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Representative Rankin of Mississippi draws a sharp rebuke from columnist Thomas Stokes for sponsoring a bill to provide that war veterans cannot be required to join a labor union or pay dues and assessments. "Innocent as it may look," Mr. Stokes comments, "this is designed to break down the structure of unionism by setting the war veteran against the union worker."

From which it would appear that unionism is a sacred cow to be preserved at any and all cost—that the American soldier who has just dedicated several years from the prime of his life to the cause of freedom must return to an official decree forcing him to pay tribute and follow the dictates of labor bosses in order to hold a job.

This problem is only another version of that proposed in three state amendments last November seeking to abolish the closed shop. Opponents wailed that such amendments would break the power of the unions. Proponents urged it for the same reason, claiming that industry too has the right to a voice in shaping the policies that determine its survival.

The side a person takes on this subject depends upon his attitude toward unions. If he is convinced that the union observes its professed ideals to the letter, securing all that is due labor in wage and working condition he should be wholeheartedly in favor of closed shops. But if he feels that unions have exploited industry or demanded unjust tribute or sought to enhance their own power he is less likely to be sympathetic.

By that standard too many unions have been weighed and found wanting. There have been strikes because of a dispute over which union would dominate. And other strikes because labor bosses saw an opportunity to demand more of the employers, strikes that laborers themselves did not approve. Then there were the demands that farmers hire union drivers or pay union dues for operating their trucks.

An open shop would enable employers to appeal to the fairness of individuals. Then, if workers themselves did not favor the demands of union czars they could drop their membership and go on working. If on the other hand they felt the demands were fair and beneficial to themselves they could continue to line up with the unions.

Too much of the current sentiment is based on the old assumption that the employer is a monster seeking to devour and the union can do no wrong. Too little is based on the fact that many labor bosses are dictators seeking to control both labor and capital. Let unions get back to their old ideals and the friction will end. Let the leaders take their orders from the members instead of dictating to the members let them work for labor's welfare instead of for their own power and profit, and they'll be rewarded by industry's cooperation and the public's approval.

Getting away from the controversy over principles, there is still one pertinent question on the proposal requiring ex-service men to join the union to get a job. If unions are so all-fired helpful in their service to labor why should they resort to forceful measures to secure membership? When an organization is good people join willingly. They don't need legal coercion.

The theory of compensating people for their failure to produce again finds official expression, this time in the liberalized GI bill of rights approved by the House veterans committee. Instead of a bonus provision which would have given every veteran \$1040 the committee substituted a clause whereby unemployed veterans can get \$20 a week assistance for one year.

Without approving the specified bonus figure or the implication that each service man should get the same amount regardless of his service, we cannot help thinking that a bonus is the only fair method of compensation. There ought to be a reward for service in proportion to the nature and duration of service, not just a dole encouraging less resourceful men to loaf for a year. If because of previous service one person is entitled to a financial lift through an employment period another should have the same lift toward payment on a home or a business.

The basic error in all this dole legislation is the assumption that living from hand to mouth is the approved and correct way, that a person's means of support is necessarily down to zero the moment he is out of work, and furthermore that it becomes a public responsibility to take care of him. The old idea of responsibility to take care of one's self seems to have been officially discarded.

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## On 30-Day Leave

Lt. Norman J. Luke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Luke, arrived home Sunday night on a 30-day leave after serving as a naval aviator in the Central Pacific for a year. He served on the giant Coronado planes. Upon completion of his leave he will report to Pensacola, Fla., for reassignment to duty in the states.

## In Bavaria

Technical Sergeant Charles Wimmer has written his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Wimmer, that he is in Bavaria and is waiting for passage to the states. He has more than a hundred discharge points.

## Phones From West Coast

Joe Tempel, SIC, who serves aboard an aircraft carrier in the Pacific, telephoned from San Francisco last Thursday to tell his mother, Mrs. Luke Tempel, that he was OK. His ship was in port for a short time.

## Stationed On Luzon

Mrs. Valentine Fuhrmann is in receipt of a letter from her husband saying he has arrived at his overseas destination and is now stationed on Luzon in the Philippines. Mrs. Fuhrmann and little son make their home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Endres.

## Reports For Army

Joe Starke, Jr., left Monday morning to begin training for the army.

## May Be Enroute Home

Pfc. Arnold Muller wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Muller, three weeks ago that he was being transferred and not to write him until they heard from him again. At that time he was in Germany and since no change of address has arrived since the parents believe he may be enroute home. He has 105 discharge points.

## In Pacific Theatre

George McCool MoMM 1-C, of Madera, Calif., formerly of this city has been sent to the Pacific theatre of operations. His wife and their four sons are residing in Madera.

## RATION BOOK NO. 5 COMING IN DECEMBER

Consumers will get War Ration Book No. 5 in December, it was indicated last week as the District OPA director appointed a committee to handle arrangements for distributing the new book in the 49-county Fort Worth district.

It was stated that issuance of the new book will probably take place early in December, and that registration of consumers likely would be handled through the schools, the most satisfactory method found for previous distributions.

## GERALD STELZER TO OPEN ELECTRIC SHOP HERE NEXT MONDAY

Gerald Stelzer announced Tuesday that he is putting in an electric shop here and will be open for business by the first of next week. His shop is located in the south part of the former F.J. Schenk building.

All electrical repair work is solicited and he has in stock electric milkers and air conditioning machines for attic and home use. New electrical appliances will be featured as available. Gerald served for about two years as an electrician in the Navy, where he received his training, and is qualified to render this type of service.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Yosten are the parents of a son, John Kenneth, born at the local clinic on Thursday, July 12. The baby was baptised Sunday by Father Thomas, with Miss Evelyn Wiesman of Fort Worth, and Cpl. Paul Yosten as sponsors. The infant's grandparents, are Messrs. and Mrs. Henry Wiesman and Bob Yosten.

Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Billingsley and children of Ardmore spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Wieler and other relatives. Their son, Leroy remained here for a week's visit with his cousins Bert and Dan Hamrick and their niece Juanita Wieler, accompanied them home for a week's visit in Ardmore.

## CAN YOUR FRUITS WITHOUT SUGAR SAYS GAS EXPERT

This year's abundant fruit crop is wasting away because of a mistaken idea that fruit cannot be canned without sugar. Sugar aids in retaining the color and holding the shape of fruits, but they can be successfully canned without using sugar, according to Julia Hunter, home economics director for Lone Star Gas Company.

To can fruit without sugar, Miss Hunter advised, follow the standard canning methods, using plain boiling water or boiling unsweetened fruit juice as a substitute for sugar syrups.

Miss Hunter has been busy recently answering requests for information on sugarless canning.

"In sugarless canning," she said, "add just enough water or fruit juice to the prepared fruit to prevent sticking and cook until hot enough. Then pack fruit into hot jars; cover with liquid in which fruit was cooked and process in the boiling water bath."

Many people are freezing their fruits as the deep freeze method comes more into use. Miss Hunter advised that as a substitute for sugar and sugar syrups in preparing fruits for freezing, corn syrup may be used. Her recipe for this is as follows:

"Make a syrup of 1½ cups corn syrup and 2 cups water; cool. Prepare and pack fruits in containers, cover with the cooled syrup. As each container is packed, put in refrigerator until ready to freeze."

Another method for preserving fruits is the drying process. Miss Hunter's formula for this is as follows:

"Fruits to be dried need not be peeled. Cut fruit in halves and remove seeds. Drop fruit in solution made of 3½ tablespoons sodium sulphite dissolved in one gallon cold water, to preserve color. Allow to stand 15 minutes. Drain fruit, spread on racks and place in very low gas oven (150degrees F.) until dry. Drying will take from six to eight hours."

## Oil Field Notes

Texana Oil Producers No. 4 Henry Pleitman, northwest of Muenster, has been completed as a producer. Pipe was set on top of sand at 806 1/2 feet and sand was drilled to 818 feet. No. 5 Pleitman will be drilled 300 feet west of No. 4. The company is composed of Indianapolis business men and Ralph Scott is here looking after operations. Some 700 acres of proven and semi-proven leases have been taken up by this company and they expect to develop the greater part of this land or as much as will produce oil. Four wells are now on the pump and the fifth will be drilled right away. J.G. Richards and Son is doing the drilling.

Ray Bourland and associates are moving in to drill No. 1 J. H. Cone, a 3500 foot test staked 330 feet from the south and east lines of south 50 acres of west 280 acres of E. Langford survey, abstract 566, five miles southwest of Muenster.

S.D. Johnson has staked No. 3 W.W. Otto, 600 feet southwest of No. 2 Otto, recently completed from 1500 foot sand. These wells are in the MEP & PRR survey, abstract 766, southeast of Muenster, and south of the Gatewood lease. The latter lease has five pumping wells. Otto lease consists of 200 acres and if all produces will make a valuable oil lease. No. 1 Otto was completed recently from sand at 1570-80 feet and flowed at the rate of 80 barrels of oil a day.

Pipe line runs from Cooke county during the past week totaled 12,961 barrels of oil a day. Of 14 oil counties in the Wichita Falls area, Cooke ranks fourth in daily production.

## Muenster Youth Groups To Give Kid Party Next Wednesday Night

Muenster Youth societies will sponsor a joint social in the form of a kid party here in the parish hall on the evening of Wednesday, July 25, the entertainment committee stated this week.

Lindsay CYO is invited to attend and all are urged to dress according to the theme of the affair and bring dolls, lollipops and so forth, the committee said.

## More Feed Bags To Be Made Of Dress Prints

The farm woman who likes to have animal and poultry feed delivered in bags can cut into dresses and household articles will be permitted a continuance of this wartime aid, WPB announced.

A ceiling approximating the 1944 peak-year "cut-up" of such material, has been established on the use of dress prints for making new commercial bags.

## Two Local Veterans Of European War Are Back At Home

### Jimmy Lehnertz Has Discharge After Three Years Overseas Combat



Jimmy Lehnertz has received an honorable discharge from the army after serving since November 4, 1941, and arrived in Muenster early Sunday morning as a civilian. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehnertz, Jimmy, ranked as a master sergeant, received his discharge at Fort Sam Houston last week where he reported after arriving in Miami, Florida, from Italy. He made the trip over in an army transport plane from Italy through South America.

Jimmy served overseas for 34 months as a member of an anti-aircraft automatic weapons battalion with the Fifth Army. He participated in several major battles including: Algerian-French Morocco; Tunisian; Sicilian; Naples-Poggia; Rome-Arno; North-Apennines and Po Valley.

The army blouse which he has exchanged for a sports shirt since arriving home, is decked with the American Defense Service medal, Good Conduct medal, Bronze Star medal; AEME Campaign ribbon with 7 battle stars and a bronze arrowhead. He had 116 discharge points to his credit.

Before entering the army Jimmy was in the service station and restaurant business here, operating Jimmy's Cafe and Jimmy's Service Station. He says he doesn't have any definite plans for the immediate future, that he's simply on that vacation he has looked forward to for the past three years. "And I've got to get used to civilian ways again," he said. "Everything seems a little strange and what with rationing and so forth, I'm a bit confused."

Jimmy is one of the five sons of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehnertz who answered the call to colors. Sunday he saw for the first time in five years his brother, Earl, recently discharged from the army as a staff sergeant. He ranked as a Pacific theatre. The other brothers are Pfc. Dave Lehnertz with the infantry on Luzon; Sgt. Gene Lehnertz at Camp Shelby, Miss., and Giles Lehnertz, FCIC, Navy, now in Washington, D.C. after doing sea duty in the Pacific aboard a carrier.

Jimmy was one of the first young men to enter the service from this community under the selective service act in 1941. He trained at Camp Hulen, Camp Wallace and the Desert Training Center in California, going overseas in August, 1942. He was in England, Ireland and Scotland prior to going to North Africa and into the field of action. He also holds medals for rifle and pistol shooting.

## BAUER BROTHERS ARE VISITING AT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bauer, Rt. 6, Gainesville, have their two sons together at home for the first time in three years.

Sgt. Robert J. Bauer, army air corps, recently returned from 28 months' service in Central Africa. He is on a 30-day furlough and has not as yet been notified where to report on its completion.

Col. Joe Bauer, stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., with the army engineers, is on a two weeks' furlough.

Twin steer calves are the latest addition to Mrs. J.D. Linn's herd. They were born last week to one of the range cows and are doing fine.

### Herman Stoffels Will Train After Furlough To Battle Japanese



Pfc. Herman J. Stoffels is at home on furlough with his father, Nick Stoffels and family. While fighting with the Timberwolf Division he participated in the Holland, Belgium, Germany campaigns and was awarded the Purple Heart and unit citation wreath.

The 104th Infantry Division with which he served as a member of a medical unit, was the first to travel directly from the States to France. Little more than a month after landing, the Timberwolves, led by Major General Perry Allen, went into the line and remained in continuous combat for over six months. After fighting with the First Canadian Army in the successful Holland campaign which opened the port of Antwerp to Allied shipping, the Timberwolves took their place in the First Army line at Aachen. In a slashing campaign that was featured by night attacks the Division drove through the industrial Eschweiler area, then assaulted the Roer, pushing ahead to take Cologne.

Once across the Rhine at the Remagen bridgehead, the Division stabbed furiously into the heartland of the Reich, taking part in the Ruhr pocket encirclement.

The final phase of the Timberwolf Division's combat in Nazi-land saw the men of the 104th racing to the Mulde river where the last remnants of the Wehrmacht were crushed between the Russians and the American First Army making that sector the first in Germany to be cleared and completely conquered.

This victorious division which has never given an inch is in the United States now. Combat veterans will then be given training to prepare them for further battles in the Pacific against the Japanese.

Herman entered the service December 4, 1942, received his training at Camp Adair, Oregon, and served there for a year, then went on maneuvers in Arizona and California and was at Camp Carson, Colorado, when called for overseas duty in August 1944.

He has two brothers in the service, Pvt. Meinrad Stoffels in Germany and Pvt. Frank Stoffels at Camp Masey.

## F. E. SCHMITZ NAMED GRAND KNIGHT OF GAINESVILLE LODGE

F. E. Schmitz was re-elected grand knight of the Gainesville Lindsay council Knights of Columbus at a recent meeting that featured the annual election of officers.

Other on the executive committee are Joe Bengfort, deputy grand knight; Henry Schrad, chancellor; Albert Kubis, recorder; Alex Lutkenhaus, secretary; Ewald Berend, treasurer; John Block, advocate; Adam Wolf, inside guard; Pat Schmitz, outside guard.

## CANCELLING MACHINE

Postmaster A.J. Endres is proud of the recent addition to the local postoffice. It is a stamp cancelling machine, the first in Muenster's history.

Earl Koelzer, Arthur Hellman and Thomas Gremminger were among a group of county inductees to go to Dallas Tuesday for army physical examinations.

## Waterworks And Sewerage Group Has Meeting Here

The North Texas Waterworks and Sewerage Association met at the K of C Hall on July 11 for its regular monthly meeting, with J. M. Weinzapfel, president, conducting the session. Members were present from Saint Jo, Denison, Grapevine, Denton, Gainesville and this city.

Principal discussion centered around water distribution systems surface and well water supplies. Also discussed and compared were the new wells recently completed here and at Saint Jo.

It was explained that Muenster's water supply is approved by the Texas State Health Department, one of the requirements being that a city must have a licensed operator. Ben Seyler is a licensed operator having attended a waterworks school and attended a sufficient number of meetings to qualify.

Following business, barbecued chicken and other refreshments were served to 40.

## AIRPLANE STAMP 4 VALID AUGUST 1ST FOR ONE PAIR SHOES

The new shoe ration stamp that OPA announced would become valid August 1, will be Airplane Stamp No. 4 in Ration Book No. 3, the agency said. Airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 are good indefinitely, OPA added. The last stamp was validated Nov. 1, 1944. OPA pointed out that the intervals between validation of stamps depend on the available supply of shoes.

That the supply of shoes for civilians will be increased is indicated in the downward trend in the production of army footwear. The War Department announced that the production of army combat boots will be reduced in September from 2,100,000 to 1,500,000 pairs and that of army service shoes will be lowered from 700,000 to 350,000 pairs during the same period. This decreased schedule will be continued throughout the fourth quarter of 1945. This will provide a 60-day span during which time the shoe industry will be able to prepare for increased civilian production.

To increase the serviceability of non-rationed shoes for juveniles and men, manufacturers will be permitted to use leather welts and lightweight leather insoles in these types of nonrationed shoes, OPA said.

## HOTEL AND DINING ROOM OPENING FOR BUSINESS MONDAY

Mrs. Mary Cauley announced this week that the Muenster Hotel and Dining Room will open under her management Monday. During the past two weeks the hotel, formerly operated by the Alf Schumachers, has been undergoing a redecoration program and new kitchen fixtures have been installed.

Mrs. Cauley stated that she will feature all home cooked meals, will serve breakfast at 6:30 for convenience of oil field workers, will have regular plate dinners, short orders and lunches to go out.

She took a domestic science course in Cincinnati and has 18 years of professional cooking experience to her credit.

Another added feature to the building is the installation of an air conditioning system for the bedrooms.

## MAY REDUCE VALUE OF GAS COUPONS

H.F. Carmichael, District OPA director, said that there is a possibility that the value of a gasoline coupon may be reduced due to what he called overissuance of gasoline to C-card holders.

Carmichael declared that a spot check of 100 C-card gasoline issuances would be made at each of the district's war price and rationing boards to determine whether or not such gasoline for preferred mileage is being seriously overissued. Indications are that it is, he said.

## LINDSAY YOUNG MEN TO SPONSOR PICNIC SUNDAY, JULY 22ND

Members of the Young Men's Society of Lindsay will sponsor a community picnic and bazaar next Sunday, July 22, the committee in charge announced this week.

There will be plenty of fun, games, refreshments, lunches and various entertainment features, the committee stated, and everybody is invited to attend.

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## LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Short Items of Interest About Folks You Know

Miss Miriam Starke has returned from a visit in Holliday with her grandmother.  
 Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. R.L. McNeley were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wasson of Dallas.  
 Charles Cler, Rudolph Zipper and Henry Fette made a business trip to Dallas Monday.  
 Mrs. Joe Linn visited during the past weekend with her mother, Mrs. N.T. Clark, near Bonham.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Martin had as their guest for the weekend her mother, Mrs. Mary Ray of Dallas.  
 George Kueher and daughter, Billie, of Coldwater, Mich., spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bergman.  
 Miss Miriam Koesler of Sherman was home for a weekend visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfons Moesler and family.  
 Mrs. Joe Felderhoff and children visited last Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Ben Roewe and family at Tloaga.  
 Rev. Father Raymond of Subisco visited in the parish the latter part of last week with the local pastors.

Mrs. Bert Fisch of Fort Worth is here for a visit with her mother Mrs. Mary Lehnertz.  
 Frank Trubenbach received a telegram Tuesday morning that his half-sister, Mrs. Anna Burkhardt, had died at Horton, Kansas.  
 Mrs. Kathleen Melville of Laredo and Mrs. Denny Hill of Henrietta are visiting their mother Mrs. J.J. Coker.  
 Mrs. J.D. Linn has as her guests her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Parker of Dallas, who are spending their annual vacation here.  
 Miss Imelda Felderhoff was back at her bank duties Monday following a two weeks' vacation and Miss Theresa Hirschy began a two weeks' vacation Monday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Russ Linn and children and his mother, Mrs. J.D. Linn spent Sunday at Thackerville, Okla., visiting Mrs. Russ Linn's mother and other relatives.  
 James R. Carter who recently received a discharge from the army on the point system is here with his wife, the former Miss Virginia Gehrig and their little son.  
 Mrs. M.J. Endres has gone to Fort Worth for a visit with her children. While she is away, her mother, Mrs. J.P. Fisch, is at the home of her son, John Fisch.  
 Frank Hoedebeck was a patient in a Gainesville hospital last Thursday, Friday and Saturday for a stomach ailment. He is back at his work at Camp Howze this week.  
 Seaman and Mrs. Andrew Mounday and four-week old son, Roy Frank, of Dallas are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy O'Connor. Mrs. Mounday is the former Miss Evelyn O'Connor.  
 Mrs. Al Eberhart sustained a painful gash on her right leg Tuesday afternoon when she cut it with a scythe while she was going after the weeds in her yard.  
 Mrs. John Mosman will be hostess for the regular monthly social of the Catholic Daughters of America on Thursday, July 26. She will entertain in her home at Saint Jo.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Joe Linn visited their son, Pvt. Robert Linn, last week. He is stationed at Camp Hood and had a weekend pass which he spent in Dallas where his parents joined him.  
 Mrs. Frances Binz of Gainesville spent Sunday here with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Wiesman and family and made the acquaintance of her new great-grandson, Infant John Kenneth Yosten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Yosten.  
 Miss Florence Pagel has gone to San Antonio for a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Henry Schneider, whose husband recently left that city for a port of embarkation in California. Mrs. Schneider will accompany Miss Pagel home for a visit here.  
 Pfc. Wilbert Swingler and his mother, Mrs. Tillie Swingler of Teutopolis, Ill., came in Tuesday for a visit with the Joe Swingler family and Mrs. Luke Tempel and daughter, Miss Rose Marie. Pfc. Swingler has just returned from service in the ETO and is on furlough.  
 Miss Catherine Seyler spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Frank Seyler, returning to Dallas Sunday evening. Other guests at the Seyler home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. T.L. Anderson and

children of Gainesville and Mr. and Mrs. John Mosman and children of Saint Jo.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Joe Horn announce the birth of a daughter, Diana Gayle, at the local clinic on Thursday, July 12. The baby was baptised by Father Thomas the following day, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Al Schad as sponsors.  
 Mrs. Carl Herr spent several days of last week in Pilot Point with her parents, and enjoyed visiting with her brother, Joe H. Berend, Navy, home on leave after duty in the Pacific on an aircraft carrier. He participated in the battles for Okinawa.  
 Word from the former Miss Henriette Wiesman to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wiesman, advises that her husband, Cpl. Melvin Fisch, recently received the promotion to his present rank in Austria where he is on duty. Mrs. Fisch makes her home in Chicago, Ill.  
 Mrs. Robert Linn has returned to Los Angeles, Calif., after a visit with her husband at Camp Hood and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Linn here. She also visited her relatives at Cleburne and was accompanied to Muenster by an aunt Mrs. George Stanley of that city.  
 Mrs. Ida Mae Markham of Nocona is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Gregor Stelzer, at whose home she is convalescing from a recent illness which confined her to a Gainesville hospital for several days. Also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stelzer during the week were Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Bernard of Nocona. Mrs. Bernard is Mrs. Stelzer's sister.

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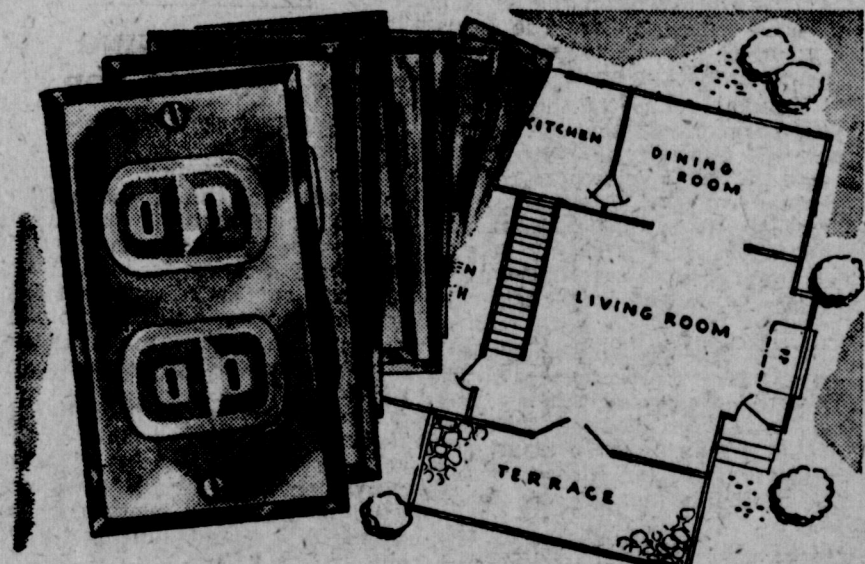
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### Mayoroddities

By J. M. Weinzapfel  
Muenster Mayor

This week we can celebrate the eighth anniversary of an introductory meeting held in Muenster by a planning board for a Five Year Program of community improvement. On Monday night of July 19th, 1937, Committees were appointed to consider: Soil conservation, Rural Electrification, Roads, Better Looking Business District, Recreation and home beautification including care of

the cemetery. Accomplishments influenced or encouraged through this program can be credited to each committee. The men did not continue organized activity, while the Ladies Civic League is due much praise for its influence and effort in beautifying of homes, the cemetery, conducting flower shows and holding regular meetings. The records show the Ladies promoted many clean-up campaigns and their support was important to make the sewer-system a reality, also adoption of City Ordinances relating to health and sanitation. Beautification, sanitation and recreation is of concern to every

### Lucky 'Mother'



WEBSTER CITY, IOWA.—Mrs. Sterling McKee, first housewife in America to receive a brand-new "reconversion" washing machine. Wife of an Army captain now in Germany with the Combat Engineers, she and 16 months old daughter Beth, inspect the first washer to come off the production line here, as manufacture of electric washers was resumed July 1 under WPB's limited production release. Production of civilian electric washers stopped May 15, 1942. Mrs. McKee placed her washer order with her local Gamble store manager before Baby Beth was born.

citizen, therefore the ideals and purposes of the Ladies Civic League suggests that every lady in the community should be a member to lend all the moral or physical support possible to those members who have time, energy, good-will and ability for organized action in our welfare. Such interest will distract from useless gossip and be of untold benefit to lend such help and encouragement.

A current program for city improvement entitles entry to a State-Wide Campaign Sponsored by the Dallas News. It is desired that every one in Muenster report any and all improvements to the Ladies Civic League in order to receive all credit possible in this contest. Mrs. Mamie Roberts of Howe, Texas, is Chairman. Howe, Texas, only a few miles south of Sherman has won an enviable reputation in city beautification due to the credit of Mrs. Roberts. Thursday evening the Ladies in Saint Jo organized to enter the contest.

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To: Elizabeth Filetti Greetings: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 6th day of August, A.D. 1945, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable District Court of Cooke County, at the Court House in Gainesville, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 16 day of June, 1945. The file number of said suit being No. 14416.

The names of the parties in said suit are: John L. Filetti as Plaintiff and Elizabeth Filetti as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce from the bonds of matrimony, plaintiff alleging certain acts of infidelity on the part of the defendant as grounds therefor, as is more fully shown by plaintiff's petition on file in this cause.

Issued this 18th day of June, 1945.  
Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Gainesville, Texas, this 18th day of June A.D. 1945.  
SEAL Martin G. Davis, Clerk District Court Cooke County, Tex. (32-3-4-5)

Many a man has never married because he doesn't believe in divorce.

### CHEESE PLANT EMPLOYEES ENJOY OUTING MONDAY

Personnel of the cheese plant and their families enjoyed a picnic and outing at Saint Jo Lake Monday evening. Swimming, boating and other outdoor diversions furnished entertainment and a picnic supper was served.

No susie, the girl who knows all the answers hasn't been out with questionable men.

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GOOD well braced ironing boards at Western Auto in Gainesville for only \$3.95. 35-tf.

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FOR SALE: Two-wheel farm trailer with good pre-war tires. See J.C. Trachta, Muenster. 45-2

PLEASE bring your own bobble pins and hair pins when you come to have your hair set at Muenster Beauty Parlor. 35-1

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WANTED: Man or woman for Rawleigh Route. Permanent if you are a hustler. For particulars write Rawleigh's Dept. TXG-537-103, Memphis, Tenn. 35-1p.

FOR ALPALPA or Prairie hay see Urban Endres, Muenster. 34-2

WANTED: 1-3 HP electric motor, either 1725 or 1140 RPM. The Enterprise, Muenster. 31-tf.

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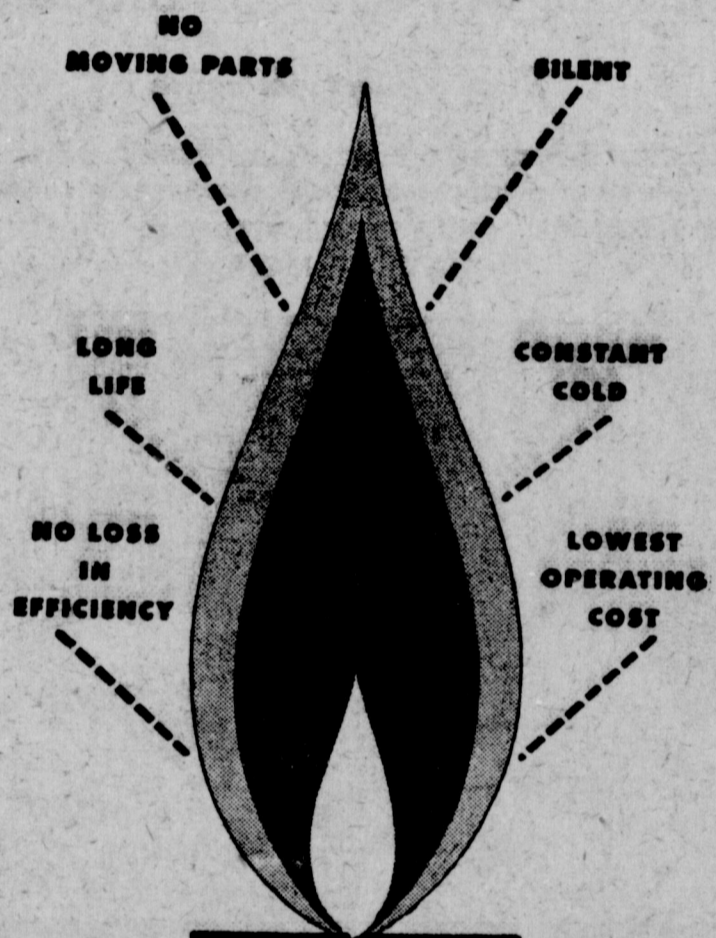
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Muenster, Texas



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**Lindsay News**

Henry Lueb of Garland was home for a weekend visit with relatives.

Rufus Bezner broke his left wrist Monday in a fall from a grain drill and has his arm in a cast.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Lutkenhaus of Muenster and Mrs. Jos. F. Neu were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Neu and family.

Pvt. Leroy Metzler left Tuesday morning for Fort Ord, Calif., following a furlough here with his parents, Mrs. and Mrs. Phillip Metzler.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fuhrmann have word from their son, Pvt. Valentine Fuhrmann, that he has arrived safely on Luzon in the Philippines. This is his second assignment in the Pacific theatre.

Lindsay hall was the scene of a party Sunday evening honoring Pfc. Robert Beyer and Pvt. Leroy Metzler, who left this week after furloughs with relatives. More than a hundred guests enjoyed the evening.

Pfc. Robert J. Beyer, who has been home on a 60-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Adam Beyer and family, left Wednesday to report at Fort Sam Houston for orders. Visiting at the Beyer home Sunday were Miss Gertrude

Beyer of Garland and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Beyer and her parents of Fort Worth.

**MISS IDA MAE NEU IS HONORED ON BIRTHDAY**

A party complimented Miss Ida Mae Neu on her 17th birthday Sunday, July 15, at the home of her parents at Lindsay.

Games and contests were enjoyed with awards going to Miss Theresa Mae Spaeth, Weldon Bezner and Miss Georgia Spaeth. Accordion selections were presented by the former, and refreshments of birthday cake, sandwiches and lemonade were served.

Personnel included Misses Beatrice Block, Theresa Mae and Georgia Spaeth, Rosemary, Mildred and Adeline Dieter, Frances Bengfort, Lucille Bezner, Elfrieda and Anna Hermes, Mary Louise Bezner, Gertrude Bengfort, Beatrice Fuhrmann, Mildred and Margaret Fleitman, Agnes and Florence Zimmerman, and the honoree.

Leonard Bengfort, Wilbert Block, William Hermes, Ewald Fuhrmann, Weldon Bezner, Jerome Neu, Lee Roy Schmitz and Raymond Sandmann.

The honoree was remembered with an assortment of lovely gifts by the guests.

**Sgt. Joe Spaeth Sends Purple Heart To Parents**

Mr. and Mrs. George Spaeth this week received the Purple Heart award that was presented their son, Sgt. Joe Spaeth for injuries received in Germany shortly before VE-Day. Sgt. Spaeth sent the decoration to his parents. An accompanying letter stated that he had been

transferred to another company and was doing fine. He is with the engineers and said that he would not be home for several months, though he has enough points for a discharge.

The Purple Heart was awarded for shrapnel wounds in his legs. These injuries were sustained while riding in a jeep.

**Washington Notes**

By Congressman Ed Gossett

Washington, D.C. July 14—The House this week completed action on the controversial war agencies appropriation bill. There were two particular items in this bill to which I was very much opposed, a 35 million dollar appropriation for the Office of War Information which I thought should have been cut in half, also an appropriation of 250,000 for carrying on temporarily the activities of the Fair Employment Practices Committee. Like some other agencies the FEPC belies its name and is not a Fair Employment Practices Committee at all. I this week concluded a speech against this item by saying: "Those who are sincere in their support of the FEPC are confusing race purity with race prejudice; they are confusing segregation with discrimination. They would destroy freedom in the fictitious name of equality. Second only in importance to the winning of the war is the destruction of these communistic tendencies in American life."

Incidentally, many of us here were greatly pleased with Mrs. Roosevelt's recent condemnation of the Communist Party in America. Always noted for her liberalism, Mrs. Roosevelt now states emphatically that the Communists (meaning those in America) are not to be trusted, and that their prattling of patriotism is a hypocritical smokescreen under which they attack democratic institutions.

The House also passed this week a bill to increase the lending authority of the Export-Import Bank from 700 million dollars to 3 1/2 billion dollars. This Bank has handled such transactions as our 50 million dollar loan to China in the early days of the war. So far it has lost no money, but has shown a profit.

Many interesting things are now coming to light relative to the economic powers and scientific developments of the Germans. Among lethal and destructive weapons on which they were working was an atomic bomb called the V-7. Its dreadfulness if and when perfected is almost beyond human comprehension. Scientists say that one pound of this explosive would have the energy of three million pounds of our latest gasoline jelly bomb. These things make the organization for peace even more imperative.

The resignation of Ezequiel Padillo, Mexico's Secretary of State, has created considerable off the record comment in the city of Washington. Padillo's friendship for America has caused him much criticism in Mexico. He has ambitions to run for President there, but doubtless could not be elected as he is not a General. The heads of government in our good neighbor republics to the South are almost invariably the heads of the armies. Real civilian governments in those countries have been almost unknown. The results speak for themselves.

The Policial Action Committee of the CIO has recently concluded

an "important meeting" in the City of Washington. They have laid down a 6-point platform. Three of these points are ultra-liberal and many contend they would lead to a socialist state. These three points are: supplementary federal unemployment compensation extended to additional groups (war workers); adequate FEPC appropriations and a permanent FEPC; and enactment of the Murray Pittman full employment bill and the Wagner-Murray-Dingell social security bill (socialized medicine). One might again raise the point that labels are misleading. To provide full employment on the scale some urge, with government subsidies, might furnish full employment while government credit lasted, but in the opinion of many would eventually bring disaster and unemployment for all.

The resignation this week of popular and attractive Colonel Oveta Culp Hobby of Houston as commander of the WAC has started some gossip in this section. It is rumored she may run for Congress.

The House of Representatives will recess in a few days until about October first. I reluctantly withdrew from a committee of ten Congressmen the Army is to fly around the world during this recess. They will visit numerous places in South America, then to Dakar, Casa Blanca, Cairo, Iraq, Iran, the Holy Land, India, China, Australia, the Philippines, and Hawaii. To make this trip would deny me any time whatsoever at home. I have agreed, however, to accept appointment under a Congressional resolution for a brief visit to Alaska, since one of my committees handles all legislation for this Territory, and since we have numerous problems that need investigation.

My office in Washington has not closed for a day in the last five years, and will remain open continuously. My office in Wichita Falls will be open the last week in August for at least six weeks. In my absence all communications will be handled promptly by an efficient secretarial staff. This will be my last news letter until the first week in October.

Every time we stay out late at night the wife gets historical. She always brings up our past.

An old mountaineer once told us he had been shaving himself with a straightedge "for nigh on to five years, and I ain't cut myself neither time."

There are two kinds of women: Those who keep their love letters; and those whose love letters keep them.

**BRING ON THE GIRLS**

This is a Technicolor musical about the world's richest man. (Eddie Bracken) who can never be sure people aren't nice to him just for his money. He appears as a somewhat shy and awkward fellow who is no dope — but who only seems that way as he tries to find a girl who will love him for himself and not for all those millions he has inherited. He joins the Navy and Sonny Tufts goes along as a sort of guardian. Veronica Lake is a cigarette girl at a night club and Marjorie Reynolds is an added attraction.

This is a show to bring on a happy evening. It will appeal to entertainment seekers of all classes.

"See Bring On The Girls" at the Relax Theatre Sunday and Monday, July 22-23.

**Confetti---**

It's ironic to the n'th degree to speak of unemployment compensation at the very time when people are enjoying a golden opportunity to lay aside a reserve for just such an emergency. How about the billions of dollars tucked away in war bonds? How about the big incomes that would enable any thrifty person to accumulate a fair sized reserve?

If it may be argued by some that a soldier's pay was not adequate to permit savings. If so it's all the more reason why every one, not just those who fail to get work, should receive additional pay on discharge. But if the pay was adequate the soldier has no more excuse than anyone else for being broke.

And few can deny that it has been adequate. There can't be much argument when thousands of privates were able to buy bonds and send money home even after allowing themselves a reasonable spending account.

The trouble with unemployment compensation is that it is set up for the benefit of spendthrifts, the vast horde that was encouraged by our economy of extravagance to fizzle away their entire pay every month. And when the day of reckoning comes many a private will be paying taxes toward the support of noncoms and officers who received five or six times as much money in the service. The system is not only cockeyed, it is the ultimate in unfairness.

Regardless of what politicians claim, a man's security is his own responsibility. Any measure that ignores that fact is fundamentally wrong.

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SATURDAY  
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Gene AUTRY  
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And SUNDAY  
**'Escape In The Desert'**  
Helmut DANTINE  
MONDAY & TUESDAY  
**'Conflict'**  
Humphrey BOGART  
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DOUBLE FEATURE  
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Serial — "The Master Key"  
Sunday & Monday  
**'Bring On The Girls'**  
Veronica LAKE — Sonny TUFFS — Eddie BRACKEN  
Tuesday & Wednesday  
**'House Of Frankenstein'**  
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