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If you are one of the many people who dread the change-over from our system of weights and measures to the metric system, take heart. No less an authority than the General Accounting Office relates in a massive report sent to Congress last fall that it isn't necessarily going to happen.

As pointed out in the current issue of Human Events, only Congress has the right under the Constitution to fix the standards of weights and measures, and Congress has not made the decision to convert.

It's possible that there is some misunderstanding about the action of Congress in 1975, and signed by President Ford, which passed the Metric Conversion Act. The act did not decree that US will adopt metric but only provided for establishment of the US Metric Board, a 17 member committee, complete with staff, charged with assisting industries to convert . . . if they wish to do so. Generous publicity at the time could have helped create the impression that conversion to the system if not compulsory, was at least inevitable.

From the GAO report it seems, furthermore, that Congress is cool to the idea of going metric. It describes the benefits as questionable, estimates the cost of conversion in the billions of dollars . . . perhaps as much as \$100 billion, and asserts that the costs will inevitably be passed on to consumers, as the American public has learned long ago.

From the findings of a Gallup Poll in October, that 45 per cent of the people are opposed to metrication and only 29 per cent are in favor, it isn't likely that Congress will cram the conversion down the public's throats, especially after letters come pouring in from the people.

Human events is of the opinion that principal support for the change to metrics comes from state officials, educators and Fortune 500 corporations heavily involved in international trade. The biggest companies, who deal in products using both standards of measures, like the idea of eventually eliminating the dual hassle and expense. But it's different with small businesses which would have to endure expense and confusion while struggling through the transition from our way to metric.

It's more complicated than just tacking up a conversion table. It would mean that clothing would have to be re-sized and food repackaged. Different sized bolts, nuts and screws would have to be cut and cookbooks re-written. And tools would have to be replaced. The average mechanic or craftsman and the handy man around the house will not relish the thought of discarding good tools that have been made useless by an act of Congress.

Use of metric in the US has been legal but not compulsory since 1866. America has had the opportunity for more than a hundred years to get away from the weights, measures and distances inherited from — and since abandoned by — its British ancestor. And during those years it has become rather attached to the system.

While President Carter and our Defense Department worry with SALT II and possibilities of Russia becoming strategically superior to this country, it is hard to forget how often US has helped USSR out of its distress, and how much it has done to make the USSR look like a progressive country. One is even inclined to wonder whether the Soviets with their experience in exploiting this country would take the risk of eliminating it, thereby losing the economic help, for free or bargain price, it has received these many years. The plain fact is that Moscow can't afford to carry out its threat of annihilation. Without us it would fold up, as it almost did several times in the past sixty years.

A brief statement of the situation is presented in William Simon's book, *A Time for Truth*. "In the thirties our businessmen shipped and installed replicas of complex American production centers to the Soviet Union, where they were assembled like gigantic do-it-yourself kits. The Cleveland firm of Arthur G. Mackee provided the equipment for huge steel plants at Magnitogorsk; John K. Calder of Detroit equipped and installed the material for tractor plants at Chelyabinsk; Henry Ford and the Austin Company pro-

John Fisher Gets No. 1 Chamber Award

John Fisher is this year's selection for outstanding member of the Muenster Chamber of Commerce. For that distinction he received the organization's most coveted award last Wednesday night at the Chamber's annual banquet.

In making the presentation, Past President Johnny Pagel explained that the prize was won primarily when Fisher served as project chairman for construction of rest rooms at the city park just before Germanfest. "Like other great men of history, John now has a monument named after him. It's called The John."

Pagel also presented the President's Partner Award, the Chamber's next in prestige, to Jane Monday, the member who was most helpful during the year.

People who attended the banquet came to be entertained and they got their wish in a big way as the speaker, George McKinney, related his hilarious gems by the dozens. He had them howling most of the time, and along with the

humor he managed to put over a serious message on community communication. His suggestion was to ask people for ideas on programs and ask again for opinions on how things were going. It helps to generate interest and activity, and it's satisfying when someone agrees with you.

McKinney is the manager of development for Texas Power and Light Company and is in big demand as a speaker in TP&L's service area. He's been named an ambassador of Good Will by Governor Clements and Former Governor Briscoe.

Soil Conservation Banquet Set for Sherman, April 19

Sherman is the host city for the 30th annual conservation awards banquet sponsored by banks and the news media of the three-county Upper-Red Soil and Water Conservation District. The event will be held Thursday, April 19, 7:30 p.m., at the Silver Wings Club of Grayson County Airport.

Plans for the banquet were made in a meeting last week at the River Valley Country Club of Gainesville with some 30 of the sponsors attending.

Among the details they planned is the selection of two long time favorites to feature the program. Gene Foster, head of the evening education program at Grayson County College will be master of ceremonies and Pat Bolin of Radio Station KGAF, will narrate the conservation stories of the 1978 champs while colored slides of their operations will be projected on a screen.

Also decided are that the mayor of Sherman will serve as the opening chairman and Dr. John Clark of Sherman will give the invocation. Students of Sherman High School will provide the entertainment. Following long established custom, the champions will receive their awards from sponsors of their own area. Earl Fisher of Muenster State Bank will make the presentation for Zone 3, which includes Muenster.

There will be a winner for each of the five zones of the district, also the Claude Jones Award, a conservation news media award and conservation essay awards. J. H. Bayer, district chairman will present the essay rewards.

Persons at the organizing meeting decided to hold their future planning sessions at the Alamo City by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Felderhoff. The three of them were weekend guests of Henry's sister, Mrs. Selma Wright, and family.



GEORGE MCKINNEY

Kevin Felderhoff Is State Champion In KC Free Throw

Kevin Felderhoff went all the way in the basketball free throw competition sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. He won the big No. 1 trophy on Saturday, March 10, in state finals hosted by St. Mary's University, San Antonio.

Kevin, in the 13 year division tied for first place by hitting 19 of 25 free throws, the identical score by which he won the regional at Irving a week earlier. So he and the other contestant went into a tie breaker of five shots for each. Kevin made four of his five shots. The other boy missed his first two and the contest was over.

Kevin was accompanied to the Alamo City by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Felderhoff. The three of them were weekend guests of Henry's sister, Mrs. Selma Wright, and family.

Junior Stock Show Animals Sell High

The sale ending Cooke County's Junior Livestock Show was another financial triumph for the young stockmen with a record high total of \$105,313.81 for 328 of the show animals. Last year's sale had 306 animals for \$101,759.80.

It featured generous premium prices throughout, especially for the top award winners. The grand champion steer, shown by Traci York of Era, was bought for \$2500, \$2.00 a pound, by Rex Couble of Denton.

The grand champion lamb brought \$3.75 a pound for a total of \$438.75. Gainesville Butane bought it from Mark Reiter of Gainesville. And the grand champ hog, shown by Jamie Hewitt of Valley View sold for \$1.25 a pound, a total of \$313.75. It was purchased by North Texas Meat.

The three reserve champions likewise sold at highly gratifying prices. Brian Davis of Era got \$1.55 a pound, a total of \$1,785, for his steer; Frankie Enderby of Gainesville got \$3.50 a pound, a total of \$420, for his lamb; and Alan Kassen of Valley View got \$1.25 a pound, a total of \$303.75 for his hog.

Selling prices of the show animals were combinations of the current market price and a premium price. Each participant is permitted to sell one animal at the show.

Additional money for the youngsters is given as prize awards at the show. It is provided by the annual United Fund Budget.

Business men and individuals of Muenster who bought animals at the sale are Muenster State Bank, Cooke County Electric Co-op., Muenster Milling Co., Fisher's Market, H and W Meat Co., Muenster Livestock Auction, Tony's Seed & Feed, Gilbert Endres Distributor, Cooke County Distributor, Luke's Fina, Dr. Bernard Luke and Robert Bayer.

Muenster 4-H and FFA members had 21 entries in the show, 12 steers and 9 sheep.

Mike Bayer topped the group with a champ ribbon on his Brahman. Other entries and classifications on steers were as follows: Dick Dangelmayr, blue; Jerry Serina, blue; John Zimmerer, blue; Alan Bayer, blue; Henry Bayer, red; Benji Luke, red; Eddie Serina, red; Cathy Davidson, red; Steve Luke, red; Greg Luke, red; Roland Serina, white.

Sheep: Shelly Zimmerer, blue; Karla Jo Hartman, blue; Marilyn Hartman, blue; Stephanie Vogel, red; Valerie Vogel, -red; Carol Zimmerer, white; Matt Sicking, white; Ginger Fleitman, white; Joe Yosten, white.

Directors and members were delighted with the enthusiasm and professionalism shown by the cast. Costumes are spectacular and all were made and furnished by the cast. Costumes promise to be the best to date. The seven skits and between-acts entertainment are great fun.

The show will be presented in the Muenster Public School Auditorium. Show dates are Friday, March 23 and Saturday, March 24 at 8:15 p.m. However, starting time may be adjusted a bit following evening Mass Saturday, if necessary.

Leonard Endres as master of ceremonies likewise spiced his introductions and other remarks with humor, and like McKinney, added a serious thought. He named a long list of boards and organizations, all active in making Muenster a better place to live. For their efforts the community can be grateful and proud, he said.

As incoming president, Henry Weinzapfel avoided the specifics and stated that previous presidents had left a fine record for him to match. While making no promises, he pointed out, however, that Muenster is growing, so the Chamber's job keeps getting bigger and more important.

A brief report by Johnny Pagel told the results of the Chamber's recent election by mail. On the new board of directors are Jane Monday, John Pagel, Monica Hess, Alvin Fuhrman, Arthur Felderhoff, Sam Endres, Doris Hamer and Henry Weinzapfel. In its first meeting the board elected Weinzapfel as the new president and Sam Endres as vice-president, and also re-elected Doris Hamer secretary and Jane Monday, treasurer.

Retiring directors are Jewel Otto, Alvin Fuhrman, Dennis Hess and John Fisher.

Presentations, besides those to the No. 1 and No. 2 members, were the chamber's gift to the speaker, given by Pagel, and an appreciation gift to the outgoing president, Pagel, for two years of service. It was given by Endres.

Others on the program were Bertha Hamric in the invocation and Angelo Nasche in the benediction. The dinner was catered by Rohmer's. Final event of the evening was a drawing for the floral centerpiece of the head table. Steve Moster won it.

Pre-Enrollment At Public School Scheduled Soon

Plans for an early pre-enrollment of students in grades 7 through 12 at Muenster Public School were announced this week by Principal Alford Winn. The intention is to learn soon about the subject selections of the students so that a schedule can be prepared to accommodate as many as possible in the electives of their choice. Students will be asked to choose electives with alternates, in case the first choice is impossible to work into a schedule.

Seventh and eighth grade students may take required courses only except that both may choose band, and in addition the eighth grade may choose shop (introductory course).

Freshmen are required to take English I, algebra I or related math (decided by counselor), US history, physical science or biology and P. E. Electives open to freshmen are agriculture I, homemaking I, shop I, band, choir and annual staff (on approval of sponsor).

Sophomores are required to take English II, geometry or related math II, biology I, PE and health. Electives open to sophomores are driver education, typing II, agriculture II, homemaking II, shop II, band, choir, annual (on approval). Any course with 11 requires having taken the same course I.

Juniors are required to take English III and world history. Electives are agriculture III, homemaking III, shop I, shop (Continued on Page 12)

Fantasy Frolics Will Be Presented Friday, Saturday

Dress Rehearsals were held Sunday afternoon and Wednesday evening for the Hospital Auxiliary's "Fantasy Frolics."

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Police Frustrated In Burglary Case

The burglary at the Kountry Korner Tuesday of last week was an exercise in frustration for the Muenster Police Department.

As told by Police Chief David Province, the case was wrapped up moments after the break in, if only that officers had been aware that it had been committed. Instead he and Johnny Robinson spent two hours seeking information through FBI and DPS computers and eventually had to release their suspect for lack of a charge.

It was a case, Province stated, in which an array of items looked very much like the loot from a theft. But there was no report to indicate that the stuff was stolen. In times past the man could have been held on suspicion, but by modern standards he has to be released if charges cannot be filed. And the city can be held liable for false arrest. So, in spite of the signs the police had to let him go.

The man, heading east on Division St., about 9 p.m., was stopped by Robinson because of a defective tail light and was taken to the city hall for questioning when the officer saw the items behind the front seat, including a TV, a check writing machine and packages of cigarettes.

Suspecting that they were stolen, Province and Robinson took descriptions and serial numbers as well as the driver's name and driver license number and Social Security number, then sent inquiries to the FBI and Austin computer centers. Answers were that none of the things was listed as stolen and no offense was on record against the driver. After some two hours of fruitless checking the officers decided they had no basis for making a charge and release their subject.

Next morning they had all of the evidence they needed but it was too late. Kountry Korner phoned in to report a burglary including a TV, a check writer and cigarettes. Serial numbers of the TV and machine and brand of the cigarettes were the same as the officers had found in the car. The case was solved, but by then the suspect was far out of reach.

Bulletins sent to all law enforcement agencies give full identification of the suspect and the nature of his crime. Sooner or later he'll be recognized and apprehended somewhere. Meanwhile Muenster is waiting to file charges.

Area Soaked by Week of Monsoon

The past week has been a sample of the monsoons. With rain recordings on six successive days the total came to 5.50 inches and the big measure was 3.62 on Tuesday, which fell on Monday, St. Joseph's Day.

The big reading inspired Steve Moster to check back over the record where he discovered that this was the only heavy rain for that date in 33 years. Twenty five of those years were dry and the other 8 years combined received 2.80 inches. Actually, this St. Joseph's Day got more rain than all of the previous 33.

The day's downpour caused flooding at several places in town. The junior sized creek at the east side of town went on its occasional rampage flooding the area of H&W Meat Co. and the mobile home lots on Mesquite. Water got inside a few of the homes. Also Highway 82 was flooded east of town, and so were the sewer plant and the city park where picnic tables were floated to the creek. The place is a mess, will need lots of cleanup before Germanfest.

Up to now March has a total of 6.64 inches, the wettest since records were started in 1946. Previously the records were 5.67 in 1968 and 5.35 in 1969. Following 1.14 inch on March 3, the week's monsoon had 5 days for a total of 1.88 inches which saturated the ground before the 3.62 gully washer came on Monday. As of now the soil is full and so are lakes and ponds.

Meanwhile temperatures have been pleasant. Low-high readings by Steve Moster have been as follows: March 15: 42 and 48; 18th, 43 and 50; 17th, 44 and 67; 18th, 37 and 75; 19th, 62 and 68; 20th, 53 and 64; 21st, 57 and 69.

Community Gives 100 Pints to Blood Bank

The community reached its goal on the dot and went over the top in effort at last week's semi-annual collection for the local blood bank.

The amount donated was exactly 100 pints and there were seven more registrants who could not be accepted because of medical history or physical condition.

The collection was taken by the Red Cross Blood Center of Wichita Falls which serves 42 communities of North Texas and South Oklahoma. All of the locations are supplied by the Wichita Falls blood center and all in their turn have twice-a-year collections to provide the blood.

Because of this program the people in areas cooperating with the blood center are able to receive quality blood at lower prices. Since the blood is donated there is no charge for it at transfusion. The only cost is for collecting, packaging, storing, transporting, etc. which is normally about half the charge when commercial blood is used. At Muenster the program benefits patients of the hospital and residents of the hospital district who receive a transfusion elsewhere.

For the collection here the center's Bloodmobile was located at the K of C Hall from 2 to 7 p.m. Included in the 100 donors were Butch Fisher,

who qualified for the two gallon club by giving his 16th pint, and eight who qualified for the gallon club by giving their 8th pints. They are Emilia Voth, Carol Knabe, Henry Felderhoff, Doyle Klement, Robert A. Knabe, James Gehrig, Joan Huneycutt and James K. Fette.

Bloodmobile personnel were assisted by five registered nurses of the hospital staff: Judy Flusche, Peggy Gobble, Aileen Cler, Pat Wimmer and Joan Walterscheid; a student nurse, Stacie Walterscheid; and lab technicians, Gwen Carroll and Kaylene Dickinson.

Other helpers were twelve members of the hospital auxiliary: Shirley Grewing, Mary Lee Hennigan, Betty Jean Bindel, Aita Swirczynski, Jodie French, Kaye Pagel, Frances Bayer, Rita Russell, Jane Taylor, Dorothy Swirczynski, Betty Miller and Carolyn Bayer.

Special helpers were members of the Sacred Heart Student Council, which had sponsored the drive with publicity and telephone contacts to prospective donors. During collection they took half hour shifts in twos and threes to help with registration and serve refreshments. They were Mike Bayer, Bert Hesse, Joe Bartush, Sharon Crewing, Virginia Bartush, Monte Endres, Gene Fuhrman, Kirk Mollenkopf, Sharon Voth, Tim Voth, Carol Walterscheid, Phil Walterscheid and Gary Henschel.

Bert Miller in Finals of State Speech Contest

Bert Miller was named one of the State winners in the Youth Communication Speech Contest sponsored by Texas Garden Clubs, Inc. Announcement was made at the March meeting of Muenster Garden Club on March 14, of results of the competition at the District II Convention in Fort Worth.

The most recent competition was at the third level. Previously, in the current period, he was first place winner at the local level; Christy Felderhoff won second place. They were also first and second place winners respectively when they repeated their speeches later in Fort Worth and again during the recent Spring Convention of District II. Bert Miller will advance to the State level and will compete in Odessa at the State Convention of Texas Garden Clubs, Inc. April 3 to 5.

Bert was sponsored by the Muenster Garden Club, and Christy by the Gainesville Garden Clubs. The 1979 topic was "Join Hands to Save Our Wildlife from Man's Encroaching Development". Both students were accompanied to the several competitions by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbie Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Felderhoff. Third place winner at the local level was Lisa Hennigan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hennigan. They are students of Sacred Heart High School.

In another contest, also related to Youth Communication, second grade and sixth grade students were winners of a poster contest sponsored locally by the Muenster Garden Club. In Class I winners were Deanna Bierschenk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bierschenk and Janel Fluèche, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fluèche. In Class III, winners were Jean Trubench, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Trubench, Anita Meurer daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dave Meurer, Sandra Hughes, daughter of Mrs. Brenda Hughes and Tim Fleeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fleeman.

Myra Improvement Club Myra Community Improvement Club meeting Tuesday, March 27, in club building.

Trio Participates In Irish Fun Run

Among participants in the Irish Fun Run last Sunday at Lake Bridgeport were Puppet Staffels, Kerrie Ann Haerkamp and Dyna Stoffels, who finished as numbers 1, 3 and 4 in their age divisions. They received awards of medals, T-shirts and souvenir towels.

There to see the race were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Stoffels, Mr. and Mrs. Eg Hess and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Endres, also the Ted Macon family, Darla Middleton and Nickie Stoffels of Fort Worth who came to see their sister and cousins perform.

City Gets \$9,386 Sales Tax Check

The city of Muenster has received a check of \$9,386.93 from State Comptroller Bob Bullock as its rebate for the 1 per cent city sales tax permitted by local business during the period ending March 1, 1979.

The amount is substantially smaller than last year's \$11,540.17 for the corresponding period, and accounts for a decrease of 12 per cent in collections to date from those of 1978. The total to now is \$13,755.82 whereas it was \$15,775.96 to the corresponding date of last year.

Total for the entire state likewise is lagging, according to the comptroller's office, which has paid out 100.3 million this year as compared with 101.4 million at this time last year. Bullock adds, however, that arrival of returns too late for the computer rather than sluggish business may have caused the decline. He said that some 2,400 payments were on hand but not included in the March 1 report.

Muenster's 12 per cent drop is the sharpest in four cities of the area whose totals to date have declined. Nocona's rebates to date are \$23,467, a 9 per cent decline, Pilot Point has \$7,255, a 4% drop and Lindsay has \$8,800, a 3% drop.

Four cities of the area have gained in city sales tax rebates up to flow. Gainesville, with total collections of \$128,714 has gained 3%; Whitesboro, with \$19,615, is up 9%; Saint Jo, with \$4,682 is up 4% and Sanger, with \$5,477 is up 2%.

Schedule of Meetings

Home-School Society
Home School Society meeting Tuesday, March 27, 8 p.m. in the SHH gym. Workers for Germanfest — come and volunteer your time.

Beta Kappa
Beta Kappa of ESA meeting re-scheduled for Wednesday, March 28 at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Lupe Evans to complete final plans for Miss Muenster Pageant.

C.D.A.
The Catholic Daughters of America meeting advanced to Thursday, April 5, to avoid conflict with Holy Week Services.

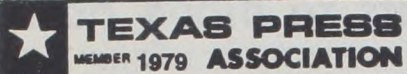
Saturday Evening Performance
The Hospital Auxiliary's play "Fantasy Frolics" will begin Saturday evening after Church Services. Persons who attend the evening Mass can be sure of arriving in time for the opening scene.

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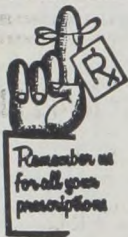
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School Names Entries for UIL Literary Competition

Elementary
 Entries of Muenster Public School in the elementary division of the University Interscholastic League District 14-A literary meet have been named as follows by Principal Alford Winn. The meet will be hosted by Lindsay Elementary at Cooke County College on Tuesday, April 3. The entries are listed as follows.
ORAL READING 5 & 6 BOYS: Jay Mollenkopf and Mikael Fette. Alternate, Dar-

ren Cheaney.
ORAL READING 5 & 6 GIRLS: Carmen Flusche and Jean Trubench, Alternate, Kim Eldred.
ORAL READING 7 & 8 BOYS: Dwayne Walterscheid and Brad Biffle, Alternate, Craig Felderhoff.
ORAL READING 7 & 8 GIRLS: Shelly Zimmerer and Paula Russell, Alternate, Jennie Hellman.
SPELLING AND PLAIN WRITING 5 & 6: Tim Fleeman, Joell Hellman and Tammie Reiter. Alternate, David Winn.
SPELLING AND PLAIN WRITING 7 & 8: Brent McElreath, Wayne Carroll and Debbie Bindel. Alternate, Bryan Hoenig.



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Winners of the speech contest sponsored by the VFW Auxiliary were named by Auxiliary President, Mrs. Linda Knabe, who awarded prizes to Bert Miller first; Marceline Bartel second; Jesse Walterscheid third and Lisa Hennigan fourth, all of SHHS. Prizes were \$50, \$30, \$20, and \$10. The topic was "Why I Care About America." Shown with Mrs.

Knabe, the Auxiliary President are, left to right, Bert Miller, Jesse Walterscheid, Lisa Hennigan and Marceline Bartel. Bert Miller recorded his prize winning speech on the KGAF tape facility, to be sent on to the regional level. Regional winners at the National level become eligible for scholarships to a chosen college.

High School
 Muenster High School's entries for the University Interscholastic League literary meet for District 14-A were announced this week by Principal Alford Winn. Pottsboro High will host the meet which will be held April 2 and 4 at Grayson County College. The first day will have preliminaries in the speaking events, the next will have finals in speaking and all other events. The entries are named as follows.
DEBATE: Traci Sawyer and Carla Walterscheid, Peggy Winn and Ricky Winn, Charlotte Fleitman and Joann Gibson.
POETRY INTERPRETATION: Lyle Huchton and Lisa Trubench.
PROSE READING: Beverly Trubench and Rita Sicking.
JOURNALISM FEATURE WRITING: Toni Dittfurth, Judy Walterscheid and Michael Sicking.
JOURNALISM NEWS WRITING: Beverly Trubench, Michael Sicking and Cathy Flusche.
JOURNALISM EDITORIAL WRITING: Toni Dittfurth, Judy Walterscheid and Beverly Trubench.
JOURNALISM HEADLINE WRITING: Cathy Flusche, Beverly Trubench and Judy Walterscheid.
READY WRITING: Kathy Davidson, Peggy Winn and Lisa Trubench.
SPELLING AND PLAIN WRITING: Lisa Reiter, Jill Walterscheid and Rene Stelzer.
NUMBER SENSE: Duane Knabe, Floyd Felderhoff and Mark Felderhoff.
SCIENCE: Lisa Trubench, Kathy Davidson and Dave Ferber.
SLIDE RULE: John Zimmerman.
TYPEWRITING: Julia Bright, Cathy Flusche and Lou Dyer. Alternate, Michael Sicking.
SHORTHAND: Barbie Walterscheid and Tami Fanning.

Alternate, Sherri Wolf.
 Coaches who helped the students in their preparations were Robert McDaniel in debate, Dan Hamric in number sense and slide rule, Nancy Perryman in science, Martha Koesler in ready writing, spelling and prose and poetry reading, and Bettye Dodds in journalism, typing and shorthand.

READY WRITING 5 & 6: Francine Hudspeth, David Winn and Pat Herr. Alternate, Amy Davidson.
READY WRITING 7 & 8: Debbie Bindel, Pam Hermes and Kristi Oakley. Alternate, Jill Wimmer.

NUMBER SENSE 5 & 6: Doug Marquardt, Tim Fleeman and Cory Klement. Alternate, David Winn.

NUMBER SENSE 7 & 8: Wayne Carroll, Garland Tate and Gregory Luke.

STORY TELLING: Meredith McDaniel, Danna Hamric and Penny Russell. Alternate, Ronnie Knabe.

PICTURE MEMORY: Johnny Eldred, Eileen Knabe, Ryan Klement and Darren Walterscheid. Alternate, Tracey Walterscheid.

Coaches assisting the students in their preparations were Prue Selby, Juanita Walterscheid, Carol Dyer and Barbara Robinson. Mrs. Selby and Mrs. Walterscheid will assist at the meet as directors in some of the events.

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Short Course for Dairymen Booked April 4 at CCC

Dairy farmers of North Texas are invited on Wednesday, April 4, to attend an all day dairy short course at the Activities Center of Cooke County College.

It is sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in cooperation with the Texas Experiment Station, the A&M Animal Science Department and CCC. The local planning committee includes Vernon Friedrich, Billy Kupper, Jerry Walterscheid, T. J.

Davidson, John South and Neil Tibbets.

The program, beginning with registration at 8:30, includes talks by six specialists in dairy and dairy-related business and a round table discussion, a noon luncheon and adjournment at 3:30.

Speakers will be Ron Woodley, County Extension agent of Hopkins County, B. T. McDaniel of North Carolina State University, D. V. Armstrong of the University of Arizona, Dr. David Smokler of Lancaster, Bob Berry of California, and W. N. Philpot of Louisiana State University.

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COLLEGE REVIEW — The Sacred Heart High School senior class recently participated in East Texas State University's College Review program. Those visiting the Commerce campus included (first row) Rhonda Bednorz, Sharon Grewing, Angelo Nasche, Eddie Stock, sponsor, (second row) Jeff Hess, Neil Rohmer, Greg Gieb, Joe Bartush, (third row) Sherri Herr, Donna Henni gan, Bert Hesse, Wilfred Luttmer, (fourth row) Janelle Hellman, Laurie Walterscheid, Lisa Krahl, Kevin Hess, Mike Bayer, and Kent Fuhrman. ETSU's College Preview program allows high school students to stay two days on campus to become acquainted with the academic setting and university life. The program includes meetings with ETSU professors and students.
— (ETSU photo by David Walvoord)

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Horn and their daughters and sons-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Deere (Florene) and Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Vieth, (Shirley) all of Windthorst were visitors with relatives the weekend of March 10, 11. The Jake Horns and the Calvin Deeres and three year old son Michael were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Al Horn and Saturday overnight and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Klement and family. Joining them Sunday were the Edmund Vieths.

After all is said and done, it's usually the wife who has said it and the husband who has done it.

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Winner in National Drill Team Pageant

Mary O'Dowd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Danny O'Dowd of Shreveport, Louisiana and granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Walter of Muenster, is a member of the Southwood High School Silver Spurs, of Shreveport, a precision-dance Drill Team.

The 25 member team won first place in their category in a recent Miss Drill Team USA Pageant held in Santa Monica, California, in which there were more than 6,500 participants in all categories. The Spurs won the honor with a high-kick routine to "Disco Inferno." Two years ago the team placed sixth in the same event.

Judging was on "appearance, projection, performance, and originality and difficulty of dance while competing..." The Southwood High School Silver Spurs performed for a crowd of more than 12,000. Organized since 1971, the group has performed also at football and basketball games. The team has been praised for being "No. 1 in Shreveport, No. 1 in Louisiana and No. 1 in the Nation."

Mrs. Danny O'Dowd is the former Genie Walter, and a former resident of Muenster.

Like Capistrano Martins Have Their Day at St. Francis

Purple Martins are returning to St. Francis Village near Fort Worth as faithfully as their more famous relatives, the swallows "come back to Capistrano."

On Ash Wednesday, for the past six years, scouts for the flocks of martins have arrived, although that religious day rarely falls on the same date. Their arrival was repeated again on Ash Wednesday this year, although the weather was much colder than usual.

Mrs. John Mosman says that she recently received a clipping from the Fort Worth Star Telegram, written by Anita Baker, telling of the arrival. The clipping was sent by Mrs. Henry Hennigan, who now lives at St. Francis Village and is a sister of Marie Mosman and is a former Muenster resident.

The clipping told how Father Robert Byington, a retired priest living at St. Francis Village, began six years ago to provide bird houses in readiness for the purple martins. By coincidence, perhaps, St. Francis Village was named after its patron, St. Francis of Assisi, who is known for his love for, and devoted care of animals and birds. Also, Father Robert Byington lives at 12 Assisi Court, where he shares that love of animals with the great Saint.

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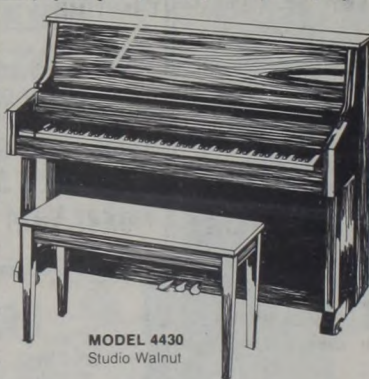
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Garden Club Hears Talk on Landscape By Chris Kaden

A program by Chris Kaden of Kaden Landscape Company of Gainesville, announcement of Bert Miller and Christy Felderhoff as first and second place winners in the speech contest at the District II Convention, and announcement of five major awards won by the Muenster Garden Club at the Convention, were highlights of the garden club's March meeting Wednesday night.

Chris Kaden, a Landscape Architect and a graduate of Texas A and M University, spoke on "Beautify Yards with Trees and Shrubs."

In his very informative presentation he referred to 1 Foundation Planting (discussing trends toward more informal placement) 2, Border Plants, 3, Accent Plants, 4, Barrier Planting, 5, Interior Gardens, 6, Pruning, 7, allowances for full maturity size supplement or support winter or summer air-conditioning.

He discussed a full range of topics, from winter hardiness zones to selection of plants, trees and shrubs appropriate to specific areas or for specific uses. He also named and described a number of trees known to do well in this area, and very graciously answered members' questions.

Chris Kaden was introduced by Mrs. W. J. Luke, program chairman.

The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. King Koch, president. She told that Bert Miller and Christy Felderhoff were winners of the speech contest sponsored by Muenster Garden Club in competition at District II Convention. (Story elsewhere in this paper). Mrs. Herb Miller reported on Germanfest plans. Holly Koch told that the Garden Club Council is officially named Cooke County Council of Garden Clubs. She also listed five major awards won by the Muenster Club at the District II meeting. And she announced that the "Yard of the Month" award will be resumed in March, after being inactive during winter months.

Mrs. John Mosman and Mrs. Richard Ferber told about progress on the Garden Therapy project at St. Richard's Villa. Mrs. James Roark told about planned improvements at the Mini-Park and that the club has hired a helper for maintenance. The club voted to renew and extend the contract with the City of Muenster for a five year term for maintenance of the Mini-Park and Myrick Play Center, as written at present.

It was also announced that if another Junior Garden Club



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develops, the Muenster Garden Club will be the sponsor. The annual pilgrimage will be held on April 21. Members will tour the Tridens Prairie of the National Land Trust near Paris, Texas. Guests at the meeting were Mrs. David Fette, Mrs. Joe

Knauf, Mrs. Richard Marquardt, Mrs. James Hess, and Mrs. Marshall, house guest of Polly Koch. Mrs. David Flusche was hostess in the Cooke County Electric Co-op meeting room. She served dessert, coffee or cold drinks to sixteen from a table centered with an

arrangement of yellow and orange branches. Thursday, March 29 - Roast Beef au Jus, baked whole potatoes, parsleyed carrot ring, whole wheat bread, margarine, pistachio pudding, milk. The style changers sell men and women new clothes each year they don't need and outdated clothes they do need.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Endres Return From Wedding Trip to Hawaii

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Endres have returned from a wedding trip to the Hawaiian Islands, where they spent ten days on Oahu and Maui and are at home in Muenster.

The bride is the former Karen Bezner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don L. Bezner of Gainesville and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Urban J. Endres of Muenster.

The couple was married in a Nuptial Mass with double ring ceremony in St. Mary's Church of Gainesville on February 24 at 5 p.m. Father Placidus Eckart was celebrant, and officiated for the exchange of vows.

Before an altar decorated with candles and flowers, the bride was presented by her parents. She was wearing a bridal gown of ivory satin with a fitted bodice, square neckline, long, slim sleeves trimmed with pleated lace, and accents of re-embroidered ivory chantilly lace on the skirt which extended into a train edged with pleated lace net.

Her elbow length, sheer net veil held appliques of chantilly lace and was attached to a headpiece of re-embroidered chantilly lace.

The bridal bouquet was a cascade of white silk

gardenias, peonies, apple blossoms and freesia. For the reception, the bride wore white apple blossoms in her hair.

In keeping with tradition she wore her maternal grandmother's wedding ring for "something old", and "borrowed" her paternal grandmother's rosary, and wore the traditional "blue" garter.

Attendants

Bridal attendants were her sisters, Donna Sconce of Gainesville as matron of honor and Shelly Bezner as junior bridesmaid; and Dena Ortowski, a friend as bridesmaid. They wore floor length blue gowns designed in blouson style, carried clusters of blue daisies and each wore a blue daisy in her hair.

The ring bearer was Chad Sconce, nephew of the bride.

The best man was Matt Holton of Houston, a long-time friend of the groom. The groomsmen were Danny Endres of Muenster, the groom's brother. Ushers were Tommy Bezner of Gainesville, bride's brother and Jack Endres of Austin, groom's brother.

Mass servers were Paul Bezner, bride's brother and Stephen and Keith Vogel groom's nephews.

Wedding music included the Wedding March, a special composition by the musicians, Kenny Bezner on the guitar and Jon Price on the flute, with songs by Susie Phillips, vocalist.

Reception

Parents of the couple were hosts for the reception that followed in the Knights of Columbus Hall in Gainesville

for about 300 guests.

Connie Bezner of Gainesville presided at the bride's book.

Reception assistants were Bobby Wilson of Gainesville and Shirley Yarbrough of Whitesboro. The wedding cake was three tiered, on separating pillars, and stood over a blue fountain. Satin and lace bells decorated the top tier.

For the wedding and reception the bride's mother wore a light green floor length dress and the groom's mother wore a pink floor length dress. Both had white daisy nosegay corsages.

The bride is a graduate of Gainesville High School, attended Cooke County College and is a clerical employee in the Southland Paint Office. The groom is a graduate of Muenster Public High School and attended North Texas State University. He is a route salesman for Cooke County Distributing Company.

When the couple returned from Hawaii, they visited in Austin with relatives and friends before returning to Muenster.

Rehearsal Dinner

The rehearsal dinner was held on Friday, February 23 at 7:30 p.m. in The Mill Restaurant of Gainesville.

On Friday February 10, 2 to 4 p.m. a shower honored the bride-elect at the home of Mrs. Joyce Bindel with Shirley Yarbrough and Dena Ortowski sharing hostess duties.

Forestburg News

by Myrt Denham

Those pretty little "kittens of the wild" - commonly known as skunks, have been making themselves felt and smelt over the area here lately. Our dog, who sports a long thick haired "coat," has had himself "perfumed up" a few times. The Johnny Carters had to abandon their home for a night last week when some skunks left their calling cards. There sure seems to be an over abundant supply of these smelly critters this year.

Sometimes, due to various circumstances, our news has a little age on it before we can share it with our readers. However, new or old we do like to pass it on to you.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Dean Johnson are the proud parents of a new baby son, Lance Meredith, born Thurs. March continued on page 10



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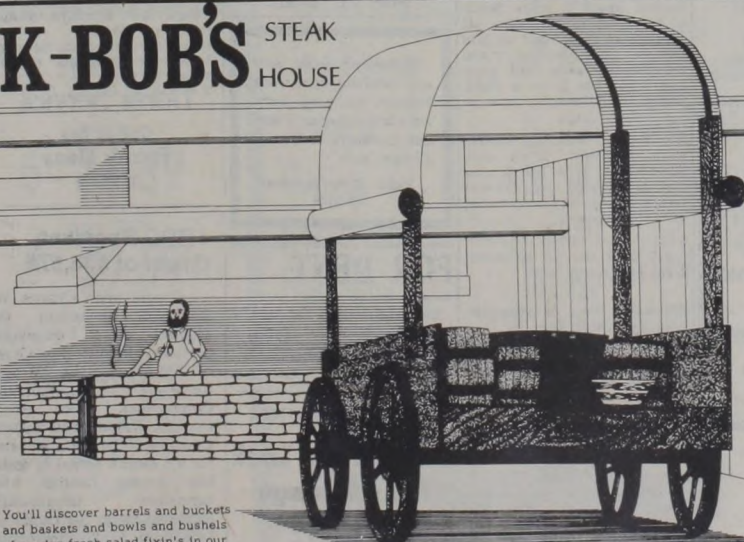
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Airman Jackson is an X-ray technician with the 301st Tactical Hospital. She joined the Air Force Reserve in May, 1976 after attending Texas Woman's University for two years. She is currently studying to be a radiographer technician at Tarrant County Junior College.

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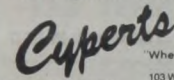


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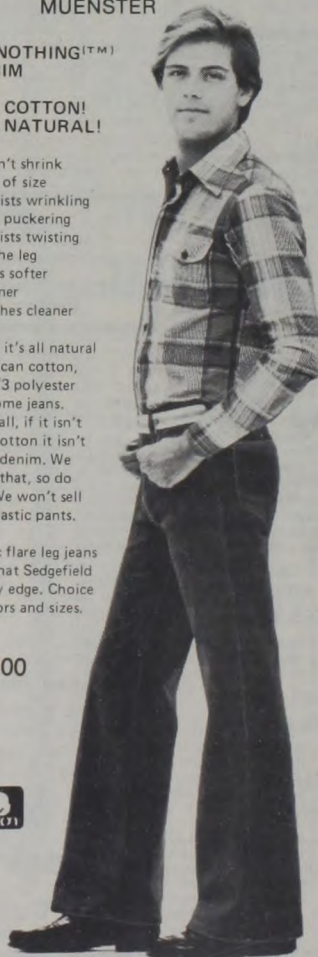
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TRPC Receives Grant of \$36,575
Congressman Charles W. Stenholm announces the approval of a Community Services Administration Grant of \$36,575 to the Texoma Regional Planning Commission, which serves Cooke, Grayson and Fannin Counties. The grant will run for a 6 month period to assist low income families who experience substantially increased energy costs and / or face life or health threatening situations caused by winter related energy emergencies.

Health is the most unappreciated blessing in the world — by those who have it.
Too often habits make men instead of men making habits.

Homemakers Club Sees Program on Bedding Plants

A program on bedding plants was presented Wednesday for members of Young Homemakers of Texas by Roger Taylor during the regular

March business meeting.

Eighteen members attended in the T.P.&L. Building. Sue Trachta presided and Janet Felderhoff led the devotional. Jan Richey presented a gift of appreciation to the speaker.

Hostesses were Mary Caplinger and Susan Caplinger.

The next meeting will be on April 4

at 7:30 p.m. in the Homemaking Department of Muenster Public School. Dr. Les Schacher of Gainesville will speak. The meeting is open to the public.

Nature does her best to persuade mankind that this is a pleasant earth.



Two of the leading characters of "Boarding House Reach" are shown during the performance by SHS eighth graders last Friday night in the Community Center. Wade Walterscheid, as Wilbur Maxwell, is pleading an unsuccessful case for a much-desired bicycle, with Janet Hesse who played Mrs. Maxwell, Wilbur's mother. His subsequent attempt to finance the purchase himself, led to hilarious complications. —Photo by Janie Hartman

Volunteers Worked 2761 Hours At the Library in Past Year

Librarian Mary Moster presented the annual report to the Muenster Public Library Board during the meeting held March 15 at 7 p.m. in the library.

Robert McDaniel, president, conducted the business meeting. Earling Tisdale, secretary, read minutes of the February meeting and Loree Bruns gave the treasurer's report.

Committees as announced by the president are as follows: Book and Audio-Visual Purchasing - Earline Tisdale, Ruth Felderhoff and Loree Bruns.

Maintenance and finance - Robert McDaniel and John Yosten.

Programs, personnel and extension - Alice Roark and Jim Gehrig.

A summary of the library report shows that a total of 2,761 hours were given by staff volunteers, namely Mary Moster librarian 885 hours; Teresa Fowler assistant 855

hours; and staff members Betty Felderhoff 323 hours; Evelyn Schilling 314 hours; Regina Pels 312 hours; Victoria Gremminger 67 hours and Lee Toothaker (retired) 5 hours.

In 1978, total circulation was 8,848 - 8043 books, 773 pamphlets and mimeographed articles and 32 audio-visual items. Highest demand for books was in June, lowest in December. Circulation has grown steadily since 1975 when the total was over 5,000; 1976, over 6,000 and 1977 over 7,000.

Special programs included the pre-school Children's activity with attendance of 430 during the school year; and the Summer Story hour with attendance of 51 during four one hour sessions. "Friends of the Library" sponsored the former and chairmen of the latter were Betty Miller, Mary Bayer, Laura Stewart, Kathy Berres, Kathy Hess and Jeannine Flusche.

Total of books added this year 1,040; purchased 326, loaned from Northeast Texas Library System 555, donated 155, "In Mimory of", 4. The total book stock is 12,944. Total items of audio-visual material is 116.

The Library subscribes to 11 magazines and receives 6 gift subscriptions and one newspaper.

CCC Receives \$217,456 Grant

Congressman Charles W. Stenholm announces the approval of a \$217,456.41 Office of Education grant to Cooke County. The allotment of these funds for school year 1979-80 is under provisions of Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act as amended by Public Law 95-561. These funds will provide services for children residing in low-income areas and institutionalized neglected and delinquent children in State-operated or supported schools who have need for special educational assistance in order that their level of education attainment may be raised to that appropriate for children of their age. These funds shall become available on July 1, 1979.

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Dittfurth Studies Safes and Locks

Sandy Dittfurth, a member of the Sherman Police Department, spent three days last week attending an Advanced Locks and Safes Course of the Texas Crime Prevention Institute at Southwest Texas University.

She was in a class of 32 from Texas and three other states, studying the latest lock and safe hardware now on the market or expected to reach the market soon.

Sandy is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dittfurth, a graduate of Muenster High School.



Over 600 members of the No. 18 Muenster branch of Catholic Life Insurance enjoyed a barbecued beef dinner and beer at their annual CLIU annual social and meeting Saturday night in the Sacred Heart Community Center. Pictured are the past and newly elected officers. (Front) Tim Hartman, re-elected secretary-treasurer; Roger Taylor, past president; Tom Swirczynski, past 1st vice president; Alvin Hartman, past 2nd vice president; Rev. Denis Soerries, spiritual adviser; (Back) Richard Schroeder, district supervisor, Dan Haverkamp, president; Frank Luke, 1st vice-president; John D. Fleitman, 2nd vice-president.

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Tuesday - Turkey and dressing, gravy, peas, combination salad, ice cream, bread, milk.

Wednesday - Hamburgers and trimmings, french fries, milk, dessert.

Thursday - Fried chicken, rice and gravy, green beans, bread, milk, dessert.

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News of The Sick

Mrs. J.M. Weinzapfel is home again since Thursday, March 14, when she was released from Muenster Memorial Hospital following medical care. Guests on Sunday were a daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jackson of Fort Worth.

Mrs. August Fleitman of Muenster was notified this week of the illness of her sister, Mrs. Jackie Zackery and son, Troy Zackery, both of Denton. Troy was first to be hospitalized in Flow Hospital in January for treatment of pneumonia. In February Mrs. Zackery was a patient in Westgate Hospital and last week Troy underwent surgery for sinus blockage at Flow. He returned home last Friday to recuperate.

Better news came in the form of pictures of beautiful wood carvings just completed by Mr. Jackie Zackery for the altar table in his mother's Church done in memory of Zackery's late grandfathers.

CDA Changes Date For Next Meeting

The Muenster Court of Catholic Daughters of America will hold its April meeting on the first Thursday of the month, to avoid conflict with Holy Week services. The date is April 5, in the K.C. Hall at 8 p.m.

During the recent March meeting, the local court decided on an ice cream booth for Germanfest and final details will be completed at the April meeting.

Regent Dorothy Fisher appointed a committee to audit the court's books covering the six month period from October 1 to March 31. Committee members Aileen Cler, Aileen Knabe and Antonia Hess will meet Monday, April 2 at 8 p.m. in the Telephone Company Office for the audit.

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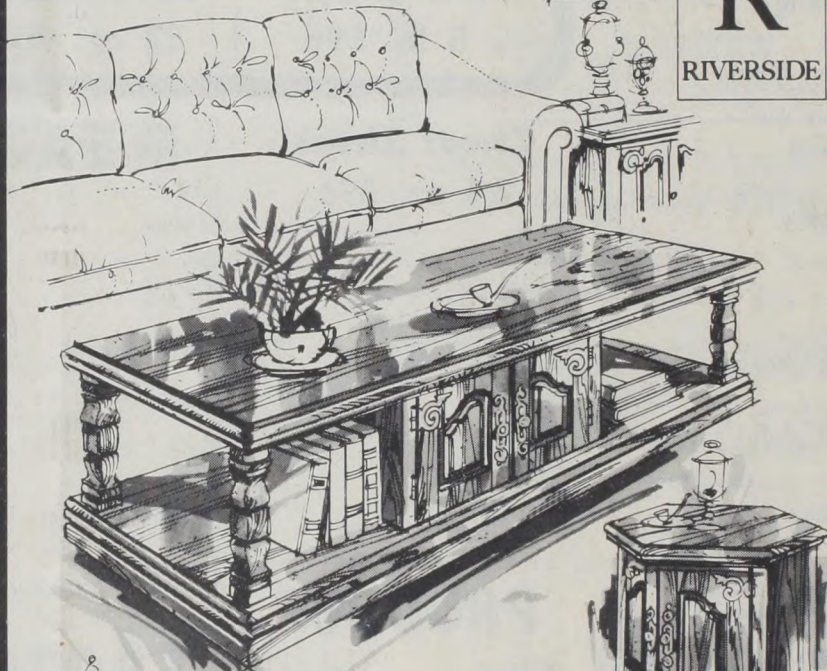
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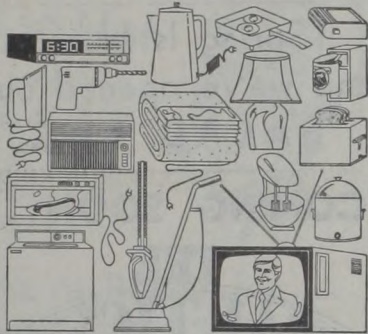
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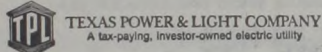
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Student Council

The Blood Drive sponsored by the Sacred Heart Student Council was a great success. The drive brought in over 100 pints of blood which was over the goal set.

The student council put up posters and had articles published in the paper to advertise the drive. The members also contacted people and asked them to come give. They set a goal for themselves to contact at least 10 people to take part in the drive.

The Sacred Heart student council also provided workers to help in any way needed with the drive. The students helped to unload the equipment and set up at 1:30 and then load back up when it was over. Also students gave out orange juice and donuts to those donating blood and helped in any other way they could.

The project was taken by the council to get the high school students involved in their community, to teach them some of the necessary services performed in their community, to teach them the need of the regular blood drives and to give them the experience of helping others.

History Competition

On Friday, March 9, Sacred Heart High School participated for the first time in History Bowl at the Private School Academic Rally at the University of Dallas at Irving. In the opening round Sacred Heart defeated Bishop Dunne High School of Dallas. In the second round, they drew a bye and lost in the third round to Central Catholic of San Antonio, the eventual winner.

The competition was based on the G.E. College Bowl format, and questions covered

all phases of U.S. History and Government.

The Sacred Heart team included Bert Miller (Junior-Captain), Donna Hennigan, Senior, Lisa Krahl, Senior, Gene Fuhrman, Freshman, and Susie Felderhoff, Freshman. Mr. Joseph Caserta is the sponsor.

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F.H.A.

The F.H.A Chapter at Muenster Public School has set the day of April 10 for the F.H.A Banquet. The Homemaking Classes are all busy preparing for this upcoming event.

Annual

The Annual had a drawing for a stuffed bunny rabbit and a basket full of candy. Lisa Trubenbach won the bunny and Rita Russell won the basket full of candy. The money goes for future use for the Annual.

Leigh Anne

The Sophomore Class gave Coach Stinson a party Monday. It was to celebrate the birth of his new daughter Leigh Anne. They presented him with a pink dress for Leigh Anne, which the class paid for.

Lab

On Thursday, March 15, the Homemaking I class held an egg lab. In this lab groups tried various egg dishes. Many students who had not liked egg dishes before found they liked these. Group I made Egg Foo Yung, Group II made Egg Custard, Group III made Egg and Bacon Casserole, and Group IV made a fluffy omelet. The general favorite of the class was the Egg Foo Yung.

Hornet Band

This Friday, March 23, The High School band will compete in the U.I.L. Music contest at Azle High School. There they will play three contest selections plus their sight reading pieces.

Kindergarten

Ryan Gehrig's sixth birthday was observed on Thursday March 15 when his mother Mrs. Jim Gehrig visited the Kindergarten and brought punch and decorated cupcakes. Special treats were bags of Cracker Jacks, candy and balloons. Ryan's guests were his brothers Jason and Michael and his grandmothers Mrs. Herman Stoffels and Mrs. George Gehrig.

A big wheel is a small cog that kept working.

Mrs. Williams

Two parties were held to honor Mrs. Williams on her birthday. The morning Kindergarten class observed the day on Wednesday, March 14. Mrs. Raymond Stewart was the hostess and her daughter, Kimberly was a guest. She served refreshments of Hawaiian Punch and decorated cupcakes. Curly-Q Suckers were extra treats. The children of the morning class presented a necklace as a gift to their teacher.

Mrs. Sam Endres was hostess for the observance during the afternoon class. Her daughter, Jennie was a guest. They served Hawaiian Punch and decorated cupcakes. A floral arrangement of silk

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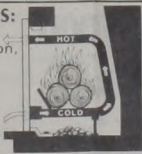
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Forestburg News

8th at the Flo Hospital in Denton. Lance weighed in at 8 lbs. 2 oz. He is the grandson of Mrs. and Mrs. Bobby Dean Johnson of Forestburg and Mrs. Tommie Houston of Denton. His great grandparents are: Mrs. and

Mr. Dean Johnson and Mrs. and Mrs. Bue Johnson all of Forestburg.

Mrs. Loveta Beweley was in Wichita Falls Fri. March 9 visiting her sister-in-law Mrs. "Pete" Cox. Loveta spent the nite there.

Charlie Meyer celebrated his 72nd birthday at his home on Saturday March 10th. Helping make it a very happy occasion for Charlie were: Mrs. and Mrs. Bentley Anderson and family of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Foster and family of Carrollton, Mark Schneider of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holt and family, Kent Schneider, and Ronnie Harlin all of Gainesville.

Mrs. Rhoda Greenwood of Alvord, grandmother of Mrs. Olita Lanier, was honored with a birthday party in her

home on Sat. March 10th. Mrs. Lanier and the boys attended the party honoring her grandmother on her 81st birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Vandevetter of Decatur are the proud parents of Mardy Kay, born Sunday March 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Mantz of Potlatch, Idaho visited her grandparent Mr. and Mrs. D.D. Echols of Mallard recently.

D.J. Rater and the 5th and 6th grade students, JoAnn Greenwood and the 3rd and 4th graders along with some of the sponsors all attended the movie "Bracko the Frog" at Casa Manana in Fort Worth Friday March 9th.

Ray Joe Hunt and daughter Patty and a friend all of Paulsboro, New Jersey were recent visitors of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hunt of New Harp. They returned home the weekend of March 17th.

Perryman and I made it over to Gainesville and Muenster Friday March 16th. In Gainesville we met up with Sue Sirman and Kay Romine at Wall Mart doing a little shopping.

Dale Schweter and son Kevin and Clint Schitoskey of Lewisville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sockwell Sat. March 17th.

On Sunday March 11th Mr. and Mrs. Ross Littell of Stoney Point motored up to Healdton, OK. to spend the day with some cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Box.

Then on Sunday March 18th Ross and Lucille along with Mrs. Gretell Fanning made a trip to Dallas to visit with Judge White who is a patient in the V.A. Hospital there. It is with much sadness we report that Judge is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Arthur Littell of OK., City returned home Sunday night March 18th after a three weeks cruise vacation. The Arthur Littells boarded a ship at Houston for the Bahama Islands. Arthur is Ross Littell's brother and Mrs. A. Littell is the former Evelyn Dunn.

There is much excitement and activity up in the Stoney Point Area here the past few days. Seems a oil drilling-rig is moving in on the Bailey place. Guess the word "oil" these days would stir up a little fanfare.

Miss Sharon Bailey and Pat Mahoney of Denton visited with Sharon's grandmother Mrs. Juanita Bailey Sunday March 11th. Sharon is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bailey of Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Fenogilo and son of Montague visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Edie McClure and Becky of New Harp on Sunday March 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Greanead of Arlington visited with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dean Johnson and family, Mrs. Juanita Greanead and Mrs. and Mrs. Vint Freeman Sunday March 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Winingham of Bowie and Mrs. Hazel Johnson of Montague were visitors in the Fred Williams home Sunday March 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tipton are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Monday March 19th in the Bowie Hospital.

Harry B. Perryman has been on the sick list here of late — suffering from that common ailment—a very bad cold. Harry felt so bad he just remained at home, which is what all of us should do and not contaminate others. Who needs a cold?

I guess inflation is on all our minds these days. President Carter has all manner of people hired to advise him, etc I have my own idea what causes inflation. Just imagine if the state government, or the city government, or the county government or better still every family had their own little money printing press instead of producing something to earn our money—we could just run off a batch of 20's etc. So just be thankful that the federal government is all that can print money.

We have a friend between us and Forestburg that is really complaining these days about all the "road cattle" roaming up and down by his place. These cattle fight his cattle tearing up fences, they come in his yard turn over his wife's wash-water and get in her flower beds. He said last year he had two Church of Christ neighbors that gave him fits

with "road cattle" and this year it is two Methodists. He says he does believe the Methodists are worse because he gets a few hogs thrown in

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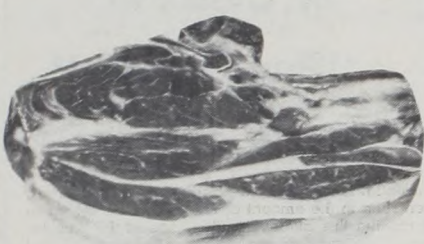
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Contract Signed For Construction Of County Jail

A new jail for Cooke County, which has been under consideration for almost six years, is finally under contract and expected to get under construction within the next few days.

The contract was awarded Wednesday, March 14, by the county commissioners to North Texas Construction Co. of Sherman on a low bid of \$1,194,000 which had been quoted some two months earlier. However the builder and architect have been trimming costs since then and the revised figure is expected to be near \$1 million.

The contract specifies a building of 9,000 square feet with accommodations for 30 prisoners along with modern furnishings to meet requirements of the Texas Jail Standards Commission. Failure of the present 50 year old structure to meet the commission's demand was one of the principal reasons for building the new jail. Another inducement was the possibility of lawsuits by prisoners based on the outdated condition of the old jail.

Location of the new structure is on South Weaver Street, south of the Cooke County Library. Completion date, contracted for a year,

may be reduced to 10 months if conditions are favorable.

Financing is to be provided principally by federal revenue sharing funds which now total \$674,000, and provision for the remaining cost is to be determined at the county's budget hearing in the summer.

A provision of the contract is to allow the county to save money by doing some of the work itself. An example is preparing the building site with the county's personnel and equipment. Another provision is to give the county the benefit of savings realized by suppliers and subcontractors. On the other hand the county is expected to pay more if supplies and sub-contracts get more expensive than expected.

As regards cost of labor, Cooke County is both a winner and a loser. Since federal funds are involved, the US Department of Labor ruled that wage levels must be those of the Dallas-Fort Worth area, whereas commissioners claimed that wage levels of the Cooke County area should apply. After a long hassle the local rate was permitted, allowing substantial savings in labor cost.

However the long dispute on the issue caused a delay of the project, during which time building costs increased an estimated 10 to 15 per cent.

IT HAPPENED 15 YEARS AGO

March 20, 1964

Mrs. Katie Roberg dies of heart attack. Pastors announce Holy Week service schedule. Muenster 4-H clubbers Cathy Medders and Jack Simpson show champions in county livestock show. Work begins on new homes for Arthur Felderhoff and Mrs. Oscar Detten. Albert Herr takes over as owner of feed store as Tim Stormer returns to full time farming. Public school students win eight ribbons at county Science Fair. James Krahl leaves for Korea. Fuhrmans and Millers attend Telephone Association convention in Corpus Christi. Colonial Acres is elected to membership in Red Angus Association. Local teams win four of six in volleyball tourney. Kenneth Wiesman heads Austin office of Secret Service. Mrs. Earl Robison is hospitalized with fractures after fall. Debbie Cler breaks arm. New arrivals: twin girls for Mike Simpsons; a boy for the Bill Birdens, a girl for the Steve Krahls.

10 YEARS AGO

March 21, 1969

Mrs. Pat Stelzer withdraws from hospital ballot. Earl Hartz, 76, dies of heart attack. Final rites are held at Myra for Mrs. C.L. Williams Sr., 71. Endres Motor Company wins Hawaii trip in sales contest. Area gets second March snowfall, about three inches. MHS seniors present 3-act comedy. Cynthia Bindel and Beverly Koelzer are top SHH students. City water tank and tower get repairs and paint job. MHS wins in triangular meet with Lindsay and Era. Father Elias, provincial from Chicago, meets with Third Order. John Yosten earns manager's award. The Antonettis talk on Cuba at Ross Point Club. SH Parish hosts district meeting as Catholic State League. Field Day at Tony's Feed Lot features briefing on beef cutability. Nine Tiger lettermen set for baseball practice. A&M students of Cooke County choose Carol Mosman as Sweetheart. Danny Wilde ends Vietnam tour. New arrivals: boys for Messrs. and Mmes. Randy Wimmer, Wesley Hubik and John Louis Hess.

5 YEARS AGO

March 22, 1974

Mrs. Carl Schilling, 46, dies after short illness. Court of honor admits Thomas Bright, Jim Luke, Paul Reiter and Ronnie Weinzapfel to Eagle Scout rank. City council approves traffic control in school zone. Dean Sicking has grand champ and Danny Endres has reserve champ in local FFA project show. City receives EPA grant of \$10,300 for sewer project. 420 are entered in Jaycee Enduro motorcycle race. Directors of Muenster Water District are announced...they are Henry Weinzapfel, Gene Hoedebeck, Mike Sloan, Al Walter and Leonard Endres. Late freeze hits early fruit crop. Muenster Garden Club gets district honors. Muenster Chamber of Commerce meets to revitalize programs. Tigers are tops in Class B track meet at Saint Jo. MHS track team takes fifth place in Indian Relays at Nocona. Nine persons receive certificates in defensive driving course. Final rites are held for Anna Leorwald 88, at Lindsay. Special liturgy and social mark traditional observance of St. Joseph's Day. CDA court announces winners in poetry and essay contest. New arrivals: boys for Messrs. and Mmes. Danny Hoenic and Charles Ivers; girls for the Eddy Dunhams and Larry Fuhrmann.

It doesn't do much good to put your best foot forward, if you are dragging the other one.

Members signed "Get-Well" cards for Mrs. Hubert Felderhoff, Mrs. Rosie Knauf and Mrs. Ray Voth.

Appreciation cards were received from Brother Thomas Moster, Mrs. Eula Grace Cain and Mr. Fuson of St. Richard's Villa and the committee in charge of Wednesday afternoon parties.

In a communication from John Fuhrmann of New Braunfels, he requested members write to Congressmen appealing for support of Bills 117, 118, 119, 120.

Mrs. Alfons Koesler said she is continuing on the Mission Stamp Project. Also, she needs worn-out sheets for bandages for cancer patients.

Mrs. Leo Henscheid read "My Rosary Beads". Mrs. Rosie Walterscheid won the door prize. Thirty four members attended. Father Stephen led the opening and closing prayers. Officers of St. Anne's Society are Mrs. Denis Walterscheid president, Mrs. John Otto vice president, Mrs. Leo Henscheid treasurer and Mrs. Harold Knabe, secretary and reporter.

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Magazine Tells Germanfest Story

Welcome publicity for Muenster and the next Germanfest is an article in the current issue of Texas Highways, the official state travel magazine. With brief reference to the community's early history and its German heritage, it drifts to the festival which has become widely known in the few years of its existence.

It begins with the often told story of German pioneers coming from midwestern states in 1889 to Muenster, which was then identified by a scrap of paper on a telegraph pole beside the railroad track. There's mention of the community's first mass on December 8, 1889, which was officially regarded as the birth of Muenster, and also of the fact that hard working immigrants endured drought, tornadoes, and epidemics in getting started toward the area's present prosperity.

Origin of Germanfest is described as the occasion when Muenster entered the bi-centennial spirit with a celebration observing German heritage and tradition. Featuring bands, dancing, singing, contests, beer and good German food, along with the first German Fun Run, it was a great success and has become a community institution.

In closing it calls attention to this year's celebration and

recommends it highly for German goodies and hospitality. The article is accompanied by four colored pictures, the outstanding of which is the view of hundreds of participants in last year's German Fun Run.

Another article in the magazine describes and pictures Jack Cheaney's saddle shop in Gainesville. It tells about the origin of the business in 1877 and its early transfer to the Cheaney family where it has remained ever since. Family members still there are Jack and Bonnie Cheaney

and sons Bruce and Phillip. From the beginning the shop did all kinds of leather work but always specialized in saddles, which now are spread all over the world. Some of the saddles being made now are destined for Australia. In recent years the business has been expanded by addition of a Western Wear store.

Muenster Chamber of Commerce has acquired 200 copies of the magazine. They are available at Hofbauer's, the Kountry Korner and Bayer's Kolonialwaren for 50 cents each.

"Music Man" Plays Twice

A cast of 47 is rehearsing for the March 30 and April 1 presentation of "The Music Man", by Meredith Wilson. The SHH Thespian Troupe is headed by Joe Bartush as Harold Hill and Janelle Hellman as Marian Paroo. Rose Felderhoff plays Mrs. Paroo, Marian's matchmaking mother and Angelo Nasche, Jr. plays the skeptical and bumbling mayor. And there is a Barber Shop Quartet, too.

The musical tells the story of Harold Hill who travels to River City, Iowa, in July 1912. He wants to form a boy's band. He has also devised a new music method known as the "Think System." Using no

notes the performer merely thinks a note much like whistling.

The local librarian and piano teacher wises up to the scheme and the results are surprising!! The Band is even more surprising!!

Familiar songs are "Good Night, My Someone," "Till There Was You," "Wells Fargo Wagon" and "Seventy Six Trombones."

The "Music Man" will be presented at the Community Center on Friday, March 30 and Sunday, April 1. Tickets are on sale now at the High School office and the Ben Franklin Store. Prices are \$2.50 for advance tickets and \$3.00 for the door.

Services Held for George Hartmann

George F. Hartmann, 74, of Elmhurst, Illinois died at 2:45 a.m. Monday, March 12 at his home. He was the husband of the former Anna Fuhrmann of Lindsay.

She survives with a daughter Marianna, Mrs. Robert White of Deerfield, Ill. and three sons Joseph of South America, George of Green Bay, Wisc. and Paul of Chicago.

Also seven grandchildren; two brothers, William and Anthony, both of Pesotum, and two sisters, Anna Hausmann of Pesotum, Ill. and Katherine Border of Indianapolis, Ind.

Two daughters and a son preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, March 14 in Immaculate Conception Church of Elmhurst with Father Henry L. Wilkening offering the Mass of Christian Burial. Wake service was held Tuesday evening. Interment was in St. Joseph's Cemetery of Pesotum.

George Hartmann was born on May 16, 1904 in Pesotum, a son of Frank J. and Teresa Reinhardt Hartmann.

He was also a former resident of Muenster, having worked here in his youth. In Elmhurst he was a barber for about 30 years before his retirement.

Among relatives attending the funeral were Mrs. Albert Klement, Henry N. Fuhrmann and Val Fuhrmann. Also Sister Henry Ann Fuhrmann of Wichita Falls. Sister Henry Ann remained to visit longer with her sister Mrs. Hartmann. Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Fuhrmann will visit in Elmhurst later with his sister.

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Juniors and seniors may take any course offered to lower classes.

Students will be allowed to take one study hall. If properly used, the study hall is an opportunity to prepare for classes, thus freeing evenings for social events or part time work.

Except for vocational courses, Muenster Public School offers as many courses as any A or AA school in the North Texas area. No school of its size offers as wide a variety of courses.

Soil District Sets Land Judging Contest March 29

Directors of the Upper Elm Red Soil and Water Conservation District this week announced plans to hold the district's 23rd annual land judging contest on Thursday, March 29, in the Gainesville Community Center. It will be open to all FFA and 4-H chapters of the three county district.

Chairman J. H. Bayer said "Over 1300 students have participated in the contest since it began 23 years ago. We have had a good contest, but it could be much larger. We would like to see all FFA and 4-H chapters of our area represented."

The contest will be conducted by Soil Conservation Service personnel of the district following rules and regulations used in state and national FFA land judging. Registrations start at 1 p.m. and the contest starts at 2. First year ag students will compete in the junior level and other students will be in the senior division.

Sherman Officers Will Show Program On Resisting Rape

Sandy Dittfurth and other members of the Sherman Police Department will present a program for faculty and adults of the community next Tuesday night, March 27, 7:30 p.m. in the Muenster High School Auditorium.

The program features a timely and excellent film entitled "How to Say No to a Rapist and Survive." After the film there will be a question and answer session.

MHS Competes in UIL One Act Play

Muenster High School's entry in the one act play competition of UIL District 14-A will be "Anastasia" with Rene Stelzer, Lisa Trubenbach and Larry Fleitman as members of the cast and Martha Koesler directing. They will be assisted by Lisa Reiter, Rita Sicking and Lyle Huchton.

The competition will be held Thursday night of next week at Grayson County College.

Some plants, we are told, derive benefit from the use of artificial light. The electric plant is one of them.

Chairman Bayer urges all eligible students to get into the competition. "Skills learned in this contest go through life. They get a better understanding of the land, how to classify and judge it, and how to conserve and care for it. They can appreciate our soil and its problems and are better prepared to save and improve it."

Hospital Notes

The following patients were dismissed during the past week at Muenster Memorial Hospital.

Tuesday, March 13: Mrs. Andy Klement and Mrs. Cassie Lawson, Muenster; Mrs. Zona Burris, Gainesville.

Wednesday, March 14: A. J. Luttmner, Muenster; Mrs. Ada Stice, Whitesboro.

Thursday, March 15: Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel, Muenster; Mrs. Vickie Smith, Gainesville.

Friday, March 16: J. P. Flusche, Muenster; Otis Alexander and Mrs. Modesto Landeros, Gainesville; Mrs. Lois Cook, Dallas.

Saturday, March 17: Abe Workman, Muenster, Angela Robinson, Gainesville; Mrs. Norbert Flusche, Saint Jo; Mrs. Ramon Arias, Dallas.

Sunday, March 18: J. M. Hellman, Lubbock; Ricky Smith, Crowell.

Monday, March 19: Lisa Hennigan and Janie Fisher, Muenster; Gary Brewer, Saint Jo; Mrs. Tim Williams and baby girl, Gainesville; Fred Arend, Lindsay; Mrs. Leonard Waiser, Nocona.

Confetti - - - vided all the elements for a major automobile works at Gorki. Colonel Hugh Cooper, creator of the Muscle Shoals Dam, planned and built the giant hydroelectric installation of Dniepostroi. The most grandios "Bolshevik achievements" of the thirties, which glorified communism throughout the world and convinced two generations of American and European intellectuals of the economic potency of the U.S.S.R. and of centralized planning, were all achievements of Western capitalism."

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NOTICE!

To all rural residents of the Muenster area.

We, as members of the Muenster Volunteer Fire Department, have no control over, or voice in the current dispute over rural fire protection. The decision lies with the County Commissioners and the Muenster City Council.

Disastrous home and barn fires can happen any time, and the season for grass fires will soon be here. We urge you to contact your commissioners and demand a settlement of this issue. Only then, with a contract, can we resume the tax supported service to which you are entitled. Please don't wait for a fire to act on this matter.

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