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## Merger Gets Approval In School Vote

**Muenster, Coppers Both Poll Large Majorities**

Consolidation Eliminates Tax at Coppers and Increases Muenster's Per Capita Allotment

An overwhelming majority vote at both Muenster and Coppers favored the consolidation of those school districts in a special referendum Tuesday, March 19. At Muenster the final count was 146 to 7 for consolidation and at Coppers it was 39 to 10.

The area formerly comprised by both common school districts now becomes known as the Muenster Consolidated school district.

Other results of Tuesday's ballot are the removal of a 15 cent tax that had been in effect at Coppers for several years and the automatic expiration of all school trustee terms in both of the former districts. According to state regulations the county school board is expected to name a new board of trustees until election time but since the election is only two weeks distant—on April 6—the district will probably be without trustees until after election.

The merger also brings a change in the trustee election. An entire new board consisting of seven men will have to be elected instead of just one man as was the custom at Muenster and Coppers. After election the seven men are expected to draw for their positions on the board.

## OPENS GAS STATION, PRICE WAR DECLARED

Charles "Bud" Bernauer launched into the retail gasoline business last week-end just in time to get involved in a price war. White gas, the only product involved, has fallen down to 11 cents, presumably to place a handicap on small independent refineries that normally manufacture only the white gas.

Bernauer has set up two electric computing pumps and is selling Magnolia products.

## New Bank Is Outstanding Business House Of City

The new home of the Muenster State Bank, comparing favorably in appearance with buildings of much larger towns, easily ranks as this community's outstanding business house. Though built on simple architectural lines it presents an imposing general appearance.

Three features are outstanding from the front. Cream-colored cut Cordova limestone constitutes the wall while glass and aluminum colored castings constitute the ornaments. Lettering above the door and grill work in front of door and transom are made of the whitish metal. The door is recessed about three feet and the curved part of the wall on either side of the door is built principally of glass blocks. The back and side are of brick.

Inside the structure is more attractive than outside. Its lobby has a floor of Spanish terrazzo and all other floors are of mastic tile. Terrazzo presenting a beautiful effect of cut pebbles, is said to be good for indefinitely long wear; the mastic tile offers service, comfort and appearance.

Fixtures carry out the modern trends. A counter of convenient height is surmounted by a glass railing 21 inches high, a total height that comes about to normal person's shoulders, and a convenient height to permit normal conversation.

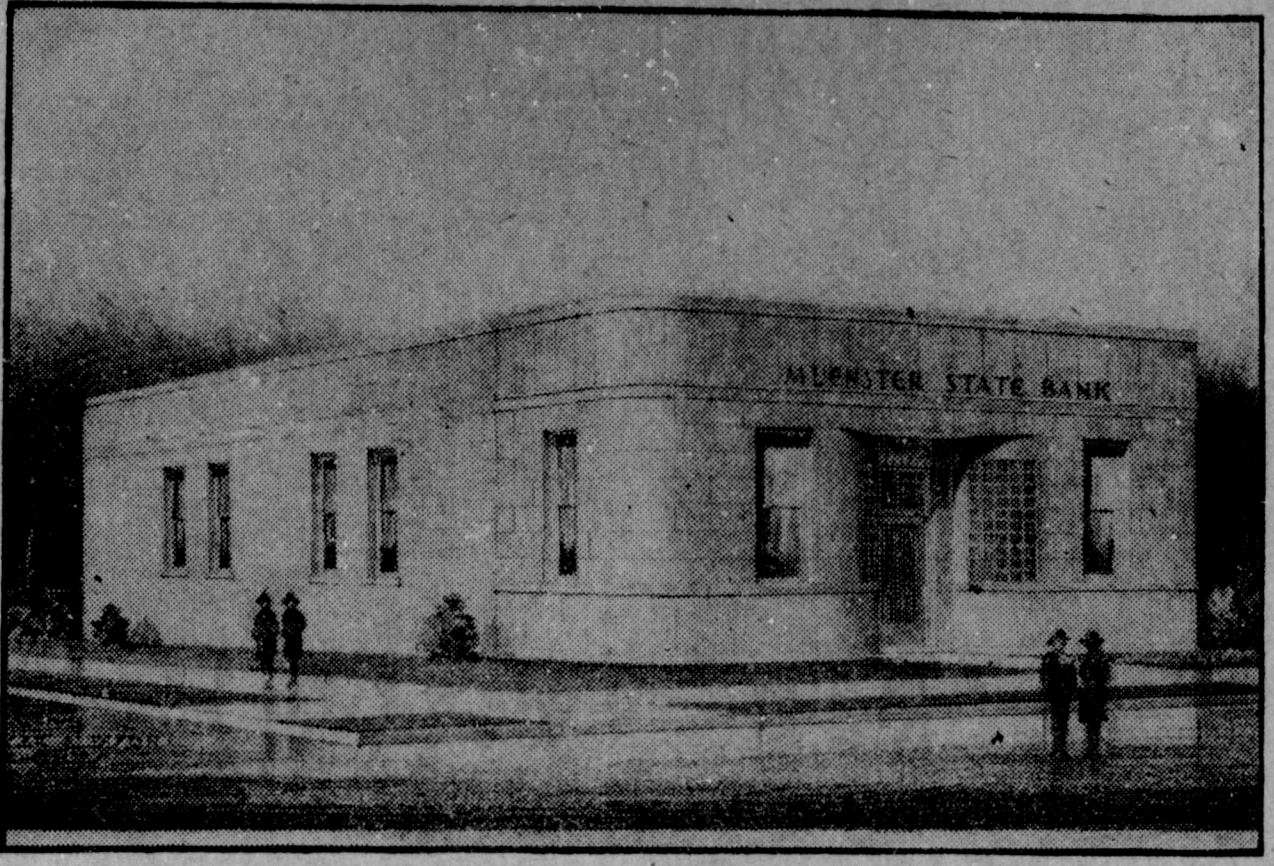
All the fixtures were special built for the bank and feature fronts of oak in a satin varnish finish and tops of black Caf-o-lite, a recently developed plastic that is ideal as a writing surface. Customers' windows have tops of Italian marble and aluminum grills. The railing and wainscoting harmonize with the fixtures, they are of oak with Caf-o-lite tops.

Every opening of the bank is protected from the sun's glare by metal Venetian blinds.

Latest and best methods in acoustical engineering were followed in constructing the ceiling. It consists of mottled cream colored celotex boards about an inch thick on a suspended framework. The arrangement is designed to eliminate even the slightest echo. Inside wall color harmonizes with that of the ceiling.

Besides banking fixtures there will be attractive furniture consisting of Caf-o-lite tables and leather uphol-

## New Muenster Bank Building



## Soil District Fails To Pass By 25 Votes

Muenster's hope for a soil conservation district was blasted on Tuesday of this week when a bulletin from the state conservation board at Temple revealed failure by twenty five votes in the conservation referendum of March 9. The total vote was 985 for and 530 against the creation of a district. A two-thirds favorable majority was required for approval.

No reports concerning district votes by boxes have been announced to date, but it is understood that Cooke county failed to poll its two-thirds majority. Muenster was strong in favor of conservation with a ballot of 89 to 12.

The area covered by the proposed district, known as the Denton-Elm creeks district, was the Upper-Trinity watershed consisting of all Denton county, all of Cooke county except what drains into Red River, and small parts of Grayson, Collin, Montague and Wise counties.

## HITLER AND MUSSOLINI MEET AT BORDER



**BRENNER PASS (Boundary of Italy and Germany)—Monday morning Premier Mussolini, head of 40,000,000 Italians and Adolph Hitler, leader of 80,000,000 Germans and 21,000,000 Slovaks met in Mussolini's private train near Brenner Pass. This was their first meeting since the famous Munich one; they talked for two and a half hours and the Nazi chief bade Il Duce goodbye. Whether the conversation was in line with peace only time can tell, but Sumner Welles, President Roosevelt's personal observer, was asked to stay two additional days in Rome and the Italian steamer that was to bring him home was held up. The Balkans seem the focal point of all activity and while Nazi and Italian chiefs met, Roumania's foreign minister was summoned to Rome for talks with Mussolini. Great Britain's prime minister, Chamberlain, addressed Commons Tuesday and certain it will be that the British Empire will demand more concentrated action in the war and in diplomatic channels.**

## FHA SEES BRIGHT OUTLOOK HERE, PUTS TOWN ON "OK" LIST

That future prospects for Muenster are encouraging was noted last week when a representative of the Federal Housing Administration placed the city on its approved list.

According to FHA regulations money loaned on a home in a declining town or city is a poor credit risk because the place would be hard to sell or rent in case foreclosure became necessary. For that reason the agency will not finance homes except in progressive towns. Its approval is equivalent to an emphatic recommendation for the town.

The man drove around Muenster in the company of Joe Walter and Meinrad Hesse of the Waples-Painter Company. Facts that impressed him most were the number of well kept homes, the number of new and comparatively new business or public buildings, the almost complete absence of shacks or slum conditions and the cooperative achievements of the community.

"Muenster is OK," was his final verdict. "Get customers whose credit rating will pass, and you can be sure that FHA will approve."

Dr. O. E. Clements, 54, former well known Gainesville physician and Cooke county health officer, died at Blackwell, Okla., last Friday. Burial was Monday at Blackwell, where he moved two years ago from Gainesville.

## CITY HAULS AWAY EIGHTEEN LOADS OF JUNK IN CLEAN-UP

The city cleanup last week-end netted eighteen heaping truck loads of junk. Mayor Ben Seyler disclosed this week.

Expressing his gratitude for the whole hearted cooperation received all over town, Seyler added a request for special care in keeping the town clean. He asked general cooperation in preventing the spread of old papers, rags, etc., and asked that every family throw its tin cans and broken glass and other rubbish in boxes or barrels. Keeping the stuff together will improve the general appearance now and save work at the next clean-up time.

## MUENSTER PLAYERS START REHEARSALS ON 3 ACT COMEDY

Rehearsals for a three act farce comedy entitled "Dotty and Daffy" are being held regularly by members of the Muenster Dramatic Club.

According to Rev. Father Francis, director of the play, it will be given shortly after Easter.

Included in the cast of characters are Misses Eleanor Henscheid and Irene Walterscheid as Dotty and Daffy, respectively, and Misses Theresa Hirssey, Mathilda Hoenig, Dorothy Fette and Elfreda Luke and Messrs Werner Becker, Earl Lehner, Johnny Henscheid, M. J. Endres, Jr., John Wimmer and Walter Becker.

## Formal Opening Of New Bank Building To Be Held Monday

### PARISH OBSERVES HOLY WEEK WITH TRADITIONAL SERVICE

Traditional services that have been followed by the Church since the middle ages and a schedule that has been followed by the community since its early days are observing Holy Week in the Sacred Heart Church.

Good Friday service, mourning the death of Christ, begins with a sermon at 8 o'clock followed by veneration of the crucifix and mass of the presanctified. The Way of the Cross will be recited at 2:30 o'clock and the period between 12 noon and 2:30 has been set aside as a period of meditation. At 7 that evening is held the last of three tenebrae services.

The Holy Saturday schedule begins at 7 o'clock with the blessing of numerous objects followed by mass, and ends with solemn resurrection ceremonies at 7 p. m.

On Easter Sunday masses will be at 6:15, 8, and 10 o'clock, that at 8 being a solemn high mass. Vespers will be held at 3 p. m.

Much of the Holy Week observance is already past. The blessing of palms and a procession symbolizing Christ's entry into Jerusalem was held Sunday. Mass and an all-day adoration commemorating the institution of the Eucharist was held on Thursday.

### BURGLAR GONE BUT ALARM CLANGS ON—NO ONE TO STOP IT

Though it became a nuisance to neighbors the burglar alarm at Jimmy's Service Station served its purpose admirably Sunday night by scaring off a would be burglar.

Unfortunately Jim Lehnertz and Al Horn, the only two persons carrying keys to the place, were out of town, so the bell was permitted to clang until Lehnertz returned to town and cut off the switch.

Constable Frank Hoedebeck, reaching the scene a few minutes after the noise started, about 3:45, said that everything seemed to be in order and the alarm had probably been turned on by accident.

Lehnertz's opinion was that an intruder had got into the station. When he cut off the switch, at 11 o'clock he noticed a few items disturbed, probably the only things touched until the person happened to cross the burglar alarm beam. No loss was reported, however.

Since no door or window was forced, it was assumed that the burglar gained admittance by means of a pass key. Lehnertz also recalled that a set of keys, including one for the station, had been lost several months ago.

### ANNUAL CENSUS OF SCHOOL CHILDREN BEGUN THIS WEEK

The annual census of school children began this week with Miss Harriet Schoech taking the yearly count of Muenster children. She began her work Monday.

School trustees received their final instructions last week-end and John County Supt. Randolph O'Brien, in urging all citizens to co-operate with the census taker in an effort to complete the work as soon as possible.

It is further urged by the trustees that all children of school age be included in this count as the number of school-age children forms the basis for apportionment of state school funds.

Children eligible for the school census are those who will be six years old before the 1st of September, and all under 18 years of age at that date.

### BEAUTY SHOP MOVED INTO WOLF BUILDING

The Muenster Beauty Shop opened for business in the Wolf building Thursday. Mrs. Ed Wolf bought the Malone Beauty Shop equipment and spent Tuesday in Dallas, where she purchased additional drivers and a new permanent wave machine and supplies.

The shop is located above the Bakery, occupying the two front rooms. For the present time Mrs. Orval Malone is in charge as operator.

### All Of Muenster And Many Visitors Invited

### Beautiful Structure is Monument to Sixteen Years of Community Service

A new era in the history of the Muenster State Bank will begin next Monday when that institution holds the formal opening of its new banking home.

The opening will be an all day affair at which officers and directors are hosts to hundreds of local persons and dozens of visitors from distant places. A general, community wide invitation has been extended to everyone here and special invitations have been sent to the bank's friends and patrons away from here.

Next to the actual organization of the company which now constitutes the Muenster State Bank, Monday's formal opening is the most important event of the bank's career. It is a definite, concrete step signifying sixteen and a half years of sound business service, of progress through a time that brought ruin to hundreds of small banks of the nation.

Money for the new building was put into a fund every year—including depression years—since 1923. As it opens its doors the first time it does so not as an obligation on stockholders but as an asset earned through previous years.

Several Banks Since '23

The half century of banking background which precedes the formal opening Monday has episodes that are both humorous and pathetic. There is one story of a robbery that netted \$160 and a gold watch—all of the institution's assets, and there is another story (well remembered by most of the community today) of a near financial disaster caused by a bank's failure.

J. W. Meurer, president of the Muenster State Bank and a resident here for 48 of the community's fifty years recalls the succession of banks up to 1923. The first was organized in 1893 in connection with a general merchandise business. It lasted only about three years and succeeding banks were similarly short lived until R. W. Crawford's German American Bank from 1910 to 1922. During a two year interval Muenster had two competing banks.

The early banks were crude, their service limited and their financial standing insecure, nevertheless they rendered a definite and necessary service. For that reason Muenster was never without a bank for any considerable time though during its early period its business volume hardly justified a bank. One after another, the people who moved in to set up a bank became disappointed and moved away. The worst blow to the community came in the summer of 1922 when the German American Bank went into receivership.

The inconvenience that allowed during the next several months convinced Muenster that it could not get along without banking facilities. Experience of the past thirty years had shown that their bank, like other local business, should be owned and run by local men. With those convictions J. W. Meurer, then a hardware dealer and now president of the Muenster bank, solicited stock subscriptions among home people and took a lead in organizing and incorporating the business. J. M. Weinzapfel, a young business man of Windhorst, was asked to take the position of bookkeeper and cashier.

Original directors of the bank at its opening on July 2, 1923 were J. W. Meurer, president; Frank Trachta, vice-president; J. M. Weinzapfel, cashier; and Joseph Dangimayr, Joseph Kreitz, Joe Fisher, Wm. Walterscheid, and G. H. Hellman. Since that time two directors have been removed by death, three have been succeeded by their sons, and the remaining three are still on the job. Meurer and Weinzapfel in their original offices and G. H. Hellman succeeding Frank Trachta as vice-president. The two deceased directors, Trachta and William Walterscheid have been replaced by J. W. Hess and Herbert Meurer.

Two important factors favored the success of the Muenster State Bank. It consisted of local capital and local management and its purpose was community service as well as the realization of profits. Then came the era of oil development bringing a vast increase in bank business only two years after organizing. During the golden days of the late twenties this bank like

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# LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Al Eberhart and son of Olney, Ill., arrived Friday to visit here indefinitely.

Mrs. Ed Eberhart visited in Fort Worth with her brother, Jake Tempel, and family last week.

Cheap red top cane seed for sale. R. M. Zipperer, Muenster. (Adv. 18-19)

Lawrence Wimmer and Anthony Klement took a truck load of Muenster cheese to Houston Monday.

Miss Aileen Hoehn of Fort Worth spent the week-end here with her parents and with friends.

Improvements at the Adolph Herr home include landscaping work and the construction of a new garage.

Telephone for sale: For particulars inquire at The Enterprise. (Adv. 18)

During the week Wilmer Luke assisted with clerical duties at the electric co-operative.

Joseph Dandimayr was around town Wednesday afternoon for the first time since his operation shortly before Christmas.

Leo Herr and little son of Bartlesville, Okla., were here Wednesday to visit Mr. Herr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Herr, and other relatives.

Frank Trubenbach spent Monday in Wichita Falls on business. He was accompanied on the trip by Lawrence Zimmerman of Lindsay.

Joe Trachta, accompanied by friends from Gainesville, spent last

Friday in Fort Worth at the Stock Show.

Harold Trachta of Dallas and Vincent Trachta of Oklahoma City are expected to spend Easter with their mother, Mrs. Annie Trachta.

Pete Kleiss and John Schilling spent several days of last week in Ardmore and El Reno, Okla., with the former's relatives.

Mrs. Adam Beyer and son and Miss Theresa Loerwald of Lindsay spent Monday with the latter's sister, Mrs. Al Walterscheid.

Robert Weinzapfel, student at St. Mary's University, arrived Thursday to spend the Easter holidays with members of his family.

Both schools in Muenster dismissed classes Wednesday afternoon for the Easter holidays. Classes will be resumed Tuesday of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fette of Kilgore spent Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday here with relatives. They visited in Lubbock on business earlier in the week.

Miss Josephine Hirshey and Mrs. J. O. Crowdis of Dallas visited here Sunday afternoon with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hirshey, and daughters.

Albert Hoehn came in Thursday for a several days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hoehn, before returning to Texas University, Austin, to continue his studies.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Schoech will have as guests during the coming holidays, their daughters, Misses Margaret and Pauline Schoech, of Dallas.

Misses Genevieve and Angelina Wimmer of Houston and Miss Dorothy Wimmer of Tyler will spend the coming week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wimmer.

Miss Lorena Fisher of Victory College, Fort Worth, and Miss Ida Fisher of Dallas, will visit with members of their family during the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Frances Binz of Denison will spend Easter Monday here with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Wiesman and family and attend the picnic at the parish hall.

Mrs. Al Flusche and children returned to their home in Decatur during the week-end after visiting with her sister, Mrs. Theo Walterscheid, for a week.

John Fuhrbach of Amarillo arrived Friday evening to visit his wife and son. They drove to Dallas Saturday to be the guests of relatives for the day.

Messrs and Mesdames J. I. Welch and Charlie Welch attended funeral

## PEACE BRINGS FINNISH LOSSES, RUSSIAN GAINS



Under the treaty signed in Moscow March 13, the Soviet will get a thirty-year lease on Hangoe (1) and surrounding territory as indicated by the black line; the entire Karelian Isthmus (2), including Viborg and Sortavala; territory east of Maerkaejaervi (3), including Kuolaiearvi and parts of the Sredni and Hybachi Peninsulas (4), which are shown in detail on the inset map. In this far northern area the Soviet is to get free access through Petsamo to the Norwegian border. Moreover, to obtain a Russian route to Sweden a railway is to be built this year across Finland's "wasp waist" from Kapdalaksha on the Leningrad-Murmansk line to Kemijaervi, terminus of the railroad leading down to the Gulf of Bothnia.

services at Gainesville Saturday for E. A. Welch, brother of J. I. Welch. Burial was in Hood cemetery.

Eight of Mrs. Ben Seyler's neighbors and friends met at her home Wednesday of last week and assisted her in quilting an attractive nine-patch quilt.

Mrs. John Wieler and little daughter left Tuesday morning to visit in Tishomingo, Okla., with her mother, Mrs. C. W. Walterscheid, until Sunday.

August Friske visited his daughter, Mrs. Emil Herr, and family at Hereford during the week-end. He made the trip with Ed Rohmer, who went to Hereford on business.

Joe Horn recently bought the Ed Eberhart house in the west part of town. No moves will be connected with the buy, Frank Herr remaining on the place.

Al Kleiss, Miss Mildred Walterscheid and Mrs. Ben Seyler left Monday by bus for Detroit for two new cars for members of the Kleiss family. Mrs. Seyler will be back this week-end, but Mr. Kleiss and his

house, making minor interior improvements and repapering, and remodeling the garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmitz of Gainesville announce the birth of a daughter, Brenda Kay, born at Medical-Surgical hospital on March 18. Mrs. John Schmitz visited her new granddaughter during the week.

Rev. Fathers Frowin and Francis attended services at Saint Mary's church in Gainesville Sunday evening when a week's mission, conducted by Rev. Father Mathias of Chicago, was concluded.

Mr. and Mrs. John Klement, Jr., are the parents of a son, David Earl, born at the Muenster clinic last Thursday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fette were sponsors at baptism administered by Father Frowin on Friday.

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NEW BANK BUILDING

Next Monday is a red-letter day in the history of the Muenster State Bank and a day of more than mere passing importance to the whole community. It is the formal opening day of Muenster's new banking home.

To the bank—to everybody connected with the bank, whether officer, director, stockholder, or just a depositor—the splendid building stands as a monument to seventeen years of achievement, a symbol of durable business policy. It lends a prestige proper to a firm that has already distinguished itself through years of service.

The city and community share too in the prestige created by this fine new building. Normally banks, as commercial centers of small towns, are the principal representatives of their towns. To a great extent they determine opinions about their respectable communities. The rugged stability of this bank will be an instant recommendation, inspiring confidence in home people as well as visitors.

Erection of the place also constitutes a long step to the very lead of Muenster's parade of progress. It puts the bank just where a city's central business institution ought to be, in the position of pace-maker. The board of directors have not only done their part in the "build Muenster" campaign, they have set a mark that, if only approached by other business houses, will lead to an appearance consistent with Muenster's reputation—one of the finest small cities of the state.

IT HAS NOT FAILED

Passing the buck is a form of human indulgence probably as old as mankind itself. No matter what a person does, if his action is at all blameworthy—and if he happens to be normal—he will find some kind of excuse. He will pass the buck to some person or some circumstance, anything to shirk the responsibility himself.

Since that is the case, as an overwhelming majority will agree, it was not surprising to find an influential national magazine with an article that blames organized re-

ligion for many of the present day woes here in America. Under a title, "The Light That Has Failed," it accuses the various churches of failure to cope successfully with conditions of this time.

The contention is that America, and every other nation claiming a semblance of democracy, is essentially Christian. Its principles on the dignity and equality of mankind are direct applications of Christian teachings. Most of the humanitarian customs are based on Christian concepts of such virtues as justice, decency, honesty, kindness, etc. But still, actual conditions in this and other Christian nations show an ever-widening breach from Christianity. "And therefore," the reader is asked to agree, "the light of the churches has failed."

The statement is referred to as a buck passer because it shirks the other logical conclusions. "Human blindness refuses to see the light." There is the correct answer. Religion has not failed. The churches have not failed. But mankind has failed in its duty to follow the guidance of the churches.

To say that churches have failed because of those who will not see, it is as reasonable as to claim that Christ's mission was a failure because he could not persuade all of his day to embrace his doctrine. Now, just nineteen centuries ago, the world has people who refuse to see the right way, who prefer gratification of their own selfish desires rather than the simple consolation of Christianity.

In the end the whole argument simmers down to the fact that man has a will of his own with a freedom to choose whatever course he wants. And while it is probably true that material and temporal appeals are stronger than ever before, it is likewise true that religion continues to offer spiritual and eternal values.

Regardless of how men turn, it is significant that they make their own choice. They, themselves deserve the credit or blame. Religion and the churches do not change in their mission. Their light is still burning in plain sight for anyone who wants to see.

GOOD FRIDAY

For a person wishing to get on the right course there is no time more appropriate than the three days now at hand. This is the Easter season commemorating the Death and Resurrection through which Christ restored fallen man to Divine favor—a season sacred to millions of Christians, both Catholic and Protestant.

Unfortunately Easter and Good Friday have lost much of their traditional influence. What was once a joyful, elaborate celebration commemorating the Savior's resurrection has become for many a mere fashion parade. Good Friday used to be observed with deeply, religious ceremonies. It is still recognized by official proclamations urging respectful observance. But people have forgotten much of its meaning. Some go on as if it were just another day, some carry out a sort of mechanical observance without thought of the significance.

A too absorbing interest in things temporal is responsible for the drift away from the eternal. For the greater part of a century men have centered their attention on material development. It is time to do something about it.

Good Friday is the day to give thought to things eternal, and perhaps take a new slant on life. Obviously, if man's eternal destiny is so important as to justify the supreme sacrifice on the part of his Creator it is certainly worth the attention of man himself.

to Hitler for help in the Spanish civil war. He had his back to the wall fighting against Communism. At the time Hitler didn't like Stalin, he was afraid Communism would be too much a threat in southeast Europe so he offered to help Franco lick the big Red. The Duce volunteered for the same reason. Franco accepted the help and after the war was over he said "shanks." That's all there was to it, and now he's interested in Spain and still hates Communism.

Several months ago it was predicted that the European war would eventually resolve itself into a religious struggle. It seems more possible every day. And the sooner it happens, the better. If the Scandinavians were to form their alliance, and if the small Christian nations surrounding Germany were to get together they could have the two big bullies begging for mercy in no time. It wouldn't take so much fighting either. If the little nations would all sit tight Germany would soon get hungry.

To us on this side of the pond, especially to the millions who don't know any more than we read in the papers, the answers are amazingly simple. We wonder, for instance, why all the Christian nations don't get their heads together and agree to boycott the offenders. No doubt England and France have already suggested such a move. And from the fact that the answers were not favorable we must conclude that there is something wrong with England and France. Europe must really be in a pitiful mess if other countries have no more confidence in those powers than they have in Stalin or Hitler.

History books of the future will have another story of heroism to tell about. When the little army of Finnish soldiers laid down their weapons last week the glory was all on their side. Faced by hopeless odds and given a chance to save the lives of women and children, they did the smart and decent thing. Though defeated they were not conquered. Their defense will become known as one of the greatest military achievements of all time. Already they have accepted philosophically the demands made on them by Russia and have set about rebuilding their shattered homes. There is a nation for you!

Believe it or not, the chain letter scheme that was going strong several years ago has revived again. Or should we say it isn't dead yet? A few days ago this writer happened to see one of the messages. The usual thing—write five more to different persons copying all names on the list except the last and put your own name at the head of each list. And send a hanky to the last one on the list. According to theory every person is supposed to heed the suggestion and eventually you will get back 625 hankies for the one you sent.

The first reaction is that the hanky idea is slightly out of season. Winter's about over so colds aren't what they used to be. But the amazing thing is that anyone will give the slightest attention to a chain

letter. After the other sieges it seems incredible that there could still be any suckers left. Ask any ten men about it. At least nine will claim that the chance of getting a return on a chain letter is about one in a thousand, maybe less.

It was a good racket though, while it lasted. Some people who wised up before the gullible public did make a real cleaning sending out dollar-chain letters by the thousands. There was a report about one crowd that rented an office and settled down to real letter writing. Invariably their names were on the pay-end of the list, and the names of friends were next to the pay end. The idea brought in big money, all right, but who do you think paid the money? Or how much do you think the payers got back?

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Confetti
By CON FETTE
Now what's going to happen in Europe? Judging from the way Hitler and his crowd hailed the surrender of Finland that tragic incident has serious complications for the Western Allies as well as for the vanquished heroes.
A first guess is that success up north will enable Russia to give more attention to supplying materials for Germany. Probably it will also give the two dictators a chance to grab a sizeable strip of production area down Rumania way. Apparently Hitler had a good cause for gleeful gloating last week. There was a point in his favor

when Finland said quits.
But who knows? Stalin may also be laughing up his sleeve—though heaven knows he ought to be hiding his face in shame after his puny showing of the past few months. Stalin as we remember, has often made the claim that he's going to take over the world, including Hitler's playhouse. Well, he hasn't done so bad lately and now he's getting set to give Germany a lot of material with which it can gradually wear itself down against the Allies. The big bad bear still intends to take Western Europe when it's fagged out. You can bet your socks on that. The day of the grand double cross is sure to come. It is inevitable when two master criminals are working together. The only question is, can Russia ever muster enough ability to whip even a war-weakened nation? Perhaps that is a big reason for Hitler's glee. He knows enough not to be scared of Stalin any more.
While the Spanish war was in progress this column took occasion a few times to chime in with a "viva" for Franco. As far as general American opinion was concerned that view was slightly orthodox. Now it is our pleasure to observe that confidence in Franco has not been betrayed. Hitler approached him last week for an alliance but Franco said "nothing doing." He won't have anything to do with a scoundrel who lines himself up with Communism against Christian civilization. He hasn't committed himself yet, but the signs are that if Spain gets in the fight it will not be on the Hitler-Stalin side. Spain is Christian, and that's that. And if we were asked to take a guess about Mussolini the answer would be the same. Italy is Christian too.
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## Local NEWS Briefs

A daughter, Patricia Mary, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Vogel Friday at the Gainesville hospital. The child was baptised here Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Hoening of Gainesville as sponsors.

Leo Voth and M. J. Endres, Jr., left Tuesday evening for Atchison, Kansas, to bring Miss Rita and Ray Voth back to spend the Easter holidays. They will have several days' vacation before returning to their school work in Atchison.

Miss Lillian Fisher attended a business meeting for members of the Gainesville Sanitarium Nurses' Alumnae at the hospital Tuesday afternoon. It was followed by a luncheon given by Mesdames Ballard and Floyd Watts in the former's home.

Since the beginning of this week T. C. Wages is the new owner and manager of Muenster's help-selly laundry in the A. C. Steizer building. He succeeds S. W. Cain who expects to concentrate his attention on truck driving.

Dr. H. B. Harrell, pioneer dentist of Gainesville, and well known to many people in the Muenster community, died at the Gainesville sanitarium last Friday evening following an operation for appendicitis. He was 78 years old.

J. P. Flusche and family returned to Muenster Monday to make their home after living in Pilot Point for two years. They are residing on South Main street in the house Joe bought from his brother, Al Flusche. Joe is doing contract hauling for local oil operators.

## Linn News

MRS. A. WALTERSCHEID  
Correspondent

Miss Dorothy McKinney attended a party at Era Tuesday evening.

Price McCool, who was recovering

## Political Announcements

The following persons have authorized the Enterprise to announce their candidacies for county and district offices subject to the Democratic primary, July 27.

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JOHN W. CULP

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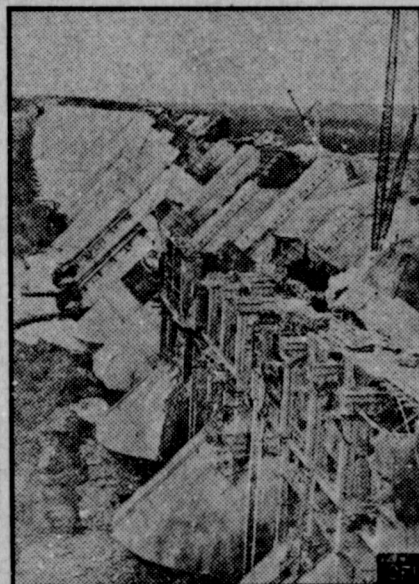
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## G-MEN GET GA. GOV.



MACON, Ga.—Gov. E. D. Rivers of Georgia who was arrested by Federal agents here last Friday as he was preparing to leave the stage of the City Auditorium where he had attended a Georgia Educational Association meeting. He was arrested on a contempt order issued by Federal Judge Bascom Deaver, and was later released on his own recognizance. The arrest was connected with Gov. Rivers' attempt to out Georgia State Highway Board Chairman W. L. Miller, which has been a long drawn out battle.

## DAM TROUBLE



DISNEY, Okla.—A view of the unfinished Grand River Dam, work on which has been ordered stopped by Gov. Leon Phillips of Oklahoma on the grounds that the \$20,000,000 project was an invasion of the State's rights by the United States Government. The Chief Executive has put the area under martial law, ordering National Guardsmen to maintain supervision of the work "short of actual inundation." The Governor has also ordered the Attorney General to file suit for an injunction against the Dam Authority's completion of the hydro-electric project.

from an illness, has had a relapse.

Abner Dunn spent the week-end in Saint Jo with relatives.

Mrs. Darrell McCool visited her mother, Mrs. J. F. Howton, at Era Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Griggs of Gainesville spent Sunday with Mrs. T. N. Fielder.

Bobby Sue, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Diamond King, is quite ill this week suffering from influenza.

Sam Biffle of north of Muenster was a Sunday dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Biffle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fleitman spent Sunday in Gainesville with her father, Pete Hellinger, and family.

Sloan McCool of Gainesville visited at the bedside of his father,

Price McCool, who is ill, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fleitman and family of Lindsay spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoening.

Charlie Bradley, Diamond King, Adolph Walterscheid and son, Dennis, were in Saint Jo on business one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Pikes and daughter of Gainesville spent Tuesday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bradley.

Mrs. Adolph Walterscheid visited Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Henry Fleitman who is recovering from an illness at her home in Muenster.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lutkenhaus and children, Gus, Irene and Lorine, were in Fort Worth and Dallas Thursday on a business and pleasure trip.

Mrs. Selby Fielder received word that her father, Tom Gaston, of Denton, was seriously ill with influenza, and left Monday to be at his bedside.

Little Norma Gene, daughter of Mrs. T. Walterscheid of Myra, spent several days of the week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Walterscheid.

Mrs. Ernest Craven of Gainesville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Harrison, Friday. Mrs. Harrison accompanied her home to spend the week-end with her. Monday Mrs. Craven and Mrs. Harrison visited in Nocoma.

## Myra News

MRS. JOHN BLANTON  
Correspondent

Miss Dorothy Linn of Gainesville visited over the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Lena Maude Corbin.

Mrs. Ike Fulton, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Fears and Mrs. Dora Fears attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth Sunday.

Mrs. Ora Landers of Joshua, visited her mother, Mrs. C. J. Tuggle, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Martin spent Sunday in Saint Jo where they visited Mrs. George Leopard, who is ill.

Mrs. Ida Baker of Enid, Okla., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reed Thursday.

Mrs. Thelma Richey and son of Gainesville spent Monday here with her mother, Mrs. Will Martin.

Miss Darleen Biffle of Fort Worth spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Biffle.

Leroy Porter and daughter, Betty Jo, made a business trip to Sherman Saturday.

Mrs. L. M. Alman and Mrs. Owen Alman and children of Whaley Chapel spent Friday of last week with Mrs. Major Ware.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reed attended the funeral services, held Sunday afternoon in Gainesville, for Dr. H. B. Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pryor and Mr. and Mrs. Lon Blanton spent Sunday in Iowa Park with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hoffman.

Mrs. Mammie Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Philpot and daughter of Sherman, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Aldridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Porter and daughter, Betty Jo, motored to Electric Sunday where they met and spent the day with relatives from Chillicothe and Denton.

Mrs. Alice Tuggle of Vernon is here visiting her father, J. M. Pilgrim, who recently suffered an injury to one of his eyes. He returned the latter part of the week from Gainesville sanitarium where he re-

## NEW STAMPS ON SALE



EVANSTON, Ill. — Postmaster George M. Taylor predicts a record-breaking first day sale when the Frances E. Willard commemorative stamp is issued March 28. With him is Mrs. Ida B. Wise Smith, Miss Willard's successor as president of National W. C. T. U. Taylor will present the first sheet of these stamps to the W. C. T. U.

## EASTER FASHION



Favoring the long, flowing lines now fashion-right for corsages, the Chicago florists styles committee has selected yellow roses and burnt orange freesias for the Easter corsage. Elsie Oversier will wear with her new sailor of burnt yellow, rough straw.

ceived treatment. His doctor has some hope now of saving the sight of the injured eye.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Harrison and children of Bellevue spent Sunday in Myra. They, with other relatives, enjoyed a birthday dinner commemorating Mrs. Joe Catidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Andress returned from Ada, Oklahoma, Thursday where they visited for several days with their daughter, Mrs. Homer Bellow and family.

J. L. Hancock, formerly a resident of the Spring Creek community and who had been living in Dallas recently, was buried in the Reed cemetery here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hudson and Mr. and Mrs. John Blanton attended the funeral at Leo for Fred Blevens, who died at his home in Gainesville.

Saturday night. Mr. Blevens is the father of Mrs. Jim Snuggs of Myra.

The W. M. S. of the Baptist church held its regular meeting at the church Monday afternoon. A bible lesson from Leviticus was led by Mrs. John Blanton in the absence of Mrs. Albert Andress, the bible study chairman. Nine members were present.

## BITS O' BUSINESS

U. S. cigarette production hit a new all-time January peak last month—14½ billions of the little cylinders—but more notable was increase in output of higher-priced cigars, two classes of these showing larger gains than the nickel or "two-fer" varieties. Packard and Nash are rushing engineering and production plans for new lines in the low-priced auto field, encouraged by success of Studebaker's "invasion"—may be ready by late summer, almost surely before the general showing of 1941 models in the fall. American youth, said by some to be going to the dogs, bought 20 per cent more Bibles during the last Christmas season than ever before—that's the Good Word. Consumption of domestic wines is expected to top 90,000,000 gallons this year, bettering the 1939 record by 15 per cent—and that year was 13 per cent over the previous one. Private engineering construction awards for the first week of 1939, totaling \$114,630,000, are up 21 per cent over the figure for the same period last year.

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**Formal Opening---**

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many another enjoyed substantial earnings but instead of increasing dividends it consistently increased its capital and surplus. When the depression hit it was in a position to carry on while hundreds of other banks went broke.

Perhaps the condition of the community had some bearing on the bank's success through the depression. Oil work continued slowly until 1935 and the dairy industry was almost at its peak. Muenster as well as the bank had a better depression business than most other small towns.

**Service To Community**

During all of its sixteen and a half years the Muenster bank has been conspicuous for its community service. It sponsored a community fair here in 1924, it has taken an active part in civic, religious and social activity. It has long provided a surveying instrument and treading machines to facilitate conservation work in the district.

The bank's president and cashier are no less conspicuous for their service to the community. Coming here as a young man in 1891, J. W. Meurer first worked as a section hand on the railroad and entered business about a year later. To him is due the credit of securing rural mail service out of Muenster. He carried on all the necessary correspondence and he even took charge of building bridges so that the proposed route would be approved. He was also one of the principal powers behind organizing the mutual telephone system of which he is still president. Since the time he first began in business up to the present day Meurer has been accepted as one of the most active and most responsible business men of Muenster.

J. M. Weinzapfel's career at Muenster dates back less than seven years but it includes a great deal of achievement. Weinzapfel has been the principal inducement behind numerous civic enterprises and has been an outstanding worker in city and parish affairs. As city secretary he took the lead in incorporating Muenster and building a municipal water system.

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**PARISH SPONSORS PICNIC-DANCE FOR NEW CHURCH FUND**

Usual preparations for a community bazaar and dance on Easter Monday are almost completed, Mrs. Felix Becker, president of the mothers' society and chairman of program revealed this week. It is a benefit event to raise funds for Muenster's contemplated new church.

No attempt will be made to serve meals at the hall, Mrs. Becker said, but the mothers intend to provide sandwiches and drinks. A dance, tango, games, and a few other typical bazaar activities will feature the event.

The picnic will be conducted simultaneously with the open house reception in the new bank building, a circumstance that is expected to help both events. Each can be relied upon to increase the other's attendance.

**VAN ZANDT DRAFTED AS CANDIDATE FOR RAIL COMMISSION**

Proceedings to draft State Senator Olan Van Zandt of this district as a candidate for Railroad Commissioner took definite form late last week when petitions bearing more than a thousand signatures were submitted to E. B. Germany of the State Democratic Executive Committee of Dallas.

The petition to draft Van Zandt, well known as the blind senator from Grayson, Cooke and Fannin counties, was prepared and circulated without his knowledge. Under the law, the matter must now be formally presented to him and he must accept or reject within a given time.

The petition includes the names of several dozen Muenster voters.

**Lindsay News**

Miss Bertha Hoberer is now employed in Valley View.

The Mission Sewing circle held its monthly meeting last Wednesday afternoon and completed two

quilts in addition to the usual work of remodeling and sewing. Sixteen members were present.

Robert Loerwald is recovering normally from an illness.

John Moster was in Fort Worth on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haverkamp and family were guests of his mother at Muenster Sunday.

Miss Annie Kuhn is spending several weeks with Mrs. Johnny Klement at Muenster.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pittner of Haverford spent Sunday with the Adolph Pittner family.

Loud speakers were installed in the church for permanent use last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mosman and sons and Pat Mosman of Dallas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mosman.

Clara Mae Mosman of Gainesville spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mosman.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Kempf, Mr. and Mrs. John Kempf and son, all of Archer county, spent last Wednesday here with relatives.

The stations of the cross, on the walk around the outside of the church, were repaired and repainted last week by a Benedictine Sister from Jonesboro, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. William Flusche, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Ed Eberhart of Muenster, spent last Friday in Fort Worth at the Stock Show.

**MISS ZIMMERER IS HONORED WITH PARTY THURSDAY**

LINDSAY.—Miss Margaret Zimmerer, hide-elect of Joe Koerner, was named honor guest for a miscellaneous shower and party given last Thursday afternoon at the home of her sister, Mrs. William Schad, with two other sisters, Misses Louise and Marie Zimmerer, as co-hostesses.

During the afternoon amusing contests furnished diversion for the guests. Mesdames Al Walterscheid of Muenster and Lawrence Zimmerer received awards for winning and presented them to the honoree, who also received an attractive assortment of gift remembrances from the guests.

The shower gifts were presented in a novel manner by two "negro

mammies," who strung up a clothes line in the party room and hung up the presents after they had been opened by the honoree.

Guests registering for the party included Misses Marie Sophie Zimmerer, Marie Bengfort, Gertrude Fuhrmann, Tillie Fuhrmann, Antonio Hundt, Theresia Loerwald, all of Lindsay, and Armella and Marcella Flusche of Muenster.

Mesdames Andrew Zimmerer, Raymond and Lawrence Zimmerer, Ben Fleitman of Linn, Herman Fleitman, Albert Kubis, Henry Zimmerer, Al Schad, Annie Koerner of Gainesville, Frank Popp, K. M. Popp, Joe Hundt and John Zimmerer and Al and Frank Walterscheid of Muenster.

Miss Zimmerer will be married to Mr. Koerner on Tuesday, the 26th of March, at 8 o'clock in St. Peter's church, here.

**SODALITY HEARS REPORT ON YOUTH CONVENTION**

An interesting account of the convention of the Union of Catholic Youth, held in Fort Worth March 10, was given by Miss Elfreda Luke, president of the Young Ladies' Sodality, when the group met for a monthly session last Monday evening.

During the business meeting committee reports were given including plans for a social affair to take place soon as a courtesy to new members who were enrolled in December.

The apostolic committee had on display some of the work it has done recently in connection with the mission sewing circle. The display consisted of finished garments for children and hand made crochet edgés for priests' vestments.

This meeting, the first to be held since the day for meeting has been changed from Sunday afternoon to the same time the Holy Name Society gathers, was marked with enthusiasm and an unusual good attendance of 45 members.

**STUDY CLUB FINISHES BOOK PLANS REVIEW AND SOCIAL**

Chapter 15, entitled "Family Prayers," the final chapter of this year's discussion club textbook, was studied by members of the Hyacinth Study Club when they gathered for a weekly meeting at the Becker home Monday evening.

A review of the book will furnish the work for next week's lesson when the group will meet on Wednesday, the 27th, instead of Monday.

The following week the club will close this season's activity with a social for which members of the St. Mary's Club will be special guests. The social, in the form of a card and domino party, will be given at the Becker home.

**USUAL GOOD WORK DONE AT SEWING CIRCLE MEET**

Two quilts were completed and the usual amount of darning, patching and remodeling done when Saint Anne's Mission Sewing Circle met last Thursday afternoon. Two members were also busy at portable sewing machines making children's garments, and another group busied themselves cutting and rolling hospital bandages.

During the business session Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel acted as temporary secretary and Mrs. John Kathmar read a letter in which the priests of

Corpus Christi College thanked the circle for two quilts sent to them recently. Rev. Father Frowin was a guest and led the opening prayer.

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