

Welcome, Wagon Train!

Muenster, judged No. 1 by Keep Texas Beautiful, Inc. in cities 2500 population or less, home of Germanfest, where German hospitality is a way of life, proudly welcomes the Texas Sesquicentennial Wagon Train.

The colorful replica of pioneer transportation is in Muenster now as this edition of **The Enterprise** is being mailed, and is encamped on East Seventh Street.

Upon arrival about 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., it was met by a welcoming committee headed by Monica Hess, president of the Chamber of Commerce. Dinner was served by Jaycees from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. It was a typical German supper, featuring sausage and kraut with the trimmings and fresh peach cobbler prepared by ladies of the

Catholic Daughters of America. The meal and other expense items were provided by the Muenster Jaycees, Catholic Daughters of America, and Muenster Volunteer Fire Department, with assistance from local businesses, organizations and individuals. The price per person is \$1.00 to Wagon Train occupants and \$4.00 to others.

Special passengers on the Train were members of the welcome committee who joined it along the way to Muenster near the Montague County line.

Mikki Gerstberger will deliver the welcoming address in German and Mayor Richard Grewing will follow, with his interpretation, assuring wagon train members of the community's pleasure in welcoming its visitors.

in German. Jerry Oz, a Germanfest favorite, provided entertainment. The visitors were also shown a short preview of the new Butterfield Stage Players' production, "Curse You, Jack Dalton" to be shown Friday night in Gainesville.

The wagon train is a replica of the rugged conveyance used to transport pioneers over the prairie. Each train consisted of several units serving various purposes. Usually, the principal was the vehicle in which patrons rode and slept and two or more of them were assigned to a chuck wagon for chow and various other accommodations. However, conditions are different in this train, in which some people have gone modern and added their own vacation vehicles as their service units.



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When assessing the qualities of Muenster, the most prominent is sure to be that it is big in spite of a moderate population count. Though it has only about 1500 residents, its level of action and progress is greater than many cities of three times its size.

There's a reason. A favorable atmosphere has been created and maintained by the achievements of many organizations such as church, school and social groups. Their combined efforts keep the community buzzing with a spirit that fits the city's appeal for business in both sales and service.

For instance, it helps when the community simply looks good, when streets are clean and well-maintained, when homes and lawns are well-kept, when recreation facilities are available to young people.

Well, Muenster meets that standard of excellence as an inducement to both home folks and visitors. And the results are apparent in several areas of the community.

It's pleasing to note that the city is served by several large firms; one of them being the milk plant; another the electric co-op; and still another the hospital. Also there are several firms doing similar business to serve a number of people with similar needs.

A listing of several business categories here leaves little doubt about the wide range of its services. In a word, it is BIG. By classification and identity of the locations they occupy, here are some of the institutions and businesses that keep Muenster ticking: Two churches, Catholic and Baptist; two schools, public and parochial, the public school affiliated K-12, and parochial affiliated pre-K-12; a 30-bed hospital, six medical doctors, two dentists; one veterinary doctor with clinic; one pharmacy; headquarters for four telephone exchanges; one post office; also one bank; four accounting offices; four car dealers, six auto repair shops, one paint and auto repair; one automotive supply store; one oil field supply; 12 or more oil field operators; two machine tool production and repair plants; one newspaper and one commercial printing plant. Also two supermarkets; three convenience food stores; two restaurants, one ethnic restaurant, three fast-food places; four hair dressers and beauty shops.

Also a child-day care center; women's, men's and children's wear stores; one furniture store; two hardware and variety stores; one video sales and rental service; one butane and electric store; seven filling stations; two building centers; one trucking business; four dirt moving businesses; three beer wholesalers, three liquor stores; five taverns.

Also the three-county electric co-
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BRYAN HUDSPETH, a member of T-Ball's "Heavens Delight," waits for an opportunity to get back on the field, as he sits in the dugout.

Photo by Janie Hartman

Three organizations Adopt-A-Highway

The Kiwanis, 4-H Club and the Bluebonnets Home Demonstration Club have each adopted a two-mile section of highway. Bill Presson of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation met with the representatives of the three groups at the regular Kiwanis weekly meeting on June 11. Presson said, "The Department has created the Adopt-A-Highway program to create public involvement to help in efforts to keep Texas highways free of litter. The need for public awareness and involvement are apparent when we look at the roadsides."

Presson commended the community for their involvement in the beautification of Texas and the participation in the Wildflower venture last year. He was delighted that Muenster has been chosen as a Keep Texas Beautiful Community and is looking forward to working with us on this project. He stated that there are other programs the community might become interested in such as the Adopt-A-Median program. The Muenster Chamber of Commerce office will have more information on this and other programs in the near future.

The Muenster 4-H Club has adopted the first two-mile section east of town on Highway 82, Muenster Kiwanis adopted the second two-mile section east on Highway 82. The Bluebonnets adopted the first section going west

on Highway 82. These organizations will have their names on signs provided by the state on their section of roadway showing whose section of highway you are seeing. There are plenty of other roadways to be adopted. If your organization is interested, please contact the Chamber of Commerce office for more information.

Big step taken for lake project Monday

A significant step forward in the development of the Muenster Lake project was taken Monday night at a meeting of the attorney for the Muenster Water District with the property owners concerned. The meeting, held in the Cooke County Co-Op Building, was called by Richard Stark, representing the District, for the purpose of extending offers of the District to the owners of properties required for the lake. Stark stated he preferred this method of extending the offers rather than by mail so he and the appraiser, Bill Williams, could be available to respond to any immediate questions of the owners on initial receipt of the offers.

In closing, Stark explained the acquisition process, in detail, and

S H coach named Coach of the Year

Sacred Heart High School head girls' basketball coach, Jon LeBrasseur, has been named 1985-86 Coach of the Year in the Texas Christian Interscholastic League in a poll among the league's coaches and administrators.

LeBrasseur's Tigerettes posted a 26-4 record in route to the girls' AAA State Championship. His lifetime coaching record with the Tigerettes is 132-37 and includes six District Championships and two State Championships.

"It's nice to be named Coach of the Year," he said. "It's really a reflection on our school, our student-athletes and our program. People aren't really recognizing Jon LeBrasseur; they're saying Sacred Heart is a strong school, it's a winner on the court and in the classroom."

Under LeBrasseur's leadership,



JON LeBRASSEUR

the Tigerettes turned a 2-24 program into a program which has claimed the District Championship for the six years he has been at the helm.

"Our season speaks for itself," LeBrasseur said. "Two things are especially pleasing: number one, this team stuck together during our losing streak and worked hard and always kept their goal as the State Championship; and number two, I'm happy for the students and all of our wonderful fans who expect us to continue a winning experience."

"I've been blessed with a great amount of talent here at Sacred Heart," LeBrasseur said. "Not only in the players but in the support of our parents." During the six years of Coach Jon's reign, the Tigerettes have had 10 All-Staters

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Director of Tourism visits here on June 12

Thursday, June 12, our community was honored by a visit by Howard Rosser, Director of Tourism, East Texas Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Rosser was in town to evaluate the possibilities for attracting tourists to our community. After lunch at Fischerhaus with Monica Hess, Chamber of Commerce president, Gary Fisher, Muenster Industrial Board president, and Maudine Griffin, Chamber Executive Secretary, he was shown some of the beautiful country north of town toward the Red River.

At 2 p.m., he met with several of the community leaders to discuss the possibilities for tourism in Muenster. Rosser told the group that Muenster already had much to work with such as the fine food,

meat plants, products produced in Muenster and the delightful countryside nearby. Most of all, he pointed out the friendliness of the community and the pride in our town that is evident in the cleanliness and the parks and spots of beauty around the town.

He encouraged the group to take advantage of local craftsmen and to begin an auto tour of the countryside during the spring and fall. He said these were ways in which we could attract tourists without a

large volunteer involvement. He stated, "The average tourist spends \$28 in each town where he stops. If Muenster could attract an average of 100 tourists a day, that would mean almost \$70,000 a year in sales tax revenue."

Rosser said, "Muenster is a very unique community. Let others know about that uniqueness." He suggested attracting group tours as well as the family car-type of visitor. He left town with the words, "I'll be back, I want to see Germanfest."

Good News!

The way we came to understand love was that he laid down his life for us; we too must lay down our lives for our brothers.

I ask you, how can God's love survive in a man who has enough of this world's goods, yet closes his heart to his brother when he sees him in need?

1 John 3:16-17

Temperatures soar

With the steady rise in temperature, it appears that summer has finally arrived. Although, the rain was not quite so frequent this past week, farmers are still experiencing difficulty in harvesting the remaining wheat from the fields. Temperatures and rainfall amounts are recorded by Steve Moster as follows.

June 12	90 and 68
June 13	92 and 71
June 14	92 and 70
June 15	with 10 inch rain 86 and 68
June 16	88 and 73
June 17	with 62 inch rain 80 and 68

The rainfall of the past week amounted to .72 inch rain, bringing the June total to 4.30 inches and the year-to-date total to 16.71 inches.

COMMENT

To the Editor,

A simple "thanks" is not good enough for those who helped make Operation: Clean Sweep a success. And to try to list everyone who helped would be near impossible because of the great support from almost everyone in town.

Those who helped in the actual campaign should be very proud to have been part of the winning effort. You know who you are, and because of your donation of time

and effort, you helped set Muenster apart from all of the other small towns in the entire state.

More importantly, you should be proud of your service to the community. In a small town, such service is vastly more important than monetary prizes. Such service can actually change the direction of a community by promoting unity, changing attitudes, and charting a positive course for others to follow.

To the Editor,

I will be leaving McCoy Corporation June 13 to take a position with Kewaunee Scientific Corporation in Lockhart, Texas. My nine years at McCoy's have been full of wonderful experiences, and I leave with great memories.

Vance Posey, who has done an excellent job as Assistant Advertising Manager here for the past few years, has been promoted to Advertising Manager. Many of you know him already through telephone conversations or personal visits. Please join me in

wishing him well.

We appreciate the fine rapport McCoy's shares with Texas newspapers and the Texas Newspaper Advertising Bureau. With local newspapers offering more competitive rates, we are now in newspapers in all markets with no ongoing direct mail program. There is power in paid readership, and McCoy's will continue to be a strong advertiser in Texas newspapers. Thank you for your cooperation and support.

Best regards,
/s/ Anne J. Clark

Muenster won purely because of the unity and cooperative nature of its people. Whether it was individuals mowing lawns, or groups out picking up trash along the roadsides, everyone had a part in this success. When Muenster was selected from all of those other towns, you were the real winner. A great big "THANKS" to each and every one of you. And thanks to everyone for your positive and supporting comments during and as a result of this campaign. I do appreciate it.

Sincerely,
/s/ Gary J. Fisher

Let the MUEENSTER ENTERPRISE help tell your out-of-town guests, trips, family gatherings, graduations, new jobs, transfers, school and church news, community activities, reunions, illness, hospital patients, new arrivals! Relatives and friends look forward to news, especially when they see each other only infrequently. Just like a long LETTER FROM HOME!

Brief history introduces town to Wagon Train

As the state winds down its Sesquicentennial, Muenster starts winding up its Centennial, an event expected to be observed about Dec. 8, 1889, and involving dates back to early 1889 when August Pulte of Gainesville wrote to a German Catholic newspaper of the Midwest, advising settlement in Cooke County. The idea appealed to Emil, August and Anton Flusche, boyhood friends of Pulte in Germany, and living then in the Midwest.

They came to inquire, had a tour of the area as guests of MK&T Railroad, and met with landowners in Dallas. There they agreed to a contract on Oct. 4 to sell 22,000 acres of Gunter and Wellesly land at an average of \$10 per acre within two years.

Sales were good back home and on Nov. 14, the train delivered a group of people to a siding identified as "Muenster" scrawled on a sheet of paper nailed to a telegraph pole. Muenster's first settlers had arrived.

Next interest was developing a town area, including a land office, stores and depot, while landowners developed their property.

Then they turned attention to the main event of establishing the community, the occasion to be the feast of the Immaculate Conception on Dec. 8. Father H. Brickley of Gainesville officiated with a Mass in the land office attended by 38 persons plus some who were not recorded.

With formalities completed and winter approaching, the people turned to home work like plowing, planting, building and digging water wells. The weather was severe, crops were poor and impure creek water for drinking caused eight typhoid deaths the first winter.

At the same time, they took on community projects like church, school, parish hall and rectory. First project was a school, also to be used as a church while the intended church was under construction.

The church was a bitter disappointment. Started in 1891, it was destroyed by a storm in December. On next attempt, it was started in 1892 and destroyed by another storm in 1893.

Next, the parish turned to

masonry construction but changed to brick when it encountered problems of removing the heaving stones from the quarry, hauling them and placing them in the walls. The brick construction too had flaws which appeared after a half century and led to a decision to change because of a poor foundation. The next church was the present building, finished in 1955.

Muenster's First Baptist Church was built in 1945; enlarged with a new building on the north side of the block in the late 1950s. The modern new structure was built in 1983 and a large parking lot was acquired this year.

During the earliest years of Sacred Heart Parish, the combined church-school became a school and home for teachers. Then it was replaced in 1925 with the present Sacred Heart elementary building. Sacred Heart High was built in 1955 and the Young Children's Learning Center in 1984.

As the parish plant grew, the Muenster ISD retained its original area and added enrollment by consolidation and population increase; and also built high school, junior high, elementary and kindergarten since 1951. At this time, enrollment in the two schools is about even and graduates numbered 31 at MHS, 20 at S.H. Progress in other areas of the community involve steady growth as the city incorporated, granted franchises for sale of power and gas, and took charge of water, sewer and streets, and individual businesses thrived.

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op headquarters; one milk distribution and processing plant; one livestock auction; two meat processing plants; three feed processing plants; two grain dealers; and many more. Counting all of them, it amounts to big business...in addition to the city with street, water, sewer, fire and police departments, the public library, and baseball park, and city park with tennis courts, beautiful swimming pool, pavilion and playground; a community center and two large club-owned halls.

With all of these business and service possibilities, Muenster easily rates as a small town with big town ways, and easily surpasses average cities of its size.

Father's Day Picnic

Winners announced

Always of interest to readers and members of the community are the names of winners of major prizes at parish or community events.

The following winners at the Father's Day picnic were reported by Don Hess, Mary Hess and Jim Gehrig, chairmen of the benefit projects:

\$300 cash, donated by Arnold Knabe - Leon Klement; \$250 cash, donated by Muenster Drilling Co. - Ethel Mae Hesse; 1/2 beef processed by H & W, donated by a friend - Gussie Felderhoff; \$100 cash, donated by V. Hoagland - Joe Sicking; 1 hog processed by H & W, donated by F & B Hog Farm - Charlie Wimmer; 1/2 beef processed by H & W, donated by a friend - Carol Fleitman; \$100 cash, donated by Martin Becker - Jamie Weinzapfel; \$100 cash, donated by John Bartush - Harold Bindel; \$100 cash, donated by Muenster State Bank - Tillie Schoech; \$100 cash, donated by The Center - Shirley Grewing; \$50 cash, donated by Tom Dankesreiter - Dorine Droll.

Keith Felderhoff won the Remington Model C Pump Rifle.

Texas Vets Land Board votes to expand benefits

AUSTIN - The Texas Veterans Land Board voted to expand the benefits available to Texas Veterans this week by adopting the recommendations of the Sunset Commission, the State Legislature and Texas voters.

"By adopting these recommendations, the number of state benefits for Texas Veterans has tripled," said Garry Mauro, chairman of the Veterans Land Board.

In a unanimous vote June 10, the Texas Veterans Land Board agreed to reduce the minimum acreage required to get a Texas Veterans Land loan from 10 acres to five acres. In addition, the Board voted to change the current guidelines so that, instead of limiting participation to just one of the three Texas Veteran loan programs, an eligible Texas Veteran can participate in all three. Texas Veterans will be able to make multiple use of the Texas Veterans program for a four-month period beginning June 17.

"Reducing the acreage requirement from 10 acres to five acres will make it easier for more Texas Veterans to buy quality land close to the urban areas where they live," said Veteran Land Board spokesman Mike Connolly.

In addition, Connolly said that allowing Texas Veterans to participate in all three Texas Veterans programs will greatly increase the state benefits now available to Texas Veterans.

"What this means is Texas Veterans can now get a \$20,000 loan to buy a house AND get a \$20,000 loan to buy land AND get a \$15,000 home improvement loan to make repairs to their residence," Connolly said. "Let me urge all Texas Veterans who've always wanted to use more than one of our fine programs to act within this four-month period."

Connolly said that in the past Texas Veterans were limited to only one loan with the Texas Veterans Land Board. During the next four months, however, a Texas Veteran who has already received one loan will be eligible to apply for a loan

from one or both of the remaining programs as well. For example, a Veteran who had already received a Texas Veterans land loan could now apply for a Texas Veterans housing loan or a Texas Veterans home improvement loan.

The Texas Veterans Land Program offers eligible Texas Veterans a \$20,000 loan at 8.75 percent to purchase a minimum of five acres.

The Texas Veterans Housing Assistance Program offers eligible Texas Veterans a \$20,000 loan at 9.5 percent to apply to the purchase of a home.

The newly-created Texas Veterans Home Improvement Loan Program makes available \$15,000 loans at 11.5 percent to make substantial repairs to a Veteran's residence.

The programs are financed through the sale of general obligation bonds at no costs to the taxpayer. The bonds are repaid by fees charged to Texas Veterans receiving loans through the program.

To find out how to participate in these programs, Veterans can call toll free 1-800-252-VETS for assistance.

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goes to all voters of Precinct 4, who voted for me in the June 7th Primary Run-off County Commissioner's Race. A special "Thanks" goes to my family and the many friends who worked so hard on this campaign to make it a success. Your help and support will always be remembered. Hoping for your continued confidence and support through the Nov. 4th General Election.

Sincerely,
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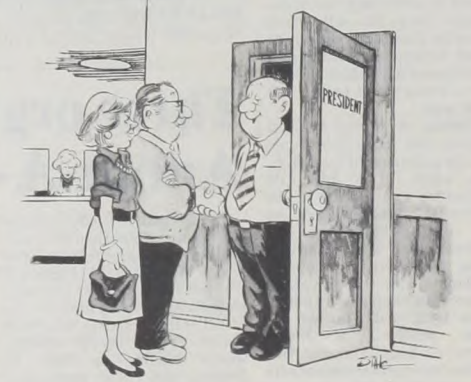


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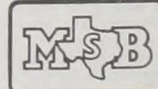


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Wagon Train School... Schoolhouse on wheels

A project of Cooke County College in Gainesville, the Wagon Train School has already generated a tremendous amount of interest statewide, and no wonder: It is a fully functioning mobile classroom with real students and real teachers - sort of a "one-room schoolhouse on wheels" - in which 25 students representing grades K-12 are attending classes and keeping up with their studies as they accompany their families all along the 3,000-mile route of the Texas Wagon Train. Much more than "Book Learnin'" will be the definite advantage of the students.

Cooke County College to resemble a one-room schoolhouse of the early Texas frontier, the Wagon Train School also serves as a unique exhibit of living history. With students using learning materials ranging from replica editions of McGuffey Readers to modern micro-computers, the Wagon Train School reflects not only the past but also the present and future of Texas education. Students of the Wagon Train School will also serve as a learning source for thousands of Texas school children who will visit with them and hear about their experiences in the more than 120

towns and cities on the wagon train route. When possible and appropriate, the Wagon Train School trailer will also be the center of various social activities - reflecting the historical significance of early schoolhouses as community meeting centers and social gathering places.

The three-member teaching team of the Wagon Train School consists of head teacher Anita Pitchford of Gainesville and assistants Randy Russell, also of Gainesville, and Susan Venus of Nacogdoches. Linda Mast of CCC is the Wagon Train School coordinator.

Msgr. Neu observes anniversary June 1

Msgr. Hubert J. Neu was honored on June 1, the 35th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood. He was ordained in St. Peter's Church by Bishop Augustine Dangelmayr on May 30, 1951 and celebrated his First Mass on May 31.

Parishioners of Most Blessed Sacrament Church in Arlington held a special liturgy for the 11:30 a.m. Mass celebrated by Msgr. Neu and the church choir presented special music.

A reception followed and pick-up foods, decorated cake and punch were served.

Among guests were Charles and Mary Neu; Ida Mae Bindel; James and Ann Bayer; Tom and Michelle Neu and Brian; Leslie and Marilyn Sandman and Adriene.

Msgr. Neu is the son of Joe and Ida Neu of Lindsay. He attended Lindsay High School and St. John's Seminary in San Antonio. He has served the parishes of St. Bernard's and St. Monica's in Dallas, St. Matthew's in Arlington, Our Lady, Queen of Peace in Wichita Falls and is now pastor of Most Blessed Sacrament in Arlington.



HONORED AT STATE 4-H ROUNDUP - Two adult leaders from each of the 14 Extension Districts were honored during a special luncheon at the 1986 Texas 4-H Roundup at Texas A&M University, June 10-11. Dr. Zerle L. Carpenter, (left) director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and Preston Sides, (right) Executive Director of the Texas 4-H Foundation - the service organization of 4-H - are shown presenting a plaque to Adult Volunteer Leader Nadine Pitzinger of Cooke County, in Extension District 4.

Elise Hennigan honored on 86th birthday June 10

An annual observance of Mrs. Henry Hennigan's birthday brings together the daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seyler, when the ladies meet in Fort Worth.

This year the group met for lunch in a cafeteria in Hulen Mall on June 10, bringing good wishes for her 86th.

Mrs. Marie Mosman, Mrs. Odella Lutkenhaus, Mrs. Catherine Johnson and Mrs. Rachel Hope were joined by a sister-in-law, Mrs. Agnes Seyler,

and her daughter, Johann Bezner, Mrs. Johnson's daughter Valerie and Mrs. Hope's granddaughter Pam.

After lunch, they all drove to St. Francis Village for birthday cake in Mrs. Hennigan's apartment. Each of the five sisters played her piano and Pam played "Happy Birthday" on her flute. The festive occasion, its delightful visit and gift exchange are planned again for next year.

Morrison Milling Co. wagon in Wagon Train

The Morrison Milling Company's entry in the Texas Sesquicentennial Wagon Train has several historical links to the north Texas mill. The main wagon was originally sold by the Fowler Brothers to a farming family in Krum, Texas, just west of Denton, home of The Morrison Milling Company. Used in the early 1900s to haul grain to the mill, the wagon was retired to storage when gasoline-powered vehicles became popular.

When Morrison decided to join the Texas Sesquicentennial Wagon Train to help celebrate the Mill's 100th birthday and their 50th anniversary with it, Sonny Morrison, president of the company, and Joe Shelton, supervisor of fleet maintenance, took on the task of coordinating the project. They launched a wide-ranging search for just the right vehicle, only to find it in the mill's back yard, Krum, Texas.

A typical farm tool from the turn of the century, it is a McCormick-Deering wagon built by International Harvester. It needed only minor repairs, a paint job and a new canvas to be ready to roll.

Measuring 11' x 38', the wagon will house Fred and Debbie Shivers, David and Teresa Shivers and the couples' four children aged five and under.

Rather than a motorized support vehicle, the Shivers are bringing a second wagon with them for supplies. This wagon is the same in

which Fred and Debbie were married in February 1976, then drove in the Bicentennial Wagon Train to Valley Forge, Penn., over the ensuing 5½ months.

The Shivers' wagon uses the original running gear, but the upper section has been rebuilt since its use as a prairie schooner. The Morrison Milling Company wagon is original except for the paint and canvas.

The Morrison Mill was founded in 1886 in Denton as the Alliance Mill. Its products won so many first prizes at the State Fair of Texas that, in 1897, it was barred from further competition. In 1900, Alliance's soft flour milled from fine wheat won a Gold Medal at the International Exposition in Paris, France, and another in 1904 at the St. Louis World Fair.

The Morrison family acquired the Alliance Mill in 1936. In the ensuing 50 years, the Morrises have continued the mill's tradition of quality and innovation. With food-service and retail divisions, the company produces a variety of wheat and corn flours along with a line of pre-mixed pouch baking products such as Corn-Kits, Bis-Kits and Pan-Kits.

A recently completed renovation modernized and enlarged the mill to make available higher quality products in greater quantities and to allow more people to enjoy the results of a century of goodness.

Wilkommen to The Texas Sesquicentennial Wagon Train

It's our
pleasure to have
you in Muenster.

May God Bless You
on your trail home.



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Hoening, Bayer exchange vows

The wedding of Collette Rae Hoenig and Keith William Bayer was held on Saturday, June 14, at 5 p.m. with the bride's uncle, Msgr. Hubert J. Neu of Blessed Sacrament Church, Arlington and Father Cletus Post, Lindsay and Father Denis Soeries, Muenster, officiating in St. Peter's Church of Lindsay in a Nuptial Mass and double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Raymond and Cecilia Hoenig of Rt. 4, Gainesville and the groom is the son of Arthur and Frances Bayer of Muenster.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was wearing a formal white wedding gown of filigree lace featuring a sweetheart bodice with a deep Victorian lace ruffle and a wedding-band collar enhanced with silk Venise lace and long, fitted filigree lace sleeves. The natural waistline was accented with a satin sash. The full skirt fell to a ruffled hemline and the back featured layered ruffles of antique lace sweeping into a chapel train.

Her derby hat was covered with Venise lace accented with seed pearls, with an attached, elbow-length veil of English nylon illusion.

Her bridal bouquet held orchid roses, white carnations, stephanotis and white baby's breath, and orchid ribbons.

Attendants

Carla Hoenig of Lindsay was her sister's maid of honor. Deana Norman and Doris Voth, friends of the bride and both of Lindsay, were bridesmaids. They wore floorlength orchid satin gowns with sweetheart necklines, a draped

overskirt of wisteria, featuring orchid satin bows and a satin sash.

Adrienne Sandman of Lindsay, the bride's cousin, was flower girl and Adam Barnhill, the groom's nephew, was ringbearer.

Bert Hesse of Muenster, the groom's cousin, was his best man. Brian Meurer, a friend of the groom, and Nathan Bayer, the groom's brother, were groomsmen.

Quentin Hoenig and Mark Hoenig, the bride's brothers of Lindsay, and Mark Knabe, the groom's cousin of Myra, and Mark Hesse, the groom's cousin of Muenster, were ushers.

Mass servers were Eddie, John and James Krebs and Glenn Hacker.

Participating in the wedding liturgy were John Hoenig, the bride's brother, and Carl and Eleanor Pelzel of Ennis, the bride's godparents, who presented the Offertory gifts at the altar.

Julie Rogers, the groom's sister of Sherman, was lector and Laura Fuhrmann, a friend of the bride, presented Offertory petitions.

Eucharistic ministers were Arthur and Frances Bayer, parents of the groom.

Wedding music was provided by Ruth Felderhoff, organist, and Christy Felderhoff, soloist. Selections included "You Are The Wind Beneath My Wings," "Sunrise, Sunset," "Wedding Song," "Wherever You Go," "Only a Shadow," "Hail Mary, Gentle Woman," "Canon in D" and the "Bridal Chorus."

The front altar held arrangements of orchid and white gladioli, roses and carnations; and lighted candles in candelabra. Baskets of floral arrangements were placed in the altar space, and altar rails were lined with greenery and lighted votive candles.

Reception

A reception followed in the Knights of Columbus Hall in Gainesville.

The bride's sister, Gretchen Hoenig, and the groom's niece, Mandy Barnhill, secured guests signatures in the bride's book.

The bride's cake and groom's cake were baked and decorated by Della Voth and served by Gretchen Hoenig and Mandy Barnhill.

Guests attended from Arlington,

Carrollton, Ennis, Oklahoma, Wichita Falls, Lewisville, The Colony, Smithfield, Jasper, Palmer, Houston, Cedar Hill and Richardson.

When the couple returns from their wedding trip, they will be at home north of Muenster.

The bride is 1985 graduate of Lindsay High School and attended Cooke County College. She is employed at Schad and Pulte in Gainesville. The groom is a 1983 graduate of Sacred Heart High School and is engaged in farming in the Muenster area.

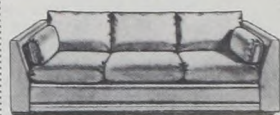
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MEGAN HELENA HENNIGAN

Megan Helena Hennigan, daughter of Mike and Janie Hennigan, celebrated her fourth birthday Saturday, June 7, with a party

at her home.

Pastel streamers decorated the patio where guests enjoyed cake, Kool-Aid and ice cream. The children played games directed by Megan's sisters, Michelle and Mindy, and a friend Dalana Endres.

Helping Megan celebrate were Jessie Harris, Brandon Klement, Kimberly Klement, Kristen Knauf, Allison Endres, Amanda Mollenkopf, Brent Sicking, Jim Stoffels, Amy Trubenbach, Debra Voth and her Aunt Carol Klement.

Sending gifts and greetings but unable to attend the party were Dee Walterscheid and Darren Hennigan; and Megan's godparents, Brenda Felderhoff and Tim Hennigan, and the grandparents, Vince and Trudy Felderhoff and Pat and Alice Hennigan.

News of the Sick

Victor Hartman has been dismissed from Muenster Memorial Hospital after 16 days hospitalization. He is convalescing at home, feeling much better and improving daily. His son, Willard, returned to Killeen last Friday and daughters, Edna Tompkins and Kathryn Gremminger, returned to Arlington and Denver respectively on Monday of this week. A granddaughter, Judy Hernandez, R.N., returned to Warrington, Virginia on June 8. Thirty of Hartman's 33 grandchildren came home to visit at his bedside and several others phoned frequently.

Theresa Vogel's birthday observed by family June 15

Theresa Vogel's birthday of June 11 was celebrated Sunday as a complete surprise event that included honors for all fathers in the group.

Everyone brought covered dishes for the bountiful dinner, and the honoree opened and displayed her gifts during the afternoon.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vogel and family of Muenster; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Fuhrmann (Margie) and family of Lindsay; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vogel and family of Muenster; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hudspeth (Rose) and family of Myra; and an aunt, Lu Vogel of Muenster.

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SUSAN MOSTER

Susan Moster receives degree in medicine

Susan Moster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Moster, recently graduated from the Oklahoma College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Susan, along with 88 other graduates, was honored in commencement exercises at the Mabee Center of Oral Roberts University on May 17.

Susan is a 1977 graduate of Muenster High School. She has previously received degrees in Pharmacy and Chemistry from Southwestern Oklahoma State University, and also attended graduate school in Business Administration at SWOSU prior to medical school.

She will begin her internship training on July 1 in Tulsa, Oklahoma with rotations to Leflore County Memorial Hospital and Tahlequah City Hospital.



LEROY VOTH

Is graduate of TSTI in Waco

Leroy Voth is a Cum Laude graduate of Texas State Technical Institute in Waco, receiving his degree in commencement ceremonies in the Waco Convention Center on May 23. A Civil Engineering Technology student, he was named to "Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges for '85-86" and was listed on the Dean's List and Campus President's Honor Roll. He graduated with a cumulative grade point average of 3.595 in a possible 4.0. Since graduation, he is employed by L. H. Lacy and Co. as an assistant foreman in highway and bridge construction and is residing with an uncle and aunt, Mark and Carole Voth in Arlington.

Leroy Voth is the son of Jim and Fran Voth, and the grandson of Mrs. Alphonse Walterscheid and Joe and Vina Voth, and a 1984 graduate of Sacred Heart High School. Attending the commencement program were the Jim Voths and Shari and Darren; Jo Ell Hellman; and Joe and Vina Voth. They also visited with Jerry and Delette Fette in Waco.

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Muenster High School Honor Roll announced

Eddie Griffin, principal at Muenster High School, has announced the honor roll for the second semester. On the High Honor Roll, with all "A's" are:

7th GRADE - Lanette Fisher, Minda Graham.

8th GRADE - Michael Abney, James Herr, Lisa Robison, Dyann Vogel, Dana Wimmer, Jenny Wimmer.

9th GRADE - John Herr, J. Shane Wimmer.

10th GRADE - Brian Hess, Melody Klement, Jamie Walterscheid.

11th GRADE - Andy Burnette, Drue Bynum, Sam Fleitman, Mark Hennigan, Melanie Richey.

12th GRADE - Dana Dankesreiter, Amy Davidson, Rose Herr, Francine Hudspeth, Jean Pagel, Tammie Reiter, Sharen Wolf.

On the Honor Roll, with "A" and "B" grades are:

7th GRADE - Melissa Bayer, Paul Black, Kelly Colwell, Sherry Hacker, Amy Hoenig, Sheila Huddleston, Jane Klement, Spencer McAden, Brad McDaniel, Karri Ramsey, Darrin Russell, Raymond Stewart, Richard Tuggle, Marcia Vogel, Steven Youngblood.

8th GRADE - Michael Bierschenk, Donnie Boydston, Jerry Brawner, Michael Connell, Misti Ford, James Hennigan, Erin Perkins, Jannet Reeves, Marshall Smith, Joe Weinzapfel.

9th GRADE - Cheryl Bayer, Denise Bayer, Deanna Bierschenk, Danny Black, Stephanie Bynum, Jennifer Carroll, Eric Dankesreiter, Murlin Evans, Kim Hess, Keith Klement, Mike Pagel, Carrie Russell, LaNell Sicking, Stacie Sicking, Rhonda Stewart, Jeannene Walterscheid, Jeff Walterscheid.

10th GRADE - Darla Bindel, David Fleitman, Stuart Hess, Michelle Huddleston, Alan Hudspeth, Lissa LaCoe, Meredith McDaniel, Jennifer Reeves.

11th GRADE - Angie Barr, Ronnie Bayer, Judy Biffle, Gary Grewing, Damie Hellman, Daniel Klement, Ryan Klement, Kristi Pagel, Matt Rhodes, Tracey Walterscheid.

12th GRADE - Johnny Eldred, Julie Fisher, Tonya Fisher, Ronnie Kubis, Doyle Lewis, Dolle Pagel, Dickie Trubenbach, Ronnie Trubenbach, Darren Walterscheid, Deann Walterscheid, Karen Wolf.



BEN LUKE

Graduates at S.F.A.S.U.

Ben Luke is a graduate of Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches class of 1986, in the spring commencement.

He received a Bachelor of Science degree, majoring in Geology. He is the son of Dan Luke and grandson of Mrs. Henry Henzler of Pilot Point, and a graduate of Muenster High School.

Attending commencement exercises at SFASU were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Luke; Damian and Julie Luke of Longview; Greg Luke of College Station and John Walterscheid of Muenster.



FRANCINE HUDSPETH

Hudspeth wins scholarship

Francine Hudspeth, daughter of Clarence and Rose Hudspeth of Myra, won a \$1,000 scholarship awarded by Stanhome, Inc. of Westfield, Massachusetts.

A 1986 graduate, she qualified on the basis of her college test scores, grades, biographical information and secondary school reports. While attending Muenster High School, she was a member of the National Honor Society, the Spanish Club and the Hornet Band. She plans to study business accounting.

Trubenbach graduates at Texas State Technical



STEVEN J. TRUBENBACH

Steven J. Trubenbach graduated from Texas State Technical Institute in Waco on May 23, with an Associate of Applied Science degree in Mechanical Engineering Technology. A Cum Laude graduate, he was named to the President's Honor Roll during the last quarter with a 4.0 g.p.r. and graduated with a 3.82 cumulative

grade point average in a possible 4.0. Steven is employed at General Dynamics in Fort Worth since June 3 as a tool maker. He is the son of Don and Betty Flusche and a 1984 graduate of Muenster High School.

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Katie celebrates one



KATIE NIX

Katie Nix celebrated being one year old when her parents, Brenda and Kim Nix, entertained on Father's Day. Dinner was served in their home.

The party theme was "Fun In The Sun," using bright colors of yellow, blue and red. The birthday cake, decorated by the honoree's aunt, Donna Wagoner, featured children in a swimming pool, surrounded by green lawn and flowers.

Outdoor activities were volleyball and horsehoes for adults and swimming for the children. Each child received its own beach ball.

Guests were Katie's older sister Kimberly; grandparents Andy and

Cecilia Wimmer; Robin Wimmer; Donna, Jim, James and Chris Wagoner; Molly, Louie, Andrea, Staci and Julie Gieb; Candie, Sarah and Eric Geiser; Janel, Jim, Chas, Missy, Jay and April Horton; David Wimmer; Barbie and David Felderhoff; and Valana Nix. The paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nix, visited on Tuesday, June 17, her actual birthdate.

Fiesta dress is on exhibit

The dress worn by Miss Nancy Adele Wynne as the "Duchess of African Contrasts" during the 1986 San Antonio Fiesta is currently on exhibit at the Morton Museum. The yellow velvet dress with geometric patterns of turquoise, red and navy is accentuated by lines of rhinestones which sparkle in the light. The dress was designed to dramatize the bold designs of tribal craftsmen.

This unique dress was donated by Mrs. Nancy Ann Chandler Smith of Dallas, and can be viewed at the museum during normal visiting hours: 12-5, Tuesday-Saturday; and 2-5 Sundays. For more information, contact the Morton Museum, 210 S. Dixon, Gainesville, 668-8900.



SAMANTHA ELLEN ABELN

Samantha is honored

Samantha Ellen Abeln was the center of interest at a party honoring her first birthday of June 5, when her parents, Larry and Peg Endres Abeln entertained in their home in Richardson on June 1.

Refreshments were birthday cake, pie and a hamburger cookout. Decorations were done in a Mother Goose theme.

Guests were the maternal grandparents, Paul and Marie Endres of Muenster and H.B. and Dorothy Abeln. Other guests included an uncle and aunt, Bob and Sara Abeln and family friends Elaine Modrell and Cindy Dodson.

Cub Scout Day Camp set

Everything is set for the Cooke County Cub Scout Day Camp at the Muenster City Park. All Boy Scouts who will be helping as Junior Staff members are asked to attend an orientation being held at the Park Pavilion on Sunday afternoon at 7 p.m.

Also, all parents and staff persons are asked to come Sunday to help with the clean-up of the City Park.

Cub Day Camp will begin with a flag ceremony at 8:45 a.m. on Monday, June 23, and will continue through Thursday, June 26, from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m.

On Friday, there will be a family picnic from 5:30 to 7 p.m. A campfire is planned for 7 p.m. with a program which include a flag-burning ceremony. Everyone is invited to attend.

Stoffels enjoy trip to Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stoffels spent this year's vacation in Springhill, Florida with their son and family, John and Terry Ann Stoffels, and Johnny, Lisa and Chris.

Traveling with them were their daughter and family, Karen and Don Sicking, and Meredith and Carolyn of Gainesville.

The group visited in nearby Tampa and took the children to Disneyworld, and spent time on the beaches at St. Petersburg. They returned home after 11 wonderful days.

Mrs. Menica and daughter and son Bart of Dallas visited Mrs. Estelle Kelley Tuesday evening. Other visitors were Raymond Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kelley and Sissie.

Mrs. Joyce Hanson and Mrs. Nannie Bonner went to Gainesville Wednesday for some shopping.

Jim Christian and daughter, Mrs. Suzanne Druss of Galveston, had dinner with Mrs. Vena Settle Monday evening.

Mrs. Delia Sutton of Gainesville was a visitor at The Church of Nazarene Sunday morning.

Mrs. Carol Jakse and children of Montague and Paul Broussart of North Dakota visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hanson Thursday evening. On Sunday afternoon, Jim Call and children Jack and Annie of Gainesville came for a visit with the Hansons.

Lanny Kelley of Era visited Mrs. Estelle Kelley and Raymond Kelley Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Morford were in Sherman shopping Thursday.

C.H. Christian has recently finished constructing a new bridge across Clear Creek. It is on the old Christian Ranch, the place now owned by the Christian brothers, sons of C.H. and Ruth Christian. The new bridge will be a great convenience to the owners when they are farming and working their land.

had breakfast at the end of The Mountain of The Gods and they arrived home about 8:30 Sunday night.

Miss Lois Bewley, Clyde and Lonnie attended the Wilson reunion at Nocona in the American Legion building Sunday, June 15. Lunch was served at noon with about 50 people attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ivans of Saint Jo visited Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Martin Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Ewing had as their guests Sunday Mr. Ewing's grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Ewing, Allison and Clay of Fort Worth and Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fleitman of Gainesville.

Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Christian had as their guests from Tuesday to Thursday their son and wife, Bill and Dorothy Christian of Stephenville. Sunday afternoon guest was Mrs. Suzanne Druss of Galveston.

Mrs. Inez Stevens and Mrs. Mary Ruth Kindiger attended the funeral of Mr. Virgil Maddox in Gainesville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Knight of Gainesville spent Sunday and had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Martin. Sunday afternoon guests of the Martins were their daughter, Mary Lou, and Wylie Edwards of Alvord.

Harold and Bradley Brown of Era visited and had lunch with Mrs. Evelyn Brown Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. Jerry McKown, Kristin and Kimberly of Valley View had dinner Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berry. Afterward, they all drove over to Katie and Johnnie Cook's for homemade ice cream.

Raymond Kelley, who has had his camper parked at his mother Mrs. Estelle Kelley's house, returned home Wednesday. Mrs. Kelley accompanied him as far as Sanger, where she visited her daughter, Monda Kelley, and family from Wednesday until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cook and Mrs. Odessa Berry were in Denton and Lewisville for some shopping and they also had lunch out.

Rosston looks toward Sam Bass

Any community members with photos showing early Rosston residents in their transportation or work activities are asked to share them with Joan Sicking, phone 768-2216, and Joyce Richardson, phone 768-2213, by June 25 for use in the Sam Bass ad book. Sam Bass Day is July 19.

Mrs. Gail Knight, Mandy and Jody of Houston are spending a week visiting Mrs. Mary Ruth Kindiger and other relatives.

Mrs. Monda Kelley and J.T. and two foster children of Sanger visited Mrs. Estelle Kelley Saturday and attended the Forestburg Sesquicentennial activities.

Mrs. Joyce Hanson attended the Forestburg Sesquicentennial Saturday.

Mrs. Frankie Biffle, accompanied by her sister Mrs. Juanita Frost of Nocona and her brother Robert D. Ward of Waurika, Okla., drove to Branson, Mo. where they were joined by another brother George Ward and wife Carol. They are retired and live in Denison. They saw musical shows including The Sons of The Pioneers, The Lowe Sisters and The Foggy Mountain Boys. They went to Silver Dollar City. While they were on the trip, Frankie celebrated her birthday on June 7. They left on their trip June 6 and returned June 12.

Jim Penton left by Trailways Bus at 7 p.m. for Macon, Mo. to attend a Penton reunion June 5 and arrived in Macon at 11 p.m. June 6.

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Forestburg News

by Myrt Denham

Forestburg's Sesquicentennial Celebration has come and gone. A nice crowd turned out to enjoy and partake of all the activities of the day. Very special praises to go Clifford and Merle Hudspeth and Billie Anderson for the fantastic job they did in "getting it all together" and seeing everything went according to plans. Needless to say, they had many "workers" helping them to get it all done. Also a big "thank you" to Bud and Pat Ford for all their help and another "thanks" goes to all the Blue Grass music makers that came to play - they helped make the day. The picnic supper at 5 p.m. was a reminder to many Forestburg folks of days gone by when there was a Homecoming feast every August at the same place this picnic supper took place.

This writer heard one Forestburger remark, "I love these picnic get-togethers - we should have one every month." Well, that's okay if you don't have to work to get things ready and do all the cooking of the food. Once a month would soon get tiresome to the workers and cooks, methinks.

Last, but certainly not least, "thank you" to Wassie Reynolds, his soldiers and Indians who put on an Indian fight skit for the crowd. Nice job, fellers!

Two very proud and happy people at the celebration were Oma Wakeman and Blake Scott. They were crowned Queen and King of the celebration after the parade.

The Forestburg community wishes to thank everyone that entered floats, etc. in the parade. There couldn't have been a parade without all of you - so thanks for your participation! So our day came, it was great and now it is a happy memory.

Now, I'm going to express my opinion of the floats and the places they won. I, for one, and several others have agreed with me, think that the Dewey float should have gotten first place - it certainly portrayed Olden Days - and I mean olden days - more than the float that got first place. The Uz float got second (so I'm told) and with that I agree. Nope, I wasn't one of the judges and I'm sorry if I stepped on someone's toes, but I still think the Dewey float was more in keeping with the Sesquicentennial theme. No one asked my opinion, but I'm taking the right to express it!

Reckon the next event in the 'Burg will be another rodeo and dance the weekend of July 4 and 5. So, you rodeo fans can make note

of this. The 6th annual Forestburg Watermelon Festival celebration is coming up n Saturday, Aug. 23. This is another event that takes much time, planning, coordination and hard work. Therefore, it will also take everyone in the community to help put this over and make it the success it deserves to be. You will be contacted in the near future for help, donations, etc. More information on this festival will appear in this column from time to time. However, everyone is asked to start telling people about it - word of mouth is most important.

The Monthly Ladies Luncheon took place on Thursday, June 12. As always, those attending really enjoyed the day, with much chatter, laughter, good food and a gift exchange. This is such a good opportunity for ladies to get together to visit with friends they don't see very often and a chance to make new friends. So, if you haven't attended, please do so. Every lady is invited and urged to attend.

Those attending this last luncheon were Juanita Bailey, Vera Mae McGee, Frances Brewer, Mary Etta Foster, Geneva Volkman, Merle Hudspeth, Betty Jo Cook, Eula Fae Galmor, Mag Huckabay, Loveta Bewley, Gladys Barclay, Imogene Links, Debby Reynolds and her baby boy and Myrt Denham. About eating time, Ella Jane and Bud Griffin of Wichita Falls showed up looking for Vera Mae, so they were invited to eat with the group. Bud, you better feel honored as you were an exception to the rules. The next luncheon will be Thursday, July 10.

The Hardy Cemetery Association Luncheon on Sunday, June 8, in the new Community Center was a big success. There was so much good food - and it was a treat to some of us women (we didn't have to cook). Sure wish there were more luncheons like this one Sunday.

The Forestburg United Methodist Women met at 2 p.m. Monday, June 2, at their church. The president, Mrs. Laura Belle Jackson, called the meeting to order, Lucille Littell gave the opening prayer, followed by a devotional, "For Pastor's Wife" given by Mrs. Jackson. Due to the absence of the Program Chairman, no program was given but there was a short business meeting. After this, there were lovely refreshments served by Betty Reynolds, after which the meeting adjourned. Three ladies were present: Laura Belle Jackson,

Lucille Littell and Betty Reynolds. Mrs. Jackson reports it was a lovely meeting and appreciated by the three.

Mrs. Cornelia Holzbog and Doug drove up to Birdseye, Indiana recently to attend a family reunion and to pick up Cornelia's daughter, Beth. The group returned home June 2. Then on Thursday, June 5, Beth flew to Merida, Mexico to visit her friend, Ziomara Aguiar and her parents, Beth is having the time of her life, but is due home June 19.

Then on Sunday, June 8, Doug Holzbog flew to Louisville, Kentucky and on to English, Indiana to attend the funeral of his aunt, "Peachie" Wilkes. Doug made it home this past weekend.

Ella Jane Griffin and Virginia Wilkerson of Wichita Falls plus their sister, Edna Merle Hill of Bowie, gathered up their mother, Vera Mae McGee, June 3 and headed for San Antonio to visit with Vera Mae's only living sister, Mrs. Olivia Weidner. From San Antonio, they drove up to Kemp to the home of Vera Mae's son, Dale and Babe McGee, with whom they spent Thursday night. From there to Dallas to visit two of Vera Mae's brothers, Hulet and Frances Perryman and Dwight and Avis Perryman. From there to Lewisville to visit a niece and husband, Jimmy and Mary Rankin.

Mrs. Rankin is the daughter of Oscar Perryman. After that visit, the four ladies headed for Forestburg.

Things were a "hopping and a jumping" at the Billy Barclay home in Saint Jo from June 2 to June 8. Mrs. Jane Barclay and her children Chuck, Martha and Susan drove up from the coast for a visit. Chuck's son, Arthur Charles III, also came with the group. Jane is the daughter-in-law of "Charlie" and Gladys Barclay, the rest are their grandchildren and Arthur C. III is a great-grandson. Gladys reports things were busy and hectic, but they had fun.

Mitch Holland of Gainesville treated his father, Kenneth of Stoney Point, to an early Father's Day gift on Sunday, June 7. The gift was to see a doubleheader baseball game between the Texas Rangers and Seattle at Arlington Stadium. Peggy says she and Brent tagged along.

The Hollands' daughter, Christy, was up from Denton to spend Saturday night with them after visiting with friends in Muenster. She received word that her apartment had had a break-in. So the Hollands went home with Christy on Sunday and spent the night there. On Monday, Kendall and Brent drove down with the pickup to move Christy to an upstairs apartment in another building of the same complex.

Royce Byford and son Robert of Las Vegas, Nevada, Frank and Jackie Johnson and baby son Colt

of Abilene, Eva Crayton of Muenster and Mitch Holland of Gainesville all made it to the Kenneth Holland abode Sunday afternoon, June 15, to enjoy homemade ice cream and visiting. Royce Byford and Mrs. Jackie Johnson are Eva's son and daughter. Jackie and son Colt are spending the week with Eva.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Greenead, Cody and Jennifer made it up Wednesday to visit with his mom, Juanita Greenead, and with a brother, Ran and his family. The Ran Greeneads and Matt plus Juanita drove up to Turner Falls and spent the night. Returning home Friday, Juanita says granddaughter Jennifer stayed to spend this week with her.

J.D. Hunter of Lowell, Mass. spent Saturday with Ted and Laura Belle Jackson. J.D. is Laura Belle's brother and he made it all the way down here to visit and attend the Sloan family reunion. Laura Belle reports that 115 people registered for this Sloan reunion. It was a fun time for all.

Ted and Laura Belle's grandson, Todd McCandless of Kansas City, Mo., spent Sunday night with them. Larry and Debra Dill took Todd to DFW Monday morning for his flight home. Larry and Todd are cousins - their mothers are sisters. Todd is the son of Ouida (Jackson) McCandless of Floydada. Todd flies a freight cargo airplane out of Kansas City to Minneapolis, Minn. and back.

Visiting with Barney and Veda Brogdon this past week were daughter, Jane Sledge of Cleburne, from Monday to Wednesday morning, daughter Margie Long of Plano on Saturday and Sunday, son Johnny and wife of Miami, Texas over the weekend, Eli and Shirley Harvill of Vernon on Saturday, Lina Bogges, Ova Mann and son Spike, all of Saint Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Foster returned home Friday afternoon from a week's vacation in Arkansas.

Karl Gresham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Gresham, of Denton celebrated his first birthday Saturday at the home of his grandparents, Shirley and Eli Harvill. Many of his relatives and friends helped him celebrate. Karl's mother is the former Janice Lanier, daughter of Mrs. Shirley Harvill.

Blake Freeman had as his visitors this past weekend the Jimmy Don Freeman family of Saint Jo, Harold Freeman of Austin, Jan Foster.

The following folks from the Forestburg United Methodist Church: Laura Belle Jackson, Juanita Cote, Mary Hays, Lucille Littell, Vera Mae McGee, and Rev. Chris Allen drove over to the Saint Jo Nursing Center Monday evening to present a short program

to the residents, serve them refreshments and do some visiting. Mrs. Ouida Beavers has been a patient in a Ponca City, Okla. hospital but is now with her daughter, Mrs. Dana Crump. Ouida's address there is 2900 Rice, Ponca City, Okla. 74601.

This writer learned this Monday that Bud Johnson and his wife, Ruby, are now residents of the Saint Jo Nursing Center. They moved in Saturday. Bud and Ruby would enjoy hearing from their Forestburg friends and having them visit.

Some more June birthdays are Linda Huckabay, June 23; Tracy

Greenwood, June 28; and Jo Ann Greenwood, June 29.

Wynona Riddles reports she drove over to Bowie Saturday to get Mrs. Mollie Howell to bring her over to the 'Burg for the Sesquicentennial parade and celebration. Wynona says Mollie really enjoyed it all - said it was a real treat for her.

Vera Mae McGee sends word that her son, Dale McGee, and wife Babe of Kemp and Babe's sister, Nell of Dallas, made it up to Montague this past weekend to visit Babe's and Nell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S.D. Hoover. They also called on Vera Mae.

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Perryman recalled as historical figure

As Forestburg residents turned their attention and energies to their celebration of the Texas Sesquicentennial last weekend, many residents recalled the place in history held by their forefathers.

Perryman Denham has noted an account of his great-grandfather, Levi Perryman, taken from the archives of the LBJ Library in Austin.

In "A History of North and West Texas," Levi Perryman is referred to as a pioneer, Indian fighter, soldier, Texas Ranger, sheriff, patriot and rancher.

According to the "History," Levi Perryman was one of those rugged types of Texas frontiersmen in the days preceding and during the Civil War. In 1859, he selected his future home in Montague County and a year later his uncle, who had raised Levi after the death of his parents, accompanied him to a site about three miles west of Forestburg where, under a huge, ancient oak tree, the uncle handed over 100 head of cattle, gave him a saddle horse, equipped, and a \$10 gold piece and said to him, "Now, my son, root hog or die."

From that eventful day, Levi Perryman's independent career began. He erected a log shelter for himself and pursued his business. During the Civil War, he spent three years in the ranks of the Confederate Army, first enlisting in Gainesville in Capt. Gilbert's Company and was ordered into Indian Territory.

He was later assigned to Marshall's squadron of the Cavalry, then to the Thirty-first Infantry in Polignac's Brigade. In 1865, he was ordered to report to Galveston and shortly thereafter General Lee had surrendered and the war was over.

Levi Perryman returned to Montague County, raising cattle and horses and protecting his stock against the red and white thieves that infested his frontier area. He also found time to devote to civic matters. He served as a Texas Ranger for a time.

His first real estate purchase in the county was the 160-acre tract of the "historic oak tree." After selling off his stock of cattle and horses, he invested in farm lands and accumulated about 2500 acres.

"To his children," according to the "History of North and West Texas," "he deeded about 1300 acres...and lived on the old homestead of about 1200 acres...clinging to it for its sacred memories and as a protector in his declining years."

Levi Perryman was born in Lamar County, Texas on March 29, 1839, a son of Alex G. Perryman, who came to Texas from Alabama.

Levi was reared a Democrat. In 1873 he was elected sheriff for a time. In 1878 he was again elected

sheriff, serving, in all, for five years. "He made a record of captures of horse thieves and other 'bad men' and cleared the locality of many characters whose services became useful at Huntsville. He despised a horse thief more than any other criminal...and he vowed vengeance on this class," according to the "History of North and West Texas."

Also, as stated there, "When he completed his term of office it was with the feeling of having contributed toward the peace and well-being of his county. He set a pace that was difficult to surpass."

"Levi Perryman joined the Odd Fellows at Saint Jo, Texas, became a Mason in Gainesville and a member of the Methodist Church."

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Photo by Janie Hartman

LITTLE LEAGUE News and Notes

T-BALL RESULTS

TUESDAY, JUNE 10

Wuzzles, 17 Tweety Birds, 15
Heavens Delight, 15 Gremlins, 6

THURSDAY, JUNE 12

Tweety Birds, 16 Heavens Delight, 11
Firecrackers, 20 Wuzzles, 17

JUNIOR LEAGUE RESULTS

THURSDAY, JUNE 12

Daredevils, 7 Baby Dolls, 2

NOTICE!

Thursday night, June 19, all games are cancelled due to the Wagon Train celebration held in Muenster.



HEAVENS DELIGHT - l to r, front - Angela Russell, Erik Walterscheid, Mark Walterscheid, Shane Sparkman, Bryan Hudspeth, Stephanie Huchton, Jassamy Sicking; back - Scott Poole, Greg Russell, Greg Flusche, Jeffery Wilde, Scott Frost, Royce Knabe, Bart Sicking, Crystal Knabe; coaches - Larry Sparkman, Reatha Sparkman, Roberta Walterscheid, Shirley Knabe.

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Miller High Life names 5 bands for campaign

MILWAUKEE - Five regional bands will add a new "country" dimension to Miller High Life music programs beginning June 30, 1986.

The five touring bands selected for the new Miller program are: The Maines Brothers Band of Lubbock, Texas; Southerner of Atlanta, Ga.; McGuffey Lane of Columbus, Ohio; Super Grit Cowboy Band of Raleigh, N.C.; and country/blues performer Delbert McClinton of Fort Worth, Texas.

The new program will be similar to the Miller Rock Network, which is in its fifth year promoting up-and-coming rock bands. The 1986 program involves 16 bands. Miller Music also includes the sponsorship of a number of top music venues such as Chicago's Poplar Creek and San Francisco's Greek Theatre, and the sponsorship of music events at college campuses

across the country. In addition, the Miller Sound Express, a 67-foot semi-trailer that converts to a complete stage, is presenting a series of 48 free concerts this summer.

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COMPETING IN THE MONTAGUE County Ranch Round-up last weekend in Nocona, representing the Seldom Seen Ranch were Billy Biffle, Gerald Biffle, Don Thornhill and Joe Sicking.

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COACH

and two Catholic High School All-Americans.

LeBrasseur brought to Sacred Heart a wide-open offense which is keyed upon a hard-nosed defense. "Our players have been very dedicated," LeBrasseur said. "If they are dedicated enough to follow the team rules, they will be dedicated enough to work hard and become winners on and off the court."

Sacred Heart only had three seniors on the 1985-86 squad, but they were three outstanding players. Sandra Walterscheid, an All-Stater for three years and also nominated to the Catholic High School All-American Team. Tammy Hess, an All-Stater and All-TCIL Tournament player; and Lydia Walterscheid received mention to the 1986 All-State squad. With no juniors on the 1985-86 squad, the Tigerettes will need a great effort from their underclassmen to continue their winning tradition. By the time the 1986-87 season rolls around, Coach Jon will have his hoopsters ready to play.

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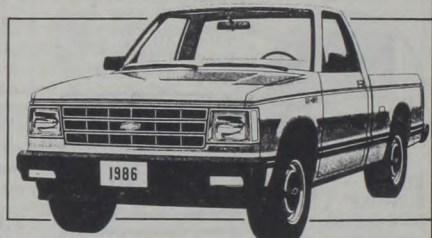
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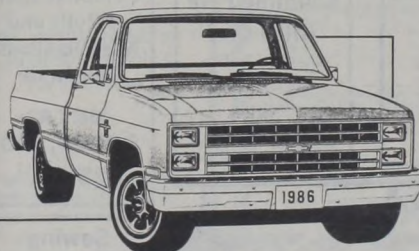
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Market Report

by Bill Hamer

The sale tally for the past week at the Muenster Livestock Auction was 384 cattle and 28 hogs. Cows and bulls were \$1.00 higher; stockers and feeders were \$.50 to \$1.00 higher; and hogs were steady.

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 Good to Choice..... \$45 to \$48.50
 Medium to Good..... \$42 to \$48

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 Good to Choice..... \$35 to \$38.50
 Medium to Good..... \$32 to \$35
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 Hard Kinds..... \$20 to \$30
 Cow w/ Calf @ Side..... \$45 to \$510

STOCKER CALVES
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 Steers..... 2 yrs. & up \$42 to \$49
 Heifer Calves..... \$50 to \$60
 Heifer Yearlings..... \$44 to \$50
 Heifer..... 2 yrs \$38 to \$45



LOCAL FARMERS ONCE AGAIN returned to the grain fields at midweek, as rains continue to hamper their harvest attempts. Ashley Fuhrmann from Lindsay unloads grain from a cart into the truck. Wet ground prevents the trucks from entering the fields.

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4-H leaders honored

COLLEGE STATION - Two 4-H leaders from North Central Texas were among 28 in the state honored at the 1986 Texas 4-H Roundup at Texas A&M University June 11.

June Latta of Kerens and Nadine Pitzinger of Pilot Point were recognized as the top adult volunteer leaders in the North Central District of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. The Ex-

tension Service is the parent organization of 4-H.

Each of the leaders was presented the Texas 4-H Salute to Excellence Award provided by the Texas 4-H Youth Development Foundation, the service organization of 4-H, through a grant from the Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Co. of Waco and the Raymond Dickson Foundation of Hallattsville.

Latta, who is in the western

clothing and tack business, has been a 4-H leader for 18 years. She organized a 4-H club in Kerens in 1973 and that club now is one of the largest in Navarro County.

Through her efforts, chicken and rabbit divisions were added to the Navarro County Youth Exposition, and these divisions now boast the largest number of entries.

Latta also helped organize a 4-H horse club in the county and was instrumental in organizing the Navarro County 4-H Adult Leaders Association, which she chaired for six years. She also serves on the board of the local Chamber of Commerce and on the 4-H and Youth Committee of the county program building committee.

Pitzinger, a fourth grade teacher at Valley View Elementary School, has been a 4-H leader for nine years and was instrumental in organizing

the Mountain Springs 4-H Club. She has served as a leader for projects in food and nutrition, drama, recreation, citizenship and share-the-fun. Several of her share-the-fun teams have competed at state 4-H roundup.

Pitzinger, a former 4-H Gold Star Award winner, is a strong motivational force in her club and community, making the Mountain Springs club one of the strongest in Cooke County. She is a firm believer that the local community club is the backbone of the 4-H program. She helped organize an annual Halloween play as a fundraising project and also started a softball project that has become a countywide event.

Pitzinger also is an officer in the Community Development Club and is active in a community summer musical that was initiated in 1983.

AG BRIEFS...

STATE 4-H HORSE SHOW TO HONOR B.F. YEATES - The 1986 Texas 4-H Horse Show at Abilene July 21-26 will be dedicated to B.F. Yeates, longtime horse specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Yeates, whose career with the Extension Service spans 28 years, has given outstanding leadership to youth and adult horse programs in Texas for the past 20 years, says the Extension Service's state 4-H program leader. Through his efforts the Texas 4-H Horse Show is at the pinnacle of success following its meager beginning on the Texas A&M University campus in 1963. The special tribute to Yeates will include a reunion of past participants in all phases of the 4-H horse program and the establishment of an endowment in his honor that will provide support for the state 4-H horse program.

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Community landmark is removed from site

One of the few remaining landmarks in Muenster became part of this community's past, when in May Earle Otto removed the building he was using as a repair shop, garage and storage area for his dozer business, located on the corner of First and Walnut Streets.

In researching history of the original building, Janie Hartman learned that in October of 1899, Frank Seyler purchased the land from J. Meurer and, in June 1916, Muenster's first auto garage was built. During 1917, business improved and it was decided to build a garage on Main Street. Mr. Seyler and John Lehnertz, together in 1918, built a new garage, the present Hoedebeck GMC building.

Mr. Seyler kept "the old garage" for a personal hobby workshop. For a short time during the Muenster Oil Boom, he sharpened the old fishtail drilling bits. The Seyler family also used the back of the garage for a wash house, because a cistern stored soft water, as most of Muenster's well water was hard.

After Frank's death in 1939, Mrs. Catherine Seyler sold the family home to Jack Fletcher, and the garage to Tony Gremminger in 1946. The next year, Gremminger

sold the building to Al Walterscheid, who moved his welding shop in after his location on Hwy. 82 was sold.

In December 1952, the building was purchased by Ray and Earle Otto of Otto Brothers Dozer Ser-

vice for use once more as a garage. In 1967, Earle Otto became the sole owner. His new and modern shop was completed in April of this year, replacing the landmark and clearing a very large area fronting on First and Walnut Streets.

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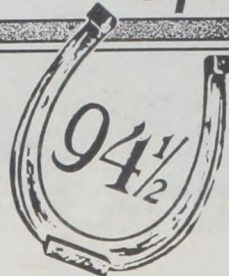
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