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Local man held without bail...

15 arrested in county drug bust

written by Elaine Schad and Janet Felderhoff

Six months of undercover work and investigation into drug operations in Cooke County paid off Tuesday when 15 people were arrested. The arrests occurred after the Cooke County Grand Jury handed down 38 sealed indictments.

Peter Ronald McCoy, 55, of Muenster is being held without bail in Cooke County Jail. He was indicted for felony delivery of a controlled substance - cocaine. "I filed a motion to hold him without bond because he has a previous felony indictment pending against him," said District Attorney Phil Adams in an interview Wednesday afternoon. There will be a hearing on the motion on Monday, Nov. 25, according to Adams. Also held without bail in Cooke County Jail is Carla Jane Palmer, 26, of Gainesville. She has a felony indictment pending also.

McCoy was targeted through the Muenster Police Department. "They've been very helpful," commented Adams. Muenster Police Chief Helen Tompkins noted that the Muenster officers

had been suspicious of McCoy for some time but hadn't been able to charge him with anything.

Described as the largest undercover drug operation ever in Cooke County, the investigation revolved around an enclosed tin storage shed at the corner of Throckmorton and Rockwall streets in Gainesville. Known on the street as the "Bread Box" or "Bread Barn" it is a place where crack cocaine can be purchased by just driving up to the curb, law enforcement officials say.

"They were dealing it like (it was) a drive-in hamburger stand," said Adams. "There has been a lot of cocaine dealt through there in the last year, and there's not one name on that list who is not known to us as being associated with drugs."

The investigation was initiated about six months ago when Gainesville police investigator Robert Farrell first discovered the operation, Adams said. "We've always needed and wanted an undercover narcotics operation, but it's very difficult to do in a

small community where everyone knows the officers," he said.

The district attorney's office and the Gainesville Police Department requested six months ago that the city and county enter an interlocal agreement with the North Texas Regional Drug Task Force, which has headquarters in Wichita Falls, to help in the operation, Adams said.

Farrell and Don King, investigator for the district attorney's office, led the investigation. "We purposely worked it and let it go on for a time so we could identify all the possible people involved," commented Gainesville Police Chief Carl Dunlap. "Those people (who) were identified as agents made buys from them."

Officers with the Department of Public Safety, the North Texas Regional Drug Task Force, Gainesville and Muenster Police departments, and Cooke County Sheriff's Department spent several hours making arrests Tuesday. Confiscated from the storage building, which was being used as a recreation center, were some gaming tables and a large quantity of alcoholic beverages, Dunlap said.

plan to work the entire county including Muenster and its outlying areas," remarked Phil Adams. "We're not going to drop this, its going to be around next year and the next year and the next. This was just the first, they are still working on other cases. I expect that there will be more indictments in the Spring and I wouldn't be surprised if some were in Muenster or outlying areas."

Those indicted and arrested

"This is just the beginning, we

Mailing begins of CCAD tax statements

by Elaine Schad

The Cooke County Appraisal District began mailing some 80,000 tax statements this week, arriving in county property taxpayer mailboxes more than a month late, officials said.

The statement mailings will be staggered over the next week, said CCAD Chief Appraiser Ross Fry.

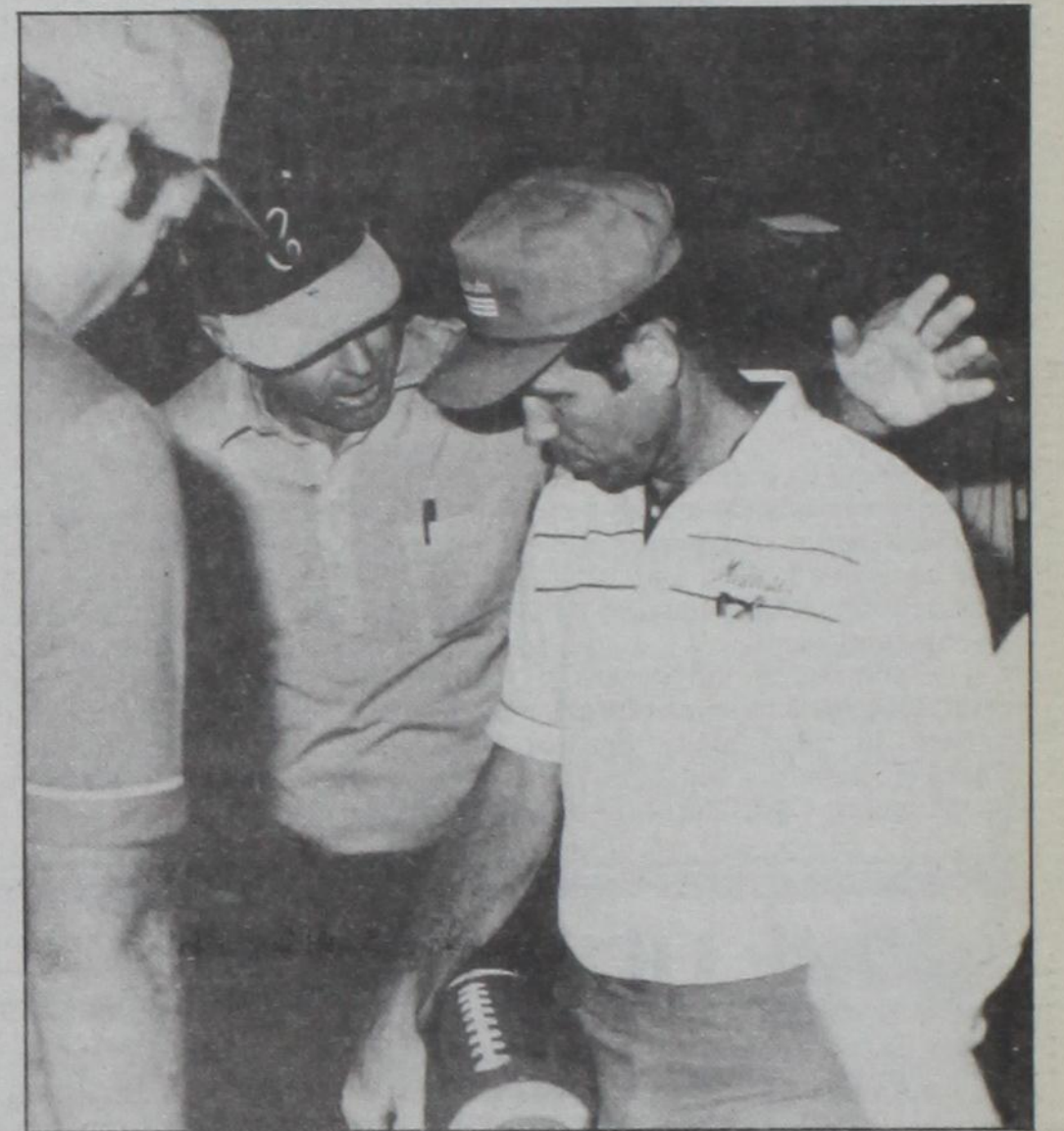
The appraisal district is late in getting the property tax statements out to Cooke County's 14 taxing entities well after the usual Oct. 1 date due to the installation of a new computer system and because of assisting the new Cooke County Education District, said Fry. "There are still several appraisal districts around the state who are behind us," he said. "I know we're not the last ones."

The City of Muenster is in the only taxing entity ahead with tax collections in Cooke County, of-

officials said. Since the city is the only taxing entity in Cooke County to collect its own taxes, statements were mailed by the City of Muenster on Oct. 1, said City Secretary Celine Dittfurth, who said the city's tax collections are well underway with between 40 and 50 percent already collected. All other taxing entities, including the Muenster ISD, have a contract with the CCAD for the collection of property taxes.

Deadline for tax payments without penalty is Feb. 1. The only taxing entity this year granting a discount for early payment of taxes is Cooke County, said Fry. The discount for the month of November will be in effect despite the late mailing of statements, he said.

Once residents receive their statements, they may pay by mail or come by the CCAD office at 200 West California Street.



HORNET HEAD COACH GRADY ROLLER gets the game ball and congratulations from Coolidge Head Coach Jerry Russ after the Hornet playoff victory in Burleson. Read the story in Sports. Dave Fette Photo

Tina ends high school track career 3rd in state

Tina Klement finished her high school cross country running career as "third in the state." State competition took place last Saturday at Southwestern University in Georgetown.

Two young tracksters, Stephanie Duke from Utopia and Tiffany Greiner from Avery, Texas, were Tina's top competitors. Tina stated before the race that they would be real tough competition for her, but that she was worried about Jill Anton who outpaced Tina last year. Tina ran a smart race and outpaced Jill this year, giving her the bronze medal. Stephanie ran a 12:03 2-mile; Tiffany a 12:21; and Tina a 12:38.

The girls' team overall finished 9th in the State out of 12 schools in Class 1-A division. Individual runners were seniors Tina Klement, Amy Dankesreiter and Tonya Knabe; juniors Marlene Hess, Cindy Culp, and Lisa Russell; and freshman Denise Russell.

"We have had a great year in Cross-Country and are proud of all the young ladies. To compete at State level is a great accomplishment," commented the coach. Muenster Cross-Country girls have honored Muenster I.S.D. for the past four years by making it to State; they are a credit to the school and community.

Tina, Amy and Tonya will be



TINA KLEMENT

greatly missed next year, but the coaches are looking forward to a lot of new athletes next year.

Thanks to everyone who helped make this year a success for the cross country team.

Don't Forget Food Drive at MISD on Thursday, Nov. 21

Admission to a staff-student volleyball game in the high school gym at 3 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 21 at Muenster Public School, is a can of food for the needy. The event is sponsored by the Student Council, during National Education Week. Gerri Eckart, sponsor, has contacted local Police Chief Helen Tompkins to distribute the food.

Sweet Shop will be featured at Sacred Heart Picnic Sunday

Always a popular booth at the benefit picnic and bazaar held as a pre-Thanksgiving event for the community on Sunday, Nov. 24 in Sacred Heart Community Center, the Sweet Shop will feature a wonderful variety of baked goods and candies to tempt taste buds for immediate serving or to stash away in a freezer for the coming holidays.

Charlotte Klement is in charge of the Sweet Shop, assisted by Miriam Caplinger and Viola Rohmer. Several high school girls will work in shifts, involving them as parish volunteers. Several of the volunteers are Tina Klement,

Kelley Wimmer, Dalana Walterscheid and Allison Klement.

The Sweet Shop will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 24. This is a convenience for customers who wish to buy, take the items home and return in plenty of time for dinner. The display tables will be located near the main front entrance, on the right as people enter. The cake walk is adjacent.

Charlotte has sent word that all types of baked goods are welcome. There are calls for all kinds of things and there is a demand for Please See SWEET, Page 2

MISD discusses TEA changes, possible effects

by Elaine Schad

Muenster School trustees heard about some of the changes taking place at the statewide level that could eventually impact the Muenster School District during the board's regular November meeting.

Superintendent Steve Cooper discussed some of the pending restructuring of the Texas Education Agency and movements all the way up to the national level to improve education. "We need to be looking at what they're saying because I think this time they're serious," said Cooper.

Major changes have occurred within the past several weeks at the TEA itself, with staff positions being moved to regional service centers to accommodate the local school districts closer to their

localities. Other agencies within the TEA have been combined to cut costs, said Cooper. "It's a grass roots move and it's been a radical restructuring," he said.

With Texas' new education commissioner Skip Meno, there's a move now underway for a more product-oriented educational system, rather than a school having all its paperwork in order, said Cooper. "Businesses and people are starting to say we need people who can come out of school and compete, not who we have to spend a lot of time training," he said. "When a youngster gets out of school, he needs to be able to do things we think are important."

Mr. Cooper feels the Muenster School District will fare well amidst all the changes, with its stable program which has a proven success record in terms of students going on to be very productive citizens. "There will be more accountability, but there will also be more leeway," he said. "There's going to be more emphasis on building areas of critical thinking, being able to solve problems and personal skills such as integrity and personal responsibility."

In a related matter, the board reviewed the district's annual performance report, now called an academic excellence indicator. The report is much more comprehensive than in the past, grouping the Muenster School District with other districts that are within the same comparison category. "We really did very, very well," said Cooper of the report. He added that the Muenster district's scores on mandated state tests are some of the highest in the state.

The public will be invited to view the report and ask questions during a 7:30 p.m. public hearing on Dec. 12, said Cooper.

In other business, school trustees:

-Cast its ballots for Arthur Felderhoff as a representative on the Cooke County Appraisal District board of directors.

-Approved a change in the school calendar. Spring break will be March 11-13, 1992, instead of the later date indicated earlier.

-Approved the textbook committee for 1991-92.

-Approved local policy updates, including a records management policy.

Williamson announces opening of local office

State Representative Ric Williamson (D-Weatherford) announces the opening of his new office at 204 North Main, Suite E in Muenster.

Representative Williamson feels that this new office will aid him in better serving the people in western Cooke County.

During the 72nd Legislative Session, Representative Williamson served as Vice Chairman of the Appropriations Committee and as a member of the Ways and Means Committee. He also serves on various other legislative boards and special committees. He was named "One of the Seven Best" of the 72nd Legislature by the Dallas Morning News and one of the "Ten Best Legislators" of the 72nd Legislature by Texas Monthly.

The Muenster office will be staffed by Mrs. Flossie Schoppa

who lives in the Bulcher Community northwest of Muenster. Mrs. Schoppa has worked for Representative Williamson in various capacities in Cooke County since he went into office in January 1985. She worked as Legislative Aide in the Austin office during the 1987 Legislative Session, and as Appropriations Aide in the Austin office during the 1991 Legislative Session. Mrs. Schoppa will also continue to staff Representative Williamson's Gainesville office at Plaza 82, Suite 5 on East Highway 82 in Gainesville as well as the Wise County office located at the Decatur Chamber of Commerce.

Everyone is encouraged to come by the Muenster office, call at 759-4060, or write to P.O. Box 553, Muenster, Texas, 76252 with any inquiries regarding state government.

Roach family buys Memories

Randy and Sheila Roach have purchased Memories Studio on 1000 E. Division, Hwy. 82, in Muenster and have been operating the business since last week.

Family-owned, the new business has been renamed "Roach Video and Photography" by the members, Randy and Sheila of Myra and his parents, Winston and Nell Roach of Prairie Point. Together, they have a number of years experience in the photography and video business, and recently have photographed several local weddings.

They will offer full studio service, weddings, bridal and engagement portraits, family groups, children, pets, proms, sports, anniversaries, reunions, etc., special events, commercial service and video service.

They have the latest electronic equipment to transfer old 8mm home movie films and 35mm slides, and new and old still photos to VCR tapes.

Randy, Sheila, Winston and Nell invite everyone to come and get acquainted; they promise prices will be reasonable.

Karen Trubenbach, who formerly operated the studio since its beginning in Hillcrest Center, plans to move to Lewisville.



ROACH VIDEO and PHOTOGRAPHY, Muenster's newest business is family owned by, I tor, Sheila, Randy, Nell and Winston Roach.

Janie Hartman Photo

Good News!

It is not that I have reached it yet, or have already finished my course; but I am racing to grasp the prize if possible, since I have been grasped by Christ [Jesus]. Brothers, I do not think of myself as having reached the finish line. I give no thought to what lies behind but push on to what is ahead. My entire attention is on the finish line as I run toward the prize to which God calls me — life on high in Christ Jesus.

PHILIPPIANS 3:12-14

Sales tax rebates are ahead of last year

State Comptroller John Sharp has released the report of the state's payments of November rebate checks to Texas cities and counties: "Local sales tax rebates are running 10.6 percent ahead of total payments this time last year," he said.

Payments of \$16.1 million to 105 counties brought total 1991 payments to \$129 million, a year-to-date increase of 18 percent over last year's totals of \$108.9 million. Cooke County's rebate of \$79,564.29 increased 16.40 percent over last November's \$68,352.39.

Cities in Cooke County can all count an increase in rebate checks with the exception of Muenster and Lindsay. Muenster's check

for \$7,458.16 was a drop of 52.62 percent over last November's \$15,739.83. Lindsay's check totaled \$4,590.86, which was a decrease of 9.97 percent.

Gainesville received \$224,864.68, a 68.90 percent increase. Valley View received \$2,272.63, up 19.71 percent and Oak Ridge claimed a check for \$2,695.24, an increase of 3.86 percent.

This month's payments include taxes collected on September sales and reported in October by businesses filing monthly returns. November's rebates also include taxes reported by businesses filing quarterly returns for sales made in July, August and September.

NOTICE!!!

Deadline for advertising copy and news stories must be moved up one day for next week only, because of Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 28. The Enterprise will be mailed on Wednesday afternoon because the post office will be closed for the holiday. Subscribers on rural routes will receive the paper as usual on Friday. The staff appeals for cooperation since we will be operating on a short week.

Bullock appoints Carriker to environmental committee

AUSTIN - Lt. Governor Bob Bullock announced the appointment of State Senator Steve Carriker (D-Roby) to the Joint Interim Committee on the Environment.

According to Bullock, the committee will study the state's water and wastewater regulation, pollution associated with agricultural production and border environmental issues.

The committee will consist of seven senators and seven representatives. In addition to Senator Carriker, Senators Bill Sims (D-San Angelo), Carl Parker (D-Port

Arthur), Chet Brooks (D-Pasadena), Bob Glasgow (D-Stephenville), Gonzalo Barrientos (D-Austin) and Chris Harris (R-Arlington) will serve on the committee.

"Senator Carriker is one of the hardest working members of the Texas Senate," Bullock said. "I feel certain he will bring that level of dedication to the work of this important interim committee."

Bullock said the committee will issue its formal reports and prepare legislation, if needed, by November 1992.



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A Real Civil Rights Agenda

By Edwin Feulner

The big winners from the latest civil rights package will be the lawyers, who have been handed a new bag of tricks to "prove" discrimination — even when none exists.

More important, the legislation embraced by President Bush will do little to advance true civil rights. Instead, it signals a lamentable lapse in articulating a national civil rights strategy. Too many of the difficulties facing women and minorities in the workforce are still being seen only through the narrow lens of discrimination. The emphasis remains on victimization, instead of finding new ways to expand opportunities.

What is responsible for the extraordinarily high rates of unemployment in our inner cities? Why are there more black men in prison than in college? Despite the claims of the civil rights lobby, institutionalized racism is a mere whisper in a cacophony of economic and social ills.

We need a new vision of civil rights, one based on empowerment — one that gives individuals the ability to choose the conditions under which they work and live. Such a vision would require action on several fronts. Among them:

- * Remove obstacles to entrepreneurs. Economic liberty is a fundamental civil right, and a forgotten one. An array of regulations at every level of government continues to confound entrepreneurs. These regulations — from minimum wage laws to occupational licensing laws — serve more to limit competition than to promote public health and safety.

- * Introduce parental choice in education. The usual victims of America's standard schools are inner-city children — typically from families who cannot afford to buy their way into better schools. The solution is to empower these families as consumers. By giving parents tax credits or vouchers, they could afford to send their kids to schools of their choice — even to private schools — and the poor-quality public schools would be compelled to clean up their act.

- * Make welfare a ladder, not a permanent crutch. The federal government must reduce welfare dependency and reward those who work. Among the key reforms: Expand the earned income tax credit, which supplements the earnings of low-paid workers; make some form of work mandatory for all welfare programs serving the able-bodied; and enact "enterprise zone" legislation, which would reduce tax and regulatory barriers and encourage business investment in the inner city.

Any civil rights agenda must be grounded on these pillars of empowerment. The existing array of federal programs doesn't empower the poor; it empowers bureaucrats and social service "providers" who prosper by managing the lives of others.

Our idea of empowerment, by contrast, is derived from market economics and classical liberalism. That means helping all Americans by expanding opportunities, not redistributing them. It is power, not as control over others, but as the freedom to control one's own affairs — one of the essential ingredients of liberty.

Note: Edwin Feulner is president of The Heritage Foundation, a Washington-based public policy research institute.

In my opinion ...

by Elfreda Fette

Take advantage of the arts - they're for everyone. Don't get short-changed. Taking time to experience any of the performing arts - a symphony, a ballet, or a choral group like the Cooke County Chorale - is like taking a two-hour vacation. And no one deserves a vacation more than people who work long hours day after day in offices, fields, factories and filling stations, schools, stores, cafes and as homemakers ... everyday people. Muenster people. "Us."

The opportunity is within reach, almost at our fingertips, to hear the Cooke County Chorale sing on Sunday, Dec. 1, at 3 p.m. in Sacred Heart Church. Just relax and listen in comfort and ease, enjoy an experience totally satisfying - the only effort needed on our part is simply availing ourselves of the opportunity - simply picking up our feet and going to spend a little time to attend and to listen to one of the greatest musical works of all time - combining the great artistry of the composer Handel, the religious theme of "The Messiah," the lovely season of Christmas, and the totally volunteer contribution of musicians and singers, nine of them from Muenster.

Regional solid waste planning effort underway

The Texoma Council of Governments is coordinating the development of a Regional Solid Waste Plan for the Texoma area. The Plan will recommend future solid waste disposal methods for Cooke, Fannin and Grayson counties and all municipalities in the Region. Completion of the plan is mandated by the Texas Department of Health and will be used by the Health Department to review and approve future solid waste facilities in the region. The Texoma Council of Governments, the 22-member Regional Solid Waste Advisory Committee and the consulting firm of Freese and Nichols, retained to assist in the development of the Plan, have been conducting public meetings and surveys throughout the Region in order to develop the Plan and advise the public of our progress.

Public Information Centers for the Regional Plan have been established at the Bonham,

Denison, Sherman, Howe and Cooke County Public Libraries and contain all of the information presently developed in this planning effort. The most recent addition to the centers is a draft report covering the region's existing solid waste system, future projections of waste quantities and composition and an analysis of the region's long term needs. The Report also analyzed the financial impacts of the newly adopted EPA standards for landfills. These regulations will increase our disposal costs and have already forced two landfills in the region to close. The public is encouraged to review these materials and forward their comments and suggestions to the Texoma Council of Governments. All meetings on this regional issue are open to the public and everyone is invited to attend and participate.

A Texoma Council of Governments' representative will be available to review the status of the plan and receive questions at the following times and locations: Bonham City Hall, November 25, 10:00 a.m.; Sheraton Inn Restaurant, Sherman, November 26, 10:00 a.m.; Gainesville Civic Center, November 27, 10:00 a.m.

For additional information on the Solid Waste Regional Plan, please contact Rick Cisar, Community Development Department, Texoma Council of Governments, 10000 Grayson Drive, Denison, TX 75020, (903) 786-2955.

Dr. Walsh welcomed, Open House on Nov. 22

The public is invited to attend an Open House on Friday, Nov. 22 from 2:30 to 6:30 p.m. in Muenster Memorial Hospital's south wing. Dr. Lawrence J. Walsh will be on hand to meet people in the community and there will be an opportunity to view the remodeling that has just been completed to accommodate office space for several doctors. MMH's Auxiliary is sponsoring the event.

DRUGS

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were charged with felony delivery of a controlled substance-cocaine, except for Herbert Henry Meek, 45, of Gainesville, who was indicted in connection with delivery of marijuana. His bail was set at \$5,000.

The charge (felony delivery of a controlled substance) is a first degree felony and carries a penalty upon conviction of 25 to 99 years in prison. Indicted were: McCoy and Palmer; McKinney Joe Henry, 38; Roy Lee Harris, 63; Brad Battles, 24; David Ray Johnson, 38; Wilbur Lawrence Manuel, 28; Pamela Biggers Davis, 38; Harold Sheppard, 31; Billy Konzer, age unknown; Kenneth Perryman, age unknown; Velma Brown, age unknown; Tereso Manuel Torres, 34; and Mary Nell Stockwell, 33, all of Gainesville.

County Attorney Phil Adams urges citizens who know of illegal drug activity to contact their local police department or to call Crime Stoppers with the information. They will be allowed to remain anonymous. "The information received in this way has been, and will be, passed on to the task force," he said.

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variety. She said the best sellers are Christmas candies, German Sweet Chocolate cakes and various sweet rolls, fruit rolls and jelly rolls. Especially to cater to small children who delight in "shopping," small zip-lock bags will be offered, holding one big cookie or two smaller cookies. All donations are gratefully accepted.

Charlotte, Miriam and Viola request that all foods be covered or wrapped; and that all items be priced by the donor. They said: "Only you know how much time you spent, how much is the approximate cost of ingredients."

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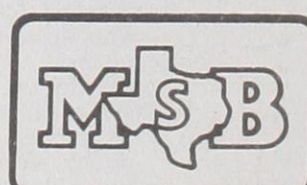
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Lindsay ISD to seek bids on new seven-classroom addition for 1992

by Elaine Schad

The Lindsay School District is expected to seek bids next month for the construction of a seven-classroom addition to the district's middle school, officials said.

School trustees this week reviewed the final architectural drawings submitted by Ted Watson from Norte Architects of Fort Worth of a seven-classroom addition which will be built on the north side of the middle school building that was completed just four years ago in the western Cooke County school district.

The board is expected to authorize bids for the project at its December meeting, officials said. The construction should be completed by the beginning of the 1992-93 school year, said Lindsay Superintendent Gilbert Hermes. The district will build the facility

using reserve funds, he said.

The district leased a portable classroom this year to accommodate additional sixth-grade enrollment until the new facility is built, said Mr. Hermes. The district's enrollment has grown from 350 students in 1987 to about 450, he said.

In other business during their regular November meeting, school trustees:

-Cast the district's votes for Arthur Felderhoff as a representative to the Cooke County Appraisal District board of directors.

-Approved 2 p.m. November 27 as an early dismissal day.

-Decided to discontinue the taxation of automobiles for property tax purposes beginning in 1992. Vehicles will still be taxed for 1991, officials said.

-Signed an inter-local agreement

with the Cooke County Special Education Cooperative.

-Information items included that the district has completed installation of carpet in the entrance area of the gymnasium. Road work has been completed on the parking lot north of the high school. Trustees discussed reworking the football field and plans to move the field to another location. There was some discussion about the possible purchase of land for a future football field site, but no action was taken, officials said.

-Heard a report on the state monitoring visit of the cafeteria. The report indicated that everything was in order, officials said.

Parade deadline extended; Thanksgiving weekend ushers in Christmas season locally

Muenster will sparkle brightly this Christmas season when the "elves" finish their decorating along the streets and in Mid Park. Businesses have been encouraged to have their decorations up by the Thanksgiving weekend also.

With the Christmas parade November 30 at 1 p.m. and the Christkindmarkt, the weekend will be full of Christmas spirit.

Entries for the parade, "Music of Christmas," are still being accepted - just call the Chamber office, 759-2227. Awards of 100 Muenster Marks (\$100) will be made in each of the following categories: President's Award, best theme interpretation, best business entry, and best marching unit.

An award will also be given to a decorated business picked as most outstanding.

Members of the Muenster Public School Band, under the direction of Charlotte Taylor, will entertain in the Mid Park on November 30. The Scouts' manger scene will again be along Highway 82.

Visitors and shoppers should find a pleasant atmosphere and safe shopping in this small friendly town.

Thanksgiving Mass honors health care providers

Sacred Heart Church will have a special Thanksgiving Mass on Thursday, Nov. 28, at the 10:30 a.m. service, honoring all health care providers. This includes doctors, nurses, office personnel, dietary workers, aides, therapists, technicians, administrators and any other persons involved in the health care profession.

Sacred Heart would like to extend a special welcome to any former or retired health care providers that may be visiting here or are currently residing in Muenster. Also persons associated with Home Hospice and rest homes or any other health care facility are welcome. A special place will be reserved at church for those being honored.

Muenster nears United Way goal

Muenster needs \$954 more in United Way donations to reach the goal of \$11,000. "We're a little short, but there are still a few envelopes out," said Celine Dittfurth, Muenster coordinator.

If anyone still has an envelope out and would like to donate they can bring it by City Hall or call 759-2536 and someone will pick up the donation. Mrs. Dittfurth also would like to inform anyone who may have lost or misplaced their donation card that they can write a check and they will still be credited.

The donations come back to Muenster and are used to support the many local youth programs such as Scouts, Campfire, Little League, Swim lessons, etc.

United Way also helps to support VISTO in Cooke County. The organization will provide help to families with emergency situations. Cooke County residents can go there for help with utility bills and there is also a food bank.

Handel's "Messiah" to be performed Dec. 1 in Muenster

On Sunday, Dec. 1, 1991, at 3 p.m., the Cooke County Chorale will present selections from Handel's "Messiah." The first performance will be held at Sacred Heart Church of Muenster. A second performance will occur on Dec. 5 at the First Methodist Church of Gainesville, starting at 7:30 p.m.

Handel's "Messiah" is one of the most enduring of all sacred works. It was composed by Handel in three parts, based on various books of the Bible and was first performed in Dublin, Ireland in 1741. The oratorio is in three parts; however, the Cooke County Chorale will perform only the first part, which is known as the Christmas section. Their presentation will be in the baroque style of

interpretation which is in contrast to the usual Romantic interpretation.

The Chorale is under the direction of Dr. Larry Linder, currently music director at the Cooke County College. Admission is free and we urge all to attend, said Dr. Martin Kralicke, president of the Cooke County Chorale.

Services held for Carlene Bost Howard

Carlene Bost Howard, born Sept. 13, 1925 in Lawton, Oklahoma, died Nov. 3, 1991 at Oklahoma City after a lengthy illness. Services were at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 6, 1991, at Vondel L. Smith and Son Mortuary in Oklahoma City. Interment was at Sunny Lane Cemetery in Del City, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Howard was a member of the Church of Christ. In her early childhood, she lived with her family in the Bulcher Community and attended Valley Creek School.

She is survived by her mother, Stella Kidd Bost; a son, Ronald Howard; a daughter, Glynna Howard; a sister, Sara Rhodes; and grandsons, Ronald Brian Howard and Travis Shane Howard, all of Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Howard was preceded in death by her father, William Ervin Bost, and a son, Clifford Wayne Howard.

Cousins Jessie Kidd of Saint Jo and Flossie Kidd Schoppa of the Bulcher Community attended the funeral.

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November 29, 30 and December 1

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NET ministers to Muenster's youth

by Emily Klement
Another visit from the National Evangelization Team has been completed this past week, marking the fourth time the Catholic evangelistic group has blessed Muenster with their Gospel message. Twelve young men and women from across the United

States gave retreats and a rally for Junior High through High School. The team comes from national headquarters in St. Paul, Minnesota, but their native homes were from Canada, Lubbock, TX;

South Dakota; Ohio, New York City, New Mexico; Oregon, Washington - and even Muenster, Texas! Our own Ricky Walterscheid ministered with this team and the youth of Muenster were touched by his leadership, testimony, honesty and most of all, his love for Jesus.



NATIONAL EVANGELIZATION TEAM (NET) members ministering to Muenster youth were, 1 to r, front row - Ricky, Muenster, TX; Sandy, Portland, OR; John, Seattle, WA; Cathy, Fayetteville, AR; middle row - Barbara, New York, NY; John, Albuquerque, NM; Deanna, Cleveland, OH; Dan, Ontario, Canada; back row - Ron, Ontario, Canada; Bernie, South Dakota; Louis, Lubbock, TX; Anita, Minnesota.

On Tuesday, Nov. 12, the junior high students were given a rally at the Sacred Heart Community Center from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. The CCD Twilight Retreat was held Wednesday, Nov. 13 from 5:00 until 10:00 p.m. A delicious lasagna supper was served by the mothers of the students and by the Sacred Heart Social Activities members. Thursday, Nov. 14 was Sacred Heart High School's event at the KC Hall, beginning with 8:00 Mass and ending with prayer ministry at 3:00 p.m. The mothers of the students provided breakfast, snacks and drinks. Chas and Carolyn Bayer again made wonderful doughnuts for the whole crew. Serving the students throughout the day were teachers from Sacred Heart.

Over 230 youth were touched by the NET message - that God loves them and sent His Son to save them. They also emphasized the need for a Christ-centered life and community in order to make it in this tough world. Their dramas, talks, music and sharing will certainly stay in our hearts forever. Through their visit, a lot of love and hope was brought to many youth, as well as to teachers, adults, and sponsors who attended the events. The host families who cared for the NET during their stay deserve a lot of thanks, but they shared that their families were touched by God's love through their guests as well.

A lot of prayer and community effort went into the visit, but it was well worth it. We are grateful to so many - may God bless everyone!

Lifestyle



LINDA LOU RAUDMAN COWLEY and Kevin Leon Felderhoff announce their wedding engagement. The couple plans a double-ring ceremony in Canterbury Methodist Chapel in Birmingham, Alabama on Nov. 29, 1991 at 7 p.m. The bride is the daughter of Elmer Augustus Raudman Jr. and the late Dorothy Margaret Raudman, natives of Connelville, Pennsylvania. Linda is employed as a Financial Officer at the University of Alabama at Birmingham. The groom is the son of Betty and Henry Felderhoff of Muenster. Kevin is a graduate of Muenster High School and also Southwest Texas State University with a Bachelor of Science degree. He is employed by Butler Manufacturing as a Welding Foreman in Birmingham, Alabama.

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Beta Kappa members tour mammography suite at hospital

Kay Bynum, radiology department director of Muenster Memorial Hospital, presented a program to members of Beta Kappa on Nov. 11. She showed a video, gave a tour of the mammography suite, and stressed the importance of yearly physicals, mammograms, and monthly breast self exams.

After hearing a request from the social concerns committee it was decided to donate money to a local family in need of financial assistance. A donation was also made to help defray the cost of having the National Evangelization Team come to Muenster.

In other business: members volunteered time to assist with taking Littlest Angel applications at the Cooke County Courthouse on Friday, Nov. 15.

President Dolores Miller announced that the Annual Christmas party would be on Saturday, Dec. 7 in the home of Billie and Jerry Fleitman.

Bindel baby and mother are honored

Little Stephanie Bindel and her mother, Deane Bindel, of Denton, were honored with a baby shower on Sunday, Nov. 17, in the Ben and Tina Bindel home in Muenster.

Hostesses were sisters-in-law, Tina Bindel, Lisa Bindel of Wichita Falls, Cindy Dennis of Houston and Phyllis Garcia of Lewisville.

Games were played and gifts displayed. The hostesses presented a stroller to the new baby. Punch and cake were served.

Special guests were Stephanie's aunt, Wendi Wasson, and a cousin, Sherri Meyer, and Grandma Ida Bindel. The maternal grandmother, Flick Meyer, was unable to attend due to other commitments.

Diane Cravens, a cousin from Whitesboro, brought her 3-month-old twins, Brandi and Bradley, to get acquainted with the relatives. Brian Bindel visited friends and picked up his wife and baby daughter after the shower.

MPS students visit Zelda and her calf

Muenster Elementary K-3 students were delighted with a visitor from the Southwest Dairy Center, Sulphur Springs, Texas. Wayne Setzler brought "Zelda" and her baby calf in the Mobile Dairy Classroom. The 36-foot-long trailer opened on the passenger side so the children could see "Zelda" and her baby while learning about the six different kinds of dairy breeds, the anatomy of the cow, statistics regarding the cow's weight, feed and milk production.

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MMH Auxiliary to meet Dec. 5, invites prospective members

There will be a meeting of the Muenster Memorial Hospital Auxiliary on Thursday, Dec. 5 at 7:30 p.m. in the hospital administrator's office. A short meeting will be held to elect officers for the 1992 year. It will be followed by a Christmas social with refreshments. Members are encouraged to bring a friend.

"If you're not a member, now is the time to join," said Peggy Grewing, vice president. "The dues are \$6 and you get the opportunity to listen to many informative programs and help the hospital as well."

Silent Auction offers some new features

The popular Silent Auction, one of the features of the pre-Thanksgiving benefit event sponsored by Sacred Heart Parish on Sunday, Nov. 24, is accepting donations every day this week to swell the already sizable collection to be displayed in the booth in the Community Center.

Some items are too large and will be displayed outdoors. One of the most recent is a 10x12-foot storage building constructed and donated by JAW Construction Co. Another is a 1979 Oldsmobile and another is a collection of unset gemstones.

For more information, contact Debbie Hess at 759-2890, or Monica Hess at 795-4254, or Wilfred Bindel at 759-2729.

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VFW Ladies sponsor 'In Lieu of Christmas Cards' Dec. 20

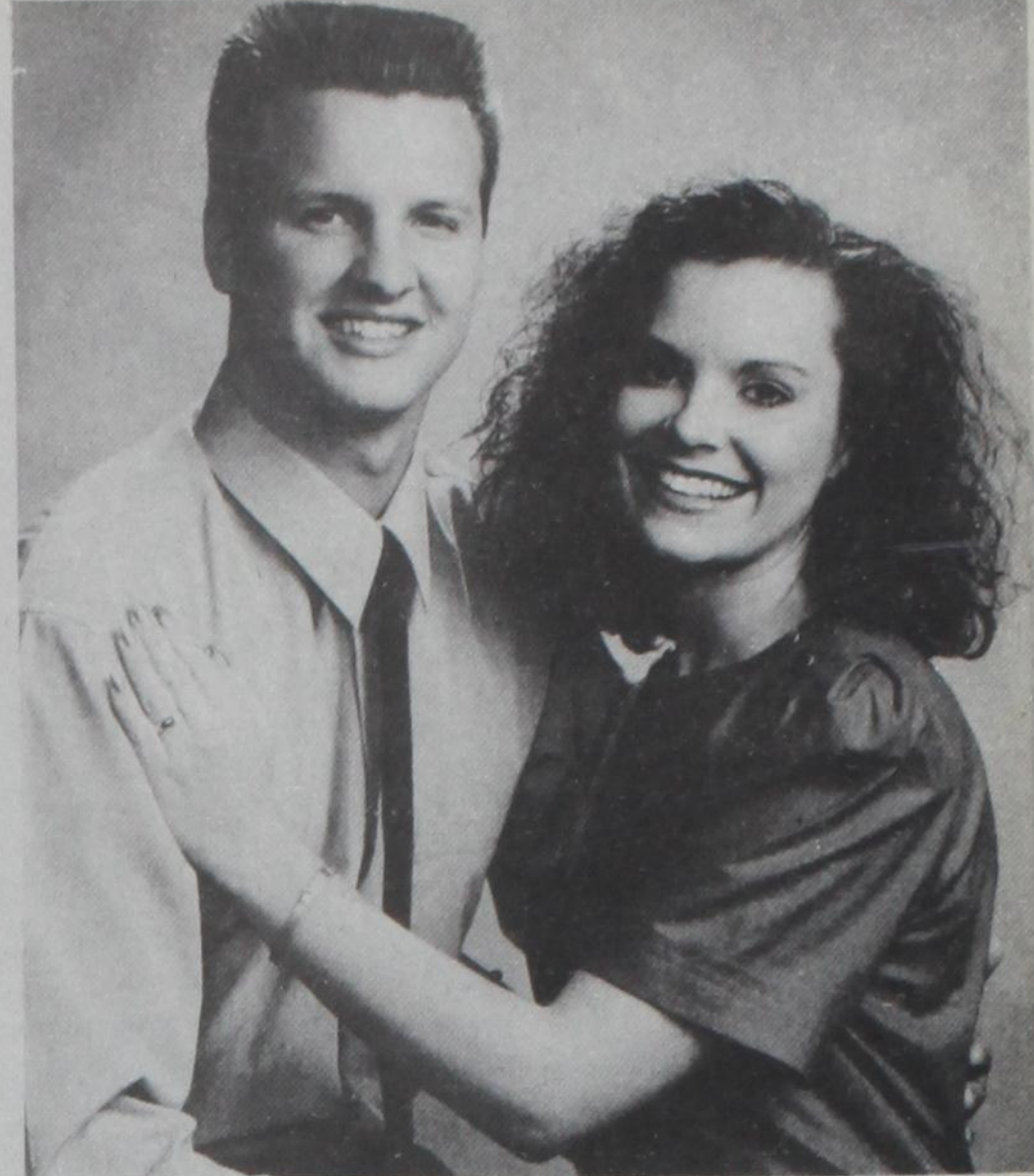
The VFW Ladies Auxiliary to Post 6205 invites everyone to participate in their fundraiser, "In Lieu of Christmas Cards." The project, which has been sponsored by the Auxiliary for a number of years, allows participants to send greetings to friends, neighbors and relatives via an ad which is published in **The Muenster Enterprise**. The monetary donation is put into a special relief fund and is eventually used locally in helping those in the community who are in need, through illness or misfortune.

Sponsors are suggesting a minimum of \$5.00 per family and/or household but hope that participants will let the donation reflect the amount usually spent on

Christmas cards and postage, considering also the time saved during this busy time of the year.

Anyone wishing to participate in this 'caring' and 'sharing' program is urged to send the donations along with the name as it should appear in the ad.

It is very important to please write clearly. Deadline for "In Lieu of Christmas Cards" is Dec. 13, since the publishing date of **The Muenster Enterprise** for Christmas is Dec. 20. Please remember the deadline and send your information and donation to the chairman: Juanita Knabe, 520 N. Walnut, Muenster, TX 76252, or Julia Cunningham, 221 N. Hickory, Muenster, TX 76252, or give to Frances Bayer.



THE ENGAGEMENT and approaching marriage of Lee Angela Ivy and James Daryl Hellman have been announced by parents of the bride-elect, Ken and Betty Ivy of Aubrey. Parents of the future-groom are Jimmy and Nancy Hellman. The wedding will be held on Dec. 28, 1991 at 7 p.m. in Midway Baptist Church of Aubrey, officiated by Brother Bob Smith. Attendants will be Teresa Baker, Tiffany Morgan, Angela Millican, Tia Foster, Karla Santana, James Hellman, David Hellman, Jason Hicks, Lanny Sanders and Vaughn Whittle. The bride-elect is a 1988 graduate of Aubrey High School and will be a graduate of Texas Woman's University in Denton in December 1991. The future-groom is a 1989 graduate of Aubrey High School and is attending the University of North Texas in Denton. He is employed by Starlight Signs of Denton. The couple will reside in Aubrey.

Mood set for excitement, joy

At 6:30 a.m. Friday Nov. 15, 1991 Herbert and Dolores Miller were phoned by their son, Bert of San Antonio, advising them of the certainty of the birth of their eighth grandchild to occur sometime that day. Ryan Matthew Miller arrived at Methodist Hospital of San Antonio at 9:25 a.m., Nov. 15, 1991, weighing 5 lb. 15.8 oz. and measuring 19 inches in length.

Present with Ryan's parents, Debi and Bert Miller, were Debi's parents, Carl and Norma Anderson, first time grandparents, and another family member, D. Scott Anderson, first time uncle and videographer. The other Grandma and Grandpa, Dolores and Herbert Miller, arrived in San Antonio shortly thereafter to greet their new grandson.

Ryan's middle name, Matthew, is also his paternal grandfather's middle name and was the first name of his great-great-grandfather, Matthew Müller.

Ryan's great-grandparents are as follows, to wit: Maternal great-grandparents for the first time are Willie and Mary Anna Simpson of Mico, Texas on Medina Lake, and Paternal great-grandfather, Theo Miller of Muenster.

On their return trip to Muenster, Herbert and Dolores Miller stopped in Waco to see two grandsons Aaron and Neil Berres play football for the Sacred Heart Tigers. Other cousins welcoming Ryan and looking forward to his first trip to Muenster planned for Christmas are Dana, Kristen and Lisa Miller, and Troy and Jessica Berres.

Veterans remembered Nov. 11

Muenster Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 6205 and its Ladies Auxiliary held short services for its local veterans in observance of Veterans Day on Nov. 11.

The Veterans Day remembrances began with a Mass in Sacred Heart Church for all living and deceased veterans. A group of 35 or more then gathered in the Veterans plot of Sacred Heart Cemetery.

Auxiliary President Frances Bayer placed a memorial wreath at the Veterans monument. Auxiliary Chaplain Ethel Hesse and VFW Representative Arthur Bayer led the group in prayers in honor of living and deceased veterans and in remembrance of all POWs and MIAs that they might be returned home safely.

Mrs. Bayer then read the poem "I'm An American Citizen", to which she added new verses concerning the Desert Storm conflict. She then led the group in singing a verse of "Amazing Grace." Linda Knabe, Auxiliary conductress, conducted the services.

Hartmans get around

Joe Felderhoff, Theresa Mae and Sylvan Walterscheid, Joanie and Alvin Hartman spent the weekend of Nov. 8 at Subiaco, Arkansas, visiting Chris Pagel at the Academy. It was Parents Weekend and they enjoyed seeing Chris play on the Trojan football team on Friday. On Saturday, all drove to Eureka Springs for the day and, on Sunday, attended a special parent-son Mass and lunch. Also at Subiaco for the weekend were

Wilfred Koelzer, Mrs. Loretta Felderhoff and James, Mrs. Judy Hoberer and daughter of Lindsay and Rex Simmons of Denton.

Monica LeBrasseur and Joanie Hartman visited recently with K.D. and Eddie Stock and children, Dale, Anne and Kelley. K.D.'s mother died suddenly a month ago and the Stock family has moved to her mother's house to care for their 102-year-old grandmother. Their new address is 3129 Ruidoso, Dallas, TX 75228.

Bobby and Sharlene Hartman and daughters Shannon and Dainah, accompanied by Alvin and Joanie Hartman, spent the weekend of Nov. 8 at Subiaco, Arkansas, visiting Chris Pagel at the Academy. It was Parents Weekend and they enjoyed seeing Chris play on the Trojan football team on Friday. On Saturday, all drove to Eureka Springs for the day and, on Sunday, attended a special parent-son Mass and lunch. Also at Subiaco for the weekend were

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Friends and family enjoyed the sunny afternoon in the park and were treated with ice cream and a special cake made by Aunt Rose. The cake had icing clowns, balloons and included a small train track with a wind-up train. After cake and ice cream were served, gifts were opened and games were played including volleyball for the moms and dads.

Attending were the honoree's sister, Jessica; grandparents Tom and Barbara Felderhoff and Rose Bezner; and great-grandma Augusta Walterscheid. Aunts, uncles and cousins attending were Tom, Becky (Nicholas' godmother), Emily, Danny, and Diana Felderhoff; Bill, Kathy, Keri, Brad, Chelsea, Jenna Felderhoff; John, Rose, Jaclynn, Darell Henscheid; Lisa Bezner; Darell, Sandra, Aaron, Kevin Walterscheid; Bruce and Jillian Bezner; Dan Bezner (Nicholas' godfather); Pat, Tammy, Sabrina, Kyle Bezner; Jeff, Diane, Scott and Elizabeth Neu.

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A WIDE ARRAY of beautiful handmade items is being assembled for the "Christmas Magic" booth at the Community Center pre-Thanksgiving parish benefit Sunday, Nov. 24. Displayed for this photo are, 1 to r, a dressed-up, lace-and-ribbon-decorated dust pan with magnets for household notes; a tall snowman with top hat; a table centerpiece with candles on wooden holders. In foreground are clown ornaments, wreaths, baskets, door knob decorations and snowflakes. Each day brings more and more to swell the collection. *Janie Hartman Photo*

Holiday ideas presented at Extension program

by Evelyn Yeatts, County Extension Agent
Celebrate the Seasons with Good Food and Angels is the theme of a special holiday program planned for Monday evening, Nov. 25. The holiday program is planned as a mini-course at Cooke County College from 7 to 9 p.m. Kay England, Regional Home Service Advisor with TU Electric, will present a Holiday Foods slide

presentation. She will then share packing ideas for holiday food gifts. Participants will receive a Celebrate the Seasons calendar with food recipes shown in the slide presentation. At the close of the program, several holiday foods will be sampled by participants.

Angels, Angels and More Angels will be the remainder of the program. It will be presented by Evelyn Yeatts, County Extension Agent, and Phyllis Aston, owner of The Sewing Center. They will show and tell how to make a large variety of angels for use in holiday decorating as well as throughout the year.

Angels shown will be made from fabric, kite string, old quilts, old pillow cases or dresser scarves, paper sacks, etc.

Directions for several will be distributed. The program will be given in Room 1504 of the new Vocational Building at Cooke County College. Pre-registering, by calling Cooke County College Continuing Education at 668-7731, Ext. 272, is preferred. If you do not do this, come early to the program to register. There is a \$4 charge for participation to cover expenses.

If you enjoy good food and new recipes as well as holiday decorating ideas, plan to participate.

Forestburg hosts supper on Nov. 21

Everyone is invited to attend the Forestburg Community Thanksgiving Supper November 21 at the Community Center in Forestburg. Serving will start at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is asked to bring a vegetable dish and a dessert. There is no charge. This is just a time for visiting, good food and a thankful heart.

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NOTICE!
Muenster Public School will dismiss for the Thanksgiving holidays on Nov. 27, 1991 at 2:30 p.m. Classes will resume on Dec. 2, 1991 at 8 a.m.

Homemakers meet at Electric Co-Op

Members of the Muenster Extension Homemakers met at the Electric Co-Op meeting room on Wednesday, Nov. 13, with Jaci Bilderback as hostess. She read the inspirational, "Take Time."

President Lucille Lutkenhaus conducted the meeting and Dorothy Fisher gave council reports, and also told about the arts and crafts concession being a big success held

the previous week. Dec. 11 was set as the club's Christmas dinner party at the Co-Op building, starting at 11 a.m. Each member brings a covered dish and a gift for exchange.

The County Christmas party for members and husbands will be at the Whaley United Methodist Church at 6 p.m. with a catered meal. A charge of \$4.00 per person should be sent in to the club president no later than Friday, Dec. 6.

Six members volunteered to help at the boys' State School Christmas Party in Gatesville on Dec. 16 from 2 to 4 p.m.

Evelyn Yeatts gave a program on "Family Happiness." Each member was given a short inspirational message to read aloud.

The hostess served a salad plate, mints and coffee to 16 members and guest Evelyn Yeatts. The refreshment table was covered with a Thanksgiving cloth and matching napkins.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

MUESTER ISD MENU
November 25-29
Mon. - LUNCH: Tacos (meat and cheese), baked beans, lettuce, fruit, milk. BREAKFAST: Donuts, juice, milk.
Tues. - LUNCH: Turkey & Dressing, sweet potatoes, green beans, rolls, milk. BREAKFAST: Grilled Ham & Cheese Sandwich, juice, milk.
Wed. - LUNCH: Sausage on a Bun, French fries, fruit, cake, milk. BREAKFAST: Pancakes, juice, milk.
Thur. - NO SCHOOL!
Fri. - NO SCHOOL!

vegetarian beans, lettuce, tomatoes, cake, bread, milk.
Thur. - NO SCHOOL!
Fri. - NO SCHOOL!

SACRED HEART SCHOOL
November 25-29
Mon. - Taco Salad w/ Ground Beef, lettuce, tomatoes, ranch style beans, fruit, milk.
Tues. - Stew w/ Vegetables, cole slaw, peaches, cornbread, butter, syrup, milk.
Wed. - Mexican Casserole,

LINDSAY SCHOOL MENU
November 25-29
Mon. - Deli Sandwiches (Ham & Cheese), lettuce, pickles, potato salad, baked beans, peaches, milk.
Tues. - Enchilada Casserole, cabbage slaw, fruited gelatin, batterbread, assorted fruit, bread, milk.
Wed. - Hamburgers, trimmings, French fries, ice cream, milk.
Thur. - NO SCHOOL!
Fri. - NO SCHOOL!

FORESTBURG MENU
November 25-29
Mon. - LUNCH: Fish, potato salad, pork and beans, cole slaw, fruit cocktail, bread, milk. BREAKFAST: Cereal, juice, milk.
Tues. - LUNCH: Meat Loaf, creamed potatoes, blackeyed peas, corn, baked apples, bread, milk. BREAKFAST: Donuts, juice, milk.
Wed. - LUNCH: Sandwiches, lettuce, tomatoes, chips, peaches, milk. BREAKFAST: Biscuit & Gravy w/ Sausage, juice, milk.
Thur. - NO SCHOOL!
Fri. - NO SCHOOL!

ERA ISD LUNCH MENU
November 25-29
Mon. - Corny Dogs, curly fries, pork and beans, pickle spears, pudding, milk.
Tues. - Spaghetti & Meat Sauce, tossed salad, corn, garlic toast, applesauce cake, milk.
Wed. - Hamburgers, trimmings, onion rings, pinto beans, ice cream, milk.
Thur. - NO SCHOOL!
Fri. - NO SCHOOL!

PARENTS ASK by Gwen Trubenbach
Question: My child studies for tests and seems to really know the information. Yet, his test scores are always low. What can I do to help?

Answer: If the child really knows the information he may be freezing up on test day. Good students often say little pep talks to themselves, "I've studied the vocabulary words, I know the formulas, etc., I had a good night's rest and a great breakfast. I'll do well."

When they get the test paper, they follow a pretty set routine. 1) Listen carefully to any directions the teacher gives, making notes of any special directions. 2) Read the directions for each section of the test - ask questions to clarify anything they don't understand. 3) Look over the entire test. 4) Answer the easiest questions first. 5) Skip any questions that they are unsure of - come back to it later. That way if time runs out, they have a better chance for a good grade. 6) Check over the work - Be sure every question is answered. Caution, never change on answer unless you spend as much time formulating the answer the second time - too often students impulsively change a correct answer.

If students find themselves getting tense or scared it often helps to put their pen down, close their eyes, take a couple of deep breaths and start again. Essay questions often give students a lot of trouble. It helps to remember that an essay answer is really just a group of sentences. If there are three points to be made, three sentences may be all that is needed. The process of elimination helps when answering multiple choice questions. When there are three choices, eliminate one of the choices. Choose one of the two possibilities left and there is a 50/50 chance of getting the question correct.

Clover Kids have meeting
The Muenster 4-H Clover Kids held their first meeting Tuesday, Nov. 12 at 6:00 p.m. in the Sacred Heart Kindergarten room. The meeting began with a welcoming activity to acquaint members followed by an "I'm Thumb-body Special" art activity in which members used colored thumbprints to create unique pictures and designs. After sharing artwork, members helped clean up and had refreshments. Present were members Joseph and Andy Davis, Micah and Mackenzie Webster, and Laura Drachenberg; leaders Laneta Martin, Teresa Webster, Christy Hesse and Jerry Sicking; volunteer Yvonne Martin; and parent Gail Drachenberg. Muenster Clover Kids Club is a new organization for children ages kindergarten through second grade designed to introduce youngsters to 4-H through fun, hands-on activities and to build self perceptions. Members are encouraged to participate in other 4-H activities such as cooking and showing animals, but there is no competition at this level. Parents are always welcome at the meetings. Clover Kids plan to meet the second and fourth Tuesday of the month from 6:00 to 7:00 in the Sacred Heart kindergarten room. If one is interested, please contact Jerry Sicking at 759-4388, Laneta Martin at 759-4650, or Christy Hesse at 759-4034. The next meeting is Nov. 26.

CDA prepares goody bags on Dec. 2

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas will hold their monthly meeting on Monday, Dec. 2, at 7:30 p.m. in the KC Hall. The members will prepare Christmas goody bags for the elderly and shut-ins.

Era Honor Roll

- 2nd Six Weeks
Grade 6 - Marsha Fortenberry, Zeb Hardy.
Grade 7 - Erin Alphin, Leslie Ford.
Grade 8 - Jennifer Bullard, Patrick Cannon, Dennis Turner.
Grade 9 - Bob Richardson, Shane Willis.
Grade 10 - Jim Morris, William Turner.
Grade 11 - Gayle Lange.
Grade 12 - Clint Alphin, Jeremiah Bentley.

NOTICE!

The Muenster Quarterback Club will participate in Christkindmarkt Days on Main Street by sponsoring a bake sale for much-needed athletic equipment for all sports at MISD, on Saturday, Nov. 30, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

NOTICE!

The VFW Ladies Auxiliary is accepting donations of unwrapped new items for Christmas gifting to the residents at Denton State School. A basket will be available at the Ben Franklin Store for placement of the items and Agnes Hesse, the chairman, will also accept the gift items at Muenster Building Center or at her residence, 1051 N. Cedar.

Suggested items are soaps, bath oils, shampoo, lotions, makeup, gloves, stocking caps, socks, hosiery, etc. Everyone in the community is invited to participate.

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Hornets buzz Yellowjackets in Bi-District Battle of the Bees Muenster advances to Area

The Muenster Hornets took a 21-6 Bi-District victory over the Coolidge Yellowjackets last Friday night in Burleson. Coolidge was the District 18 runner-up. Coach Grady Roller credits his defense for winning the game. "The front seven shut down their running game, keeping pressure on their quarterback all night," commented Roller. "They also sacked five times."

Muenster got the ball four times in the first half, scoring in the first drive and starting deep inside the 15 the other three possessions. "Jason Biffle did a good job kicking us out of the hole," said Roller. Runs by Mike Vogel and Ryan Sicking, including a 29-yard gain by Vogel took the ball to the 7-yard line. Muenster scored after quarterback Mike Gobble handed off to Vogel who took it through the line for 6 points. Vogel also added the extra points and the Hornets took an 8-0 lead with 5:25 on the clock.

A short kick allowed Coolidge to begin their first drive on their 38-yard line. After a successful 21-yard run, Muenster's defense stiffened, forcing the punt. The Hornets were unable to move the ball on their second series, but they did stop the Yellowjackets in three plays, assisted by a quarterback sack by Kenneth Walterscheid and Mike Hacker.

The Hornets' offense sputtered as the second quarter began and was forced to punt. Beginning at midfield, Coolidge failed to hit pay dirt on a series of 14 plays. They were forced to give up the ball on 4th down, only 8 yards from the end zone. Muenster held on to the ball as the stadium clock ticked toward all zeros.

After halftime, the playing seemed to get more serious. Coolidge slowly moved downfield, assisted by a roughing the kicker, automatic first down penalty. Tony Perryman earned a quarterback sack that drive. To avoid a shut out, Coolidge scored early in the third quarter with a 44-yard pass completion. An unsuccessful extra point run closed the scoring gap to 8-6.

Doug Hennigan was on the receiving end of the kick, bringing the Muenster fans to their feet as he scampered back 85 yards for a touchdown. The extra point pass was knocked down by the Yellowjackets and the Hornets took a 14-6 lead with 8:28 on the clock. "When they kicked and we returned, that broke their back," said Roller. "They never played as good after that."

Coolidge again was unable to move the ball and Muenster began its next drive on its own 25-yard line. Runs by Mike Vogel, Ryan Sicking, and Rodney Vogel racked up more yardage to midfield before punting the ball over to the Yellowjackets.

Coolidge's attempt to move downfield was assisted by a pass interference call, but halted when Ryan Sicking picked off a pass on the Coolidge 44. Muenster's next play was fumbled and Coolidge again had the ball. A fired up Muenster defense caused another fumble and a Yellowjacket was caught by Charlie Luttmir for a 28-yard loss.

On 4th and 35, a high snap over the punter's head let the Hornets reach him in the end zone. The punter mistakenly attempted to run the ball out and was caught on the 2-yard line. A penalty put

Muenster on the 7. On 1st and goal, Vogel carried the ball in for a touchdown. Gobble slapped the frosting on the cake with his extra point kick with 10:54 remaining in the game for a 21-6 score.

Muenster's defense continued to thoroughly dominate the Yellowjackets as members, including Kenneth Walterscheid, took turns terrorizing the Coolidge backfield.

A sack of Gobble and several penalties stalled Muenster's next drive, punting the ball over to the Coolidge 20. The Yellowjackets moved the ball as if they were up to something their final drive, but they were stopped when Darren Bindel picked off a pass at midfield. After that the scoreboard stopped clicking leaving only the 21-6 score.

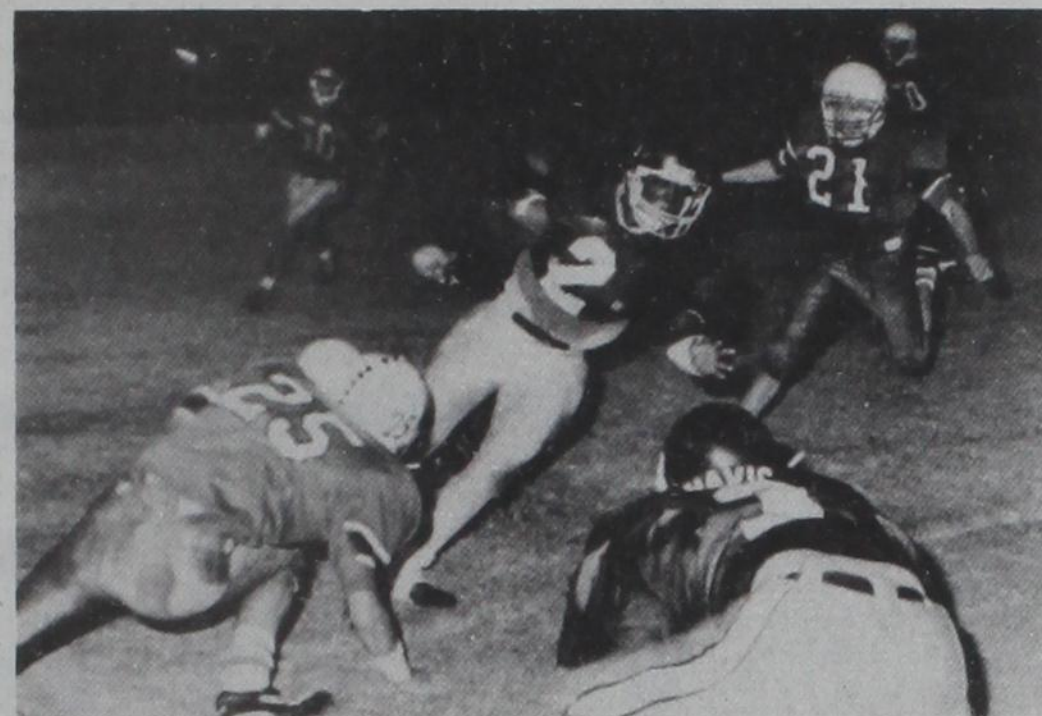
Coach Roller continued to brag on the Hornets' defense. "The secondary played their best game of the year, picking up key plays

year. Blue Ridge earned a District Championship by defeating Celeste, Gunter, Fannindel, Prosper and Savoy.

Muenster and Blue Ridge will meet Friday night at Clark Stadium in Plano. Hornet fans need to park in the west parking lot. All spectators with passes will have to go through the pass gate at the northwest end of the stadium.

"We'll be drowned in the big stadium," commented the Muenster Coach. "But it should get the excitement level of the boys up." The field is not grass, but artificial turf, a first for a Muenster team. "This time of the year it's better. Grass takes away what the team can do and with the rain, we would be talking mud," said Roller. "Turf is definitely better." Muenster practiced on the turf earlier this week and Blue Ridge hasn't played on it, so the odds are even.

Game time is 8:00 p.m., with



DARREN BINDEL (25 and Kenneth Walterscheid surround Coolidge runner, Odis Williams. Dave Fette Photo

and knocking down key passes." The Muenster defense smothered Coolidge, allowing just 51 yards on the ground. Mike Hacker and Kenneth Walterscheid are credited to two quarterback sacks each with Tony Perryman catching the man in the backfield once. Ryan Sicking and Darren Bindel each picked off a Coolidge pass.

Mike Vogel was the leading rusher, gaining 101 yards in 19 carries. Ryan Sicking picked up 41 in 9 attempts. "The offense had too many penalties," said Roller. "You can't continue - the penalties hurt worse as you play tougher teams. We have to cut out the mistakes."

"The players had a good attitude, were very excited and are looking forward to this week," commented the coach.

Muenster will play the Blue Ridge Tigers, who also advanced after defeating James Bowie 28-17. The Tigers' season record now stands at 10-0, while the Hornets are 8-1-1.

In comparing Blue Ridge to Coolidge, Coach Roller said they don't throw as much, but they run more. Their defense is sound, but not as quick as Coolidge. The Tigers lost only one starter from last season's 6-4 finish. Players to watch include backs Lone Blevins, 5'10", 190 lbs., honorable mention All-State and Steven Richardson, 5'9", 175 lbs.; and defensive tackle Jody Sadler, 6'1", 210 pounds. Eight team members earned All-District honors last

the ticket booths opening at 7:00 p.m. No spectators will be allowed on the sidelines during playoff games. Admission is \$4.00 adults, and \$3.00 for students.

To get to Clark Field, take Highway 75 to Plano. Turn right on Spring Creek exit, follow Spring Creek to the lights.

Statistics submitted by Nick Walterscheid

Muenster	Coolidge
9	11
38/154	34/51
0	92
154	143
0/2/0	6/13/2
4/34	4/29
4/1	3/0
12/84	3/15

TPWD, Corps sign Ray Roberts pact

AUSTIN - Hunters and other outdoor enthusiasts will have access to public hunting lands in North Central Texas well into the next century with the signing of a 25-year agreement between the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

The agreement will allow the department to manage lands associated with the Ray Roberts Lake Project and to provide public hunting and other types of outdoor recreational opportunities, said Jim Dillard, wildlife biologist from Mineral Wells.

Ray Roberts Lake Wildlife Management Area, part of the TPWD's Type II Public Hunting Lands Program, has been open to public hunting the past three years. Dillard said the area has become one of the state's most popular waterfowl and small game hunting areas.

TPWD will manage 41,130 acres, including the lake, and will be responsible for wildlife and habitat management. Ongoing habitat enhancement projects include construction and development of wetlands for waterfowl; farming of food plots for waterfowl and upland game birds and mammals; development and management of a native prairie area; and management of nongame wildlife resources found on the area, he said.

Ray Roberts Lake WMA is between Sanger and Pilot Point in Denton, Cooke and Grayson counties. The Corps of Engineers purchased more than 46,000 acres on the watershed of the Elm Fork of the Trinity River to construct the lake, which holds about 29,350 surface acres at conservation pool level. Extensive state park facilities being developed will be administered by the TPWD.

Public hunting is available in areas designated for hunting to individuals possessing a valid Type II hunting permit. Yellow boundary signs have been posted around the property. Hunting is permitted annually from Sept. 1 through the end of February for Type II permit holders. Public access for outdoor recreational activities other than hunting is permitted to the entire area and requires no Type II permit.



RODNEY VOGEL (40) leads blocking for Mike Vogel.

Lady Hornets off to a good start, 1st game is victorious

Muenster's varsity girls' basketball team began action Tuesday night when they hosted Collinsville and took a 72-27 victory. "The girls were hot from the start, they were up 12-0 before Collinsville even scored," said Coach Brian Strother. "The girls played hard and played well for the first game," DaLana Walterscheid and Amy Otto scored 8 points each in the first quarter as the Lady Hornets took a 20-6 lead. "We kept the same pressure up in the second quarter with a lot of steals," continued Strother. The team is credited for 27 steals in the game.

Muenster spread the ball around, with seven different players scoring, shooting 51 percent from the field in the first half for a 39-17 score.

The second half was much the same as the first with Theresa Kubis hitting 8 of 12 shots the half. Kubis was the leading rebounder with seven and also had seven steals. Muenster outscored Collinsville 15-5 and 18-5 the third and fourth quarters.

Eleven Hornettes scored with Amy Otto leading with 16 points. DaLana Walterscheid added 13 and Theresa Kubis 12. "Our bench played really well. Collinsville was very young but all of our girls played well," said Strother. "I was very pleased with our play in the first game."

The girls play at Paradise Saturday, Nov. 23 and in Petrolia on Tuesday, Nov. 26.

A tie on the tiebreaker?

Neil Huchton and Bubba Swirczynski tied in week 11 of the Football Contest, both correctly choosing 21 games and both missing the tiebreaker score by only 1 point. Chris Stoffels finished second with 21 correct games and a 4-point spread on the Muenster game. Also with 21 games and their tiebreaker difference were: Bonnie Stoffels, 9 points; Nick Stoffels, 17; and Henry Kessler, 20 points.

Weekly winners picked up their cash at Rohmer's Restaurant, last week's tiebreaker sponsor. Picking 20 games were Tim Bindel, Lester Dickerson, Mickey Haverkamp and Mark Klement. Ten entries had 19 right with 10 choosing 18 games. The low score was 14. The Bi-District game between Holliday and Jacksboro ended in a 7-7 tie with Holliday advancing on penetrations.

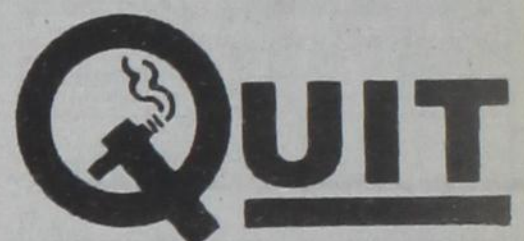
Forty-one forms were entered this week with everyone picking Washington, Hallettsville, McKinney and Italy, except for one who forgot to mark a winner. There was only one miss on the Texas and A&M games, while 5 missed Muenster's and Bryson's Bi-District wins. Six contestants

had the wrong pick in the Blue Ridge and Alvord wins. Nineteen stuck with the Cowboys and were stuck with a loss.

The most missed game was Texas Tech's win over Baylor, Nocona's loss and Miami's win over #1 Florida.

As the playoffs continue, Bonnie Stoffels remains in the lead for the season's winnings with a .7449% score. Nick Stoffels follows in second place with .740 while J.B. Gray dropped to third place at .733. Mike Stoffels moved up to fourth with a percentage of .728, followed by Chris Stoffels at .724. Edna Hermes is sixth in line at .715 with Bubba Swirczynski right behind with a .713, and Neil Huchton at .707. Carrying a .703 percentage are Terry Walterscheid, Hznry Kessler and Duane Haverkamp. Thirty-two out of a total of 86 contestants remain in the running for the season's prize money.

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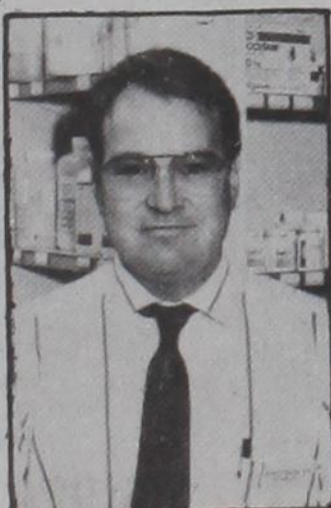
How much weight does a smoker gain on quitting? An average of four pounds, says a new study by the Office of Smoking and Health at the U.S. Centers for Disease Control in Rockville, Maryland.

Mosquitos transmit malaria through their bite. A study in West Africa noted a drop in malaria deaths when people used netting dipped in insecticide to keep mosquitos away from their beds.

FDA approval is expected soon for sumatriptan, a new kind of drug to provide fast relief from severe headaches. Injectable chemical affects the brain receptors said to be responsible for migraines.

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Hallettsville bumps Tigers from playoffs

The Sacred Heart Tigers advanced to Bi-District competition last week and were handed a 48-0 defeat by a strong, undefeated Sacred Heart of Hallettsville team. "It was a disappointing loss the way it all turned out," said Coach John Nasche. "We allowed too many big plays. You can't take too much from Hallettsville, they're the best team we played all year."

Hallettsville moved the ball into Tiger territory their first drive, but a fumbled ball, covered by Kelly Bell, temporarily stopped the threat on the Muenster 11-yard line. The Tigers' first offensive play backed the ball to the 6. After an unsuccessful screen play, Nasche chose to quick kick on third down. Rodney Haas returned the ball 32 yards for an Indian touchdown. The extra point kick was good and with two minutes off the clock Hallettsville led 7-0.

The Tigers began their second drive on their 30-yard line. But the second play was fumbled and Hallettsville got the ball on the 28. The Indians took just one play, a Rodney Haas run around the left, and they increased their lead to 13-0 with 9:13 left on the clock. The PAT kick was wide.

next play the Indians scored again. A good kick made the score 42-0 with 10:13 remaining in the game.

The Tigers' next drive ended after three plays, but a covered fumble by Barry Hess gave the ball right back to Muenster on the Indians' 37. A run by Nasche gave the Tigers a first down at the 26, but again it was three plays and punt.

From midfield, four plays was all it took and Hallettsville scored their last points of the night. With 2:10 remaining in the game, the score now read 48-0. The Tigers played out the remaining time as the game ended.

Stevan Nasche was the Tigers' leading rusher with 57 yards in 16 carries. Chris Hess added nine and Trent Trubenbach three. Jason Hess and Neil Berres were caught for loss of yardage.

"We've taken a lot of bumps, bruises and hardships throughout the season, this was a learning year," commented Nasche.

The coach hopes to improve in future years and looks forward to next season and the move back to 1-A. "We will definitely miss our seniors, who played their hearts out the entire season," continued the coach. "This shows a lot about senior character, they never leaned over or gave up. They



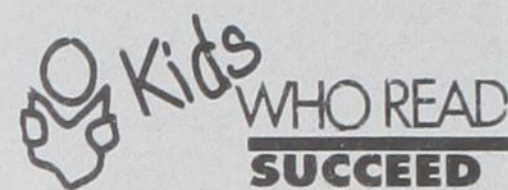
KELLY BAYER (56) tackles an Indian runner. Jordon Bayer (65) assists.

Dave Fette Photo

played hard for all the games." Senior team members were Kelly Bell, Mark Flusche, Jason Frost, Scot Hennigan, Chris Hess, Gary Hess, Greg Hess and Stevan Nasche. The Tigers ended the season 1-9-1.

Sacred Heart		Sacred Heart (Hallettsville)	
5	First Downs	17	
40/45	Rushes/Yds.	36/216	
0	Passing Yds.	34	
0/2/0	Comp./Att./Int.	1/5/0	
6/26	Punts/Avg.	1/49	
6/4	Fumbles/Lost	3/2	
9/97	Penalties/Yds.	9/100	

Statistics submitted by Alvin Hartman



CHRIS HESS drags a defending Indian for a first down.

Dave Fette Photo

Muenster again couldn't gain any ground their next drive, punting the ball to Hallettsville. The Tigers' defense, led by Werner Becker, Scott Hennigan, Greg Hess and Chris Hess, stopped the Indians on four plays and the Tigers regained possession. Hess picked up 8 yards on first down, but three unsuccessful plays gave the ball back to the opponents on their 29-yard line. The Indians ran the ball into the second quarter to the Tigers' 20-yard line. Defense by the Tigers and a fumbled play gave Hallettsville the option to attempt a field goal. The kick failed and the Tigers took the ball on the 20. Hallettsville defense caught Muenster for an 18-yard loss, so a quick kick on 3rd down was attempted. The kick was blocked in the end zone and covered by Chris Shimek for six points. The PAT kick went wide and with 10:37 on the clock the scoreboard read 19-0.

The Indians booted the ball to the 8-yard line and on first down, Chris Hess was caught in the end zone for a safety. The score was 21-0.

Chris Hess punted the ball, with the Indians returning to the Tigers' 40-yard line. Eleven plays later Hallettsville again hit pay dirt. The PAT counted and with 3:56 on the clock the Indians had a 28-0 lead.

Muenster started the next drive on their 20-yard line. Two runs by Stevan Nasche took the ball out to the 39. After losing 5 yards on two runs, Nasche broke free for an 18-yard gain to the Indians' 35, but a fumbled ball stopped the drive. Hallettsville used up the remaining time.

The Tigers' first drive of the second half was ended after four plays by a fumbled ball, giving the Indians a first down on the Tigers' 17-yard line. Muenster's defense stopped the drive on the 8. After three runs, Hess booted the ball out of the end zone to the 30. A dead ball foul gave Hallettsville a first down and three plays later the Indians were again in the end zone. The extra point went through the uprights and with 5:05 on the clock, Hallettsville took a 35-0 lead.

The Tigers' next drive was assisted by a 15-yard personal foul and a 10-yard holding penalty, moving the ball to midfield. A personal and delay flag against the Tigers moved the ball back into Muenster's territory. A 4th down and 23 run failed to get the needed yardage and Hallettsville again had the ball. Two consecutive flags on the Indians set them back 25 yards. Unable to gain it back the ball was punted on fourth down. The Tigers' fumbled the kick return on the 7-yard line and the



THE GAME IS ON

Muenster vs. Blue Ridge

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Friday, Nov. 22, 8:00 p.m.
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Hornets	Opponents
36	19
39	0
24	0
44	0
8	0
14	0
8	8
32	0
28	0
21	6
	6
	19

- Sept. 6, Callisburg, T, 8:00
- Sept. 13, S & S, H, 8:00
- Sept. 20, Bryson, H, 8:00
- Sept. 27, Gunter, T, 8:00
- Oct. 4, Nocona, H, 7:30
- *Oct. 11, Collinsville, H, 7:30
- *Oct. 18, Lindsay, T, 7:30
- *Oct. 25, Saint Jo (Parents' Night), H, 7:30
- *Nov. 1, Era, T, 7:30
- Nov. 15, Coolidge, Bi-District
- Nov. 22, Blue Ridge, Area



Stevan Nasche sidesteps on a run which gained a first down. Blocker is Werner Becker.

Sacred Heart Tigers

TAPPS DISTRICT 4AA RUNNER-UP

Season Record 1-9-1

Tigers	Opponents
22	22
6	15
14	40
0	6
6	16
8	36
0	27
15	23
12	6
8	30
0	48

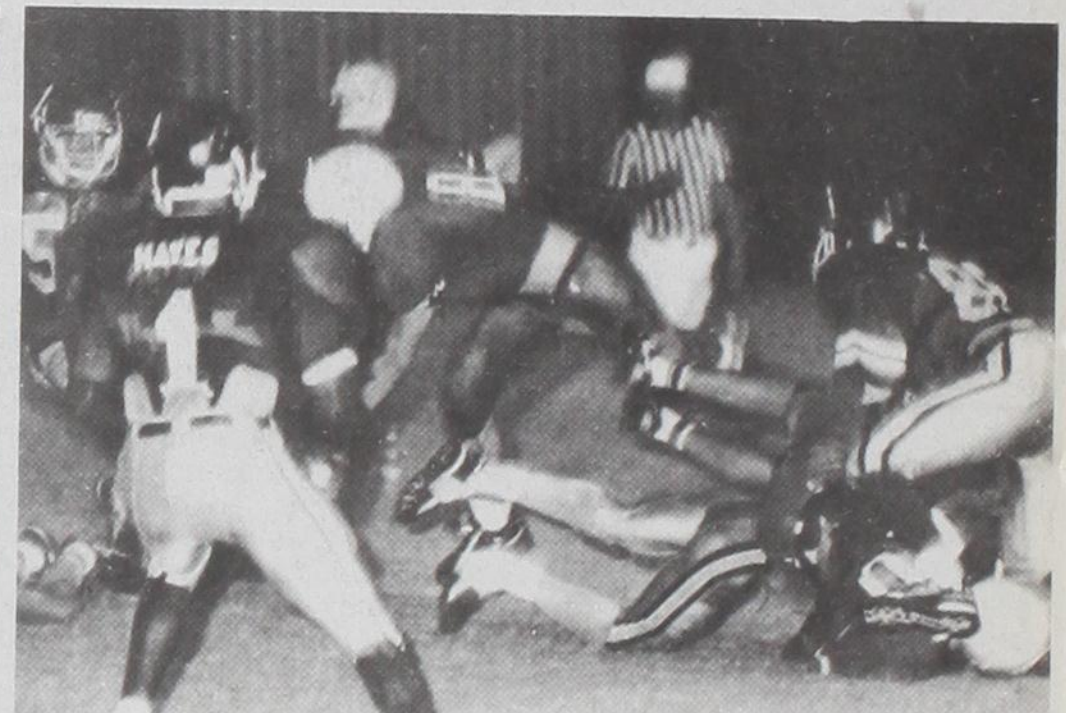
- Sept. 6, Era, T, 8:00
- Sept. 13, Windthorst, T, 8:00
- Sept. 20, Collinsville, H, 8:00
- Sept. 27, Saint Jo, H, 8:00
- Oct. 5, Lindsay, H, 6:00
- Oct. 11, Cistercian, T, 7:30
- Oct. 18, Lexington Academy, H, 7:30
- Oct. 25, Tyler Street Christian, T, 7:30
- *Nov. 1, Notre Dame, T, 7:30
- *Nov. 8, Lubbock Christian, H, 7:30
- Nov. 16, SH Hallettsville, Bi-District



Jason Biffle gets a good punt from deep in Hornet territory.



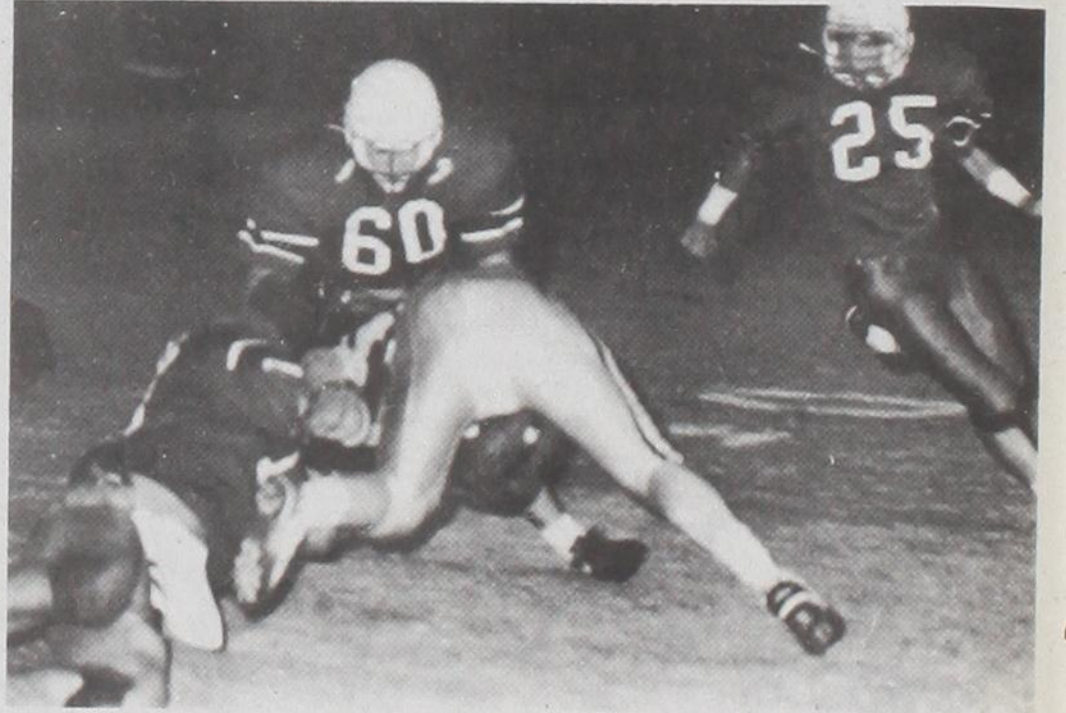
Neil Berres breaks open on a run against the Indians.



Ryan Sicking hurdles defenders for a 5-yard gain.



Mark Flusche is the defending Tiger back on this Hallettsville incomplete pass.



Jason Biffle, Chris Kubis and Darren Bindel gang up on a Coolidge runner.

Tiger defense holds the Indians for no gain on 4th down and 1 to take the ball.

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Nasche keeps for a first down.



Hornet defense denied a Yellow Jacket TD for four downs near the goal line and got the ball.

Paw Prints: What Thanksgiving Means to Me

Thanksgiving in my eyes
by Bernice Bartel

The Thanksgiving holiday to many people brings different ideas and feelings to mind. I have my own personal feelings about the holiday. Thanksgiving to me is not only turkey and dressing and a big meal, it's a time for a family gathering and thanking God for his many blessings.

Thanksgiving in our family has always been a special day. Mother and the girls cook and bake all day. The rest of the family visits and talks about different topics. When dinner is ready, we all gather around the table to eat; but before we eat, Daddy says a special prayer and each person tells what they are most thankful for. Thanksgiving is so special to me because it brings our family together again, in one house, at least for a while just like when we were growing up. It is great what spirit a holiday can bring to a household. Throughout the holiday, I am really able to see God's blessings each time I look at my parents, sisters, brothers, brothers-in-law, my niece and nephew. Thank God for Thanksgiving Day!

What Thanksgiving means to me
by Lisa Schilling

Thanksgiving is a very special holiday in the United States. This is a special day set aside for people to give thanks for the many blessings in their lives. Thanksgiving is usually a family day celebrated with big dinners and joyous

reunions. Thanksgiving, to me, is a very special holiday when my family spends time together. During this time, we share a meal and catch up on what is going on in each other's lives. This is a very special occasion since I do not get to see them very often. Being with them helps me to realize how many blessings that I do have in my life. It helps me reflect on how thankful I am that God has granted me with a loving family filled with care, goodness and compassion.

The friends in my life have also proved to be a blessing in that they are with me through the good times and through the struggles in my life. I am thankful for all of the many gifts which God has bestowed upon me.

The meaning of Thanksgiving
by Jason Frost

Thanksgiving is a time of the year in which everybody is thankful for what they have. To me, it is a time to give thanks for all God has given me.

When I think of Thanksgiving, I also think of the leaves falling off the trees, and all the cold weather that usually occurs around Thanksgiving. Thanksgiving is also a time of the year in which I do a lot of deer hunting. On Thanksgiving day, all of my relatives go to my grandma's house and eat a big Thanksgiving dinner. The dinner usually consists of turkey and dressing, ham, cranberry sauce, and pumpkin pie. All of the food is usually not

eaten, so the families take the leftovers home and eat them for a week or so. Thanksgiving is the last holiday until Christmas. Thanksgiving is a fun time of the year for me and my family.

What is Thanksgiving to you?
by Rhonda Jo Vagher

What do you think when you hear the question "What is Thanksgiving?" What do you think about? Several people were asked that question.

After asking the people the same question I decided to ask myself the question. "Thanksgiving to me is where you give thanks to God, and everyone that made it possible for me to eat food, not at just this time of year, but all year around. And time that my families can see or even just talk to each other. And make plans to see each other sometime in the near future."

I ask one thing of you, to ask yourself what is Thanksgiving to you? You might find out something about yourself you did not know, I did.

What Thanksgiving means to me
by Cindy Schilling

When I think of Thanksgiving I begin to think of all the wonderful feelings the holiday brings to my family and me. I start to think of when all of my relatives and family come together for the event. I really like it because my oldest sister comes home and I get to talk to and see her and catch each other up on some of the things

that have gone on while she has been away.

Thanksgiving brings to mind all of the great things I have in my life. For instance, I am thankful for my family, friends, relatives and my boyfriend. I realize that without them I would not be who I am today. I realize all of the good things in my life that I have often taken for granted. Thanksgiving is not only a time for gathering and eating turkey, but also for taking the time out and "thanking" God for not only what I have in my life but also what God has given to all the world in general. I really think that most of the time Thanksgiving is the only time people take time out to "give thanks" for all our blessings.

Thanksgiving
by Chris Hess

The big day is getting close: it is time to start getting ready. The families are starting to get their turkeys and other food ready for the big meal.

To some people, Thanksgiving is just a day that all the families get together and eat turkey, dressing, and pumpkin pie. To other people, it is a day for being thankful for all the gifts that God has given them.

There are many gifts which God has given us that we do not think about or even give thanks for. This special day is to give thanks for all of God's gifts, whether they are large or small. Among the many gifts to be thankful for is

our country, our freedom, our families, and our friends.

As you may see, there are many gifts that go without being appreciated. So this year, do not forget to thank God for all the gifts He has given us.

What Thanksgiving means to me
by Cheramie Moster

Thanksgiving is a special day for families to have a reunion and be together. Traditionally, a large turkey dinner with dressing, cranberry sauce, mashed potatoes, and pumpkin pies are served. Because we are so happy to be with the people we love, sometimes we forget the real meaning of this holiday. This is a day to thank our God and Holy

Father for all the blessings he has bestowed on us in the past year.

There are many things I am thankful for, like a warm bed to sleep in every night, plenty of food to eat, clothing and shelter. I am also thankful for the sunrises and sunsets that make each day and night so beautiful, fresh morning dews, evenings at the lake when the stars are so clear, and warm sunny days to go barefoot. Most of all, I am thankful for all of my friends, my best friend, Eric, and my loving family who have supported me and been good to me. I am very thankful for all the warmth and love given by each of these people to me unconditionally.

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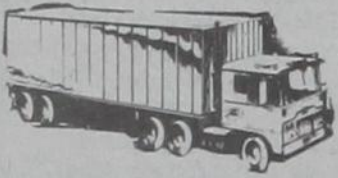
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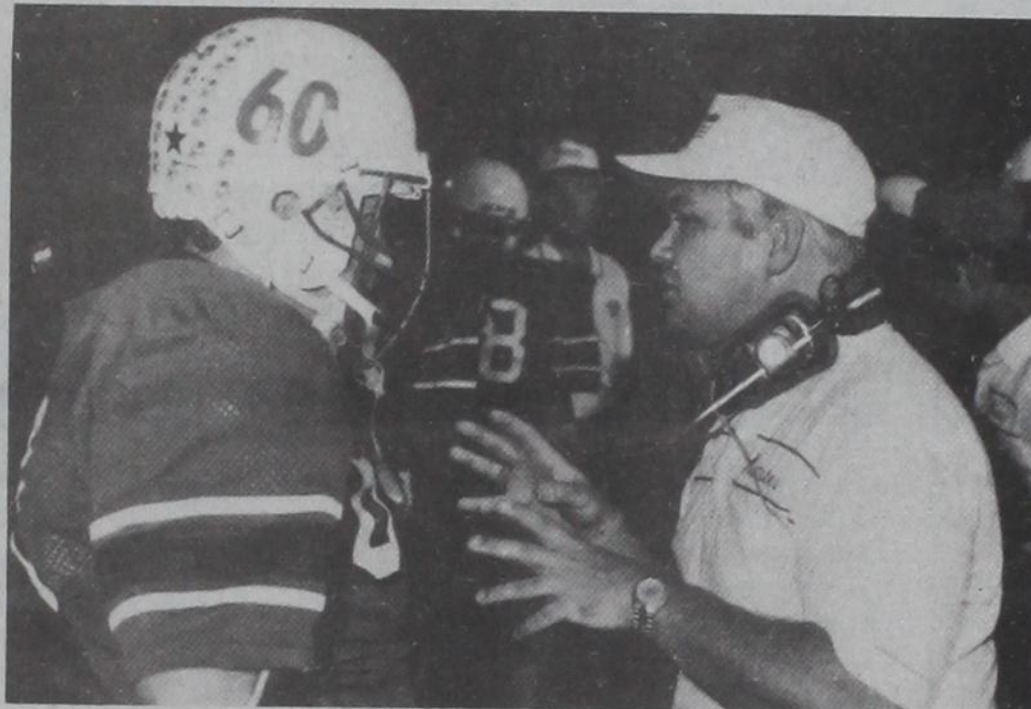
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Latest technology employed by Bob Vogels to increase production of top cows

by Janet Felderhoff

Bob and Eileen Vogel have had more demand in recent years for steer calves from their best mother cows than they can fill. Their solution is to employ the latest scientific method. On Thursday, Oct. 31 Dr. Sam Dunlap took embryos from two cows and transferred them to recipient cows.

The two donor cows selected are Vogel's top producers, No. 78 and No. 11. The champion Chianina cross calf in the 1990 Houston Livestock Show was the offspring of No. 78. Number 11 produced the champion steer in Young County in 1991.

"She (No. 78) had two very good steer calves and then her last three calves have all been heifers," said Bob. "If I get even one steer from her this will all be worthwhile. That's why we're doing this."

Embryo transfer is by no means a simple procedure. Although the recovery and transfer of the embryo can be done in one day, the planning and preparation begins months before the actual event.

Top producing cows are selected as donors. To ensure the highest rate of success special care should be taken in selecting recipient cows. Fertility is important to consider. If a cow didn't become pregnant after an adequate period of time she shouldn't be used because there may be fertility problems.

"Recipient management is extremely important," said Dunlap. "The way they have been fed up and the selection for fertility that has been done in the past are factors. If you bought a group of

cows from the sale barn that you didn't know the history on and put eggs in them you might get 30 percent pregnancies. They might be hard breeders that people sold just to get rid of. Whereas in a group of cows like Mr. Vogel's, he's kept the fertile ones and got rid of the others. You're left with the cream of the crop."

Also very important to increasing the success rate is the nutritional management of both donors and recipients. It is recommended that the cows should be fed a diet that ensures maximum reproduction efficiency for at least 60 days before the program is started.

Bob selected 19 cows as potential recipients. "I don't want to have to freeze any of the embryos," Bob explained. "The cows that aren't used as recipients will be artificially inseminated (AI)."

Between the eighth and fourteenth day that a donor cow has been observed in heat injections of a follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH) are begun to override the animal's natural tendency to have only one ovulation. The cow should then have multiple ovulations similar to a dog or other animal that bears a number of offspring with each pregnancy, explained Dr. Dunlap.

Vogel started his donor cows on FSH injections 12 days before they were flushed to recover the eggs for transfer. These injections were administered twice daily for the first four days. On the morning of the third day an injection of a prostaglandin (lutalyse) was also given. The lutalyse causes the



DR. SAM DUNLAP separates and grades embryos from Bob Vogel's top mother cow. Only the highest grade 1 and 2 fertilized eggs will be transferred to recipient cows.

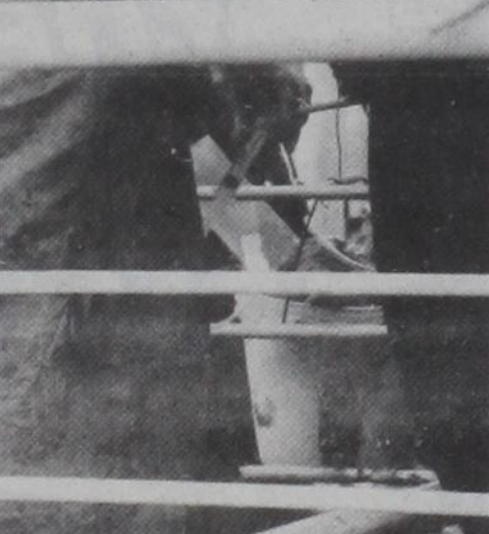
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to come in heat in about 48 hours.

Each potential recipient cow was also given an injection of the lutalyse the day before the two donors cows received theirs. This was done to synchronize the estrous or heat cycles of all of the cows involved. It is important that they come into heat within a day or two of each as the cycles of the donor and recipient can vary only one day either way.

After the injection of lutalyse was given Bob and Eileen kept careful watch on the cows so that they could record the date of approximate time that each cow came in heat. These times would be used to determine which cows would make the most suitable choice for recipients since it is best to use those whose cycles most closely match that of the donor cow's.

The Vogels' cows, 78 and 11, came in heat in 48 hours and were bred AI several times in 12-hour increments since multiple ovulations occur over a period of time. It was arranged to recover the embryos seven days after AI was done.



DR. SAM DUNLAP, in the process of flushing embryos from Bob Vogel's superovulated cow.

Janie Hartman Photo

The seventh day, Oct. 31, was wet, rainy, and cold but things had already been set in motion and wouldn't wait for finer weather. The embryo flushes and transfers were done outside despite the mud and intermittent showers.

When embryo transfers were first begun in the early '70s this would not have been possible. Midline surgical techniques were used to recover and transfer the embryos. This was unsuitable for numerous reasons and the non-

surgical flush technique was developed.

Recovery of the embryos for transfer is now done using a foley catheter which is placed in the donor's cervix, inflating a balloon located near the tip of the catheter to close off the uterus and then irrigating several times with a suitable fluid to flush out the embryos which are drawn out with a tube and drained into a bottle.

Since the Vogel's wanted 78 and 11 to carry their own calves, the two cows were again injected with lutalyse so that they would come in heat again and could be bred AI.

After the flushes were completed, Dr. Dunlap and the Vogels went to the Vogel home where a microscope was set up. Dr. Dunlap examined the irrigation fluid carefully under a microscope to find all of the embryos and then grade and sort them.

The embryos are graded as a 1, 2, or 3. By implanting grade 1 or 2 embryos it is expected that there will be a 60 percent pregnancy rate and a 30 percent rate with grade 3. There were 11 fertilized eggs recovered from cow Number 11, five of these were good and six were not suitable for implanting. Hopes were highest for getting implantable eggs from the top cow, Number 78. Only two were recovered and only one was good.

Bob remained optimistic though remarking that he'd be happy even if got just one steer calf from her and now there were two chances instead of just the calf that she would carry.

Six recipient cows were selected by comparing their heat cycle with those of the donor cows and taking the most closely matched.

Each recipient cow was then palpated to determine on which ovary the corpus luteum was located. A straw containing the embryo to be transferred was placed in an insemination gun. The gun was passed through the cervix and into the uterine horn on the same side that the corpus luteum was located on that cow and the embryo was deposited where it took the place of her egg coming down. The embryo will grow in the recipient cow just as though it were her own. "She will raise it as her own it's just that she doesn't have any genetic input into the calf."

Only time will tell how successful this endeavour will be for the Vogels. Bob feels that it will be a success. "We used number one eggs," he said. "I'll know more after I see the quality of the calves we get from this. If we do transfers next year we'll probably give more hormones." He hopes that more hormones will produce more embryos.

Sam Dunlap has a PhD in Animal Reproduction Physiology. He operates Dunlap Embryo Service in Decatur and works in a 200 mile radius of Decatur.

Winter stress can be managed

When temperatures drop, dairymen's profits often drop with them. Winter stress can bring with it lower appetites in dairy cows, lower milk production thus, reduced milk checks.

For some dairymen, this used to be a given with winter milk production.

But, dairy farmers today do not have to settle for lower milk production during the winter months.

Dr. Bill Kautz, a veterinarian with Microbial Genetics, a division of Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., says with sound management practices and a well-cared for herd, milk production can remain high through winter.

In addition to feeding a well-balanced, high-quality ration with proper nutritional supplements, Kautz says dairymen should include a direct-fed microbial product in their herd nutrition program.

"Dairymen should always in-

clude a Microbial product during any stressful period," Kautz says. "These products provide beneficial, live, naturally-occurring bacteria which help maintain a healthy balance in the digestive system."

"When cows are stressed, such as in severely cold weather, the bacterial population in the digestive tract changes. This stress is often expressed by a lack of appetite. These products help restore and maintain a balance of beneficial bacteria which, in turn can help keep appetites up," Kautz says.

Kautz adds that a lack of appetite may be expressed during other stressful conditions such as freshening and severe heat.

"With milk prices at the current levels, it is important to keep cows performing at their peak," Kautz says. "With the management tools available today, it can be accomplished profitably."

County Agent's Report

by Craig Rosenbaum

Garden Diseases

The dormant season is a good time to carry out practices that will help reduce diseases during the growing season in gardens and flower beds.

Selectively pruning lower limbs of trees and woody ornamentals will help improve air circulation, thus help dry the foliage faster after a rain or dew.

Many disease organisms such as those that cause powdery mildew and black spot can overwinter on dead leaves and infected canes. Pruning out infected canes and composting leaves will reduce disease pressure next growing season.

When removing old bedding plants, check roots for knots. Presence of knots will usually be a sign of root knot nematodes.

Rotation is a practice that will aid in reducing losses from soilborne diseases such as cotton root rot, fusarium, damping off and seedling disease. This dormant season would be a good time to design your vegetable garden planting plan.

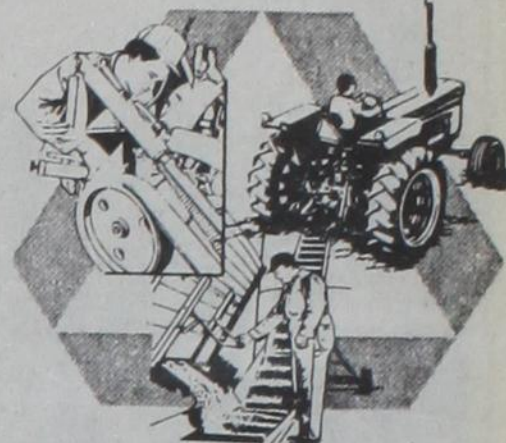
Earliness is a disease escape mechanism that can be utilized with some vegetables. Use of plastic as a mulch will help warm soil earlier and such vegetables as tomatoes can be planted 10 days to two weeks earlier in plastic mulch. Garden soils can be prepared now, put in raised beds and covered with plastic. Be sure to use black plastic for heat absorption and weed control.

Weeds are natural hosts of many virus diseases. Clean tilling during dormant season will help eliminate weed hosts. Adding liberal amount-

ts of organic matter has shown some success in reducing cotton root rot. Dormant season is a good time to clean out your compost pile.

All gardeners usually have some used potting soil lying around in pots or containers. This soil can be reused but should be sterilized first. Store sterilized soil in clean containers until ready for use.

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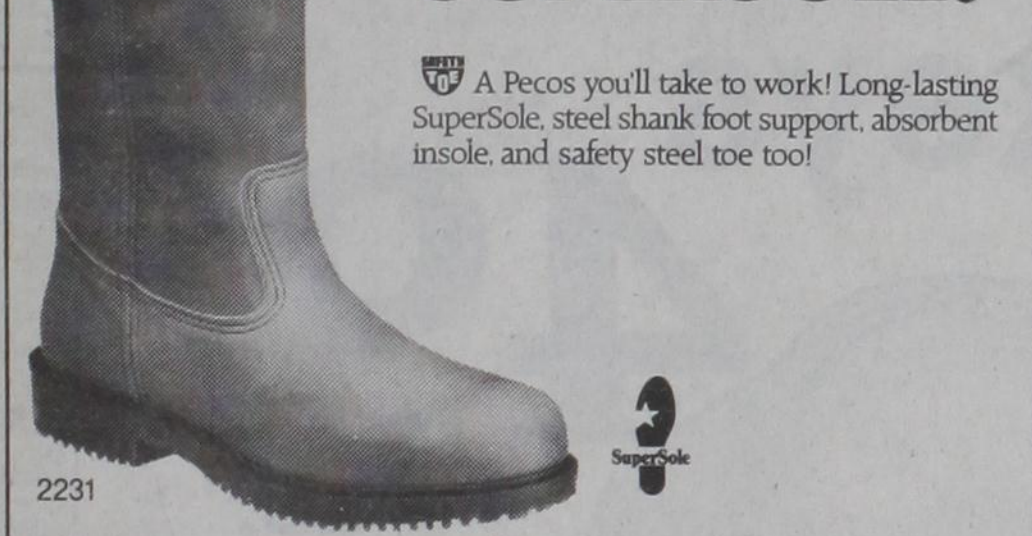
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NEWEST GROUP of little girls in the local Girl Scout movement participated in the Brownie Investiture Ceremony at the Community Center Sunday afternoon, Nov. 17. Included in the two groups are, l to r, Raney Bauer, Andrea Bauer, Kristin Yosten, Elizabeth Fette, Mattie Sicking, Lacy Endres, Grace Cochran, Jackie Bartush, Terri Sue Wimmer, Ashley Klement, Shannelle Spakes, Melanie Bartush, Jessica Koessler and Megan Grewing. Leaders are Pam Fette, June Bartush, Kathy Bauer and Kathy Burrows. **Dave Fette Photo**



PARTICIPATING in the Girl Scout Re-Dedication Ceremony Sunday, Nov. 17 in the meeting room of the Community Center were, l to r, Yvonne Martin, Amanda Wimmer, Laura Klement, Tricia Endres, Valerie Bartush and Shauna Endres. At right are two Cadet Scouts, Julie Walterscheid and Ashley Hartman. **Dave Fette Photo**



THE ANNUAL TURKEY SHOOT for Cub Scouts was held on Sunday, Nov. 17, at 2 p.m. in Muenster City Park. The groups of Cubs and Webelos are shown with one of the leaders, Chuck Bartush. Winners, clutching their prize frozen turkeys are, l to r, Tiger Den Cubs who tied, Wesley Koelzer and Michael Voth; Wolf Den, Mitch Endres; Bear Den, Keith Felderhoff and Christopher Grewing; Den I Webelos, Russell Fette; Scorpion Webelos, Jim Stoffels. All who participated will earn a patch. Pack 664 paid for the turkeys. The two Cubs who tied, with the wisdom of Solomon, donated their turkey to the community dinner on Nov. 24. **Dave Fette Photo**

Muenster Honor Roll

- "A" Honor Roll**
- Grade 1** - Tyler Walterscheid, Cindy Tempel, Jonathan Sicking, Ashley Sicking, Chris Rains, Mark Moster, Kami Klement, Shanna Jones, Karl Fisher, Jennifer Ashley, Raney Bauer, Tami Dickerson, Amanda Felderhoff, Mitch Felderhoff, Jami Gerstberger, Megan Grewing, Wesley Koelzer, Megan Lippe, Dustin Walterscheid.
- Grade 2** - Mitchell Endres, P.J. Fleitman, Krystal Hale, Grant Hartman, Stephanie Hellman, Nathan Hess, Ashley Klement, Kimberly Klement, Jennifer Reid, Travis Sicking, Jason Vogel, Andrea Bauer, Adam Bayer, Chisam Cain, Laura Drachenberg, Shawn Hess, Crystal Lutkenhaus, Pamela Lutkenhaus, Daniel Rohmer, Shanelle Spakes.
- Grade 3** - Diane Britain, Lauren Dangelmayr, Malony Gieb, Christopher Grewing, Megan Hennigan.
- Grade 4** - Allison Endres, Kristin Grewing, Darren Hennigan, Justin Fleitman, Jaclynn Henscheid, Jeff Klement, Douglas Knabe, Raegan Koessler.
- Grade 5** - Stephanie Bierschenk, Cristy Drachenberg, Melinda Fanning, Chad Felderhoff, Mindy Gieb, Dolly Patel, Brent Sicking.
- Grade 6** - Keisha Dill, Lucas Hartman, Scott Hermes, Stephanie Huchton, Leigh Ann Reiter, Aaron Sicking, Jerry Stoffels, Jeff Wilde, Brian Fleitman, Michael Grewing, Bryan Hudspeth.
- Grade 7** - Brandi Lutkenhaus, Eric Miller.
- Grade 8** - Melissa Black, Justin Camp, DaLana Endres, Jeff Flusche, Mary Knabe.
- Grade 9** - Kerri Barnhill.
- Grade 10** - Brandi Grewing, Shelly Klement, Theresa Kubis, Danelle Keizer, Tracey Vogel.
- Grade 11** - Lori Graham, Mike Hacker, Marlene Hess, Chelby Schoppa, Joy Tisdale, DaLana Walterscheid.
- Grade 12** - Connie Black, Daniel de la Mata, Amy Dankesreiter, Brandy Debnam, Kelli Ford, Mike Gobble, Julie Hess, Rex Huchton, Leslie Klement, Tina Klement, Tony Perryman, Ryan Sicking, Kelley Wimmer, Stephanie Wimmer.
- "B" Honor Roll**
- Grade 1** - Frances Welch, Alicia Ginnis, Shane Barnhill, Dewayne Montgomery, Deidre Williams.
- Grade 2** - Brittany Haverkamp, Tracy Hess, Chris Luttmer, Steven Boaz, Bradley Felderhoff, Kevin Hermes, Krystal Knabe.
- Grade 3** - Elliot Klement, Josh Ashley, Misty Barnhill, Keri Felderhoff, Brandy Gilbreath, Eric Knabe, Kristie Lutkenhaus, William Scoggins, Chris Smith, Bronya Vogel, Matt Wilde, Terri Sue Wimmer.
- Grade 4** - Kristen Creed, Barry Escobedo, Randy Grewing, Bryan Miller, Casey Walterscheid, Danny Felderhoff, Polly Fette, Craig Hartman, Heather Hess, Rhianna Samek, Jim Stoffels.
- Grade 5** - Eric Fisher, Kinzie Gerstberger, Aaron Klement, Justin Klement, Dee Dee Walterscheid.
- Grade 6** - Joyce Hacker, Chrissy Harris, Kristine Hartman, Chad Roller, Erik Walterscheid, Jeremy Walterscheid, Corey Anderle, Kami Barnhill, Michael Boydston, Kristin Dickerson, Mindy Endres, Valerie Erwin, Brad Escobedo, Emily Felderhoff, Barry Fleitman, Cody Perryman, Telisha Reid, Larry Sparkman, Kimberly Sturm.
- Grade 7** - Donna Black, Holly Mullins, Jonathon Otto, Steven Reiter, Amanda Russell, Jennifer Sicking.
- Grade 8** - Jeff Felderhoff, Julia Fleitman, Carrie Hess, Andrea Klement, Misty Klement, Audrey Knabe, Wendy Pels, Leasha Perryman, Cody Sicking, Jason Sicking.
- Grade 9** - Cory Cain, Tommy Joe Dankesreiter, Sally Fisher, Rebecca Fleitman, Ashley Hartman, Jamie Hellman, Jason Huchton, Cody Klement, Melanie Koelzer, Cindy Reiter, Denise Russell, Laura Vogel, Jeff Walterscheid.
- Grade 10** - Candise Abney, Kay Grewing, Cory Knabe, Amy Sturm, Jay Hennigan.
- Grade 11** - Darren Bindel, Melissa Fisher, Justin Hartman, Michelle Hennigan, Darlene Hess, Roxie Knabe, Madoka Mimura, Dianne Pagel, Lisa Russell.
- Grade 12** - Kristi Bierschenk, Jason Biffle, Jami Flusche, Charity Gilbreath, Nicki Hofbauer, Chris Kubis, Jennifer Lippe, Noel Van Swearingen, Misty Vogel.



Country Tidings by Ruth Smith

News of the Sick

Mrs. Audilee Lovette is on the sick list and is receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. Cindy Boto entered Denton Community Hospital Saturday for medical care. She is the wife of Cooke County Attorney August Boto.

Mrs. Danielle Reynolds entered the Gainesville Memorial Hospital Monday morning for medical care. Her husband is Wesley Reynolds.

Mrs. Barbara Pellet is ill with the flu. Mrs. Pellet is a teacher and 17 of her pupils were ill with the flu. Her husband is Rev. Dennis Pellet, pastor of the Rosston Baptist Church.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The Forestburg Country Christmas Bazaar will be Saturday, Dec. 7, 1991, from 9 a.m. till 5 p.m. in the Community Center at

Forestburg, Texas.

There will be a variety of arts and crafts, also door prizes, and a bake sale and concession stand.

The bazaar is sponsored by the Forestburg Baptist Women's Group. Anyone interested in reserving a table or interested in helping may contact Diane Huckaby at 768-2233.

Mrs. Oma Wakeman was honored Sunday after church at the Forestburg Baptist Church, with a birthday dinner, birthday cake and punch and coffee.

Mrs. Wakeman was celebrating her 90th birthday; her actual birthday was Wednesday, Nov. 20, 1991. A videotape, "This is your life, Oma Wakeman," was shown by Nell and Winston Roach. The tape showed her as a baby, teenager and with her family, and was enjoyed by all.

She received many pretty birthday cards, greetings and birthday

wishes from her pastor and members of the church, relatives and friends. Sending birthday wishes was Mrs. Essie Agee of Saint Jo, who shares the same birthday. Mrs. Agee will be 90 on her birthday, Nov. 20.

Mrs. Wakeman's son, Fred, and wife, Jean, and family of Wichita Falls and son-in-law, J.L. Atterberry of California all attended the birthday celebration. J.L. Atterberry returned to California Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lovette observed their 50th wedding anniversary Wednesday, Nov. 13, 1991, quietly at home. Our congratulations to Audilee and Stanley.

Bill and Ginny Shults of Denton visited Mrs. Louise Shults Sunday. They all attended the birthday celebration for Mrs. Oma Wakeman at the Forestburg Baptist Church.

Mrs. Louise Shults had cataract surgery in Denton Tuesday and is recovering nicely. Her son, Bill, and wife came home with her. She has received many nice cards and phone calls and appreciates them and thanks everyone for remembering her and being concerned.

Mrs. Josephine Berry, Mrs. Wilma Richardson and Mrs. Agnes Brandon attended the singing at Era Sunday evening.

Mrs. Josephine Berry and Mrs. Wilma Richardson attended the council meeting in the Texas Electric Co. building in Gainesville Tuesday.

Mrs. Josephine Berry, Ruth and Jim Penton, Wilma Richardson and Rev. Elwood Poore made their regular monthly visit to St. Richard's Villa in Muenster Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Domaic James and family of Watauga spent Saturday and Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hudspeth and family. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hudspeth joined them Saturday evening for supper.

The United Methodist Church charge conference was held Sunday evening in Saint Jo. Those attending from Forestburg were Charles and Gail Edwards, Jewel and Carroll Dill, Jack Black, Mary Whatley, Veronica Greanec and Phillip, Clifford and Merle Hudspeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jackson celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary Friday, Nov. 15. Their children, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Jackson, and two grandchildren and Jewel and Carroll Dill treated them to dinner at K-Bob's in Decatur.

The Jacksons and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips attended the Order of Eastern Star Tuesday evening at Saint Jo.

On Saturday evening, the Jacksons and Phillips had dinner at The Smokehouse in Gainesville. They were celebrating their anniversaries, the Jacksons on Nov. 15 and Phillips on Nov. 19.

The Jim Pentons attended the birthday party Friday for their grandson, Jon Richard, in Whitesboro at the home of his parents, Robin and James Penton. Jon Richard was one year old, his birthday is Nov. 14. Seventeen little friends came and his great-grandparents, the L.G. Corleys of Saint Jo, and the Pentons, also guests from Plano.

Forestburg will host Bazaar Day on Nov. 23

Its Bazaar time again for the Forestburg United Methodist Church. This year it will be on Saturday, Nov. 23 in the Forestburg Community Center. Doors open at 10 a.m. for a bake sale, which always features many great goodies; arts and crafts sale and rummage (garage) sale. At noon a traditional

Thanksgiving meal will be served and this always is a delicious meal. Cost is \$4 for adults and \$2 for children under 12 years of age. "So come one - come all," invited the hosts. "Besides a great meal you can enjoy a nice drive out in the country (for those of you who do not reside in the Forestburg area)."

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