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In case your daily paper carries the rambling reports of Ernie Pyle you may have noticed his recent tribute to a battalion of Engineers in North Africa. Ernie praises them to the sky as a crowd of unsung heroes who had too little credit for their work so far and aren't likely to get their full share of it even after the lid of censorship can be popped off.

Pyle continues, "the army engineers build things, you know. These particular engineers build airfields and depots and barracks for other soldiers. But it isn't so much what they have built as where they build it and how."

The mention of building airfields touched a soft spot in my heart. That's the kind of work my outfit did. I couldn't help glancing off the page and indulging in a minute of reverie, recalling a gang of swell guys with whom I had shared almost a half year of desert training. I hoped they were the boys getting the bouquets.

But the next few lines revealed that my guess was wrong. The outfit discussed had been away from home since the spring of '42. Just the same I claim the right to feel a glow of pride. I'm reasonably certain that at least a few of my companions from basic training days are in that memorable battalion. I'm also certain that quite a few very close friends are doing the very same kind of work and are entitled to the same measure of credit.

In case you do not recall some of the ravings of this column during the months it was singing the praises of the engineers, please string along while I dash off a few notes to refresh your memory.

An engineer is supposed to be a combination doughboy and jack of all trades. He's the guy that has to get out in the hot zone and build bridges and roads for the regular troops to pass over. In case the fortune of battle leans the other way he stays behind to blast the bridges and roads, build traps or devise any other trick he can to hinder the enemy. When all is going nicely he doesn't have to do anything but work. Doughboys should be near to handle the fighting. But quite frequently he has to drop his tools and start shooting.

Besides there's a lot of work to be done behind the lines. Building and maintaining practically everything as the army moves forward and making necessary repairs after enemy air raids. That is the specialty of my old outfit. Today it is taking care of an airfield somewhere in Africa or the Pacific.

Those of you who have sons, brothers or close friends in the engineers owe Ernie Pyle and me a word of thanks. We are a couple of the very few who have given your boys a pat on the back. Think it over for a minute. Of all the newspaper or magazine stories you've seen, how many gave any prominent credit to the engineers? How many cited any specific engineer company or individual for conspicuous action? You never hear of it. The engineer soldier is like the old trusty football guard or tackle who opens the line so his backfield team mate can romp through for a nice gain.

The trouble with most of us is that we're tuned for the sensational, adventurous news. We pay too little attention to the guy who has to work like a mule on a less colorful job.

To back up that remark, here's something specific. Our current GI movie menu lists about 8 war pictures of which 5 are 100 per cent for the air forces. The others are about spies, the navy or some romantic story with a war background. It's about time Hollywood cooked up a nice yarn about the engineers or the doughboys or the medics or cannoners. Or even about the quartermaster corps or finance. They're in this war too, you know.

We're still providing nice juicy propaganda for the axis press. This time it's the well known Southern curse of racial hatred.

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FOR VICTORY

BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS



Promoted and Transferred
Joe Henry Walterscheid was last week promoted to private 1st class and transferred from Fort Sill to Camp Gruber, Okla., where he is a member of the Field Artillery Band.

At Camp Pendleton
Pvt. Richard Wimmer was last week transferred from Camp Story Va., to Camp Pendleton in the same state, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wimmer have reported. He is connected with the coast artillery.

Recovering From Illness
Ferd Luttmer, S-1C, has been dismissed from the Naval Hospital at Treasure Island, San Francisco, and is further recuperating from the recent illness at Santa Cruz, Calif., his father, Herman Luttmer, has advised.

Sharpshooter
Pvt. Eugene Schmitz recently received a medal for qualifying as a sharpshooter at Camp Santa Anita, Calif., where he is stationed at the West Coast Ordnance Training Center. Ordnance soldiers are classed as non-combatants, but the nature of modern warfare demands that every man know how to defend himself against attack. In compiling the score that enables him to wear the sharpshooter's medal, Pvt. Schmitz fired for record from four positions, standing, sitting, kneeling and prone, at both slow and rapid fire. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H.M. Schmitz. Pvt. Schmitz is at present confined to the hospital. He has had his tonsils removed.

Return To Kansas
Lt. and Mrs. Charles Taylor returned to Independence, Kansas, Tuesday after being here since Friday to visit her father, Joe Fisher and family.

Weekend Visitors
Earl Fisher, Y 2-C, and his wife of Dallas were here during the weekend to visit his father, Joe Fisher and family.

Completes Furlough
Cpl. Arnold Schilling returned to his duties near Los Angeles, Calif., Tuesday after being here to visit relatives and friends since last Wednesday. He is connected with a medical detachment now stationed in the desert training center.

Three-Day Pass
Cpl. William Knabe of Camp Barkeley was here during the weekend on a three-day pass to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Knabe and family.

Visits Parents Sunday
Pfc. and Mrs. H.H. Cooke and infant daughter, Nancy Dean, were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Cooke. They reside in Waco where he is attending the Black Land Flying School.

Corpus Christi Feast To Be Observed Here Sunday

Following a custom of long standing, people of Sacred Heart Parish will observe the feast of Corpus Christi next Sunday with the traditional procession around the parish grounds and to the two small chapels east of the parochial school. The services in the morning will follow the usual Sunday schedule and the procession will take place at 7:30 in the evening. The band will join in the procession playing sacred hymns. Beginning this Thursday morning and continuing during the octave of the feast, to be concluded on the feast of the Sacred Heart, July 2, high mass and sacramental benediction are held each morning at 6:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tischler, Mr. and Mrs. Al Yosten and baby and Miriam Starke spent Saturday in Sherman at the bedside of the Tischler's grandson, little Ronald Joe Tischler of Celina, who is recovering from lock-jaw as the result of stepping on a nail. On their return home they were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. W.N. Britt and husband of Dallas, whom they met in Sherman. They returned home Monday. On Sunday the group met at the Al Yosten home for dinner.

Members of the Hoenig families gathered in reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Vogel Thursday evening for a dinner and social honoring their brother, Rev. Alfred Hoenig of Corpus Christi, who is spending his annual vacation in this city. Present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Seale of Dallas. She is the former Miss Clara Hoenig. Father Alfred will visit here until the first of July.

REV. PAUL HOEDEBECK STATIONED IN OREGON



—Rev. Paul Hoedebeck, O.S.B., who was ordained on June 3 at Little Rock, Ark., and celebrated his first high mass here last Tuesday is now visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoedebeck at Denison, after which he will spend sometime in Corpus Christi before returning to Subiaco Abbey, Ark., where he will be a teacher at the Monastery when the school term opens.



—Pvt. Herman Stoffels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Stoffels, entered the army on December 4, 1942, and since that time has been stationed at Camp Adair, Oregon, where he is attached to a medical battalion. He has had one furlough since his induction and spent it here with his family in May.

RELAX THEATRE IS SCHEDULED TO OPEN HERE NEXT WEEKEND

According to the progress made at Muenster's theatre building this week, the Relax Theatre is scheduled to open sometime next week, it was reported Wednesday.

The building is completed and was painted this week, seats were moved in and are being placed, air conditioning and other machinery is in place. Only minor details remain to be concluded next week. Possible date for the first show is Thursday, July 1.

Today it has not been announced which picture will be shown as the first but assurance has been given that only first run films will be featured.

CDAs TO HAVE THEATRE PARTY AT SAINT JO

Mrs. John Mossman of Saint Jo will entertain the local court Catholic Daughters of America with a theatre party next Wednesday evening, June 30, when she is hostess for the monthly social. Members are asked to meet at her home in Saint Jo at 9 o'clock.

THRESHERMEN READY TO SWING INTO BUSY SEASON NEXT WEEK

This week finds threshermen of the community getting their machines in running order for this season. Fette's thresher operated Monday, getting off a few bundles to see that everything was in order and on Tuesday and Wednesday Walterscheid Brothers and Becker Brothers did likewise. By next week, most threshers will be running full force.

As in years past the few dozen threshers will be entrusted with the job of separating by far the greater part of the grain. Only three or four combines operated in this area this season.

Predictions are that crop yields this year will be average, not counting the past two years, which were failures.

Visiting relatives and friends here last Friday were Pvt. Frank A. Schoech of Camp Howze, and his wife of Oklahoma City, who was spending the weekend with him. Pvt. Schoech is the son of Mrs. Ida Schoech, and the late Martin Schoech, and was born here. He has been stationed at Camp Howze for the past six months.

Joe Dankesreiter Is Victim Of Grade Crossing Crash

MRS. T.S. MYRICK'S GRANDFATHER, 97, DIES; FOUGHT IN CIVIL WAR

J.L. Harris, 97, grandfather of Mrs. T.S. Myrick of this city, died Wednesday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J.T. Bradshaw, at Weatherford following a week's illness.

Funeral services were held at Weatherford Thursday morning and the body was taken to Breckenridge for burial in the afternoon. He was buried beside his wife, who passed away 59 years ago.

A native of Georgia, where he was born December 30, 1845, he took part in the Civil War, fighting with the Confederates. Following the war he moved to Texas, settling near Breckenridge, and resided there until 1918 when he went to Weatherford to make his home with his daughter.

He was the father of four children, one son and three daughters. The daughters survive along with 19 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.

Mr. Harris was always unusually active and alert for his age. He enjoyed keeping up with the world happenings and often made the remark that he'd live to be a hundred years old.

Dr. and Mrs. Myrick and children of this city and Miss Charis Bradshaw of Gainesville attended the funeral Thursday.

SPEND SUNDAY IN DENISON

Frank Hoedebeck, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Reiter and children and Mrs. Adolph Knabe spent Sunday in Denison as guests of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoedebeck, who gave a dinner at noon to honor Rev. Paul Hoedebeck, and in the afternoon all attended an open house reception honoring Father Hoedebeck at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Flusche. A large number of Denison persons, members of St. Patrick's and St. Martin's parishes, called during the afternoon. Punch and cake were served.

Accident Occured Sunday At Gainesville; Funeral Is Held Here Tuesday

Joe Dankesreiter, 43, was the victim of a grade crossing crash Sunday afternoon at 4:15 at the north city limits of Gainesville. He was returning from Oklahoma and was alone in the car at the time of the accident. It occurred at the Santa Fe grade crossing on North Weaver Street.

Buddy Potts, a Gainesville city policeman, said the engineer of the Santa Fe passenger train observed Dankesreiter pull up to the crossing halt his car an instant, then start the machine again as if believing he had time to cross the tracks ahead of the train. According to the engineer's version, the motor appeared to have stalled on the tracks and the locomotive struck the machine broadside.

Remnants of the automobile, a 1937 Plymouth coupe, clung to the front of the locomotive, while Dankesreiter's body was hurled some 100 yards into tall weeds and grass. Some time elapsed before the body was found. Search continued later for a second body, the train engineer expressing the opinion that he saw two persons in the car. This proved to be erroneous, however.

Frank Hess and Al Walterscheid returning from a fishing trip at Lake Murray, arrived a few moments after the crash and verified identity of the body after persons at the scene had found identification papers. A Leazer-Keel ambulance which had arrived took the body to a sanitarium but death was declared to have occurred instantaneously.

Funeral services were conducted here from Sacred Heart church Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock with the pastor, Rev. Thomas Buegler, officiating at the requiem high mass and at burial in the Muenster cemetery. Pall-bearers were Clarence Hellman, Herman and Frank Bindel, Ray Martin, Werner Cier and Herman Fleitman.

Mr. Dankesreiter was born in Germany on March 2, 1900, and came to the United States with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dankesreiter, in 1905, settling with them in Thomas, Okla., where the family resided for several years. In 1915 they moved to Muenster. He assisted his father in farming until two years ago when he moved to town. He had been residing with Ed Klimpf.

Survivors are his father and two brothers, Lawrence of this city and Frank of Tioga.

Among out of town relatives and friends at the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dankesreiter and family, Eugene Maier, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Maier, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weber and son, Frank Jr., and Mrs. Joe Zellner, all of Tioga.

20,000 CIGS FROM MUENSTER REACHED EMBARKATION PORT

The Enterprise has received a letter from Lt. Colonel Harold G. Hoffman of the headquarters New York Port of Embarkation giving information that 20,000 cigarettes have been received there to be shipped to the armed forces in North Africa by the citizens of Muenster.

A number of local business houses and individuals contributed toward the purchase of the cigarettes several weeks ago.

The letter follows: "You may rest assured that every effort will be made to get these cigarettes quickly to our fighting men."

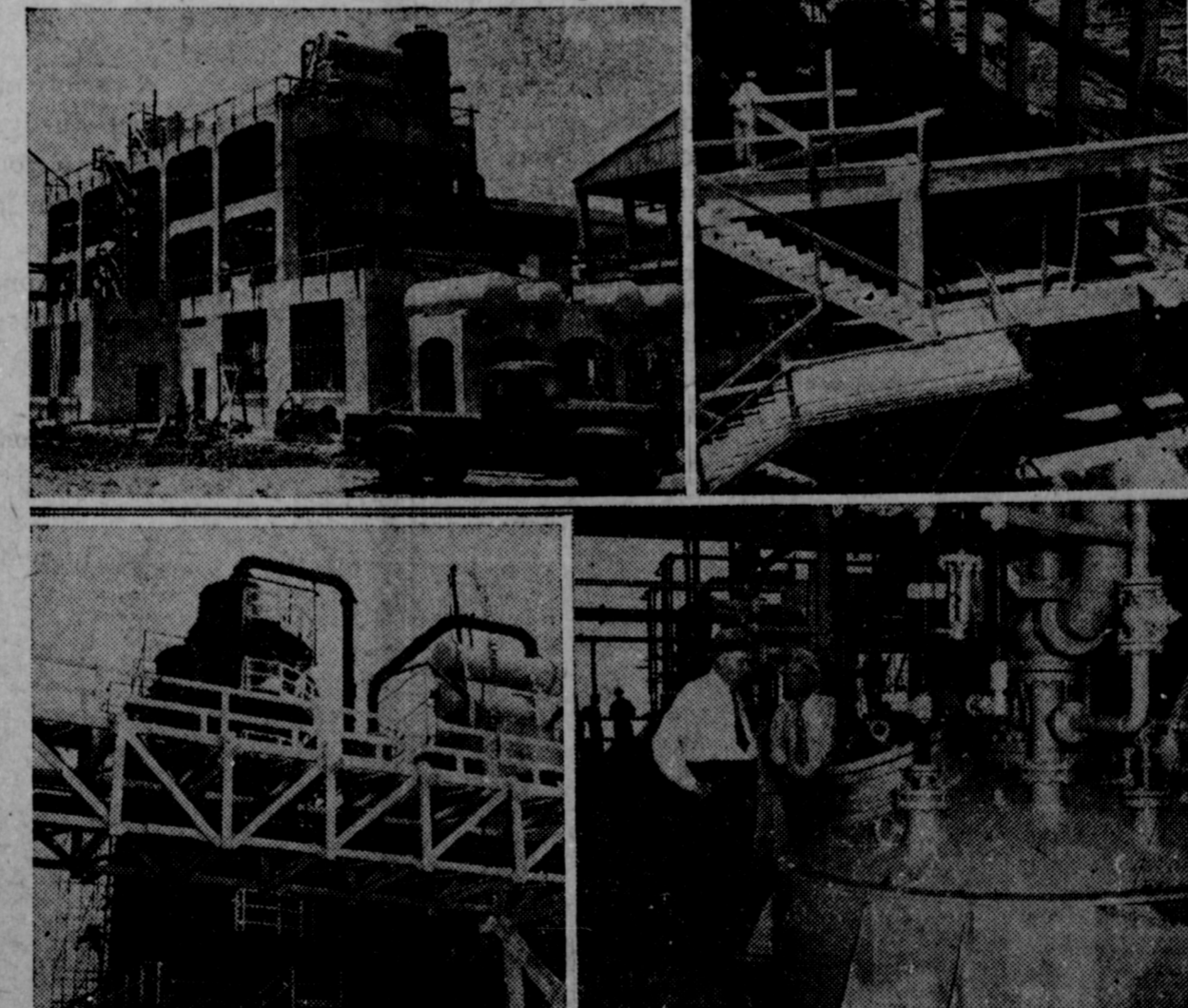
"The name and address of the donor is securely fastened to the container of every one of the shipments handled by this office in order that the commanding officer of the troops receiving the contribution may, in conditions warrant, acknowledge receipt."

"Your fine effort is considered one of the best morale lifting factors of the present war. The thanks of this office are extended for those who may be unable to make them personally. Yours very truly, Harold G. Hoffman, Lt. Col."

The two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Garry Hess suffered a painful eye injury Wednesday morning when a bottle he was playing with was broken and a splinter of flying glass lodged in his right eye ball. He was rushed to Gainesville to an eye specialist but it was not learned whether or not he would lose the eye.

TEXAS SYNTHETIC RUBBER PLANTS NEAR COMPLETION

First Construction Photographs In State's Newest Industry



These synthetic rubber plants in southeastern Texas, nearing completion and scheduled to start production this summer, are the first in Texas' newest industry. Built by the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company of Akron, Ohio, the plants have open-type walls to take advantage of Texas' benign climate and to conserve building materials. At the top left is a process building in a 60,000-ton plant while the picture beside it shows three reactors in place and space for another. Below, left, are the stripping towers which remove excess butadiene and styrene from the latex while beside it, is a picture of Glenn A. Barber (white shirt), project manager for one of the plants, examining a reactor with an employee.

LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Short Items of Interest About Folks You Know

Rev. Richard Eveld left Sunday to spend a week with relatives in Altus and other Oklahoma towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Clark spent the weekend in Gainesville with friends.

Little Bert Hamric is recovering from the mumps that confined him to his home last week.

Since Friday Miss Mary Wiedemann is employed at Camp Howze.

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Mrs. Nick Miller and Misses Betty Hartman and Tresa Hirsby were in Dallas Friday.

Little Linda Ann Yosten is spending this week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berend, at Era.

Misses Marie and Joann Henschel of Norman, Okla., arrived Saturday to spend a week here with relatives and friends.

Jimmy Ratliff arrived from Lubbock during the weekend to visit his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fette, and other relatives.

Mrs. S. L. Duffey and son, Larry of Fort Worth are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reeve Cooke, this week.

Miss Agnes Rohmer of Sherman spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rohmer.

Miss Margaret Sicking of Dallas is here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Sicking and family.

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Bobby and Reynold Reiter have gone to Denison to spend the summer with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoedebeck.

4-H Club girls are reminded of a regular meeting on the first Wednesday of next month in the parochial school basement at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. John Koelzer left during the weekend to return to her home in Hereford after spending several weeks here with her children.

Mrs. John Ezell and daughter, Patsy, returned Sunday from a visit with her parents in Wichita, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Liedtke and baby daughter have returned to their home in Denton after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Branham.

Miss Jane Hoehn arrived Sunday from Austin to spend a three week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.T. Hoehn. She is a student nurse.

Mrs. Julia Filer returned during the weekend to her home in Tours after visiting in this city with her daughter, Mrs. Ann Wiedemann.

Lindsay and Muenster played ball on the local diamond Sunday afternoon resulting in a score of 13 to 3 in the local team's favor. Quite a few fans attended.

Rev. Fathers Thomas and Richard were in Sherman Sunday to attend rites in connection with the investiture of Very Rev. Msgr. McCollough.

Mrs. Frances Phillips left Wednesday to return to her home in Rupert, Idaho, after spending a week here with members of the Hesse families.

Mrs. Eton Edelen has been moved to her home and is convalescing from an appendectomy performed at the Gainesville sanitarium last week Tuesday.

Mrs. John R. Rice and daughter, Sarah Joy, of Wheaton, Ill., are here for several weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Cooke and other relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. T.S. Myrick and children have made several trips during the week to Weatherford to visit her aged grandfather, 98, who has been ill.

Sisters Irima and Gertrude left last week for Jonesboro, Ark., to spend the summer at the motherhouse. This week Sisters Anastasia, Ursula and Genevieve departed for Jonesboro.

Father Day guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E.S. Lawson were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Looney McGowen

and little daughter, Shirley, of Gainesville.

A six-pound son, David Paul, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Herr at the local clinic Monday evening. The baby was baptised Wednesday by Father Thomas, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. John Wier as sponsors.

Miss Elsie Mae Fuhrmann, Miss Isabel Walterscheid and J.C. Trachis of this city and Miss Leona Berend of Gainesville spent Thursday in Dallas where Miss Fuhrmann bought supplies for her beauty shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Vogel are the parents of a daughter, Margaret Ann, born Sunday at the family home. At baptism, administered Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Stoffels, grandparents of the infant, were sponsors.

Mrs. Jim Cook and Mrs. D.C. Kline attended a luncheon at Camp Howze last Tuesday. It was a courtesy extended Red Cross workers by officers of the camp hospital and was served in the officer's club room.

Joe Fisher, Sr. was honored with a Father's Day dinner and family reunion at his home Sunday. All of his children and grandchildren with the exception of Pfc. Harry Fisher, a son stationed with the army in Australia, were in attendance. Out of town children present were Lt. and Mrs. Charles Taylor of Independence, Kansas,

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Yeoman and Mrs. Earl Fisher of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher and children of Valley View and Miss Ida Fisher of Gainesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper Monroe and son are on their annual vacation, spending two weeks at Lake Murray. They left town Monday morning.

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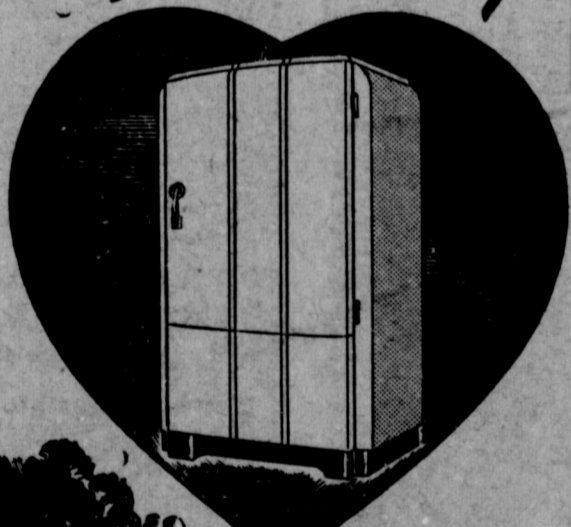


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It Happened 5 Years Ago

June 24, 1938
 End of week finds threshermen near middle of season. Inability to secure oil named as cause of refinery shut-down by

Jack Hunter; plant goes back to A. G. Hutton. Stump speaking dates set by Cooke County candidates. Ocean voyage is big thrill to trio of Muenster Sisters according to letters reaching friends here. Elaborate ceremony marks observance of Corpus Christi feast. Tony Sickling and Frank Moster begin bicycle trip to New York.

—Keep 'Em Firing With Junk—

Local NEWS Briefs

Mrs. Ludwig Zimmerer and little daughter, Elizabeth, have returned to their home in La Feria after spending six weeks here with her sister, Mrs. John Schilling and other relatives in this city and in Lindsay.

Mrs. Kenneth Newton left here Thursday for Oklahoma City where she will remain indefinitely. Her husband is stationed there with the army and they will make their home there until he is transferred.

Mesdames Henry Koehler, P.E. McLeod, Ray Evans and Orlan Edden and Miss Henrietta Wiesman left here Saturday to spend a week in San Antonio with Mrs. Koehler's relatives and with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carter and S. Sgt. and Mrs. Paul Hunsberger spent Sunday in Sherman with Pvt. and Mrs. Albert Steinberger and were accompanied home by little James Mollenkopf who had been visiting his uncle and aunt the past week.

Guests of Misses Josephine and Veronica Yosten Monday afternoon were Pfc. Johnny Durbin of Camp Howze and his sister, Miss Betty Durbin, and her friend, Miss Anna Mae Corona, both of New Orleans, La., who are guests of Pfc. Durbin for several days.

Sgt. and Mrs. William Showers and little daughter, Jane Gale, of San Marcos are spending his two week's furlough here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bergman. Sgt. Showers is with the army air Corps, stationed at the San Marcos field.

Mrs. James R. Carter and infant son, Randall, of Fort Worth are here for an indefinite visit with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Gehrig and other relatives. She is the former Miss Virginia Gehrig. Her husband is with the army, stationed in India.

Messrs and Mmes. Joe Swirczynski and Bob Yosten have as their guests for two weeks their niece, Mrs. Ed Swirczynski and daughter, Evelyn of Omaha, Neb., who are in the county to visit their son and brother, Pvt. Francis Swirczynski, stationed at Camp Howze.

FRANK SCHILLING HOME IS PARTY SCENE SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schilling were hosts at dinner in their home Sunday honoring his brother, Cpl. Arnold Schilling, home on furlough from Los Angeles, Calif.

Guests in addition to the honoree were Mr. and Mrs. John Schilling and daughter, Anna Marie, Mr. and Mrs. George Koelzer and children and Albert and Mike Schilling, all of this city, Andrew Schilling of Seymour and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pelzel and family of Pilot Point.

MISS MARCELLA PAGEL, LT. JOHN P. JANICKI MARRY HERE FRIDAY

The marriage of Miss Marcella Pagel of Gainesville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Pagel, Jr., of this city, to First Lieutenant John P. Janicki of Camp Howze and LaGrange, Ill., was solemnized here at Sacred Heart church Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Rev. Thomas Buegler, pastor, officiated at the double ring ceremony and at the nuptial high mass, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends from this city and from Gainesville.

The altar before which the vows were exchanged was adorned with red and white gladioli and pre-nuptial music was played by Sister Leonarda, who also presided at the pipe organ to assist the church choir in rendering music for the mass.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attired in a becoming, light blue dress of aqua blue. She wore a picture hat of black straw and other accessories in black. Her flowers were orchids and she carried a pearl and sterling silver rosary, a gift from the bridegroom.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was her sister, Miss Anselma Pagel of Gainesville, who wore a rose-beige crepe dress with black and white accessories, and a corsage of white and blue-tinted carnations.

Lt. William Young of Camp Howze was best man.

Mrs. Pagel, mother of the bride, wore a navy blue sheer ensemble with a corsage of gardenias.

Following the services a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents for members of the bridal party and her immediate family, including her grandfather, Jacob Pagel, Sr. The table carried out the all-white wedding theme and was centered with a three-tiered cake, topped with bride and military groom figurine. Daisies decorated the dining room.

Lt. and Mrs. Janicki left after the breakfast for a short wedding trip and are now at home in Tyler. He was transferred from Camp Howze to Camp Fannin there.

Lt. Janicki is a son of Joseph Janicki of LaGrange and volunteered in the U.S. Army in 1940, receiving his commission at Camp Lee, Va., in July 1942. For almost a year he had been stationed with the quartermaster corps at Camp Howze.

Mrs. Janicki was born and reared in this city, attending the local schools and St. Mary's School in Gainesville. She had been employed in Gainesville several years, and recently at Camp Howze.

The Ed Cler's of Garland announce the birth of a 7-1-2 pound daughter, Phyllis Ray, at a Dallas hospital Friday morning, June 18. The little lady is the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. A.T. Hoehn and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cler of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Hoehn drove to Dallas this week to visit their daughter and the baby and were baptismal sponsors for the infant.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE Two-100 acre farms 3 miles east of Muenster known as the Walterscheid farms. See Al Walterscheid, city. 31-2

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 Please get your ice early so that we can have Sunday afternoons off.
 We will not dispense ice on Sunday afternoons in the future. We Close at noon.
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 Have you ever thought what it would mean if your car stopped.
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A New Line---
 We have added a new line of merchandise this week. You'll have to see it to appreciate it.
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 Full Sets and Single Pieces
GLASS COFFEE MAKERS
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 Complete with Roller — or ready to attach to your old roller
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Quality Building Materials
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Lindsay News

Rev. Father Conrad was in Sherman Sunday to attend the investiture of Very Rev. Msgr. McCollough.

Hubert Bezner was in Dallas on business Monday and Tuesday and on Wednesday had his tonsils removed.

Cpl. Paul Fuhrmann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fuhrmann, was recently transferred from Chanute Field, Ill., to Kearns, Utah, where

he is receiving special overseas training, he has written home.

Cpl. Harold Gruber of Texarkana, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Gruber, visited here during the weekend.

Rosalie Schmitz, Gertrude Beyer and Isabel Schmitz, employed in Garland, were here to spend the weekend with homefolks.

Mrs. John Bezner left Wednesday morning for Detroit, Mich., to visit her son, Wm. Bezner and family.

Sgt. and Mrs. Leonard Zwingli of Wichita Falls spent Sunday here with relatives and friends. He is stationed at Sheppard Field.

Sgt. Joe Fuhrmann of Nashville, Tenn., had a several-day pass and spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fuhrmann.

Gregory Hundt visited here Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hundt. The army was transferring him from California

WADE-TEX THEATRES GAINESVILLE

State FRIDAY SATURDAY

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"JOURNEY FOR MARGARET"

PREVIEW SAT.-11:30 P. M. and SUNDAY - MONDAY - TUESDAY
Alice FAYE
John FAYNE

"HELLO FRISCO HELLO"

PLAZA FRIDAY & SATURDAY

Johnny McBROWN
Tex RITTER

"CHEYENNE ROUNDUP"

RITZ FRI. - SAT.

Roy ROGERS
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"HEART OF THE GOLDEN WEST"

SUNDAY-MONDAY TUESDAY
Richard DIX
Lon CHANEY

"EYES OF THE UNDERWORLD"

TEXAN FRIDAY SATURDAY
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Mary McLEOD

"THE PURPLE V"

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Madame Chiang Kai Shek, a frequent visitor to the Red Cross hospital at Nanking, before Jap bombers destroyed the hospital, visits wounded heroes of China's defense against the brutal invaders. Photo from motion picture "RAVAGED EARTH".

to another camp and he was permitted the one-day stop-over.

Pvt. and Mrs. Al Bezner are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bezner. He is stationed at Camp Adair, Oregon, and this is his first furlough since his entry in the army.

Ralph Bezner, who joined the army air corps recently, last week received his call to report for duty at Sheppard Field where he is taking his basic training.

Pvt. and Mrs. Bruce Anderson are spending his furlough by visiting relatives in Joplin, Mo. He is stationed at Camp Howze and they reside here.

Cpl. Frieda Zwingli, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Zwingli, who received her WAAC training at Des Moines, Iowa, is now touring the state of Wisconsin as a recruiter for the Women's Auxiliary Army Corps, it has been learned.

HENRY N. FUHRMANN SUSTAINS BURNS AS TRACTOR GAS IGNITES

Henry N. Fuhrmann sustained second degree burns on both legs from the ankle to the knee last Wednesday when his tractor burst into flames as he was attempting to fill the gas tank while the motor was running. Quick thinking saved him from more serious burns. Noticing that his clothes were aflame he rolled on the ground, away from the scene, and stripped off his outer garments with only slight injury to his hands.

Mrs. Fuhrmann, who arrived shortly, extinguished the tractor blaze with milk before much damage was done to the machine. She had just emerged from the barn, following milking.

Fuhrmann was treated at the

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Muenster clinic, is reported resting as well as can be expected and is recovering normally.

BANKING

Through courtesy Muenster State Bank

(Continued from last week) Last week we began an explanation of services performed by Banks of our Country, and attempted to give a short description of what banks are and how they originated. This week we will take up the subject of the "Why" of Bank deposits.

There are several reasons why people put their money and securities in a bank, among them, safety and convenience. Businessmen, farmers, and ranchers have another reason in addition to the first two. It is an important factor in any business to maintain a large bank deposit to establish a mutual respect with other businessmen in order to uphold a credit standing in the community in which it is located, to be able to take advantage of competitive buying and create a reserve for contingencies.

Considering again the first factor involved, it is easy to understand the grave responsibility that would rest upon the public if each individual would be required to find a place to hide large amounts of cash as to be safe from the dangers of thieves and other disasters. Using the Bank relieves all worries incident to such practices. Banks are equipped to protect money and valuables left with them for deposit and such deposits are protected against loss from theft, fraud, fire or any other losses, by insurance. In addition to all these precautions, nearly all banks in our Country are members of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, which is a Federal Government Agency guaranteeing every depositor against loss of what ever kind up to \$5,000.00.

A depositor of a bank likewise receives the benefit of the book-keeping system set up by the banks to handle the depositor's accounts, which enables the depositor, along with a few other records to have a complete record of every transaction he has made as well as a legal receipt for all payments in the form of cancelled checks. (Continued next week)

PARISH SOCIETIES HAVE JOINT SOCIAL MONDAY

Members of St. Joseph's Society and St. Anne's Society enjoyed a joint social gathering in the parish hall Monday evening. Games of 42 and cards furnished diversion in the early hours and later dancing was the feature attraction. Miss Mildred Walterscheid provided music with her accordion. Refreshments of fried chicken and salads, brought by the ladies.

Confetti---

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To every fair minded American the Beaumont incident comes as a jolt to his national pride. Especially now since we have been pointing the accusing finger at atrocities in Europe. People who persecute negroes put themselves in a class with the Nazis.

Let's hope the next few days will bring us news that the rabble rousers who instigated the violence have been brought to justice. Democracy's system of fair play has no use for their kind.

Almost as contemptible are the imbeciles who followed the fanatics. Anybody with an ounce of common sense should know that a city's entire colored population cannot be held responsible for the act of one criminal.

To make matters worse, it is doubtful whether there was even a criminal. The whole mess seems to be a gigantic hoax. The rioters were just a mob of suckers led on by a loud-mouth, possibly an enemy agent who invented a situation in order to disrupt business and industry. The people responsible deserve to be prosecuted for murder, subversive activity, and inciting a riot, and probably a half dozen other charges. In short they ought to have the book thrown at them.

Miss Carolyn Branham spent the weekend in Gainesville with friends.

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PLAZA SUNDAY - MONDAY - TUESDAY

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