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Darren Cheaney's 4-H club steer was judged grand champion and grand champion county-bred steer at last week's Cooke County Junior Livestock Show.

Later, at the sale, the animal sold to Parker Electric of Gainesville for \$1.20 per pound. Don Hunter Photo. Watch for more on the stock show next week!

County show boasts Muenster grand champ

Cooke County Junior Livestock Show results during the past weekend involving Muenster 4-H and FFA are as follows:

Grand Champion Market Steer: Darren Cheaney, 4-H.

Grand Champion County-Bred Steer: Darren Cheaney, 4-H.

Class 1: 835-935 lbs. 4) Dickie Trubenbach FFA; 9) Darren Walterscheid FFA.

Class 2: 970-1015 lbs. - 2) Tracey Vogel, 4-H; 8) Greg Hoemig FFA; 10) Darrin Hess, 4-H.

Class 3: 1020-1075 lbs. - 3) Chad Cheaney 4-H; 7) Kelly Bayer 4-H; 8) Jared Bayer 4-H.

Class 4: 1085-1135 lbs. - 1) Weldon Bayer 4-H; Shawn Vogel FFA; 3) Amy Bayer 4-H; 11) Vickie Bayer 4-H; 13) Curt Bayer 4-H.

Class 5: 1155-1205 lbs. - 1) Darren Cheaney 4-H; 3) Jordan Bayer 4-H; 5) Valerie Vogel 4-H; Keith Vogel 4-H - 6; 8) Jeremy Bayer 4-H.

Class 6: 1230-1425 lbs. - 7)

Deano Bayer 4-H; 9) Misty Vogel 4-H; 11) Jefflyn LeFevre 4-H; 12) Amy Davidson 4-H.

Angus: - 6-12 months: 1) Andy Burnette 4-H; 18-24 months: 1) Andy Burnette 4-H.

Swine, Class 10: Cross, 221-240 lbs. - 12) Larry Switzer 4-H; 25) Charlene Switzer 4-H.

Dairy Cow - Class 4: Two Year Old Heifer - 4) Wayne Becker 4-H.

Class 5: Two Year Old Cow - 3) Wayne Becker 4-H.

Lamb - Fine Wool & Fine Wool Cross Reserve Champion - Wayne Becker 4-H.

Class 2: Fine Wool and Fine Wool Cross, 101-120 lbs. - 1) Wayne Becker 4-H.

Class 7: Medium Wool and Medium Wool Cross, 101-120 lbs. 3) Charles Johnson 4-H; 7) Staci Sicking 4-H; 19) Phillip Reiter 4-H.

Class 8: Medium Wool and

Medium Wool Cross, 121-140 lbs. - 3) Scott Vogel 4-H; 14) Stephen Becker 4-H; 15) Amber Vogel 4-H; 16) Werner Becker 4-H; 28) Rodney Vogel 4-H.

Dairy Goats - Junior - 3) Weldon Bayer 4-H.

Reserve Champion Ewe: Suffolk - Aged Ewe - Scott Vogel 4-H.

Showmanship - Stephen Becker 4-H.

Aged Ewes - 1) Stephen Becker 4-H.

Champion Ewe - Stephen Becker 4-H.

EWE Lambs - 3) Marcia Vogel 4-H; 5) Scott Vogel 4-H.

Yearling Ewes - 1) Rodney Vogel 4-H.

Aged Ewes - 1) Scott Vogel 4-H; 2) Marcia Vogel 4-H; 3) Amber Vogel 4-H; 4) Scott Vogel 4-H.

Champion Ewe - Scott Vogel 4-H.

Reserve Champion Ewe - Marcia Vogel 4-H.

Senior Rabbits - 6) Sherilyn Sicking 4-H.

Litterers waste no time in returning

Muenster losing war against street trash

On Saturday, March 15, at 9 a.m., 48 volunteers gathered at the Chamber of Commerce office, headquarters for the event, to pool their resources in the MARCH AGAINST TRASH, the second phase of OPERATION: CLEAN SWEEP. When the last of the litter was weighed and added at 6:30 p.m., roadways around Muenster had yielded 7,980 lbs. of litter. Altogether, volunteers from several local organizations covered 7.1 miles of roadside right of way, including the city park.

Although Saturday's volunteers overcame several pockets of resistance and won a big battle against litter, it is generally conceded that they are losing the war. By dark Sunday, much of the trash had re-appeared on the roadsides and streets of Muenster, prompting members of some of the organizations to begin to seek other, more drastic solutions. It is expected that the Muenster City

Council and the police department will be hearing more about the problem. Efforts are also being stepped up to encourage spotters to file charges against those whom they see distributing litter. In the words of one volunteer, "Over a thousand pounds of litter for each mile is incredible and frightening. They (litterers) are destroying our environment. More tragically, what could be the cleanest small town in the state is being turned into an eyesore."

Coordinating Saturday's efforts was the Muenster Kiwanis Club. Ten members were on hand for part or all of Saturday's March. Groups which literally lended a hand were the following: Sacred Heart seventh grade, who collected 2500 lbs. of litter, the largest amount collected; Boy Scout Troop 664, who picked up 2110 lbs., the largest weight per person working. Others helping

with the March were Bluebonnets, Sacred Heart High School Juniors, Sacred Heart fifth grade, Muenster Public School seventh grade, and Young Homemakers of Texas. According to coordinators everyone worked in a real spirit of co-operation and good humor. The problem of littering, however, is still with us despite the hundreds of hours spent Saturday cleaning up. Many local citizens are becoming more aware of the problem and are expressing concern. According to one observer, "I think the fine (for littering) should be \$1,000 for the first offense, like it is in California". Other suggestions included offering a reward for those who are willing to report litterers, like the Chamber of Commerce currently does for crimes of vandalism. Most volunteers who worked Saturday agreed that littering was itself a crime against nature and the citizens of Muenster.

Defensive Driving class set

There have been many requests for another Defensive Driving Course "55 and Alive" to be taught locally.

Mrs. Alice Hellman has announced that it will be held in Muenster on Wednesday and Thursday, April 2 and 3, 8 a.m. to noon on both days, at the Cooke County Electric Co-op building.

Weldon Cowan of Nocona will teach the course, since Mrs. Hellman is unable, while she is recuperating from illness and hospitalization.

After successful completion, participants are eligible for a 10 percent discount on their insurance premium.



ENTHUSIASTIC WORKERS during Saturday's "Clean Sweep" project was this group of Sacred Heart School 7th graders, accompanied by Jerry Bynum, Kiwanis team captain. Shown in front are Kristen Klement, Robin Greathouse, Dawn Knabe, Jenny Yosten, Sharon Fuhrmann and Melanie Bayer. At far right are Jason Endres and Ryan Gehrig. Photo by Dave Fette

Smith seeks re-election

Dorothy Smith is asking for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1, Place 2, Cooke County. She does so on the basis of her past experience with law procedures as well as her long term residence in Cooke County.

Mrs. Smith has been employed in both public and private business



for the past fourteen years. In the public sector, she has filled positions as a certified jailer, bailiff of District Court, secretary and bookkeeper for Cooke County sheriff's department and serving in her fourth year as Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1, Place 2. In private sector, she worked with local business firms, which involved bookkeeping and meeting the public.

While holding this office, she has completed 100 hours of Academic Schooling. This is a requirement of the Texas Justice Court Training Center with headquarters in San Marcos, Texas.

Her husband, A.B. Smith, is retired from Arco Oil & Gas. Please see Smith, page 2

Dust settling on Ash street

by Elaine Schad

Representatives of the City of Muenster have worked out a tentative agreement with Cooke County Commissioners concerning the paving of Ash Street, but it's still too early to tell if the plan will actually be implemented.

City Administrator Joe Fenton and Mayor Richard Grewing met with Precinct 3 Commissioner Jerry Lewis and Precinct 4 Commissioner Rosalie Bayer last week following a petition presented at the last City Council Meeting by the citizens of the Ash Street area requesting the city either help get the road paved or close it.

Fenton said the commissioners agreed to supply equipment and manpower to pave the road, which runs from U.S. Highway 82 north to Farm Market Road 373 and is approximately one mile in length. The city, in turn, will be working with property owners along the street in coming weeks to come up with the cost of the materials for the project, estimated at \$20,000.

Fenton said the city has known about the dust problem caused by Ash Street for quite some time.

"This particular case doesn't really fit the mold of your typical city street," he said. The street straddles the border between the city and the county, so the need for paving had never really been resolved. "It's a unique situation, and it took the residents to bring the problem to the attention of the city and county before they realized how urgently relief is needed," Fenton said.

There are several problems involved when there is joint ownership of an area, Fenton said. Generally, the city will require curbing on its streets to be paid for by individual property owners before paving is considered. Since the street isn't totally under the city's jurisdiction, it really doesn't fall within the same requirements of the typical city street, he said. Ash Street also lies within two precincts in the county, precincts three and four, since the dividing line for the precincts is the old railroad right of way. The street, being approximately one mile in length, is also quite a bit longer than the typical city street, Fenton

said.

Ray Wimmer, a spokesman for the group of concerned citizens who requested that something be done about the road, said the street is a hazard to the entire city since the dust problem caused by the street affects residents in many parts of the city, not just those residents along Ash Street itself. "It's killing all our trees and bushes; the whole city is engulfed in the dust and would benefit by its being paved," he said. Wimmer said quite a few residents have also developed sinus and other health problems, and the dust affects the appearance of the entire area.

Fenton said the county's offer of equipment and manpower to pave the street is what the commissioners would offer any area where there's joint jurisdiction. "It does indicate a spirit of cooperation; they've been generous in what they said they'd do," he said.

Should the city be able to come to an agreement with the property owners and other interested

citizens on providing the cost of materials for the paving of the street, Fenton said the project could get underway as early as this summer. "It'd have to be done during hot weather when it (the paving process) works well," he said.

Fenton said the street would be paved with an oil and chip pavement similar to that used on county roads. The city would be working with the precinct 3 crews in the actual paving process and would obtain information on the purchase of materials from various contractors to get the best price, he said.

Wimmer said his group is in the process of obtaining plats to identify the property owners along Ash Street and will be contacting each owner in the coming weeks to get input on the project. "We really don't know where we're going yet; we're trying to figure out who owns what and which people are being affected by the dust; if we can come up with the money, we might be able to get it paved this summer," he said.

Good News!

"Therefore you are without excuse, every man of you who passes judgement, for in that you judge another, you condemn yourself."

Romans 2:1

The showers during the past week have boosted the total March rainfall to 1.09 and the 1986 total to 3.51 inches. Steve Moster reports the following temperatures and rain.

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| March 13..... | .26 rain 47 and 67 |
| March 14..... | .44 and 67 |
| March 15..... | .02 rain 43 and 73 |
| March 16..... | trace of rain 44 and 70 |
| March 17..... | .42 and 72 |
| March 18..... | .42 rain 54 and 78 |



ON SATURDAY this group of SHS 5th graders was accompanied by Emily Klement, at left and Debbie Endres at right. The students are Allison Klement, Toni Reiter, Barry Hess, Darren Klement and Julie Felderhoff.
Photo by Dave Fette

Moster gives annual report

Mary Moster, librarian at Muenster Public Library, has presented her annual report to the Library Board and Muenster City Council, showing admirable progress in growth, size and services.

Continuing increase in use of library facilities and services by the community and its surrounding towns is worthy of pride and reflects the library's value to the area.

Mrs. Moster's report told that book circulation totaled 11,145 in 1985, with the lowest month check-outs of 652 in December and the highest of 1461 in July; also check-outs of non-books totaled 2091; audio-visual materials checked out totaled 2334 and included books borrowed through Interlibrary Loan and

Dallas Public Library and films and video cassettes borrowed through Northeast Texas Library System. Total circulation in 1985 was 15,570.

Special activities sponsored by the Muenster Public Library included a 10-week Summer Reading Program, in cooperation with the Texas State Library: "Awesome Adventures." More than one hundred children participated, keeping records of grade-level books and receiving certificates.

Also weekly films were shown at St. Richard's Villa for its residents. These were ordered through the Northeast Texas Library System.

During Book Week, children were given book marks, balloons, pencils, lapel pins carrying the lettering "I Love My Library", part of the NETLS program.

Special Activity Hours were held during June and July, with 183 children and 40 parents in attendance, enjoying films, stories, fingerplays, games, etc. Leaders were Debbie Hess, Mary Endres, and Carla Truebenbach. Assistants were Karen Moster, Linda Flusche, Lynda Yosten, Daryl Ferber and Betty Miller.

Total book stock at Muenster Public Library on Dec. 31, 1985 was 17,027 which included 179 purchased from the local budget, 377 from NETLS, 125 donated, 26 gifts (new) and five memorial books.

There were 442 Audio-Visual items on hand, eleven magazines and newspapers paid by subscriptions, twelve magazine gift subscriptions and one donated weekly newspaper.

Gift books came from Nicholson Memorial Library (14) individuals and businesses (12) from Joe Hoenig, Betty Felderhoff, Loretta Felderhoff, Teresa Fowler, A.V. Grant, Theresa Sicking, Congressman Charles Stenholm, Hunt Oil Co., Credit Union League and Avalon Publishers.

Memorial books came from Lee Roy Hess in memory of Derek; Benedictine Sisters of Jonesboro in memory of Alphons Reiter; David and Juanita Bright and Rube and Maureen Griggs in memory of Hattie Grewing; and Mr. and Mrs. Jones in memory of Loretta Wilde.

Highlighting the library report was a listing of volunteer hours given by the dedicated staff. These are Teresa Fowler 988 hours; Betty Felderhoff 441 1/2 hours; Evelyn Koesler 318 hours; Agatha Wolf 308 1/2 hours; and Librarian Mary Moster 1,087 hours; a total of 3,143 hours worked.

Candidates forum set for March 27

The Gainesville League of Women Voters will present its annual Candidate's Forum on Thursday, March 27 at 7 p.m. in the Gainesville Chamber of Commerce Building, 101 South Culbertson Street. The public is invited.

Bob Buckel, editor of the Cooke County Leader and Tom Uhler, editor of the Gainesville Daily Register will serve as co-moderators.

KGAF will broadcast the Forum to its radio audience and the entire Forum will be televised on the local cable system on a tape-delay basis. Candidates for city and county, state and national offices have been invited.

This will be an opportunity for Cooke County citizens to meet candidates, learn about election issues and have questions answered.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

If litter were gold the volunteers would be rich. Over 8,000 lbs. of trash was collected in all, with 7,980 lbs. being credited to 43 people who picked up for 4 cents per pound. In addition to the 4 cents, prizes were offered for the group which picked up the most poundage, most poundage per person, and third runner-up. But for some, cash seemed to be blowing in the grass as a \$20 bill was found by one person and a \$5 bill was found in another area.

The winning group picking up the "most poundage per person" included three Muenster Boy Scouts, Joe Weinzapfel, Rodney Knabe and Ken Walterscheid, Jr. They almost worked supervisor John Walterscheid to death by collecting over 351 pounds per person. The poundage per person would have actually been higher, but two adults had to leave at noon but were included in the calculations and divided into the 2110 lbs. collected by the scouts. The scouts take first prize for the "Most Pounds Per Person" and will be awarded \$25.00. They worked the area north from Schillings to Ray Cler's, and the north/south precinct road in front of the County Barn.

Further north along hwy. 373, Steve and Janice Yosten were ramrodding 7 members of the 7th grade of Sacred Heart School. They picked up toward Muenster beginning at the first four corners. This group picked up the most poundage of any group for the day, totaling 2500 lbs. While nothing could surprise the pickers as the day went on, the most interesting piece of trash was found by this group. They discovered a "love letter" written by a local person in 1955. They would like to remind everyone, "it could cost you more than the \$200 State fine if you are loose with your love letters." The 7th graders won \$15.00 in addition to the cash bounty per pound for their efforts. These kids need to be commended for their competitive spirit, for they called it quits at 4 p.m., only to find the Boy Scouts were still out and ahead. They all voted to go back out in order to attempt to win. They are winners in more ways than one.

The Sacred Heart Juniors came in third with 1,520 lbs. to their credit for 7 members. This group appeared to enjoy themselves the most as they were seen pickin' and grinnin' as they listened to music of Sheena Easton on a portable radio. They danced their way into

third place for the most poundage per person at 217 lbs. each. They receive a \$10 award for "runner-up".

The Sacred Heart 5th graders, with help from Debbie Endres, Emily Klement and Wilfred Bindel swept along south 373 in the morning, and along the 2 mile precinct road in the afternoon. They collected 1,390 lbs., or 115 lbs. per person. They were amazed at the junk people just dump at the roadside. From a sack of fish heads to dead household pets, they saw it all.

Other groups that helped in the area were as follows: Young Homemakers, 4 helpers along West Division in town; Bluebonnets, 2 helpers inside the City Park and along adjacent Hwy 82; Public School 7 grade, 3 helpers on Main Street from the red light to 9th street. In all, eight miles of roadway was cleaned, amounting to 1,000 pounds per mile.

When the day was over the various groups gathered in the Chamber office for refreshments and discussion about the litter problem. Most were not aware of the extensive problem and were depressed about the prospects of ever stopping it. The mood ranged from enthusiasm in the morning, to that of anger and disgust in the afternoon. What bothered them most was that even before they

were finished, litter was already being tossed along the roadways they had cleaned. One individual went out Sunday to measure the miles they had cleaned only to find over a full bag of trash had been littered along the same 1 mile stretch they had cleaned the day before.

The conversations among the kids turned to constructive thoughts about how the problem could be solved. The kids came up with these recommendations:

1. First time offenders of any type littering should pay a minimum fine of at least as high as that set by State law. The State law is \$200 to \$1,000 fine.
2. Concerned residents should join "Litter Watch" and report all violations to the police with charges being filed.
3. Deposits should be required on all beverage containers so that the cost of littering becomes too high even if the individual isn't caught.
4. Requiring all loads of trash going into city and county dumps be covered by tarps as required by current state law, or the drivers pay an extra \$10.00 for admittance but not be allowed to leave full without the dump manager calling the police and charges being filed.

The citizens of the area show their gratitude for these kids' community support.

The Clean Sweepers

Cooke County Singles plan for April

Cooke County Catholic Singles Club, now in its second year, held election of officers during the meeting on Friday, March 14, at 7 p.m. in the St. Mary's Church basement.

Elected to serve in 1986 are Kenneth Sicking president; Shelly Hermes vice-president; Sharon Bridges secretary/reporter; Ronnie Kessler treasurer.

Members discussed and approved by-laws for their club and made plans for March and April. On Saturday, March 22 they will meet at 6:45 p.m. in St. Mary's Church basement, attend the 7 p.m. Mass in St. Mary's Church, and then go to 1203 N. Taylor St. for a social. Members are asked to bring their own dominoes and cards.

On Saturday evening, April 5 they will play volleyball at the

Myra gym.

On Saturday, April 12, after meeting at 6:45, they will attend the 7 p.m. Mass in St. Mary's Church. Afterwards they will go to the Double LL Ballroom on Denton.

On Saturday, April 19 they will have dinner out and hold a planning meeting after that. Changing a day, they will next meet on Friday, April 25 at 7:30 p.m. at the Sacred Heart School parking lot in Muenster, to go to the Germanfest.

All Catholic Adult Singles (annulled, separated, widowed, divorced or never married) who are 18 years old or over are invited to attend any or all club activities! For more information call Amy at 668-7628 or Jerome at 736-2413 after 5:30 p.m.

Mini-courses offer maxi-benefit

There's a smallness implied in the term "mini-courses," but for those who participate in this popular community service program at Cooke County College, it can turn out to be the start of something very big.

"So many people who've enrolled in one or more of these non-credit classes have told me it opened up whole new worlds to them," said Linda Mast of CCC in announcing the new lineup of mini-courses for this spring.

Mini-courses -- some lasting several weeks and others meeting class only once or twice -- will be offered in more than two dozen different subject areas, and most are set to begin in early March.

"These short-term, inexpensive courses," said Mast, director of CCC's Division of Continuing Education, "have helped so many people discover or re-discover the pure enjoyment of learning."

"In addition, many have also finished a mini-course with new or improved job skills as well, while others have tapped previously hidden creative talents, discovered exciting or even profitable new hobbies or improved their health by becoming more active and physically fit."

She added that having a pleasant experience in a mini-course has led a large number of students to compare them to potato chips or peanuts in that it's hard to be content with just one.

"It's very common to see students coming back semester after semester to enroll in additional mini-courses," Mast said, "and quite often they use the mini-courses as a springboard up to credit course. Some, in fact, have found going back to school so enjoyable and beneficial that they've gone on to earn a college degree."

"So, a simple little non-credit

course really can lead to something big. But the great thing is that these classes can also have just as much appeal to a person who already has a college degree, even several of them."

Smith

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Company and they have two grown sons and three grandchildren.

For many years, she has been active in church and civic work in Gainesville.

"If re-elected as your Justice of the Peace," Mrs. Smith says, "I pledge to continue the conduct of this office in a fair and impartial manner so that you will never have cause to apologize for your vote. I sincerely believe that public office represents a high trust. In this spirit, I respectfully solicit your vote and influence in the May 3rd Democratic Primary."

BEWARE ...!

The following littering incidents were seen by our "LITTER WATCHERS" and will be reported to the police and charges will be filed:

- ★ SUNDAY - At City Park a male teen got into a pickup on the passenger side and then set a fast food sack onto the roof as the driver (presumably his girlfriend) drove away. The trash blew to the ground. The Park was cleaned Saturday by two members of the Bluebonnets Club.
- ★ SUNDAY - A prominent 30 year old married woman with friends was seen driving off of 2 mile road onto Main St. at the north end of town when she rolled down the window and tossed her empty onto the road within 50 feet of the trash barrels. The previous day the Muenster Boy Scouts and Sacred Heart 5th grade picked up the entire area.
- ★ SUNDAY - On Main St. several underaged teens were seen drinking while dragging the street in a jeep. They were seen throwing litter on the street. On Saturday Public School 7th graders picked up all of the trash on Main Street from the red light to 9th street.
- ★ MONDAY - An elderly retired Muenster resident was seen dumping trash on private property north of Muenster on Hwy 373. The sheriff was called and he will be hearing from them.

The Maximum Fine is \$1,000. Don't be surprised if it's you they are looking for.

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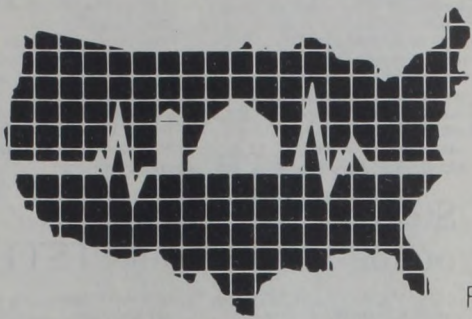
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Annual Ag Day salutes farmers

Thursday, March 20, is AGRICULTURE Day in the United States. Each year, the Agriculture Council Of American Education Committee designates the first day of Spring as a special day to salute the nation's producers of food and fiber.

American farmers and stockmen deserve this special recognition for they make an immense contribution to our country's economic prosperity and the high standard of living enjoyed by Americans.

Any way you cut it, farmers are important to the U.S. and its citizens. Here are a few reasons why:

- Agriculture employs more workers than any manufacturing industry. The flow of farm products -- in addition to related dollar purchases and expenditures -- requires the services of nearly 23 million people, a full 20 percent of the labor force throughout the U.S. economy.
- Annually, farm operators spend about \$131 billion for goods and services to produce crops and livestock. Hence, farmers are important consumers as well as producers.
- American farmers today produce over 76 percent more crop output on the same number of acres than did their fathers. One farmworker now supplies enough food and fiber for 78 people. Only 10 years ago, the farmworker was producing enough for 47.
- The increased productivity and efficiency of American agriculture has contributed largely to a higher standard of living. Today Americans spend less than 17 percent of family income for food compared to 28 percent in 1930.
- Agricultural exports totalled \$38 billion in 1984 and generated \$80 billion of economic activity in the U.S. economy.

U.S. agriculture

Heartbeat of America's economy

At the time of the American Revolution the United States was almost totally agrarian. Ninety percent of our population was engaged in farming and 60 percent of income went for food. Almost all our exports were agricultural products, and the basic structure of society depended on the agrarian economy.

Through time the U.S. agricultural system has produced an increasing abundance of food and fiber, using relatively fewer resources. The unparalleled productivity gains in American agriculture have resulted in a broader choice of nutritious food available for a declining portion of income.

Today Americans spend less than 17 percent of family income on food. Only 3 percent of our labor force is engaged directly in farming. And agricultural products now account for only about 20 percent of total exports. The importance of farming seems to have diminished. But it would be erroneous to conclude that agriculture is no longer vitally important to our economy. The food and agricultural sector -- as a source of productivity gains, a user of resources, and a source of employment -- remains large and important by any standard.

Increased agricultural productivity, the rise in output per unit of input, has been a major contributor to improved living standards for Americans. Where just 10 years ago one farm worker supplied food and fiber for 47 people, he now supplies enough for 78, up from a mere seven persons at the beginning of this century. Total agricultural output has more than doubled in the past 50 years, though the agricultural land

base has not substantially changed.

These increases in agricultural productivity have contributed to the domestic economy by enabling consumers to upgrade their diets at lower cost while simultaneously expending their consumption of non-food items. At the same time increased productivity has facilitated the transfer of production workers from agriculture into industrial and service industries, expanding the supply of nonfood goods and services, and enabling our economy to meet the new demands of consumers.

The great strides in productivity have been accompanied by major changes in the input mix. From the earliest periods of American history hand power gave way to horsepower then to mechanical power, and ultimately to "science power." New technologies introduced over the past 50 years have resulted in a nearly fifteenfold increase in fertilizer use, a fivefold increase in tractor numbers, and a tenfold increase in tractor horsepower used in farming. Purchased inputs are 2.6 times their 1930 levels and farm labor input only 30 percent of 1930 levels. Farms are larger and significantly more dependent on capital and purchases from the nonfarm economy.

As farming has come to rely more on purchased inputs and less on inputs supplied on the farm, the sector has become more fully integrated with the general economy. Consequently, farming is influenced by and has an influence on the same factors that determine conditions in the general economy.

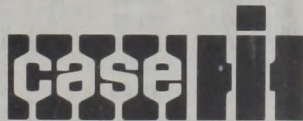


Area businesses are the big supporters for the annual Cooke County Livestock Sale. A great many businesses combined to buy all the show animals. Shown above are the few who won the bidding to purchase the champions from their raisers. Osborne's purchased the grand champion barrow from Jason Mann. The reserve champ went to North Texas Meats from owner Linda Cardwell. The grand champion lamb owned by Jody Jarvis sold to Budweiser and the reserve champ

belonging to Brad Smith was purchased by Osborne's. Robert Lutkenhaus sold his grand champion broilers to Wayne Eaton. Velen Morris reserves went to Cross N Ranch. Parker Electric had the winning bid for the grand champion steer owned by Darren Cheaney. Toby Fuhrmann's reserve champion steer was purchased by Gainesville Construction. The auction was conducted by Milton Ward.

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The wedding of Kelli Renee Harrison and Matthew Arnold Bezner will occur on April 19. Father Cletus Post will officiate in St. Peter's Church in Lindsay at 5 p.m. Parents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. C.V. (Joe) Harrison of Gainesville and parents of the future-groom are Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bezner of Lindsay. Miss Harrison is a 1979 graduate of Gainesville High School and attended Cooke County College. She is employed at Tom Thumb Page. Mr. Bezner is a 1975 graduate of Lindsay High School and is employed by Luttmir Construction Co. The couple plans to reside in Lindsay.

Ray Klements host reunion

All of Ray and Irene Klement's family members were home during the weekend and on Sunday for a family reunion.

Mrs. Janice Lamana of Denver and her daughter Stacie, a junior at the University of Colorado who was on Spring Break, arrived Saturday to spend until Thursday. They were met at DFW by her brother, Lynn Joe Klement of Houston.

Joining them on Sunday were Lloyd Klement of Houston and his children Mindy and Steven of Denton.

Sunday all day was reunion time in the Ray Klement home, with

dinner at noon and an afternoon of visiting, reminiscing and the special pleasures of "going through boxes of old pictures and family treasures."

Visiting with them throughout the weekend and also guests for Sunday were Dale and Charlotte Klement and children Keith, Tina and Cody; and Lyle and Margie Klement and children Trisha, Jarrod and Lance.

Janice and Stacie Lamana divided time between the homes of the Ray Klements and the Dale Klements, and returned to Denver Thursday.

Bradley is two



BRADLEY FELDERHOFF

grandparents, Tommy and Barbara Felderhoff; and Charles and Betty Stoffels; Randy, Janice, Stephanie and Chad Stoffels; Tim Stoffels and Sabrina; and Stan Stoffels and Deana; Tom, Becky, Emily, and Danny Felderhoff; Rose, Jackie, and Darell Henscheid; Andy and Susie Bezner; and Stella and Jenny Hess.

The birthday cake, decorated with a "Valentine" theme was served with ice cream and jello following the opening of gifts. The cake was made by Bradley's grandmother, Betty Stoffels. A Valentine theme was carried out in the decorations. Coloring books and goodie bags were favors for Bradley's little guests.

Bradley Felderhoff, son of Billy and Kathy Felderhoff, celebrated his second birthday on Sunday February 9, from 3 to 5 p.m. at the home of his paternal grandparents, Tommy and Barbara Felderhoff. His actual birthday was February 11.

Attending were Bradley's parents; his sisters, Keri age 3½ and Chelsea age 5 months; the

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Garden club hosts Chris Kaden

"Using Dwarf Shrubs in the Landscape" was the topic of a program by Chris Kaden, a registered landscape architect of Gainesville. He also holds a degree in Landscape Architecture from

Texas A & M University. Kaden spoke to members of the Muenster Garden Club during their regular meeting on Friday, March 14 at 9:30 a.m. when Marcy Wilde was hostess in her home.

Chris Kaden showed several of

the popular dwarfs - Nandina, Indian Hawthorne and several of the Hollies. He explained their placement in the landscape plan, proper methods of preparing soil, planting procedure, care and pruning. He also told of a new porous landscape fabric, Duon, to replace the old black plastic for weed control.

The business meeting, conducted by President Dolores Miller, held discussions of the Sesquicentennial Flower Show in Gainesville on May 17. It will be held in the Santa Fe station.

The next district meeting of garden clubs will be on April 2-3 at which an award will be given to the Muenster club. Eileen Luke explained progress of booth plans for Germanfest.

The hostess, Mrs. Wilde served brunch at the close of the meeting.

Next month's meeting will be on April 11 in the home of Mrs. Alice Roark when Mrs. William H. Darley will speak on "Arrangements in the Oriental Manner." She is a master flower show judge and a design instructor at Richland College in Dallas.

Taylor twins baptized

The baptisms of Adam Kyle Taylor and Laura Gayle Taylor, infant twins of Steve and Doreen Taylor of Iowa Park occurred in Christ, the King Church on Sunday, March 16 following the 10 a.m. Mass, with Deacon Pat Burke officiating.

God-parents for Adam were an aunt and uncle Rita and Craig Bayer of Lewisville; and for Laura were an aunt and uncle, Janie and Roger Taylor of Muenster. The babies wore long dresses handmade by their mother. Their white baptismal blankets were crocheted by their maternal grandmother. Each wore a handkerchief cap, gift from a great-uncle and aunt, Herb and Dolores

Miller; and each had a tiny rosary, gift from great-uncle and aunt Virgil and Joaline Henscheid. Special gifts for the honorees were presented at noon dinner in the home of the babies' parents.

A christening cake, made by Carolyn Bayer of Muenster was the dinner table centerpiece. Guests at church and in the home included the maternal grandmother, Mrs. Regina Pels, the paternal grandmother, Mrs. Lorena Taylor, the four godparents, Scott Taylor, Pat and Linda Burke and daughter, Karen, and Janet Voth and daughter Debra, and the twins' big brother Nicholas. Mrs. Pels was a guest Thursday through Sunday.

Mat Mathews honored

Mat Mathews of Mathews Photography in Gainesville has been awarded an Associate Fellowship degree from Texas Professional Photographers Association.

This is a relatively new degree of achievement and to date only eleven degrees have been awarded.

The Associate Fellowship reflects peer recognition of Mat Mathews' communication and artistic skills.

The atmosphere at Mathews' studio is one of innovation, creativity and technical expertise. Both Mathews and his wife, LaDonna are professionals. He holds a BA degree in photography

from Brooks Institute in Santa Barbara, California, and is working on his MA from Sam Houston State University. He spends at least a month each year studying under master photographers and also teaches beginning and intermediate photography at Callisburg ISD continuing education department.

LaDonna, coming from a family of photographers has a background in the artistic side of the business. She started as an oil colorist, has studied art extensively and has continued her education in photography. Wedding photography is her specialty.

Myra Homemakers meet

The Muenster Extension Homemakers Club met on March 12 in the Myra Community Center, hosted by a member, Jaci Bilderback, and heard a program presented by Armella Lutkenhaus and Adeline Sicking.

Their program topic was "Cooke County History". They showed slides of "Cooke County's Earlier Days" and read a paper on "Tales of Indian Lore in Cooke County." Pioneer farming and pioneer hardships, cooking, clothing and family laundry, and the simple toys enjoyed by children were discussed.

Lucille Lutkenhaus, club president conducted the meeting; she led the club prayer and pledge to the Flag. Adeline Sicking gave the inspiration "Food for Thought."

Six members signed up to attend the District meeting at Renner's A&M Institute on April 8.

Bea Young, Jaci Bilderback, Ann Herr and Lillian Appel were appointed to a nominating committee.

The hostess, Mrs. Bilderback served refreshments in a St. Patrick's Day theme, including lime punch and green and white cake squares to 20 members.

The next meeting will be in the home of Sue Wieler on April 9.

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Officers of Muenster Chapter, Young Homemakers of Texas, who are observing YHT Week are shown after officer election in 1985, front row, l to r. Tommi Sue Meurer vice president; Rowena Boyd reporter; Tina Bindel historian. Back row l to r Joni Sturm advisor; Janet Felderhoff president; Pam Felderhoff secretary; Kathy Felderhoff treasurer and Margie Klement parliamentarian.

YHT Week observed by Young Homemakers

March 16-22 has been proclaimed YHT Week across Texas. The Muenster Chapter of Young Homemakers of Texas has chosen to observe the occasion by presenting each of its members with a fresh long-stemmed red carnation.

Other activities marking YHT Week included the traditional presentation of gifts to the Muenster High and Sacred Heart High Home Economics departments and publication of a proclamation by Mayor Richard Grewing.

The Muenster YHT chapter was formed in October 1977 through the efforts of Joni Sturm, Glenda Russell and Jolene Richey. Pam Dangelmayr served as the first president and Joni Sturm is serving her ninth year as chapter advisor.

YHT is open to any adult not enrolled in high school and age forty or under. Individuals over forty may become associate members with the rights and privileges of active members, except that of holding offices.

Goals of the organization are to help its members further their skills; to gain information on improved methods of homemaking; carrying out activities to improve the home and community; supporting FHA; and providing social and recreational activities.

The 1985-86 year's schedule is as follows: Sept. 9 - Installation of officers; Oct. 14 Photography by Phyllis Coffey; Nov. 11 Plastic Canvas Christmas Ornaments by Rowena Boyd; December Christmas Party; January 13 Wills by Chuck Bartush; Feb. 10 Cookbook Workshop; March 10 Decorating with Color by Jan Russell; April 11 Ladies Night Out - Fireside Dining; May 12 Aerobics by Lori Mollenkopf; June or July Summer Social;

Cowboys for Christ hold trail ride

The Saint Jo Cowboys for Christ will hold a trail ride on March 22, meeting at Pat Coker's home at 9 a.m., mounting up at 9:30 a.m. and heading out to Illinois Bend.

There will be a hay ride for members without horses and a barbecue for members only at the end of the trail. Children under 18 years of age must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian.

The wiener roast two weeks ago was attended by 49 persons, with a lot of eating and singing around the bonfire, followed by singing indoors around the piano.

Last weekend David Howard gave a race horse demonstration at the Bill Day Ranch. He also discussed good health care for horses. Estelle Worthington is the club reporter.

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Thurs. and Fri. - No School!

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Mon. - Chili tostados, cheese, lettuce, tomato, corn, fruit, milk.

Tues. - Turkey roast, dressing, gravy, peas, cranberry sauce, bread, milk.

Wed. - Chicken nuggets, potatoes, gravy, broccoli, apple rings, bread, milk.

Thurs. - Holy Thursday, school dismissed at 11:30 a.m.

Fri. - Good Friday, No School!

MUENSTER PUBLIC SCHOOL

MARCH 24 - 27

Mon. - Tacos, trimmings, beans, fruit cobbler, milk.

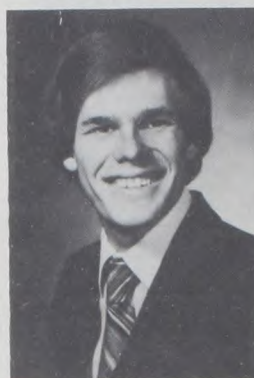
Tues. - Sausage/Sauerkraut, potatoes/gravy, corn, rolls, milk.

Wed. - Spaghetti/meat sauce, green beans, lettuce salad, bread, milk.

Thurs. - Sloppy Joes, trimmings, potato chips, fruit, brownies, milk.

Fri. - No School!

Texas researcher named Burggraf award winner



DEAN SICKING

Dean L. Sicking, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sicking, a researcher at the Texas Transportation Institute, is the 1985 winner of the Transportation Research Board's Fred Burggraf Award.

Established in 1966, this award is intended to stimulate and encourage young researchers to contribute to the advancement of knowledge in the field of highway transportation and to provide recognition of excellence by researchers 30 years of age or younger who have presented papers at the Board's Annual Meetings. The award carries with it a cash prize. It was presented to Dean Sicking in Washington, D.C. on Jan. 15.

He is a 1980 summa cum laude graduate of Texas A&M University in Mechanical Engineering, where he also won the Schlumberger Collegiate Engineering Award and the C.M. Simmam Award for Achievement in Thermal Sciences. Since 1980 Dean Sicking has been employed by the Texas Transportation Institute and holds the title of Assistant Research Engineer. He is a graduate of Muenster Public High School.

Courtney Hartman baptized

Courtney Renee Hartman, infant daughter of Rhonda and Kenny Hartman was baptized in Sacred Heart Church during the 9 a.m. Mass on Sunday, March 9, with Father Denis Soerries officiating for the Sacrament.

Her baptismal sponsors were an uncle and aunt, David and Laurie Flusche. She wore a baptismal gown that was a gift from the paternal grandparents, worn also by her sister, Holly. The crocheted blanket was worn by her father on his baptismal day.

Attending the church services were the infant's parents and sister Holly; the maternal grandparents, Ed and Clara Endres; the paternal grandparents, Alvin and Joanice Hartman; the great-grandparents, Mrs. Dora Henscheid and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hartman; and uncles, aunts and cousins, Bobby and Sharlene Hartman, Chris Pagel, Monica and Jon LeBressaur, Clinton and Debbie Endres and family, Tom and Paulette Swirczynski Felderhoff.

and family, Gary and Mary Endres and family, Phil and Marlene Endres and family, Monte and Jacque Endres and infant, and Sam and Connie Bezner and family.

All were also guests for supper Sunday evening in the home of the Ken Hartmans.

Cody Hess baptized

Cody Michael Hess was baptized in St. Peter's Church of Lindsay by Father Cletus Post, pastor, on Sunday, Feb. 16, 1986. Cody Michael is the infant son of Rickey and Donna Hess of Lindsay. His baptismal sponsors were aunts, Sharon Reed and Lisa Hess. The christening robe was made by the baby's mother and the blanket was a gift from the paternal grandparents.

A dinner followed in the home of Cody's parents, attended by 25 relatives and friends. Special guests were the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Schmidkofer and the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

Wilfred Hess; and the great-grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zimmerer. Unable to attend were great-grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Schmidkofer and Mr. John Hess.

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- 8th grade - Michael Abney, Jerry Brawner, Jimmy Herr, Erin Perkins, Lisa Robison, Dyann Vogel, Dana Wimmer, Jenny Wimmer.
- 9th grade - Jennifer Carroll, John Herr, J. Shane Wimmer.
- 10th grade - Brian Hess, Melody Klement, Jamie Walterscheid.
- 11th grade - Andy Burnette, Sam Fleitman, Damie Hellman, Kristi Pagel, Melanie Richey, Tracey Walterscheid.
- 12th grade - Dana Dankesreiter, Amy Davidson, Rose Herr, Francine Hudspeth, Dolle Pagel, Jean Pagel, Tammie Reiter, Karen Wolf, Sharen Wolf.

HONOR ROLL

- 7th grade - Paul Black, Kelly Colwell, Lanette Fisher, Sherry Hacker, Amy Hoening, Sheila Huddleston, Jane Klement, Brad McDaniel, Karri Ramsey, Darrin

Russell, Raymond Stewart, Richard Tuggle, Marcia Vogel, Steven Youngblood.

8th grade - Denise Anderle, Michael Bierschenk, Donnie Boydston, Michael Connell, Yancy Culp, Misti Ford, James Hennigan, Jannet Reeves, Marshall Smith, Scot Vogel, Joe Weinzapfel.

9th grade - Cheryl Bayer, Denise Bayer, Deanna Bierschenk, Eric Dankesreiter, Murlin Evans, Kim Hess, Keith Klement, Mike Pagel, Carrie Russell, LaNell Sicking, Staci Sicking, Rhonda Stewart, Jeannene Walterscheid, Jeff Walterscheid.

10th grade - David Fleitman, Pat Hellman, Stuart Hess, Michele Huddleston, Alan Hudspeth, Lissa LaCoe, Meredith McDaniel, Jennifer Reeves.

11th grade - Angie Barr, Ronnie Bayer, Judy Biffle, Gary Grewing, Mark Hennigan, Daniel Klement, Ryan Klement, Matt Rhodes, Rhonda Trubenbach.

12th grade - Johnny Eldred, Mikael Fette, Julie Fisher, Tonya Fisher, Penni Hess, Doyle Lewis, Dickie Trubenbach, Ron Trubenbach, Darren Walterscheid, Deann Walterscheid.

FHA observes special week

The Muenster High School FHA/HERO Chapter, an affiliate of Future Homemakers of America, joined 12,000 other local chapters in a nationwide celebration of FHA/HERO Week, Feb. 9-15.

Observed as part of Vocational Education Week, this annual

event gave members an opportunity to show their background in home economics, along with their participation in Future Homemakers of America, and equips them with "Skills For Life."

During FHA/HERO Week students of MHS had the oppor-

tunity to expand on their organizational, management and communications skills by carrying out these activities:

On Monday, Feb. 10, a baking contest was held in the Homemaking Room. Judges were Tommie Sue and Charles Meurer, Catherine Walterscheid and Jerry Eckart.

Winners were Donna Walterscheid for pies, Deanna Bierschenk for cookies; Laurie Fisher for cakes; Melody Klement for breads; Kristi Pagel for main dishes; and Best Over all winner was Dolle Pagel with her dish of broccoli and cheese casserole. Chairmen for the Monday event were Jamie Walterscheid and Donna Walterscheid.

On Tuesday, Feb. 11 each teacher was given an apple; and a cake was served in the teachers' lounge, as an expression of appreciation from FHA members. The YHT hosted a special meal for FHA officers and the three applicants for "Outstanding Future Homemaker," who were sponsored by YHT. They were Kristi Pagel, Tracey Walterscheid and Terri Whitley. The meal, hosted by the Muenster Chapter Young Homemakers of Texas, was given in the Homemaking Department at noon. Chairmen were Rhonda Bayer and Julie Hacker.

On Wednesday, Feb. 12, children joined FHA's child care activity, free of charge. They were Chisam Cain, Russell and Elizabeth Fette, Justin Hess, Nathan Hess, Shawn Hess, Jeff Klement, Megan Lippe, Jonathan Reed and Dee Dee Walterscheid. Chairmen were Melody Klement and Michelle Huddleston.

FHA members dressed in chapter colors of red and white on Thursday, Feb. 13. A drawing was held to name a Valentine boy and girl. The names drawn were Rhonda Bayer and Ryan Klement. Each was given a large, heart-shaped cookie. Chairmen were Dolle Pagel and Connie Klement.

On Friday, Feb. 14, all FHA members were given an opportunity to guess their secret pals. If a member failed to guess correctly, the pal revealed its own identity. Members gave their pals flowers, candy, cards, notes and figurines or balloons. Election of FHA Sweetheart was held at noon at lunch time. Nominees were Darren Cheaney, Stuart Hess, Ryan Klement, Joe Pagel, Darren Walterscheid. Ryan Klement was elected. Chairmen were Kristi Pagel and Meredith McDaniel. The week's activities were reported by Judy Biffle.

Airborne seeks members

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Rosston News

by Ruth Smith

Church Honors Brittany J'lynn It was Brittany J'lynn Day at the Church of Nazarene in Prairie Point Sunday March 16.

Special services were held in memory of the late Brittany J'lynn Dill, daughter of Larry and Debra Dill of Forestburg. Her name will be placed on a bronze honor roll with thousands of names displayed in the National Headquarters of the Church of Nazarene in Kansas City, Missouri. A Memorial Print Roll Certificate was presented by Rev. Marshall Stewart to her parents. Family members attending the service were Brittany's parents Larry and Debra Dill and brother Brady, grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Steadham and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Dill; uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dill and family and aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Scott Selby of Fort Worth.

Next Sunday, March 23 will be Anderson Paul Sutton Day at the Church.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Martin were Ricky Ramsey and a friend of Gainesville, Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Edwards and Lisa, Ashley Greenfield, Charles Edwards and Miss Tammy Tow all of Alford.

Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Martin visited Mrs. Oma Hartz Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lillian Dale has as her guests for a few days, her son Robert Dale of Long Beach, California and his daughter Mrs. Connie Hirsch of Boynton Beach, Florida. They arrived Saturday afternoon by plane at DFW. Also Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grant Dale and children April and Jonathan of San Antonio who arrived by car at 3 a.m. Saturday. The gathering is to celebrate Robert Dale's 62nd birthday and to visit with his mother Lillian and children Connie and Robert Grant and daughter-in-law Janis, the grandchildren April and Jonathan and Edward and Joyce Dale. Robert

Dale was born March 16, 1924 in Claremore, Ok.

W.E. Ewing was dismissed from the Muenster Memorial Hospital Thursday. Mr. Ewing's sisters Mrs. Tiny Baissner of Stephenville and Mrs. Lona BeGraham of Gustine spent Tuesday to Thursday at the hospital. Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ewing were Mrs. Dollie Crisp and grandchildren Gerald and Patricia Crisp of Gainesville, J.C. and Lottie Holder of Sanger, Charles and Beverly Fleitman, Larry Brandon of Gainesville, J.Y. and Agnes Brandon.

Mrs. Evelyn Brown and Mrs. Oma Wakeman of Forestburg attended a birthday party for Mrs. Ruby King Saturday afternoon in Decatur. Mrs. King was 90 years old. Birthday cake, pick-up foods and punch were served. Lots of people attended and Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Wakeman renewed old acquaintances with many of their long time friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berry had as their guests Thursday for dinner Mrs. Jerry McKown, Kimberly and Cacey.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Maberry were in Denton, on business. Mr. C.H. Christian spent a week in Stephenville visiting her sons and families the Bill Christians and the Fred Christians.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Kelsey and J.T. and Michael and Geanie Reynolds of Sanger had lunch with Mrs. Estelle Kelley Sunday. Other guests in Mrs. Kelley's home Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Kelley, Michael and Raietta of Era and Sissie Kelley.

Mrs. Vena Settle had lunch Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Hughes, in the afternoon Mrs. Settle and Mrs. Hughes visited Mrs. Opal Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berry and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cook had as their guests during the weekend Mr. and Mrs. George Reid of Norman, Ok. and David Newell

of Hawthorne, California. Mr. Newell was in this area on business and combined visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Christian were in Springtown Saturday night. They attended a shower for Richey and Jody Christian, they also visited the Jimmy Christians.

Mrs. Estelle Kelley and Mrs. Don Kelsey of Sanger were in Montague Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Louise Shults of Forestburg and Mrs. Delia Roach of Gainesville visited Mrs. Lyndel Richardson Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jenkins of Dallas spent the weekend here and laid the foundation for their shop. Mr. Jenkins repairs foreign cars.

Mrs. Lyndel Richardson and Mrs. Judy Dotson and Josh were in Gainesville shopping.

Mrs. Gladys Balthrop, Miss Lois Bewley, Clyde and Lonnie remain on the sick list. They have the flu.

Mrs. Mary Ruth Kindiger went to Austin Tuesday to be with her grandson Aaron Chapman while he had minor surgery. He accompanied Mary Ruth home Thursday. His mother Karen Chapman and a friend came Saturday and they all returned home Sunday.

Joe Penton of Everett, Washington visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hanson Wednesday to Sunday. He had been visiting his brother William Penton in Paris. They all had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Jakse and family in Montague Thursday.

Mrs. Lyndel Richardson had as her guests Saturday night Treava

and Jerry Trigg of Cedar Hill. Judith and Blain Radford and family of Dallas.

Mrs. Joyce Hanson and Mrs. Louise Shults of Forestburg were winners of a bag of nice gifts last week, when they caught the WBAP 820 Radio Sticker Spotter Van of Fort Worth in Forestburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Balthrop and Mrs. Debbie Moser of Forestburg visited Mrs. Gladys Balthrop Sunday.

Mrs. Inez Stevens, Mrs. Mary Ruth Kindiger and Mrs. Wilma Mosley of Forestburg were in Montague Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Joyce Hanson and her brother Joe Penton of Everett, Washington toured Bowie Sunday afternoon. Mr. Penton hadn't been in Bowie for several years.

Mrs. Estelle Kelley visited Mrs. Joyce Hanson Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. C.H. Christian was in Denton Thursday for some shopping.

Mrs. Evelyn Brown and Mrs. Maria Brown went to Decatur Saturday where they did some shopping.

Mrs. Celestine Rowe of Ardmore and Mrs. Vera Martin of Marietta, Ok. came to Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Martins' Wednesday and they all attended the funeral of Mr. Lynn Ivans in the First Baptist Church in Saint Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Martin visited Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Knight in Gainesville Thursday night. Then went to Sherwood Shores to visit Charles and Linda Cravens.

Lindsay fraternity meets in Haverkamp home

Members of St. Peter's Fraternity in Lindsay met in the home of Mrs. Jean Haverkamp on Tuesday, March 11 at 2 p.m.

Mrs. Tony Hermes, president led prayers and conducted the meeting, with the opening prayer from the Franciscan Ritual.

Mrs. Veronica Klement read a scriptural passage from Chapter 19: 16-26, "Come, Follow Me."

A card of thanks from the St. Francis Village in Crowley expressed appreciation for a large package of cancelled stamps sent by the Lindsay fraternity. Rev. Philip Marquard O.F.M. told them of the need for both domestic and foreign stamps.

Mrs. Hermes read a letter from the Sacred Heart Province in Lombard, Ill. reminding members of per capita contributions now

due.

Materials and information from Mary Fleece, recording secretary of the Antonio Margil district of San Antonio of the Secular Franciscans, to which St. Peter's Fraternity belongs, were discussed.

Mrs. Veronica Klement read a passage from the Franciscan Herald, "The Silent Hug."

Members enjoyed meeting a guest, Mrs. Thelma Dionne who is visiting her sister-in-law Marie Badgett. The next meeting will be in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Badgett.

Prayers from the Ritual and the St. Francis Peace prayer closed the meeting. After adjournment Mrs. Jean Haverkamp served coffee, cakes and nuts.

Auxiliary set for honor roll activities

Requirements for maintaining honor roll status in program participation for the month were voted on at the March meeting of the VFW Auxiliary Monday night.

Favored were five required activities: Lite-A-Bike and Bike Safety, Drug Abuse, Home Protection and Fire Prevention, Child Safety and Public Recognition.

Linda Knabe, chairman, had arranged a display of literature, pamphlets and color books relating to safety. Such material will be distributed to students at both local schools.

In other business, members discussed the possibility of having a flea market including antiques and collectibles during German-fest weekend. In addition to supplying their own items members

considered inviting other exhibitors to share space to show or sell their own wares. Headquarters will be in the VFW Hall. No definite decision was reached and a committee was placed in charge.

The nominating committee was reminded to prepare a slate of officers for the April election.

Frances Bayer, president, presided for business. Laujuana Klement conducted roll call and read general orders. Rose Hudspeth gave the treasurer's report. Chaplain Flora Mae Knabe reported a get-well card sent to Anna Marie Bayer. Marie Herr volunteered as refreshment hostess for April and Ida Mae Bindel won the door prize.

After adjournment Elizabeth Koessler served refreshments to 22 members.

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SH teams do well at Gunter

The Sacred Heart Tigers and Tigerettes competed in the Gunter Relays on Saturday March 15 and both teams improved in their performance. The Tigers tied for 4th place and the Tigerettes brought home the runner-up trophy.

"Nine of our thirteen competitors improved their performance of a week ago," said Coach Schilling. "Anytime your kids improve you have to be pleased." The Gunter relays was a meet with an A division in both girls and boys. Unaware of that fact until meet time Sacred Heart could have improved its overall stand-

ings in the team competition by throwing some relay teams together.

Bringing home the gold for the Sacred Heart runners were Molly Koelzer in the 100 and 400 meter runs. Michelle Walter captured first in the 1600 m run. The only relay team that Sacred Heart had in Saturday's meet captured first in the 1600m relay. That team was composed of Bev Haverkamp, Vickie Schmitt, Michelle Walter and Molly Koelzer.

Meet results are as follows:

Boy's division: Pole Vault -

Sacred Heart juniors compete at St. Mary's

Students of Sacred Heart 6th, 7th, and 8th grades used their free day March 14th to participate in the Saint Mary's Tri-School Track Meet. Thinclads representing Saint Mary's, Lindsay and Sacred Heart displayed their talents on a beautiful afternoon at the Gainesville High School Track.

Top performer for the Sacred Heart youngsters was Helmuth Koelzer in the 6th grade boys division. Koelzer captured 5 blue ribbons. In the 6th grade girls division Jennifer Walter brought home two blue ribbons. For the 7th grade girls Robin Greathouse scored two first place finishes. In the 8th grade division, Angela Endres scored two blues and Amy Walterscheid captured two blues.

Final results in all divisions are

as follows:

Jennifer Walter was 1st in the long jump and 400m dash and 2nd in the 100m dash, 200m dash and 50m dash. Also, Beth Hoedebeck was 5th in the 50m dash.

Helmuth Koelzer placed 1st in the long jump, 100m dash, 400m dash, 200m dash the the 50m dash.

7th and 8th grade girls - long jump - Amy Walterscheid 4th; 400m relay - Greathouse, Schmitt, Endres, Walterscheid 2nd; 800m run - Angela Endres 1st, Amy Bayer 2nd, Melanie Bayer 3rd; 100m dash - Amy Walterscheid 2nd; 800m relay - Endres, Walterscheid, Greathouse, Schmitt 1st; 400m dash, Angela Endres 2nd, Debbie Schmitt 4th; 200m dash - Amy Walterscheid 1st; 50m dash - Robin Greathouse 1st, Melanie Bayer 3rd; 1600m relay - Greathouse, Bayer, Endres, Walterscheid 4th.

7th and 8th grade boys - 400m relays - Gehrig, Grewing, Koelzer, Berres 4th; 800m run - Shawn Dangelmayr 4th; 100m dash - Troy Berres 4th, Tony Grewing 5th, Ryan Gehrig 6th; 800m relay - Gehrig, Schilling, Berres, Grewing 3rd; 400m dash - Ryan Gehrig 4th; 200m dash - Rayn Gehrig 5th, John Schilling 6th; 1600m relay - Grewing, Koelzer, Dangelmayr, Schilling 3rd.

Doug Aston 2nd, 10'6"; high jump - Doug Aston 2nd, 6'; Scott Taylor 4th, 5'6"; 3200m run - Glenn Swirczynski 5th, 12:21; 100m dash - Ryan Bayer 13:13; 400m dash - Scott Taylor 3rd, 56.5; 200m dash - Scott Taylor 3rd, 24.7; 1600 m run - Darrell Dangelmayr 3rd, 5:16, John Nasche 6th, 5:22.

Girls' division: long jump - Molly Koelzer 3rd, 15' 1/2"; discus - Kerry Haverkamp 2nd, 31' 7"; Vickie Schmitt 5th, 28' 6 1/4"; 3200m run - Sharon Henscheid 2nd, 13:12; 800m run - Bev Haverkamp 6th, 2:47; 100m dash - Molly Koelzer 1st, 12.9; 400m dash - Molly Koelzer 1st, 65; 200m dash - Vickie Schmitt 6th, 29.3; 1600m run - Michelle Walter 1st, 5:59, Sharon Henscheid 3rd, 6:08, Sally Stoffels 5th, 6:20. 1600m relay - B.Haverkamp, Schmitt, Walter, Koelzer 1st, 4:31.

Bowhunters have small impact on herds

Statistics compiled from the 1984 archery deer hunting season in Texas indicate bowhunters enjoyed approximately 400,000 mandays of recreation that year, but their harvest was low.

Archers took approximately 6,000 deer during the special October archery season, a figure which pales in the light of the 373,000 total harvested during the regular gun season.

The archery total reflects an average of only .12 deer per hunter, for a hunter success rate of approximately 10 percent, according to Glenn Boydston, technical programs coordinator for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's Wildlife Division.

Hunters purchased 50,645 archery stamps, which are required for hunting during the archery season, compared to only 15,419 to 1975.

Hornet Relays Saturday

Münster's first big track meet of the season will welcome 64 teams to the Hornet stadium and field. The Hornet relays will begin with boys' preliminaries and girls' field events at 9 a.m. Saturday.

"We will have one, two and three A schools competing in 4 divisions," says coach Dewey Sims. "Teams like Lake Dallas, Springtown, Frisco in 3A, Celina, Pilot Point, S&S and Southlake in 2A and Valley View, Münster and Gunter should be some of the stronger teams. The Callisburg girls should make a good showing."

This is the first time for a 4 division meet here: Div. 1 - Class A girls, Div. 2 - 2A and 3A girls, Div. 3 - Class A boys along with 2A and 3A junior varsity boys, Div. 4 - 2A and 3A boys.

The public is encouraged to come and watch the big meet. In addition to the above 9 a.m. starts, the boys shot and discus will begin.

At 11:30 a.m. girls' preliminaries and boys field events will start. "These are planned times and we will try hard to stay on schedule," said Coach Sims. All finals in running events will start at 3 p.m. and trophies should

be awarded around 5:45 p.m." The Münster Quarterback Club will have a fully stocked concession stand for those spending the day. Many local volunteers are helping to conduct the relays with timing, catching, setting, etc.

Soccer league begins

The Münster Soccer League will begin the spring playing season soon and the program is open to boys and girls, ages 6 to 18.

There will be a meeting of players and parents on Sunday, March 23 at 2 p.m. at the Münster Baseball Park. Those who have not turned in applications

may do so at this time. The league is in need of merchants or individuals to sponsor teams. Also very necessary are coaches for the teams. Those wishing to help coach do not need to be proficient in soccer. "We will provide training sessions," say the sponsors. For more information, call 759-4479.

MHS Golf starts

The Münster High golf team will get its first competition at the Sanger Tournament. The Tourney will be played at the Gainesville Municipal Course starting 9 a.m. Monday, March 24.

Münster's five man team consists of Andy Burnette, Druce Bynum, J. Shane Wimmer, Pat Hellman, and Keith Klement. Mike Pagel and Sam Fleitman will enter as individual medalists. Coach Dewey Sims expects Burnette and Wimmer to shoot in the mid 80's and the others in the mid 90's.

"None of these boys are seniors," said Sims, "I'm looking for some good golf years."

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Hornet tracksters win 1 and 2

The Muenster High School track teams finished last weekend's meet at S&S with a first and second place. The meet, sponsored by Gunter awarded first place in division one to the Hornets with a total point score of 112. The Muenster boys placed second in the 1-A school division with 103 points. Host team, Gunter, won the division with 126.

Head coach, Dewey Sims was pleased with the effort of the Hornets present. "I think we gave up about 40 points, though," he said. "Burnette, Cheaney, Ryan and Daniel Klement are always good for points."

Andy Burnette missed his hurdle event because he was taking the SAT test. Darren Cheaney was busy showing the Cooke County Grand Champion Steer, instead of pole vaulting. Ryan Klement's back injury kept him from the intermediate hurdles. A pulled calf muscle kept Daniel Klement out of

the 3200 meter run. Hornette coach Charles Meurer said all the girls showed good improvement. "They were in the frame of mind to compete, not just sit around and watch. Tammy Reiter turned in her usual first places in the shot put and discus events. Deanna Bierschenk did very well in the 800 meter run. It was her first time to run the event."

The girls placed as follows; times were not available: 3200 meter run - Tonya Fisher 3rd, Michelle Huddleston 6th. 400 Meter Relay - Team composed of LeAnn Sicking, Rita Walterscheid, Melody Klement and LaNell Sicking 2nd. 800 meter run - Deanna Bierschenk 4th. 800 meter relay - 400 relay team again placed 2nd. 1600 meter run - Tonya Fisher 4th. 1600 meter relay - team composed of LeAnn Sicking, Rita Walterscheid, Deanna Bierschenk and LaNell Sicking

2nd. Shot Put - Tammy Reiter 1st, Rita Walterscheid 4th, Donna Walterscheid 6th. Discus - Tammy Reiter 1st, Rita Walterscheid 5th, Donna Walterscheid 6th.

Coach Meurer expects all eleven Hornets to be ready for the big meet this weekend. "I think the Chico girls will be tough competition."

The Muenster boys placed as follows:

3200 meter run - Chris Klement 3rd, 11 min. 27.9 sec. 400 meter relay - team composed of Andy Burnette, Mark Hennigan, Bubba Klement and Steven Whittington 3rd, 47.2 sec. 800 meter run - Brian Hess 3rd 2 min. 18 sec. Keith Klement 5th, 2 min. 26 sec. 110 meter hurdles - Jeff Christian 3rd, 18.9 sec. 400 meter dash - Mark Hennigan 1st, 54.7 sec. 1600 meter run - Chris Klement 4th, time not available. 1600 meter relay - team composed of Burnette, Hennigan, Brian Hess,

and Drue Bynum 2nd, 3 min. 50.8 sec. Shot Put - Stuart Hess 1st, 48' 11", Ron Trubenbach 2nd, 46' 10". Discus - Stuart Hess 1st 124' 8", Gary Grewing 5th, 106'. Long jump - J. Shane Wimmer 5th, 17' 3/4".

Coach Sims was impressed with several improvements. "We haven't been pushing too hard yet but freshman Chris Klement did great taking 18 seconds off his 3200 meter time. I'll expect more from him. Brian Hess didn't get caught in the pack this time and cut 8 seconds from his 800 meter time. He'll be a real good half miler. And Stuart Hess continues to improve his shot. He added over a foot this time."

The teams and coaches and a lot of support troops are preparing for the Hornet Relays here on Saturday.

Management area deer hunt results totaled

Public deer hunting opportunity was made available to 6,803 sportsmen during recent gun deer hunts on 15 Texas Parks and Wildlife Department wildlife management areas totaling 212,460 acres.

Herb Kothmann, public hunt coordinator, said 24,348 persons applied for the hunts, and the 3,805 hunters who received permits and reported to hunt harvested 1,081 deer, for an average success rate of 28.1 percent. A one-deer bag limit was in effect on all areas except the Kerr WMA in Kerr County. A two-deer bag limit was implemented on the Kerr area in an effort to control numbers of exotic deer. Kothman said hunters were allowed to take two deer, provided that no more than one was a white-tailed deer. The special two-deer limit resulted in

the harvest of 36 exotic deer and was termed a success by department officials.

The following is a list of the areas hunted, number of hunters participating, and percent success: Alabama Creek, 284, 5.3 percent; Bannister, 369, 3.5 percent; Cad-do, 147, 12.2 percent; Chapparral, 314, 17.2 percent; Daughtrey, 454, 41.2 percent; Engeling 617, 18.6 percent; Gene Howe, 43, 23.3 percent; Kerr, 386, 54.4 percent; Matagorda Island, 191, 72.2 percent; Moore Plantation, 228, 7.9 percent; Pat Mayse, 241, 18.7 percent; Sierra Diablo, 35, 82.9 percent; Somerville, 144, 20.8 percent; Tomas, 244, 53.3 percent; and Walter Buck, 108, 51.8 percent.

Plans are underway to include several additional areas for public deer hunts during the 1986-87

season. "We will continue our efforts to make maximum use of areas under the department's control in providing public hunting opportunities," Kothman said.

Reservation fees established for state park facilities

Effective March 1, persons reserving campsites or other facilities in state parks more than 10 days in advance will be required to pay a reservation fee, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department announced.

The fee will be in the amount of one day's user fee for each facility reserved. Officials said the fee will be applied to the amount due at the time of registration.

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TRUSTEE ELECTION ORDER AND NOTICE
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 term.

Candidates who have filed are: Place Six - Karon L. Sullivant;
 Place Seven - Paula Schmitz Lewis and Alan Ritchey.
 Absentee voting by personal appearance will begin on March 17
 and continue through April 2, 1986 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in
 the office of the County Clerk in the Court House in Gainesville,
 Texas, on each day which is not a Saturday, Sunday or an official
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The Cooke County District Trustee Election will be held in con-
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 Primary Elections
 May 3, 1986

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Precinct 1, Place 2
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 Rt. 3 Box 138-C, Gainesville, TX 76240

Precinct 4
ROYCE MARTIN
 Pol. Ads. Paid by Royce Martin
 Valley View, TX (Democrat)

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JANET GRAVES JOHNSON
 Pol. Ads. Paid by Janet Johnson
 1209 S. Garrett, Gainesville, TX

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FRANK SCOGGIN
 Pol. Ads. Paid by Frank Scoggin
 1710 Harris St. Gainesville, TX

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Precinct 4
Gerald (Jerry) Walterscheid
 Pol. Ads. Paid by Jerry Walterscheid
 Rt. 2 Box 33, Muenster, TX

Precinct 4
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 Pol. Ads. Paid by Wayne Trubenbach
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ORDER FOR CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION
 THE STATE OF TEXAS
 CITY OF MUENSTER

On the 6th day of January, 1986, in the City Council of the City
 of Muenster, Texas, convened in regular session at the regular
 meeting place thereof with the following members present, to wit:

Richard Grewing, Mayor
 Ted Henschied, Alderman/Councilmember
 Claude Klement, Alderman/Councilmember
 John Pagel, Alderman/Councilmember
 Aubrey Tuggle, Alderman/Councilmember
 Willie Wimmer, Alderman/Councilmember

and the following absent: 0, constituting a quorum, and among
 other proceedings had were the following:

Alderman/Councilmember Claude Klement introduced a resolu-
 tion and order and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded
 by Alderman/Councilmember Aubrey Tuggle, and the motion
 carrying with it the adoption of the resolution and order prevailed
 by the following vote,
 AYES: five
 NOES: none

The resolution and order are as follows:

Whereas the laws of the state of Texas provide that on April 5th,
 1986, there shall be elected the following officials for the city:

MAYOR
 3 Aldermen/Councilmembers
 Place No. 1
 Place No. 2
 Place No. 3

Whereas the laws of the State of Texas further provide that the
 Election Code of the State of Texas is applicable to said election,
 and in order to comply with said Code, an order should be passed
 establishing the procedure to be followed in said election, and
 designating the voting place for said election.

THFOREBE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL
 OF THE CITY OF MUENSTER, TEXAS:

That all independent candidates at the election to be held on the
 first Saturday in April, 1986, for the above mentioned offices file
 their applications to become candidates for the Mayor of this City
 at Muenster, Texas, on or before 30 days before the date of said
 election;

All candidates should file with said application the loyalty af-
 fidavit required by Article 6.02 of the Election Code.

That the secretary of this City shall, in accordance with the
 terms and provisions of Article 13.32 of the Election Code, post in
 his office the names of all candidates who have been certified to
 him by the Chairman of the Executive Committee of any party
 holding a primary election for said above mentioned offices, and
 the names of all independent candidates who have filed their ap-
 plications in accordance with the terms and provisions of this
 order, and said names shall be posted at a conspicuous place in
 said office for at least 10 days before said Secretary orders the
 same to be printed on the ballot of said election.

This City, having Officers election precinct, said election shall be
 held at the following place in said city:

1. In Election Precinct No. 1 at Muenster Public School Building.

The City Secretary is hereby authorized and instructed to provide
 and furnish all necessary election supplies to conduct said
 election.

The order in which the names of the candidates are to be printed
 on the ballot shall be determined in a drawing by the City Secretary
 as provided by Article 6.05 c, Subd. 3.

The Mayor shall give notice of this election in accordance with
 the terms and provisions of Article 4.05 of the Election Code and
 returns of said notice shall be made as provided in said Article
 4.50, and the Mayor shall issue all necessary orders and writs for
 said election and returns of said election shall be made to the
 Council immediately after the closing of the polls.

It is further found and determined that in accordance with the
 order of this governing body the Secretary posted written notice of
 the date, place and subject of this meeting on the bulletin board
 located in the City Hall, a place convenient to the public, and said
 notice having been so posted and remaining posted continuously for
 at least three days preceding the date of this meeting. A copy
 of the return of said posting shall be attached to the minutes of the
 meeting and shall be made a part thereof for all intents and
 purposes.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED this 6th day of
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NOTICE OF ELECTION
MUESTER HOSPITAL DISTRICT

To the registered voters of Muenster Hospital District:
The Board of Directors of Muenster Hospital District orders and gives notice of an election to be held on the 5th day of April, 1986, for the purpose of electing five (5) directors of the district for a full two (2) year term.

Absentee voting by personal appearance will begin on Monday, March 17, 1986, and continue through Tuesday, April 1, 1986, from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. on each day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or an official holiday. Administrator's Office, Muenster Memorial Hospital, 605 North Maple Street, Muenster, Texas 76252, is the address of the place for absentee voting. Applications for absentee voting by mail are to be addressed to Herman W. Carroll, P. O. Box 370, Muenster, Texas 76252, and must be received no later than 12:00 noon March 28, 1986.

The polling place on day of election is Muenster Public High School Building, East Seventh Street, Muenster, Texas, and will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The City of Muenster is now accepting bids for painting the elevated water storage tank. Sealed bids will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. April 7, 1986, at the Muenster City Hall. For information or specifications call Muenster City Hall, 817-759-2236.

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Wheat farmers bracing for epidemic

Leaf rust, a fungal disease that took a big bite out of the 1985 Texas wheat crop, appears all set to strike again.

Spores which lead to the disease infection have been found in increasing numbers in central areas of the state in recent weeks, say officials with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service who are monitoring the situation.

"This winter's mild weather plus the fact that the disease was severe last year increases the potential for another major outbreak this year," points out Dr. Wendell Horne, Extension Service plant pathologist.

Horne says that the warmer weather has wheat progressing rapidly and that the crop is reaching the critical stage for control measures in some areas of the state.

"Since the cost of a fungicide application to control leaf rust is quite expensive, a farmer must be sure to treat his crop at the right time," Horne emphasizes. "Past experience has shown that a fungicide is most effective when applied just as the flag leaf is starting to emerge. This is the last leaf formed before the grain head is exerted."

Horne also emphasizes that only fields with a good yield potential should be treated to be cost-effective. "The greatest benefit is likely to result when the yield potential is 40 bushels or more per acre," he points out. "If two applications are anticipated, the yield potential should be in the range of 60 bushels per acre. Second applications should follow the first by 10 to 14 days."

The plant pathologist advises farmers to use 3 to 5 gallons of water per acre to insure good coverage when applying the fungicide by air.

County Extension agents can help farmers monitor the situation to determine if control measure should be taken against leaf rust disease, notes Horne. If the disease is present, then a farmer needs to take a close look at his situation to determine if there are any factors that might limit the crop's potential such as stand, fertility level and available moisture.

County Agent's Report

by Craig Rosenbaum

About this time of the year, home lawns need a boost to get them in shape for the spring season just around the corner.

There are three operations that can get a lawn off to a good start—scalping, fertilizing and applying a weed killer.

Scalping a lawn in early spring serves to revitalize it and promote early spring green-up. Begin the operation by lowering the blade of your lawnmower 1/2 to 1 inch below the normal setting. Then mow the lawn in two directions that are at right angles to each other. Remove the clippings after each mowing. The lawnmower blade can remain lowered until mid-summer.

After scalping the lawn, apply a complete fertilizer (one containing nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium) to promote leaf and root growth. Use 1 pound of nitrogen per 1,000 square feet of lawn area. This is equal to 12 pounds of an 8-8-8 fertilizer or 8 pounds of a 12-4-8 fertilizer. Repeat the application in the early summer and fall.

For a dark green lawn, apply nitrogen every 50 days at the rate of one pound to 1,000 square feet. Monthly applications of iron chelate or iron sulfate during the spring and summer promote a healthy color in St. Augustine lawns.

To keep crabgrass or other unsightly weeds from becoming a problem, apply a preemergence herbicide (weed killer) containing benefin, dacthal or bensulide in early spring, after the grass has

recovered from winter. Applying a preemergence herbicide too early this year could further weaken turfgrasses injured by winter conditions. Combinations of herbicides with fertilizers are available and convenient to use but, as with all herbicides, should only be used according to instructions on the label.

Proper maintenance is essential for a healthy lawn, and these practices will give new life to a dormant, weedy lawn.

Farm debt plan announced

A farm debt restructuring plan announced Thursday (March 6) by Farm Bureau could help save thousands of farmers and ranchers from bankruptcy or liquidation, according to S.M. True, president of the Texas Farm Bureau.

The Plainview farmer said the two-tier restructuring program approved by the American Farm Bureau Federation board of directors in Chicago March 4 essentially would allow a farmer's debt to be paid back over a longer period of time.

"This could save a lot of good farmers who otherwise might lose everything they have, and it would enable some troubled banks to salvage money that would otherwise be lost," said True, who is a

member of the AFBF board. The AFBF will seek support of its program with private and government lending institutions, True said.

"We will seek regulatory and legislative changes necessary to allow commercial banks to institute such a program and the regulatory changes necessary from the Farm Credit Administration and operational changes within all entities of the Farm Credit System to allow the Farm Credit System to institute such a program," he said.

True said the Texas Farm Bureau has already begun contacting private and Farm Credit System lending institutions in Texas to see if the plan can be expedited.

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by Bill Hamer

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Forestburg News

by Myrt Denham

It was so much fun! The food was delicious! There was much talk and laughter and everyone really enjoyed it. What? Well, the monthly Ladies Luncheon on Thurs. March 13 -- what else. Those enjoying it all were: Mmes. Vera Mae McGee, Dorothy Foster, Gladys Barclay, Eula Fae Galmor, Juanita Bailey, Bonnie Griffin, Marion Sockwell, Millie Reynolds, Betty Jo Cook, Gene Links, Dolly Wilson, Frances Brewer, Mag Huckabay, Mary Etta Foster, Loveta Bewley, Wilma Thurman, Cleta Reynolds, Debby Reynolds, Kim Naurert, Wilma Moseley, Geneva Volkman, Karla Griffin and Myrt Denham. The next luncheon will be the 2nd Thursday in April. See you there!

Merle Hudspeth wishes to remind everyone about the Political Rally at the New Community Center Sat. March 22. It will begin at 6:30 p.m. Pie and coffee will be for sale - so all ladies in the community are asked to furnish a pie (in a disposable container). There will also be music for entertainment - so now you have a chance to meet the various candidates personally.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reynolds of Dallas were lunch time guests with Millie and W.T. Reynolds on Sat.

Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Reynolds wandered over to Bowie last Tuesday and while there they called on Mrs. Joe Denham at Bowie Manor.

Joe Burl Penton of Everett, Washington and his sister Mrs. Joyce Hanson of Prairie Point visited their aunt Louise Shults on Fri.

Mrs. Alice Burchard of Greenwood and Mrs. Caruth Chrestman of New Harp were also Fri. visitors with Louise.

Louise's son Bill of Denton visited his Mom for a while on Mon. and Tues. Then on Sat. Louise drove over to Gainesville - while there she visited with Mrs. Elva Carter in the hospital there afterwards Louise picked up her dear friend - Mrs. Delia Roach and brought her home with her to spend Sat. nite.

Mrs. Kay Walker of Oklahome

City, Ok. was a visitor with Cecil and Mary Lou McCandless Thurs. On Fri. Cecil received word of the death of his niece Mrs. Patsy Hager of Henrietta. Funeral services were at 3 p.m. Sunday, March 16 in the Church of Christ with burial in the Blue Grove Cemetery.

Charlie and Gladys Barclay were in Chico Thurs. to visit with his cousin - Mrs. Cora Richey. Cora is the daughter of the late Myrtle Barclay.

Word has come to us that Garland Kuykendall of Pine Bluff, Arkansas is seriously ill in a hospital there. Garland is the son of the late Willie and Ida (Barclay) Kuykendall.

Starr Mann was returned to ICU at Bethania Hospital. He had been moved to a room - but had to be taken back to ICU.

Have learned that Ed and Nannie Bonner have been and still are very, very ill with the flu.

Emma Lee Steadham is on the "not feeling so well" list.

Willie Orrell is still a patient in Westgate Hospital in Denton.

Word reached the Forestburg Community of the Sunday March 16 death of Mrs. Pearl (Landers) Knox of Ryan, Oklahoma. Mrs. Ryan's relatives here are brother Jim Landers and niece Sheree Vannoy.

R. L. Halford's sister Mrs. Mary Fair of Bowie passed away Sun. March 16 in the Bowie Hospital. Mr. Halford is Principal of the Forestburg School.

Forestburg once again has a Ladies Volley Ball team - the members are Debra Dill, Helen Steadham, Liz Johnson, Cass Greenead, Tina Houston and

Nancy Traylor. They participated in the Pilot Tournament last week - they won the Tues. game, won Thurs. game and lost Fri. nite's game. They go under Dill's Garage team.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Ensey drove up to Altus, Ok. on Fri. to visit their three children and families plus visiting with Dawson's parents - Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ensey. They returned home Sunday p.m.

Carolyn and Raymond Wood and son Kip of Wichita Falls spent the past weekend with her parents - Merle and Clifford Hudspeth. On Sunday they were joined by the Dale Hudspeth family and Virginia and Doyle Lynch for lunch in the home of the Clifford Hudspeths.

Visiting with Barney and Veda Brogdon were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fanning of Muenster on Sat. Shirley Brogdon of Miami spent Sat. nite with the Brogdons. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Long of Dallas were their weekend guests and Lina Bogess of Saint Jo was a Sunday afternoon visitor.

Christy Holland of Denton was a weekend visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Holland, Kendale and Brent of Stoney Point. They were joined by Mitch Holland of Gainesville on Sunday.

Christy started her new job with the U.S. Postal Service on Mon. Christy will work as a Letter Sorting Machine Operator in the new main post office in Fort Worth. The new post office is located on the north-east side of Fort Worth. Christy will stay a resident of Denton.

The Charles Dill family made a trip to Denton Sat.

The Clifton Bewleys, Elaine and Eldon Echols of Watauga and Loyd Bewley of Era got together Sat. to celebrate Elaine's and Clifton's birthdays. Clifton's birthday was the 12th and Elaine's was the 15th. Loveta reports a wonderful day for all.

Dorothy and Cecil Foster of the Burg, Kaye Scott of Denton and Misty Walker of Krum made it over to Decatur Sat. to attend a

birthday party honoring Mrs. Cecil King on her 90th birthday. Mrs. King's husband, Cecil, is 95 years of age and is in a Rest Home in Decatur thus was unable to attend. Dorothy Foster reports there was a big crowd at the party.

It was birthday party time for Blake Scott. All his children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren made it up to Blake's house on Sunday. There was a big dinner and gifts etc. honoring Blake. Might add here the Blake's birthday is on the 18th of March but so all could participate in the celebration it was held on Sunday.

Miss Amy Hatcher spent the March 14 - 17 weekend in Euless with her mother Mrs. Susan Hatcher, Megan and Morgan.

Kim and Tony Desmuke and their son Ian of Lake Dallas spent the weekend with Kim's parents - Rex and Billie Anderson. On Monday the Desmukes left for a weeks vacation in Colorado to get in some snow skiing. Their son, Jan, remained with his grandparents.

Henry Berry and son Todd of Nocona visited with his parents Dude and Bula Mae Berry on Sat. On Sunday the Berry's son Mike and his son Jamie of Denton paid them a visit.

Dude and Bula Mae have taken to "baby-sitting" with dogs these days. They lent a helping hand to the Dawson Enseys while they made a trip to Altus, Ok. On Monday, Dude and Bula Mae made a trip to Decatur - then on to Alvord on business and to visit with Bula Mae's aunt Attie Scott and Bula Mae's sister Geneva White.

On Saturday Ola Fae Thurman and Valley Buck of Nocona visited with their cousin - Mrs. Vera Mae McGee. Ola Fae and Valley are sisters. Then on Sunday afternoon Bailey and Edna (Mitchell) Orrell

of Nocona called on Vera Mae. Bailey is Vera Mae's cousin and he is a brother to Ola Fae Thurman and Valley Buck.

It was Britany J'Lynn Dill day at the Prairie Point Nazarene Church Sunday a.m. March 16. Britany's name has been placed on a Bronze Memorial Plaque at the Nazarene Church headquarters in Kansas.

Perryman Denham made a business trip to Montague Monday afternoon. While there he visited with an old friend and neighbor - Mrs. Eva (Green) Crayton. They were neighbors years ago at Stoney Point.

There was a Jackson Family dinner at the New Community Center Sunday. Those in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. Warren Jackson of Wichita Falls - their daughters - Mrs. Steve Flynn and Daughter of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Teddy Condrie and 2 children of Windthorst, Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Jackson of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jackson of Decatur, Mrs. Eula Steen of Saint Jo Nursing Center, Mrs. Joe Jackson of Nocona, Mrs. Jean (Jackson) Ensey of Bakersfield, California, Wanda Sue and Wayne Wood of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eason of Era, Bailey and Edna Orrell of Nocona, Mrs. Shirley Brogdon of Miami, Mrs. Ouida McCandless of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Selby of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack C. Dill, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dill and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dill and Brady and Rev. and Mrs. Chris L. Allen and 2 children all of Forestburg.

The Forestburg United Methodist Women met Mon. at 2 p.m. at their church for the Easter Program. The program was titled "United in Telling the Story".

The Mrs. Laura Belle Jackson gave a program on "A Time of the Unexpected." Those present were: Mmes. Vera Mae McGee, Laura Belle Jackson, Betty Reynolds and Lucille Littell. The program was followed with a period of fellowship and refreshments.

COMMENT

With all the recent problems the Forestburg community had with its school board we should ALL remember to go vote at the upcoming school board election the first Sat. in April - which is the 5th of April. This writer sincerely urges EVERYONE to study the candidates and their qualification. Then vote for those you think are the best qualified to run the School's business. I repeat what I said last week - if you would turn your business over to your choice for him or her to manage - then vote for your choice! Electing people to serve on the school board is a serious situation - the people YOU vote in will RUN the school - they will be spending your tax money. This is not the time to vote for someone just because he (she) is a good friend, a neighbor or even a fellow church member. It is the time to vote for sensible and qualified individuals.

Remember it is your school - and the school board is there to represent YOU plus run the school as it were a business. A business to educate our children to the highest degree with the money available - and to do the very best they can with what they have.

An official ballot and instruction for this election will be posted in all the places of business in Forestburg. Thus you have plenty of time to study it, etc.

/s/ Myrt Denham

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