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Hospital Auxiliary nominates officers

Muenster Memorial Hospital Auxiliary's nominating committee met on Wednesday, Dec. 5 in the MMH board room. A list of proposed officers for the newly re-formed Auxiliary was compiled.

The slate of officers will be voted on at the Jan. 21 meeting which is to be held in the Activity Room of the hospital's south wing at 7:30 p.m.

Names on the ballot are Donna Biffle, president; Peggy Grewing and Nancy Grewing, first vice-president; Dianne Walterscheid and Nancy Sicking, second vice-president; Susan Fetsch and Brenda Rigsby, recording secretary; and Debbie Hale and Glenda Russell, treasurer.

All members are asked to bring a friend interested in joining and also their \$6 membership dues. The dues must be paid before a member can vote.

Those attending are asked to bring any ideas that they might have for activities for the auxiliary. The organization is open to anyone in the community.

Members of the nominating committee are Margie Starke, Christi Klement, Glenda Russell, Pat Wimmer and Janie Taylor.

Knights sponsor Free Throw contest

All boys and girls ages 10 to 14 are invited to participate in the local level of competition for the 1991 Knights of Columbus International Free Throw Championship. The local competition will be held Jan. 12 at 10 a.m. in the Sacred Heart Gym.

The International Free Throw Championship is sponsored annually by the K of C with winners progressing through local, district, and state level competition. International champions are announced by the K of C international headquarters based on scores from the state level competitions. All boys and girls 10 to 14 years old are eligible to participate and will compete in respective age divisions. Last year more than 172,000 sharpshooters participated in 2,581 local competitions.

All contestants on the local level are recognized for their participation in this event. Participants will be required to furnish proof of age and written parental consent. For entry forms or additional information contact your local coach.

The Knights of Columbus is an international, Catholic, family, fraternal, service organization with nearly 1.5 million members in more than 9,000 local councils. In 1989, Knights donated 32 million manhours and \$92 million to charitable and benevolent causes, sponsoring programs to benefit their Church, councils, communities, families and youth.

Germanfest Ad meeting scheduled for Jan. 17

Dave Flusche, Sr., Germanfest chairman, has announced that a meeting will be held Thursday, Jan. 17 at 5 p.m. in the Chamber office. Advertising for the 1991 Germanfest is to be the main topic of discussion.

All Germanfest board members, and anyone else interested in discussing the advertising of Germanfest, are urged to attend.

"We hope to do a better job of advertising this year in order to draw a larger crowd," said Flusche.



BRIAN REITER (21) flies high under the basket after releasing a lay-up while Jerrod Collings leaps even higher trying to block the shot in the 4th quarter of the varsity game. The Lindsay Knights outscored the Hornets 58 to 54 Tuesday night at MHS "Jam the Gym." See more in Sports.

Dave Fette Photo

Ash Street bridge to be replaced this summer

The main item of discussion at the first City Council meeting of 1991 was the proposed replacement of the Ash Street bridge spanning the Brushy Elm Creek on Muenster's west side.

Tracey Terrell, engineer for the Texas Highway Department, was at the meeting to finalize plans for the detour and time frame. Construction should start in July and last four to six months. Ash Street will be closed from the bridge to Sixth Street and the official detour will be Sixth to Main to Highway 82.

The new bridge will have a width of 28 feet, including the

rails. The load rating will be HS20 and will handle any traffic handled by an interstate highway bridge. Estimated cost for the project is \$151,000. The state will pay 80 percent of that cost under its bridge replacement program. Muenster's share will come almost entirely from funds accumulated under the old federal revenue sharing program. In fact, the city paid 10 percent of the cost last year.

The Ash Street bridge was built in 1974. Last year, the Highway Department studied the structure and declared it insufficient to

carry the current heavy truck load.

Other council action:
-Purchase of a FAX machine from Gainesville Office Supply was approved.

-The Muenster Jaycees were granted tentative approval to construct playground equipment on the east side of the city park.

-Appoint Melvin Fisch to replace John Bartush on the Park Board.

-Appoint Daryl Ferber and Sug Bindel to replace Janet Hess and Paula Reiter on the library board.

-Approve payment of monthly bills totaling \$33,745.89.

A madman in the East:

Muenster students voice their opinions on the Middle-East crisis

The eyes and ears of the world seem to be trained on news of the situation in the Middle East. Jan. 15 is the deadline set by the United Nations for Saddam Hussein to withdraw his troops from Kuwait. Many lives could be changed drastically, especially our country's youth, depending on what decisions are made by governing officials that day.

The Muenster Enterprise staff felt that it would be interesting to see how young people felt about the current world affair and so, with the cooperation of local school officials, we will publish the views of 17- and 18-year-olds in Muenster. From Steve Cooper's Government class at Muenster Public School, 28 students participated, and from Joe Caserta's Civics/Government class at Sacred Heart High, 19 students responded.

What are your feelings on the U.S.'s involvement in the Middle East?

MPS: "I feel that war is unnecessary in most causes today, but I do not deny our troops' feelings about our involvement. If our government feels that it is necessary, then I do as well." - Karri Ramsey. "I think it is good that the U.S. is standing up to Hussein." - Raymond Stewart. "I feel that our country should not have to be in this situation (sending more and more troops to Saudi Arabia), but we are basically forced into it. I believe that Saddam is selfish and really doesn't mind sacrificing his men for a war." - Sherilyn Sicking. "I feel we are doing the right thing, getting involved and protecting our stand point. I feel we should resolve this involvement as soon as possible. The more time we spend in the Middle East, the more money and lives we will be losing. That is not a very good analysis of the crisis that we should have in the end." - Jason Ashley. "I feel we were right to go in to protect the world's oil reserves but all of this is dragging out too long." - Terry Felderhoff. "I feel we should be there, because it involves us also." - Kelly Colwell.

"U.N. asked U.S. to go, so we should go." - Jon Fleitman. "I think that there is really no need for the U.S. to have troops just sitting over there." - Troy Pagel. "I think the U.S. is doing the right thing." - Paul Black. "I think that we should blow them away. We gave them plenty of time to pull out." - Steven Youngblood. "I believe the U.S. should be there to protect their interests." Richard Tuggle. "I think they are doing the right thing. People in this world cannot just take over anyone they please." - Sherry Hacker. "I think we should have taken action against Saddam Hussein earlier." - Mindy Graham. "I don't think that we should necessarily be over there, but I support whatever the President decides." - Darrin Russell. "I do not think we should really be over there, but then I would not like to see Saddam Hussein in charge over there." - Chad Bayer. "I agree with what the government is doing." - Tim Erwin. "I feel that sometimes it may be in our best interest to let another country play big brother to the world and the U.S. second chair this type of action, however I do feel it was necessary for someone to step in." - Doug Evans. "I feel that we should be in the Middle East to protect our country and stand for what we think is right." - Melissa Bayer. "I think we should be over there." - Brad McDaniel. "I think that all the people of the U.S. over there should just keep doing what they are doing." - Kim Anderle. "I feel that we should do something to help the situation, but not to the extent that we are. We are spending entirely too much American money, and are using entirely too much American soldiers." - Scott Hudspeth. "If the only way peace can be obtained, then I am for U.S. involvement. There are many young men and women in the Middle East, and I hope they will be able to return to their families safely and soundly." - Kristen Klement. "I feel like the conflict has gotten out of hand. I strongly believe that war is not the answer. There has got to be ways around it." - Marcia

Vogel. "I think it is stupid. The U.S. shouldn't be so hardheaded about this. I don't think it is worth it to lose as many soldiers as we will fight with Saddam Hussein." - Jefflyn LeFevre. "I wish they would end this. It is costing millions of dollars and some lives of people." - Brian Reiter. "I think we should withdraw troops. We are wasting time and money. I don't believe we should have a war because of my personal selfish reasons - I don't want any of my friends or relatives to be killed in war - a useless war. I'm sure many others share my feelings." - Amy Hoenig. "It is dumb. If we were fighting for our country, it would be different. But this is over oil. Americans need to start using our own resources and leave Iraq out of it." - Jane Klement.

SH: "I think that we dug our own hole because Americans are too lazy so we depend on oil and gas to fuel our transportation sources. If we were concerned about our environment, we would set out on foot or bicycle, as do many other foreign countries. Because of our dependence, we are now paying by the crisis in the gulf." - Heather Shauf. "My feelings are that Saddam Hussein is just trying to take more than he can handle. We have given him several chances to withdraw and if he doesn't by January 15, we should then go to war." - Bernice Bartel. "I believe that we should not just sit back and take whatever they dish out to us, but we should only go to war if it is the last possible choice we have." - Angie Endres. "We should just fight them and get it over with." - Jon Schilling. "I don't think that we should be intervening over there but if we do go into war we should take over all the oil and run it ourselves." - Chris Hess. "I think they should stop wasting time and go to war on the 15th." - Gary Hess. "I think they should just leave us alone and not bother us anymore and if they do we should blow them off the map." - Bill Park. "We should have left Kuwait after all the hostages were released." - Shawn Dangelmayr. "I think that since all American hostages are out of Kuwait, we should pull our troops out because it doesn't matter to us any more." - Mark Flusche. "I feel that we should involve ourselves since there are Americans being held hostage." - Jennifer Walter. "I think it is hurting the U.S. economy because we are wasting all our money on protecting Kuwait when we could be using it to stop the national debt. It's going to end up like another Vietnam when the U.S. stuck its nose over there. We lost many men. It should be the whole United Nations supporting Kuwait not just the U.S." - Jason Beyer. "I feel it is necessary for the U.S. to have a few troops over there but I do not think that it is necessary to have half a million troops in a country we are not at war with yet." - Vickie Bayer. "I really don't know enough about it to have an opinion." - Jayna Hofbauer. "I think we should just leave from over there. It is a stupid reason why anyway." - Cindy Schilling. "I feel that the U.S. gave too much foreign aid and that's the reason why all of this is going (on)." - Shirley Henschel. "I'm glad we are over there helping

Kenneth Wiesman featured in Brown & Root publication

Al and Elinor Wiesman of Muenster are the proud owners of a publication from Brown & Root, Inc. of Houston, sent to them by their son, Kenneth Wiesman. The monthly publication, *News and Views* by the Public Relations Department for employees of Brown & Root, Inc. and associated companies, honors various departments and positions whose staff members have performed distinguished services, or who have interesting backgrounds.

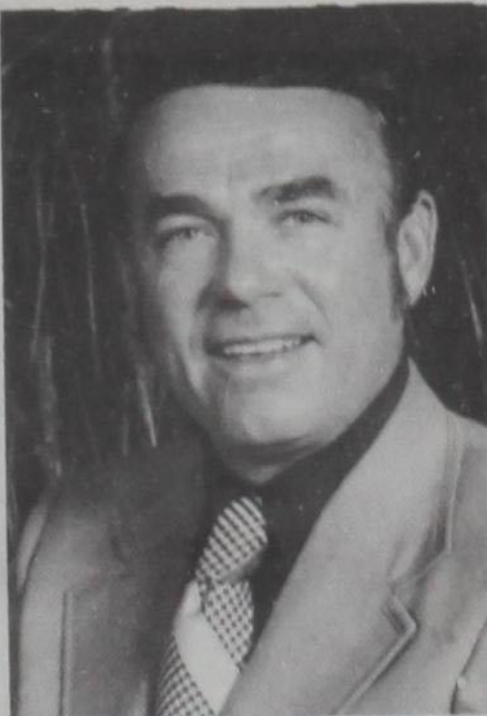
In addition, human interest stories focus on individual Brownbuilders and the unique highlights of their lives. One of the recent features of the publication was a story on the Wiesmans' son, Kenneth, and his years as a Secret Service Agent.

Kenneth Wiesman, now Director of Corporate Security for Brown & Root, Inc. in Houston, was born in Muenster, the oldest of three children of the Muenster couple. He has a sister, Joyce Guthrie of Fort Worth and a brother Jim Wiesman of Graham. He is a graduate of Sacred Heart High School; spent four years in the U.S. Air Force; attended and graduated from the University of Houston, with concentrations in engineering and agriculture. He worked for Ford Motor Company for a period and then applied for admission and training in the U.S. Secret Service.

He has stated that his years in the Secret Service helped him fulfill an inborn desire to be involved in federal law enforcement.

He spent 22 years as a Secret Service Agent; at certain times guarding Presidents Kennedy, Johnson, Nixon, Ford, Carter, and Reagan. Family, friends and relatives of Kenneth Wiesman spoke with pride of the 5 1/2 years he spent in the White House as personal guard to JFK. Just three weeks prior to Kennedy's assassination in Dallas, Wiesman was transferred to another office. When Lyndon Johnson was sworn in, Wiesman was sent to Austin in charge of guarding that president's offices, ranch and family.

Wiesman's parents say he told them that Secret Service Agents do much more than just stand



KENNETH WIESMAN

around, being very visible, looking very conspicuous and emotionless. In essence, they are indispensable to the safety of the top-ranking government officials of the United States, and to White House official visitors. The Wiesmans say the general public is not aware of the countless threats and dangers involved in guarding people who require constant protection.

Some of his 22 years included duties as Special Agent in Charge

of the Houston, Austin and Washington, D.C. offices, and travels to distant cities prior to visits to those areas by government officials.

In the article in *News & Views* Wiesman stated, in part "Looking back, the most rewarding part was working with distinguished people, being involved in their daily lives and providing a protective service for them and for my country."

Also noted in the article in *News & Views* is the statement that "Wiesman's work and former connections with government and intelligence agencies have enhanced his present career with Brown & Root Inc... For instance, the Persian Gulf situation has occupied much of his time recently because Brown & Root has employees and interests in the Middle East."

The article also noted the complexity of his position and duties as Director of Corporate Security.

"Additional responsibilities include coordination of the crisis management program, supervision, initiation, administration and review of criminal and non-criminal investigations, performance and review of labor surveys, project security programs, and management of the complex's uniformed guards," according to *News & Views*.



PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY and KENNETH WIESMAN

Good News!

Let us know, let us strive to know the Lord; as certain as the dawn is his coming, and his judgment shines forth like the light of day! He will come to us like the rain, like spring rain that waters the earth.

HOSEA 6:3

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Letters to the Editor

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This letter appeared in the January issue of *North Texas Catholic*. It is being reprinted, with permission from *North Texas Catholic*, in *The Enterprise*.)

I know, I know; you're still vacuuming pine needles off the rug and some of the toys aren't even broken yet. It doesn't feel decent somehow to be talking about Lent. But it's coming, and faster than you think.

And with Lent comes Season II of RENEW. Last fall, in Season I, "The Lord's Call," thousands of people participated through special liturgies, at large group functions, in small faith sharing groups, and in prayer. The benefits felt were many. People reported more awareness of God's presence, a renewed sense of community, and the pleasure and enrichment of meeting new people. For some, the changes which came with Season I were dramatic; for others, they were more gradual. But almost everyone found that active involvement in RENEW was worthwhile.

In the coming weeks, your parish RENEW team will be preparing for Season II, "Our Response to God's Call." You'll be hearing a lot about RENEW again.

If you were involved last season, please sign up again. If your experience was enriching, give that enrichment a chance to go deeper. If it wasn't all you hoped, give it another try. Perhaps a seed was planted that needs more time to grow.

If you weren't involved last fall, now is a great time to start. May you were too busy; maybe you were just waiting to see how it would turn out; maybe you just weren't interested. But now we have a season's worth of experience, and it's been very positive.

It's a new year. The time is right for making a new commitment to growth. Take the opportunity RENEW offers for spiritual enrichment and deepening of faith. Check with your parish RENEW team or call the Diocesan Office for RENEW (817) 560-3300. You'll be glad you did.

Dan Luby,
Director of RENEW
Diocese of Fort Worth

Dear Editor,

As the time draws closer for the 2nd session of RENEW to begin, I would like to talk to our community, our friends, with an open letter with your permission.

Dear Friends,

I would like to invite and encourage you to sign up for the 2nd session of RENEW, if you didn't pre-sign at the end of the last session. What you are about to read are some of my reasons for signing up for the next session.

RENEW gives us the opportunity to share, to give, to grow, to receive, and much more. You will experience the wonderful feeling of sharing. Not only the good things but also the bad, your hurts, your experiences of God's calling and the miracles of life. Before going to RENEW I would have said I've never seen a 'REAL' miracle. But now I know I have seen many miracles. Now I know that a miracle doesn't have to be a gigantic or a magical happening. It can be as simple as a child's behavior or attitude changing, it can be an ache or pain leaving, the birth of a child, a rain-

bow, or the healing of one's heart and soul. You will also give and receive understanding. As your RENEW Group shares you will understand things about them and yourself that troubled or confused you before; their quietness or their loudness; their smiles or looks of worry.

You will experience the Miracle of Prayer. You will grow in faith, love and understanding by prayer. You will experience the wonderful feeling of knowing that when you're in need your group is there to listen to you and to pray with you and for you. You will experience the joy that comes from praising Jesus and thanking him as a group and as an individual.

In these times it's easy to say "I'm too busy right now, I don't have the time to go every week." I know this because that's what I told myself before the last session. I'm so thankful that some friends were moved to convince Paul and I that if we took this time out for ourselves it would actually add time for our family and work. So please, for yourself, take the time to go to RENEW. It will be a rewarding experience not only for you but also for your family and community. You may ask how can you go to RENEW reward my family? It will give you a different outlook on life, it will make it easier to understand your children and parents because you begin to understand and grow yourself. As for helping the community, there too it will change your outlook. After the last session a community effort began that I like to call RENEW for the Needy. People helping people.

If after praying and searching you cannot find the time to come to RENEW please keep us in your prayers as we will keep you in ours.

God Bless You,
Susie Fleitman
Muenster, TX

To the Editor, 1-4-91

This letter is really addressed to the State Dept. of Highways and Public Transportation and raises the question of a possible built in hazard on I-35. The trouble begins just south of the southbound exit 483. At this point the highway is banked on the curve and when iced over the trucks slide to the bottom or shoulder and bury in the mud on the low side. It is a built in hazard that needs correcting.

Early this morning three 18-wheelers were stalled on the south bound lanes on the curve just north and east of our home. One is still there laying on its side.

By afternoon a rise in temperature above freezing has put I-35 to running full blast, but last night and early this morning it was crawling.

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because if we were the ones in trouble I would want the other countries to help the U.S. Besides that's why have an army and marines, etc. Why not use it?" - J.J. Dowd. "I feel the U.S. has every right to be involved. Hussein must be out of Kuwait and also his troops. Even if our country has to use force to do it." - Arnold Hess. "I think we should just do it and get it over, stop waiting around." - Darrell Mullins.

Should war be declared if Saddam Hussein doesn't withdraw from Kuwait by the Jan. 15 deadline? SH students: 12 said yes, 7 said no; MPS students: 19 said yes, 7 said no, and 2 weren't sure. Some responses from MPS: "I don't know all of the facts, but I would send a sniper in for Saddam Hussein." - Raymond Stewart. "I really do not know how I feel about having another war." - Jennifer Bayer. "No, I believe that if we possibly wait, he will eventually get tired of the situation and either he'll fire first or withdraw." - Sherilyn Sicking. "Yes, I think so because we have been giving them long enough and if Saddam Hussein doesn't withdraw by then he probably won't." - Jason Ashley. "Yes, because we said we would, and if we take such a strong stand as we are, we must at least use that strength to do something, instead of nothing." - Scott Hudspeth.

SH responded: "We should not tell him, but if he doesn't, give him another couple of days and if he still doesn't, then go to war." - Bill Park. "Yes, but only if our troops are good and ready. Because maybe if we go ahead and say we're going to, he might flee from there." - Shirley Henscheid. "No. There are no good effects of war, only bad. I think we would be more sorry than we are now if war was declared." - J.J. Dowd. "Yes, the crisis started back in August, he must be given a deadline to get out of Kuwait. It's a peaceful way." - Arnold Hess.

Do you plan to do anything differently on Jan. 15? MPS students: 15 said no, 7 said they

would be watching the news closely, 5 would be prayerful and 1 would be thinking of the men and women from the U.S., especially from Muenster; SH students: 14 said no; of the 5 yesses, 1 would be watching the news and the others would pray or pray harder. Some MPS responses: "I may feel a little tense, but I will probably do nothing different in my daily routine besides watch more newscasting." - Karri Ramsey. "I will probably be thinking about all the men and women from the U.S., especially the guys from Muenster." - Jennifer Bayer. "Pray a lot more for this crisis to end." - Doug Evans.

SH responses: "Pray to God that our political leaders make the correct decisions." - Heather Shauf. "Pray harder. All I do is hope and pray that everyone over in Kuwait that is from the Muenster area is kept safe and that everything will come out all right." - Bernice Bartel.

Would you be willing to serve your country should the United States go to war? SH students: 11 said yes; 8 said no and all but 1 were girls. MPS students: 19 said yes; 9 said no and all but 1 were girls. "No, I'm too young to risk my life for a country in which I have had no chance to help." - Vickie Bayer, SH. "I would like to say yes, but I'm too afraid of death. I'm not ready to take on a challenge like that ... not yet anyway. I do appreciate the ones that do." - J.J. Dowd.

Do you believe in the cause and why or why not? SH students: 5 believed in the cause; 10 did not; 3 had no opinion; and 1 wasn't sure what the cause was. MPS students: 20 believed in the cause and 8 didn't. MPS responses: "I believe we should stand up to them because Saddam shouldn't have that much power." - Raymond Stewart. "Yes, because Iraq invaded Saudi Arabia and took American hostages." - Terry Felderhoff. "I believe in it because Saddam Hussein has no right invading other countries and

if he successfully invades one, what will stop him from trying to invade another?" - Kelly Colwell. "Yes, because we need to teach Iraq not to mess with the U.S. We also need to get Iraq out of Kuwait because there are thousands of Americans who lived there." - Paul Black. "I do. The people of Kuwait need help. Hussein needs his butt kicked to settle him down, and I think we can do it." - Steven Youngblood. "Yes, I believe the U.S. should protect their interests and the interests of smaller countries that cannot defend themselves." - Richard Tuggle. "Yes, because people need to know right and wrong. No one should force anyone else to do something they do not want to do." - Sherry Hacker. "I believe that the government probably

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Walterscheid infant dies Friday, Jan. 4

Mary Theresa Walterscheid, infant daughter of John and Dana Walterscheid, died Friday, Jan. 4, 1991 at 4:05 a.m. at Denton Regional Medical Center. She was born at 3:15 a.m. the same day, living only about 50 minutes.

She is survived by her parents and one sister, Anne, all of Muenster; her maternal grandparents, Tom and Rosemary Dankesreiter; her paternal grandparents Gerald and Betty Rose Walterscheid; great-grandparents Lawrence Dankesreiter; Mrs. Margaret Kupper all of Muenster; and Mrs. Theresa Hermes of Lindsay.

Graveside services were held in Sacred Heart Cemetery on Sunday, Jan. 6 at 11:30 a.m. under direction of McCoy Funeral Home of Muenster, with Father Victor Gillespie OSB officiating.

Vernon Clayton dies at age 55

Vernon R. Clayton, 55, a native of Muenster died Saturday, Jan. 5, 1991 at Wilson N. Jones Hospital in Sherman.

He was born on Jan. 28, 1935 in Muenster to Charley and Eunice Clayton. On May 29, 1958 he was married to Patsy Dennis in Gainesville.

He was a graduate of Muenster High School; a veteran of the U.S. Air Force; a farmer and heavy equipment operator and a member of Broadway Church of Christ in Gainesville, and a long-time resident of Gainesville.

Survivors include his wife Patsy Clayton of Gainesville; one son Kenny Clayton of Denton; one daughter Jeannie Winchester of Gainesville; and three brothers, Paul Clayton of Gainesville, V.W. "Jebb" Clayton of Saint Jo and Charley Clayton, Jr. of Longview; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday, Jan 7 at 11 a.m. at Vernie Keel Funeral Chapel, officiated by Tracy Shelton, Hillcrest Church of Christ and Milton Austin,

Church of Christ minister. Burial was in Rest Haven Memorial Park, directed by Vernie Keel Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Drennon Earnest, Bill Winters, Ross Tamplin, Bobby Randolph, Jack Warren and Troy Kerr.

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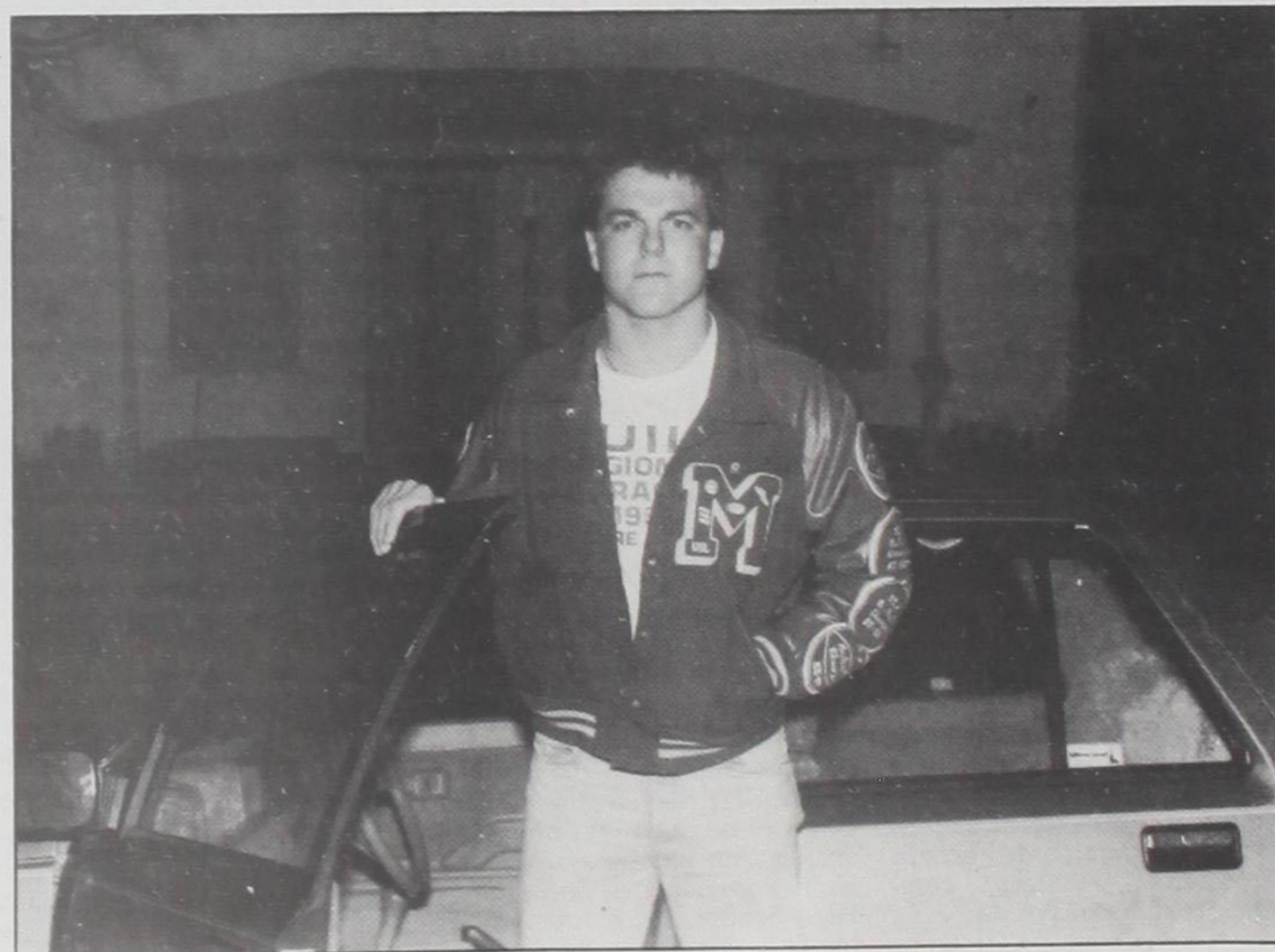
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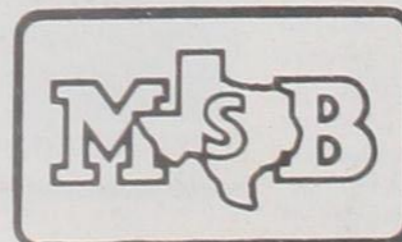
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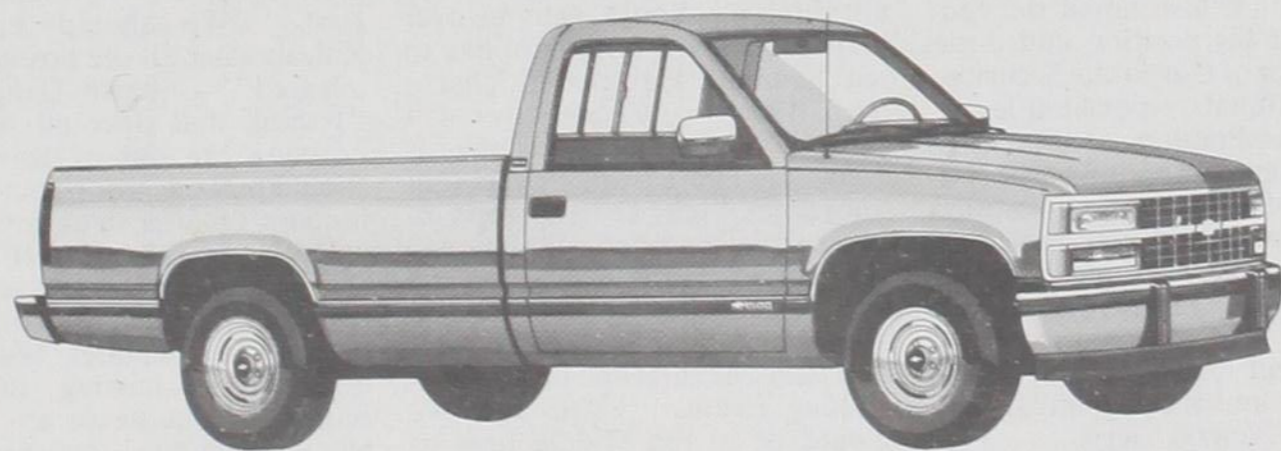
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Henscheid, Popp united in double ring ceremony Dec. 29

Amy Leigh Henscheid became the bride of Frank Andrew Popp on Dec. 29, 1990 in a Nuptial Mass and double ring ceremony celebrated in Sacred Heart Church of Muenster by Father Victor Gillespie OSB at 5 p.m.

The bride is the daughter of Ted and Carol Henscheid and granddaughter of Mrs. Anna Henscheid and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hess.

The groom is the son of Henry and Jeanette Popp of Rt. 2, Gainesville and the grandson of Mrs. Lena Zimmerman of Lindsay.

In a setting of elegant and nostalgic Christmas decor, the bride was presented at the altar by her father and given in marriage by her parents.

For her wedding she chose a designer gown by Mary in white bridal satin and beaded Alencon lace. The bodice of satin and re-embroidered beaded lace featured a portrait neckline and modified leg-o-mutton satin sleeves, which were adorned with lace motifs and pearls, and tapered to the wrists. From the elongated waistline fell a full graceful skirt sweeping into an oval-shaped train of cathedral length. The skirt and train were completely encircled with scalloped re-embroidered lace. The train was enhanced with crystal pleated ruffles forming an intricate, original design with re-embroidered scalloped lace and lace motifs.

To complete her attire, the bride chose a layered illusion-veil, gathered softly to a headpiece of pearls. She carried a bridal arrangement of red silk hibiscus, white stephanotis and splashes of pearls, made by Lora Hennigan. For sentiment and something old, she carried a handkerchief

from her Grandma Henscheid; borrowed her mother's ring; wore new pearl earrings, a gift from her mother; and carried her Grandma Hess' blue rosary, which was used at the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hess.

ATTENDANTS

Shari Voth of Muenster, a friend of the bride, was her maid of honor. Kathy Henscheid of North Richland Hills, sister-in-law of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Kelley Hennigan of Canyon, bride's cousin, Dana Berend of Friona, bride's cousin, and Peggy Kasperek of Lindsay, groom's sister.

They were attired in identical floor length gowns designed with black velvet tops, and red taffeta skirts. Sleeves were long with small shoulder puffs. The fitted bodice featured an elevated pointed front waistline and low cut back, accented with a self-fabric bow on the back waistline. They wore dyed-to-match slippers.

They carried long stemmed clutch bouquets made by Bouquets and Gifts featuring fresh red and white carnations and fresh tiger lilies tied with a red bow. Each wore a rhinestone comb in her hair, designed and made by Shari Voth, who also created their hair-dos.

Holly Hess, bride's cousin of South Lake, Tx., was flower girl, dressed like the bridesmaids. Craig Hartman of Muenster, groom's nephew, was ring bearer.

The white satin ring pillow was made by the bride's aunt, Coleen Hess of South Lake. She presented it as a gift to the bride. It was hand-smocked, with tiny pearls and tiny satin ribbon. Col-

leen Hess had previously won first place in an Arts and Crafts show at the State Fair by entering the ring pillow.

The Unity candle was carried by Brad Hermes of Lindsay, groom's nephew.

Andy Popp of Gainesville, groom's brother, was best man. Groomsmen were Tony Voth, Eric Weems, and Toby Fuhrmann all of Lindsay and friends of the groom, and Brad Henscheid, bride's brother, of Muenster.

Ushers were Curtis Henscheid of North Richland Hills, bride's brother; Terry Hess of Grapevine, bride's uncle; Chuck Bone of Thackerville, groom's brother-in-law; and Frank Fangman of Lindsay, a friend of the groom.

Mass servers were Tony Hartman, groom's nephew, and Eric Miller, a friend.

Readers for the wedding liturgy included Sharon Hermes of Lindsay, bride's cousin, and Patty Bone of Thackerville, groom's sister. Petitions and Prayers of the Faithful were given by Rhonda Trubenbach, a friend. Offertory gifts were presented by the bride's godparents and aunt and uncle, Verena and Gerald Metzler of Lindsay. Eucharistic Ministers were Imelda Rohmer, Carolyn Bayer, Toni Hess, Carol and Mark Klement and Jerry and Betty Rose Walterscheid.

Wedding music was presented by Ruth Felderhoff, organist; and by Christy Hesse and Charles Bayer, soloists. They sang "The Rose," "Edelweiss," "Looking Into the Eyes of Love," "Wind Beneath My Wings," and "Hail Mary, Gentle Woman."

RECEPTION

A reception, dinner and dance followed, hosted by the parents of the bride and groom in the Sacred Heart Community Center for more than 300 guests. The dinner was catered by the Schneiders.

Danna Hamric of Montague and Hayle Fenton of Wichita Falls, friends of the bride, registered guests.

The bride's table was covered with white lace, caught up with white tulle bows. Four fresh flower arrangements of carnations, tiger lilies, poinsettias, magnolia leaves and holly were set inside tall candelabras.

The all white three-tiered wedding cake, by Betty Rose Walterscheid, stood over a lighted red fountain, and was decorated with red silk poinsettias and tiny sparkle lights on the lowest layer and a blown glass ornament of doves and a heart on the top keep-sake layer. The two-layer chocolate groom's cake was decorated with slivered almonds, a white chocolate monogram and chocolate covered strawberries. Betty Rose Walterscheid cut the bride's cake. Assistants were Maggie and Sally Fisher, Cameron and Autumn Dunn, Brooke Hess,

Jackie Henscheid and Stephanie Hess.

Decorations in the reception area were all made by the bride's mother and her sisters, Joann Berend of Friona and Evelyn Hennigan of Muenster. A white wrought iron arch and greenery were placed behind the cake tables, with two spiral floor candelabras, greenery and red tulle bows. The entire wall behind the bride's table was covered with white paper and centered with a 6 ft. red satin heart. Two flanking floor candelabra created a centerpiece.

The gazebo was trimmed with greenery and hanging baskets of poinsettias and white lights, and three white trees with white lights. The registration table was covered with white lace and tulle and was inside the gazebo. A white flocked, 9 ft. Christmas tree with 1,000 white lights was suspended from the ceiling, in chandelier fashion. The cheese table was immediately under the tree. Guest tables were decorated with a center candelabra and greenery.

The rehearsal dinner was held at Rohmer's Restaurant.

Since returning from a wedding trip to Hot Springs, Arkansas, the couple is residing in Gainesville.

The bride is a graduate of Sacred Heart High School, Cooke County College and will graduate from Texas Woman's University in Aug. 1991 with a degree in Elementary Education, and a minor in English. She is employed by Gymnastics Sports Center in Muenster.

The groom is a graduate of Lindsay High School and attended Cooke County College. He is a truck driver employed by Metal Sales, Inc. of Gainesville.

Among out of town guests at the wedding were JoAnn and Leroy Berend, Roddy and Sandra Berend, Dana Berend and Tracy, all of Friona, Tx.; John and Florence Kelly of Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Hess and family and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hess and family all of South Lake, Tx.; Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Swirczynski of Grapevine; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Henscheid of North Richland Hills; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hess of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chaplin of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Bone of Thackerville; and Mrs. Joseph Fenton, Sr. of Grand Prairie.

Students receive answers to letters from soldiers

Second and fifth graders of Muenster Public School ISD were delighted to receive answering letters from Marines stationed in Saudi Arabia with 1st Lt. James Bright, who is a graduate of Muenster High School.

The Marines shared bits of information about their lives in Saudi. They mentioned that the food is OK - but not as good as home-cooked. They sleep in sleeping bags on cots. The 120 degree daytime weather is not to their liking. Therefore they said they are grateful that weather is beginning to cool, and that the nights are even cold. Weather is expected to stay cooler for a month or so.

Some letters told that people in Saudi Arabia are very religious, belonging to the Islamic religion. Women have few rights. They wear black most of the time. But they appear to enjoy their lives.

The Marines said they appreciate knowing that people care; and they asked for more letters. They all look forward to being home again.

First Lt. James M. Bright USMC also shared this bit of patriotism with Angela Russell:

"Never lose faith in the United States, because it is a truly wonderful country with freedoms few other countries enjoy."

Public Service Announcement

Cooke County Friends of the Family is starting a new support group for female teenagers ages 13-18 who are survivors of sexual assault or incest. This group will be meeting every Thursday at 4:00 p.m. at the Friends of the Family office.

The adult support group, which is led by Dr. Doug McMillan from Sherman, now meets on Thursday and begins at 7:00 p.m. This group also meets in the Friends of the Family office.

Both groups are free and last for approximately one hour. If interested in attending these groups please contact the office at 665-2873.

Dillon celebrates first birthday



DILLON HAVERKAMP
Kevin and Shana Haverkamp hosted a birthday party for their

son, Dillon, in their home on Jan. 6, at 2 p.m. His actual birthday was on Jan. 9, 1991. Dillon's mother carried out a Sesame Street theme in decorations, and served a Big Bird and Cookie Monster birthday cake.

Guests were the honoree's big brother Keaton; the godparents Bryan Huckabay and Penni Haverkamp; his Granny Diane Huckaby; his Great-Grandma Ella Haverkamp; his Grandpa Dan Haverkamp; Jean Holder; his Great-Uncle Dave Haverkamp; Aunt and Uncle Vickie and Chuck Fisher; and cousins Sally, Maggie and Jessica; and friends Paige Rigsby and Brad and Chad Endres.

Cub Scouts sell popcorn for annual fundraiser

Cub Scouts of Pack 664 are currently participating in the annual popcorn sales sponsored by Longhorn Council. The scouts will be taking orders between January 10 and February 15, with delivery after March 8.

The popcorn comes in four appealing packages. The 2 1/2 lb. bags are safety sealed in a reusable durable plastic bucket. A five pack and an economy 12 pack of butter flavored are available for microwave. Also available again is the caramel covered corn with more pecans and it comes in a collector reusable tin.

Proceeds help fund local Pack projects and help strengthen and expand the Scouting program throughout the communities served by the Longhorn Council.

Orders will be taken by any Cub Scout or by the leaders. If you would like to purchase some popcorn but have not been approached by a Cub Scout, contact Kathy Hartman 759-4853, Connie Grewing 759-4858 or Shirley Knabe at 759-2888.

As always support of Cub Scout projects is greatly appreciated by all Scouts and leaders.

Respect for Life Mass to be offered January 22

Monday, Jan. 22 is the eighteenth anniversary of the Supreme Court decision on legalized abortion. Bishop Joseph P. Delaney will celebrate Mass on Monday, Jan. 21 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Patrick Cathedral, 1206 Throckmorton, and bring together in worship and

prayer those who support the right of unborn infants to protection from the early violent death of abortion. Everyone is welcome and urged to attend. Your presence and prayers will make a difference.

Cub Scout Pack 664 holds Christmas party

On December 10 Pack 664 decorated light poles with Christmas wreaths along Main Street. Then they all met at the VFW Hall for a pack meeting and Christmas party. Den 4 opened the meeting with the flag ceremony and the Pledge of Allegiance. Wade Van Hoozen

and Jason Reiter received their Bobcat badge. Webelos who attended the Sid Richardson Camporee received badges for their attendance. Each Cub Scout received a Community patch for community service.

The Panthers led the group in Christmas songs and Den 3 led the scouts in a game. Den 4 retired the colors.

Attention: Popcorn sales will begin this month.

Hospital Dismissals

Jan. 1, 1991 - Ron J. Buchanan, Muenster.
Jan. 3 - L.G. Corley, Saint Jo.
Jan. 4 - Audrey Knabe, Muenster.
Jan. 5 - Imelda Rohmer, Theresa Moster, Muenster; Bernice Sicking, Myra, Agnes Knabe, Gainesville, Holly Richardson, Sanger.

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- ✦ It's a program of spiritual renewal.
- ✦ Faith sharing groups in parishioners' homes form the core of the program.
- ✦ Groups will discuss how Scripture speaks to their daily lives.
- ✦ People taking part will experience more of the church as a community of Christian believers, unified by the love of Christ.
- ✦ Sunday liturgies, take-home materials and large group activities make it possible for all members of each parish to take part in this diocese-wide process.
- ✦ Five 6-week "Seasons" of RENEW take place over 2 1/2 years, one each fall, one each spring, having begun with Season I, Fall of 1990.
- ✦ Each season revolves around a theme: Season I - The Lord's Call; Season II - Our Response to the Lord's Call; Season III - Empowerment by the Spirit; Season IV - Discipleship; Season V - Evangelization.

To the City of Muenster and surrounding communities:

Our deepest thanks and appreciation for your generosity of clothing, canned goods, furnishings, money and support that was given to us in our time of need.

Also our deepest thanks to the Muenster Fire Department for their fast response, the Bluebonnets, the VFW Ladies Auxiliary, Hofbauer's Grocery, Ben Franklin's, Hess Furniture, the Sisters of Sacred Heart Parish and those who helped with their time, labor and prayers; and also to David Nystrom for the use of his pickup.

We, the Coker family, are proud to be a part of the Muenster Community. Thanks again and we hope and pray each and everyone of you has a great 1991!

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JOSEPH DANGELMAYR

Joseph is honored on 5th

Joseph Dangelmayr, son of John Dangelmayr and the late Lynn Dangelmayr, celebrated being 5 years old on Dec. 19, 1990, and was honored with a party Saturday, Dec. 22, hosted by Johnny and Louise Fisher in their home. The special cake was baked by Cathie and Francis Fuhrmann of Farmer's Kitchen.

Guests were Joseph's dad, John, and big sister Lauren; also Janie and Roger Taylor, and Werner and Linda Becker and Werner III.

On Sunday afternoon and evening, Dec. 23 a family party in Joseph's home included putting up the official Christmas tree and celebrating with a birthday cake baked and decorated by Betty Rose Walterscheid. Gifts were opened and pictures were taken.

Guests were Joseph's grandparents, Marge and Norbert Felderhoff of Gainesville and Betty and Albert Dangelmayr. Other guests were his big sister, Lauren, and Arnie Felderhoff, Dorothy Hartman, Tom, Judy, Jami and Jeff Flusche, Jim Dangelmayr, Richard, Missy, Deann and Megan Dangelmayr.



JUSTIN WEBSTER

1st birthday celebrated

Justin Ryan Webster was 1 year old on Thursday, Jan. 10. He will be the center of attention at a family party celebrating his birthday on Sunday, Jan. 13 in the home of his parents, Rick and Piper Webster of Valley View. Rick is a salesman at Gregg's Chevrolet of Muenster.

Among guests at the party will be the little boy's grandparents, Ralph and Martha Webster of Valley View, and Jon and Robbie Gaecke of Grapevine, and Michelle Kearby of Dallas.

NOTICE!

Muenster and Lindsay Public Schools have changed their Teacher workdays from Friday, Jan. 11 to Saturday, Jan. 12. Friday will be a regular school day for all students, to make up for the day lost last Friday because of icy weather conditions.

School Lunch Menus

Hesse

Mark and Melanie Hesse of Denton are parents of their first child, a son, born on Dec. 19, 1990 at 5:05 p.m. in the Women's Pavilion at Denton Regional Medical Center, weighing 9 lb. 11 oz. and measuring 21 inches in length. They have named him Mitchell Joseph. His grandparents are Rita and Wendell Richey and Mrs. Ethel Mae Hesse of Muenster. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herman Richey of Gainesville, Mrs. Gertrude Bayer and Mrs. Eula Grace Cain, all of Muenster.

Winters

Daniel and Patti (Ferber) Winters of Gainesville announce the birth of their first child, a son, Nathan Edward Winters on Dec. 20, 1990 at 9:30 p.m. in Wilson N. Jones Hospital of Sherman, weighing 7 lb. 15 oz. and measuring 19 1/4 inches long. Grandparents are Koda Arnold of Rochester, MN and the late Richard "Dick" Ferber of Muenster, and Jerry and Joan Winters of Gainesville.

Sandmann is AF graduate

Airman Chad T. Sandmann has graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

During the six weeks of training the airman studied 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.

He is the son of Leroy J. and Doris L. Sandmann of Rural Route 2, Gainesville.

The airman is a 1990 graduate of Lindsay High School.

Southwestern Bell Lifeline program not P.E.R.S.

The Lifeline Service referred to in recent articles and advertisements pertaining to Southwestern Bell Telephone's rate decreases is not the personal emergency response system operated by Gainesville Memorial Hospital, hospital community relations director Gayla Blanton announced recently.

"We have had some confusion relating to this information and the use of the Lifeline name by the Public Utilities Commission and Southwestern Bell," Blanton said. "The Lifeline Service they refer to and our Lifeline program are two entirely different things."

According to Dan Adams, public relations officer for Southwestern Bell in this area, the Lifeline Service offered by the PUC through Southwestern Bell is a low-cost limited telephone line for low-income, disadvantaged persons who qualify through human service organizations. It is not an emergency call system, like the Lifeline systems offered by the hospitals.

"We apologize for any confusion this may have caused to Lifeline Emergency Response System subscribers and to the hospitals and organizations offering the program," Adams said.

Make your special jewelry at CCC classes

Listed in the 1991 spring semester schedule of classes as "AR 2153 - Jewelry & Metalwork I," the special new course earns three hours of college credit and will meet on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 9:20 p.m.

First meeting of this class is not until Tuesday, Jan. 15, so interested persons still have plenty of time to sign up even though they may miss regular registration at CCC. Late registration, in fact, will begin on Monday and continue on campus through Friday, Jan. 18, and latecomers to this and other classes are welcome.

"We've had so many requests

for a class of this type," said Mary Frances VanPelt of the CCC Art Department, "but it's difficult to find a qualified instructor for such a specialized medium. We've done that now, and we're very excited about the young man who'll be teaching this class."

Brett Wallace, a Denton resident, says his grandmother was probably more responsible than anyone else for his taking up art as a profession. She was a painter and silversmith and was the first to introduce him to metalworking. He was further influenced by his mother, an art teacher.

"My art is centered primarily around three-dimensional

works," said Wallace, also an accomplished sculptor. "I find it easiest to communicate ideas through metal sculpture, jewelry and related types of works. I consider them three-dimensional thought forms."

"My sculptures and jewelry creations are my essays, my poetry, my media for self-expression and self-discovery."

Over the years, he has created many different kinds of materials - from gold and silver to iron and wood - to communicate his artistic visions. Having learned the fundamentals of silversmithing from his grandmother at age 14, he went on to become a blacksmith's apprentice, welder and woodworker.

He has been a furniture designer and prototype builder, a welding and woodworking teacher and a professional jeweler working in both gold and silver. In addition, he taught himself stoneworking and woodcarving.

The class he will be teaching is for beginners with no experience at all in metalworking, as well as for those who may know the basics and want to add to their knowledge and sharpen their techniques.

All tools and equipment will be furnished; however, students wishing to work with precious metals must purchase their own raw materials. The instructor will furnish information about sources and guidelines for such purchases.

For more information about the jewelry and metalworking class, contact Mary Frances VanPelt, CCC Art Department, at 817/668-7731, Ext. 208.

Kaileigh is two!



KAILEIGH HESS

Kaileigh Hess celebrated her second birthday with two parties.

On Friday, December 14, Kaileigh and her mother Tonya and her aunt Janie brought cupcakes, Kool-Aid and treats to share with all of Kaileigh's friends at the Lindsay Day Care Center.

Sunday, December 16, Kaileigh was the honoree at a noon dinner party hosted by her grandparents, Butch and Eileen Fisher. Very special guests were her great-grandparents John and Ruth Ward of Conroe and Margaret Fisher of Muenster.

Also helping Kaileigh enjoy her day were her parents, Stanley and Tonya Hess, her uncles Steven and Todd and her aunt Janie.

Long distance wishes came from her aunt Gail. Also unable to attend due to illness was Kaileigh's special friend Pauline Miller. Her actual birthdate is December 15.

Bryan C. Gann graduates in Fort Bragg, N.C.

Pvt. Bryan C. Gann has completed basic training at Fort Bragg, N.C.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy,

military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

He is the son of Denise and Larry N. Gann of 1240 E. California, Gainesville.

The private is a 1990 graduate of Gainesville High School.

J.A.M. will meet

J.A.M., Jesus Alive in the Convent Chapel. Please bring Muenster, will meet Sunday, Jan. a friend!
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I would like to express my gratitude for the many kindnesses shown to me and my family during my recent hospital stay and the weeks following it. A special thank you to Frs. Victor and Sebastian, the Sacred Heart Prayer Group, St. Mary's Prayer Group and the many family members and friends, whose thoughts and prayers helped us through this difficult time.

I am also grateful for the many gifts of food, flowers, cards, visits and phone calls. A special thank you to those who helped or offered their help in many ways. My family joins me in this thanks.

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Parties honor Anne on her first birthday



ANNE WALTERSCHEID

A Minnie Mouse cake with ice cream was served to birthday guests. An individual cake was made for Anne to "put her fingers in." Both cakes were made by Anne's grandma, Betty Rose Walterscheid.

Those present included Anne's parents, maternal grandparents Tom and Rosemary Dankesreiter, paternal grandparents Jerry and Betty Rose Walterscheid, great-grandparents Margaret Kupper and Theresa Hermes of Lindsay, uncles Eric Walterscheid and Cheramie Moster and Tommy Joe Dankesreiter.

Favorite gifts enjoyed by Anne included a rocking chair from her parents, a baby doll from Jerry and Betty Rose, a pop-up toy from Tom and Rosemary, and a stuffed bear from Theresa Hermes.

Following the presentation of gifts, everyone enjoyed reviewing a video tape of Anne which was started at her birth and continued through this birthday celebration. Her actual birthday is Dec. 29.

"Rainbows" program to begin soon

"Rainbows for All God's Children" is a program designed to help young people in grades K through 12 deal with grief, especially the loss of a parent through death or divorce. Now in

its second year, a new six week session will begin on Tuesday afternoons, 3:45 to 4:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart Elementary School, starting February 5.

The children meet in small

groups with a caring adult and go through activities to help them deal with their feelings and discover that they are not alone. It also stresses the uniqueness of each child and the importance of God's love, and forgiving those who hurt others. It is open to any child and there is no charge. The final session is a wrap-up session of several hours and concludes with a Mass for the children and their families.

Jeanne Greathouse and Barbara Fuhrmann coordinate the program; Kathy Berres, Linda Flusche, Anne Poole, and Douglas Evans facilitate the small groups. If interested, both child and parent should fill out the application below. For more information call Barbara at 759-2511, Ext. 37 or 4922 evenings or Jeanne at 995-2716.

Deadline for applications is February 1.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

SACRED HEART SCHOOL

Jan. 14-18

Mon. - Sloppy Joes, veggies, fruit, milk.

Tues. - Salisbury Steaks, potatoes, Broccoli Normandy, brownies, bread, milk.

Wed. - Stew w/Vegetables, cole slaw, peaches, cornbread, butter, syrup, milk.

Thur. - Spaghetti and Meat, green beans, applesauce, hot rolls, butter, milk.

Fri. - Hamburgers w/Trimmings, French fries, oranges, milk.

ERA ISD LUNCH MENU

Jan. 14-18

Mon. - No School

Tues. - Lasagna, garden salad, fried squash, garlic toast, jello, milk.

Wed. - Frito Chili Pie, grated cheese, pinto beans, pear half, brownie, cornbread, butter, milk.

Thur. - Chicken Spaghetti, tossed salad, corn, hot rolls, butter, Rice Krispy Treat, milk.

Fri. - BBQ Sandwiches, French fries, cole slaw, fruit, ice cream, milk.

MUESTER SCHOOL MENU

Jan. 14-18

Mon. - Hot Dogs, French fries, beans, pumpkin bread, fruit, milk.

Tues. - Chicken Pot Pie, lettuce salad, fruit, rolls, milk.

Wed. - Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, green beans, lettuce salad, bread, milk.

Thur. - BBQ Sandwich, pickles and onions, chips, fruit, brownies, milk.

Fri. - Baked Ham, potatoes and gravy, corn, rolls, milk.

FORESTBURG MENU

Jan. 14-18

Mon. - LUNCH: Fish, potato salad, pork and beans, pickles, pears, milk. BREAKFAST: Donuts, juice, milk.

Tues. - LUNCH: Goulash, blackeye peas, corn, prunes, hot rolls, chocolate pudding, milk. BREAKFAST: Oatmeal, toast, juice, milk.

Wed. - LUNCH: Barbecue Wieners, creamed potatoes, English peas, kraut, peach and blackberry cobbler, bread, milk. BREAKFAST: Rice, toast, milk.

Thur. - LUNCH: Chili Pie, green beans, homily, pickles, plums, bread, milk. BREAKFAST: Pancakes, juice, milk.

Fri. - LUNCH: Hamburgers, cheese, tater tots, lettuce, tomatoes, gelatin with fruit, milk. BREAKFAST: Cereal, juice, milk.

Era school looks for expansion of facilities

by Elaine Schad

Era School District officials are beginning to look seriously into the possibility of expanding campus facilities, with classrooms now at capacity, officials said.

School trustees have authorized Superintendent Dale Smiley to check with financial advisors on some proposals for district facility needs. The board will meet in special session in January, with a single-item agenda to discuss facility needs, officials said.

"We're starting to be limited on making decisions based on what's best for the kids because of our space needs," said Smiley. Three high school classes are being taught in the elementary building, officials said. Two classes are now being conducted in the library and one class is being held in the cafeteria, said Smiley. Officials also would like to split one of the larger classes, but are unable to do so because of the space limitations, said Smiley.

The district's 350 student enrollment represents a 7.3 percent increase over last year. The district opened a new elementary building about three years ago, but that facility is at capacity.

Officials are looking into the possibility of adding four to six additional classrooms, renovating the kitchen and cafeteria, increasing computer services and possibly building a new library, said Smiley.

Sign up Jan. 12-13 and 19-20 Season II approaches

With the start of Season II of RENEW on Sunday, Feb. 10, and the beginning of Lent on Ash Wednesday, Feb. 13, the emphasis of Season II will be in joyful anticipation of the Resurrection of Jesus and the Response to the Lord's Call we experienced in Season I.

The Archbishop of Newark, Most Rev. Peter L. Gerety, comments on the impact of the program, "RENEW is a sign of the times - of people's desire to connect religion to daily life, and of their yearning for a deeper spirituality and community in their parishes."

The RENEW program leaders remind all parishioners that sign up for RENEW will be held at Masses on Saturday evening and Sunday, Jan. 12 and 13, and Jan. 19 and 20. Everyone is encouraged to sign up and to invite a friend who didn't participate in last season's program to join in.

Take-home material will again be available. There were favorable responses from most people who used them during last season.

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knows what's best to do in this situation, and I support our government." - Mindy Graham. "I believe in America, and I would defend her and her interest. I do believe in the cause. But I think that we jumped in too fast. I believe we should help others, but I don't know if they need, or want, help." - Darrin Russell. "Yes, international laws are being broken and oil is too scarce to be playing with." - Tim Erwin. "Yes, the United States has spent billions of dollars on military mite and we should use it on a good cause." - Brad McDaniel. "I do not believe in this cause, because the government is using this to get out of economic recession. A terrible reason for people to have to die." - Kristen Klement. "Not really, but they both probably have their reasons about why they want to go to war. We probably don't know all of the facts." - Brian Reiter. "I do not believe in the cause. There is no reason to lose lives over oil. America can use its own resources. We may all have to cut back, but that would be worth doing to save lives." - Jane Klement.

SH responses: "No, because like I said before, Americans are too lazy and dependent on motor vehicles as a way of life. We must learn alternative practices so these situations do not arise." - Heather Shauf. "Yes, because he is treating his people terrible." - Jon Schilling. "Yes, because we need the oil and we cannot afford to pay the price Saddam is going to sell it for." - Chris Hess. "I am not for sure what the cause is." - Bill Park. "No, we have enough oil here in the U.S. We don't need their oil, too." - Shauf

Dangelmayr. "No, it is over oil and the U.S. can make it without that oil." - Mark Flusche. "No, I don't believe in the cause. The U.S. always helps everybody when they get into trouble and who helps us if we were to go to war? Nobody. So, we should just keep our nose in our own business." - Jason Beyer. "No, because so many families are being split apart because of this whole affair. It's not worth risking our lives and the lives of others for something like this." - Vickie Bayer. "No, because look at all the innocent people that will be killed if we were to go to war. Oil is not something that we should be fighting over." - Katherine Vickers. "No, I don't because it really wasn't our business except for the hostages and the hostages are out, so our troops should be out, too." - Jayna Hofbauer.

Over the Hill?

Madam Zonell, renown astrologist, predicted this week on national television that before calendars are turned to February, a newspaper employee, residing in what she believes to be the North Central Texas area, will reach the peak of Mount Youth. She will then begin a swift descent down a 40 degree slope on the back side of the aging hill. The prediction will come true when a black cloud overcomes the victim on this depressing day.

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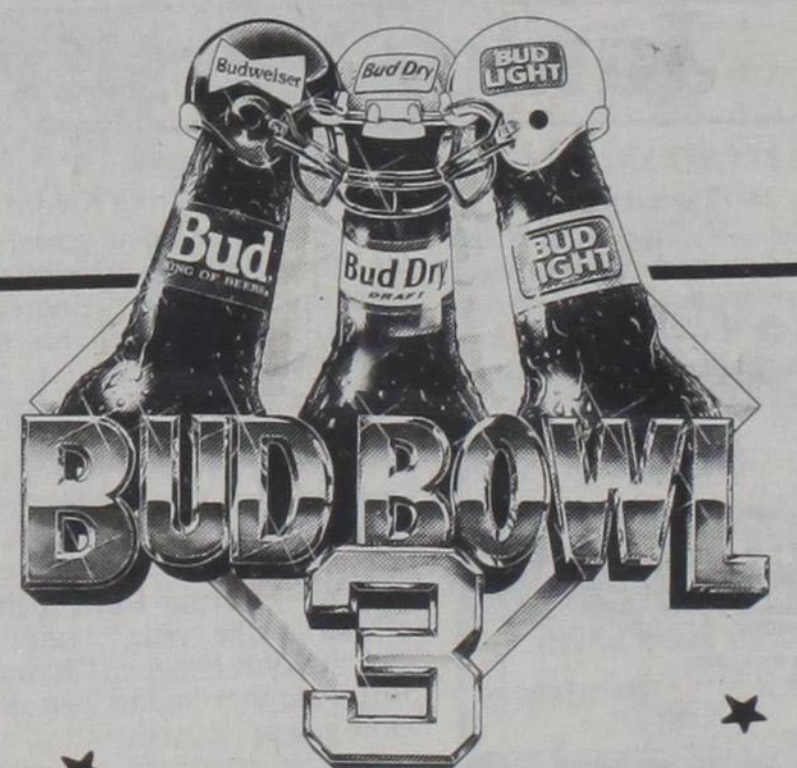
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Hornets and Knights "Jam the Gym"

Muenster and Lindsay fans "Jammed the Gym" Tuesday night in the Hornets' opening district game in Muenster.

In varsity action, the hot shooting of Laura Lutkenhaus led the Knightettes to a 41-34 win. "Because of the absence of Melanie (Anderson), we made some early mistakes, but her replacement, Laura, made the adjustments," said Lindsay Coach George Thomason. "Outside of her, we didn't have good shooting all night."

The Lady Knights took 10-8, 18-14 leads the first quarter, then outshot Muenster 12-5 the third quarter for a 30-19 score going into the final period. "We couldn't get anything to fall," said Muenster Coach Brian Strother. "The third quarter hurt us with only 5 points. They outscored us every period but the fourth." The Lady Hornets hit 15 final points to Lindsay's 10, but couldn't catch up.

"The girls played hard, the nervousness of the first district game and no games for 10 days hurt," said Strother. "Our biggest problem with Lindsay is height, we're young and not as tall."

The Hornets' scoring was evenly divided, with DaLana Walterscheid hitting 8 points. Melissa Bayer added 7, Danelle Reiter 6, Amy Otto 5, Brandy Debnam 4, with Theresa Kubis, Kim Anderle and Marcia Vogel also scoring.

Laura Lutkenhaus is credited for 15 points for Lindsay. Gretchen Hoenig added 10, Debbie Fangman 7, Cassandra Fuhrmann 5 and Kristy Krebs 4.

Coach Thomason credits his defense for a good job, not giving up points till the final quarter.

In boys' action, Lindsay, boun-

cing back from a defeat from Era, pounded Muenster 20-9 the first quarter. "We dug ourselves into a hole the first quarter and couldn't fight back," said the Hornets coach.

Muenster did outscore their opponents 15-13 and 16-11 the next two periods for a 44-40 score going into the final quarter. "The boys fought like cats and dogs, that kept us in the game," said Strother.

The Knights outshot Muenster by 1 point the final quarter. "They hit 7-12 free throws in the fourth, that won it for them," commented the Muenster coach. The Hornets shot only 25 percent free throws that quarter.

Doug Hennigan led the Hornets with 13 points, Brian Reiter added 11, Brad McDaniel 10 and Troy Pagel 8. Terry Felderhoff, Rajko Jelen, Ryan Sicking and Steven

Fisher also assisted in putting points on the board.

Lindsay's coach said that turnovers late in the game hurt the Knights, but their lead gave them the cushion they needed for the win.

Scott Hermes led all scorers with 19 points, Kenny Fleitman added 14. Jerrod Collins hit in 8 points, Corey Sandmann 7 with Ronnie Dieter and John Krebs adding 5 apiece.

Muenster travels to Era for the Hornet battle. "If we can pull off a victory Friday, we'll have a toss-up for district in the boys' division. Era's small, but quick and they like to shoot from the outside," concluded Strother.

Lindsay will host Saint Jo Friday night. The Panthers lost 70-58 to Collinsville in Tuesday's district match with the Lady Pirates winning 63-53.

Hornet, Collinsville game rescheduled for Jan. 12

Muenster Public School's basketball games with Collinsville and Callisburg weren't played last week because of icy conditions on the roads.

The junior high game Thursday evening at Collinsville was postponed because of the parents' concerns of the road conditions. The overnight freeze closed all area schools Friday and delayed

the varsity games that night. Saturday's contests with Callisburg were cancelled.

Games with Collinsville, a district match, are rescheduled for Saturday, Jan. 12 at Collinsville. The high school varsity action will begin at 6:00 p.m. The junior high will play at 3:00. There will be no J.V. game.

Junior High Roundballer News

Muenster vs. Lindsay

The junior high Hornets hosted the Lindsay basketball squads Tuesday evening and were handed two defeats.

The seventh grade, led by James Klement's 8 points, handed the young Squires a 22-15 loss. Scott Debnam added 6 with Maurus Hacker, Jason Sicking and Tom Dankesreiter also scoring for Muenster.

Muenster had a 1-point lead the first quarter, extending the low score to 10-7 at intermission. The young Hornets added 12 points the second half to Lindsay's 8 to take the victory.

Ryan Knudson scored 10 of the points for the Squires, with Hank Huchton and Robert Lutkenhaus adding 3 and 2 points.

Allison Walterscheid hit 13 points to assist the Lady Squires in their 28-17 win over the Muenster junior high girls.

Lindsay scored eleven points the first two quarters to take a 22-5 halftime lead. Muenster scored three points to Lindsay's 6 the third period to fall behind 20 points. The Lady Hornets kept the Lady Squires scoreless the final period and scored nine points to close the gap on the final score.

Carrie Hess was high scorer for Muenster with 8 points. Audrey Knabe added 4, with Sabrina Truebenbach, Jill Reiter, Laura Vogel and Andrea Klement also adding points.

Michelle Secrest, Keleigh O'Dell and Meredith Mowman also scored for Lindsay.

The Lindsay "A" junior high boys took home a 1-point victory Monday, holding the Muenster comeback attack the final seconds.

Lindsay took a 8-2 first period lead and after an even second and third quarter, held onto their 6 points. After a hot first, Muenster's defense held the Squires to only 5 points the second half.

The young Hornets hit 8 points in the fourth, including a 3-pointer by Jamie Hellman, to threaten Lindsay the final seconds, but the young Knights ran out the clock, winning 22-21.

Leading scorers for Muenster were Cory Cain and Hellman with 7 points each. Cody Sicking and Jason Huchton also scored.

Will Thomason scored 9 with George Lutkenhaus hitting 7 for Lindsay. Greg Arendt and Bryan Hermes also scored.

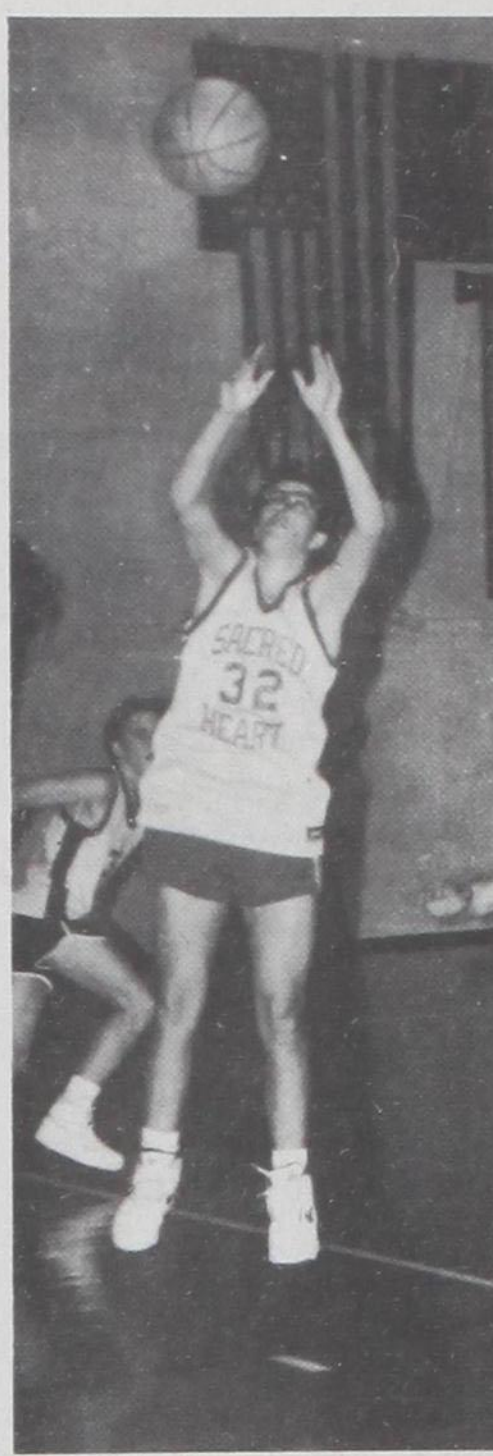
Both schools will play Monday evening, with Muenster traveling to Era and Lindsay to Saint Jo. Action begins at 6:00 p.m.

S.H. Cubs vs. Gold-Burg

Sacred Heart hosted Goldburg Monday night with the junior high Cubs improving their record 4-3 with a 46-20 victory.

Neil Berres led the young Tigers with 12 points, Jason Hess added 11 points, Trent Trubenbach 8 and Brandon Bayer 4 points. "Brandon gave his best effort and Trent is improving more and more each outing," said Sacred Heart Coach John Nasche. Others scoring were Scott Poole, Toby Hess, John Klement, Paul Swirczynski, James Felderhoff and Gregg Fisher with 2 points each.

"These guys are a very talented group of kids. If they stick together with the right attitude and motivation they will begin to wreck havoc on opposing teams. I can't wait for them to grow and mature. Great things are going to happen to these kids, it's only a



JOE BEDOWITZ led the junior varsity Tigers in scoring against Alvord. Janie Hartman Photo

Buzzer beater lifts the Tigerettes to a win

Sacred Heart senior Sharon Fuhrmann drove the baseline with 7 seconds and spotted teammate J.J. Dowd posted low. The dump pass by Fuhrmann to Dowd resulted in a power move and score by Dowd to lift the Tigerettes to a 41-39 win. "We called timeout with 13 seconds to set a play," said Tigerette mentor LeBrasseur. "We expected them to pick us up man or a matching 2-3. We designed two plays at the timeout, an inbounds play to Vickie Bayer and then into our motion offense for a weakside pick. As it turned out, Alvord packed in a 2-3 zone and our seniors took over."

The close win marks the Tigerettes' first win in the new year and also the first time this season the Tigerettes have won a close game. "We have learned from our mistakes in the close losses and tonight the girls had the look in their eyes at the timeout that they would score."

The Tigerettes started fast with a 15-point first period and Alvord stayed right there, generating 13 of their own. A sloppy second period allowed Alvord to take a halftime advantage 23-20. It could have been a 5-point edge but a bucket by Mandy Barnhill narrowed the gap to 3 at the horn.

With the score tied at 31 before the end of the third period, the Tigerettes elected to go for the last shot in the period, but a blocked

shot and a foul with 3 seconds put the Lady Dogs on the line. Alvord sank the first of the bonus but missed the second and snared the rebound and scored for a 3-point edge at quarter's end 34-31.

Having to battle back again, the Tigerettes did as speedy Deann Bayer picked off a pass for a score. A tenacious man defense by the entire Tigerette squad held Alvord to no field goals in the final frame. Two free shots and big rebounds by April Truebenbach, along with three scores by J.J. Dowd, led to the Tigerette win.

Sharon Fuhrmann led a balanced Tigerette attack with 10, Dowd hit for 8, Deann Bayer 7, Truebenbach 6, Vickie Bayer netted 5 along with great defense. Mandy Barnhill and sophomore teammate Christy Yosten each hit two key hoops and a free shot along with great hustle was contributed by Robin Greathouse. Jennifer Watler and Shirley Henschel failed to score but contributed greatly to the Tigerette effort with stellar defensive performances.

Next action for the Tigerettes will be Friday night in Denton against Liberty Christian. The JV boys tip things off at 5 p.m., followed by the Tigerettes and the Tigers. On Saturday, the Tigerettes will host Prosper at 1:30. Prosper defeated the Tigerettes early in the year by 9.

Lindsay hosts Era teams

Lindsay split their opening district match with Era, the girls winning big and the boys falling short.

The Knightettes scored the first points of the game, taking a 12-1 quarter lead. After an even second period, Lindsay led 24-12. The Lady Knights outscored Era 34-11 the second half to take a commanding 58-23 victory. "The girls played really well with aggressive defense," said Lindsay Coach George Thomason. "We didn't shoot particularly well, but our rebounding balanced it out."

Lindsay did have a dark spot though, losing Melanie Anderson with a knee injury. According to Thomason, Melanie has possible ligament and cartilage damage to her knee, with surgery scheduled for next week. "Good thing we have other players to come, but she'll be missed," said Thomason. "Melanie was good on offense and defense."

Kristy Krebs led Lindsay with

14 points, followed by Gretchen Hoenig with 13. Jessica Fuhrmann added 7.

Misti Mathews was high scorer for Era with 9 points with Helen Baxter scoring 8.

The Knights, after starting slow, tried to come back, but fell short, losing 65-60 to the Hornets.

"We started so cold, they started hot," said Thomason. "Three-pointers the first half helped Era." Lindsay fell behind 33-20 the first half. "We had trouble hitting, with only 20 points at half, we usually have that much each quarter," commented the Lindsay coach.

The Knights outscored Era 40-32 the second half, but were 5 points short of a district win. "We cut within 2 points, but had a little letdown and gave them the chance to keep us from getting ahead," said Thomason.

Scott Hermes was high scorer with 18, Kenny Fleitman added 11, followed by 9 points each by John Krebs and Chris Hanks.

Cy Binder scored 28 points for the Hornets, shooting 9-13 from the free throw line and hitting five 3-pointers. Jeff Young added 17 points.

"A few mental mistakes hurt us. We need to shake it off and continue," concluded Thomason.

In junior varsity action, the young Knights outscored Era 51-41. Joe Coke hit 18 points, followed by Jeff Pearson with 12 for Lindsay. Barry Gorden led Era with 15.

"Both teams played sloppy," said Thomason. "It looked like we forgot our plays." Lindsay took a 14-7 first quarter lead, with Era trying to catch up with a 25-20 score. The Knights kept their lead, outscoring Era 26-20 the second half.

S.H. Tigers battle with the Bulldogs

The Sacred Heart Tigers dropped another hard fought basketball game Tuesday night, 58-71 to Alvord. "The game was a lot closer than the score indicated," stated Tiger Coach John Nasche. "We had our best outing of the year; I'm real pleased with our fast break and offense."

A close first quarter, 15-16, was gapped by Alvord the second quarter, taking a 25-35 lead. The Bulldogs continued spreading the point spread, outscoring Sacred Heart 48-33 the second half for the victory.

Jason Endres had a game high of 23 points. Stevan Nasche added 15, with Shawn Dangelmayr and Jason Beyer contributing 9 a piece. Kelly Bayer and Chris Hess also scored.

"Everytime out we get closer to becoming a solid ball team. We need more hard work toward free throws and boxing out," said the Tiger coach. He also stated that the Tigers' offense and fast break has improved but more areas need improvement before district competition begins.

The Tigers tangle with Liberty Christian in Denton Friday.

Junior Varsity Action

Sacred Heart vs. Alvord

Trailing 24-17 entering the final period, the JV Tigerettes knew they needed to pick up the pace. An offensive explosion by Deanna Hess with three quick hoops from the outside pulled the youngsters within one, 24-23. A free shot by Erica Schilling put the Tigerettes in the lead and they never looked

back as they raced to a 35-28 win over their guests from Alvord.

Deanna Hess led all scorers with 20, Erica Schilling netted 9, Kelly Dangelmayr, Jennie Endres and Julie Felderhoff each hit for 2. Angie Hofbauer failed to score but turned in a nice floor game.

A talented Alvord junior varsity invaded the Tiger Den Tuesday night, taking a 37-47 win over Sacred Heart.

"Our guys put forth their best effort of the year," said Tiger Coach John Nasche. "It was unfortunate they had to lose another close game."

Joe Bedowitz led the way for the young Tigers with 13 points. Kelly Bayer added 10 and Aaron Berres 9, "in his best game of the

year." Weldon, Jordan and Jeremy Bayer rounded out the rest of the scoring. "The two Bayer brothers, Jordan and Jeremy, played their best game of the year," said Nasche. "Everyone is improving, I'm pleased with their progress; they've come a long way." Nasche believes the defense and fast break are doing better.

Muenster vs. Lindsay

The Lindsay junior varsity roundballers added another notch to their victory belt Tuesday evening, defeating the Muenster JV 49-65.

After taking an 18-11 first quarter lead, the young Knights never trailed in the game. The first half ended in a 6-point difference, 31-25. A close third quarter gave Lindsay a 7-point lead, with the 19-9 final period clinching the win for the Knights.

Mike Hacker led the Hornet scorers with 15 points, followed by Kody Truebenbach with 13, and Darren Bindel 11. Brian Knabe, A.J. Knabe and Jay Hennigan also scored for Muenster.

Jeff Pearson blew away the boards with 23 points for Lindsay. Jason Benton added 15, Wylie Harris 11 and Joe Coke 9. Jeff Hermes, Jeremy Owen and John Hoenig rounded out the scoring for the Knights.

The J.V. Hornets will compete again Friday, Jan. 11 at Era.

Lindsay's J.V. boys will get a break as the girls compete with Saint Jo Friday, but will see action in the Lindsay Junior Varsity tournament Saturday, Jan. 12.

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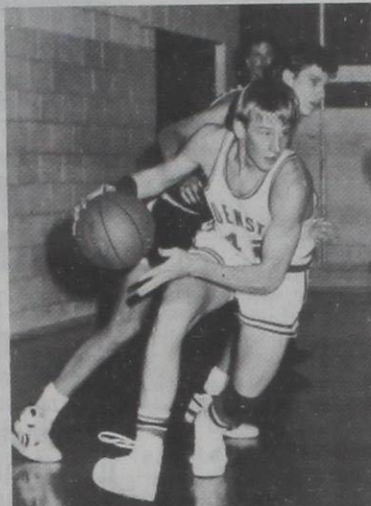
Vickie Bayer moves down court. Also pictured are Robin Greathouse and Shirley Henscheid.



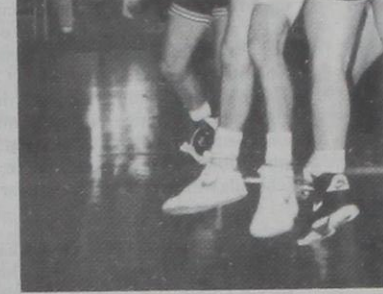
Kelly Bayer retrieves a loose ball. Jason Endres is also pictured.



Laura Lutkenhaus (left) drives around Theresa Kubis.



Terry Felderhoff evading the defense.



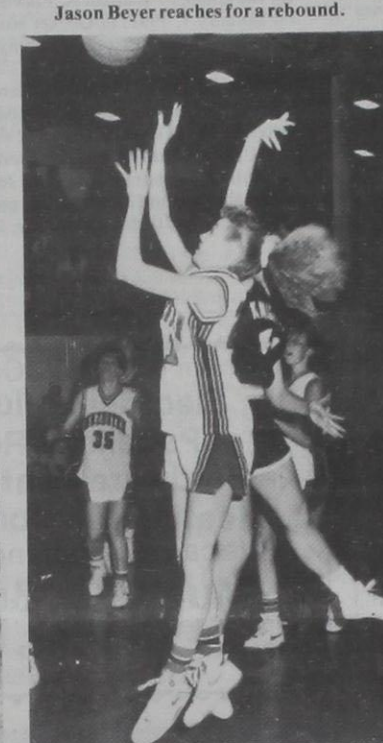
Jason Beyer reaches for a rebound.



Jeff Hermes shoots for the Knights. Brad McDaniel (31) and Terry Felderhoff (42) defend. Also pictured is Kenny Fleitman.



Doug Hennigan slides up and past John Krebs for a basket.



Kim Anderle shoots for the Hornets through Gretchen Hoening's defense.



Stevan Nasche moves the ball into play.



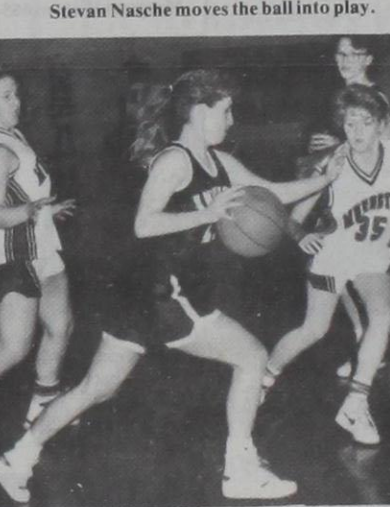
DaLana Walterscheid (23) and Debbie Fangman (33) battle for the ball.



Sharon Fuhrmann and J.J. Dowd defending the goal.



Jason Beyer gets interference on a lay-up.



Danelle Reiter (left) and Brandy Debnam (35) pressure Kristy Krebs.

Muenster Hornets

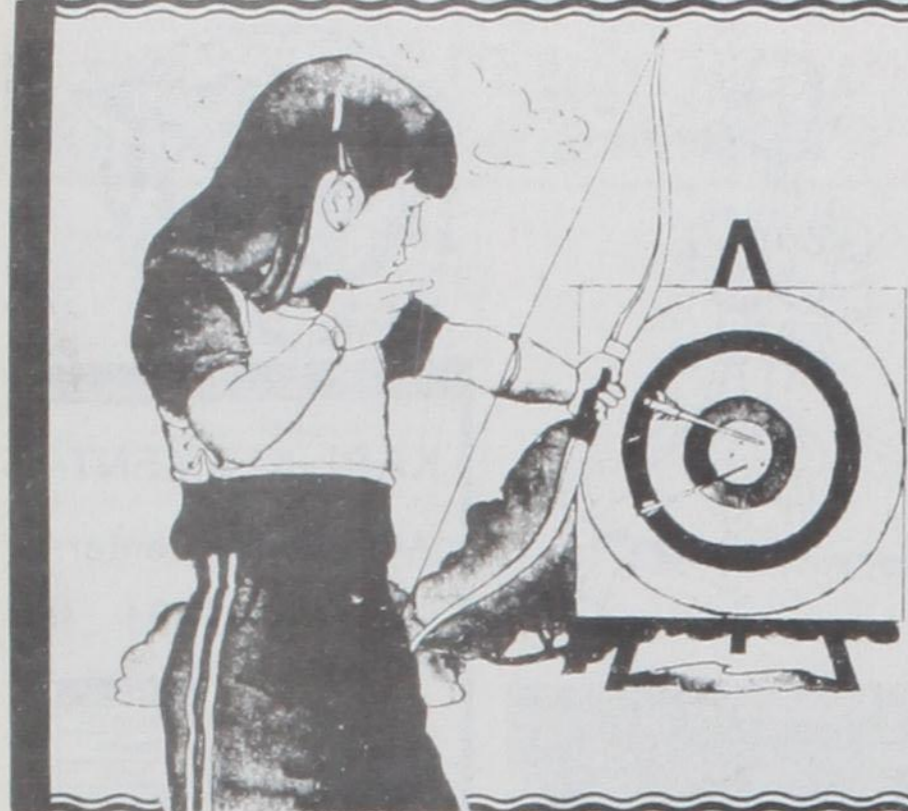
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	Jan. 8, Lindsay, H, 5:30		
	Jan. 11, Era, T, 4:00		
	Jan. 15, Forestburg, T, 5:30		
	Jan. 18, Saint Jo, H, 5:30		
	Jan. 22, Collinsville, H, 5:30		
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Girls		Opponents	
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Sacred Heart Tigers

Tigerettes		Opponents	
CANCEL	41	39	
	Jan. 4, Trinity Christian, H, 6:00	CANCEL	58 71
	Jan. 8, Alvord, H, 6:00		
	Jan. 11, Liberty Christian, T, 5:00		
	Jan. 15, Lexington, T, 5:30		
	Jan. 18, Notre Dame, H, 5:30		
	Jan. 24, Temple Christian, H, 6:00		
	Jan. 25, Brookhollow, T, 5:30		
	Jan. 26, Evangel Temple, H, 1:00		
	Jan. 29, Liberty Christian, H, 5:00		
	Feb. 2, Notre Dame, T, 5:30		
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Girls		Opponents	
	34	12	
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	Jan. 14, Montague, T, 6:00		
	Jan. 21, Forestburg, T, 6:00		
	Jan. 25, Brookhollow, T, 5:00		
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Persons who wish to intervene or comment should write the: Rates Section, Water Utilities Division, Texas Water Commission, P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, TX 78711-3087 within thirty (30) days from the date of this publication or notice. No public hearing will be held unless a request for a hearing is received. Only those individuals who submit a written request to be notified of hearing schedule will receive notice if a hearing is scheduled. 1-11-2-EL

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of William A. Purvis, Deceased, were issued on January 7, 1991, in Docket No. 13210, pending in the County Court of Cooke County, Texas, to: Dorothy Lawson.
The residence of the Independent Executrix is in Dallas County, Texas, the post office address is: 6937 Mill Falls Drive, Dallas, Texas 75248.
All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. DATED the 7th day of January, 1991.
/s/ Chuck Bartush Jr., Attorney for the Estate 1-11-2-EL

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NOTICE TO BIDDER
The City of Muenster will accept bids until 5 p.m. Monday, January 28, 1991 for the following: One new 1991 1/2 ton standard pick-up with long wheel base and wide bed equipped with: 300 cubic inch or larger engine, automatic transmission, power brakes, air conditioning, tinted glass, 9" by 6 1/2" swing away side mirrors, AM/FM radio, all standard equipment, heavy duty painted bumper, freight, dealer prep, delivery date. Submit bid at City Hill, 400 North Main St., Muenster, Texas 76252 no later than 5:00 p.m. Monday, January 28, 1991 in sealed envelope marked "Pick up Bid." 1-11-2-E

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Country Tidings

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hudspeth accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Nivens to Alvord Saturday evening to see the Nivens' granddaughter Rhyne Nivens play ball. The game was between Alvord and Boyd with Alvord winning.
Leicia Pickens was dismissed from the hospital Thursday after having back surgery. She is the daughter of Virginia and Doyle Hudspeth and is recuperating at their home.
Marvin Maberry treated his wife Della to dinner New Year's Eve in Gainesville.
Brad Hutson and Betty Lutmer visited with Mozelle Hutson Sunday.
Mrs. Katie Cook of Marietta, Ok., Fred and Allison Cook of Newport, California and Kimber-ly McKown of Valley View had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berry and James Monday.
The Forestburg United Methodist Women met Wednesday evening Jan. 2 at the church.
The theme of the program was "Seasons of a Woman's Life" given by the president Mrs. Mary Hays. It was a very interesting program. Those attending were President Mrs. Mary Hays and Mmes. Laura Belle Jackson, Merle Hudspeth and Faith Sandusky. The U.M.W. meet every first Wednesday of the month. They extend an invitation to all ladies to come. Everyone is welcome.
Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Dill and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jackson, after attending church Sunday, had dinner out.

Forestburg students hold Math-A-Thon

Forestburg Elementary students have competed in the Math-A-Thon to raise money for the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. The children worked 200 math problems each and raised a total of \$518.18.
Michael Tully of Mrs. Hay's fifth grade class was the top money raiser with \$115.10. He will receive a T-shirt and a tote bag for his great effort. Joshua Fullbright came in second place with \$92. He will also receive a T-shirt and tote bag. Joshua is in the first grade. Third place was taken by Gretchen Forgy with \$54.50. She is in Mrs. Carter's third grade. Five other students raised \$30 each and will also receive the colorful T-shirts.
The teachers are very proud of all the students who worked so hard to raise the funds for such a worthy cause.

Farm & Ranch

Pasture management conserves soil & water

With beef prices the best they have been in several years, cattle producers need to pay close attention to pasture management, say local conservationists.

"Grass is the cheapest source of good nutrition for beef and other grazing animals, but we need to keep a close watch on pasture stands and our maintenance programs," said Clyde Hale of the upper Elm-Red Soil and Water Conservation District.

"Low cattle prices and high production costs in recent years have caused many of us to let our pasture maintenance fall behind," said Hale. "Quite simply, many thought it was too expensive to maintain pastures while losing money on cattle."

"This cost-price squeeze has also caused many producers to plow up pastureland to plant sorghum or other row crops," says Richard Connett, district conservationist with the USDA Soil Conservation Service in Gainesville. "We are particularly keen on this right now because a well-managed pasture - of all conservation practices - is one of the most effective means of conserving soil and water and keeping our creeks and ponds clean."

Farm Bill to be broadcasted Jan. 24

The Texas Farm Bureau has scheduled a Farm Program Uplink for Jan. 24, 1991. The program will originate in Chicago and will be broadcasted to all county Farm Bureau offices in Texas. It will begin at 7:00 p.m.

Cooke County Farm Bureau is encouraging all farmers/ranchers

proximately 125,000 acres of pasture in Cooke county that need management," Connett continued. "As cattle prices are once again favorable, these pastures should get attention this spring or summer."

Providing a balanced soil fertility program is essential and should always be based on a soil test, brush management or weed control is another maintenance item that pays big dividends. It should be started in mid-spring.

Hale added, "Nothing takes the place of a sound grazing management plan. Keeping high quality forage on many, or all, pastures is also a sure way to supplement grazing on rangelands or grazeable woodlands and in turn improve the bottom line on a livestock operation."

Technical assistance is available from the Soil Conservation Service and soil and water conservation district to help livestock producers solve many pasture management problems. Call 668-7794 for more information.

All programs and services of the Soil Conservation Service are offered on a nondiscriminatory basis without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, marital status or handicap.

and any others interested in details of the upcoming 1991 farm program to attend the broadcast at the county Farm Bureau office in Gainesville. Representatives of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service in Washington have confirmed they will assist in the presentation of this information. A toll-free telephone number will be activated so that producers may ask specific questions.

The House and Senate have passed a five year Farm Bill entitled "Food, Agriculture, Conservation and Trade Act of 1990." The bill is more than 2,000 pages long and weighs over ten pounds.



PASTURE MANAGEMENT develops local grasses. Photo courtesy of U.S.D.A. Soil Conservation Service.

Much maligned pesticides get favorable review

EDITOR'S NOTE: Pesticides habitually receive adverse and unfair publicity from the city press, much to the dismay of those of us in agriculture who know there's more to the story that never gets told.

Thus, it was refreshing, if not startling, to note the following editorial in a recent issue of *The (Memphis) Commercial Appeal*. We understand it also appeared in other *Scippys Howard* newspapers, the chain of which *The Commercial Appeal* is a member.

It was so pleasing to see this urban press acknowledgment of the resulting benefits, even the necessity, of responsible use of pesticides by the nation's farmers that we wanted to share it with our readers.

The editorial is reprinted here verbatim by permission of *The Commercial Appeal*. We commend them for making these important facts available to some city brethren accustomed to hearing only exaggerations of negatives regarding pesticides.

The Enterprise is happy to reprint this article from the *Southwest Farm Press*, Jan. 3, 1991.

BOY, are we lucky to have so many wonderful pesticides! How's that for an unconventional statement? You might think it's meant to be ironic, or even perverse. Not so. It's common sense, or should be. Pesticides have been a great blessing.

Glance at old Civil War landscape photographs. You'll notice that the countryside has been stripped bare - not by fire or rifle-shot, but by farming. Until relatively recently, every possible hectare of inhabited countryside was given over to agriculture. Today, the proportion of wooded area (available for recreation or timber) to farmland has greatly increased - thanks to pesticides.

We've all read about the Dustbowl of the 1930s. Soil erosion, caused by overfarming, forced thousands of families from the land. The introduction of pesticides and herbicides made overfarming obsolete. At the same time, they vastly increased agricultural yields.

Potatoes, for example: In 1940, an exceptional yield was 82 100-pound sacks per acre; today, a good yield is 275 sacks.

As Dixy Lee Ray, the former governor of Washington state and herself a biologist, points out in her new book, *Trashing the Planet*, Americans now enjoy what most previous generations would have considered unthinkable: massive food surpluses. The introduction of recent pesticides, according to agronomists, has cut food costs by 33 percent.

Few undertakings could be less popular nowadays than a defense of pesticides. Shoddy reporting and environmental extremists have given the word an almost obscene tone: synonymous with "carcinogen," evocative of inhumane science. The misunderstandings sometime seem insurmountable. But consider some facts:

- More than 99 percent of the pesticides we ingest are produced by the plants we eat.
- Natural pesticides are found to be carcinogenic in the same proportion as synthetic pesticides.
- The validity of methods that determine carcinogenicity is in serious doubt. In animal tests, for example, the cancer may be caused by the massive doses rather than by the character of the substance being tested.
- Pesticide traces on food are almost inconceivably small, measured often in parts per trillion. One part per trillion is equivalent to the size of one postage stamp in an area the size of Dallas.

So relax. And before dinner tonight, say a good word for pesticides.

Poll on Farm Bill demands changes

Joe Rankin, President of Texas Farmers Union, said "The results of the poll conducted by members of the National Association of Farm Broadcasters recently were very favorable from the standpoint of production agriculture."

The telephone poll was conducted between 5:00 a.m. Wednesday and 5:00 p.m. Thursday by radio and TV stations around the nation. A total of 4,047 calls were registered.

The question was: "Should Congress reopen the 1990 farm bill for debate and possible revision in 1991?"

Eighty-nine percent of the respondents answered yes...that the farm bill should be reopened; and eleven percent answered no.

Rankin stated, "The results were very positive given the fact that the poll was taken even before the bill actually went into effect."

The Farmers Union president further commented, "We must do everything possible to bring about changes that will improve farm income in the 1990 farm bill if we are to prevent financial disasters in the farm sector."

County Agent's Report

by Craig Rosenbaum

Rotate crops to fight disease

As farmers prepare for the 1991 crop year, they need to give particular attention to disease control practices. One of the best as well as least expensive ways to fight diseases is crop rotation.

Crop rotation has long been recognized as an inexpensive form of plant disease control. This practice prevents the continuous development of disease organisms that would otherwise build up in the soil and attack one plant species. Crop rotation breaks the cycle of organism development and thus helps limit the damage potential when the susceptible crops are grown again.

A three-year rotation is the most practical for producers, assuming that they have at least three crops that can fit into their operation. This allows them to practice disease control simultaneously on all three crops.

The three most common crops used in rotation systems are cotton, corn and sorghum. None of these crops are related and they have few diseases in common.

On some farms, continuous cropping must be practiced for a variety of reasons. In this case, other forms of disease control must be practiced. These include planting a more disease resistant variety, using a fungicide, adjusting fertilizer rates and planting on raised beds.

Such practices may cost additional money but may be necessary to achieve the same

levels of disease control as with crop rotation.

With producers looking at ways to squeeze out a profit in these hard economic times, disease control is one practice that should not be taken lightly. Producers must remember that crop losses to diseases mean losses in net profit, and thus they should use practices that keep diseases at their lowest level.

Farmers Tax Guides available

The Internal Revenue Service has just issued the Publication 225, Farmer's Tax Guide. This Guide explains how Farm Tax laws apply to farming. Producers can use these publications as a guide to figuring their taxes and completing their farm tax returns along with working with their local tax preparer. Important changes for 1990 are listed along with dates, reminders, forms, and other pertinent information.

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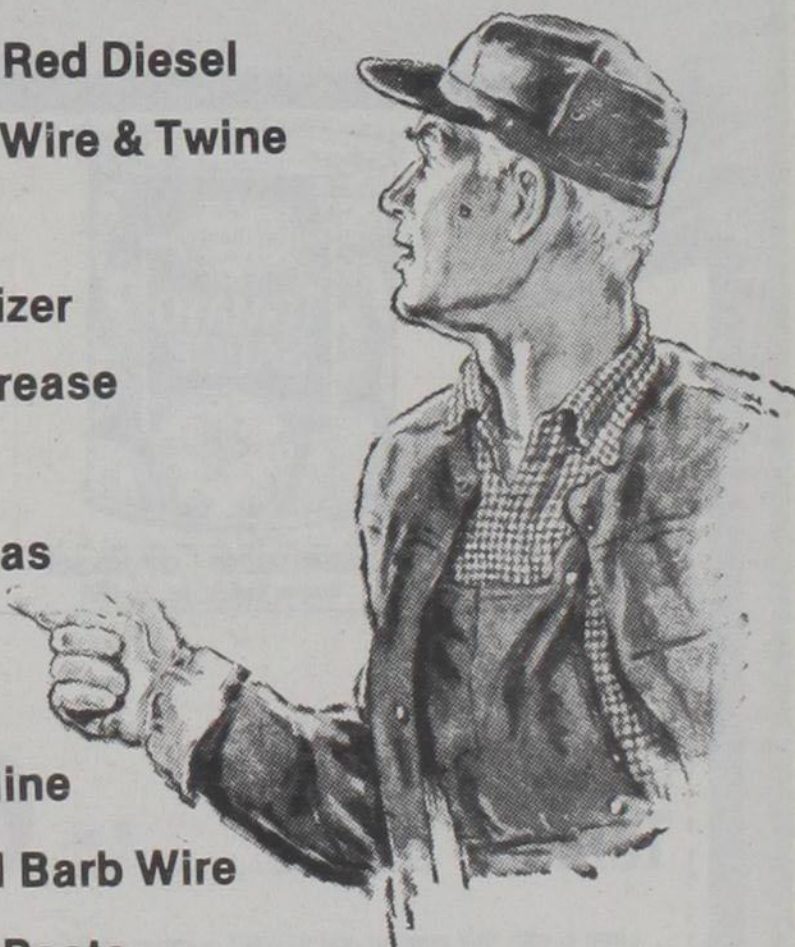
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Assorted Fruit Cocktails/Pears/Rhubarb/Fruit/Peaches **Del Monte Fruit** 16-17 oz. can **79¢**


IN-STORE COUPON - CLIP AND SAVE
Coupon Expires Jan. 23, 1991

Field Trial Chunk Dog Food 20 lb. bag **\$2⁹⁹**

Limit 1 with this coupon and \$10.00 or more additional food purchase please.
Good only at participating Affiliated Food Stores.
Limit 1 coupon per family. This coupon cannot be doubled. **Store Manager** - return this coupon and MRR to AFS warehouse for credit no later than 2-1-91.

Del Monte Tomato Sauce 8 oz. can **6/\$1**

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DR PEPPER

\$1⁵⁹


6 PACK



Del Monte Reg./No Salt Cut or French Style Green Beans/Cream Style or Whole Kernel Corn/Sweet Peas

Vegetables 16 to 17 oz. **3/\$1**

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Valencia **Oranges** 4 lb. bag **\$1⁶⁹**

Baker Russet Potatoes lbs. **3/\$1**

Monterey Fresh White Mushrooms 8 oz. pkg. **99¢**

Dole Golden Ripe **Bananas** lbs. **3/\$1**

Large Red Ripe **Tomatoes** lb. **49¢**

Chilean Plums lb. **\$1⁴⁹**

Zipperskin Tangerines lb. **69¢**

Yellow Squash lb. **69¢**

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