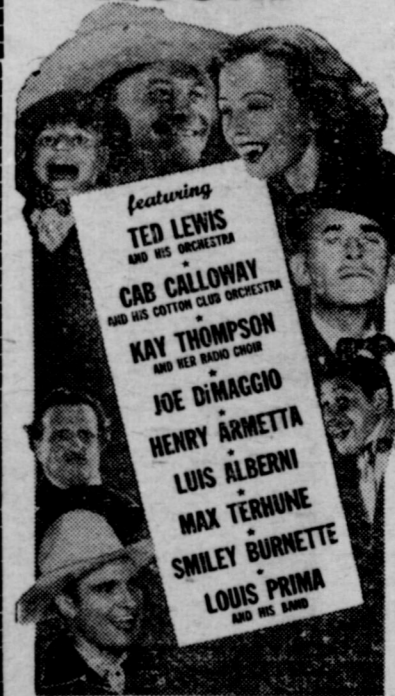
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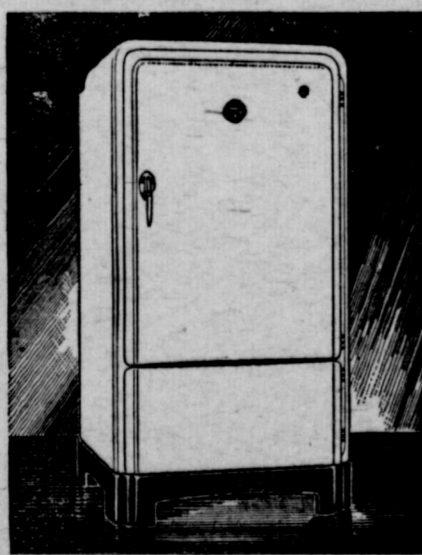
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