

# The Merkel Mail

Thursday, July 9, 1981... Merkel, Texas...Merkel's 100th Year

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17th Congressional District Charles Stenholm (left) chats with Dale Hammond (right) and Kent Satterwhite (back to camera) at Fun Day Saturday. Stenholm left the Cowboy Reunion to

attend some of Fun Day and deliver a short message, the only problem was he arrived at the same time a two inch rainfall hit. (Photo by Glenn Richards)

## Summer tracksters take ribbons

The Merkel Summer Track team competed in San Angelo recently and brought home an impressive array of ribbons according to coach Eddie Lang.

Competing in age divisions, several Merkel youths placed well.

Taking divisional wins were Lynn Hayes in the hurdles, Donnie Brady in the mile, Michael McCoy in the long jump, Anne Everett in the shot put and discus, Roy Johnson in the shot, Lynn Hayes in the long jump and high jump and Russell Lucas in the 400.

Taking second place ribbons were Michael Tutt, McCoy, Lucas, and Ronny Williams in the sprint relay, Maxie Lang in the 400, Justin Amerine in the 400, Melissa Hallford and Ronna Casey in the 800, Mark Turner in the 400 meter hurdles, Tim Brady in the mile, the mile relay of Tutt, Williams, McCoy and Lucas, Justin Amerine in the discus.

Third place finishers was Sha Lang in the 800. Fourth place finishers included Kayce Ward in the hurdles, the sprint relay team of Maxie Lang, Kayce Ward, Clara Herrera and Pam Neff, Herrera and Amerine on the 200, Johnson in the discus.

Fifth place finishers included Pam Neff and Ronna Casey in the 100, Roy Johnson in the 800, Michael Tutt in the 200, Donnie Brady in the long jump and Russel Lucas in the high jump and Maxie Lang in the hurdles.

Sixth place finishers included Mark Turner in the hurdles, Sha Lang in the 400, and Michael Tutt in the high jump.

The track team competed in Abilene Monday and will travel to Wichita Falls Saturday for the regional meet.

Winners in the regional meet will compete for state honors later this summer.

## Fun Day goes well

by Cloy A. Richards

Fun Day may have been washed out at 5 Saturday by torrential rains and Johnny Starbuck stole the ticket sale show as Merkel's Second Annual Fun Day and Centennial Celebration accomplished just what it was supposed to, it paid or nearly paid for the new restroom facilities.

The rain hit just when the crowd should have been picking up for the evening run, but most vendors and participants contacted said they either broke even or made money from sales.

Again this year, Johnny Starbuck lead the way with ticket sales, as he sold \$1,027.46. He received a plaque commemorating his efforts from Hammond Insurance and cut the ribbon on the new restroom facilities at the park.

The restroom was built by J.A. Sadler, Robert Harris, Donnie Cloyd, Ray King, Ray de la Cruz, Bart Whisenhunt, Stewart Bishop, with support from Fannelle Boney, Annette Melton and Janet Deen.

Ray Pack and Halfbreed headed up a full day of entertainment that included Kenny Slack and the Cedar Gap Express, The Smokey Mountain Troobidors, Carl Sims and his band from Wichita Falls, and Monty Tittle. The band all appeared at no charge and Ray did a fine job lining up some fine local talent.

In the Centennial Beard Contest, Ronnie Doan was neatest beard, Buster Horton took the booby prize, Bob Hammond won longest beard and Glenn Robertson won the ugliest beard.

Don Hensley, of the Farmers and Merchants National Bank, video-taped most of the Fun Day activities for future use and review. He, Bill Everett, J.A. Sadler, Kent Satterwhite and Waymon Adcock acted as master of ceremonies for most of Saturday's activities.

U.S. Representative Charles Stenholm of Stambord arrived around the same time the rains did and spoke with a few Merkelites before being chased away by the storm.

A cake decorated and donated by the Tye Volunteer Fire Department sold for \$100. It was purchased by Mrs. Hoy Richards and proceeds went to the restroom fund.

Pat Byrd and Annette Melton took records and kept up with prize winners. Lela Holden ran the Chamber of Commerce booth and took orders for Centennial t-shirts and sold the magazine

produced by the Chamber. KBGG radio did a live remote from Fun Day.

Ron Schucknecht, Jim Gielser and Donnan Justice had the un-enviable job of placing the sign on the water tower.

Jocille Brady, Salinda Gielser, Pat-Schucknecht and Martha Sue Justice all appeared on local TV talk shows to plug Fun Day and were mainly responsible for drawing area residents to Fun Day.

All of the prizes were drawn and the remaining prizes are at the Mail office and may be picked up during office hours. Local merchants were very generous with prize donations this year and winners in the drawings included Art Herrera, Blanche Hewitt, Emma Shugart, Bryan Denman, Russell McAnalley, Bud Holder, Evelyn Martin, Fred Starbuck, Poopie Sipe, Delorse Adair, Danna English, Roger Beaird, Andria Gardner.

Also winning prizes were: Mrs. H.B. Finch, Bill Williams, Maurine White, Frank Merritt, Larry Hartline, Brent Fincher, Mary Boone, Syble Riney, Destrly Pack, Evlan Hatfield, Mary Stanley, Erma Whitehead, Laura Morgan, Henry Stout, Minnie Baker, J.A. Sadler, Donna McCartney, David Schucknecht, Delayne Pack, Jane Watson, Al Reagan, Linda Irvin, Louis Deen, Bill Farrillo.

Other winners include: Caleb Kelso, Barbara Johnson, Shirley Morgan, Alice Hendon, Donnie Brady, Ricky Pack, David Brown, Ed Sandusky, Mickey Thinter, Nellie Barnhill, Hoy A. Richards, Gene Denham, Jeannie Rodgers, Mike Hays, Bill Hays, Russell Morgan, Becca Dunagin, Shelly Doan, Leigh McGlothlin.

More winners were: Marvin Myers, Felix Boyd, R.L. Swinney, Melissa Davis, Samilee Kay, Ann Doan, James Huddelston, Walt Harris, Kenneth Wood, Pearl McCartney, Edith Fox, Calvin Hiller, Billy Walters, R.E. Bratcher, George Willcater, Ethel Hicks, Ben Cox, Steve Tucker, Shawn Warren, Christie Quance, Gene Denham, Sherry Burton, Fern Windham, Leroy Riney, Beth Hall, Joyce Tyler, Vi Purcell, E.C. Cade.

Other winners included: Pam Ely, Juan Ybarra, Kay Hobbs, Willard Brown, Mark Jenkins, Roy Davis, Kelly Warren, Betty Mashburn, Pat McDuff, Kenny Hogan, Olivia Flores, and Mrs. R.M. Ferguson.

Those winners who have not picked up their prizes may do so at the Mail.

## Newsbriefs

### Pamphlet offered

The Taylor County Extension Office is offering free to the public a series of pamphlets on Sewing With Special Fabrics. These pamphlets include sewing on sheers, suede, denium, knits, and corduroy fabrics and are just in time for fall sewing. To receive these pamph-

lets, mail your name and complete mailing address to: Roberta Watters, County Extension Agent, Old County Courthouse by July 22nd.

For more information call 677-1711, Ext. 321.

### Work day set

There will be a work day scheduled to get the softball field ready for our All-Star Tour-

naments. All interested persons and parents are urged to attend. It will be Saturday, July 11, 1981 at 8:30 a.m. Wear old clothes and bring hoes, rakes and paint brushes.

### Tourney set

There will be a Men's Slo Pitch Softball meeting Thursday July 9th at 7:30 p.m. at Taylor Electric.

managers or a team representative must be present in order to register the team for the fall league which will begin July 20.

### Donations needed

The Shiloh Cemetery Association is asking for financial support. Donations may be sent to Zed Bright, Rt. 2 Box 54, Trent or call 862-6275 for more information.

## Fun Day, edition, golf, sports

by Cloy A. Richards

Although it did rain on our parade, Fun Day came off well Saturday. The crowds were there, the entertainment was talented, and it was the 4th of July at it's best.

The peak crowd was estimated at 750, which is no more than a wild guess, but there were a lot of folks that attended. The women and men dressed in Centennial costumes made for the Centennial Celebration.

It was a little hard to recognize a few of the local men following Fun Day, as most raced home and shaved off beards that had been cluttering their faces the past few months.

Fun Day did it's job as proceeds, which have not been final totaled, will come close to funding the new restroom facilities at the park, which was built by mostly city employees.

Kids eating sno cones and tacos, drinking cokes, eating candy, getting faces painted, made for a photographer's field day and former Mail photographer Glenn Richards captured some wonderful photos, which are shown on pages 2 and 4 this week.

Like earlier stated, Fun Day made for a wonderful, All-American Fourth of July Celebration.

Johnny Starbuck has a letter to the editor this week thanking area residents for the tickets purchased from him, but we all owe Johnny a debt of thanks for his efforts. That kid has sold over \$1,000 worth of tickets for two straight years and deserves all the thanks and recognition he can get.

Lot's of folks helped pull off Fun Day, but none more so than Martha Sue Justice, who ought to have it down after two years.

I have really appreciated all of the comments concerning our Centennial Edition. The sales of the edition are going very well and

we should sell out in the next month. There are still copies available at 50 cents each and we have included a mail order form for \$1 each to cover cost of packaging and postage.

There was one obvious mistake. We placed one picture under the wrong cut line that read a street scene of 1907. The only problem was, it showed cars from the 1930 era.

Other than that, we are pleased.

My apologies to the Teenage Baseball Champs, the Lumberjacks.

I took their picture Thursday night and did not discover I had shot their photo on color film until late Tuesday. Their photo will appear in next week's Mail.

The Merkel Ladies Golf Association is sponsoring a four-woman scramble Saturday. Entry fee is \$80 per team or \$20 each. More information is available from Wanda Hendricks or Brenda Jackson, or the Merkel Country Club.

Speaking of sports, imagine the feeling of a mother getting a note saying, "Dear Mom, I have gone to Russia."

That's what Jeanette Pursley found Monday morning when she and Phillip returned from a short vacation.

You see, Billy Olsen, the former ACU vaulter injured himself in a meet and Brad was asked to replace him at a duel meet between the US and Russia. So Brad is off to Europe. That meet will be televised so watch for it.

If you have not had a chance to place an order for your Merkel Centennial Commemorative T-Shirt, you may do so at Ben Franklin.

A basketball camp is scheduled here next week with the new basketball coach running the show. Registration will be 8 a.m. Monday.



The Division I Girls All-Stars have been named and include (Front row, left to right) Bridgette Vaughn, Richa Hill, Tricia Newsom, Betsy Hellum, Michelle Barnett, Michelle Williams. (Second row, left to right) Michele Dudley,

Teresa Lucas, Judy Williams, LuAmy Sloan, Amber Whisenhunt, Melony Orr. The girls are coached by (left to right) Bill Whisenhunt, John Hamrick, Kay Hamrick and Christi Quance. (Staff photo by Cloy A. Richards)

## Come & get 'em

For the out of town readers, it's hard to get extra copies of the Mail's Centennial Edition. To make it easier, fill out this form and enclose \$1 for each copy.

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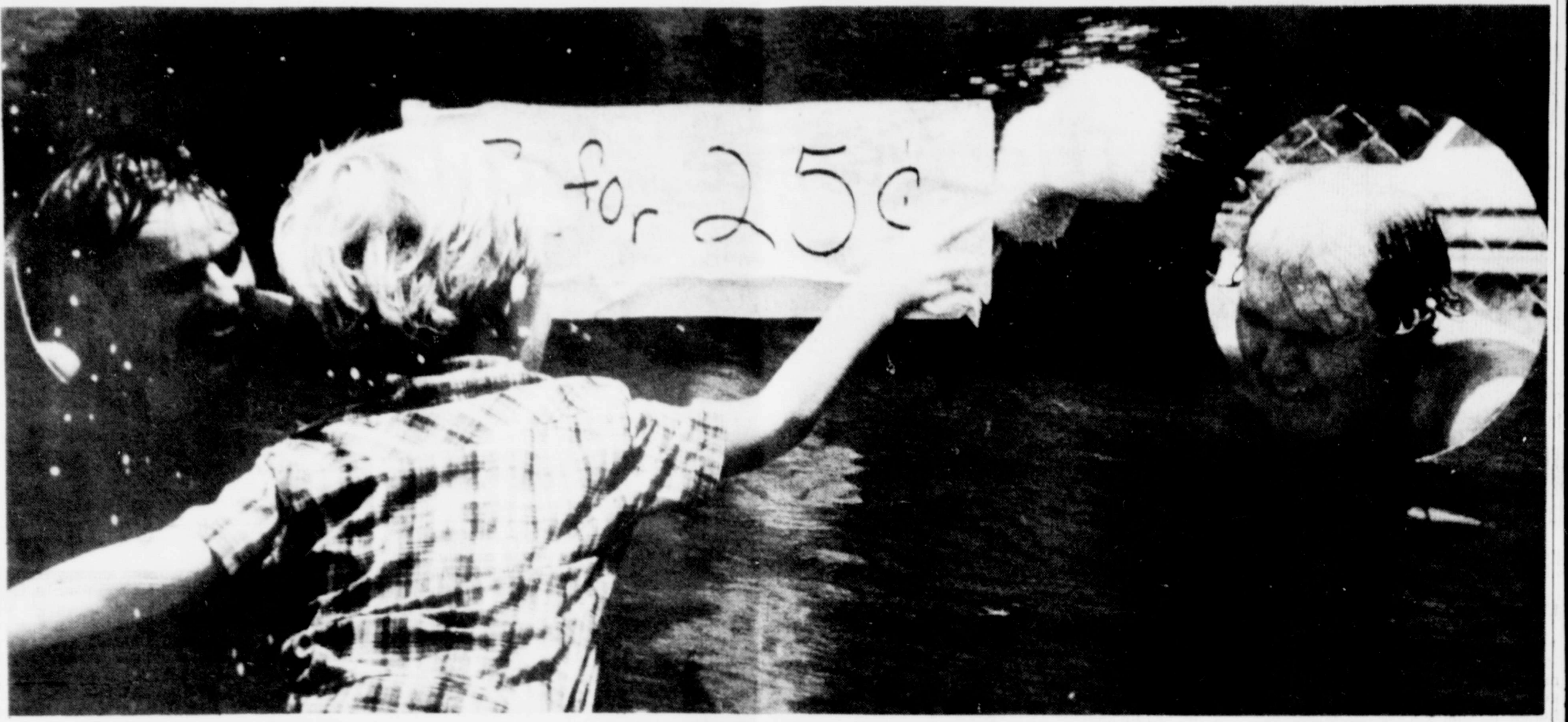
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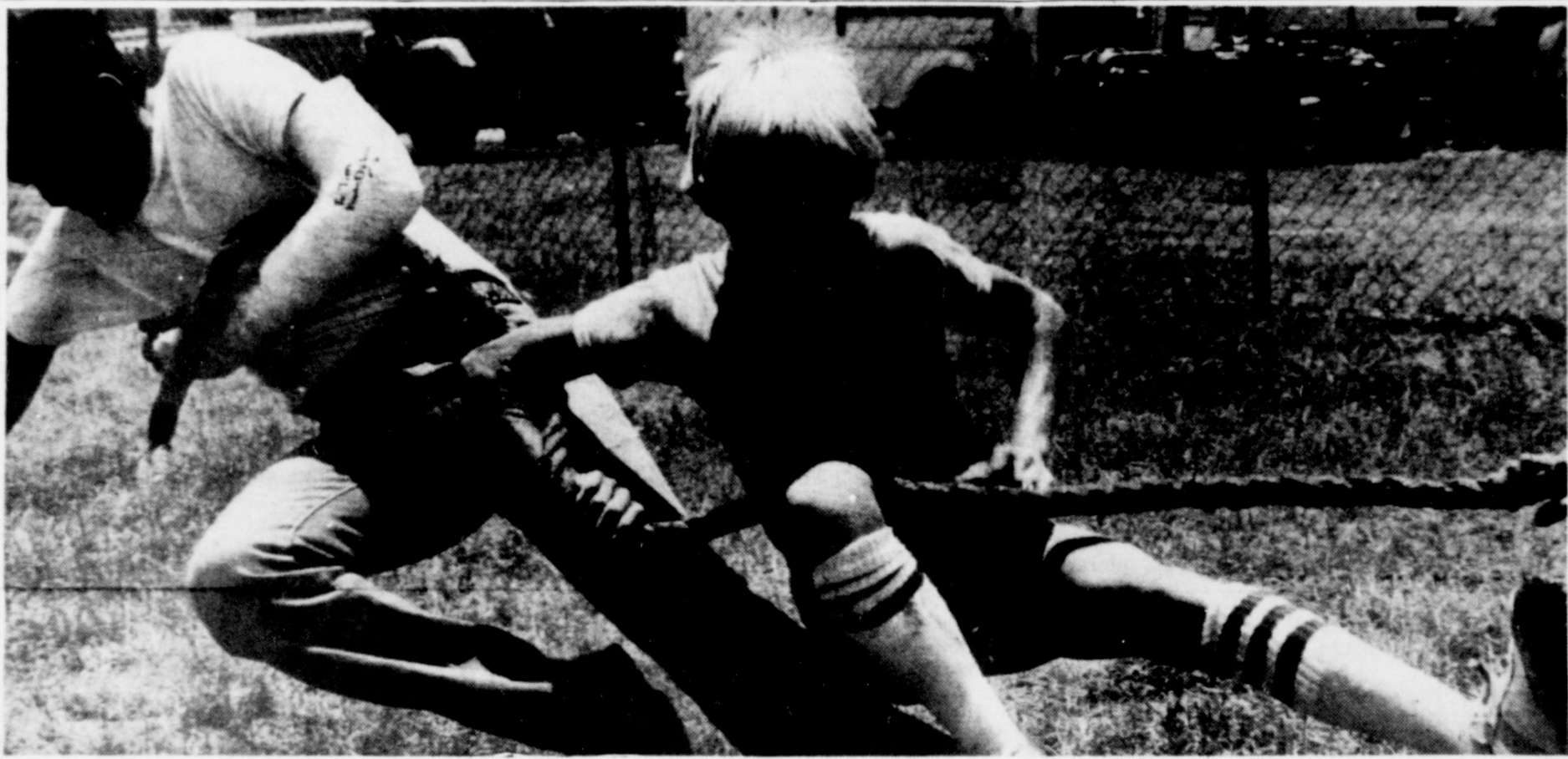
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Michael Koflanovich seems to enjoy watching a wet sponge heading for Jackie Cannon's face at Fun Day.



Tim Barber, cast and all, fights for his balance as Ricky Doan's legs desert him.



Chris Harris winds up and sends Jamie Heyen into the Dunkin' Sam bath.

(All photos by Glenn Richards)





### Clinton, Benningfield

Robbye Lee Clinton and Terry Lee Benningfield were married Saturday in the home of the bride's parents with Dr. Charles Whittle of First United Methodist Church officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleveland of 2517 Crescent.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith of 2265 S. 33rd and the late LeRoy Benningfield.

Mrs. Sam Stone was her sister's matron of honor.

Best man was Dick Griffith of Noodle.

The reception was hosted by the bride's parents and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stone.

Following a wedding trip to Dallas, the couple will live in Merkel.

### Starr Rest Home news

Not so much news from the rest home this week.

They have a new ceiling fan in the assembly room, which they are enjoying. They also enjoy visitors and someone or more to go play music for them.

Larry Tolevor played the guitar for them last Saturday, which they enjoyed very much.

We have a small volunteer group who visits on Wednesdays. Mary Bill played the accordion and Pearl McClain and Tressie Lucas played the piano for them.

Our sympathy goes out to the Garrett Richardson family, as Mr. Richardson passed away last week.

### Starbuck says thanks

Dear Editor, I would like to thank Merkel and surrounding area for helping me reach my \$1,000.00 goal for Fun Day tickets for the 4th of July 1981. The tickets were 5 for \$1.00 or 1 for 25 cents. Donations from the tickets went to help build the bathrooms at the city park.

The City of Merkel needs something like the bathrooms and reunion shelter from the hot weather and rain. I would like again to say thank you to the city crews for building the restrooms and especially to you the city of Merkel and surrounding area for helping me.

Thank You, John Starbuck

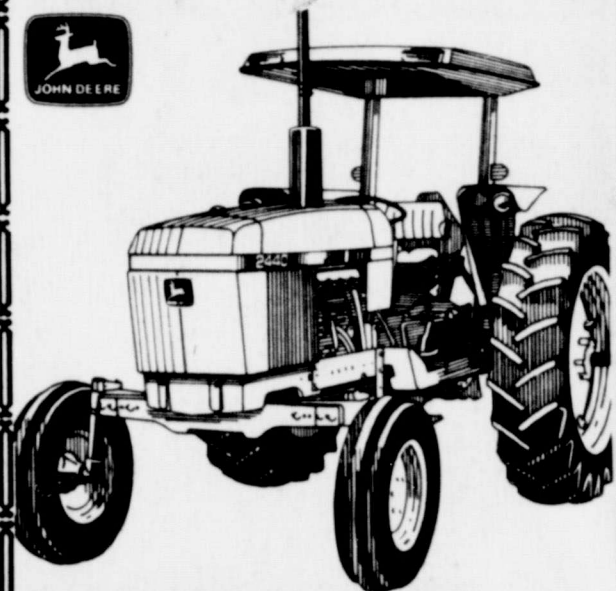
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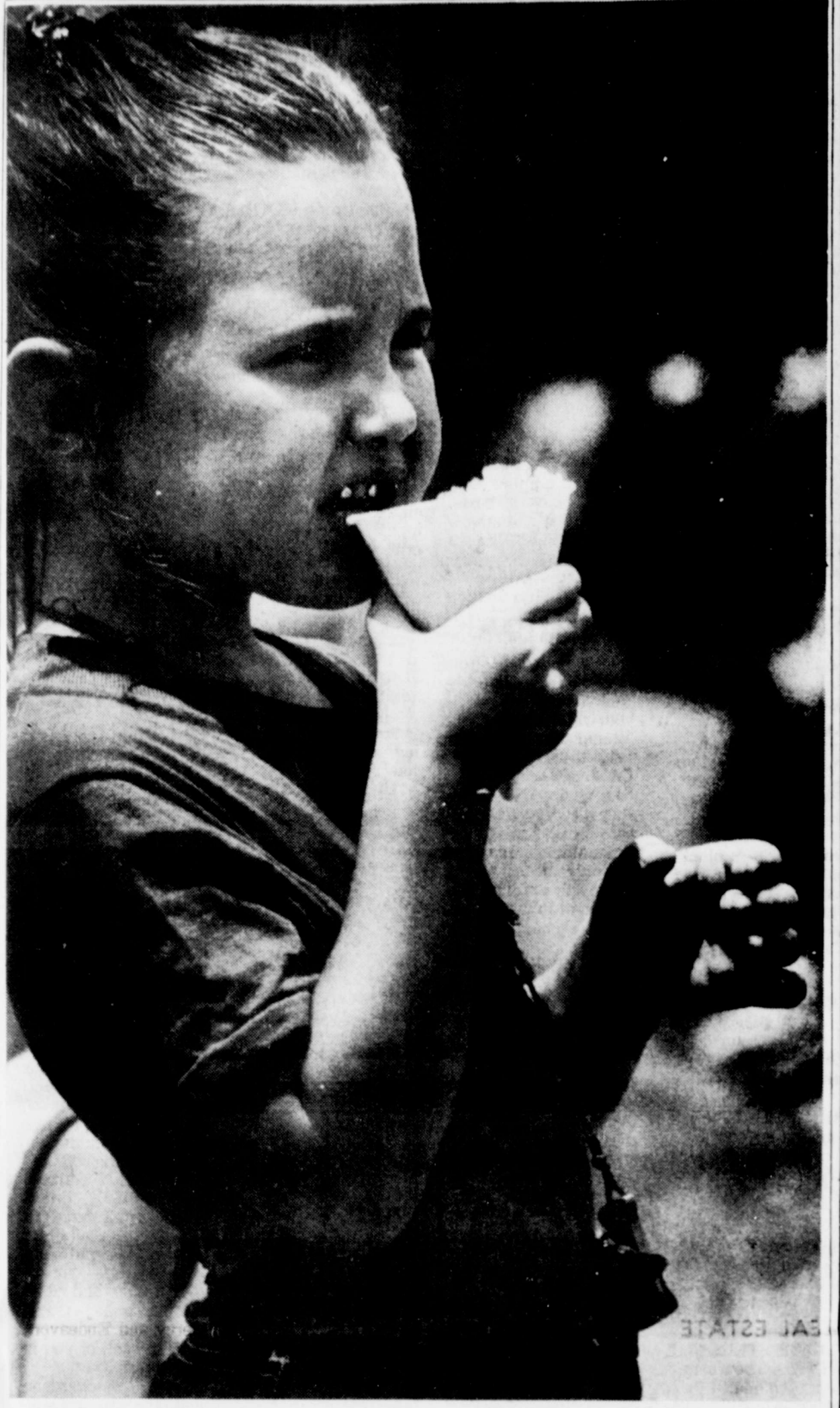
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The Halfbreed belts one out at Fun Day.

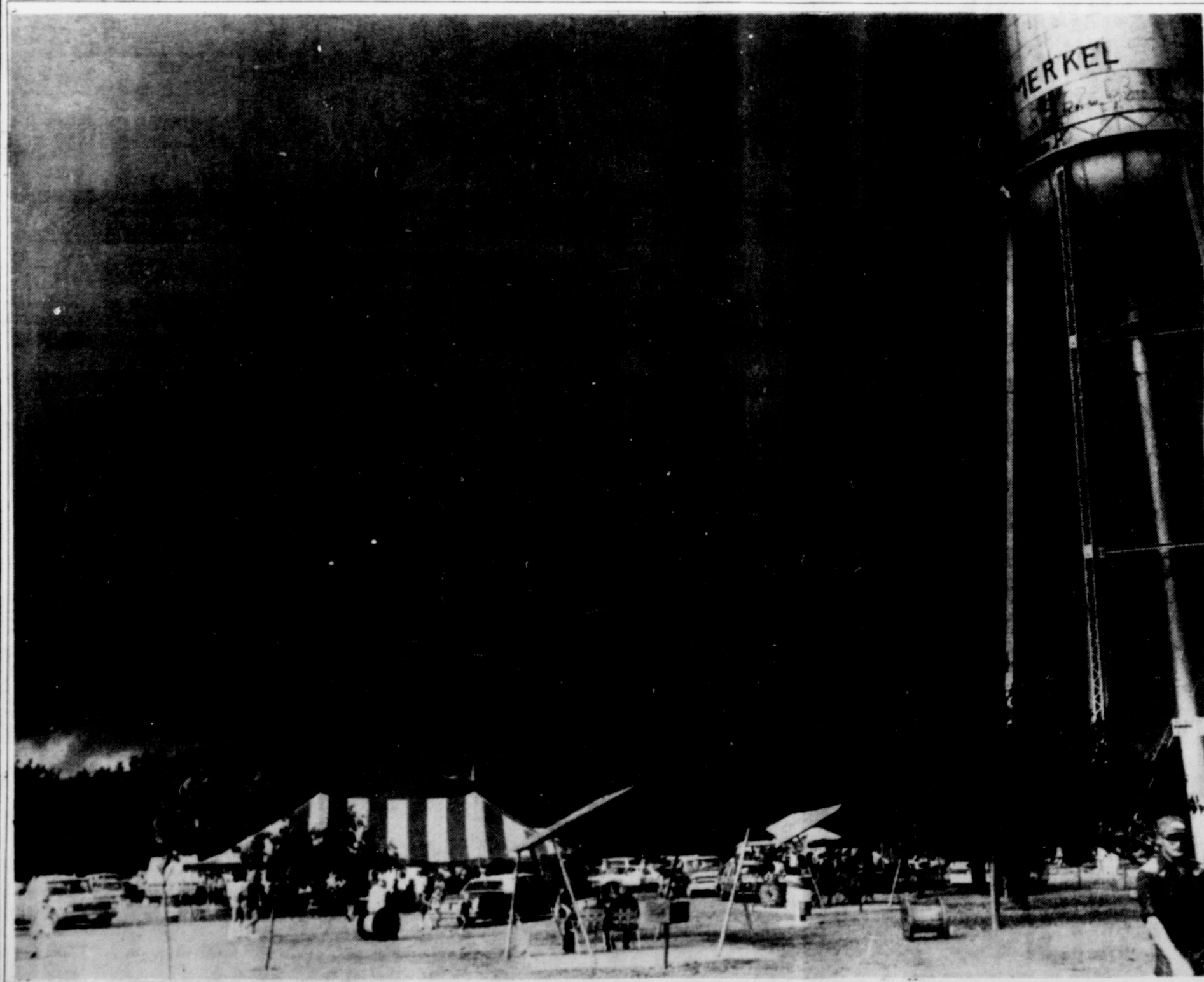


Lana Rogers is enjoying her sno-cone.



Cody Pack, Lorea Lorena Pack, Amber Whisenhunt and Mary Dillon might be scheming.

(All photos by Glenn Richards)



The storm ended Fun Day about five hours early.



Johnny Starbuck addresses the crowd.



# The Classifieds

## FOR SALE

**FOR SALE:** Pump septic tanks and grease traps, C. A. Crouch, 928-439. 15-4tp

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**WANTED TO SELL** on 20 percent commission homemade craft items for my gift shop on I-20 contact Melba Glasscock at 411 Kent or I-20 between Stuckeys and truck stop. 16-1tp

**SURPLUS JEEPS,** cars and trucks available, many sell under \$200.00. Call 312-742-1143 Ext. 8491 for information on how to purchase. 16-4tc (e.o.w.)

**FOR SALE:** 3 lots in Merkel. call 928-5506 after 6. Craig Hutchings. 16-1tc

**NOW AVAILABLE:** Air conditioner pads and pumps and other parts. Hi Val 910 N. 1st 928-5632. 16-1tc

**FOR SALE:** black-eyed peas, squash, and zucchini, fresh picked or pick your own for a discount. call 928-4448 before 8 p.m. or after 9 p.m. 16-1tp

**FOR SALE:** one trailer, 4 x 8, \$250.00, also 19" RCA color TV, \$250.00, small desk \$40. call 928-4755. 16-1tp

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**GARAGE SALES** BIG YARD SALE: Friday only, 1 block north of Trent post office. Wooden window screens, bed spread, curtains, rugs, bathroom shelves, lots of nice clothes sizes 5, 6, 9-10, 20. 16-1tc

**GARAGE SALE:** No. 3 Palmers Circle, From 6 p.m. til 9 p.m. Friday and 7 a.m. til 6 p.m. Saturday. 16-1tp

**GARAGE SALE:** furniture, antiques, small organ, tools, lots of misc. 815 Oak, Thursday, Friday, Saturday. 16-1tp

**GARAGE SALE:** Friday starting at 9 a.m. til 5. Saturday 9 a.m. til ?? Corner of Kent and N. 2nd, old Western Auto Building. Maternity clothes, infant clothes, porta-crib couch, etc. 16-1tp

**COX ESTATE GARAGE SALE:** 212 Cherry, Friday 10th and Saturday 11th, Complete household furnishings, some antiques, electric range, 20 ft. refrigerator, stacked washer and dryer, 2 apartment size gas ranges, small refrigerator, deep freeze, antique cabinets and beds. 16-1tp

**GARAGE & BAKE SALE:** Thursday and Friday, July 9, 10 from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. each day. Typewriter, ping pong table, bicycle, tape deck, carpet, misc. items. Don Hart 1/2 mile north of Merkel, FM 126. 16-1tc

**3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE:** Friday, Saturday, 2 cars, twin bed, assorted furniture, clothing, Trent, 4 blocks west of post office, house on corner 9 a.m. until 6. 16-1tc

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**HELP WANTED HOUSEKEEPER** needed one day a week or 2 half days, must be honest, dependable and own transportation. Ken Elliott, 928-5377. 16-1tc

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**School bus drivers** needed for school year 81-81. Certification classes, August 4-7, 9 a.m. til 3 p.m. Contact Leon Harris, 928-5127 or Mr. Bill Everett, Superintendent, 928-5813. 14-5tc

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**T.V. REPAIR:** Come by 402 Edwards after 5:30, also crocheted toys. 13-4tp

**LAND FOR SALE?** Call Collect-Bill Largent, Farm and Ranch Mgr. at Frances McClure Inc. Realtors, 3157 South 27th Abilene 698-3211, Night 698-2375. 46-TFC

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**REE KITTENS:** call 928-5852. 16-1tp

**CARD OF THANKS** Card of Thanks to all Senior citizens and junior citizens, too, for your many kindnesses, letters and cards I received while in the hospital. Rufus A. Winn 1004 Locust Merkel

16-1tp We would like to thank all the wonderful people who were so kind to us during the loss of our wife and mother. The food, flowers, prayers, and comfort extended to us will always be remembered. The Family of Ruth Coats. 16-1tp

We wish to extend thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindnesses, food, flowers, and all services rendered during the illness and death of our mother, Mary Walker. Beauford Buntin and family, Elouise Burson and family, Stanley Walker. 16-1tp

May God's grace be upon each of you for the many thoughts of kindness and prayers shown to me during these months of my loved one, Garrett Richardson, illness and his going home to be with our Savior he loved. I would not want to miss one of your names and all I can do is say God's Mercy and Endeavors be with each of you is my prayer. Mrs. W.G. Richardson God didn't promise us a journey of life without sorrow or pain, but God promised us, If we believe in him, a safe journey. 16-1tp

There is no way we could ever thank all of our friends and neighbors for your love and thoughtfulness in our time of grief and sorrow. The food, flowers, prayers, cards, and friendship is worth everything. God Bless all of you and I know Jimmy is smiling still for all of us. Thanks again. Dodie, Derrell, Donnie and Danny Riggan. The dishes from all the food are at my beauty shop, 118 Edwards. 16-1tc

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I wish to thank each and everyone of you for your cards, flowers, and all prayers during my stay in the hospital. Thank You. Zetta Harris Arlington 16-1tc

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# Lumberjacks take teenage title

The Merkel Brick and Lumber, Lumberjacks, finished the Texas Teenage Baseball season with a 11-1 record to sew up the junior division championship and a chance to go to the district finals in Snyder, starting July 27th.

The Lumber Jacks, coached by Earl Laird and J.C. Sims, were defeated only once. This loss came at the hands of the Trent Bears. Texas Teen-age Baseball has also notified Bill Sloan, Tri-

City League President that the senior division district championships will be held here in Merkel the latter part of July (27-30th). Sloan said this was quite an honor, considering this is Tri-City's (Merkel-Tye-Hawley and Anson) first year as charter members of Texas Teen-Age Baseball.

The players on the Lumber Jacks are: Tommy Hays, Tim Jacobs, Sean Woodard, David Fuston, Clay Hammond, Milo Har-

ris, Kenny Sims, Billy Richardson, Rodney McKeehan, James Gowins, Jeff Maddox.

## NOTICE

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: WAYNE WELCH, Respondent GREETINGS: YOU YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable 326 District Court, Taylor County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said County in Abilene, Texas at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 20 days from the date of service of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of Janice Riley Brewster and Larry A. Brewster, Petitioner, filed in said Court on the 12th day of June, 1981, against Wayne F. Welch, Respondent, and said suit being numbered 5758-C on the docket of said Court, and entitled "In The Interest of Tammy Jene Welch, a Child", the nature of which suit is a request to Termination and Adoption.

the 14th day of December, 1972, in Breckenridge, Texas.

The Court has the authority in this suit to enter any judgement or decree in the child's interest which will be binding upon you, including the termination of the parent-child relationship and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the child's adoption.

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its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

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Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said Court at Abilene, Texas, this 15th day of June, 1981.

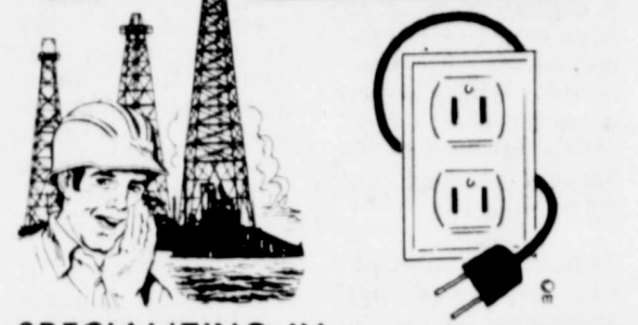
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Mary Danna Russell and Dwain Bennett English were married Saturday at Merkel Church of Christ with Larry Gill officiating. Given in marriage by her father, the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wayne Russell.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett English.

Sheila Kay Sloan was the bride's honor attendant. Bridesmaids were Tammy Hutchings, Sheila Adair and Taresia English of San Angelo sister of the bridegroom.

### Basketball camp set

A basketball camp for boys has been scheduled for July 13, 14, and 15 at the Junior High Gym.

The camp is open to all boys that will enter the fourth grade through the ninth grade.

Hours will be 8 a.m. to 12 and there will be a \$10 fee.

Registration will be at 8 a.m. Monday at the gym and the camp is being run by Clifford Smith.

More information is available from Coach Smith or Eddie Lang.

The bride's parents hosted the reception in the church family center. Parents of the bridegroom hosted the rehearsal dinner at Big Country Inn.

School graduate, the bride is a junior at Abilene Christian University where she is employed.

The Bridegroom, also a Merkel High

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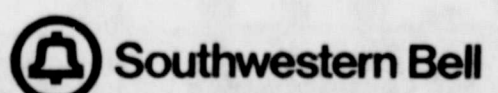
Southwestern Bell, in accordance with the rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, hereby gives notice of the company's intent to implement a new schedule of telephone rates in Texas effective July 21, 1981, unless otherwise determined by the Commission.

It is expected that the requested rate schedule will furnish a 15.8 percent increase in the company's intrastate revenues.

A complete copy of the new rate schedule is on file with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and with each affected municipality served by Southwestern Bell, and is available for inspection in each of the company's public business offices in Texas.

### Notice to Customers of Other Telephone Companies

The filing includes, but is not limited to, proposals to increase rates for interexchange private line and foreign exchange (FX) service. Changes in such rates would also affect customers of other telephone companies because such companies provide interexchange private line and foreign exchange service in accordance with rates specified in Southwestern Bell's tariffs.



### Aviso Público

Southwestern Bell, en conformidad a las reglas del Public Utility Commission (Comisión de Servicios Públicos) de Texas, por la presente hace saber su intención de establecer un nuevo arancel para servicio de teléfono en Texas con vigencia a partir del 21 de Julio de 1981, a menos que la Comisión haga otra determinación.

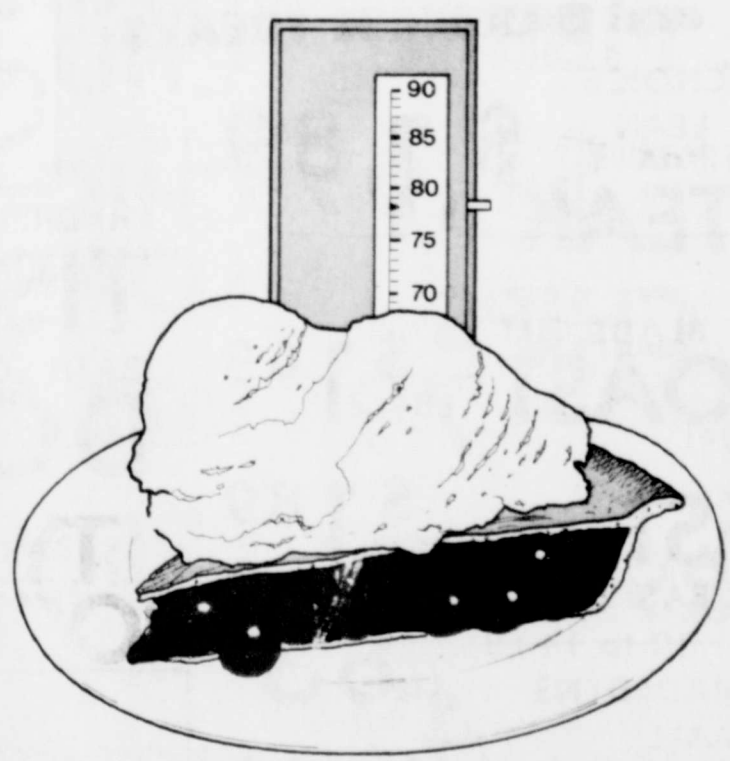
Se espera que el nuevo arancel que se ha solicitado rendirá un aumento de 15.8 por ciento en los ingresos intrastatales de la compañía.

Una copia completa del nuevo arancel se ha archivado en las oficinas del Public Utility Commission en Austin, Texas, al igual que en cada municipalidad afectada y servida por Southwestern Bell, y cada una de las oficinas de la compañía para negocios con el público en Texas tiene una copia para lectura pública.

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