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Heavy damages inflicted by weekend storms

by Janet Felderhoff

It wasn't unexpected. Severe weather warnings or flash flood warnings had been broadcast for this area for most of Saturday. When the sky finally opened and released its store of moisture, many were surprised at the violence and strength of the storm.

Cooke County was in and out of tornado warnings from around 7 p.m. until some time after 2 a.m. The first clue that we really might be in serious trouble came around 7:15 p.m. when Dopler radar picked up a funnel cloud around the area north of Muenster.

Dan Haverkamp, who lives southwest of Muenster, reported hearing what sounded like a train coming some time around 9 p.m. A tornado appears to have touched down on a hill southwest of his house. It uprooted and moved several large Oak trees west of the house. Haverkamp's home, shop and a shed were spared, but a barn and well-house east of the home were demolished. Tin from the barn was blown for 300 or more yards to a neighbor's. The two by four's in the barn were splintered and scattered.

Earl Hess was watching television in his home northwest of Muenster Saturday evening. Some time after 9 p.m. his dog made a dash for the bedroom. Earl followed

him to see what was wrong. He found the animal hiding under a bed. Earl soon knew why the animal was alarmed when he heard a loud roar that he said sounded like a tornado.

Harold and Sug Bindel who live near Hess weren't home when the storm hit. They arrived home to find their lane blocked by the hog shed. It had been picked up, carried over the fence, and put down in the driveway in an upright position. The shed had housed 70 pigs that were unharmed. Also receiving damage were a hay barn that lost its tin, a tree that was uprooted, and the roof of the Bindel home. Several other residents of that area northwest of Muenster noted damage to roofs,

barns, trees, tractors, trampolines, swing sets, and other outdoor equipment.

Several area residents noted that the tornado seemed to follow a path. It apparently hovered near the ground seldom touching down, but coming close enough to do substantial damage.

Heavy objects such as creep feeders and sheds seemed to defy gravity as they were lifted from the ground and carried good distances through the air.

Rural mail boxes were wrenched from their stands and flung to the ground. Many trees had branches twisted off or broken in the strong wind.

Many commented on the oddity

of the storm. Heavy objects were carried away or damaged while much lighter, more delicate things such as hanging baskets, outdoor furniture, etc. from the same location were left untouched.

Heavy rain pelted the Cooke County, Montague area. Creeks quickly became swollen and overflowed their banks. The rain fell faster than ditches and waterways could handle and roads soon flooded. Mary Moser, Muenster's official keeper of rainfall, recorded 4.25 inches of rain for Saturday and Sunday.

Turtle Hill Golf Course north of Muenster had considerable water damage. Swift running water stole Please see STORM, pg. 4



U.I.L. STATE ACADEMIC CHAMPIONS, Lindsay High School Students (back to front, l to r) Tanner Neidhardt, Janine Sorrenson, Doug Hellinger, Michael Schmidkofer, Suzanna Hellinger, Christy Secrest, Leslie Cler and Darren Hundt.

Janie Hartman Photo

LHS takes State

Lindsay High School made it two in a row last weekend when they earned 105 points in the State U.I.L. Literary Meet to earn the state championship. Lindsay set the state record last year as the first Texas school, in any class, to score over 100 points in U.I.L. state competition.

San Isidoro High School once again was nudged out of 1st, finishing 2nd with 102 points. Menard came in 3rd with 65.

Eleven Lindsay High School students competed at Austin, bringing home one individual gold medal, one team gold medal and a total of 11 medalists.

Individuals earning medals and points were: Darren Hundt, 1st Science, 3rd Mathematics, 4th Number Sense and the top Biology and Physics competitor. Tanner Neidhardt finished 2nd in Feature Writing; Doug Hellinger 2nd Science; Leslie Cler 3rd Persuasive Speaking; Michael Schmidkofer 4th Science; Christi Secrest 4th Literary Criticism. The Spelling team of Janine Sorrenson and Suzanna Hellinger finished 2nd. Individually, the girls were in a 3-way tie for 2nd place, with both receiving silver medals.

The Science team of Hundt,

Hellinger and Schmidkofer earned the gold medal with a 288-total score. "The Science team accumulated too many points," said LHS Principal Jim Anderson. "Because of the 37-point rule, they lost 14 points they earned." The Literary Criticism team of Secrest along with Janelle Fuhrmann and Stephany Pearson finished 2nd, but only 1st place teams earn points. Greg Arendt placed 7th in Current Events, where tight competition made one point a big difference.

"I was pleased with the students' performances and the way they conducted themselves," Anderson continued. "Our students cooperated nicely, a real credit to their school, family and community." Mr. Anderson gives much credit for Lindsay's U.I.L. success to Mr. Craig Hertel, coordinator, and to the teachers, elementary on up, for taking the time and putting lots of effort in academic competition.

A representative from the State U.I.L. will present the state championship trophy to the school at the All-Awards Banquet on Friday, May 21.

As a school teacher from the district told his students, "The road to state leads through Lindsay."

Trail leads to Depot Days in Gainesville

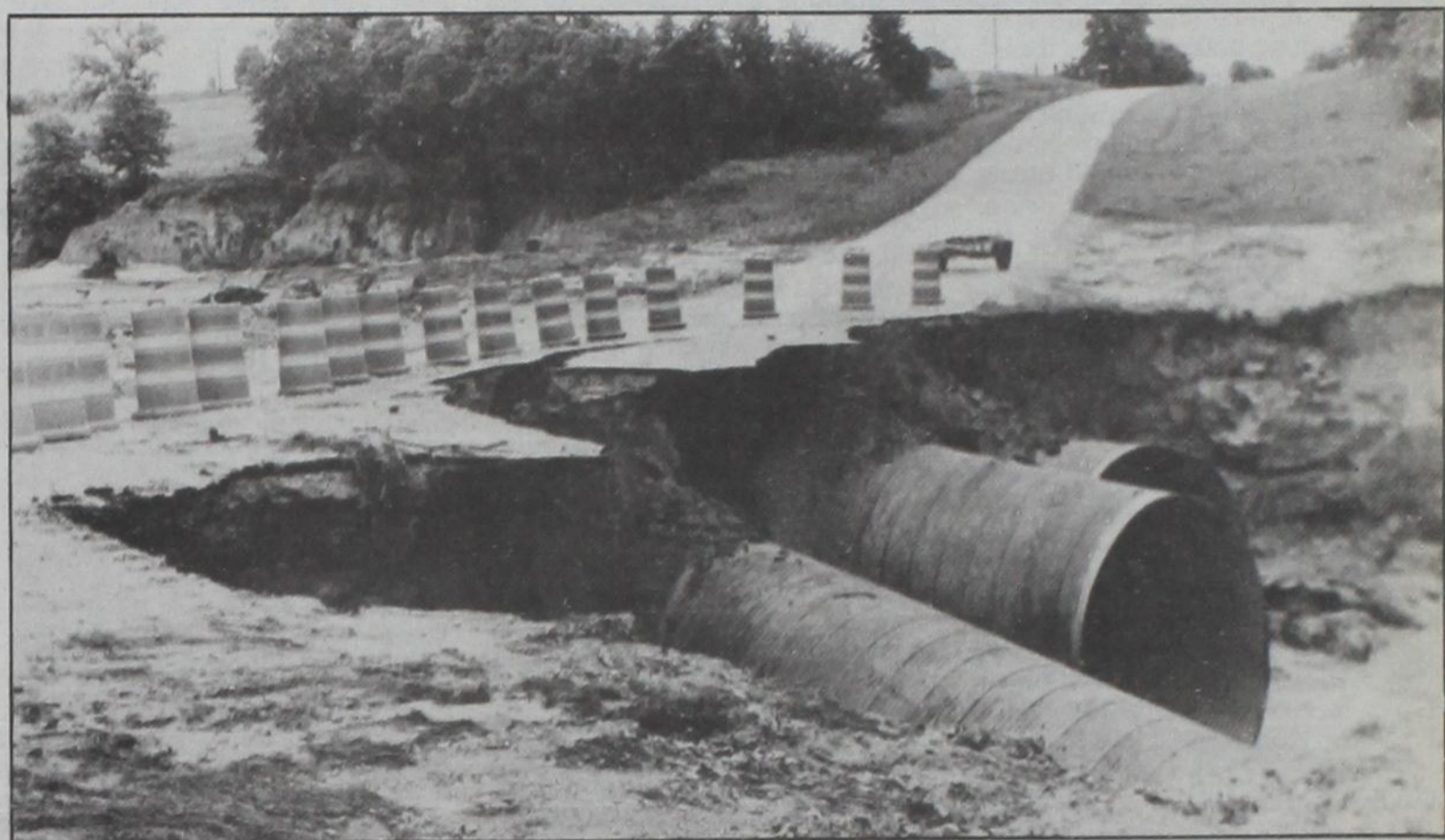
This weekend, the California Trail leads to Gainesville and Depot Days 1993. This seventh annual celebration features non-stop fun and activities throughout the weekend. History buffs will enjoy the Tour of Homes and historic buildings including the newly-restored Scott-Schmitz building at 117 N. Commerce Street. Wallace English, CFP, has painstakingly restored and redecorated the interior in a period-authentic and client-conscious fashion.

Depot Days will feature a fun run, bike rally and soccer tournament. The Kid Fair in Leonard Park Saturday and Sunday offers free games, activities, soft drinks and popcorn after a \$1.00 entry fee.

Everyone can enjoy shopping Depot Days values all around Gainesville. Then go back to Leonard Park and see the Mountain Man Camp, exhibiting lifestyles and activities of the mid-1700 to mid-1800 fur trade era.

Sunday evening, the Country Caravan from South Plains College returns to Depot Days 1993. They will feature the latest country music hits and family entertainment at 8 p.m. in Leonard Park or the Gainesville High School Auditorium in case of rain.

For information, call 817-665-2831 or 665-8632.



WATER COVERED Hwy. 677 (Saint Jo to Capps Corner) in this area after heavy rain Saturday night and Sunday morning. The rain fell so fast that creeks couldn't accommodate it and overflowed their banks. Waters were so swift that more than 2/3 of Hwy. 677's pavement was eaten away at this crossing. The three huge pipes installed to carry water simply couldn't handle the deluge. Note the size of the 11-foot in diameter pipes to the highway barricade barrels above them.

Janet Felderhoff Photo

Hess wins third in State U.I.L.

Marlene Hess, daughter of Earl and Mary Ann Hess, won third place in Informative Speaking at the State U.I.L. Academic Meet in Austin on Saturday. She qualified for state competition for the third successive year and gave two excellent speeches in competition. In the prelims, she spoke on Boris Yeltsin and his plans for the former Soviet Union, placing second in her group, thus advancing to the finals at state.

In the finals, Marlene spoke on the recent gay rights march on Washington D.C. Here, she faced a strong field with four of the six contestants having been to state finals three times before. A fifth contestant qualified by outranking the 1992 state champion at regional. The difficult task for the judges left

the votes divided.

Three competitors, including Marlene, each received one first place vote. The eventual winner, Shawn Williams of Valley View, was ranked third by each of the other two judges. Marlene was ranked third and fourth. A third competitor was ranked second and fifth by the other two judges.

Using the U.I.L.'s elaborate tiebreaking procedure, Marlene lost the tie for first place and subsequently second place and qualified for third place by herself with no tiebreaker needed. This award caps a fine high school career. Four state meet qualifications make her eligible for a scholarship from the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation.



MARLENE HESS

Good News!

The whole law has found its fulfillment in this one saying: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." If you go on biting and tearing one another to pieces, take care! You will end up in mutual destruction!

GALATIANS 5:14-15

New mayor, council members greeted with paving debate

William J. Miller is Muenster's new mayor. He received 286 votes in an uncontested election on May 1. Miller, a Muenster native, is married to the former Terese Walter. He has five children and 12 grandchildren. He owns and operates Rebel Metal Works of Gainesville. Asked about his impression of the new job, Miller said, "I really want to get Muenster's streets fixed right and we'll work toward this. I enjoy operating equipment, too. Maybe the city administrator might let me help sometime."

The election also seated two aldermen. Marianne Grant was unchallenged and received 296 votes to win her second term in Place 3. The new alderman in Place 5 is Mike Trubenbach, who got 228 votes to beat Harvey Lamkin who received 100 votes. Trubenbach replaces Gilbert Kubis who served the city for two years but did not run for re-election.

Rick Stewart was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Aubry Tuggle in Place 2. Bob Hermes and Cody Williams had also indicated their willingness to serve when the city advertised for volunteers. Though all three men were present, none were asked to speak. Rev. Andy Cherry accompanied Williams, who

is a relatively new resident of Muenster. After Mayor Miller noted the volunteers' presence, he asked for the council's nomination. Arthur Hennigan nominated Stewart. Marianne Grant seconded the nomination and he was immediately affirmed by unanimous vote. There was no discussion.

Hennigan said in a recent interview that he nominated Stewart because several citizens told him they thought he was best for the job. "no one else had anything to say so that was it," Hennigan said. "Maybe the mayor should have given them a chance to speak but I'm sure he was nervous being new to the job. It's not our place to run the meeting though, that's the mayor's job."

Hermes commented later that he was disappointed in not being invited to speak after he made the effort to be ready to serve.

Councilwoman Fran Voth said she had spoken before the meeting with Grant, who in turn had spoken with Hennigan. They agreed, after hearing from other citizens that Stewart would be best for the job. Voth said, "I initially contacted Bob Hermes and we should have asked the three men if they had anything to say but the motion and vote happened so quick I just didn't challenge it."

The Southtown street paving project got more confused as the new people took their council seats. As reported after the last regular meeting, the city council changed the paving method to oil and chip rock on West Cross Street. Several Southtown residents came to this meeting. Spokesman Glenn Hess accused the council of constantly changing their minds and not enforcing their decision. He said they would not honor their agreement to build the north side curb on Cross Street.

Lisa Walterscheid asked, "When are you going to start the project, whatever the method? We want you to do something now so we don't have to pay higher prices three years from now." "I'm new at this game," Mayor Miller said. "We just want to know when you are going to start," Walterscheid said again. "When we get it all settled," the mayor said.

Jeanne Hess said, "We have a Koreshe situation here, how many changes are you going to allow?"

Former Mayor Ted Henschel retorted, "There are no Koreshes here, we're not reneging. Pull the agreements from over the months and see. We are trying not to use the enhancement route. I don't want to Please see DEBATE, pg. 4



1992-93 MUENSTER HIGH School Who's Who winners were, l to rt., front, Marlene Hess, Chelby Schoppa, Darlene Hess, Dianne Pagel, Allison Klement, Kerri Barnhill; back, Amy Otto, Kenneth Walterscheid, Darren Bindel, Justin Hartman, Mike Hacker, Ashley Hartman and Lori Graham. Watch next week's Muenster Enterprise for more pictures and story on Muenster's All Awards Banquet which was held Tuesday night.

Janie Hartman Photo

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:
The Texas Legislature is now planning to consolidate our schools. I have recently received a letter from Ric Williamson stating that our Legislature knows this would not be in the best interest of the students. He says, "Mega-school districts such as Dallas and Houston cannot be responsive to the individual child and parent on a neighborhood basis, yet the Legislature does not finance schools in a way to encourage these mega-districts to subdivide into more efficient and effective organizations."

If our representatives recognize that the smaller schools are more responsive, efficient, and effective, why are they now planning to consolidate our schools?
Please write your representative in Austin now! Tell him how you feel about this issue. Ric Williamson's address is: P.O. Box 2910, Austin, Texas 78768-2910.
Sincerely,
Gail Drachenberg
520 N. Main
Muenster, TX 76252

Dear Editor:
Many people have very good ideas on ways to improve Germanfest, but don't know where or to whom the ideas can be made public. On Wednesday evening, May 19, the Chamber is having a meeting which is open to the public to hear your ideas or complaints.
The Chamber's role in Germanfest is to be a catalyst to help local businesses and civic organizations make money. It also funds the Chamber office and promotion of the community throughout the year. Funds earned by civic groups go to build tennis courts, send boy scouts to camp, provide money to Love Funds for the needy, and much, much more.
Your input at this meeting is important to improving the Germanfest so these civic groups and businesses continue to prosper in Muenster. It also is a forum where complaints can be heard so problems can be handled properly. The meeting location is upstairs in The Center and begins promptly at 7:30 p.m. Make plans to attend on Wednesday, May 19.
Sincerely,
Margie Starke
Chamber Secretary

If you are concerned about pending legislation pertaining to our public schools and would like to voice your opinion CALL your Representative Toll Free 1 (800) 580-4885

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Dear Muenster Home Front,
Australia is still here and so am I! Just this last week, I've really gotten a kick out of some of the things I've heard the locals say. I thought I'd heard just about enough Aussie talk to get used to it, but I'm still taken aback now and again at their pronunciation of words, and they are similarly astounded at the awesomeness of the Texas language. But there is a bit of give and take in all this. Whereas my accent hasn't changed all that much, I have started using some Aussie words and phrases like "muckin' around" (messing around) and "stuffin' up" (messing up) and "stuffed" (tired). However, it has been reported that some of my teammates are starting to take on a bit of a Texas accent. I reckon that's okay in my book. It really is quite hilarious sometimes watching this whole language thing go on.

We've finished our parish mission week here in St. Agatha's in Cranbourne. It turned out to be a series of retreats through the week, one for K-6 children-type students, one for 7-9 graders, one for 10-12 graders and young adults, and then one for families as families. Probably the most amazing thing that happened for us as a team was the feedback we got from one particular individual who had gone to our family retreat. She was 63 years old, a staunch God-fearing Catholic, very faithful to the Church. She told us that through all this and all the time she had been worshipping God, she never had known or realized that she could not only fear and worship God, but that God was also lovable, that through Jesus the Son, she could also have God in her heart as a friend, that she could really love God, too. This lady was so joyful and excited about it all, she just couldn't hardly even speak about it! She urged us all as a team to never quit what we're doing, but to continue showing people that the Father, Son and Spirit are real and can be personal as well as "out there somewhere too big to imagine." Her face was just beaming and I could tell that she was not faking all this. It's times like these that make any hard times on NET more than worth it. One word, the Easter word, pretty well sums up the feeling at times like this: HALLELUJAH!

I don't recall ever telling y'all what a typical NET day was like. I told y'all about a training day in Toowoomba, but that was different. Well, one thing is that we are committed to having at least 45 minutes of personal prayer a day. This usually happens in the morning, because otherwise the day takes over and 45 minutes are hard to come by. We also have team prayer which will last 20-40 minutes, depending on the day. In that, we sing, share Biblical texts, share personal stories, do intercessory prayer, give thanks, give praise, be silent, etc. as a team (so the title, team prayer). On retreat days, we do retreat prayer, which is offering up all our gifts and talents and the retreat to God before it even begins. We schedule out the retreat together, filling in what songs, skits, dramas, etc. to use in the schedule made up by the retreat leader. The retreat comes and goes. Then we'll critique parts of it, fine tuning the skits, dramas, talks, games, etc. for next time. On days with short or no retreats, we might also throw in a drama practice, or skit practice, or music practice for an hour or two. Then there are days when we have men's and women's sessions, when guys talk over things amongst themselves and girls do the same. There's a bit more, but space in this letter says no, so I'll bid y'all auf Wiedersehen bis zur nächsten Woche. God bless you all.

Eric B. Gray
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Fortitude Valley,
Queensland
Australia 4006



GARRY FETSCH with the plaque he just accepted at the Upper Elm Soil Conservation Banquet. He was the winner in Zone 3. Family members surrounding Gerry are seated, left to right, Kelly Fetsch, Susan Fetsch, Christine Fetsch and standing Paul Fetsch, Janet Fetsch, and Marcella Fetsch.
Janie Hartman Photo

Co-op's president elected to Brazos Electric board

Forty-six employees of Brazos Electric Cooperative of Waco were honored for their service to the organization at Brazos Electric's 52nd annual meeting April 28 at the Waco Convention Center.

Election of directors and officers highlighted the morning business session, and a luncheon program followed in the Brazos Room of the Waco Convention Center. Re-elected officers of the cooperative were Sam Houston of Itasca, president; John Hartgraves of Hamilton, vice-president; and Robert T. Lewis Jr. of Gainesville, secretary-treasurer. Lewis is president of Cooke County Electric Cooperative in Muenster. Richard E. McCaskill is Brazos Electric's executive vice-president and general manager.

Muenster city judge attends conference, accepted at Harvard

Muenster Municipal Judge Chris Kepler will attend a state-sponsored conference in Houston May 20 and 21. Conference seminars are arranged by the Texas Municipal Courts Training Center in Austin, and all municipal judges throughout Texas are required by the Texas Supreme Court to attend these seminars once a year in order to be validly certified by the state. Seminar topics center around explanations of new laws passed by the State Legislature and various interpretations and rulings of case law given by the State's Appellate and Supreme Courts. Although hotel accommodations will be paid for by the state, due to a significant reduction in state funding this year, the conference will not be paying evening meals for the judge, nor travel expenses. Muenster Municipal Judge Chris Kepler has been accepted for Harvard Law School's Program of

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A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: The annual sale of Buddy Poppies by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States has been officially recognized and endorsed by governmental leaders since 1922; and
WHEREAS: VFW Buddy Poppies are assembled by disabled veterans, and the proceeds of this worthy fundraising campaign are used exclusively for the benefit of disabled and needy veterans, and the widows and orphans of deceased veterans; and
WHEREAS: The basic purpose of the annual sale of Buddy Poppies by the Veterans of Foreign Wars is eloquently reflected in the desire to "Honor the Dead by Helping the Living;" therefore
I, William J. Miller, Mayor of the city of Muenster, Texas, do hereby urge the citizens of this community to recognize the merits of this cause by contributing generously to its support through the purchase of Buddy Poppies on the day set aside for the distribution of these symbols of appreciation for the sacrifices of our honored dead.
I urge all patriotic citizens to wear a Buddy Poppy as mute evidence of our gratitude to the men of this country who have risked their lives in defense of the freedoms which we continue to enjoy as American citizens.

Attested: Celine Dittfurth
City Clerk

/s/ William J. Miller
Mayor

Runoff election set for June 5 to name U.S. Senator

by Elaine Schadt
Local voters will be heading back to the polls June 5 to make a final decision on whether Republican Kay Bailey Hutchison or Democrat Bob Krueger will be the next U. S. Senator representing Texas. The special runoff election will be the only item on the ballot.
Early voting will begin Wednesday, May 19, at the Cooke County Clerk's Office on the first floor of the Courthouse in Gainesville. Early ballots may be cast during regular office hours from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. through June 1. Voters are reminded that the Courthouse will be closed on May 31 for Memorial Day. The County Clerk's Office is taking applications for mail ballots. The last day to apply for a mail ballot is May 28.



ROBERT LEWIS presents a watch to Mary Kay Trubenbach to honor her 25 years of service to Cooke County Electric Cooperative at the recent annual meeting. Lewis praised Mrs. Trubenbach, currently the Cooperative's bookkeeper, as a competent and versatile employee.
Photo courtesy CCEC

Hutchison took a surprising first-place finish during a May 1 special election which saw a field of 24 candidates. She narrowly bested Krueger by 99 votes. Both received around 600,000 votes to qualify for the runoff. Each received 28.77 percent of the vote out of approximately 2 million votes cast. Hutchison is hoping to garner many of the votes cast for U. S. Congressman Joe Barton in the runoff. Barton, a strong pro-life candidate, did better than expected statewide and actually beat out both finalists in Cooke County.

CCAD sends out property appraisal notices

Cooke County Appraisal District mailed 1993 appraisal notices for Oil/Gas properties on Wednesday, May 5, 1993. The CCAD will be mailing notices around May 20 to all Personal Property accounts, and all Real Property accounts that have changed from 1992 to 1993. Cooke County Appraisal District is running an ad on page 3 of this edition of *The Muenster Enterprise* that explains the procedures for a taxpayer to follow in order to protest and appeal actions of Cooke County Appraisal District.

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All present and former students and all her friends are invited to come by and honor Anna prior to her retirement from teaching at Sacred Heart School

2 WEEK EVENTS CALENDAR To list your event, call 759-4311 BEFORE NOON WEDNESDAY!

Sunday, May 16	Monday, May 17 SH Sr. Awards Banquet 7 p.m.	Tuesday, May 18	Wednesday, May 19 MISD Kindergarten Graduation 7 p.m.	Thursday, May 20 Ascension Thursday SH - No School	Friday, May 21 MHS Graduation MISD report cards issued MISD Dismisses 2:30 p.m. Last Day of School	Saturday, May 22
Sunday, May 23	Monday, May 24	Tuesday, May 25	Wednesday, May 26 VFW Gin Toumey, 7 p.m. SH Pre-School/Kindergarten Moving On Ceremony MMH Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.	Thursday, May 27 SH 8th Grade Graduation MMH Auxiliary 7:30 p.m. VFW Gin Toumey 7 p.m.	Friday, May 28 SHHS Graduation SH Last Day of School Dismiss 2:30 p.m.	Saturday, May 29

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Ursula Herr, 84, dies on May 6

Ursula Sophia Herr died in Muenster Memorial Hospital on May 6, 1993 at 7:30 a.m. following a lengthy illness. For the past several years, she was a resident at St. Richard's Villa.

She was born on June 1, 1908 to Mike Koelzer and Matilda Luke Koelzer in Mt. Carmel, Texas near Electra. They returned to Muenster in 1917. In 1925, the family moved to Hereford, Texas.

On April 18, 1928, she married Johnny Herr in St. Anthony's Church of Hereford. In 1933, they moved to Muenster. Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Bill (Eugenia) Brown of Dallas, Mrs. Leonard (Ann) Bengfort of Gainesville, Mrs. Therese Pettigrew of Sherman, Mrs. Jimmy (Irene Patricia) Brown of Sapulpa, Oklahoma, Mrs. Tony (Alma) Marr of Elizabethtown, Kentucky; and one son, Richard Herr, and his wife, Anna, of Muenster.

Also, one sister, Marcy Koelzer of Denver, Colorado; and two sisters-in-law, Ida Mae Herr of Muenster and June Koelzer of Hereford; and one brother, Werner Koelzer, and his wife, Betty, of Hereford. There are 26 grandchildren and 37 great-grandchildren.

Ursula Herr was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Johnny Herr, on Sept. 23, 1972; one daughter, Mary Herr; one son, John Michael Herr; two brothers, Nick of St. Louis, Missouri and Meinrad of Hereford; three sisters, Sister Regina Koelzer, SA, of Graymoor, New York, Adeline Vance of Hereford and Gertrude Koettel of Phoenix, Arizona and Hereford. Also, one son-in-law, Earl Sheppard Sr. of Dallas; and one daughter-in-law, Joyce Herr of Muenster.

She was a loving wife, mother, sister and grandmother, a homemaker and a seamstress and member of St. Anne's Society and Sacred Heart Parish.

Ursula was able to travel to New York with her sister, Marcy, to attend the golden anniversary of Sister Regina. She also toured Vancouver, British Columbia when Pope John Paul was there in 1986. With her daughter, Ann Bengfort, and grandson, Joe Bengfort, she



URSULA HERR

attended Sister Regina's funeral in Graymoor, New York.

Mass of Christian Burial was held on Saturday, May 8, at 10 a.m. in Sacred Heart Church, officiated by Father Victor Gillespie, OSB, Father Camillus Cooney, OSB, and Father Joe Weinzapfel. Also in the sanctuary was a grandson of Ursula Herr, Rev. Wayne Sheppard of Houston, who read "A Tribute to My Grandmother" after Mass.

Readings of the funeral Mass were given by Angie Bengfort, a great-granddaughter; Prayers of the Faithful were offered by Joe Bengfort of The colony, a grandson. Offertory gifts were presented by John and Jennie Bengfort, great-grandchildren. Eucharistic Minister assisting Father Victor Gillespie and Father Camillus Cooney was Dorothy Bengfort.

Music ministers were Ruth Felderhoff, organist, and vocalists Christy Hesse, offering "Amazing Grace," "Song of the Good Shepherd," "Alleluia, the Strife is Over," "I Am the Bread of Life," "Song of the Angels" and "On Eagles' Wings."

Burial in Sacred Heart Cemetery was under direction of McCoy Funeral Home. Rosary service was held on Friday, May 7, at 4 p.m. in the McCoy Chapel and Vigil at 7:30 p.m.

Pallbearers were grandsons Mike Bengfort, Earl Sheppard Jr., Tim Pettigrew, John Herr, Bobby Wilson and Joe Best.

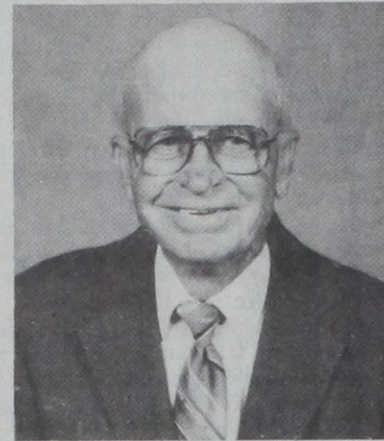
Among relatives who attended from out of town were Werner Koelzer of Hereford; Alma, Mrs. Tony Marr and Michelle and Joe Best and small daughter Lauren of Elizabethtown, Kentucky.

Services held May 11 for Joe Sicking

Mass of Christian Burial was offered for Joseph Hubert Sicking on Tuesday, May 11, at 10 a.m. in Sacred Heart Church, officiated by Father Victor Gillespie, OSB, and Father Camillus Cooney, OSB.

Sicking died in Muenster Memorial Hospital on May 9, 1993 about 4:15 a.m., following a lengthy illness.

He was born on Aug. 19, 1916 in Muenster to Bernard (Ben) Sicking and Mary Felderhoff Sicking. He attended Sacred Heart School and was a farmer until 1941 when he was drafted into military service, and served in the Pacific Theater for 3-1/2 years. Upon return home, he was employed as an electrician by Cooke County Electric Co-op, where he worked for 41 years. In retirement, he enjoyed his garden



JOE SICKING

and his yard and his grandchildren. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus, the Muenster VFW, Sacred Heart Parish, and was a committeeman and an adult leader for the Muenster Boy Scout Troop #664.

Joe H. Sicking was married to the former Hilda Becker in Sacred Heart Church on Aug. 29, 1946. Survivors include his wife, Hilda; and their children, five daughters, Dolores Stark of Irving, Ann Sicking of Arlington, Eileen Sicking of Muenster, Rose Sicking of Arlington and Sharon Swirczynski of Grapevine; and three sons, Robert of Arlington, Chris and Joe L. of Muenster. Also two sisters, Mrs. Ray Klement and Mrs. Ollie Rohmer, both of Muenster; and five brothers, Bernard, Leo and Ollie, all of Muenster, Paul of Myra and Ernest of Lauren, South Carolina. There are six grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by three brothers, Martin, Frank and Ed Sicking.



RIBBON CUTTING at Muenster's newest business was held on May 14 for Rock Creek Farm and its owners, Janie and Paul Valentine. Shown are, l to r, Gary Fisher, Jim Gehrig, John Fisher, Butch Fisher, Janie and Paul Valentine and Margie Starke. A Grand Opening celebration is scheduled soon. Meanwhile, an invitation encourages everyone to come in and see many displays.

Janie Hartman Photo

'Fest debriefing set for May 19

A debriefing meeting for the 1993 Germanfest will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the upstairs of the Center Restaurant on Wednesday, May 19. Anybody who has any

constructive ideas, problems that need correcting, complaints, etc. are encouraged to attend and discuss changes.

Tickets for Cooke County Chorale program available at the Muenster Enterprise

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We would like to express our sincere thanks for all the prayers, masses, cards, flowers and loving support shown during the illness and death of our husband and dad, Joe Sicking. A special thanks to Dr. Antonetti, Dr. Tompkins, nurses and staff at the Muenster Memorial Hospital. A special thanks to Father Victor and Father Camillus. Thanks to the Catholic Daughters for the dinner and Knights of Columbus for use of the hall. We are grateful to our family, friends and neighbors and ask God to bless you all.



Hilda and family

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Property Tax Protest and Appeal Procedures

The law gives property owners the right to protest actions concerning their property tax appraisals. You may follow these appeal procedures if you have a concern about:

- the value placed on your property
- any exemptions that may apply to you
- the cancellation of an agricultural appraisal
- the taxable status of your property
- the local governments which should be taxing your property
- any action taken by the appraisal district that adversely affected you.

Informal Review

You should contact Cooke County Appraisal District at 817-665-7651. This is the proper place to correct any clerical errors or miscalculations. A member of the appraisal staff will review your property record with you. The appraiser will make an adjustment if you show that an error has been made in describing your property that significantly affects its value. If there is a significant difference between the data on your property record card and the state of your property, the appraiser can then schedule another inspection and review your property. In some cases, where the person appealing presents factual evidence, an adjustment can be made without inspection and review.

Review by the Appraisal Review Board

If you can't resolve your problem informally with the appraisal district staff, you may have your case heard by the appraisal review board (ARB).

The ARB is an independent board of citizens that reviews problems with appraisals or other concerns listed above. It has the power to order the appraisal district to make the necessary changes to solve problems. If you file a written request for an ARB hearing (called a notice of protest) before the deadline, the ARB will set your case for a hearing. You'll receive written notice of the time, date and place of the hearing. The hearing will be informal. You and the appraisal district representative will be asked to present evidence about your case. The ARB will make its decision based on the evidence presented. You can get a copy of a protest form from the appraisal district office at 200 W. California, Gainesville, Texas.

Note: you shouldn't try to contact ARB members outside of the hearing. The law requires ARB members to sign an affidavit saying that they haven't talked about your case before the ARB hears it.

Review by the District Court

After it decides your case, the ARB must send you a copy of its order by certified mail. If you're not satisfied with the decision, you have the right to appeal to district court. If you choose to go to court, you must start the process by filing a petition within 45 days of the date you receive the ARB's order. If the appraisal district has appraised your property at \$1,000,000 or more, you must file a notice of appeal with the chief appraiser within 15 days of the date you receive the ARB's order.

More information

You can get more information by contacting your appraisal district at Cooke County Appraisal District, Gainesville, Texas, Phone #817-665-7651. You can also get a pamphlet describing how to prepare a protest from the appraisal district or from the State Comptroller's Property Tax Division at 4301 Westbank Drive, Building B, Suite 100, Austin, Texas 78746-6565.

Deadline for Filing Protests with the ARB*

Usual Deadline

On or before May 31 (or 30 days after a notice of appraised value was mailed to you, whichever is later).

Late protests are allowed if you miss the usual deadline for good cause. Good cause is some reason beyond your control, like a medical emergency. The ARB decides whether you have good cause. Late protests are due the day before the appraisal review board approves records for the year. Contact your appraisal district for more information.

Special Deadlines

For change of use (the appraisal district informed you that you are losing agricultural appraisal because you changed the use of your land), the deadline is before the 30th day after the notice of the determination was mailed to you.

For ARB changes (the ARB has informed you of a change that increases your tax liability and the change didn't result from a protest you filed), the deadline is before the 30th day after the notice of the determination was mailed to you.

If you believe the appraisal district or ARB should have sent you a notice and did not, you may file a protest until the day before taxes become delinquent (usually February 1). The ARB decides whether it will hear your case based on evidence about whether a required notice was mailed to you.

*The deadline is postponed to the next business day if it falls on a weekend or holiday.

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Lifestyle

May 8 ceremony unites couple



MRS. JACK DANGLMAYR
...nee Denise Fuhrmann...

Denise Fuhrmann of Denton became the bride of Jack Dangelmayer of Muenster in a Nuptial Mass celebrated in St. Peter's Catholic Church in Lindsay on May 8, 1993 with a double-ring ceremony, officiated by Father Stephen Eckart, OSB, at 5 p.m. St. Peter's of Lindsay is the bride's home parish and church.

The bride is the daughter of Erwin and Clara Fuhrmann of Rt. 2, Gainesville. She is a graduate of Lindsay High School and Texas Woman's University and is a therapeutic specialist employed at Denton Regional Medical Center.

The groom is the son of Albert and Betty Dangelmayer of Rt. 2, Muenster. He is a graduate of Sacred Heart High School and attended Cooke County College. He is a rancher in the Muenster area.

The Unity candle centered the altar, with additional candles, to be lit by the couple to special music.

Given in marriage by her father, in a setting provided by bouquets of lilies and ivory flowers, lighted candles on the altar and votive candles on the communion rail, the bride was wearing a formal gown of ivory taffeta fashioned with a beaded sabinina neckline. The fitted dropped-waist bodice was heavily beaded with iridescent sequins and seed pearls, and the back bodice was highlighted with a deep V neckline, and a candy box bow at the waist. Long sleeves of taffeta were enhanced with heavily beaded lace appliques and tapered to a point at the wrist. The softly-gathered full skirt was accented with a beaded lace motif at slipper length in front; scattered lace appliques highlighted the cathedral-length train.

ATTENDANTS

Laura Fuhrmann of Lindsay, bride's sister, was maid of honor, wearing a tea-length pink taffeta dress designed with sabinina neckline, deep V in back and a candy box bow at the back waist. Puffed sleeves were accented with rhinestones. The skirt was tapered.

She carried a bouquet of silk pink and ivory roses.

Megan Dangelmayer, groom's niece, was flower girl and Nathan Hermes, bride's nephew, was ring bearer.

James Dangelmayer of Muenster stood with his brother as best man.

Ushers were Ted Fuhrmann and Arnold Fuhrmann, both of Lindsay and brothers of the bride, and John Dangelmayer of Muenster, brother of the groom.

Mass servers were Keith Fuhrmann and Aaron Fuhrmann, bride's cousins.

Wedding music was provided by David Cloutier organist, Rafael Briones guitarist and Kelli Briones vocalist. Sacred songs included "The Wedding Prayer," "Canticle of the Bride," "Bonded Together," "First Family," "El-Shaddai," "How Beautiful," "I Will Be Here" and "Breath of Heaven."

Others taking part in the wedding liturgy were Barbara Fuhrmann with Readings from the Old and New Testament; Judy Flusche offering Prayers of the Faithful; Karen Davis, Dianne Hermes and Dorothy Hartman as Eucharistic Ministers. Mothers of the bride and groom presented Offertory gifts at the altar.

RECEPTION

A reception followed in the new Lindsay Centennial Hall hosted by the bride and groom for 250 guests. Decorations featured a twilight garden enhanced with ficus trees, tiny crystal lights, vine-covered

lattice for a trellis effect. The hall was adorned with roses in shades of pink and blush in ballroom-style arrangements.

Cathie and Francis Fuhrmann of The Farmer's Kitchen catered the dinner and wedding cakes and provided decorations.

Elizabeth Baker, bride's sister, and Jami Flusche, groom's niece, presided at the guest book.

The bride's table was covered with white linen and tulle, centered with an arrangement of lilies, orchids, sweet peas on a mirror with candlelight.

A four-tiered romantic design wedding cake was decorated with handmade, delicately brushed roses and rosebuds surrounding the entire cake. An antique porcelain heirloom lovebirds figurine, brushed with gold leaf, was cameoed by a porcelain heart. The groom's two-tiered fudge cake was decorated with a hand-carved design reflecting the Dangelmayer Brothers ranch cattle brand. It was placed upon an antique oak barrel, encircled with vines and lariat rope.

Cake servers were Leah Hermes, Kimberly Hermes, Lauren Dangelmayer and Deann Dangelmayer.

Guest tables were decorated with hurricane lamps with brushed roses, tiny candles and mirrors.

The rehearsal dinner was held Sunday, May 2, at The Wooden Spoon Restaurant in Lindsay for the wedding party, immediate family, and musicians for the wedding.

Upon return from a wedding trip to Colorado, the couple will reside in Muenster.

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CC Chorale presents "Requiem" on May 23

The Cooke County Chorale will present its annual spring concert Sunday afternoon, May 23, at 4 p.m. in the sanctuary of the First Baptist Church of Gainesville, with "Requiem" by the contemporary English composer John Rutter. Rutter has become one of the most famous of late 20th century composers as his music is widely performed in churches of all denominations and in school and university choirs. "Requiem" is a beautiful lyric work combining the traditional Latin with English settings of the Requiem Mass text. The first performance was held on Oct. 13, 1985 at the Lovers Lane Methodist Church in Dallas.

The 50-voice Cooke County Chorale will be accompanied by

organ, harp, cello, oboe, flute, timpani and bells. Featured will be a boy soprano, Aaron Gonzales, singing the Pie Jesu movement. The Chorale is under the direction of Dr. Michael Linder with Mr. John Dill serving as organist. Dr. Martin Kralicke is president. The Cooke County Chorale is a member of the Cooke County Arts Council.

Tickets for the performance are \$2.00 for adults, children under 12 are free, and may be purchased from any Chorale member or by calling 665-2871. Members of the Chorale are extremely appreciative of the support of the entire Cooke County area in their desire to bring quality choral music to the public. Nine choir members are Muenster residents.

C.H. Christians honored

The day before Easter brought a special day for C.H. (Tip) and Ruth Christian when their family honored their 60th wedding anniversary. Held in the Oxford House in Stephenville and hosted by their children, the celebration began with a luncheon at 11 a.m. for immediate family members.

In attendance were Jim and Sandra Christian and Rickey and Jody Christian and their small children, Ryan and Hanna; Kevin and Ronda Christian and Casey, Cade and Ilon; and Chad Christian.

Also Bill and Dorothy Christian, and Jeff and Debbie Giles and their small children, Whitney, Hillary and infant Chase; Mike and Debbie Christian and their children Tara, Austin, Tess and Mara; and Donna Christian; and Barry and Toni Christian.

Also Fred Christian and Shannan and Brady Christian.

In attendance also was the sister of Ruth Christian, Ermina Dutton of Fort Worth.

Picture taking and touching tributes from the family added to the significance of the day.

The afternoon was spent in the home of Bill and Dorothy Christian in Stephenville, where the decorated anniversary cake was served with punch. The table centerpiece was a floral arrangement of white and yellow daisies, Ruth Christian's favorites.

An Easter egg hunt followed for the little children, continuing a family tradition of shells found with money inside, all made by Grandmother Ruth. A buffet dinner was held in the evening.

The Christians spent Friday and Saturday in Stephenville.



LEE THOMAS WALTERSCHEID

Lee is three!

Lee Walterscheid, son of Terry and Dianne Walterscheid celebrated his third birthday on Sunday, May 9.

Family members gathered for the noon meal at the home of Willie and Queenie Walterscheid. Lee's grandparents After the meal, gifts and cards were opened, photos taken and birthday cake served. The cake was decorated with bright primary colors and three horses on the top.

The entire day was filled with excitement for Lee and also for all the mothers, being this day was also Mother's Day.

Those present that day were: Lee's parents, Terry and Dianne Walterscheid and brothers Casey, Tyler, and Jordan; grandparents, Willie and Queenie Walterscheid, and Martin and Betty Kralicke; great grandmother LaVerne Homsley of Fort Worth; Kim and Lisa Walterscheid and sons Dustin, Bret and Garrett; Barbara Traweek; Brian and Mindy Coughenour and their children April, Shelton, Calvin and Ben.

Youth Theater workshop

The Butterfield Stage Players and Cooke County College will team up again this summer to produce their annual Young People's Theatre Workshop. The workshop will be held July 6 through July 31 with classes and rehearsals held at Cooke County College Monday through Thursday from 2 to 5 p.m.

A musical version of Rudyard Kipling's *Just So Stories* will be produced at the end of the workshop on July 29, 30 and 31 at 7 p.m. Cost of the summer workshop is \$45.00 which includes program T-shirt and costume.

A limited number of scholarships will be made available by BSP. For more information about registration or the scholarship, call the theater at 665-8152. Scholarship forms must be submitted to the BSP by May 17.

Schedule of Meetings

Diabetic Support Group

The Cooke County Diabetic Support Group will meet Tuesday, May 18, at 7:30 p.m. in the Gainesville Memorial Hospital Conference Room. Dr. Michael Metzger, podiatrist, will present a program on "Foot Care." All interested persons are welcome. For more information, call Joan Walterscheid at 759-2271.

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MRS. DANIEL BENNETT TRULY
...nee Natalie Jo English...

English, Truly exchange vows May 1

The wedding of Natalie Jo English and Daniel Bennett Truly of Los Angeles, California was held in First United Methodist Church of Gainesville on May 1 at 2 p.m. The church was selected because it was there that the bride's parents were married 31 years ago and because this year is the 100th birthday of the church. Just preceding the recitation of vows, the minister made note of the sentimental date in a most touching manner. Officiating for the Christian ceremony and double-ring vows was Rev. Jim Dorf of the Methodist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Wallace and Barbara English of Muenster.

The groom is the son of Vice Admiral (VADM) Richard H. and Colleen Truly of Atlanta, Georgia.

A 1982 graduate of Denton High School and a 1986 graduate of the University of Texas with an Accounting degree, the bride is an accountant in the entertainment industry in Los Angeles.

A 1981 graduate of Clear Lake High School in Houston and a 1985 graduate of the University of Texas with a Film major, the groom is an independent screen writer.

Presented at the altar by her father, Wallace English, the bride was wearing her mother's wedding gown of candlelight peau de soie designed with appliques of lace and pearls, with bateau neckline and long sleeves. The envelope skirt formed an aisle-wide train. Her veil was held in place by a crown of crystals and pearls. Special satin shoes added her special touch. She carried a bouquet of fully-opened white roses with pale pink ribbon and lace.

ATTENDANTS

Stacy Hatch of Los Angeles, the bride's college roommate who introduced the couple, was the maid of honor, wearing a flowing ivory chiffon gown designed with floral appliques. She carried a nosegay of hyacinths and snapdragons.

Andrew Dettmann, a friend of the groom, was best man. Groomsmen were James Ammons of Webster, Texas; Blake English, bride's brother, of Las Colinas; and Mike Truly, groom's brother, of League City, Texas. Candelighters were Burt Bailey of Dallas and Scott Andrews of Burbank, California.

A Scripture Reading from The Song of Solomon, Ch. 2, vs. 10-13, and Ch. 8, vs. 6-7, was read by John Magee.

Wedding music, presented by the "Shelley Markowski Strings," a four-piece string ensemble, presented wedding music, including Bach's "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring," as mothers were seated; "Pacubel's Canon in D" as attendants entered and the traditional Wedding March for the bride's entrance; and the recessional from "Midsummer Night's Dream." A vocal solo, "Secret Wedding," was sung by Phyllis Thomas, with her own piano accompaniment.

Church decorations included the altar delicately backed by a cloud-like profusion of candlelight tulle, lace, pearls, mauve roses and ivory pillar candles. A pewter Unity candle holder and lighted candle graced the altar, and garlands of sweetly scented delicate dried flowers entwined the altar railing.

Large candles were placed in front of the stained glass windows, on tables covered with crocheted cloths, encircled with tulle and mauve roses. Nosegays of mauve roses, tulle and silk ribbon marked pews. Guests registered at an antique table enhanced with fresh white roses, pearls and lace on a crocheted cloth made by the bride's grandmother, Amy Barron.

Special guests were the bride's grandparents, Casey and Jo English, and Amy Barron, all of Gainesville, and the groom's parents, Colleen and Richard Truly of Atlanta.

RECEPTION

A reception was hosted by the bride's parents at their ranch home south of Muenster for more than 150 guests.

Sarah Sherman of Los Angeles presided at the bride's book.

Guests arrived to the garden side of the house where a floral arrangement of turtle and bird held special significance for the bride and groom. A string ensemble played classical music on the second-story balcony. The covered patio was decorated with twig furniture entwined with candlelight silk roses and tulle. Here, guests were served fruit, cheeses, crackers, hazelnut coffee and citrus punch. Cathie and Francis Fuhrmann, of the Farmer's Kitchen, catered all the appetizers, drinks and the full buffet dinner later in the evening. The memorable rural scene was enhanced by hummingbirds and blooming wildflowers surrounding the house.

The front porch held hunter green furniture and huge sunflowers, with parchment paintings of the love story of the turtle and the bird written by the groom for his bride. Here, the Fuhrmanns served bellinis and margaritas. The back patio was decorated with pink roses and many pots of fresh flowers and hanging baskets. Here, dinner was served. The buffet table held a magnificent array of hors d'oeuvres, fruits, vegetables, shrimp, four meats, mini-puff sandwiches, dips, salsas, croissant pastries and many other choices.

Assisting in the house party were Amy Rosson of Gainesville; Kelly Yarbrough of Tulsa, Oklahoma; Sarah Sherman of Los Angeles; Joe Yarbrough of Tulsa and Blake English of Las Colinas.

The bride's cake was a romantic design created by the bride - a three-tiered confection surrounded with clusters of handmade flowers and ribbons in a nosegay effect. The hand-painted keepsake ornament for the top layer was a confection duplicate of "FA" and "PA," the couple's lovebirds. The cake rested in a nest of tulle which held tiny mushroom birds.

The groom selected a unique decoration of a Tyrannosaurus Rex dinosaur on his fudge torte cake. Rolled fondant formed a volcano with hand-dipped chocolate truffles and chocolate-dipped strawberries and gumdrop rocks.

After the couple cut their wedding cakes, the best man stood on the balcony steps to propose a toast, as friends and family surrounded the bride and groom.

Guests were invited to view a video shown previously at the rehearsal dinner and prepared by the groom, enjoyed again during the reception, either with emotional tears or great laughter. Even the family pets were evident at the party, all in formal attire.

Blessed with most favorable weather for the wedding, bride, groom, family and friends enjoyed "A day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it!"

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents on April 30 at the Main Street Pub.

Upon return from a wedding trip to Maui, the couple will reside in Los Angeles.

PEP Program available to child-care providers

by Evelyn Yeatts, County Extension Agent-H.E.

Child-care providers in the Cooke County area have the opportunity to learn how to use KERA Channel 13's Sesame Street Preschool Educational Program (PEP) Initiative in a special one-day training class. The class to be held on Saturday, June 12, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. is being co-sponsored by the Cooke County Extension Service, Red River Child Care Food Program and KERA. The class will be in the Gainesville Area Chamber of Commerce Meeting Room located at 101 South Culberson.

The June 12 class will familiarize child-care providers with the Sesame Street PEP Initiative's two main components: the "Sesame Street" television series, and PEP's storybook reading program. Providers are first trained to view "Sesame Street" segments actively with their children and to use learning materials and activities that reinforce the concepts in the program. Second, the child-care providers are trained in selecting quality children's books and reading aloud to their children to prepare them for art, music or drama activities that are related to the books.

The class promises to give new ideas for summer child care and throughout the year.

Participants will receive a six-hour Certificate of Training recognized by the Texas Department of Human Services.

Ms. Mendy Daage, trainer for the Sesame Street PEP Initiative at KERA Channel 13, will be conducting the class. Ms. Daage is the founder and president of the Professional Child Care Association in Carrollton.

The Sesame Street PEP Initiative is a joint project of KERA Channel 13, the Dallas Foundation for Health, Education and Research and Children's Television Workshop which also developed the materials used in the program. Seventy-three broadcast organizations representing 153 public television stations throughout the nation are implementing the project.

There is a \$10 registration fee to participate in the class. A Play and Learn Activity Book is also available for \$20 to supplement the training and allow child-care providers to get the most benefit from the training.

To register for the workshop or to learn more about it, call Mrs. Evelyn Yeatts, County Extension Agent, at 668-5412.

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Veteran enthralled history class

Mr. Ray Voth, a veteran of the Pacific Campaign in World War II, gave a talk to the Sacred Heart School U.S. History class on his experiences in the war while in the 1st Marine Division. Mr. Voth's down-to-earth, tell-it-like-it-is style brought to life names and places the class had just finished studying, such as Guadalcanal, Okinawa and Saipan.

At the end of the presentation, Mr. Voth handled some tough questions from the audience. One

student asked if he felt the U.S. was justified in dropping the A bombs on Japan. Mr. Voth stated that it probably saved a million American lives, and he described some of the suicidal fanaticism that awaited American GI's if they landed on the home islands. Another student asked about daily living conditions and food. Mr. Voth described the Pacific Islands as "hot, wet, smelly hells" with meager rations. On occasion to supplement their food supply, soldiers in his unit would throw grenades in the ocean and then would have a tropical fish bake.

It was a memorable eyewitness account of the duty, hardship and daring that rescued the Pacific World from Japanese domination, and it ignited a sense of pride in the sophomores in attendance as they realized that Mr. Voth and 35 other Muenster residents served their country with distinction.

NOTICE!

A Cemetery Working will be held on Saturday, May 15, meeting at the Era Community Center at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. for the Pollard-Gregory Cemetery south of Era. For more information, call Edith Cowling, 665-3654.

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NOTICE!

Knights of Columbus German Fun Run Debriefing Meeting will be held Wednesday, May 19, at 5 p.m. in the KC Hall.

Anyone with any ideas, suggestions, comments or complaints are urged to come and share with the group.

"Let's make next year's event even greater! See you there!" says Ben Bindel, Fun Run Committee Chairman.

Elementary students receive recognition at banquet

An Elementary Awards Banquet was held on April 29 to honor the Muenster ISD students in grades 1 through 6. Attending were students, parents, and teachers.

Doris Muller, Muenster P.T.O. president, served as Master of Ceremonies. She was introduced by Dolly Patel.

Clifford Sicking, Muenster ISD board members welcomed guests, David Jones offered the invocation and Stephanie Bierschenk gave the response.

Gwen Trubench, elementary principal, introduced the teachers. The teachers presented awards to their students.

Receiving gold medals for A Honor Roll in First grade were Deann Dangelmayr, Joseph Dangelmayr, Kyle Endres, Chelsea Felderhoff, Robyn Hermes, Kristian Koesler, Kristi McAden, and Daniel Russell.

Bronze Medal recipients for B Honor Roll were first grade students Andrew Cherry, Diana Felderhoff, Michael Groff, Bridgett Klement, Martha Knabe, Nathan Sicking, John Sturm, Justin Thweatt, Alisha Walterscheid, Cameron Walterscheid, and Matthew Yosten.

Special Awards were given to first graders Justin Barnhill, Hard Worker; Krystal Black, Reading; Jared Britain, Handwriting; Kirk Hartman, Mathematics; Ubaldo Maldonado, Reading; and Nicholas Fleitman, Gives 100%. First grade teachers are Sheila Jones and Darla Lile.

Second grade teachers, Melinda Fuhrmann and Lisa Hettler presented awards to their students.

A Honor Roll students accepting gold medals were Ricky Endres, Kami Klement, Megan Lippe, and Tyler Walterscheid.

Medals went to those achieving B Honor Roll: Shane Barnhill, Amanda Felderhoff, Mitchell Felderhoff, Karl Fisher, Megan Grewing, Crystal Hacker, Shanna Jones, Wesley Koelzer, Ashley Sicking, Cindy Tempel, Mark Moster, Jennifer Ashley, Raney Bauer, Jami Gersberger, Dewayne Montgomery, Christopher Rains, and Dustin Walterscheid.

Special certificates were awarded to Shane Barnhill, Reading; Megan Grewing, Responsibility; Crystal Hacker, Math Whiz; Jonathan Sicking, Hard Worker; Shelton Coughenour, Achievement; Tiffany Rangel, Penmanship; Kyle Fuhrmann, Outstanding Reader; and Amanda Fenton, Academic Achievement.

Second graders with perfect attendance received certificates. They were Jennifer Ashley, Dustin Walterscheid, Tyler Walterscheid, and Cindy Tempel.

Bronze medals were earned by B Honor Roll students Lacy Endres, Krystal Hale, Kevin Hermes, Nathan Hess, Kimberly Klement, Crystal Lutkenhaus, Daniel Rohmer, Shanelle Spakes, and Jason Vogel.

Receiving certificates for special achievements were Bradley Felderhoff, Artistic Ability; Stephanie Hellman, Hard Work and Good Grades; Tracy Hess, Reading; Krystal Knabe, Hard Worker; Chris Luttmeyer, All Around Good Kid; Steven Boaz, Always Willing To Help; Joshua David, Best New Kid in the Class; Brittany Haverkamp, Helping Hand; Travis Sicking, Athletic; Toby Walterscheid, Most Organized; Chris Johnson, Most Improved; April Coughenour, Good Behavior; and Jessica Grargruth, Math Whiz.

Three third grade students had perfect attendance - Kevin Hermes, Pamela Lutkenhaus, and Jennifer Reid.

Fourth grade teacher, Theresa Walterscheid, presented gold medals to A Honor Roll students, Lauren Dangelmayr, Megan Hennigan, and Heidi Jones. Also bronze medals went to B Honor Roll students Diane Britain, Brandy Gilbreath, Malony Gieb, Kristie Lutkenhaus, and Bronya Vogel.

Six fourth graders had perfect attendance and received certificates. They were Joshua Ashley, Diane Britain, Kacie Garcia, Eric Knabe, Kristie Lutkenhaus, and Bronya Vogel.

Marjorie Alsop and Michelle Darling, fifth grader teachers presented awards to their students. Gold medals went to A Honor Roll students Allison Endres, Jackie Henscheid, Casey Walterscheid, Daren Hennigan, Jeffrey Klement, and Raegan Koesler.

B Honor roll medals were awarded to Justin Fleitman, Kristen Grewing, Jason Lutkenhaus, Bryan Miller, Jessica Schoppa, Randy Grewing, Craig Hartman, and Douglas Knabe.

Recognized for Perfect Attendance were Brandon Klement, Courtney Dittfurth, Justin Fleitman, Kristen Grewing, Jackie Henscheid, Bryan Miller, and Jonathan Reed.

Mary Dangelmayr and Bertha Jones, teachers for the sixth grade, made awards for their students. Those recognized for A Honor Roll with medals were Stephanie Bierschenk, Dolly Patel, David Jones, and Christy Drachenberg.

B Honor Roll medal winners were Amber Riddle, Brent Sicking, Mickie Thweatt, Matthew York, Melinda Fanning, and Mendy Gieb.

Perfect Attendance certificates went to Dolly Patel, Brent Sicking, and Justin Britain.

UIL medals and certificates were presented to the students who won or took part in this year's competition.

President's Physical Fitness awards were achieved by fifth grade students Kristen Grewing, Bryan Miller, Jonna Schneider, Jessica Schoppa, Casey Walterscheid, Polly Fette, Amanda Johnson, Jeffrey Klement, and Raegan Koesler.

Students in Grades 1 through 6 are eligible to try for the 600 Minute

Reading Club. They were challenged to read for 600 minutes (10 hours) between January 25 and March 5. The reward was a ticket for free admission to Six Flags Over Texas. Forty-seven students completed the required reading time and were presented with the tickets at the banquet.

Superintendent Steve Cooper spoke after the awards were distributed. Christy Drachenberg gave the closing benediction.



BEN LUKE of Denton and Annette Carroll of Grand Prairie have chosen June 12, 1993 as their wedding day. Their engagement and approaching marriage have been announced by her parents, John and Linda Carroll of Grand Prairie. The future-groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Luke of Gainesville and the late Dolores Luke. Father Eugene Luke, OSB, of Subiaco, uncle of the groom, will officiate at 3 p.m. in the Chapel of the Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth in Grand Prairie. The bride-elect is a 1984 graduate of Grand Prairie High School and a 1988 graduate of Stephen F. Austin State University and is a first grade teacher at Rayburn Elementary School in Grand Prairie ISD. The future-groom is a 1981 graduate of Muenster High School, a 1986 graduate of Stephen F. Austin State University and is employed as an engineering technician at Peterbilt Motor Co. in Denton.

Sacred Heart VBS June 14-18

Sacred Heart Parish's Vacation Bible School is being planned for the week of June 14-18. The theme is "Thy Kingdom Come." School will be held each weekday morning from 9 to 11:30 a.m.

Children who are four years of age by Sept. 1 to those who have completed the 4th grade will be involved in various activities included in "Thy Kingdom Come" program.

Those interested in having their

children participate in the program, or volunteers willing to help in some way, please fill out the enrollment form below and return it to the box at the back of church. If registering by mail, send forms to Ramona Felderhoff, 1044 N. Cedar, Muenster, Texas 76252. It is necessary to know how many children to expect, so please turn in forms as soon as possible. They must be in by May 24. Please, no late registrations!!

ENROLLMENT FORM

Child's Name _____

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Grade Level Next School Year _____ Date of Birth _____

Parents _____

Phone Number _____

Volunteers are urged to sign up now to help with Vacation Bible School. Contact Ramona Felderhoff, 759-2878 or Mary Endres, 759-4810 to volunteer. Forms must be returned by May 24.

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May 17 - 21

Mon. - Manager's Choice!
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Wed. - Oven Fried Chicken, potato salad, green beans, peaches, bread, milk.
Thur. - Ascension Thursday, NO SCHOOL!
Fri. - Hamburgers w/Trimmings, French fries, fruit, milk.

MUENSTER LUNCH MENU

May 17 - 21

Mon. - Tacos w/Meat and Cheese, beans, macaroni and cheese, fruit, milk.
Tues. - Sausage and Kraut, potatoes and gravy, corn, rolls, milk.
Wed. - Cook's Choice
Thur. - Hamburgers w/Trimmings, fruit, brownies, milk.
Fri. - Sandwiches, lettuce, tomato, nachos, fruit, milk.

LINDSAY LUNCH MENU

May 17 - 21

Mon. - Taco w/Trimmings, beans, applesauce, pineapple, bread, milk.
Tues. - Spaghetti w/Ground Beef, cole slaw, corn, fruit cobbler, batterbread, milk.
Wed. - Beef and Cheese Pizza, pinto beans, tossed salad, assorted fruit, bread, milk.
Thur. - Chicken Nuggets, creamed potatoes, gravy, green beans, iced cake, bread, milk.
Fri. - Hamburgers w/Trimmings, fries, ice cream, milk.

ERA ISD LUNCH MENU

May 17 - 21

Mon. - Grilled Ham and Cheese Sandwich, salad, pickle spears, pudding, milk.
Tues. - Nachos w/Ground Beef, pinto beans, Mexican salad, cornbread, butter, fruit cocktail, milk.
Wed. - Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, sweet peas, corn, peanut butter cookies, milk.
Thur. - Hamburger Steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, rice, Cherry Delight, milk.
Fri. - Hamburger, cheese slice, trimmings, potato chips, blueberries w/topping, milk.

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Reminder!

Muenster ISD Kindergarten Graduation will be Wednesday, May 19 in the Muenster Auditorium at 7 p.m. Program theme is "Around the World in Song and Tale".





JENNIFER CAMPBELL and CRYSTAL KLEMENT

Winning short stories written by 2 SH students

Sacred Heart Junior High students, Jennifer Campbell and Crystal Klement, were winners in the annual Jerry Simpson Short Story Contest sponsored by the Cooke County College Department of Communication and Fine Arts. Jennifer's story was entitled, "Traveling Around the World". She was awarded second place. Her

parents are Yvonne and Bob Ambrose and she is in the eighth grade.

Honorable Mention went to Crystal Klement, daughter of Ruth and Pat Klement. Her short story was "The Cat Who Hated Mondays". Crystal is a seventh grade student.



SARAH WHITECOTTON



THOMAS WHITECOTTON

Whitecottons celebrate birthdays

Sarah Anne Whitecotton, daughter of David and Helen Whitecotton, was five years old on April 15. Grandpa and Grandma Norbert Rohrer observed it with a celebration of all April birthdays on Easter Sunday. Grandpa's birthday was on April 16. Cousin Johnathan Rohmer's and Jeanie Mosman's was on April 19. Grandparents served a noon birthday meal with a decorated Easter Bunny cake, followed by an Easter egg hunt.

Cousins, aunts and uncles from Plano, Sanger, Gainesville and Montague attended. Sarah also shared cookies with her classmates on her special day.

Thomas James Whitecotton,

Sarah's brother, was eight years old on March 3. His parents hosted a party the following Sunday. They served a decorated birthday cake and ice cream to family and friends.

Guests were his brother and sisters, Michael, Sarah and Lorinda; Carl, Cathy and Travis Weatherhead of Sanger; Betty Tyler and a friend, Alan, of Plano; Grandma and Grandpa Norbert Rohmer of Muenster. Thomas also shared cookies with his classmates at Sacred Heart School on his special day.

Aunts and uncles who could not attend, the Jimmy Mosmans and the Gene Rohmers, phoned with Happy Birthday wishes.

Muenster students earn art awards

Winners of all ages walked away with ribbons at the 28th Annual Cooke County Art Show held recently at Cooke County College, sponsored by the College Art Department.

Among entries from Muenster, and their categories, were: an Honorable Mention to Stephanie Bierschenk in Photography; Honorable Mentions to Cindy Tempel and Jami Gerstberger in grade 2, the School Division; 3rd place, grade 6, to Debra Voth and

Honorable Mention to Duncan Campbell in the School Division; grade 10, 2nd place to Sarina Fuhrmann; 1st place, grade 12, to Mandy Barnhill and Honorable Mention to Julie Felderhoff, all these in various categories of the School Division.

For Three Dimensional Small Sculpture, awards were presented to: a 1st place to a group project by Sacred Heart School of Muenster and 2nd place to Aaron Walterscheid.

Baptism

Powell

Mike and Carolyn Powell of Arlington brought their infant daughter, Amy Lea, to Muenster for the weekend, for her reception of the Sacrament of Baptism in Sacred Heart Church, her mother's home parish. Father Victor Gillespie, OSB, officiated, and an uncle and aunt, Don and Kathy Hartman, were baptismal sponsors on Sunday, May 9, 1993. Amy Lea wore a white satin christening dress, a gift from her maternal grandparents, Bill and Eileen Luke.

Pam and Dave Fette sang for the service, with guitar accompaniment,

offering "Jesus Loves Me, This I Know," "Bless This Child" and "Alleluia."

Others attending were the paternal grandparents, Beryl and Dean Powell, of Arlington; Nancy and Fray Webster and children Tara, Brad and Mark of Keller; Jim Luke of Paris, France, home for a several-week's visit; Kathy and Don Hartman and children Jeff and Cindy of Muenster; and Mrs. R.N. Fette, godmother to Carolyn Powell, and Russell and Elizabeth Fette.

All the above were Sunday dinner guests of Bill and Eileen Luke. The dining room table centerpiece was a decorated, strawberry-filled pink cake. Also dropping by for a visit in the afternoon were Dan Fette and sons Gabriel and Benjamin of Flower Mound, Texas. The wife and mother, Claudette, was unable to accompany them as she was busy studying for finals where she is a

County Extension Homemakers Council gets update

Muenster members of the Cooke County Extension Homemakers Council brought their report to the group's April meeting, giving details of the cookbook being prepared. Recipes have been turned in and books will cost \$12.00, reserved by a \$1.00 deposit. Cooke County Extension Homemakers Council will benefit \$1.00 from each cookbook sold in Cooke County.

Plans for the May tour were completed. The tour bus will leave Gainesville at 8:30 a.m. on May 27. Stops will be made at the Conservatory and at the Japanese Tea Garden, Botanic Gardens and Rose Garden, with a luncheon

served at the Garden Restaurant, attendance at a Rain Forest production in the Omni Theater and return to Gainesville by 5 p.m. The cost is \$30.00 per member and reservations must be made by May 10 with full payment.

On May 11 and 12, the Texas Extension Homemakers Association District 4 Retreat will be held at the UT Electric Camp at Trinidad. There will be a fee of \$20.00 for each member attending.

The business session included a report of the annual spring meeting when Cooke County had three first place winners in the Cultural Arts

Exhibit. Nancy Carter of the Woodbine Club placed first in the Fabric Doll category and also in the Holiday category. Gayle Odom of the Callisburg Club placed first in the Decorated Garment category. These will advance to State competition in Waco in September.

It was reported that the livestock premium was paid on a lamb shown by Janelle Hellinger of the Lindsay FFA.

Susanna Johnson, Director of Southwest Diabetic Foundation, explained Summer Camp and distributed brochures. Members

voted a contribution to Camp Sweeney and volunteered to assist in booths when needed at the Camp.

Lucille Lutkenhaus, chairman, presided for the business meeting held in Stanford House on April 13 at 1:30 p.m. Nancy Hoedebeck of the Downard-Fairplains Club gave the Inspiration. Delegates from six county clubs answered roll call and gave reports. Mary Wambaugh read March minutes and Helen Sewell gave the treasurer's report.

The Downard-Fairplains Club hosted the fellowship time and served refreshments.

New Arrivals

Marquardt

Scott and Sylvia Marquardt of West Dundee, Illinois announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, Andrea Marie, on April 30, 1993,

weighing 7 lb. 15 oz. Grandparents are Lois Marquardt and the late Richard Marquardt, formerly of Muenster. The paternal grandmother now lives in Shawano, Wisconsin. Maternal grandparents are Elfriede and Alex Woyke of Scottsdale, Arizona. Scott Marquardt was in the Muenster High School class of 1980 when the family lived in Muenster.

Reunions

Muller-Herr

The annual Muller-Herr reunion will be held May 30 in the Muenster Park. In case of rain, the families will gather under the Parish Pavilion at the Community Center. Barbecue meats and plates, forks, etc. will be provided. All are asked to bring their own chairs, a salad, fruit or relish dish and their own favorite drinks.

Hesse

With great joy, Neil and Anne Hesse announce the birth of their first child, a son, Matthew Frazier Hesse, on May 11, 1993 at 8:32 p.m. in Wilson N. Jones Hospital of Sherman, weighing 5 lb. 14 oz. and measuring 19-1/4 inches long. Matthew is the first grandchild for Bernard and Agnes Hesse. The maternal grandparents are Joe and Ruth Felderhoff. A great-grandmother, Mrs. Lettie Frazier, lives in Orlando, Florida.

Enrollment held for Franciscans

Secular Franciscans of Lindsay met to enroll new members on April 29, after the 7:45 a.m. Mass, holding admission rites for new candidates. They welcomed Dorothy Smith, Polly Pelzel and Martha Tepera.

Father Stephen Eckart, Spiritual Director, was celebrant for the Mass. Mrs. Theresa Hermes, Franciscan minister, conducted admission rites, assisted by Vice President Elvira Flusche. During the

ceremony, Pat Bowman made his permanent profession into the Franciscan Order. Also welcomed was Nina Mae Bardsley who made her renewal into the St. Peter Fraternity. For the special liturgy of the Mass, Mary Stoffels read the petitions.

Following the services, members were guests for brunch in the home of Bill and Elvira Flusche, and enjoyed a time of fellowship and visiting.

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Sports

Lindsay Jaycees to host 4th annual Open Golf Tourney

The Lindsay Jaycees will be hosting their annual 2-man scramble open golf tournament on Sunday, June 6, at Gainesville Municipal Golf Course.

The event will kick off at 8 a.m. and participants will compete in six different flights. Entry fee is \$30 per player. Awards to be given away at the tourney include individual trophies and golf balls for first, second and third place in each flight.

A feature attraction will be the chance to shoot for a new 1993 model GMC half-ton pickup, to be given away to the first golfer to score a hole-in-one on the 16th hole. Other hole-in-one prizes for each of the other par threes on the Gainesville layout will be offered as well.

There will also be consolation prizes of cash and merchandise for

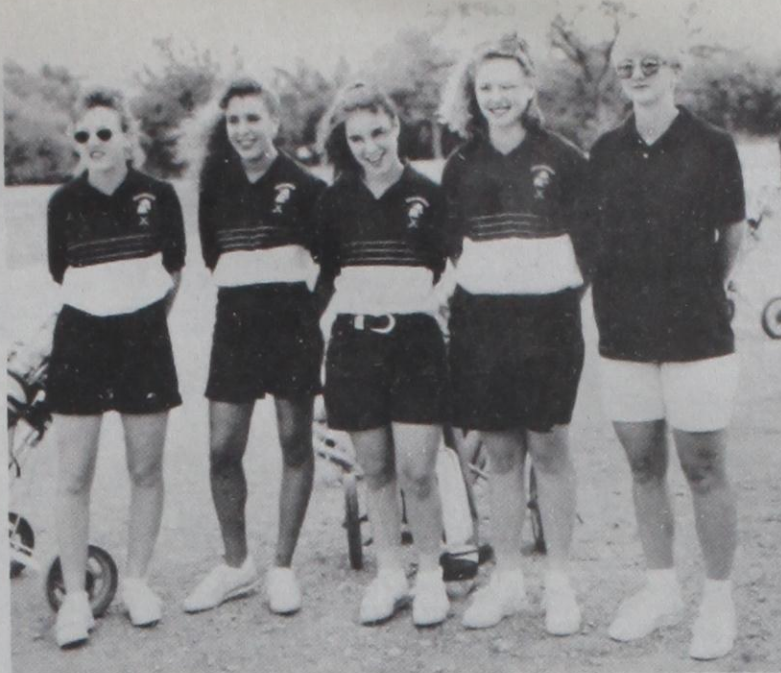
the closest-to-the-hole on each of the five par threes, as well as for the longest drive on the 4th and 12th holes.

All participants will be eligible for lots of other door prizes which will be given away during a random drawing at the awards presentation.

A barbecue lunch and refreshments will be served in the Lindsay Park immediately following conclusion of play, at which time all of the awards will be distributed.

All interested players need to sign up by Wednesday, June 2. The tournament is limited to the first 54 paid entries. Entry forms are available at Gainesville Municipal Golf Shop.

Anyone with questions about the tournament can contact Danny Nortman at 817-665-8297.



LADY HORNET golfers, l to r, Lori Graham, Brandi Grewing, Delana Endres, Allison Klement, and Coach Danna Hess, at Regional in Abilene.

Courtesy Photo

Coach Pitch teams have been selected

The coaches for the 1993 Coach Pitch League met and the teams were divided. If your son is playing Coach Pitch this year, please review the list of teams and find your child's team. Coaches for each team will soon be calling you on practice times!

If you have not completed your release form and uniform sizes, please do so by Saturday, May 15 at Tops & Teams. Team uniforms will be orderd on Monday, May 17.

BLUE TEAM: Coaches: Nick Walterscheid and Damian Walterscheid; Assistants: Cory Cain and Jim Koelzer. Players: Eric Bayer, Micheal Voth, Chris Luttmir, Chris Fuhrmann, Clint Fuhrmann, Kyle Fuhrmann, Matthew Fleitman, Ricky Endres, Chisam Cain, Wes Koelzer, Adam

Bayer, Mike Bayer and Toby Walterscheid.

RED TEAM: Coaches: Terry Walterscheid and Mark Lippe; Assistants: Chuck Bartush, Ronnie Felderhoff and Bob Hermes. Players: Jacob Endres, Mitch Felderhoff, Kevin Hermes, Nathan Hess, Luke Endres, Daniel Bartush, Thomas Whitecotton, Dewayne Montgomery, Brady Felderhoff, Mark Bayer, Jonathan Sicking and Tyler Walterscheid.

GOLD TEAM: Coaches: Glenn Hess and Lisa Haverkamp; Assistants: Kim Walterscheid and Darrell Walterscheid. Dustin Walterscheid, Jack Biffle, Justin Hess, Stephen Boaz, Aaron Walterscheid, Kevin Walterscheid, Matthew Grewing, Shawn Hess, Chris Rains, Daniel Rohmer, Jessie Coker and Jeff Reiter.

SH golfers at state

The Tigers' golf team competed at the TAPPS State Golf Tournament May 3-4 on the Cottonwood Golf Course in Waco. The Sacred Heart boys finished 3rd with 844, behind State Champion Heritage Christian, 776, and Parkview with an 839.

"The boys played good, learning how to discipline themselves making every shot count," stated Coach Jon LeBrasseur. "I'm looking forward to improvement next year."

Jason Hess finished as a 3rd place medalist, shooting a 181. Senior Joseph Bedowitz ended his high school career with a 195. Neil Berres shot a 229, Kelly Bayer a 239 and Trent Trubenbach a 259 for the Tigers.

Hess and Bedowitz were named to the All-State Team for finishing in the top 10 individuals.

"Bedowitz will be missed, but with the opening of Turtle Hill, the future of golf at Sacred Heart looks bright," concluded Coach Jon.

Oops!

In last week's Enterprise, Jacqueline Trammell was incorrectly identified as Kelly Reigler as one of the Tigerettes' state track medalists.

DPS offers course for motorcycle riders

With more than 700,000 licensed motorcyclists and nearly 175,000 registered motorcycles in Texas, it is clear that motorcycle riding is a popular form of transportation and recreation for many people across the State of Texas.

To encourage safe motorcycle riding, Governor Ann Richards has proclaimed May as Motorcycle Safety and Awareness Month. Safe motorcycle skills can be acquired in a motorcycle rider training class.

The course is offered at two levels: the advanced course for experienced riders and the basic course for beginning riders. Most classes are offered over one weekend or several evenings.

In the 17-hour basic course, novice or occasional riders learn the proper techniques to operate a motorcycle and how to handle dangerous situations. The goal is for these new riders to achieve the same skill level as someone who has been riding for two years. Motorcycles and helmets are provided.

Riders under 18 are required to

take the basic course to be eligible for a motorcycle driver's license.

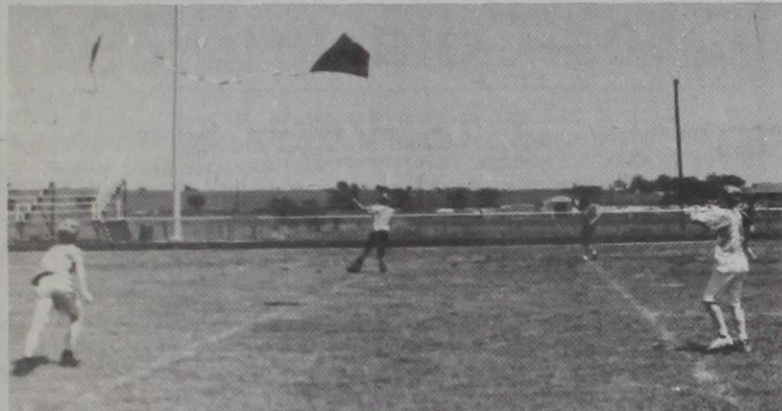
In the eight-hour advanced course, experienced riders are challenged on their own motorcycles. Skills taught include high-speed maneuvering, avoidance techniques and emergency braking.

Instructors for both courses are experienced motorcycle riders who are professionally trained by the national Motorcycle Safety Foundation and certified by the DPS.

Both courses involve some classroom training. However, the majority of each class takes place on the riding range, enabling participants to practice each new technique as the course progresses.

The cost of the basic course is \$55; the advanced course is \$25. Courses are offered in more than 35 locations around the state. For additional information about the course, call 1-800-292-5787.

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KITE FLYING, students in Mary Dangelmayr's 6th grade took to the skies last week flying home-made kites. ABOVE Tyler Bradley gets assistance from Justin Klement and Justin Brittain. AT LEFT, John Roller and Matthew York get a kite flying.

Janie Hartman Photos



MARY DANGELMAYR assists A.J. Riddle, left, in repairing her kite with the help of Kerry Fleitman and Christy Drachenberg.

Janie Hartman Photo

Hunting fatalities reach all-time low

Hunting fatalities reached an all-time low in Texas in 1992 with a total of six, and the 62 total reported accidents were 19 less than in 1991.

Texas has averaged nine hunting deaths a year the past three years, much lower than the 27-year average of 17.6. 1992 and 1990, with eight fatalities, are the only two years since records have been kept beginning in 1966 that hunting fatalities numbered in single digits. There were 13 fatalities in 1991.

The 56 non-fatal accidents were down 12 from 1991 and down from the 27-year average of 59. The report of 62 total accidents is the lowest since 53 in 1990. The next lowest year was 60 in 1984. The 27-year average is 76.5 total accidents per year.

One-fourth of the victims (16 or 26 percent) were shot by hunters in the 30-39-age group. Twelve were shot by someone 20-29 years old and 14 were shot by a 10 to 19-year-old.

Shotguns were involved in 29 of the accidents, rifles in 23 and handguns in 9, according to Texas Park and Wildlife figures. As usual, most accidents occurred while

hunting deer (rifle). White-tailed deer hunters accounted for 17 accidents - whitetail hunters had 32 accidents in 1991. A sharp increase was seen in accidents involving quail hunters, which increased from five in 1991 to 13 in 1992, the second most of all game animals. Dove hunting accidents declined from 18 to six. There were no pheasant or duck accidents reported.

NOTICE!

Pony League teams

There will be a meeting for all boys signed up for Pony League, on Saturday, May 15, at 1 p.m. on the baseball field. Bring shoes and gloves. Teams will choose players. If absolutely unable to attend, notify Tom Flusche at the shop, 759-2203, or home, 759-4188.

MGA holds monthly tournament

The Muenster Golf Association will hold its monthly tournament on Sunday, May 16, at the Nocona Municipal Golf Course. Tee-off time is 9 a.m.

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procedures for resolving parent and student comments and working on better relations with all involved with the school.

In an unrelated matter, Era school trustees held a special meeting May 6 to canvass votes from the May 1 election and take care of several routine matters. Carl Enderby and Jimbo Selby will both return to their positions for three more years. They took the oath of office after running unopposed in the May 1 school board election.

In other business, school trustees approved the installation of a water line to the existing practice football field, a line which is expected to be in place in about three weeks. The board discussed career ladder eligibility assignments and approved one student transfer request.

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Outdoor precaution can help avoid tick-borne lyme disease

As Texans increase their outdoor activities with the coming of spring, they need to be mindful that some of nature's creatures, specifically ticks, not only can cause discomfort, but also may cause serious illness.

Although several species of tick can carry the disease, the Lone Star variety, which enjoys biting humans, often is the suspected vector. Rawlings said that about one percent of the Lone Star ticks tested carry the Lyme spirochete.

The disease, first identified in Lyme, Connecticut in 1976, has become widespread in the U.S. Of the 1,362 possible Lyme disease cases reported in Texas since 1986, at least 361 have met all case criteria of the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's definition of the illness.

Lyme disease' symptoms often mimic those of other diseases, except for a characteristic reddish rash which sometimes surrounds a tick bite. If untreated with antibiotics, Lyme disease can advance from flu-like symptoms and rash to painful - even permanent - damage to joints and nervous system.

While Lyme disease is treatable, knowledge of the disease and a few easy precautions can greatly reduce the likelihood of exposure to it.

When outdoors, especially in wooded areas or tall grass:

- *Wear long sleeves and long pants, with pantlegs tucked into socks or boots. Tuck shirt tails into pants and use tape to seal the area where pants overlap socks or boot tops.

- *Wear light-colored clothing to make ticks more visible.

- *Use insect repellent containing "DEET" or "permethrin" on clothing and footwear (not on skin).

- *Avoid high grass and foliage when possible, since ticks wait on vegetation to "hitchhike" on passing animals.

- *Keep pets out of infested areas, and inspect them often for ticks. Dogs and cats, too, are susceptible to Lyme disease.

- *After being outdoors, wash all clothing worn and inspect yourself and your children's bodies for ticks. Remove any attached ticks with tweezers, grasping as close to the head as possible, tugging until the tick is freed. Avoid crushing the tick's body. The less time a tick remains attached, the less likely it is of transmitting Lyme disease.

- *Live ticks removed from humans can be tested at a TDH laboratory to determine whether they carry Lyme disease.



THE "YELLOW TEAM" Celebrates after winning their first round pull. Coaches Jeff and Kim Gerstberger show their feelings with team mates Justin Wolf, Wesley Koelzer, Christopher Grewing, Grant Hartman, and Kirk Hartman.



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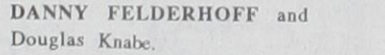
WHITNEY BRITAIN and Tara Swirczynski.



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MEAGAN GREWING and Kyle Fuhrmann.



DANNY FELDERHOFF and Douglas Knabe.

Students team up for Junior Olympic Games

Muenster ISD students in grades K through six participated in their annual Junior Olympics on Friday, May 7. The events were held at the school track.

Each student was expected to participate in at least two or three events. Team members wore a shirt in their team's colors of white, yellow, blue, red, purple, green, or orange.

Competition including a 50 yard dash, 400 meter race, sack race, three legged race, 200 meter run, 100 meter run, Tug of War, and for fifth and sixth grade only the mile relay. Parents acted as coaches for the teams. Sharon Felderhoff was chairman.

Photos by Janie Hartman

Tax Talk

By: Duane Knabe, CPA

Duane Knabe will discuss a different topic each week. Any questions should be directed to him at 759-4010.

This week's topic is S corporation status. If your sole proprietorship or partnership is producing a net profit in excess of a reasonable compensation for your time, you could likely save money by incorporating and electing S status.

You're required to take a reasonable wage for the work you do but no more than that. If reasonable compensation for what you do would be \$20,000, for example, there is little point in paying social security tax on more.

If you incorporate and elect S status, the salary you take will be subject to payroll taxes, but the profits above that amount are considered dividends subject to income tax but not payroll taxes.

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Farm & Ranch

Noble foundation field day set for June 12

The Samuel Roberts Noble Foundation will sponsor a field day titled, "Cattle and Pastures: How Do You Manage Them," at Sulphur, Oklahoma, on Saturday, June 12. The program will consist of a morning session at the Sulphur High School Auditorium and an afternoon session at the Jacobs Ranch, located northeast of Sulphur on Highway 1.

The morning session will begin with registration from 8 to 8:30 a.m. A series of programs by Noble Foundation and OSU Extension Service Specialist will run from 8:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., consisting of planning and goal setting, native grass management, the design of a grazing cell and integrating improved pastures into native range operation. Also the supplemental feeding of cattle, wildlife considerations in a rotational system, economic considerations of a grazing system and video of cattle

movement and handling. At approximately 12:45 p.m., the afternoon session will begin at the Jacobs Ranch, where a free lunch will be served and participants will be able to visit with trade groups.

At 2 p.m. Jacobs Ranch owner Bill Jacobs will speak on history and introduction for the ranch. Participants will then make stops to view the ranch's steer and cow herds and hear from specialists on managing cattle and their grasses.

The program will conclude with a question and answer session from 4 to 5 p.m., at which time participants will be allowed to spend additional time viewing the trade show goods.

The public is invited to attend, but pre-registration is required so that lunch and transportation arrangements can be made.

To pre-register, or for more information on the field day, contact Roberta Palmer at the Noble Foundation Agricultural Division at 405-223-5810.

Baldy draws interest with marketing

Bolstered by wide-spread interest and industry leader endorsement, the American Baldy Beef Council is on target with its July inauguration date.

Formed by the American Polled Hereford Association (APHA), the Council is offering alternative ways for cattlemen to add value to their cattle, cut costs and produce quality beef through marketing and certification services

for Baldy cattle.

"I'm convinced the Polled Hereford breed and its breeders are on the right track with their Baldy program," said Dr. Bill Mies of Texas A&M University, an industry-recognized expert on Total Quality Management. "Pursuing 'excellence every time' is how we reach the quality level consumers are demanding from our product. The APHA Baldy program is a tool that should be embraced fully."

The program also features a certification plan which allows for quality and genetic documentation throughout the production chain.

For more information, contact the American Baldy Beef Council, 11020 NW Ambassador Dr., Kansas City, MO 64153., or phone 816-891-8400. FAX 816-891-



FLOODING caused by heavy rains Sunday morning was and is a major concern to local farmers. Although damage was minimal in the area, this corn in a field along Elm Creek on Hwy. 51 was flattened and all the top soil washed away. *Janie Hartman Photo*

Farm safety not #1

The statistics sound like a battle call from Bosnia Hercegovina—300 dead, another 23,500 injured. Yet those figures are not the result of war, but the number of American children who suffer mishap from farm-related activities each year.

Surveyors found that 92 percent of farmers did not display NO SMOKING signs in fuel storage or refueling areas, 42 percent did not have fire extinguishers readily available and 47 percent did not have an accessible first aid kit in farm buildings.

More than 54 percent of the farms did not have warning labels in crop and feed storage areas, and another 15 percent needed improvement in the way they utilized warning labels. Of the 30

percent of farms which used labels correctly, 82 percent of the labels had both words and pictures cautioning users about potential health hazards.

Chemical storage and application procedures were expected to be areas of special concern, and the survey findings were not heartening.

Among the most disturbing findings was the fact that almost 45 percent of chemical storage areas also were used for some other purpose, thus increasing the risk of a possible accident. In addition, 67 percent of the farms did not have NO SMOKING signs posted in and around buildings where chemicals were stored.

A statement from Texas Farm Bureau president

by S.M. True Jr., President Texas Farm Bureau

Farmers and ranchers, like their urban friends, are sympathetic to our country being too far in debt. We support limitations on federal spending, and actual budget cuts. Unfortunately, the President's budget, just as other recent budget proposals, cut agriculture far more than any other area of the budget. No other area of spending by the federal government has received the cuts inflicted on agriculture since 1986. Our budget has been reduced from \$26 billion to \$12 billion in 1992.

When coupled with the budget cuts, the President's BTU tax simply goes too far. Farmers cannot stand the additional impact on farm income. Direct additional costs involved with the planting, producing and harvesting of a crop alone amount to approximately \$2 per acre, at a minimum.

Direct consumption of fuels for agriculture production typically ranges between 5 billion and 6 billion gallons a year. Agriculture accounts for approximately 2.5 percent of total farm income.

It is a cost they can ill afford.

AMPI responds to change

"Responding to Change" was the theme of the 24th annual meeting of Associated Milk Producers, Inc., the nation's leading dairy farmer cooperative.

"Times change, markets change, dairy policies change," said Irvin Elkin, president of AMPI's Corporate Board of Directors. He listed some of the changes facing the dairy industry today:

*Consumers who are demanding a new mix of food products and placing emphasis on convenience and healthy lifestyles.

*A trend toward larger farm units with regional shifts in volume.

*An increasing proportion of the milk supply being used to produce cheese.

*Expansion of markets to include product development, export and other opportunities to increase sales.

In addition to strengthening producer prices, Elkin emphasized that AMPI will continue its national policy work on tax policy, health care, international trade, child nutrition, food assistance, animal welfare, environmental concerns and other issues.

In keeping with the theme of the meeting, AMPI members approved a bylaw amendment reducing the size of the Corporate Board of Directors from 36 to 24 seats; apportioning Board membership among the three operating Regions on the basis of a formula that weighs the three-year averages of farm units, equity and volume at one-third each.

Texas emu association convention May 28-29

The Texas Emu Association will sponsor its second Annual Convention May 28 and 29 at the Wyndham Hotel, 9821 Colonnade Blvd. in Colonnade Center (IH 10 and Wurzbach) in San Antonio.

For more information, contact the Texas Emu Association, P.O. Box 158, Livingston, Texas 77351, phone 409-327-3469.

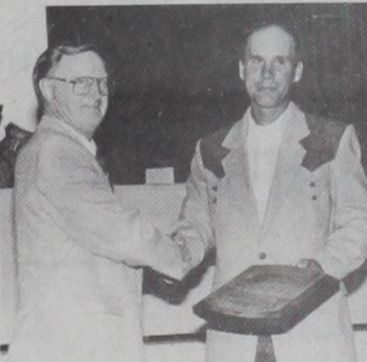
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700-800 lbs.	\$75.00-82.00
HEIFERS	
300-400 lbs.	\$95.00-106.00
400-500 lbs.	\$90.00-102.00
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Choice	\$835.00-1,025.00
Med.-Good	\$700.00-815.00
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Hog Pool

Prices for May 11

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- 15 Hereford Cows with calves out of Simmental and Brangus bulls. Simmental bulls put back on cows May 1.
- 30 Brahman Cross Cows, Brangus x Simmental calves at side, exposed back April 1.
- 80 Head of Crossbred Cows consisting of Brangus baldies, Tiger Stripes, and Straight Brangus. Calves at side one month old on all 80 cows.
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