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After rude awakening...

Citizens turn to Council for crime solution

The big topic of discussion at Monday's City Council meeting turned out to be the last topic of the open meeting. A large crowd of Muenster business people waited patiently while the council worked through a long agenda. Finally, Peggy Grewing from Taps and Teams Sporting Goods was recognized to begin the discussion which included police protection and patrol schedules, the crime picture in Muenster and Cooke County and alarm systems. Grewing opened, "I'm not here to point a finger or lay blame, but I am concerned with what's happening in Muenster."

Questions were directed to Police Commissioner Aubrey Tuggle concerning current patrol schedules and job descriptions for the police. Chief Helen Tompkins described the patrol schedules in detail. (Not reprinted here to avoid letting the wrong people know).

Tompkins said, "We stay as visible as possible, but we can't cover all the places all the time." She described the impossibility for three police officers to give complete 24-hour protection. "They have to have some time off," she said. There are times when Muenster has no officer on active patrol. This fact prompted Willie Walterscheid and others to question why we have patrols during the day but not during all night hours. Councilman Tuggle and Chief Tompkins talked about the skill and awareness of some criminals and how they could observe the location of a patrol, then quickly break in a building and remain undetected. "You're just going to have some burglaries," Tuggle said. Tompkins said she understood the peoples' feelings but reminded them that before the recent nine break-in night, Muenster had seemed relatively crime-free.

Mayor Ted Henscheid addressed the people saying they have some changes in mind and asked for time and understanding to study and implement the changes.

Ben Bindel suggested everyone get out and vote for a sheriff who will recognize Muenster is in Cooke County.

Janie Monday said, "We've lost our sense of security. We need preventive help also and more communication with our officers."

Darrell Walterscheid of JAW Construction defended the police during a discussion on alarm systems in buildings. "It's too much to ask for the police to cover someone who can enter a building in 30 seconds and then be undetected."

Peggy Grewing asked about establishing a citizens contact committee to work with the police. Mayor Henscheid said, "Our officers are trained and I don't feel qualified to tell them what to do. We're going to get together and work toward a better procedure."

In a Tuesday interview with Chief Tompkins, she commented that 24-hour coverage for

Muenster would require a minimum of four officers and that would still mean long hours. She indicated her willingness to work with the people, including going on patrol with her, especially at night to learn what things are really like. Concerning help from the County Sheriff's office, she said they had always helped when directly asked but never came over voluntarily. "I've asked for deputies to come over, cruise around once in a while, just be visible, but they never do."

Another police-related item that came up late in the council meeting concerned illegal and/or reckless operation of 3-wheel and 4-wheel ATVs (all-terrain vehicles) on Muenster city streets.

Joe Koesler initiated the discussion with a complaint about illegal and dangerous operation and the recent serious accident which sent a local girl to the hospital with a

badly broken leg. Chief Tompkins said that her policy had been to let them operate on side streets but not on the Main Street or Highway 82. "I feel most of them are young kids with ATVs their parents bought for them and they need somewhere to ride. It's one of those gray laws," she said, "most of them don't really hurt anything. And if you let them ride, some people will be upset and someone may get hurt, but if you give them a citation, you actually have to give it to the parents. That will make a lot of people upset, too."

Several of those present described their experience with ATV noise or danger or recklessness and indicated their desire for a ban on illegal drivers, vehicles and operations on city streets. Someone made the comment that if ATVs were banned for those reasons, he expected the city to

ban riding lawn mowers also. Tompkins emphasized that when riders abused their privileges they were cited and if the citizens wanted a ban they must help by observing the offenders and filing complaints.

The council seemed to indicate that they favored issuing a fair warning to ATV and other illegal vehicle riders and then issue citations but as of press time no clarification on grace period has been revealed.

In other business the City Council:

- Appointed Milton Knauf as

Emergency Management Director

- Accepted \$300.00 per month bid from Jim Vogel to mow and maintain the city park. The council rejected a \$295.00 per month bid by Gary Joe Walterscheid, citing Vogel's experience and past performance.

- Received explanation from Muenster Telephone Company on the recent franchise tax payment. Manager Alvin Fuhrman explained that the payment was lower because local service revenues decreased in the city due to:

1. extension lines are no longer charged for.

2. many subscribers have purchased their own phones.

3. most businesses have purchased their systems.

4. the city has grown very little.

5. Muenster Telephone Corp. has not increased its local service rate in the last 12 years.

- Accepted building application from Stan Endres for a new restaurant building. Building contractor Darrell Walterscheid described the materials to be used and the conflicts with the fire codes. The council recognized the

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Bleything carries Muenster, loses race

Muenster's voter preference for Jim Bleything in the Sheriff's office did not quite carry through the county in Tuesday's election. Native son, Pat Hennigan Jr., was almost even in the tax assessor-collector race here, but much less fortunate countywide.

During a telephone interview Wednesday, former candidate Bleything said he had no intention to ask for a recount. He indicated the 175 vote margin was a little too large to expect different results.

He expressed his thanks for Muenster support and that from all rural areas including Lindsay and Valley View. "I think the close vote sends a message to Sheriff Aston that he needs to consider his service to outlying areas. And it says to the voters that their vote really is important," he said.

He indicated that party crossover hurt his effort in that many voted in the Republican Primary and then found they could not

vote in the local races on the Democratic ballot.

A total of 604 voted in Precincts 17 and 18, Democratic Primary; and a total of 141 in Precincts 14, 15, 17 and 18, Republican Primary.

Janet Fisher was election judge in Precinct 17, Mary Lee Hennigan in Precinct 18, Democratic.

Mary Endres was election judge in Precinct 18 and Gloria Coker in Precincts 14, 15, 17, Republican.

Debbie Hess of Muenster was re-elected Cooke County Republican Chairman. Pat Dennis was elected Precinct 18 Republican Chairman.

The caucus held at 7:15 after close of the polls elected Dr. Chris Bean and Pat Dennis as delegates to the County Republican Convention.

Nationally, George Bush outranked all other Republican candidates, by Muenster voters and by Cooke County voters.

Michael Dukakis, Al Gore and

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LISA HAMRIC, VICKI WALTERSCHEID and DANNA HAMRIC

Walterscheid, Hamric named

Sacred Heart High School's Vicki Walterscheid and Danna Hamric have been selected to the TAPS All-State basketball team. Walterscheid and Hamric were selected to the seven-member team by regional representatives from throughout the state. Walterscheid was a selection last year while Hamric received honorable mention. "Vicki and

Danna are very deserving of the honor," said an elated Coach LeBrasseur. "I feel the committee looked past individual statistics and placed a strong emphasis upon team results." The Tigertettes recorded a 34-2 record during the 1987-88 campaign and a State Championship.

Sacred Heart junior Lisa Hamric received honorable men-

tion. "Lisa had an outstanding year," said Coach LeBrasseur. Vicki Walterscheid led the Tigertettes in scoring average, rebounds and rebound average and blocked shots. Danna Hamric paced the Tigertettes in assists, was second in steals and third in scoring average. Lisa Hamric was the Tigertettes' leading point producer and was third in assists and steals.



A LARGE CROWD attended Open House at Muenster Public School Tuesday night. A steady stream of visitors viewed the Arts and Crafts, toured facilities and classrooms. Above, first grader Danny Felderhoff shows his school work to his sister Emily and mother Becky Felderhoff. Grandmother Alice Davidson reads over some of Danny's work while teacher Lou Heers discusses his progress.

Janie Hartman Photo

Three-car accident occurs Sun.

A three-car accident at 8:35 p.m. Sunday occurred near the intersection of Mesquite and Division Streets.

Apparently Carl Joseph Bayer was turning west off Mesquite when his vehicle and one driven by Jeffrey Lynn McAden collided.

The Bayer car, according to a report from Police Chief Helen Tompkins, forced the McAden car into a third car, driven by Melvin Fisch. One person, Connie McAden of Muenster, was transported to Muenster Memorial Hospital, treated and released.

The Muenster Fire Dept. truck, ambulance and police cars answered the call.

Nocona struck by burglars

A series of burglaries in Nocona occurred after midnight and probably in the very early morning hours of Saturday, March 5, striking six businesses there.

The break-ins were conducted in a manner similar to the thefts and damage that befell nine places of business in Muenster on Monday, Feb. 22, prompting a reaction from many that echoed "Not Again!!!"

According to Nocona Chief of Police Fred Castle, businesses that sustained losses included two lumber yards, Foxworth-Galbraith and the Independent Lumber Co.; also Perry's Dept. Store; Otasco's; the dental office of Dr. Stephen Kabisch; and the Uptown Diner.

Entry to most was gained by breaking the locks on the front doors, except at the lumber companies which were entered through side doors.

At one lumber company, estimated loss was \$6.00 in change; at the other, a safe was damaged and broken into, approximately \$50 was taken and six knives were stolen.

At Perry's Dept. Store, a safe was pried open and approximately \$800 was stolen.

At Otasco's, six guns were stolen. Dr. Kabisch's dental office lost change and the Uptown Diner lost change.

All six were ransacked and papers strewn about.

Chief Castle reported that the burglaries happened between 1

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Good News!

The covetous man is never satisfied with money and the lover of wealth reaps no fruit from it; so this too is vanity. Where there are great riches, there are also many to devour them. Of what use are they to the owner except to feast his eyes upon?

ECCLESIASTES 5: 9-10

Letters to the Editor

Dear Friends:

Thanks so much to all of you for all the birthday greetings. I wish that I had the time to write a note to each of you, but I simply do not have that kind of time. Please accept this message as a personal note of appreciation to each of you for remembering me.

I honestly am one of those people who does not pay much attention to how old I am. I always remember that my birthdate is March 5, 1928, and then I usually have to subtract 28 from the current year to find out how old I am. But this year, when I received a package from one of my brothers about a week before my birthday, I thought to myself, after doing the subtraction: "Holy cow! I'm going to be 60 years old!" I thought to myself exactly what one of the kids wrote on his birthday card to me: "Father, you're definitely over the hill!"

But your cards and many personal notes have buoyed up my spirits, and even convinced me that there really is life after 60, a life to be lived wherever God and Abbot Raphael DeSalvo send me to serve the people of God.

With love and gratitude,
Fr. Victor Gillespie, OSB

Dear Editor,

We thank all of the Muenster residents who faithfully roll or fold down the tops of their trash sacks and put out bags of leaves, grass trimmings and fireplace ashes with their limbs and brush on Wednesdays. These measures help keep dogs and cats out of the trash sacks and reduce scattering of the trash in the wind.

By putting out non-garbage on Wednesdays, it reduces the loads on heavy days, helps even out the work and reduces expenses for the Sanitation Department. Keep up the good work! Your efforts are appreciated and they help keep the trash bills down.

For those persons who wonder how to determine whether their trash sacks are too heavy, the following rule of thumb is offered: lift the sack up head high. If you have to strain, it is too heavy. The trash men have to lift over 300 sacks each day at least head high. The weight limit per sack is 50 lbs.

City of Muenster
Employees

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NOCONA

a.m. and 2 a.m. He said Officer Ray Gannon made his rounds at 1 a.m., when all was well. At 2 a.m., the break-in at the dental office was discovered. It is surmised that the patrolman scared off the burglars at that time. Chief Castle added that, "We have suspects, but we have no physical evidence so far."

Muenster Police Chief Helen Tompkins said she was notified of the break-ins after 2:30 a.m. and that Nocona police described a suspicious vehicle, requesting also a road block, but no such cars were noted here. She added also that slick professional thieves know the country roads well, for escape; or even that they may have continued on toward Wichita Falls.

To the Editor:

Dear Sir:

The past several weeks I have read the letters to you and the articles in your paper about the problems in our community from thefts to accidents, integrity to moral make-up, and all too often the real issue is not addressed. The real issue is to be physically and morally responsible or not to be.

It would seem the larger, overriding issue is the question, "Is this a 'nation of law?'" (As stated in the Jaycee Creed, 'government should be of laws rather than of men.') If not, then chaos, lawlessness and anarchy are certain. If so, can we reasonably expect to pick and choose which laws, if any, we should follow? If I choose not to spend the \$55 necessary each year to register my car so I may operate it legally, should I expect to be absolved of any legal reprisals? Will this also be the case if I choose to steal from a local business, and what about public drunkenness? If I can ignore these laws, then I must assume that if I choose to steal another's life or property, this, too, can be ignored.

In Romans 13:1-2 Saint Paul says, "Let everyone obey the authorities that are over him, for there is no authority except from God, and all authority that exists is established by God. As a consequence, the man who opposes authority rebels against the ordinance of God..." This would lead one to believe that if anyone breaks the laws of the land, they also break the laws of God. Surely, there is no one in this community who would encourage another to break the laws of God.

We have a wonderful community here, please let's not spoil it for everyone by teaching disrespect for law to our children.

Sincerely,
Maudine Griffin

Saint Jo leading Muenster in Keep Texas Beautiful contest

The enthusiasm which Muenster demonstrated in 1986 to win the Keep Texas Beautiful Contest has gone to the West. In this year's competition, Saint Jo is far ahead of Muenster in the state's anti-litter campaign. In fact, from reports out of Austin used to judge the level of involvement around the whole state, Saint Jo has been doing more towards gaining the necessary 100 points than any other small town to date.

Bill Harris, President of "Trashless Trails" of Saint Jo, has copied what Muenster did in 1986 by asking local organizations to join and take part in the effort. He has also come up with what appears to be a winning slogan. "Trashless Trails" is the title they operate under, and was taken from Saint Jo's original tourist marketing slogan: "Trailtown USA." OPERATION: CLEAN SWEEP was Muenster's identification in 1986.

Clean Sweep has not done so well this year. After having to stand out one year after winning in 1986 because of the rules, 1988 is the first year Muenster could re-enter. No overall chairman has volunteered to ramrod the project for 1988. In 1986, Gary Fisher was chairman of the local effort, however, he volunteered to work for KTB as District Governor of this area. A district governor travels to other communities and gives tips on how to put together a winning program. The territory is a nine-county area including Cooke, and extending west and south. Last year, a program was given to the Saint Jo Lions Club, and they embraced the idea of a local anti-litter program. Since then the Lions Club has formed

into a Chamber of Commerce and has been running fast ever since.

Time still exists for Muenster to put together a winning program, but it is slipping fast. The program can include anything done over the 12 months prior to the deadline of April 30, 1988. That includes the Adopt-A-Highway cleanups, painted litter barrels, etc. However, we need people to unite and take leadership in each of the five areas of Cleanup, Education (schools), Publicity,

Law Enforcement, Recycling, and Beautification (quality of life).

At Tuesday's Chamber of Commerce lunch meeting, Dr. Christopher Bean and City Police Chief Helen Tompkins volunteered their help to lead program areas. Tompkins has spearheaded trash pickup campaigns in past years and will soon reveal plans for trash projects before Germanfest. Both Germanfest and the KTB contest deadline at the end of April.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, women of every race, class and ethnic background helped found Cooke County in countless recorded and unrecorded ways as servants, slaves, nurses, nuns, homemakers, industrial workers, teachers, reformers, soldiers, and pioneers; and

WHEREAS, women have played and continue to play a critical economic, cultural and social role in every sphere of our country's life by constituting a significant portion of the labor force working in and outside of the home; and

WHEREAS, women have played a unique role throughout our history by providing a large percentage of the county's volunteer labor force and have been particularly important in the establishment of early charitable, philanthropic and cultural institutions in the county;

Therefore, I, JIM A. ROBERTSON, County Judge of Cooke County, Texas, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE MONTH OF MARCH AS WOMEN'S HISTORY IN COOKE COUNTY, TEXAS.

I urge all citizens to support both public and private efforts intended to encourage both increased appreciation and understanding of the contributions of women in the county.

SIGNED this 12th day of February, 1988.

Jim A. Robertson
County Judge
Cooke County, Texas

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ELECTION

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Dick Gephardt led all other Democratic candidates in Muenster, and in Cooke County, Gore, Dukakis and Gephardt, in that order, led all others.

Lloyd Bentsen held a strong lead over Joe Sullivan for U.S.

Senator and Charles W. Stenholm, a steady favorite, was unopposed as was State Representative, District 63, R.F. "Ric" Williamson.

The Referendum - English as official state language - received

119 FOR and 4 AGAINST in Muenster. The county vote was 991 FOR and 46 AGAINST.

The Referendum - Elected or appointed judges - received 340 FOR and 42 AGAINST in Muenster. The county vote was 5065 FOR and 460 AGAINST.

COUNTY RESULTS

	Muenster	Cooke Co. Totals
District Judge, 235th District		
Jerry W. Woodlock	393	4834
District Attorney, 235th District		
Phil L. Adams	405	4768
County Attorney		
Janelle M. Haverkamp	470	5032
Sheriff		
John Aston	221	3341
Jim Bleything	373	3166
County Tax Assessor-Collector		
Joyce Zwinggi	307	4400
Pat Hennigan, Jr.	294	2071
Justice of Peace, Pct. 1, Pl. 1		
Bill Freeman	319	4094
Constable, Pct. 1		
Gerald W. (Gerry) Jones	267	3571

County Chairman	405
Bill Sullivan	
Precinct Chairman, Pct. 18	400
Mary Lee Hennigan	
Precinct Chairman, Pct. 17	100
Janet Fisher	
County Commissioner, Pct. 3	82
Jerry Lewis	
Constable, Pct. 4	43
Mike Montgomery	
Mary Ann Tharp	21
County Commissioner, Pct. 1	1298
Danny Knight	
J.J. Hunter	607
Don Rice	311



"BEST OF SHOW" winners at MPS's Arts and Crafts Show include, l to r, Jonna Schneider (Kindergarten), Amanda Russell (grade 3), Amanda Baldwin (grade 2) and Stephanie Bierschenk (grade 1).

Janie Hartman Photo

Texas' rural hospitals on the critical list

The Texas economy, inadequate reimbursements from Medicare, and unique management problems are just some of the reasons Texas' rural hospitals are either closing or having to radically change the way they serve their communities. From 1981 to 1986, 57 Texas hospitals closed; 41 had 50 beds or less. Texas' rural hospitals have tried to be "all things to all people," according to the February issue of **Texas**

Medicine. Organized medicine, local citizens, the business community, management firms, industry, and academia have joined to seek solutions to the rural hospital dilemma. For example, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, Lubbock, is linking rural and urban health care resources through a computer network, and outside management firms are helping rural hospitals save money by purchasing items in bulk.

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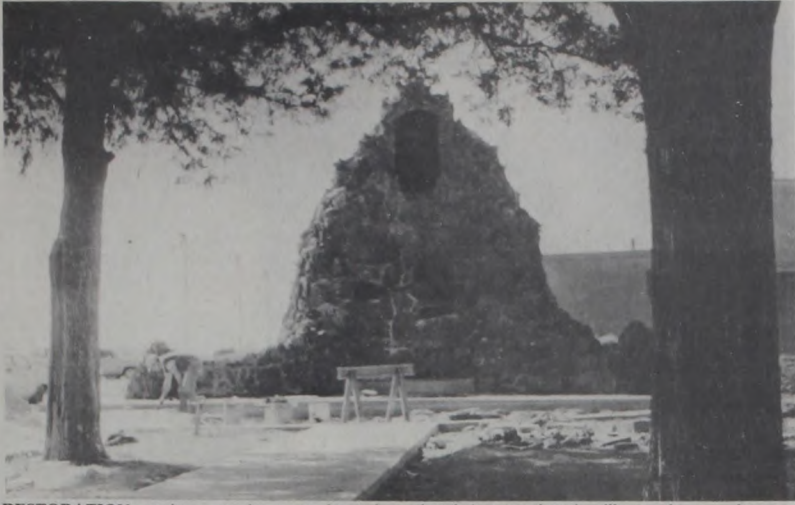
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RESTORATION continues on the grotto located behind St. Peter's Church in Lindsay. Built in 1916, the large Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto is the parish's Marian Year Project, to help renew devotion and dedication to the Blessed Virgin Mary. The vines which had overtaken the rock-covered shrine were removed with repairs to cracks and rocks being

replaced. A new rock patio will cover the ground surface with water falling into a pond at the base of the structure. The statue of Mary is being repainted and a new statue of St. Bernadette will kneel below Mary. Other improvements are being planned. The cost of restoration is being donated by individuals and organizations.

Janie Hartman Photo

Cubs study Indian history

Den 4 held its first March meeting on March 7 at the home of Royce Knabe. They opened their meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and the Law of the Pack.

This month the boys are working on the Indian Life elective in the Big Bear Book. They learned about the Comanche Indians, their customs, how they lived and hunted and what they were famous for. The Comanche Indians were a southern Plains tribe that hunted buffalo from Nebraska to northern Mexico. They were famous for their skilled horseback riding. In battle, many Comanche Indians eluded arrows and bullets by hanging against the side or even under their horses. They lived chiefly as hunters and followed the wandering buffalo herds.

As their craft this week, the boys made Indian tie slides out of walnut shells. Some made a ceremonial slide and some made theirs as a war-painted Indian face.

New denner and assistant denner were elected for March. James Felderhoff is the March denner and Jamie Hellman is his assistant for the month. The denner and assistant denners are the helpers with the crafts for the meetings. They get things together and help with the clean-up and also get the important job of dishing out the refreshments. It is an honor to serve as denner and assistant denner and everyone gets the opportunity to serve both positions during the course of the year.

They also played a game called Tied Up in Knots in which

everyone joined hands and had to untangle to form a circle. They had so much fun they ended up with two full circles instead of one.

While working on the Indian history they were also able to begin work on a new badge Cub Scouts can earn called the Texas badge. While earning it, they learn about the history of Indians, and

their state history. They learn about the six flags that flew over Texas, the motto, state bird, and about famous Texans and what they are famous for.

Next meeting will be on March 14. They will be working on Indian houses and the six flags of Texas.

Refreshments were provided by Ryan Klement.

Bernice Sicking provides information for history book

A section of the Centennial History of Muenster has been reserved for servicemen and veterans. According to the chairman of that project, Bernice Sicking, response is coming in slow and she urges persons involved to prepare the information and send it in to her.

In an effort to help them, Mrs. Sicking offers this sample: Name, for example, John Doe, Tech. Sgt., WWII. Entered service (date), Jan. 2, 1941 at (place) Camp Polk, Louisiana. (Places of service) France, England, etc. Discharged (date) Aug. 10, 1945.

Honors received - Purple Heart, Overseas Bars, etc. All of this information can be taken from the Discharge.

Bernice Sicking also encouraged family members or others to send in information on WWI veterans, or persons who have moved away from Muenster. She said too, that if space allows the history committee will accept pictures of Gold Star Servicemen and WWI veterans.

All of this should be submitted separate from Family Histories. These items may be left at Muenster Telephone Co. office or sent to Bernice Sicking, Box 55, Myra, TX 76253.

Lindsay City Council votes to establish curfew, clean up

by Elaine Schad

The Lindsay City Council this week passed on second reading two ordinances, one establishing a curfew and another requiring the removal of high grass or other materials which may constitute a safety or public health hazard.

"No one showed up to the meeting, so the council went ahead and passed it," said Lindsay Mayor Don Metzler. The council last month had asked for public input from those either in

favor or or opposed to either ordinance.

The curfew will be in effect for those 17 years of age or younger. Curfew hours will be from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m. on weekdays and from 1 to 5 a.m. on Saturdays.

There will be a 30-day grace period to familiarize the public with the new ordinance, but violators will be ticketed and fined after that time, Metzler said.

The high grass ordinance states that it is unlawful for any property

owner within the city limits to allow weeds or high grass on any premises or to allow rubbish or any other objectionable material to collect.

Should any area be deemed a hazard, the city will notify the owner in writing. Should the owner fail to clean the area, the ordinance provides that the city may order the work done and charge the owner. Violation is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of up to \$200 per day.

Metzler said there are provisions in the ordinance which exempt lots located in the city limits which are strictly used for agriculture.

Two of three incumbents have filed for re-election to their seats on the council. Metzler has filed for re-election as mayor and Wilbert Block has filed to seek another two-year term. Three positions are open, the mayor and two at-large positions. Jerry Kneupper, now serving on the council, has not filed for re-election. Those interested in running for the council have until March 23 at 5 p.m. to file with Block, the city secretary.

GMH sets blood drive for March 11 at hospital

The Texoma Regional Blood Center mobile unit will be conducting the first of its twice-yearly blood drives at Gainesville Memorial Hospital Friday, March 11, from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The mobile unit team will set up for blood donations in the hospital's first floor conference room. The public is invited to participate.

The Texoma Regional Blood Center serves the comprehensive needs of the citizens of Cooke, Fannin and Grayson counties. Founded in 1975, its sole purpose is to provide the quantity and quality of blood and blood components needed in this region.

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"BEST OF SHOW" winners at Muenster Public School's Arts and Crafts Show include, back - Kim Dumas and Troy Pagel (freshmen); in front - Leslie Klement (grade 8) and Lisa Russell (7th).

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
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KRISTI LEIGH KEMP of Keller and Curtis Stephen Hesse have announced their engagement and approaching marriage, to be held in Sacred Heart Church of Muenster on Saturday, April 23. Father Victor Gillespie will officiate at 5 p.m. The bride-elect is the daughter of Stanley Kemp of Woodbine and Jessie York of Nocona. The future-groom is the son of Tom and Lucille Hesse of Muenster. Kristi is a 1985 graduate of Nocona High School. Curtis is a 1982 graduate of Sacred Heart High School and is employed by Prestige Gunite of Keller. The couple plans to reside in Keller.

Youth Conference set for March 26

A Junior High Youth Convention will be held on March 26 at the University of Dallas Conference Center, 1451 East Northgate in Irving.

Beginning at 10 a.m. and continuing until 10 p.m., fee for attendance is \$15.00. This includes workshops, dinner, convention T-shirt and meeting other teenagers.

Participants will bring a sack lunch and a pillow to sit on. Drinks will be provided.

Because of the number of junior high students in the area, registrations will be taken on a "first come, first serve" basis.

Workshops will include prayer, new games, dinner, dance, clowning, "How to live with your

parents," "How to DJ your own dance," "Winning and losing," "How to say NO!," "Human Sexuality," "God," "Music" and many more.

Those attending will meet at Sacred Heart School at 7:30 a.m. For more information, call Emily Klement, 759-4067, at the Religious Education Dept. at Sacred Heart School.

Gaylia Brunson is pageant finalist



GAYLIA BRUNSON

Gaylia Brunson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack R. Brunson of Saint Jo, has been selected as a finalist in the 17th Annual Miss Texas National Teenager Pageant

to be held at TCU in Fort Worth on June 3-5. Teens from all over the state will compete and official finals will be held in August 1988.

Prizes include scholarships on several levels, and cash awards, etc. Each contestant in the State Pageant participates in the Volunteer Community Service program, and participates in school and civic affairs. Contestants are judged on scholastic achievement - leadership; poise, personality and appearance. There is no swimsuit competition.

Talent may be presented at the option of the participant, or an oral essay on "What's Right About America?"

Gaylia Brunson, 17, and a junior at Muenster High School, is being sponsored by Jan Cain of Muenster; John Coker; Brunson Trucking of Saint Jo; Parsons Auto Salvage of Quinlan; Mike and Lori Brunson of Irving.

Her hobbies include reading, being with friends, coin collecting, sewing and cooking.

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Lindsay CYC plans upcoming activities

The Lindsay CYC, meeting at the home of Debbie Nortman on March 1 at 7:30 p.m., discussed several items for future activities.

Walter-Hoberer team win

The third round of the Beta Kappa 42 tournament was played Sunday, March 6.

High score winners were Judy Hoberer and Chris Walter, who turned in an impressive score of 229, after two hours of play. Wayne Trubenbach won the "clothespin award" of \$16.

The fourth and final round of play will be held Sunday, March 20, at the KC Hall, beginning at 2 p.m.

Overall high score players will be presented dominoes, engraved with "Champ '88."

Beta Kappa uses proceeds from the 42 tournament for scholarships given to two high school seniors each year.

Airman Moore completes basic training

Airman 1st Class Thomas W. Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne G. Moore of 911 S. Howeth, Gainesville, has graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

During the six weeks of training, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree through the community college of the Air Force.

His wife, Paula, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie J. Russell of 310 Ritchie, Gainesville.

He is a 1986 graduate of Gainesville High School.

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Tues. - Chili w/Beans, crackers, potatoes, bread, butter, congealed fruit salad, iced cake, milk.

Wed. - Chicken, creamed potatoes, gravy, hot bread, butter, honey, green beans, sliced peaches, milk.

Thur. - Hamburgers w/Trim-mings, sliced cheese, tator tots, ice cream, milk.

FORESTBURG SCHOOL March 14-18

Mon. - LUNCH: Pizza, lettuce and tomato salad, ranch style beans, peaches, milk. BREAKFAST: Cereal, juice, milk.

Tues. - LUNCH: Macaroni and Cheese w/Meat, blackeye peas, corn, hot rolls, applesauce, cookies, milk. BREAKFAST: Donuts, juice, milk.

Wed. - LUNCH: Fish, creamed potatoes, English pea salad, pears, bread, milk. BREAKFAST: Scrambled eggs, toast, juice, milk.

Thur. - LUNCH: Turkey and Dressing, candied potatoes, green beans, cranberry sauce, fruit cocktail, bread, milk. BREAKFAST: Buttered toast, juice, milk.

Fri. - LUNCH: Sloppy Joes, French fries, lettuce, fruit jello w/peaches, milk. BREAKFAST: Biscuit and gravy w/sausage, juice, milk.

MUEENSTER ISD MENU March 14-18

Mon. - Corny Dogs, baked beans, lettuce salad, fruit, milk, pumpkin bread.

Tues. - Fried Chicken, potatoes and gravy, English peas, fruit, rolls, milk.

Wed. - Hamburger Helper, green beans, lettuce salad, fruit, homemade bread, milk.

Thur. - Hamburgers w/Trim-mings, fruit, brownies, milk.

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Wed. - Sausage, sauerkraut, potatoes, fruit, cinnamon rolls, butter, milk.

Thur. - Chicken Enchilada Casserole, salad, peas, fruit, bread, milk.

Fri. - Grilled Cheese Sand-wiches, tomato soup, celery, apples, milk.

Spinach is a superior green

"The demand for spinach has been excellent this year," according to Ann Vargas, Market News Reporter for the Texas Department of Agriculture in Austin. "Supplies are good, and steady. And we received an increase in supplies around the first of February."

That's good news for those who enjoy the taste and nutritional value of a fresh spinach salad.

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Spinach should be stored loosely in the vegetable crisper. Compressing the leaves too tightly will cause a rise in temperature causing the leaves to rot. Unwashed spinach will keep fresh for a few days in the refrigerator. To serve, wash and roll lightly in a paper towel for a few hours.

For more information using Texas spinach, please write to the Texas Department of Agriculture, 1801 N. Lamar, Suite 103, Dallas, Texas 75202.

Spinach Grapefruit Salad
1 lb. fresh spinach leaves, torn
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Low calorie French dressing
1/2 t. ground ginger
or Poppy seed dressing

Combine spinach and grapefruit sections. If using low calorie French dressing, combine with ginger, pour over spinach and toss well. Yield: 4-6 servings.

Lindsay

Superintendent Henry B. Schroeder and Principal Gilbert Hermes of Lindsay Schools have announced the following honor rolls for the terms:

HIGHSCHOOL
Lucy Fuhrmann, 97.83; Jolanda Wimmer, 97.60; Angela Fuhrmann, 97.50; Brad Metzler, 97.00; Ted Fuhrmann, 96.20; Monica Johnson, 95.00; Bobby Fleitman, 94.80; Julie Fuhrmann, 94.40; Kristy Krebs, 94.40; Robbie Fleitman, 93.40; Robert Duncan, 93.20; Ashley Fuhrmann, 93.00;

Cubs see KGAF

On Feb. 15, the Cub Scouts of Den 4 enjoyed a trip to Gainesville when they were given a tour of the radio station KGAF.

They were able to broadcast live and ask several questions they needed to answer in the Bear book. They were shown how the advertisements were put into the schedule, how the AP news and sports were brought in and how the disc jockey keeps the music rolling smoothly.

They were also shown how the advertisements were made, and how the radio station broadcast is heard here on the cable channel 2. They were also shown the many records that can be used and where they look for a song that has been requested.

When leaving the boys made a special request and were able to hear it on the car radio coming home.

Reporters are Royce Knabe and Mark Walterscheid.

Hospital displays school art

The hospital display of school art will feature the work of Grade 2A at Muenster Public School, taught by Janie Weinzapfel. Joan Walterscheid, director of nurses at Muenster Memorial Hospital, invites anyone interested to come in to view the children's efforts.

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"B" HONOR ROLL

Cassandra Fuhrmann, 89.96; Kenny Fleitman, 89.89; Amy Cartwright, 89.17; Andy Popp, 88.96; Jeff Hermes, 88.33; Patrick Corcoran, 87.61; Jeff Pearson, 87.47; Laura Jones, 87.28; Laura Lutkenhaus, 87.11; Russell Almon, 87.07; Debbie Fangman, 85.46; Ronnie Dieter, 85.42; Jessey Barnes, 85.01.

7th GRADE HONOR ROLL

"A" HONOR ROLL
Steve Bezner, 97.42; Suzanna Hellinger, 97.42; Chris Brozovich, 96.57; John Hoening, 96.00; Leslie Cler, 94.42; Christi Secrest, 94.42; Tisha Krebs, 93.57; Janelle Fuhrmann, 92.57; Sherry Hess, 92.00; Janelle Hellinger, 90.00.

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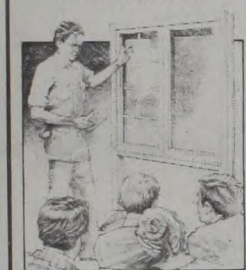
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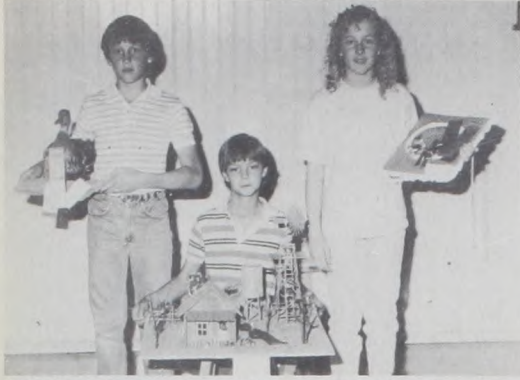
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5. Deadline for nominations is Friday, March 25, 1988
6. Nomination boxes are in many local businesses



"BEST OF SHOW" winners at Muenster Public School's Arts and Crafts Show include, 1 to r, Jeremy Hellinger (grade 4), Marcus Hacker (grade 5) and Christian Cain (grade 6).
Janie Hartman Photo

Parent Education class offered

by Evelyn Yeatts,
County Extension Agent
"On the job training" is about the only way parents can learn about one of the world's hardest, but most important jobs - that of rearing children. Most parents would like for their family to be a stronger family, have more communication, and share more with each other.
Help will be given for interested parents in an 8-week workshop being sponsored by the Cooke County Extension Service. The class begins on Tuesday evening, March 22, and runs for eight consecutive Tuesdays ending on May 10. Class time is from 7 to 9 p.m. each week. The class will be held in the Joe Walter Workshop at 610 West

Broadway in Gainesville. It will help parents look at themselves as persons who have needs, feelings, and rights, and will build effective communication skills in their relationships with children.
The class will use the books "Your Child's Self-Esteem" and "Human Being" as well as other handout materials.
Rev. Bill Havens, pastor of First Presbyterian Church in Gainesville, who is a Certified Instructor in Adult Growth and Parent Effectiveness, will be the Class Leader.
It is necessary to pre-register for the course which costs \$20 per couple or \$15 for individuals

which covers the course textbooks and materials. Call the County Extension Office at 668-5412 for more information.
The class will offer:
- How to listen so children and youth will talk
- How to talk so children and youth will listen

- How to solve problems so that no one loses
- How to appreciate and express your own feelings and rights
- How to discipline
- How to clarify and share values
- How to improve self-esteem in self as well as children

St. Anne's Society makes plans

Planning for coming events and activities occupied members of St. Anne's Society during their March 6 meeting in the Community Center, with Mrs. Della Walterscheid presiding.
Discussions included the March

Catholic State League to hold meeting

by Elaine Schad
The annual meeting of the Northern District, Catholic State League, will be March 20 at the Sacred Heart Community Center in Muenster.

Benediction will begin at 1:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart Church with a business meeting to follow in the community center. Guest speaker will be Dr. Gerard Balsley, Gainesville obstetrician and gynecologist, who will speak about the All Babies Born Alive (ABBA) program in Cooke County. A luncheon will follow the meeting.

Hospital Report

Mon., Feb. 29 - Robert Williams Landers, Forestburg.
Tues., March 1 - Marla Rose Wolf and baby girl Mary Kathryn, Gertrude Fisher (expired), Muenster.
Wed., March 2 - NONE
Thur., March 3 - NONE
Fri., March 4 - Ryan Shane Willis
Sat., March 5 - NONE
Sun., March 6 - NONE

20 annual meeting of the Northern District Catholic State League to be hosted by Sacred Heart Parish. Benediction at 1:30 p.m. in church will be followed by a general meeting at the Community Center.

The program will be presented by ABBA leaders that include a doctor and a lawyer from Gainesville. The meeting will close with supper.
Other planning included the society's participation in Germanfest. Members volunteered for the work schedule to cooperate with St. Joseph's Society handling the Bingo Booth.

Also in the planning stage is a reception for new members.

To be observed on Saturday, March 19, is St. Joseph Day, with 5 p.m. Mass in Sacred Heart Church and a catered dinner in the cafeteria of the Community Center.

The next meeting of St. Anne's Society was tentatively set for the first Sunday in June, postponed to avoid conflict with Easter Sunday in April, Germanfest on May 1 and Mother's Day on May 8.

The Rosary makers reported shipment of 100 rosaries to the "Prison Rosary Gang" in Min-

nesota and 100 rosaries to a mission in Mexico. Also shipment of 20 lbs. of literature to the Texas Correctional Dept. Mrs. Tillie Ot-to made the report.

Mrs. Bertha Knabe reviewed minutes of the previous meeting. Mrs. Marie Henscheid gave the treasurer's report, read the inspiration, "Lord, Teach Me to Love Myself." She also won the door prize.

Twenty-four members were present. A social hour and refreshments followed.

Cubs' Feb. 1 meeting plans Blue and Gold

Den 4 opened their meeting on Feb. 1 with the Cub Scout Promise. They spent their time this meeting preparing for the Blue and Gold Banquet. Placemats were made for their table and they practiced on their magic tricks they had chosen at the last meeting. After practicing on their magic, the boys went outside and had rope target practice. They had a bean bag on the end of a rope and tried to hit a target several feet away. Afterwards they enjoyed refreshments provided by Mark Walterscheid, started a game of Simon Says but were unable to finish because time ran out.

Baptism

Flusche

Jacqueline Mary Flusche, infant daughter of Brenda and Phillip Flusche of Decatur, was baptized Feb. 27 at St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church in Decatur during Saturday evening services.

Rev. Richard McGowan, pastor, was celebrant. Darwin Sicking of Muenster and Elaine Schad of Valley View are godparents.

A dinner preceded the service at the Flusche home. Special guests included great-grandmother Regina Flusche of Decatur, and grandparents James and Sally Flusche of Decatur, Nancy and Martin Krahl of Valley View.

Other guests included Evelyn, Jerry and Sherry Sicking of Muenster; Cathy, Gary, Alex, Sara and Gerald Krahl, all of Gainesville; Conrad Flusche of Decatur; Damian Krahl of Valley View and Lucy Fuhrmann of Lindsay; and Monica and Paul Guerra of Lewisville.

Ambrose

Jon Robert Ambrose, infant son of Yvonne and Bob Ambrose, was baptized in Sacred Heart Church on Sunday, Feb. 14, in special ceremonies during the 10:30 a.m. Mass celebrated by Father Denis Soerries.

Jon Robert's baptismal sponsors were an aunt and uncle, Monica and Roger Haverkamp of Watauga. The baby wore a white

Cubs earn \$354 selling popcorn

Den 4 opened their meeting on Feb. 22 with the Cub Scout Promise and the Law of the Pack. They also spent a few minutes reviewing the motto, handshake, salute and other things they learned to earn their Bobcat badges and were reminded that they should remember these throughout their Cub Scouting days.

Their craft for this meeting was covered wagons. Each boy was given two egg cartons, four wheels and a straw for a tongue. With a little cutting here and there, and redesigning of the egg carton, they soon ended up with a covered wagon.

They were reminded that if they haven't turned in their popcorn money, they need to do it by March 1. The Pack sold 354 containers of popcorn, which earned the Pack \$354 to be used for supplies, patches and advancement awards. The Cub Scouts wish to say "Thank You" to everyone who purchased popcorn because without their help the Scouts wouldn't have done this good.

Three of the boys have completed their work for the Parvuli Dei medal and will be receiving it on Feb. 27 at a special ceremony in Fort Worth. The other boys were encouraged to finish so they can receive theirs next spring, and complete one of the requirements they will need next year for their Webelos badge.

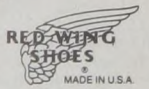
The meeting was adjourned, refreshments were served and then the boys went outside and enjoyed a game of Steal the Bacon.

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Muenster Scout Units honored at Cathedral

Sacred Heart Parish and Muenster Scout Units were well represented when several members were among 90 youth from across the Diocese receiving religious awards in ceremonies held at St. Patrick's Cathedral Sunday, Feb. 27, at 2 p.m.

Three Cub Scouts and three Boy Scouts were presented awards by the Most Rev. Bishop Joseph P. Delaney. Parvuli Dei emblems were presented to Cub Scouts Michael Flusche, son of Harold and Jeannene Flusche; Mark Walterscheid, son of Joe and Roberta Walterscheid; Joey Mar-

tin, son of Ernie and Laneta Martin; Scott Poole, son of Waylon and Anne Poole; C.J. Muller, son of Chris and Doris Muller; and Royce Knabe, son of Pat and Shirley Knabe.

The Ad Altare Dei emblem was presented to Gus Felderhoff, son of August and Loretta Felderhoff. Three other Boy Scouts were presented the Pope Pius XII, completing the three religious awards a Scout can earn. They were Eric Dankesreiter, son of Tom and Rosemary Dankesreiter; Jon Fleitman, son of J.D. and Patsy Fleit-

man; and Rodney Knabe, son of Pat and Shirley Knabe.

The Pope Pius XII is for Scouts of high school age and Explorers of the Catholic faith. The Scout must have earned the Ad Altare Dei emblem before he can qualify for the Pope Pius program. The program reflects to a great degree their own thinking. This program is presented in a series of five units, each which consists of the following elements: (a) Introduction; (b) Presentation; (c) Dialogue; (d) Commitment; (e) Summary. The program is best conducted through participation as a group and takes from six months to a year to complete. Counselor for the boys was Father Denis Soerries.

The purpose of the Ad Altare Dei program is to help Scouts

develop a fully Christian way of life. The program is organized in steps based on the Seven Sacraments. These encounters with Christ are the Scouts' best means toward spiritual growth. Another purpose of the program is to equip the Scout to take his place in the world as a maturing Catholic and maturing American.

The Parvuli Dei (children of God) medal is a project undertaken by the boy and his family. The purpose of the emblem is to help young boys explore a wide range of activities in order to discover the presence of God in their daily lives as members of their family and parish, and also to develop a good positive self-image through contribution they can make to the group or community.



SHIRLEY WEEMS

Shirley Weems receives Silver Beaver Award

Shirley Weems, volunteer Scouter, was presented the Silver Beaver award at Longhorn Council's annual banquet on Feb. 28 at Will Rogers Coliseum in Fort Worth. The Silver Beaver is awarded by the National Boy Scout Council acting through its Executive Board. This award is made each year upon the nomination of the local council.

It is made for noteworthy service of exceptional character to boyhood by registered Scouters within the territory under the jurisdiction of the Longhorn Council, Boy Scouts of America, making the Silver Beaver the highest award given a volunteer by a council.

Mrs. Weems has been involved in Scouting since 1977. She started as a Den Leader in Lindsay, and was presented the Den Leader of the Year award in 1979. She was very instrumental in organizing the Cooke County Cub Scout Day Camp held annually in Muenster, where she served as program director for five years. She is a member of the District Committee and is presently Roundtable Commissioner.

She was awarded the District Award of Merit in 1982. A member of the First Christian Church in Gainesville, she is a Deacon, Sunday School Teacher,

Worship Chairman 1986-87, Bible School Director, and Christian Education Chairman. Mrs. Weems has also been involved in Lindsay PTO, and has volunteered over 850 hours of service, as a Gainesville Memorial Hospital volunteer.

Attending the banquet with Shirley Weems was her immediate family, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garret Lewis; her brother, Ralph, and wife, Dorothy Lewis; her three sons, Gary, Eric and Curtis; along with some other 70 Scouters from Frontier Trails District. Cooke County was well represented with the Cub Scouts of Muenster's Pack 664 involved in the opening flag ceremony.

Dinner set for patron feast

St. Joseph's Day, on Saturday, March 19, will be observed with 5 p.m. Mass in Sacred Heart Church and dinner in the Community Center following. Dinner, which features a turkey and dressing menu, costs \$4.00. For more information, call Wilfred Bindel, 759-2729.

Religious emblems awarded to Girl Scouts

The ceremony honoring Girl Scouts who have earned religious award medals was held at St. Patrick's Cathedral in Fort Worth on Sunday, Feb. 28, and was presided and hosted by Bishop Joseph P. Delaney, who blessed and presented the medals. The following is a list of Sacred Heart parishioners who were honored:

Receiving the "Family of God" medal were Laura Klement; Trisha Endres; Nicole Endres; Vanessa Felderhoff; and Karri Endres, daughters of the Andrew Klements; Clinton Endres; Gary

Endres; and August Felderhoff, respectively.

Leaders were Emily Klement, Brownie; Loretta Felderhoff, Junior; Lou Moser, Cadette; and Jeanne Greathouse, Cadette leaders.

Receiving the "Marian" medal were Kristen Klement; Dawn Knabe; Tanya Knabe; and Jenny Yosten; daughters of the Andrew Klements; Herbie Knabes; Pat Knabes; and Steve Yostens, respectively.

The "I Live My Faith" medal was awarded to Julie Felderhoff; Allison Klement; and Misty Knabe, daughters of the August Felderhoffs; Andrew Klements; and Pat Knabes, respectively.

The program also included presentation of religious award medals to Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts of the Diocese and other Girl Scouts of the Diocese and special awards to adult leaders.

Attending were parents and friends of the honored Scouts. A special guest with the Muenster group was Sister Genevieve, who helped the girls on their religious projects.

A reception followed the program. Of special significance was the fact that four sets of sisters from Muenster received their medals. These included Tanya and Misty Knabe; Julie and Vanessa Felderhoff; Karri and Trisha Endres; and Allison, Laura and Kristen Klement.

Solemn Benediction and singing of "God Bless America" in St. Patrick's Cathedral preceded the reception.

Schedule of Meetings

Garden Club
The Muenster Garden Club will meet Friday, March 11, at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Angela Juarez. Mrs. Daryl Ferber will present the program on "Preserving Nature's Beauty - Dried, etc." Special attention is called to the date and time - tomorrow, March 11, at 9:30 a.m.

Diabetic Support Group
The Cooke County Diabetic Support Group will meet Tuesday, March 15, at 7:30 p.m. in the Gainesville Memorial Hospital Conference Room. Dr. Ruthann Masaracchia, Ph.D., associate professor at NTSU and also at Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine in the Department of Biochemistry, will present the program on "Current Priorities in Diabetes Research and Funding."

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New Arrivals

Yosten

Ronnie and Suzie Yosten of Muenster announce the birth of a son, Aaron Paul, in Gainesville Memorial Hospital on Feb. 25, 1988 at 8:57 p.m., weighing 7 lb. 12 oz. He joins a sister, LeAnn,

age 6, and a brother, Matthew, age 2. The grandmothers are Mrs. Frances Yosten of Muenster and Mrs. Lois Hightower of Nocona.

Hinkle

Darrell and Missy Hinkle of Gainesville are parents of their first child, Jeremy Robert Hinkle, born in Medical Plaza of Sherman on Feb. 25, 1988 at 9:29 p.m., weighing 6 lb. 10 oz. Grandparents are Ed and Jeanne Hinkle of Gainesville and Frank and Rose Stoffels of Muenster. The great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hinkle Sr. of New Jersey and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brooks of Gainesville.

News of the Sick

Norbert Koesler entered Muenster Memorial Hospital Friday, March 4, and was transferred to Harris Hospital in Fort Worth Monday for surgery on Wednesday afternoon. Cards will reach him addressed to Norbert Koesler, Room 836, Harris Hospital, 1301 Pennsylvania Ave., Fort Worth, TX 76104.

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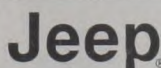
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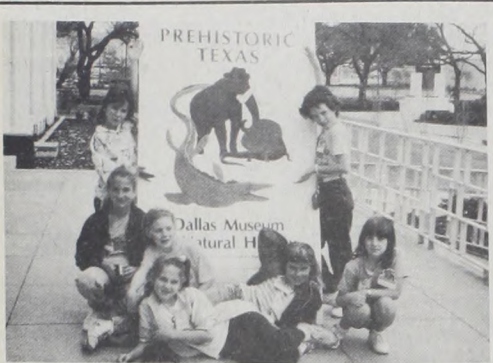
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We wish to express our appreciation for the assistance and support we have received from Sacred Heart School in providing meeting places; the VFW and KC for allowing us to use these facilities for ceremonies; Beta Kappa, the Kiwanis, the Muenster Youth Program for the financial support we most need to help us grow and allow the girls to participate in activities which help them grow into young women who can make a contribution to the world in which we live.



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Sports

Walterscheid selected MVP
4 Tigerettes, 1 Tiger named to All-District



VICKI WALTERSCHEID
Most Valuable Player
1st Team



DANNA HAMRIC
1st Team



LISA HAMRIC
1st Team



JON LeBRASSEUR
Girls' Coach of the Year



NOELLE HESSE
2nd Team



DARRELL DANGELMAYR
2nd Team



WAYNE BECKER
Honorable Mention



MOLLY KOELZER
Honorable Mention



JULINE BARTEL
Honorable Mention



VICKIE SCHMITT
Honorable Mention

1987-1988 TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF PRIVATE SCHOOLS DIVISION II DISTRICT II ALL-DISTRICT TEAM BOYS

1st Team
Ron Griffen SR Tyler Street
Alan Classen SR Lutheran
Everett Fields SR Tyler Street
Everett Allen SR Lakehill
John Lookabough JR Liberty
Nick Loy SR Lexington

2nd Team
Darrell Dangelmayr JR Sacred Heart
Mike Molsney JR Lexington
Trey Pruitt SR Oakridge
Mark Velasco SR Lutheran
Donavan Brown SR Tyler Street

Honorable Mention: Wayne Becker, Sacred Heart.

Most Valuable Player
Ron Griffen SR Tyler Street

Coach of the Year
John Elliot, Tyler Street

1987-1988 TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF PRIVATE SCHOOLS DIVISION II DISTRICT II ALL-DISTRICT TEAM GIRLS

Most Valuable Player
Vicki Walterscheid SR Sacred Heart

Coach of the Year
Jon LeBrasseur, Sacred Heart

1st Team
Vicki Walterscheid SR Sacred Heart
Danna Hamric SR Sacred Heart
Kristen Brumlow SR Liberty
Lisa Hamric JR Sacred Heart
Alissa Friarson SR Tyler Street
Jenny Morris SR Oakridge

2nd Team
Toni Murray SR Tyler Street
Tori Mathews SR Tyler Street
Felicia Harris SR Lexington
Paige Schrimmer JR Lakehill
Noelle Hesse JR Sacred Heart

Honorable Mention: Juline Bartel, Vickie Schmitt, Molly Koelzer, Sacred Heart.

Darrell Dangelmayr was the lone Tiger selected to the District II All-District team while the Tigerettes Vicki Walterscheid, Danna Hamric, Lisa Hamric and Noelle Hesse claimed berths on the girls' squad.

Dangelmayr led the Tigers in scoring with 425 points and rebounding with 238. Dangelmayr swished 37 percent of his field goals and 61 percent of his charity tosses. "Darrell had a good year for us and we are looking for big things of him next season," said Coach LeBrasseur. "I was sure hoping Wayne would have been selected, but the team is loaded with talent and he just missed getting on." Wayne Becker received honorable mention.

Vicki Walterscheid was selected the Most Valuable Player and was joined on the first team by Danna Hamric and Lisa Hamric. For the second year in a row the Tigerettes went undefeated in district play and also claimed their 8th straight district title. Danna Hamric and Walterscheid were first team selections last year while Lisa Hamric moves up to the first team squad.

Walterscheid hit on 58 percent of her field goals and led the Tigerettes in scoring with an 18-point per game clip and rebounding at 15 per game, and also found time to block 5 shots per game. Danna Hamric averaged 11 points per game, 5 rebounds, 4 steals and 7 assists and she was the Tigerette floor general. Lisa Hamric led the Tigerettes in total points with 506, and averaged 4 rebounds, 2 assists and 3 steals per game.

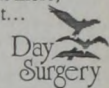
Noelle Hesse, called a "spark plug" to the Tigerette attack, led the Tigerettes in steals with 161, free throw percentage at 73 per-

cent and was second in assists at 133. "All these girls deserve the honor and I feel our whole team deserves to be on the first team," said Coach LeBrasseur.

Receiving honorable mention for the Tigerettes were Vickie Schmitt, Juline Bartel and Molly Koelzer. "It is really unfortunate that these three girls did not land a spot on the first or second team," said Coach LeBrasseur. "Juline missed five district games and the votes for Vickie, Julie and Molly all were divided. Vickie and Juline had great seasons and their stats are identical from the small forward position," said Coach LeBrasseur. "I can't say enough about Molly," said Coach Jon. "Coaches would say, 'We finally got Hesse tired and then Koelzer comes in and continues to drive us crazy.'"

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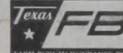
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Hamric, Walterscheid shine in All Star Classic

Sacred Heart's Danna Hamric and Vicki Walterscheid led the West All-Stars to a 70-66 win over the East All-Stars in the 10th TAPS All-Star Classic held this past weekend in San Marcos.

Danna Hamric's steal and lay-up with 1:17 remaining gave the West a 67-60 lead. A 3-point play by Vicki Walterscheid with 43 seconds left won the West victory.

Vicki Walterscheid scored 10 points and pulled down 15 rebounds while teammate Danna Hamric led the West in scoring with 14 points and also handed out three assists and was credited with 4 steals. Leading scorer for the East squad was Wendy Adams with 21.



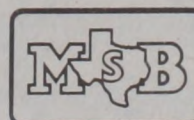
LINDSAY basketball team members making All-District were, 1 to 3, above - Jolanda Wimmer, Connie Hermes and Shelley Fleitman. Below - Jeff Arendt, Craig Neu and Bobby Fleitman. Not pictured are Mark Hoenig and Robert Duncan. Janie Hartman Photo

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Muenster and Sacred Heart got their first taste of the track season at the S & S Relays last Saturday at Sadler.

Sacred Heart girls, led by Molly Koelzer, racked up 24 points. Molly placed first in the 200m dash with a time of 27.09 and had a winning 60.07 in the 400m.

Michelle Walter finished fifth in the 1600m run, clocking in at 6:15 while Lisa Hamric's 18.2 gave her a fifth place in the 100m hurdles.

Muenster High School senior Stuart Hess brought home the gold in the shot put with a 53-foot throw.

Deanna Bierschenk placed second in the 800m with a 2:36 time and Lisa Robison finished the 400m at 67:33 for a sixth place.

Both schools warmed up by holding a tri-practice meet with Lindsay Tuesday after school at the Hornet Track.

Muenster and Sacred Heart have no meet scheduled Saturday because of the junior-senior renewal weekend. Next track action will be the big Muenster Relays on March 19.

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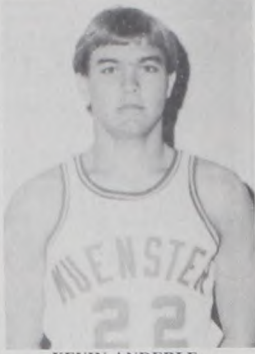
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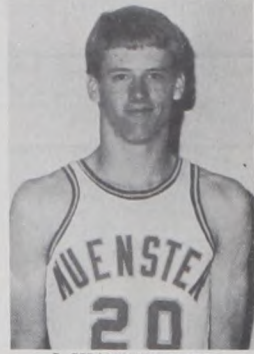
BRIAN HESS
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1st Team



MELODY KLEMENT
1st Team



TED HEERS
Girls' Coach of the Year

Anderle, Klement unanimous choices Hess, Walterscheid selected as District's Most Valuable

Seniors Brian Hess and Staci Walterscheid capped off their careers for the Hornet basketball program last week by being elected the District 33A Most Valuable Players. Their record-setting Hornet and Hornette basketball teams of 1987-88 ended their stay in District 33 unbeaten at 20-0 during the last two campaigns and each successfully defended their 1987 district titles. Next season Muenster will play in District 34A.

Hess finished his four years with 1396 career points. He set school records this season with 626 points and an average of 21.0 points per game. Against the Newcastle Bobcats, he scored a school record 40 points. In district play, Brian averaged 23 points and 9 rebounds per contest while making 56 percent from the field. He was a first-team selection last season, and made five all-tournament teams.

Walterscheid was selected MVP for the second year in a row. She played point guard for four years, pacing the Hornets to three district crowns, one bi-district title, and a record of 60-18 during the last three years. She averaged 13 points, 4.2 assists, 4.0 steals, and 3.8 rebounds in district play this year, twice scoring a career-high 29 points, and was a five-time all-tournament selection.

Two other Muenster seniors, Kevin Anderle and Melody Klement, were honored as unanimous first-team all-district selections.

Anderle averaged 11 points and 6 assists for the 26-5 Hornet squad. He set a school record with 11 assists vs. Saint Jo and also had a record 8 steals against Petrolia in 1987. He was a second-team selection last year.

Klement was an honorable mention choice last year who, according to Coach Ted Heers, "was duly rewarded for many extra hours of shooting practice." Klement raised her district totals from 5.3 points and 5.2 rebounds last year, to a team-high 14.3 points and 6.9 rebounds this year. She was a very respectable 44 percent from the field and had a career-high 27 points against Prairie Valley this year.

Junior J. Shane Wimmer, a 6'2"-inch wing, also made the all-district first team. He averaged 13.4 points per game and has twice had 20 rebound games to set a school record. He had a career-

high 28 points against Savoy, and scored a game-high 23 points against the Slidell Greyhounds to help give the Muenster Hornets their first-ever bi-district title.

Second team honors were voted to senior Meredith McDaniel and sophomore Dana Wimmer. Honorable mention recognition went to senior Dale Reiter, juniors Keith Klement, Mike Pagel and Jennifer Carroll.

"We felt that with the domination of our teams, Meredith, Dana and Mike should have received higher recognition. Everyone worked hard to defend the titles, and we're adding the gold balls to our collection due to tremendous effort from these and all the rest of the team members," said Heers.

McDaniel scored a career-high 17 points against Forestburg and, along with Walterscheid, is the only Muenster student to have played on three district championship teams. Wimmer averaged 11 points, and a team-high 8.3 rebounds per game. She also paced the Hornets with a 45 percent field goal accuracy.

Reiter had a career-best 16-point effort against Era and Pagel had 20 points and 15 rebounds against Prairie Valley in district play, while averaging 9 rebounds per district contest. Carroll had three district games in double figures and Klement "could be the Hornets' best defensive player next year."

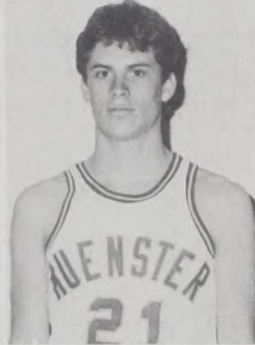
The Hornets dominated district play. They averaged 64 points while allowing but 26. They defeated the runner-up Era Hornets 56-27 and 48-29. District 34 runner-up, the Ponder Lions, held off the 20-7 Hornets in bi-district action 45-37.

The Hornets have dominated district play also. They averaged 66 points while allowing 42. They defeated the runner-up Forestburg Longhorns 69-51 and 68-32. District 35 champion, the Roston Lions, turned back the Hornets in the Area game 81-48.

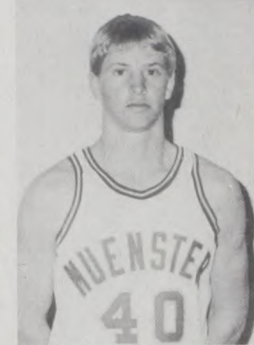
Second year Muenster Coach Ted Heers, selected Boys' Coach of the Year last season, was named Girls' Coach of the Year this season. His teams leave District 33A with four district titles and a perfect 40-0 ledger.

Next year, District 34A will consist of Era, Valley View, Collinsville, Lindsay, Saint Jo and

Muenster. Muenster will open district play with Lindsay for the third year in a row. Non-district opponents for Muenster include Paradise, Chico, Pottsboro, Forestburg and Sacred Heart. Tournaments include the Era Classic, the Alvord Classic, and the newly-created KGAF sponsored Cooke County Classic.



DALE REITER
Honorable Mention



KEITH KLEMENT
Honorable Mention



MIKE PAGEL
Honorable Mention

Quarterback Club to meet March 15 at 7

The Quarterback Club will meet Tuesday, March 15, at 7 p.m. in the Muenster High School Library to assign workers for the track meet.

Boys' Class A state tourney playoffs Sat.

The Muenster Hornets' basketball season ended with a defeat by Roston in the Regional playoffs. Fannindale beat Roston by 1 point in overtime 64-63 and Graford qualified by defeating Bronte 44-40 in Semi-Quarter playoffs.

The final four playoffs began Thursday morning in Austin, with Livingston/Big Sandy, 36-0, matched against Fannindale, 31-1, followed by defending champs Paducah, 28-0, challenged by Graford, 34-2. The winners will meet Saturday morning for the State Championship.



DISTRICT 33A ALL-DISTRICT TEAM BOYS		DISTRICT 33A ALL-DISTRICT TEAM GIRLS	
Most Valuable Player		Most Valuable Player	
Brian Hess	SR Muenster	Staci Walterscheid	SR Muenster
First Team		First Team	
Leslie Uselton	JR Prairie Valley	Melody Klement	SR Muenster
Kevin Anderle	SR Muenster	Krista Shults	SO Forestburg
Chad Hudspeth	SR Forestburg	Jolanda Wimmer	SR Lindsay
James Rodriguez	SR Era	Misti Barthold	JR Era
Johnny Nelms	JR Saint Jo	Margie Knabe	JR Era
J. Shane Wimmer	JR Muenster	Kristal Sappington	SO Saint Jo
Craig Neu	JR Lindsay		
Second Team		Second Team	
Chuck Redman	SR Saint Jo	Meredith McDaniel	SR Muenster
Jeremy Lindenborn	SO Saint Jo	Dana Wimmer	SO Muenster
Carlos Rodriguez	SO Era	Tara Romine	JR Forestburg
Bob Smiley	SO Era	Kristie Pae	SO Prairie Valley
Jaime Cappuchina	SO Forestburg	Tanya Reeves	SR Saint Jo
Barr Sirman	JR Forestburg	Connie Hermes	SR Lindsay
Mark Hoening	JR Lindsay		
Tim Seavers	SO Prairie Valley		
Honorable Mention:		Honorable Mention:	
Mike Pagel, Dale Reiter, Keith Klement, Muenster; Bobby Fleitman, Robert Duncan, Jeff Arendt, Lindsay; Dustin Haney, Michael Teel, Saint Jo; Troy Jones, Forestburg; Michael Linnell, Brian Downe, Era.		Jennifer Carroll, Muenster; Jan Bell, Forestburg; Angie Meyers, Prairie Valley; Cori Enderby, Paige Lange, Becca Richardson, Era; Shelly Fleitman, Lindsay; Lia Hutson, Saint Jo.	
		Coach of the Year	
		Ted Heers, Muenster	

Tammy Hess finishes season at Benedictine

The 9-14 Lady Ravens of Benedictine College in Atchison, Kansas ended the season on a positive note by convincingly winning the last two games by a total of 31 points.

Freshman Tammy Hess, daughter of Lulu Hess and the late Archie Hess and a graduate of Sacred Heart High School, played 12 games, shooting 25 percent field goals, scoring a season total

of 4 points. She also pulled down 6 rebounds, had 2 steals and 1 assist.

The Lady Ravens will lose two leading senior players, with 3 returning starters. Tammy is one of the five remaining returners. "The team for next year could prove competitive, to say the least," commented Coach John Stackstill.

Co-Ed Volleyball Tourney March 25-26

The Saint Jo Athletic Booster Club will sponsor a Co-ed Volleyball Tournament March 25 and 26, 1988.

Entry deadline is March 18, 1988. The fee will be \$40.00 per team, with 8 players per team. You must be 18 years or older to participate.

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Rosston and Forestburg News

Ruth Smith

State offers property tax tips

Taxpayers can learn how to get property tax relief from their local Appraisal District offices, according to Ron Patterson, Executive Director of the State Property Tax Board (SPTB).

Patterson said the SPTB staff is working with Appraisal Districts and local news media to help make taxpayers aware of filing deadlines for property tax exemptions and other forms of property tax relief.

"Property owners must file rendition forms by March 31 and apply for exemptions and special productive valuations by April 30 of this year," Patterson said. Taxpayers should file all exemption and productive value applications, as well as rendition forms, with the local Appraisal District.

A rendition is a report a property owner makes listing taxable property owned or managed on Jan. 1, 1988. On it, a taxpayer can record an opinion of the property's value. "If the owner renders a property's value, the Appraisal District must notify the owner if it places a higher value on the property," Patterson said.

Some property owners are required by law to render their property. "Anyone who owns or manages income-producing personal property on Jan. 1 must file a rendition statement with the Appraisal District," Patterson said.

The Chief Appraiser may also require other property owners or managers to render property; if so, the Chief Appraiser will send a notice and the appropriate rendition form. Property owners must file renditions by March 31.

Homeowners can usually get relief through residence homestead exemptions. "Homestead exemptions help homeowners because they allow a part of a home's value to be exempt from property taxes. This in turn reduces the amount of property taxes assessed on the house," Patterson said.

Homeowner exemptions are available for all qualified homeowners and additional tax relief is available for persons who are disabled and those who are 65 and older. Elderly homeowners who receive the over-65 homestead exemption also get a "freeze" or ceiling on school taxes.

Disabled veterans, survivors of deceased disabled veterans and survivors of those who died on active duty also receive tax exemptions from all taxing units.

"Farmers and ranchers can also lower their tax bills," Patterson said. "If their land qualifies for

productivity valuation, the land will be taxed on its ability to produce, instead of its market value." Productivity valuation comes in two forms, often referred to by the section of the Texas Constitution that provides them: Open-Space or "I-d-1" valuation and agricultural or "I-d" valuation.

Property owners who last year received homestead exemptions, disabled veterans' exemptions and open-space land valuation do not need to reapply in 1988, unless the Chief Appraiser requests a new application to confirm the owner's current qualifications.

Patterson pointed out, however, that property owners who have not previously received tax relief on their present homesteads or land must apply in 1988. Farmers and ranchers who receive agricultural-use valuation must apply for it annually.

People whose property is in more than one County Appraisal District have an additional responsibility. They may have to file for exemptions and productivity valuation in each Appraisal District in which the property is located. If they do not, taxing units may tax the property in its full market value.

Applications for exemptions and special valuation must be submitted to the Appraisal Office by April 30.

Complete information on tax exemptions and rendition re-

quirements can be found in a pamphlet SPTB produces, "Taxpayers' Rights, Remedies and Responsibilities." The pamphlet also explains how taxpayers can challenge the values placed on their property by protesting to the Appraisal Review Board. The free pamphlet is available from Appraisal District Offices or from SPTB in Austin.

"Local governments will generate nearly \$9 billion this year," Patterson said. "It will help fund necessary services such as public schools, hospitals, fire and police protection, water, utilities and local colleges."

"I urge all property owners to learn about the property tax process, to file renditions and to take advantage of all forms of tax relief available to them," Patterson said.

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Ted Moss dies at 76

Funeral services for Ted Moss, 76, were held Friday, March 4, in Fort Worth. Then graveside services were held at 4 p.m. in Cogburn Cemetery near Leo.

Mr. Moss passed away Wednesday, March 2, 1988 in Fort Worth. He was born in the Leo Community and lived there several years before moving to Fort Worth. His parents were Mr. and Mrs. T.G. Moss. He married Miss Veedie Lawson of Hood.

He is survived by his wife, Veedie; one daughter, Juanita; three grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Opal Davis of Gainesville; and a host of relatives and friends.

Kindigers attend funeral

Mrs. Mary Ruth Kindiger, Mrs. Inez Stevens and Mrs. Odessa Berry all attended the funeral of T.G. Moss.

Jim Kindiger of Whitesboro, Joe Kindiger of Lindsay and Jim Garrett of Gainesville visited and had dinner with Mrs. Mary Ruth Kindiger Saturday.

Announcements

There will be a revival at the Church of the Nazarene at Prairie Point. The revival will be held by Rev. Jim Bell of Bethany, Oklahoma, starting Thursday, March 10, through Sunday, March 13. He is an excellent minister of the Word. His wife is an accomplished pianist and musician.

The services will start Thursday, March 10, at 7 p.m. each evening, Sunday at 10 a.m. Sunday School will be held and church service at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Rev. and Mrs. Bell will do special singing. Rev. and Mrs. Marshall Stewart and the members invite everyone to come and hear good preaching and singing.

News of the Sick

Mr. C.P. Roach is holding his own. He is recuperating in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Audelle Lovette, and Mr. Lovette.

Perryman Denham had surgery in Bowie hospital last week. He expects to be dismissed and return to his home soon.

Guests of Mrs. Brown

Raymond Brown of Valley View and Charner Maten of Era stopped by for a visit with Mrs. Evelyn Brown Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Evelyn Brown drove over to Alvord Tuesday morning for a visit with Mrs. Joyce Brown.

Personal

Mrs. Inez Stevens and Mrs. Mary Ruth Kindiger drove over to Slidell Friday evening and visited Frank and Sue Balthrop and Mrs. Vade Ballinger.

Guests of Hutsons

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hutson had as their guests during the weekend Wayne Hutson of Bloomfield, New Mexico, W.C. Hutson, John Rhodes of Southlake, Kenda Hutson, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Thompson and boys of Saint Jo.

Personal

Mrs. Mozelle Hutson visited her mother, Mrs. Jewel Gaston, in Nocona, JoDell and Ve Gaston and Mrs. Essie Agee of Saint Jo Saturday.

Delia Sutton honored on 83rd

Mrs. Delia Sutton was honored Sunday, March 6, 1988 in the Ross Point Community Center for her 83rd birthday.

The Sutton family all gathered for a family get-together and a very delicious dinner with birthday cake. Games were played in the afternoon.

Those attending were the honoree; Ross, Brenda, Darin and Jalise Sutton; Brian and Debbie Sutton, all of Arlington; Darrell and Joy Sutton, Julie and Cote; Jack and Marie Richardson, all of Gainesville; Mrs. Callie Pressley of Rialto, California; Johnnie Ruth and Calvin Blankenship; Jolene and Shamus Meadows of Elk City, Oklahoma; Thomas Blankenship, Dustin, Mansley and Nathan of Lindsey, Okla.; Bobby and Karen Pressley, Becky and Zack, of Elk City, Okla.; Travis and Sue Sutton; Paula and Rickey Kerr; Juanita Cote, all of Prairie Point; Rev. and Mrs. Marshall Stewart of Forestburg.

Personal

Mrs. Juanita Cote had as her houseguests Sunday Mrs. Delia Sutton, Mrs. Callie Pressley and Bobby Pressley and family.

Christians attend

Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Christian attended the Ross Point Community Club's Potluck Supper and meeting Wednesday evening, March 2.

Jim Bleything spoke in behalf of his candidacy for Cooke County Sheriff.

Personal

Miss Lois Bewley and Clyde and Mrs. Corvillia Robeson were Gainesville visitors Friday.

Katie and Johnnie Cook visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berry and James Monday to Wednesday of last week.

Maberrys visit kin

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Maberry Sr. left Saturday morning for Daingerfield to visit their son, Marvin Jr., and granddaughter, Mrs. Marla Bullard, and husband Wayne and daughter Jamie. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Maberry Sr. made a business trip to Gainesville Friday and came back through Myra.

Greeneads visit relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Greenead and Jennifer of Burleson spent the weekend with Mrs. Juanita Greenead, Mr. and Mrs. Ran Greenead and Matt and Mr. Vint Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gunter of Jacksboro visited Mr. and Mrs. Ran Greenead and Matt Sunday afternoon.

Richardsons have busy weekend

Mrs. Becky Richardson, Mrs. Joyce Richardson and Kim were in Denton shopping Saturday.

Tom and Bob Richardson drove over to Slidell. Little Miss Chari Richardson stayed with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Fortenberry Saturday in Slidell. Chari spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bill White.

Mrs. Becky Richardson and Chari, Bill and Norma White visited in the Clifford Richardson home Sunday afternoon. Other guests in the Richardson home were Mrs. Edith Richardson of Gainesville, Mrs. Joan Sicking, Bart, Jessamy, Clint and Lynn, Mrs. Joyce Richardson, Bob and Kim.

United Methodist Women meet

The United Methodist Women of the Forestburg Methodist Church held their regular meeting. The program was "World Sisterhood" led by Mrs. Edna Pada. It was a very interesting program.

Refreshments of tuna salad, crackers, homemade cake, hot chocolate, coffee and lemonade were served.

Jacksons have many guests

Mrs. Quida McCandless of Floydada spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jackson. Then Sunday they all attended church. Mrs. McCandless visited Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Dill and they all had sup-

per with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jackson. Mrs. McCandless returned to her home in Floydada Monday morning.

Rev. and Mrs. Larry Kruger and Kirk had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jackson. Rev. Kruger is pastor of the Forestburg and Saint Jo United Methodist Church.

Relatives and friends visit

Mrs. Fannie Ewing had as her guests during the weekend Charles and Beverly Fleitman of Gainesville, J.Y. and Agnes Brandon, Mrs. Eva Marie Addcock, Miss Lois Bewley and Mrs. Ruth Christian.

Louise Shults visits old friends

Mrs. Louise Shults drove over to Bowie Saturday to do some shopping. While there, she met old friends Mrs. Peggy (Reynolds) Lawler of the Metroplex and T.J. and Marlene Richardson of Gainesville and enjoyed visiting with them.

Sunday afternoon Mrs. Louise Shults visited with Mrs. Oma Wakeman and her houseguests Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wakeman of Wichita Falls.

Bobbie Wylie takes father to Fort Worth

Mrs. Bobbie Wylie drove over to Sanger Sunday and her dad, Mr. Ollie Tipton, accompanied her for a drive to Fort Worth where they had dinner.

Guests of Mrs. Berry

Byron Berry of Denton spent Monday night with Mrs. Josephine Berry. Saturday night Mrs. Brenda Haverkamp spent the night. Mrs. Ann Knight of Era visited Mrs. Berry Sunday afternoon.

Relatives visit Rhoda Elam

Mrs. Wilma Thurman of Forestburg, Mrs. Edith Richardson of Gainesville, Wilbur and Wanda DeBorde of Era, Mrs. Mildred Berry of Hood, Homer and Dorothy Riley of Sanger went to Elgin, Oklahoma Wednesday, March 2, where they visited their cousins, Nina and John Perry, and their aunt, Mrs. Rhoda Elam. Mrs. Elam is 99 years old and will be 100 on her birthday, July 28, 1988.

She lives in Roswell, New Mexico and has spent the winter in Elam, Oklahoma and will return. She always attend the DeBorde reunions held every year, and plans to attend this year. She is a very active lady.

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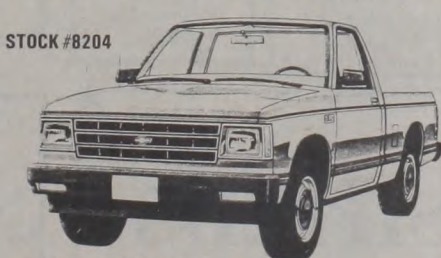
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The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the child's interest which will be binding upon you, including the termination of the parent-child relationship and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to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

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unopened. The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said Court at Gainesville, Texas, this 7th day of March, 1988.

Bobbie Calhoun, Clerk
235th District Court,
Cooke County, Texas,
/s/ Joy Huddleston, Deputy.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, in cooperation with Cooke County, will conduct a public meeting on April 11, 1988, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the Gainesville Chamber of Commerce office, which is located at 101 South Culberson Street in Gainesville.

The purpose of the public meeting is to discuss the need for and suggested alternatives for the improvement of the roadway facility from Farm to Market Road 372, 3.0 miles north of Farm to Market Road 922, north to Farm to Market Road 902. The total length of the project is 3.8 miles.

Mr. Pat Harris, Supervising Resident Engineer with the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation in Gainesville, will be in charge of the meeting.

The meeting will be informal, and all interested citizens are invited to attend and express their views.

NOTICE TO MUESTER YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS
All youth organizations requesting United Way Funds are asked to submit a budget to the Muenster Park Board prior to 5:00 p.m. March 21, 1988. Submit bids at 400 N. Main, P.O. Box 208, Muenster, Texas.

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FARM AND RANCH NEWS



Forage conference set for Mar. 15 at Cooke Co. College

Several of the region's foremost authorities on hay crop management and pasture feeding will be on the program for the North Texas Forage Conference to be held at Cooke County College on Tuesday, March 15.

Doug Robison, CCC agriculture instructor and director of the college's Soils & Forage Testing Laboratory, said the program is being presented free of charge to all interested persons including both dairy and beef cattle raisers and horse breeders.

The conference is under the

joint supervision of CCC's Department of Agriculture, TU Electric, Dow Chemical, Inc., and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service (TAES). A number of exhibits will be set up for viewing before and after the conference program, and a complimentary noon luncheon will be provided by the sponsors and exhibitors.

Robison reported that the program will get under way at 8:30 a.m. on the CCC campus with a one-hour registration and exhibit viewing period.

"Although there is no charge for attending the conference," he said, "we are asking that those who intend to come let us know in advance if possible so we can plan for the luncheon and seating arrangements."

To do that, call the CCC Continuing Education Office at 817-668-7731, ext. 272.

Kicking off the formal program at 9:30 a.m. will be Dr. Mark Hussey, forage breeder from Texas A&M University at College Station. His presentation will answer the question, "What's New in Forages?"

"Intensive Coastal Bermuda Management" will follow at 10:30 a.m. The presenter will be Dr. Bill Oliver, widely known and respected livestock and forage specialist from Hill Farm Research Station in Homer, La.

Next on the program will be Dr. Ken Stokes, TAES agricultural economist from Renner, TX. His topic will be "Tax Changes Affecting Livestock and Forage Producers."

"We'll be having some great door prizes to be given away at the luncheon, compliments of the sponsors and exhibitors," Robison said. "Again, there is no charge either for the luncheon or for attending the outstanding conference program, so we're hoping to see a large turnout."

Following lunch, Don Dorsett will speak on "Legumes for North Texas." He is a pasture specialist for TAES from College Station.

Next, Charles Griffith, Noble Foundation agronomist from Ardmore, Ok., will talk about "Native Forage Types - Species Management" and he will be followed by a special presentation on "Forage Bull Development."

Jointly presenting this session on developing top performance pasture cattle, as opposed to feedlot cattle, will be Jim Pumphrey, Noble Foundation livestock specialist from Ardmore, and Denton County Extension Agent Al Croix.

Following this final presentation, participants may again view the exhibits and confer individually with the presenters and CCC Soil & Forage Testing Lab representatives.

For more information about the program, contact Doug Robison at 817-668-7731, ext. 253.

200 4-H members attend CC Livestock Show Saturday

Some 200 4-H members exhibited projects in this year's 4-H Livestock Show. The following are the results of the live placings.

A Special Award was presented this year to one 4-H member in each of the various categories for his or her knowledge of livestock production. Judging was based on Live Animal Placing, Project Records, Showmanship, and a Written Test. Winners of this Production Award include:

Beef - Lucy Fuhrmann of Lindsay Senior 4-H
Dairy - Wayne Becker of Muenster 4-H

Swine - Sara Flusche of Lindsay Junior High 4-H
Sheep - Holly Howell of Silver Cedar 4-H

Dairy Goat - Jared Bayer of Muenster 4-H
Poultry - Rocky Barnes of Lindsay Junior High 4-H

Rabbit - Jessica Selby of Era Junior 4-H

In the Market Sheep Class, Grand Champion Market Lamb honors went to Shiann Howell of Silver Cedar 4-H; Reserve Grand Champion Market Lamb to Chris Baugh of Sivel's Bend 4-H; and Showmanship Award to Chad Phillips of Silver Cedar 4-H.

Breeding Sheep Grand Champion belonged to Scot Vogel of Muenster 4-H with a ewe lamb;

Rodney Vogel of Muenster 4-H took Breeding Sheep Reserve Champion with an aged ewe.

In the Market Steers judging, Jessica Fuhrmann of Lindsay Junior High 4-H took Market Steer Grand Champion; Market Steer Reserve Champion honors went to Lucy Fuhrmann of Lindsay Senior 4-H; and Showmanship award went to Lucy Fuhrmann.

Breeding Beef Grand Champion honors went to Lucy Fuhrmann of Lindsay Senior 4-H; and Breeding Beef Reserve Champion to Jessica Fuhrmann of Lindsay Junior High 4-H.

In Dairy Cattle competition, All Breeds Junior Champion was Brenda Friedrich of Valley View 4-H with a junior yearling Holstein heifer; All Breeds Reserve Junior Champion was Jeffrey Lewter of Era Junior 4-H with 2-year-old Holstein heifer.

Also in Dairy Cattle, Senior Champion was Jennifer Kupper of Valley View 4-H with a 2-year-old cow; the Reserve Senior Champion was a 2-year-old cow belonging to Wayne Becker of Muenster 4-H. The Showmanship award also went to Wayne Becker.

The Grand Champion Broiler award went to Garret Hellinger of Lindsay Junior 4-H; Reserve Champion Broiler and Showmanship awards went to Rocky Barnes of Lindsay Junior High 4-H.

Grand Champion Breeding Chicken belonged to Richard Barnes of Lindsay Senior 4-H; Reserve Champion Breeding Chicken to Rocky Barnes of Lindsay Junior High 4-H.

In the Dairy Goats Division, Champion Doe went to Marty Rehm of Era Junior 4-H; Reserve Champion Doe also to Marty Rehm; and Showmanship to Jared Bayer of Muenster 4-H.

Grand Champion Overall and Champion Senior Doe and Best Large Breed in Breeding Rabbits went to Angelica Gunter of Silver Cedar 4-H with a Californian; Reserve Champion Overall and Best Small Breed to Amy Cartwright of Sivel's Bend 4-H with a Dutch; and Champion Junior Doe to Crystal Sutton of Silver Cedar 4-H with a Netherland Dwarf.

Showmanship award went to Leslie Cler of Lindsay Junior High 4-H.

The Grand Champion Swine in the Market Swine division was awarded to Ginger Andrew of Valley View 4-H; Reserve Champion Swine to Sara Flusche of Lindsay Junior High 4-H; and Showmanship to Danetta Bryant of Valley View 4-H.

In the Breeding Swine division, Grand Champion Breeding Swine went to Ginger Andrew of Valley View 4-H; and Reserve Champion to Jason York of Valley View 4-H.

County Agent's Report

by Craig Rosenbaum

Although greenbug infestations in wheat remain light, weather conditions in Cooke County have contributed to an increase.

Infestations could continue to increase if temperatures continue in the range of 60 to 70°F during daylight hours. On the positive side, several beneficial insects are present in some fields. If temperatures get between 70 to 80°F, these insects will become active and will help control greenbug populations.

Evidence of greenbugs usually shows up as yellow circular spots in the field. These spots increase in size as the number of aphids increase. Wheat in the center of the circles can be killed.

When examining a field, look for these yellow spots. Also, check any areas which have clumps of Johnsongrass. These areas usually harbor heavier greenbug populations.

Wheat 6 to 10-inches tall can withstand 200 or more greenbugs per foot of drill row. Measure off a foot of drill row and beat the plants from side to side to knock greenbugs onto the ground. Count or estimate the number of greenbugs. Do not treat wheat unless the infestation is at a damaging level.

The infestations don't look too bad right now and very few fields are in trouble.

Market Report

The sale tally for the past week at the Muenster Livestock Auction was 244 cattle and 24 hogs. Stocker cattle was steady and active; feeders were \$1.00 to \$3.00 lower; cows were \$1.00 to \$2.00 lower; bulls were steady; and hogs were \$1.00 to \$2.00 lower.

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Bentsen works to free farmers

Senator Lloyd Bentsen said last week the Agriculture Department has decided to shelve tough new farm payment limitation rules that would have put hundreds of Texas farmers in a vise.

Bentsen had objected last to Agriculture Secretary Richard E. Lyng about the new regulations, proposed by the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, calling them "outrageous."

The Senator noted in the letter that Texas farmers had a similar problem at this time last year and it was resolved by simply allowing them "to operate as they had in the past, as long as they were not increasing the number of payments for which they were eligible."

On Friday of last week, Bentsen was notified that the U.S. Department of Agriculture "has agreed to that request. This means that the many Texas farmers who would have been trapped by the proposed new interpretations of

rules governing partnerships, custom farming and other technical provisions will be able to farm in 1988 just as they did in 1987."

"It's good that these new rules were dropped. They had been announced only a few days ago, much too late in the year for farmers to make the changes needed to comply. We have already planted cotton and milo in South Texas and land preparation is far along in other parts of the state."

"In addition, there was a bureaucratic snafu in the regulations that would have put Texas farmers in a vise. Many farmers would have had to make changes in their operations to comply with the new rules, yet one of those rules prohibited them from making the changes."

"This is the second year in a row in which USDA has announced disruptive new payment limitation rules while Texas farmers are planting. Although both times the Secretary has agreed to my request

to delay the rules until the next year, Texas farmers are tired of having the rules changed in the middle of planting season," Bentsen said.

"I'm tired of it, too. I intend to work to see that future farm program rules are announced early and are then left unchanged," Senator Bentsen said.

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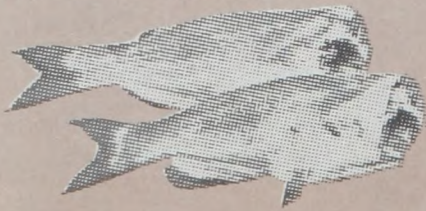
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