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## THREE KUPPER BROTHERS IN ENGLAND



Sgt. Raymond Kupper, 26, serves with an infantry division stationed in England. He was inducted in the army in February, 1942, at Camp Wolters, and trained at camps in California, Alabama and North Carolina before going overseas in May this year.



Cpl. Michael Kupper, 34, has been in the army since January, 1942. He received his training at Camp Wolters; Fort Knox, Ky.; Camp Polk, La.; Camp Rice, Calif.; Camp Pickett, Va. and was at Indiantown Camp, Pa., before being called for foreign service.



Pvt. Andrew Kupper, 32, is in England with an engineer's battalion. He was inducted in May, 1943, at Camp Wolters, and trained at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., and Camp Greenville, Pa., before being called for foreign service.

**A darn good story that newspapers have been missing for a full week is an explanation why helicopters were not used to rescue the three men stranded on the Grand Canyon plateau. After all the ballyhoo about the versatility of those planes a person can't help thinking this job is right down their alley.**

The idea struck me when I first heard about the fellows parachuting down to the isolated desert. I recalled those news-reel demonstrations of helicopters settling to the roofs of office buildings or hovering over a spot while the pilot spoke to a man on the ground. Unless my memory is getting tricky, there was even a demonstration of rescuing persons from inaccessible places. So, the natural question in my mind is "why wasn't it used out there in Arizona?"

Not having seen nor heard any mention of the plane in connection with this incident, I am inclined to wonder whether any one thought of it. A possible explanation, but out of respect to the air corps I hesitate to suspect it is the correct one.

Wouldn't that be an absurd situation? Should it develop that is the real one, this affair will go down in history as one of the prize boners of the century.

Imagine! In a week's time three rescue parties have already gone out with about three dozen heavily loaded pack mules. They're to wander through the canyon a while, cross the Colorado rapidly, and then scale the 500 foot precipice to the plateau. Days of the most arduous, primitive and dangerous rescue work when, according to aviation notes, a helicopter could have done it all in a couple of hours without causing anybody to work up a sweat.

Another solution aviation might have picked out of its own field is the blimp. Like the helicopter, it doesn't need a landing field, just a spot.

No, the reason can't be as simple as that — we hope. It would be too embarrassing. That plateau must be swept by a constant gale, or a whirlwind. Some insurmountable difficulty is keeping the air corps from making an air rescue. But what is it?

During the GOP convention, about the time Dewey's nomination became certain, one of our GI Joes came forth with "I wonder whether his wife stays at home." There's a subject the Republicans could very well exploit in their approaching campaign.

While it is true that the travels of a certain lady have been welcome topics to quite a number of cartoonists and jesters, they have also been a thorn in the side of other elements. So many of the "trips" and "personal appearances" could be interpreted as subtle ploys for the administration or executive sanction of movements and organizations that did not quite harmonize with traditional American standards.

If Dewey supporters have any assurance that their candidate for first lady is content to be the only gracious hostess of the White House, they can't go wrong in talking about it. Eager ears are waiting for such reports.

Two figures released on the same day, when considered together are almost unbelievable. Russians say 111,000 Germans were either killed or captured in two battles on the White Russian front last week. Our high command announces that total U.S. casualties — killed, wounded and missing — since our entry into the war is 244,000. Inasmuch that in a few days on only one front the Nazis are supposed to have lost almost half as many men as we did all over the world in more than two and a half years.

Of course, it is a well known fact that Russians have a tendency to exaggerate. The total of German casualties listed by them so far has been considerably greater than the entire German army. A better idea of the true situation can be obtained by dividing their reports by two, or perhaps five. Even at that, Nazi losses must be enormous.

Without resorting to estimates our forces in France send other reports that indicate the German predicament. They tell us that almost all prisoners taken are either under 20 or over 30 years of age. Indicating that those in their twenties have already been eliminated in battle.

It seems like a stroke of grim justice that the curse Hitler tried to impose on conquered peoples should come back on his own nation. He has succeeded in weakening others for generations to come by his wholesale executions and systematic starvation. But in carrying out his diabolical scheme he sacrificed his own youth.

By comparison the hardship sustained by this country is negligible. A breakdown of the American (Continued on Page 6)



OUR BOYS WITH THE COLORS

**Visits In Rome**  
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Luttmner are in receipt of a letter this week from their son, Pvt. Henry B. Luttmner, which says in part, "I am now allowed to write and tell you that I visited in Rome and in Vatican City. I spent a while in Saint Peter's church which is very beautiful and large. The Pope held an audience for American and French troops, so I saw him and was given a rosary as a souvenir. I wish I could have spent more time there for it is really an interesting place."

**13-Day Furlough**  
Pfc. Herman Stoffels came in Saturday to spend a 13-day furlough with his father, Nick Stoffels and other relatives. He is stationed at Camp Carson, Colorado, with a medical unit.

**Souvenirs From India**  
Pfc. Larry Yosten, stationed with the army air corps ground personnel somewhere in India, sent a package of gifts and souvenirs from that country to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Yosten, which they received this week. Included were elaborately beaded scarfs, embroidered silk pajamas, a cigarette case and a cigarette holder.

**Meet In S.W. Pacific**  
Lt. Albert Hoehn and Lt. Norman Luke met recently somewhere in the Southwest Pacific area, they have written to their parents here. Lt. Hoehn serves aboard a ship and Lt. Luke is a naval aviator.

**Spending Furlough Here**  
Pvt. and Mrs. Albert Steinberger and baby daughter are here this week as guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Steinberger, and are also visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carter, at Gainesville. He is stationed at Perrin Field and is on furlough.

**Awarded Conduct Medal**  
S. Sgt. Leo Haverkamp, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Haverkamp, was recently awarded the good conduct medal in England where he is stationed.

**Completes Furlough**  
Pfc. Lawrence Knabe returned to Camp Chaffee, Ark., after completion of a furlough spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Knabe and family. Before he left he was honored with a farewell party given by his sister, Mrs. Frank Hellinger at Lindsay for a large number of relatives and friends.

**Reports OK In France**  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swirczynski have a letter from their son, Pvt. Richard Swirczynski, saying he is now in France and is well. Previously he was in England.

**Still In England**  
Technical Sergeant Charlie Wimmer is still in England according to a letter his parents received Monday. He wrote that he knows where a number of local boys are on duty but hasn't had time off to pay them a visit.

**Sends Jap Flag Home**  
S. Sgt. Ferd Yosten has sent his father, Frank Yosten, a flag of the Rising Sun which was taken from the enemy during conflict. He also included a number of small souvenirs picked up in China, where he is stationed with the army air forces as a mechanic, and a picture taken of himself and M. Sgt. Leon Hellman when they met and visited some time ago.

## Carl Wilson Is Candidate For County Sheriff

Sheriff Carl Wilson has authorized The Enterprise to formally announce his candidacy for reelection to the office, subject to the Democratic primary next month, and makes the following statements:

"On account of war-time conditions, it is impossible for me to see personally all of the voters in the county, as I would like very much to do.

"Making such a campaign would require much of my time which is really devoted to the citizenship of the county, and the use of more gasoline and tires, both of which are sorely needed in the war effort. Like everyone else, I am operating short-handed, have only one deputy, despite the fact that the work of the office is heavier, due to the location of Camp Howe near by.

"It has been my purpose to operate the sheriff's office honestly, efficiently and as economically as possible. My reports show an increase in arrests and convictions from month to month and a decrease in the expense of the office.

"I have no criticism to make of any of my opponents. My campaign is based on my standing as a citizen and my record as an official. I shall not make promises of appointment to any one in order to get a few votes and I shall try to execute the laws faithfully and impartially in the future, as in the past.

"I fully appreciate the honor of serving Cooke county as its sheriff and if the public continues to bestow this honor upon me by electing me sheriff on July 22, I shall be very grateful and I sincerely promise the best service in that capacity that I am capable of rendering.

"Respectfully,  
"CARL WILSON,"  
(Pol. Adv.)

## MAIN HOTEL WILL RE-OPEN SOON IN WOLF BUILDING

The Main Hotel, destroyed by fire on June 26, will re-open in the Wolf building in about two weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Schumacher, managers, disclosed Monday. In a deal closed during the weekend with H.M. Wolf, owner, Mr. and Mrs. Schumacher leased the two-story brick structure, and will open for business as soon as repairs and remodeling are completed.

At the present time a thorough redecoration program is in progress, which, it is estimated will take approximately two weeks.

In addition to the hotel management, the Schumachers will operate the restaurant on the ground floor which will be known as the Coffee Shop.

The hotel, built in 1927, was known as the Wolf Hotel and was operated by the owner until about five years ago. Since that time it has stood idle.

## MOFFETT TO SPEAK HERE THIS SATURDAY

George Moffett, candidate for Congress, from this district, will speak in Muenster Saturday afternoon prior to John Bayer's auction sale, he announced Wednesday.

Everybody is invited to hear his address.

"Eureka" is the motto of California.

## Lindsay Will Be Host To Catholic District Meeting

Sunday, July 30, Set As Date for 1-Day Session; Program Being Planned

Lindsay will be the host parish this year for the annual district meeting of the Catholic State League. It was announced this week by Rev. Thomas Buerger, organizer for the North Texas District.

Sunday, July 30, has been set as the date for the one-day session and arrangements are being made preparatory to the issuance of programs, which will be distributed at a later date.

According to members of the committees in charge a delightful program is in the making. State and district officers of the organization along with delegates and visitors from the several North Texas units will spend the day in pursuit of the organization's interests and then sponsor a series of addresses in the "Catholic Day" program.

Provision for lunches and other refreshments has been left to the Lindsay parish society.

The North Texas district of the League includes the following towns: Wichita Falls, Electra, Scotland, Rhineland, Windthorst, Muenster, Lindsay and Pilot Point.

## ST. ANNE'S SOCIETY NAMES DELEGATES TO CONVENTION

Members of Saint Anne's Society met Sunday afternoon for the purpose of electing delegates to the district meeting of the Catholic State League at Lindsay on July 30, and to the state convention at Castorville in August.

Chosen to represent the society at Lindsay were Mesdames John Wieler, Ben Seyler, Al Walterscheid, Ben Hellman, Tony Gremminger, Henry Pick.

Delegates to Castorville are Mrs. Carl Herr, president of the organization, and Mrs. Alois Trubenbach with Mesdames Tony Gremminger and Leo Schmitt named as alternates.

Other business of the session consisted of preliminary plans for the observance of the feast day of the organization's patron, Saint Anne, on July 26. Present plans include attendance at a special mass, reception of the Eucharist in a body, and a breakfast in the parish hall. Members of the Blessed Virgin Sodality are to be in charge of preparing and serving the meal.

## MUENSTER HAS FIVE ENTRIES, ONE WIN IN COUNTY HORSE SHOW

Muenster had five entries in the Fourth of July horse show held at Fair Park rodeo arena Tuesday evening, and came out with one win. Mrs. T.S. Myrick receiving fourth place award on "Spot" in the best all-purpose horse class.

The other entries and their riders were: "Duchess" Mrs. R. L. McNeley; "Trixie" R.L. McNeley; "Joe", Dr. T.S. Myrick, and "Red", John Myrick.

Quite a number of horse fanciers from this city attended the show.

## Muenster Short Half Of Quota In Bond Drive

Busy Season Blamed; Expect Rush In Last Days To Meet Goal

The Fifth War Loan drive, swinging into its final week finds Muenster still short approximately one-half of its goal. This announcement was made Wednesday by J. M. Weinzapfel, local chairman.

While there seems to be no doubt about the final outcome of the campaign, it is going to take a great deal of last minute purchases to meet the quota, the chairman said, as he urged all prospective buyers to come in and make their purchases as soon as possible.

A lull in the campaign here began almost necessary when grain threshing came on with a rush. The prevailing sentiments being that it was better to get the grain saved and out of the way, food products being as important as bullets, and when the harvest was over there would still be time enough to buy the bonds, with proceeds from the grain.

It is pointed out that wheat has produced well and the price is favorable, and only the lack of patriotism, or common decency could prevent Muenster from attaining the goal in this drive.

Since Muenster citizens are well known for their patriotism, their interest in their native sons on the battle fields, and the love for their community, it is taken for granted that rush buying of bonds in the few days remaining of the drive, will put this city over the top.

No one can afford not to buy bonds now, any more than men fighting on the battle fronts can afford to lay down their arms. There are other fighting men who couldn't afford to pay the price they had to pay either, but they paid it. Fewer will have to pay with their lives if war bonds are bought now.

## War Chest Quota Of \$14,480,391 For Texas Is Accepted

"The Texas share in the job of caring for our own and for our allies has been set and we will meet the obligation," said Gov. Coke Stevenson, when the quota was announced last week.

The Texas War Fund executive committee accepted a goal of \$14,480,391, and plans for a fall campaign in which the total of \$9,000,000 will be sought for local and war related agencies.

Last year Texans contributed approximately five billion to the national fund and a similar amount to local welfare agencies.

Wayland D. Towners, general manager of the State War Chest said this year's state budget for the national fund would be divided among the major community chests and four campaign divisions of the state. Later it will be broken down to county budgets.

## THIS WEEK FINDS THRESHERMEN IN MIDDLE OF SEASON

For more than two weeks grain threshing has been going on full blast in this community and with continued fair weather the next two weeks will finish most of this year's harvesting activity.

While dry weather is welcome to threshers, some farmers are beginning to be worried about the corn crop, which is in need of a good rain. Rains, likewise, would benefit pastures for grazing cattle.

A shower Monday afternoon stopped machines for a short time south of the city, it is reported, but in other areas, only a very light rain fell, not interrupting schedules. In scattered sections, rain Saturday afternoon stopped work for several hours.

Temperatures have been ranging from 95 to slightly below the 100 mark for about two weeks. Nights, however, have remained cool.

Mrs. Joe Voth is recovering normally from an emergency operation performed at Medical-Surgical hospital in Gainesville for the removal of her appendix Saturday morning. Members of her family have cheered her with visits during the week.

## 78 Muensterites Donate Blood To Plasma Unit

Donors In Area Exceed Given Quota; Red Cross Officials Well Pleased

Seventy-eight Muenster persons are on the honor roll as donors of a full pint of blood during the period June 19-25, when the mobile unit from Fort Worth area set up at Gainesville. Approximately 100 from this community volunteered but some were rejected, due principally to the fact that they had not read the eligibility rules closely.

People of the area gave 797 full pints and 14 partial pints of blood during the 5 days the Red Cross mobile unit had its headquarters in the county. This number exceeded the announced quota and Red Cross officials are well pleased with the results, according to Mrs. Alma Johansen, executive secretary of the county chapter. The quota was 750 pints. Approximately 150 soldiers were among the donors.

The mobile unit plans to return to Gainesville in the fall and all local residents who contributed blood signed up for another donation at that time.

Muenster donors are: Rev. Richard Eved, Emmet Fette, Ed Endres, Mrs. James D. Cook, Henry Dunn, Mildred Fette, Urban Endres, Mrs. Henry Fette, Anastasia Tempel, Paul Endres, J.W. Fisher, Viva Jo Hammer, Ervin Hamric, Helen Herr, Mrs. Ervin Hamric, Mrs. Joe Horn, John A. Klement, Mrs. Roy Lusk, Mrs. Joe Parker, Dewey Pendleton, Jack Robertson, Dr. T.S. Myrick, Ben Seyler, Rose Sicking, Mrs. Blanton Standefer, Frances Stelzer, Matt Stelzer, Mrs. Bob Swirczynski, Dorothy Trachta, Eleanor Trubenbach, Mrs. B. P. Voth, Martin Walterscheid, J. M. Weinzapfel, Agnes Rohmer, Mrs. Florence Young, R.R. Endres, James Endres, Mrs. Luke Tempel, Mrs. John Tempel, W.L. Young, A.J. Endres, Mrs. A.J. Endres, Dorothy Hartman, Betty Hartman, Jake Horn, Jr., Mrs. Jake Horn, Jr., A.P. Gremminger, Alois Wieler, Mrs. Alois Walter, Joe Herr, Josephine Yosten, Mrs. Buddy Fette, Mildred Walterscheid, Earl Walterscheid, Florene Endres, C. J. Kaiser, Gladys Wilde, Alma Marie Luke, Jos. Luke, Nick Miller, Mrs. Nick Miller, John Feilerhoff, Mrs. John Feilerhoff, Clarence Hellman, Juanita Weinzapfel, Ted Gremminger, Mrs. Henry Pick, J. C. Trachta, Mrs. Lois Schenk, Curtis Johns, Eton Edelen, G.W. Heuser, Joe Parker, James D. Cook, Nick Yosten, Mrs. M.L. McGowan, Mrs. J.A. Fisher, Johnny W. Fisher.

## City Plans Street, Park Improvement As Coming Projects

One hundred and twenty nine loads of gravel were hauled recently for fill-ins on city streets. It was stated at the regular meeting of the city council Monday evening, and further improvement of city streets was discussed. Main street will be treated with a new asphalt surface as soon as labor is available. Through the courtesy of the county commissioner's court, a heavy roller is to be available, it was stated.

Other business at the meeting consisted of a discussion regarding the beautification of the city park. Suggestions made are to have electric lights erected, grass mowed and the entrance road graded and graveled. Still another suggestion was that barbecue pits be built and eventually play ground equipment installed, with such a center in the city. Muenster citizens could enjoy their outings and picnics here instead of having to drive elsewhere for these facilities. A good water well is already in the park, and with the addition of a few faucets plenty of water could be made available. In this beautification project the city council is looking forward to assistance from the Civic League and Garden Club, it was added.

With new water connections being made monthly, and the city water demand growing, discussions also centered around the digging of a new water well, and the purchase of a motor for the stand-by booster pump. With two city wells the local insurance rate could be brought down to the minimum and there would be no occasion when water is not plentiful. This suggestion is to receive further consideration at a forthcoming session.

Mrs. M.J. Endres is recovering this week from poison oak infection which has afflicted her the past two weeks.

# LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Short Items of Interest About Folks You Know

Mr. and Mrs. Al Horn have returned to Muenster to reside after spending several months in Dallas.

John Schilling spent his spare time this week applying a fresh coat of white paint to his house.

Mrs. John Fisch, Sr., is somewhat improved following a week's illness, but is still confined to bed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cler and daughter of Garland spent Sunday, Monday and Tuesday here with relatives.

Al Swirczynski of Dallas spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday here with his parents and other relatives.

Miss Hilda Fleitman of Dallas was here for a weekend visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fleitman.

Charlie Swofford was the guest of relatives and friends at Nocona and Bonita Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Alvina Roewe of Sherman is spending this week with her grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Wieler and other relatives.

Miss Elfreda Luke of Denton spent Sunday, Monday and Tuesday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Luke.

Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Bernauer and daughter, Mary Faith, are visiting in Fort Worth with Mrs. Jake Gieb.

Miss Evelyn O'Connor of Dallas was here for a weekend visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy O'Connor.

Miss Clara Richter of Dallas spent the weekend and Fourth here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Richter.

The John Fette home is being redecorated this week on the interior, receiving new wall paper and varnish.

Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Fowler moved Saturday to occupy an apartment at the home of Mrs. O. J. Hutchins. Previously they resided with Mrs. Ben Hellman.

J.B. Wilde and daughter, Miss

Laura Lee, are in Hereford and other West Texas areas operating a combine. They plan to be away about two months.

Thomas Weinzapfel, a student at Saint John's Seminary, is back in San Antonio, after spending three weeks in Los Angeles, Calif., with a classmate.

Miss Loretta Rohmer returned to Fort Worth Saturday after spending a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rohmer.

Miss Juanita Weinzapfel is back in the city after spending a few weeks in Tulsa, Okla., with her sister, Mrs. P. W. Hellman and family.

Drilling Contractor Ray Bourland of Wichita Falls was in the city Wednesday on business and reported that he is drilling a well in Wilbarger county at this time.

Mrs. T.S. Myrick spent Tuesday in Weatherford with her parents and was accompanied home by her little daughters, Pauline Ann and Margaret, who had been the guests of their grandparents for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yosten had as their guests for the Fourth her mother, Mrs. Julius Filer of Tours and her two brothers, Joe Filer and wife and son of Tours and Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Filer and son of Houston.

Little Kenneth Walterscheid, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walterscheid, of Hereford, former local resident, broke his arm in a fall some time ago and is reported making normal progress toward recovery.

Eugene Hoedebeck of Denison spent last Sunday here with his brother, Frank, and his sister, Mrs. Clem Reiter and family. He was accompanied by Reynold and Bobby Dean Reiter who returned home after spending several weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoedebeck, at Denison.

Ben Luttmer and his son-in-law and daughter, Sgt. and Mrs. Ray Vanderburg, left Saturday for Hobbs, N.M., after being the guests of relatives here, at Lindsay and Gainesville. After a visit

## Political Announcements

The following persons have authorized the Enterprise to announce their candidacies for political offices, subject to the Democratic primary election, July 22, 1944.

For Congress, 13th District: GEORGE MOFFETT, Hardeman County.

ED GOSSETT, Wichita County (Re-election)

For District Judge: BEN W. BOYD (Re-election)

For District Clerk: MARTIN G. DAVIS (Re-election)

For County Judge: CARROLL P. SULLIVAN (Re-election)

For County Attorney: RAY WINDER

For County Clerk: TOM BLOUNT

For Commissioner Prec. 4: J. E. (Earl) ROBISON (Re-election)

For Commissioner Prec. 3: J. R. (Robert) LITTLE (Re-election)

For Sheriff: O. B. WINTERS (Re-election)

CARL WILSON (Re-election)

ENOCH T. SPIRES OSCAR JIRASEK

For County Treasurer: MRS. EVA G. TOWNSLEY (Re-election)

with his daughter in Hobbs, Mr. Luttmer returned to his home in Athena, Oregon.

Lightning, during the brief thunder shower Saturday afternoon, struck the Victor Hartman home, knocking off the chimney, throwing all the lids of the kitchen stove in disarray and scattering soot over the room. No one was injured and no fire was evident. Apparently it was a cold bolt of lightning.

John Ezell sustained painful, though not serious burns, Saturday when he assisted his uncle, Joe Ezell, with work at his cafe. The coffee maker went hay-wire and threw flames over his arms and neck. "And after working for 15 years in oil refineries without the slightest mishap, I get burned by helping with work in a cafe," Ezell commented.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wilson were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunt of Fort Worth and Ens. and Mrs. Bruce E. Orr of Shawnee, Okla. Another weekend guest was Miss Lela Wiley of Saint Jo. Little Samantha Wilson, who had spent a week with her sister in Fort Worth, returned to Muenster with the Hunts, Ens. and Mrs. Orr remained to spend this week with her parents. He is on leave.

Rev. Richard Evid, assistant pastor, left Sunday on his annual vacation. He went from here to Altus, Ark., where he was joined by his father on a trip to Chicago to visit relatives. He will return to Muenster on the 14th. Rev. Ignatius, prior of New Subiaco Abbey, will arrive the latter part of this week to assist Pastor Father Thomas during the absence of Father Richard.

Mrs. Margaret Rasch left Saturday evening to return to her home in Houston after spending ten days here with relatives. Her two children, Hans and Gretchen, remained for an extended visit with their cousins, the Weinzapfel and Gremminger children. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel accompanied Mrs. Rasch as far as Fort Worth and spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Hugh Jackson and family. They returned to Muenster by way of Windhorst, Scotland and Wichita Falls where they visited relatives and friends. At Scotland they enjoyed a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hart of South Charleston, W. Va., friends of long standing, who were also visiting in Scotland, and in Wichita Falls they enjoyed seeing their nephew, Coast Guardsman Edward Otto, home on leave from New London, Conn., to spend two weeks with members of his family.

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## ARMY WIVES CLUB HAS LUNCHEON, BOOK REVIEW

The army wives' club met Tuesday for a luncheon and a book review. Mrs. Lola Statler was chairman and served a delicious Italian spaghetti menu after which Mrs. Loyal Burchfiel gave a review of "Liberty Street" by L.V. Morris.

Meeting with the group were Mesdames Jim Cook and Tony Gremminger. Mrs. Gremminger won the door prize.

## GARDEN CLUB TO DISPLAY VEGETABLES AT MEETING

The Civic League and Garden Club will hold its regular monthly meeting next Friday, July 14, in the public school at 3:15 o'clock. Theme of the session is to be "Vegetables From My Victory Garden." Members are reminded to bring vegetable arrangements from their Victory gardens or a canned goods display. Prizes are to be awarded.

## ANDY STELZER HONORED ON BIRTHDAY MONDAY

Andy Stelzer was complimented with a delightful dinner party Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Burchfiel, with Mrs. Burchfiel and Mrs. Roy Kingery as hostesses. The dining table was centered with a large decorated cake topped with 18 candles, and before taking their places the guests sang "Happy Birthday To You", led by Miss Dorothy Nell Fletcher after which the invocation was led by E.S. Lawson. A fried chicken menu was served to twenty-five guests, who remembered the honoree with a shower of gifts for the occasion.

## LARGE CROWD ENJOYS FOURTH OF JULY DANCE

A large crowd from this and neighboring communities attended the annual Fourth of July dance in the K of C hall here Tuesday evening. The majority of attendants, consisting of young folks, packed the dance floor. Music was furnished by the Doran Orchestra from Wichita Falls. The Knights of Columbus sponsored the affair.

## BALLOTS ARE MAILED TO MEN OVERSEAS

Absentee ballots were mailed to more than 75 Cooke county men, now serving overseas, the county clerk's office has reported. Applications had been made through the secretary of state, who mailed the information to county clerks over the state. Ballots to civilians who had made applications were mailed out July 1, when absentee balloting started officially, closing on July 8. Included on the list to receive ballots are Warrant Officer Gilbert Endres, Pvt. V.L. Palmann, Miss Rose Wiesman, Cpl. Andrew Yosten, Earl J. Fisher, Mrs. Earl J. Fisher and Louis Roerig of Muenster.

Spends Leave Here Tom Parkinson, S2C, who has

just completed his boot training at the San Diego Naval Training Station spent five days here with his wife and children at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Cason. When he left Wednesday to return to San Diego he was accompanied by his wife, who will spend several weeks with him.

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If what you did for the war effort today was an easy thing to do, it isn't enough. We cannot hope to give as much as the boy who gives his life... but we can do our utmost!

For instance, if you haven't yet found yourself scheming and figuring on a way to buy extra War Bonds, it's a good sign you aren't buying enough!

When your neighbor calls on you during the 5th War Loan to ask if you'll increase your purchases, say "Yes"... even if it takes a lot of scheming and figuring afterward to pay for them.

That's the way our men are doing their part... in the Pacific, in Italy, in England. Ordered to attack, they do not first consult themselves to determine whether it's safe or convenient or comfortable. They're thinking of you at home. To protect you, they attack first... and figure out how to do it as they go.

Uncle Sam needs your dollars to finance this war and he needs them now! Not just the dol-

lars you can spare but every dollar you can earn that you don't absolutely need for food, shelter, clothing and the operation of the farm.

War Bonds savings mean more to the average farmer or rancher than to almost anyone else. For they form a financial reserve indispensable for the profitable and efficient operation of his business. War Bonds are safe, they pay a good return, they're easy to buy. When they mature, they mean new machinery and equipment, new conveniences for the house, money for the children's schooling, funds for retirement.

The next time you pick up your paper or listen to the radio news, have a conference with yourself. "Am I doing as much as I can to help win this war? Am I matching what I can do with what the boys are doing over there? Am I investing every possible dollar in War Bonds today to make my future and my family's future more secure?"

Most of us haven't yet begun to do our best. Uncle Sam needs it now! BUY MORE THAN BEFORE in the 5th War Loan!

**5 REASONS FOR INCREASING YOUR WAR BOND PURCHASES**

1. The tempo of this war is hitting its highest point. Government expenditures for war are at the peak. MORE MONEY IS NEEDED... NOW!
2. In proportion to WHO HAS THE MOST MONEY, individuals are not buying their share of War Bonds. America must correct this situation.
3. War Bonds provide the farmer and rancher with the financial reserve he must have to survive the ordinary ups and downs of farming as a business.
4. Money will be needed urgently at a future date to replace and repair farm equipment, machinery, and buildings. War Bonds will provide it.
5. War Bonds are the safest investment in the world, return a good rate of interest, are easy and convenient to buy... from bank, post office, rural mail carrier or Production Credit Association.



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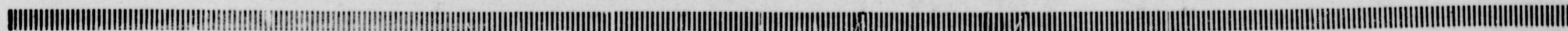
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## It Happened 5 Years Ago

July 7, 1939  
 City considers drilling own water well; estimate cost at \$4,000; should pay out in 5 years. — City council votes for another trial at street illumination. — Ray Hellman named city secretary.

— Large crowd jams parish hall for 4th of July picnic and dance. — Bad weather, gone, threshers near end of record crop. — REA co-op favors extension to Spanish Fort area. — Robert Weinzapfel wins third place in motorcycle event at Wichita Falls races. — Claude David is the name of the new son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Walter. — Theresa Hennigan confined to bed with throat infection. — Pastor Father Frowin ends 21st year as Muenster pastor on July 6th.

## FORMAL DEDICATION OF DENISON DAM IS HELD ON JULY 1ST

Denison, Texas — "Denison Dam is an example of our concern for human life," proclaimed speaker Sam Rayburn at the July 1st Dedication of the \$54,000,000 Dam and its reservoir. "It will stop the destruction of our property by floods. It will improve the health of our section by elimination of malaria." Rayburn cited the development as expressing the spirit of the Southwest. Other principal speakers were Major General Eugene Reybold, Chief of Army Engineers, under whose supervision the development was constructed, and Senator Elmer Thomas of Oklahoma.

The establishment of a permanent inland Naval base on the lake, that undoubtedly will become the resort center of the Southwest, was advocated by Senator Thomas.

Emphasizing the importance of the project to the military efforts of the nation, the celebration, which drew crowds from Wichita Falls to Oklahoma City, was attended by an impressive representation of military personnel. Visitors complimented the Corps of Engineers on the handling of the occasion.

Other speakers on the program were M.E. Ewing of Madill, Oklahoma, representing Red River Lake Development Association, Representatives Ed Gossett and W. H. Patman of Texas, and Representative Paul Stewart of Oklahoma. Tom Suggs, former Judge of the 59th District Court, was master of ceremonies.

Many interests in the vicinity of the 140-square-mile lake already are formulating plans for the future recreational development of the area.

## Your Health

Austin, Texas. — Millions of flies help to cause the illness and death of thousands of children and adults each year in the United States. Hundreds of these casualties may be in the State of Texas this year if residents fail in their responsibility for developing the best possible measures in the area where they reside. Typhoid fever, summer complaint, and other intestinal diseases can be traced to the common housefly as the carrier of infection.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, speaking in this connection recently said, "Be sure that your windows and doors are tightly screened so that stray flies from a careless neighbor will not endanger your family. Be sure that flies are kept away from food, drink and utensils used in the preparation of food. Make sure, if you live in rural districts, that outside privy vaults are tightly covered so as not to permit the entrance of flies. Infection from this source can be picked up and spread to human beings through contact with food, drink and utensils. Keep all garbage covered until collected or buried. Eliminate all breeding places for flies and you will be helping your community in its work of controlling communicable diseases and preventing unnecessary illness."

Dr. Cox said that the State Health Department would furnish upon request a pamphlet outlining safe and practical methods recommended for use in fly control.

One good thing about gas rationing—you don't hear of motorists running out of gas on the highways like you used to.

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## COUNTY KITCHENS BECOME TIN MINES FOR WAR ITEMS

Women of Cooke county can "mine" tin sufficient for 100 torpedoes this year.

These figures were compiled by J.A. Stewart, vice-president of the American Can Company, on the basis of canned foods consumed by civilians in the county during 1943. On the basis of last year's consumption of 28,000 cans of approximately 2 1/2 ounce cans of food, he said. According to a table recently issued by Washington, 28,000 cans provide tin sufficient for one torpedo.

Meanwhile, the armed forces consumed approximately 3 billion cans of food during 1943 and needs for the current year are expected to rise to three and a quarter billion cans, Mr. Stewart said. He pointed out that with a greatly increased number of the armed forces in overseas duty, more canned foods will be needed because the can has provided the most practical container for the shipment of foods abroad.

Paul Scott, et al, No. 1 Adolph Welterscheid, in Langford survey has topped sand at 2810 feet and cemented. All indications point to a good well. This well is 1-2 miles south of Denning production, southwest of Muenster.

Drilling machinery was moved this week to Arthur Hillman 477 acres in T. Tobv survey for a well which will be put in the north-west corner of the lease. This is southeast of production on Pappas land.

Some people will never wake up and find themselves rich simply because they never wake up.

**CLEANING & PRESSING SHOE REPAIRING**  
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**When In Gainesville Eat at the Coffee Pot**  
 Gene and Milton Tait Props.  
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## Ezell Cafe

Thanks you for your patronage during the past week.

We look forward to seeing you often in the future.

Joe Ezell, Mgr. Muenster

## Invest In War Bonds Now

Every bond you buy today is a step in making your dream home come true. Every dollar you invest is another stone for building strong the foundations of your future happiness.

And, War Bonds will protect your freedom — provide for your future — prepare the way to make the home you've always wanted a reality.

Hold your War Bonds for maturity, when you will get \$4.00 for every \$3.00 you invest now.

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**Summer Cooling . . . Winter Heating with one simple unit**

Sounds like a dream—but it's true! In the new world of tomorrow, you'll be able to have the kind of climate you want indoors—year around.

Changing seasons will have no effect on your comfort. Sultry summers and blustery winters won't mean a thing to you and your family. All-year gas air conditioning will keep your home at just the temperature you want—and at the right humidity, too—through every season.

This new and different air conditioning system was developed, before war came, by the makers of the Servel Gas Refrigerators. Systems are now operating in hundreds of homes throughout America—some of them on Lone Star lines . . . and are working fine.

You'll be able to get All-year Gas Air Conditioning for your home at war's end. So start planning now—and start saving. Buy war bonds.

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**5TH WAR LOAN**

**NOW!**

**Back the Attack**

**Buy More and More War Bonds!**

THE most important War Bond sales campaign of this war to date is on . . . NOW! With our fighting men going all-out for the big drive, we on the home front must "Back the Attack" as never before . . . by buying more and more War Bonds.

For the convenience of its customers, this Company has Series "E" War Bonds on sale at each of its district offices.

Selling War Bonds is one of the many ways in which Texas Power & Light Company is supporting the war effort . . . over and above its responsibility to keep electric power continuously available for military, installations, war industries and civilian needs. Texas Power & Light Company and its employees, in addition to selling War Bonds and Stamps to its customers and other citizens, are also buying War Bonds themselves regularly and often.

Buy all the EXTRA War Bonds you can during the 5th War Loan

**TEXAS POWER & LIGHT COMPANY**

**27 LOCAL LADIES RECEIVE AWARD FOR VOLUNTEER USO WORK**

Twenty-seven Muenster women and girls were honored Fri. night at the Fair Park USO Club in Gainesville during a special program at which they were presented with small gold USO pins and certificates for meritorious services rendered during the past 21 months.

Many of these workers served the Fair Park USO, formerly the Elm Street Club, which is operated by the National Catholic Community Service, since its organization in August 1942. All have given at least a hundred hours of service and the majority of them served well over three hundred hours. Senior and Junior hostesses and sponsors, alike, received the award.

Jerry Gorman, director, and Miss Muriel Hensler, assistant director, thanked all local persons who have so loyally supported the USO Club.

Those receiving awards are: Mesdames Joe Luke, Nick Miller, Ben Seyler and J.B. Wilde, and Misses Olivia Stock, Florene Endres, Marie Felderhoff Betty and Loretta Hartman, Helen Hess, Theresa Hirsy, Adeline & Angeline Knabe, Alma Luke, Emma and Marie Lutkenhaus, Adeline, Agnes, Martha and Mary Rohmer, Johann Seyler, Rose Sicking, Marie Swingler, Catherine Swirczynski, Anastasia Tempel, Gladys Wilde and Josephine Yosten.

Included on the program in addition of the presentation of awards and addresses by the directors of the club, were dancing to an orchestra, various acts and refreshments.

**Writes From Rome**

Pvt. Adolph Knabe, in a letter received by his wife this week, tells of an interesting visit in Rome and Vatican City, an audience with the Pope, and sight-seeing of other places of historic interest. He is a member of the 36th Division.

**Card of Thanks**

We gratefully acknowledge every kindness extended us at the time of the fire at our hotel and especially thank the fire department and others who fought the blaze.

Mr. and Mrs. AH Schumacher

Phillips Petroleum Co. was looking for sand on No. 3 Dangel at a depth of 2260 feet Wednesday noon. After completion of this well drilling will begin on No. 4 Dangelmayr.

The successful man loses as he pleases, but he is careful of what pleases him.

"The process of thinking draws the blood from the feet to the head," says a psychologist. Perhaps this is why thinking twice about a proposition frequently gives you cold feet.

Maybe the one-track mind wouldn't be so bad if it didn't get off the track so often.



**Vaccine Controls Fowl Pox**

Fowl pox, which causes considerable loss yearly to chicken and turkey flocks in Texas, can be prevented by using a vaccine. The origin of the disease is a virus and can occur in fowl from chick age to advanced years. But it is seen most often in birds a few weeks old and those in their first laying year, says Albert Brient, County Agent.

Externally, the disease obtains foothold on the combs or wattles through scratches and cuts, and internally by the mouth, or canker form. Mosquitoes are dangerous carriers, being able to transmit the disease to others several days after feeding on infected fowl. Its spread among turkeys is increased by fighting. Birds may be affected by one form or the other alone, or a combination of both.

An outbreak in a laying flock should be watched especially when they are between six and 12 weeks old, or when they are separated from the cockerels. The vaccine comes in two types—fowl and pigeon pox. The fowl pox vaccine should be used on all young chickens and turkeys not in production. If vaccination is delayed until the fowl begin to lay the pigeon pox vaccine should be used, and the treatment repeated when the birds molt. The fowl pox vaccine, however, usually gives life time protection to chickens, but turkeys which are kept for layers should be re-vaccinated in November or December.

Brient urges owners who expect to market their turkeys for Thanksgiving not to take a chance on their birds escaping the disease. They cannot be sold as long as after effects of the disease are present. Brient explains that because the turkeys didn't have the disease last year is no indication they will escape it this year.

The one who falls is often laughed at by the fellow who didn't have nerve enough to try.

The most serious mistake you can make is the one from which you learn nothing.

Money may not bring peace of mind, but it can enable you to at least worry in comfort.

That morning rush would be solved if folks realized coffee cooks quicker if put on ten minutes earlier.

You'll get by all the ups and downs of life if you stay on the level.

Putting the shoulder to the wheel will keep the back from the wall.

A Chicago barber was gagged when his shop was robbed. No robber has time to stop and talk.

A Yale research shows that "however dominant by nature a male chimpanzee may be, a female may be found that can shape him to her will." So they make monkeys out of monkeys, too!

**WANT ADS**

BULL RINGS for Sale. Muenster Mill. 33-2x

FOR SALE: White Face Bull, 8 months old. Also Coleman Instant Light lamp. See Joe Otto, Muenster. 33-2p

WANTED: 155 customers to pay their past due accounts by August 5. Ben Seyler Motor Co., Muenster. 33-4

WANTED: A good improved farm of 100 to 150 acres. If you have anything to offer, see me at once. Reece A. Hays. 33-3

FOR SALE: John Deere One-Way, 10-13 discs. Joe Trubenbach, Muenster. 32-3p.

WHEN HUNGRY come to J.B. Co's Cafe for good eats. Known as Wooten Cafe, 313 N. Commerce St. Gainesville, Texas. 28-5p.

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No catching or handling of birds at worming time!

When disease and trouble strike — QUICK relief is what flock owners want.

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**Now that**

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You furnish the grain — we'll furnish the brain

SEE US BEFORE SELLING YOUR GRAIN

**Muenster Milling Company**

R. R. ENDRES

**Myra News**

Mrs. John Blanton Correspondent

Myra, June 27—Mrs. J.H. Gatewood is quite ill at her home here.

Luck Piott of Houston is visiting his mother, Mrs. N. Piott.

Jimmy Breelove of Sherman spent a few days last week with Mrs. E.L. Green and family.

Mrs. Zeb Pittman and children, Jodie, Mac and Sandra, are spending two weeks in West Texas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Green returned to their home in Gary, Indiana, Wednesday, after visiting his mother Mrs. E.L. Green.

Mrs. Alice Tuggle of Vernon, who had been visiting her father J.H. Pilgrim, the past week, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Allen Sherman and daughter, Miss Jo Ann, of Fort Madison, Iowa are spending a few weeks with Mrs. Dan Sweeney, Mr. Sweeney and daughter.

Mrs. Nolan Judy and daughter have returned to their home in Panhandle after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Neely.

Mrs. Parker Fears was in Gainesville Wednesday to attend the golden wedding anniversary of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J.D. Rowland.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hoskins spent the weekend with relatives in Fort Worth. They were accompanied to that city by Mrs. Johnnie Jansen and baby.

Mrs. Harry Jones, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. N. Piott, returned to her home in Corpus Christi Wednesday.

Most girls would rather be pretty than brainy because they know that a man sees better than he thinks.

**You Can't Look YOUR BEST— Unless Your Clothes Look Their Best.**

**Lone Star Cleaners**

J. P. GOSLIN, Prop. Phone 332 Gainesville

FOR GOOD USED CARS see your old reliable Chrysler and Plymouth dealer and save money. Ben Seyler, Muenster. 51-1f.

WANTED: Used Cars without tires. Need more Junk. Have used parts for sale. J.P. Flusche, Muenster. 50-1f.

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Gainesville

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SUN. — MON. — TUES.  
Danny KAYE

IN **'UP IN ARMS'**

with  
Dinah SHORE  
Dana ANDREWS

**Plaza** FRIDAY and SATURDAY  
Gene AUTRY in

**'The Old Barn Dance'**

SUN. — MON. — TUES.  
Edward G. ROBINSON in

**'TAMPICO'**

**Ritz** FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Buster CRABBE

**'Thundering Gunslinger'**

SUN. — MON. — TUES.  
Donald WOODS  
Elyse KNOX

**'So's Your Uncle'**

**Texan** FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Claudette COLBERT

Ronald COLMAN

Victor McLAGLEN

**'Under Two Flags'**

SUN. — MON. — TUES.

Jon HALL

Maria MONTEZ

**'Ali Baba And The Forty Thieves'**

**Lindsay News**

Pfc. and Mrs. Al Bezner of Mexia spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Joe Bezner and family.

Henry Lieb of Dallas spent the Fourth here with relatives and friends.

Miss Ida Beth McKinney of Houston arrived Monday to spend a week with Miss Elfrida Bezner.

A.S. Hubert Bezner returned to Arlington Sunday night after spending an 8-day leave with his mother, Mrs. Joe Bezner.

Miss Mary Bezner of Amarillo arrived Thursday to visit relatives in this community. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.F. Bezner.

Henry Lewis Cutala of Dallas spent the past week with his grandmother, Mrs. Joe Bezner and other relatives.

Miss Dorothy Walterscheid of Muenster spent last week here as the guest of her aunt, Miss Theresia Loerwald.

Jake Bezner and son, James, and Valentine Dieter, have gone to West Texas to operate a combine in that sector for the next two months.

Sgt. Joe Hundt, stationed at the Kingman, Arizona, army air base is here on furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hundt and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Flusche and sons, Gene and Donald of Dallas returned to their home Wednesday after spending three days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gimple.

Sgt. Joe Bezner, Jr. of New Orleans spent a weekend pass here with his mother and other relatives. He was accompanied by Cpl. Walter Bull and Sgt. Gene Hoffstetter, as his guests.

Lt. and Mrs. L.R. Lewis are residing in Clarksville, Tenn., since they left here following the end of his leave. He was formerly stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas.

Pvt. Bruno Zimmerman left Monday for his station at Camp Phillips, Kansas, after spending a 10-day furlough with his wife and son and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I.A. Zimmerman.

Sgt. Norbert L. Flusche, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Flusche, formerly of this city, who has spent the past 22 months in Alaska is now at Fresno, Calif., awaiting reassignment.

Lt. and Mrs. Robert Young are now settled at 924 Quincy Street in Rapid City, South Dakota, since their recent transfer from Hobbs, N.Mexico, they have written her mother, Mrs. Joe Bezner.

Harold Schmitz, son of Theo

Schmitz, leaves next Monday to report for Navy training. He joins a brother in the service, Lawrence W. Schmitz machinists mate, second class, stationed with the Seabees at Dutch Harbor.

Joseph J. Fuhrmann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Fuhrmann, stationed with the army in the European theatre, was recently promoted and is now a sergeant. He has advised his parents. He serves with a signal radio company.

Mrs. Joe Kelly and her sister-in-law Miss Rose Mary Kelly, of Goose Creek were here for a week end visit with her mother, Mrs. Joe Kelly and family. Miss Kelly returned home Monday and Mrs. Kelly will remain for an extended visit.

A letter this week from Col. Albert Hoelker, stationed with the army somewhere in the S. Pacific advises he is well and busy. Things at camp are going along nicely, he wrote. They have a radio, through which they keep up with the news and the latest hit tunes. The open-air movie, with its occasional USO show is the finest attraction, he added. They also have a well equipped PX, with weekly rations of coles and beer. He included regards to all his friends and closed with, "Perhaps I'll be home sometime soon, if I'm lucky on the rotation."

**LAMB CUTS, SOME CHEESES PUT BACK ON RATION LIST**

Ration books went back to market again this week when housewives bought choice lamb cuts and soft cheese, and the butcher took one to two more points a pound for beef steaks and roasts.

The Office of Price Administration, announcing point values for the period beginning last Sunday through July 29, said it was necessary to put choice lamb cuts back under rationing because national distribution has not been even. The increase of point value of more popular cuts of beef was made because there will be a 12 percent decrease in supply of rationed beef for distribution to civilians in July, the OPA said.

The new red point chart, covering the period through July 29 continues butter at 12 points a pound and margarine at 2. Cheddar cheese remains at 10 points per pound, but the so-called perishable varieties, ration free for 10 days, are back on the list at 4 points a pound instead of a 10-point value they had previously.

Except for choice beef and lamb, all meats, including canned varieties, remain point-free. So does canned fish.

Despite the increase in point values, 30 red points for buying meats and fat will continue to be the monthly allotment.

**SUBSTITUTION IN GASOLINE COUPONS**

The county gasoline rationing board has been notified that the regional office is out of "R" coupons and that "E" coupons are being substituted for them.

The former is good for five gallons, the latter one, though substitutions will be made in equal amounts.

Service stations, particularly, are requested to note this substitution and the value of the respective coupons.

**Stockholders Of Relax Theatre Have Election**

Stockholders of the Relax Theatre held their annual meeting last Wednesday evening to elect directors and officers. Results of the election are: Dr. T.S. Myrick, president; John Wieler, vice-president; Ben Seyler, manager; Herbert Meurer, secretary-treasurer, and J.M. Weinzapfel.

Joe H. Horn serves as operator. Misses Mary Seyler and Dorothy Neil Fletcher are ticket sellers, and Miss Johann Seyler is bookkeeper.

**Souvenirs From New Guinea**

Miss Mary Wiedemann is in receipt of a number of interesting souvenirs sent from New Guinea by her fiance, Cpl. Steve Moster. An attractive item is an ash tray fashioned by hand from a 105 mm Japanese shell, while another hand made gift is a ring made from a native coin. Native rocks and sea shells were also included. Miss Aileen Schumacher joined the staff at Ezell's Cafe this week replacing Miss Lillian Branch.

Leo Sicking returned to his duties at the REA office Monday after taking his annual vacation last week. Marvin Morrison is on vacation this week.



**Hoelker Grocery**  
Lindsay, Texas

**TIRE TUBES ARE NO LONGER RATIONED**

The county War Price and Rationing Board received a telegram Monday from the district office at Fort Worth announcing that all types of passenger, truck, tractor and implement tubes are released from rationing.

This order went into effect, officially, on July 1, it was pointed out.

**Confetti---**

(Continued from page 1)

ican report shows that only 55,000 are known to be dead in all branches of the service. Adding several thousand more from the list of prisoners and missing in action, we can estimate our dead at about 65 to 70 thousand. Tragic as the figure is, it is insignificant beside the figures of other nations.

We are equally fortunate in oth-

**Texas Theatre**  
Saint Jo, Texas

July 7 thru 14

FRIDAY

**'Ghost Ship'**

Richard DIX

SATURDAY

**'Santa Fe Scouts'**

Tom TYLER

Bob STEELE

Prevue Saturday Night  
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**'Rationing'**

Wallace BEERY

MONDAY & TUESDAY

**'A Guy Named Joe'**

Spencer TRACY

Wednesday & Thursday

**'His Butler's Sister'**

Deanna DURBIN

Franchot TONE

Pat O'BRIEN

FRIDAY

**'My Best Gal'**

Jane WITHERS

er respects. Our civilians have not been killed by siege or raid. Our homes have not been bombed or pillaged. Our farms, dams, factories and oil fields have not been destroyed. We still have our health and resources to tackle the task of reconstruction after the war is over. Those are the principal ingredients for a successful future and they will be sufficient in spite of the economic muddle we've created now.

If the battle now is actually as one sided as reports claim the end can not possibly be far off. Allied air forces cutting Nazi supply lines to ribbons, tremendous stores of equipment and supply captured at Cherbourg and on the Russian front, comparable losses in personnel on both fronts — all these factors are a tremendous strain on the enemy. It's only a question of how soon he is willing to concede that his efforts are futile.

**BANKS**

**OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION**

of the MUESTER STATE BANK, at Muenster, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30 day of June, 1944, published in the Muenster Enterprise, a newspaper printed and published at Muenster, State of Texas, on the 7th day of July, 1944, in accordance with a call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas pursuant to the provisions of the Banking Laws of this State.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and Discounts, including overdrafts	\$126,972.76
U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	145,202.50
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	13,900.00
Other bonds, notes and debentures	NONE
Corporate stocks, including stock in Federal Reserve Bank	NONE
Bank premises owned	500.00
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	500.00
Other real estate owned	NONE
Cash on hand and due from approved reserve agents	368,285.50
Due from other banks and bankers subject to check on demand	31,792.96
Cash items in process of collection	NONE
Customers securities held for safekeeping	8,000.00
Liabilities, account assets sold with or without recourse where bank has agreed verbally or otherwise to repurchase or guarantee payment thereof before, at or after maturity	NONE
Other resources	282.51
<b>TOTAL RESOURCES</b>	<b>703,936.23</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Capital stock	25,000.00
Income debentures	NONE
Surplus: Certified \$12,750.00; not certified, None	12,750.00
Undivided profits	3,882.55
Reserves	NONE
Due to banks and bankers subject to check on demand	NONE
Cashiers checks, dividend checks and certified checks outstanding	189.05
Demand individual deposits	624,118.05
Demand public funds, including postal savings and U. S. Government deposits	29,996.58
Time individual deposits	NONE
Time public funds	NONE
Time certificates of deposit	NONE
Total all deposits	\$654,303.68
Bills payable and rediscounts	NONE
Liability, account assets sold with or without recourse, where bank has agreed verbally or otherwise to repurchase or guarantee payment thereof before, at or after maturity	NONE
Customers securities deposited for safekeeping	8,000.00
Other liabilities	NONE
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>703,936.23</b>

State of Texas )  
County of Cooke )  
I, HERBERT MEURER, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
HERBERT MEURER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of July, 1944.  
SUSIE BEAUMER  
Notary Public, Cooke County, Texas

CORRECT — ATTEST  
J. M. WEINZAPFEL  
T. S. MYRICK, M.D.  
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