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'88 Fest is a notch above

Sometimes the measure of a successful party is the number who attended; or the variety of food presented; or the quality of entertainment; or any one of a dozen other characteristics.

Whatever its measure, Germanfest '88 surpassed its earlier community endeavors that began in, and have grown steadily, since the 1976 German Week honoring the nation's Bicentennial.

Praise has been heaped on Germanfest '88 by guests, committees, chairmen, directors and weary workers. A full report will be slow in coming and is sure to reflect satisfaction and pride.

The weather was near-perfect and behavior of guests and hosts drew many favorable comments.

The three-day crowd was estimated at about 52,000, but that report is incomplete.

Chief of Police Helen Tompkins was lavish in praise of the weekend. She said that police records show no burglary of motor vehicles; no hubcaps stolen; only one minor fender bender.

One arrest was made when someone stole a flag on Main Street. In all, five arrests were made for public intoxication outside the park.

Cooke County Sheriff John

Aston said his deputies and security staff made six arrests for public intoxication; three for DWI; and three for disorderly conduct.

Reports also stated that officers of the Alcoholic Beverage Commission issued 15-18 citations for minors in possession; only a few Saturday night and said that Sunday was very quiet.

"Overall," said Police Chief Helen Tompkins, "this was the quietest, most well-behaved crowd in Germanfest history. How much better can it get?"

Security in the park and on the outside was admirable. Deputies responded within seconds when

help was needed.

Only one accident occurred Sunday night, but was unrelated to Germanfest. Susie Yosten, 22, was injured in a pedestrian-car accident in front of The Ranch, as she opened the passenger door of a car and was injured when hit by a pickup pushed into the situation by a third car.

Among innovations for Germanfest '88 was the Inter-Faith Praise Service on Sunday morning at 9:30 at Mid-Park.

Taking part were Rev. Steve Pearson, pastor of Muenster First Baptist Church, and Rev. Denis Soerries, pastor of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, who led opening and closing prayers and spoke briefly to the early morning listeners.

Local musicians were Wendell Black, Emily Klement, Eric Gray, Steve Pearson and David and Pam Fette. At times they invited their listeners to join in the singing.

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A VERY YOUNG VISITOR greets the strolling Sausage Man. Played well by Les Griffin, he solicited names from the guests and will soon be officially named. Ed Griffin Photo



IN A PEACEFUL CORNER of the City Park under a graceful elm tree, Betty and Jim entertained all the younger Germanfesters with magic shows and songs. They performed in the new Castle Theater, a Germanfest feature sure to be repeated. Ed Griffin Photo

Upper Elm-Red Soil District honors top conservationists

The 1987 top soil conservationists of the Upper Elm-Red Soil and Water Conservation District were honored Thursday night, May 5, at 7:30 p.m. at the Silver Wings Club located on the West Campus of Grayson County College in Sherman.

Since 1955 the National Association of Conservation Districts has sponsored Soil and Water Stewardship Week, in cooperation with nearly 3,000 conservation districts, as one way to examine the importance of good stewardship of basic soil and water resources.

The Upper Elm-Red Soil and Water Conservation District is a legal subdivision of the State of Texas. It was organized in 1941 by

local landowners with mutual interest in conserving soil, water, plant and wildlife resources.

The District is governed by five landowners who make up the Board of Directors. The Board directs the activities of the District and coordinates the conservation efforts of local, state and federal agencies.

The Board of Directors consists of Zone I, James K. Brite, Jr., Vice-Chairman; Zone II, Henry Berry, Secretary; Zone III, Jake G. Biffle, Member; Zone IV, C. William Hermes, Member; Zone V, Clyde Hale, Chairman.

The wellbeing of our people depends upon the production of ample supplies of food, fiber and other products of the soil. The

quality of these products is dependent upon the preservation and proper management of the soil and water resources. Each Upper Elm-Red area resident has an interest in the land and must share the responsibility of preserving its productivity.

The Upper Elm-Red Soil and Water Conservation District provides a practical, democratic means of coordinating our conservation activities. No person, on the grounds of race, color, or national origin shall be excluded from participation in, or be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity of the Upper Elm-Red Soil and Water Conservation District.

Vote Saturday

On May 7, three aldermen will be elected to the Muenster City Council; four trustees to the Muenster Independent School Board; and two trustees to Cooke County College's Board.

Pat Dennis, co-owner of Dennis & Muller, is the only candidate for City Council Place 1, formerly held by the late Ray Endres. Robert Dale Walterscheid originally opposed Dennis for Place 1, but dropped out of the race shortly after filing deadline. Incumbent Aubrey Tuggle will be unchallenged in seeking another term as Alderman, Place 2.

Claude Klement is the incumbent and only candidate for Council Place 4.

Muenster ISD has a three-way contest for Trustee Position 7. Leon Klement, Gerald Walterscheid and Ray Wimmer will be the names on the ballot. They will seek the position held by Richard Pagel for six years. He will not seek re-election.

Other positions are filed for only by the incumbents: Tom Flusche in Position 3; Harold Bindel in Position 5; and D.J. Hellman in Position 6.

Sharing the School Board ballot will be the election for Cooke County College Board of Trustees. Places 1 and 2 are up for re-election. Incumbents Don Gregory and Neil Tibbets are unchallenged for their respective offices.

Muenster area voters can fill out their school and city ballots in the Muenster Public School lobby on Saturday, May 7, from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Beef Referendum May 10...

"Real food for real people"

Real dollars are making Americans real happy beef is back in style. And that's basically what the beef checkoff program is all about: invested dollars providing cattle producers with a predictable market that offers opportunity for a reasonable profit.

"The beef checkoff was started by beef producers with a firm goal in mind," says Barbara Bayer, Chairman of the Cooke County Steering Committee. "We needed to change how consumers perceived beef, its nutrition value, its wholesomeness, and its role in the diet."

"To cattlemen, the checkoff has become an investment in the future that we are beginning to see results from today."

Since the program began in October 1986, its structure has been unchanged. It will continue in the same way if cattlemen vote May 10 to allow the checkoff to continue. That's the date the U.S. Department of Agriculture has set for a producer referendum which will decide the future of the \$1 checkoff. Anyone, regardless of their age, who has owned at least one head of cattle between Oct. 1, 1986, and March 31, 1988, may vote at his or her County Extension Service Office.

"It is important that you express your opinion on May 10," Bayer said, "but make sure you understand what the checkoff is and what it is designed to do before you vote. Your future rests on a complete understanding of where your invested dollars go." "The most important point," Bayer said, "is that the beef checkoff is controlled by producers who invest in the program, not by bureaucrats in Washington or an advertising agency in the East." The Beef Board, which is made up of 113 cattle producers, including 14 from Texas, oversees the program. A smaller operating committee, comprised of 20 Beef Board members, decides what checkoff programs are to be funded.

A cornerstone of the beef checkoff program is that everyone pays a uniform amount of \$1

for each animal sold. The dollar is paid by the seller and remitted by the buyer. All importers pay \$1 on all live cattle and the equivalent of \$1 on boxed and carcass beef.

This \$1 assessment cannot be raised without the consent of Congress. Individual cattlemen would have to present their legislators with an overwhelming mandate in order for the amount to be raised.

Only 5 percent of total dollars collected may be used for administration of the beef checkoff program. In the first year of operation, administrative costs averaged only 2.8 percent of total dollars received - just about half of what the checkoff permits.

Nationwide, \$73 million were collected, of which \$5 million came from importers. In Texas, \$12.9 million were invested. The 50 cents of each dollar that is invested by the National Beef Board has been used for promotion programs including consumer and health care advertising, public relations, foodservice and retail. Each of these efforts has been right on target in reaching the desired audience.

Take the advertising, which features actor James Garner on national television. These ads have reached 98 percent of the target audience an average of 49 times. Through these ads, consumers have been re-educated about the taste, convenience and popularity of beef.

Health care professionals have learned new facts about beef's nutrition and proper role in the diet. One ad on beef's contribution of iron to the diet outscored all other advertisements in the medical journals in which it ran.

"Sixty-three percent more people expect to eat beef more frequently this year. Thirty percent more feel that beef is more popular. Twenty-four percent more people agreed beef is good for modern lifestyles. And a full 50 percent said their overall feelings about beef have improved," Bayer said.

"These are increases fueled in part, if not all, by checkoff dollars. That's why the checkoff is not only an investment in our future, it's an investment paying dividends today."

Good News!

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ALBERT and JOHN DANGELMAYR

Dangelmayrs are Zone III winners

The outstanding conservation award winner for Zone III is the Dangelmayr Ranch, which is located near Muenster.

The ranch has been in the Dangelmayr family since 1893 and is now being operated by the third generation of Dangelmayr brothers. Terraces that were built with mules by the first generation still exist on the ranch. These are maintained each year.

Albert Dangelmayr became a District Cooperator in 1944. The ranch is currently worked by Albert and his four sons, John, James, Jack and Richard, along with Albert's brother, Joe Dangelmayr.

Throughout the years they have applied, and carried out, many conservation practices such as terraces, grassed waterways, diversions and pond construction. Brush control has also been applied so range grasses and bermudagrass could be planted to improve the range and pastureland vegetation.

Native grasses and coastal ber-

mudagrass are managed on the rangeland and pastureland. The summer grasses are managed so livestock will have year-round grazing as much as possible.

On the cropland fields small grains, sudan and milo are grown and rotated to leave residue on the land.

The Dangelmayr Ranch is a producer of Hereford livestock. This has been the traditional breed for the ranch since 1900.

The ranch is well diversified in applying different conservation practices. This includes fishpond management on several of the ponds.

The four boys credit their father, Albert, and their uncle, Joe, for their influence in carrying out these conservation practices. They all work together to help control soil and water conservation.

The Board of Directors congratulate the Dangelmayrs on a job well done!

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"A Special Place for Special People"

Muenster Hospital marks Texas Hospital Week May 8-14

Meeting the health care of a community such as Muenster takes special people and special services.

Muenster Memorial Hospital joins other hospitals across the state in celebrating Texas Hospital Week, May 8-14. This observance is centered around the theme: "Texas Hospitals, Special Places for Special People."

"We think that the 1988 Texas Hospital Week theme reflects the hospital's dedication to this community. Muenster Memorial Hospital is committed to creating

a high quality of health and well-being for our community. The hospital team of employees, medical staff members, and board of directors work together to serve the needs of patients, visitors and community.

"We invite everyone to tour our 'Special Place,' next week, especially our newest service, our Mammography Department," said Herman Carroll, Hospital Administrator.

Several special events will be held at Muenster Memorial Hospital during Texas Hospital

Week to recognize the employees and staff. One event will be an outdoor hamburger picnic.

Prizewinning posters from Kindergarten through Grade 4 elementary students from Sacred Heart and Muenster Public School will be on display at the hospital. The theme, "Texas Hospitals, A Special Place for Special People," was used in the contest, sponsored by MMH. Cash prizes were given for first, second and third place winners in each class.

Joan Walterscheid, R.N., Director of Nurses, invites everyone to view the art display during the next several weeks.

Hospital Week is sponsored each year by the American Hospital Administration and the Texas Hospital Association. MMH joins this national and state observance to strengthen communications and understanding among its employees, patients and the community.

MSB receives an excellent rating

Muenster State Bank received notice last week that they have been rated as one of the best banks in the nation by Sheshunoff Rating Service Company. In the period between March 31, 1987 and March 31, 1988, total capital at the bank increased from \$4,645,203.67 to \$5,190,191.97. In the same period, deposits increased almost \$4 million dollars to \$30,093,408.09, and loans increased from \$9,991,137.46 to \$11,271,420.53.

Executive Vice-President Henry Weinzapfel commented that, "the growth of our bank shows the strength of the bank and the community since the vast majority of our assets are generated within the Muenster trade area."

Comparatively, in 1948, total assets at Muenster State Bank were \$1,518,141.38 compared to over \$35 million now. Sheshunoff will include MSB in their new publication, **The Highest Rated Banks in America.**

NOTICE!

The Chamber of Commerce Germanfest Committee will hold a post Germanfest debriefing meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 10. It will be held at the Muenster Telephone office.

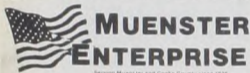
All interested persons are invited to attend. The committee urges that all suggestions, comments or critiques be presented in writing if possible.

Banquets set for May 16, 17

Muenster Junior High School pupils will be honored Monday, May 16, at the annual Awards Banquet held at 7 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

On Tuesday, May 17, the high school will recognize its honored students at the Muenster High School All-Awards Banquet. The program will begin at 7 p.m. in the gymnasium.

Anyone wanting to purchase tickets, please do so by Friday, May 13, at 3:30 in the high school office. Prices are \$3.00 for the junior high and \$5.00 for the high school banquet.



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By His Honor, Ted Henscheid

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WHEREAS, May 8-14, 1988, has been designated **TEXAS HOSPITAL WEEK** by William P. Clements Jr., Governor of Texas, and,

WHEREAS, the theme for the celebration during this special week is "Texas Hospitals, Special Places for Special People" and,

WHEREAS, the National Hospital Week coincides with the state celebration, and

WHEREAS, The City of Muenster joins other communities throughout Texas and the nation in paying tribute to the dedicated hospital professionals who provide skilled, compassionate health care to our citizens,

NOW, THEREFORE, I Ted Henscheid, as Mayor of Muenster do hereby proclaim May 8-14, 1988, as **HOSPITAL WEEK** in Muenster, and urge its members to take cognizance of this event and to participate fittingly in its observance. Given at City Hall in Muenster this 3rd day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and eighty eight.

TED HENSCHIED

MAYOR

SH Awards Banquet set for May 17

Sacred Heart High School will hold their All Awards Banquet Tuesday, May 17. The annual event will begin at 6 p.m. at the Sacred Heart Community Center.

Tickets are available at the high school office until May 13 for \$5.00 each.

Band to present Spring Concert May 9

The Muenster Public School will present a Spring Band Concert on Monday, May 9, at 7:15 p.m. in the Muenster Public School Auditorium.

The fifth grade Flutophone Choir, Junior High Band and High School Band will all be performing in the concert.

Attention

ALL Beef Producers: May 10th Determines Your Future

In this year of elections, the last thing you need is someone else talking to you about politics or your responsibility to other beef producers. It's a busy time of the year, and you've got your mind on your operation, not on going to town.

But, on Tuesday, May 10th, if you don't stop for a few minutes, go to your County Extension Office and vote, you'll miss the referendum that decides the fate of the Beef Checkoff Program.

Just a couple of years ago, our industry was being beaten up, and we were backing up . . . taking it. But we got our backs up and did something. We drew a line in the dust. We began to fight back. And you know what . . . it's working. Many people are eating beef more often, and the newspaper headlines read that beef is coming back.

Now, we're not telling you how to vote. That's your business. But, on Tuesday, May 10th, the National Beef Checkoff Program is going to continue, or it's going to stop dead in its tracks.

It's totally up to you. So take a trip to your County Extension Office and vote. You'll be glad you did.

Vote May 10th

Beef Checkoff Referendum at your County Extension Office

Don't let someone else determine your future.

Local elections this Saturday

by Elaine Schad

Two incumbent Lindsay School Board candidates are facing opposition from two longtime Lindsay residents in this Saturday's May 7 local elections.

Voting for all elections concerning Lindsay residents, including the School Board, City Council, Cooke County College Board of Trustees and the Gainesville Memorial Hospital District Board, will be held at the Lindsay Parish Hall.

The school board race is the only contested election for Lindsay voters to decide. Mayor Don Metzler and council members Wilbert Block and Jerry Knepper are running unopposed for reelection to their seats for two-year terms. The CCC Board will return two incumbents for six-year terms. Don Gregory is running in Place 1 and Neil Tibbetts in Place 2.

Voters may have a choice in deciding one seat on the GMH Board. Only four candidates are running for five positions, so the person receiving the largest number of write-in votes will take the fifth seat. Omie Sherrill, S.J. "Bunco" Matthews, Dr. Robert R. "Bob" McLeroy, and Earl Klement are all running unopposed. Arlinda Wurst, a registered nurse, has been actively seeking that fifth position as a write-in.

Voters will cast their ballots at-large for one of four candidates in the school board election. The two receiving the most votes will be elected.

Carol Fuhrmann, a homemaker and part-time nurse at Muenster Memorial Hospital, and Dr.

James Neidhardt, a local veterinarian, are both seeking reelection to three-year terms.

Mark Metzler, a certified public accountant who is business manager for Felderhoff Brothers Drilling Co. in Gainesville, and Tom Eberhart, a teacher at Gainesville Middle School, are also seeking election to the board.

Mrs. Fuhrmann and Neidhardt both point to the completion of two building programs at Lindsay as a highlight to their terms in office. A new elementary school and an expansion to the high school have been completed the past three years using available district funds.

Mrs. Fuhrmann, who has five children in the Lindsay district, said she's interested in maintaining the high standard of education for which Lindsay is known. "I find it very interesting to serve on the board," Mrs. Fuhrmann said. "As a parent, I find it's a good way to see what's going on within the school system."

Neidhardt, a Lindsay resident since 1979, has been associated with the Refinery Road Veterinary Clinic in Gainesville since 1978. He has one child attending Lindsay elementary school.

Maintaining high academic standards also tops the list of Neidhardt's concerns for the district. "Things are going pretty smoothly," Neidhardt said of the district. "This is one of the best school districts around, and I'd just like to make sure it stays that way."

Both Eberhart and Metzler feel the fact that they were educated in the Lindsay school system will

help them relate better to the challenges which lie ahead while working, like the two other candidates, to retain Lindsay's reputation for academic excellence.

"We have a real good system," said Eberhart, who has taught science at Gainesville Middle School for five years and has two children attending Lindsay. "I feel my years in the educational system qualify me to serve, and I'd just like to be a part of it."

Metzler feels his financial background could be an aid to the district, which like all other school districts in Texas, will face continuing pressure on the local taxpayers as state funding dwindles and education reform mandates become even more expensive. "I'd just like to see as sound a financial management of the district as possible," Metzler said. "I feel the oncoming state funding formula changes will make it critical for the board to have someone with a financial background," he said.

Metzler, who has one child attending Lindsay, said it will be a challenge in coming years to maintain educational excellence without placing a heavier burden on local taxpayers.

While the Lindsay City Council, the CCC Board, and the GMH Board races are uncontested, representatives of those entities are reviewing past accomplishments while also looking to the future.

Lindsay Mayor Don Metzler feels the Council has started to address needs of the city for the future. He said recent installation of new water and drainage lines are a step in that direction. The city, during the next two years, will be revamping its city ordinances and subdivision regulations to make sure that growth remains orderly, Metzler said.

The greatest challenges facing the GMH Board will be continued unpaid patient hospital bills, which run about \$40,000 a month, and a more equalized system of reimbursement for Medicare and Medicaid, said Dr. Robert L. McLeroy, a board member seeking re-election.

McLeroy said small rural hospitals, such as GMH, receive a smaller reimbursement from Medicare and Medicaid for the same services than larger city hospitals. He said that doesn't

make sense because the costs to both facilities are about the same. The hospital is making efforts toward stepped-up collection of delinquent hospital bills of those people who can afford to pay, but said it basically comes down to the public feeling a responsibility to pay their debts.

Despite cuts in state funding, CCC has made great strides in the last few years, according to Don Gregory, incumbent candidate for the CCC Board. Gregory said enrollment is continuing to grow at all-time levels, and extension classes at Bowie, Lewisville and Nocona has allowed the college to expand into areas that will help realize revenue. He said there's no need to expand facilities at the present time, but that need may arise if CCC continues to grow at the rapid pace of the last three years.

In other local races of interest to those within the Muenster circula-

Earl Cole dies at 93

Earl Lee Cole, a former resident of Muenster, died in Azle at age 93, on April 28. The family home was at 1000 N. Stewart St. in Azle, Texas. He was born on Nov. 1, 1894 at Red River Station.

He married Jessie (Leopard) Cole in Saint Jo on Dec. 14, 1925. Earl Cole was a veteran of WWI, a retired oil field worker, and was active in the Veterans of Foreign Wars; the American Legion; the Cowtown Barracks 1469; WWI Veterans of Fort Worth; a member of Ash Creek Baptist Church and a resident of Azle for 23 years, since moving from Muenster.

Survivors include his wife, Jessie Cole; one son, J.L. Cole of Fort Worth; and one daughter, Mrs. Betty (Cole) Robison of Victoria; brothers, J.B. Cole of Collinsville and Clyde D. Cole of McAllen; grandchildren Craig and Jana Cole of Fort Worth, and Kevin and Joey Robison of Victoria; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Jessie, Mrs. Earl Cole, was unable to attend the funeral because she underwent emergency surgery the previous day.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Billy Nell Cole; a sister, Mrs. Myrtle Stanfill, and brothers, James T. Cole, Omer Cole, Clem Cole and Cecil Cole.

Services were held on Monday, May 2, at 10:30 a.m. in Ash Creek Baptist Church of Azle. Graveside rites were held at Mountain Park Cemetery in Saint Jo at 3 p.m. Monday, directed by Biggers Funeral Home of Fort Worth.

tion area, the Era School Board will have two at-large positions available for three-year terms. Voting will be in the Era Community Center. Incumbent board president Harold Brown is running unopposed for Place 6, while incumbent Lanny Lewter is facing John Klement for the Place 7 position.

In Valley View, heated races are taking place for both city council and school board seats. Voting for all Valley View elections will be at the Valley View School.

The City Council has five places open, three at-large for full two-year terms, and two places for one-year unexpired terms.

Five people are running for the three full terms. They include John H. Kubicek, R. Becky Bryant, John Fortenberry, incumbent Walt Slaughter and Eugene Miller.

Five people are also running for two one-year unexpired terms. They include Randy "Hoot" Carr, Clay Montgomery, Doyle

Sudduth, Billy Maughan and incumbent Mike Wilson.

In the Valley View School Board race, there are three at-large seats available, two for full three-year terms and one unexpired term for one year.

Incumbent board president Clay Montgomery is running against Charlene Ritchey for the one-year unexpired term. Running for the full two full terms are Ava Nickerson, Cecil Neu, James R. Kupper and incumbent board member Larry Clark.

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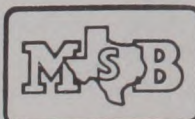
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Needed for the Centennial History Book are vignettes from a lot of you. They should be interesting little incidents, a paragraph or two long, that normally would not be included in your own family histories. They can be humorous, historic or personal.

A sample of one might be like this: "Many of the older folks remember a form of entertainment in our early days was traveling tent shows - or 'Medicine shows.' The two or three performers did a few magic tricks, a short skit, a song and dance or two and a lot of hawking their 'cure-all' medicine."

We would also like a lot of one-liners that will go into a column under the heading of "Did You Know That?" Examples might be: "The first successful oil well here was brought in Sept. 24, 1926 on the Hubert Felderhoff farm" or "The first road between Muenster and Lindsay was completed in 1892?"

Bring or mail your contributions to Ray Wilde or Lorena Taylor.

"Walk for Catholic Education" May 6

Sacred Heart School will sponsor its third annual "Walk For Catholic Education" program on Friday, May 6, at 3:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. on the Community Center parking lot.

The walk is not a speed race, but to collect pledges for as many laps as the participant can walk, run or jog.

Grand prizes including a jam box, 10-speed bicycle, trail tent, \$30.00 gift certificate at Tops and Teams, a stereo headset and a sport watch will be awarded in a

drawing to participants turning in \$50.00 or more in pledges. Red T-shirts with white paws will be given away to the first 100 persons to sign in.

A concession stand will be opened under the pavilion all evening, serving barbecue sandwiches, nachos, pizza, candy and drinks.

Please call Mary Bayer at Sacred Heart School, 759-4121, or at 759-2740 evenings for more details and information.

Sentimental date chosen for April 30 ceremony

Jeanann Lee became the bride of Gerald Biffle on Friday, April 30, in a Nuptial Mass and double ring ceremony in St. Peter's Church of Lindsay, celebrated by Father Cletus Post, pastor, at 4 p.m.

The couple selected that date for their wedding day because it would have been the fiftieth wedding anniversary of the groom's parents, Mrs. Frankie Biffle and the late Bill Biffle.

The bride is the daughter of Leonard and Emily Hartman of Muenster. She is a 1978 graduate of Sacred Heart High School and is employed at The Smokehouse in Lindsay. The groom is a 1976 graduate of Era High School and attended Cooke County College. He is a drilling contractor and owner of Biffle Well Service.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was wearing a designer gown of shimmering ivory lace, featuring an exquisite, wedding band neckline bordered with sequins and pearls. Made entirely of lace, the back of the bodice was designed of sheerer lace, a dropped waistline, with a row of tiny covered buttons. Sleeves of the gown were dolman in style, beautifully adorned with sequins and pearls.

The skirt flowed gracefully to a tea-length in front, with a sweep train in back.

The bride carried the rosaries of her parents entwined in her bridal bouquet of ivory roses, stephanotis and forget-me-nots, and country blue alstroemeria, apricot forget-me-nots, seed pearls and English ivy and ivory streamers. Her father's rosary was a keepsake formerly belonging to his sister, the late Angeline Endres, and her mother's rosary formerly belonged to the bride's great-grandmother, the late Mrs. Henry Fette.

ATTENDANTS

The bride's sister, Karla Jo Hartman of San Antonio, was her maid of honor. Another sister, Marilyn Hartman of San Antonio, was the bridesmaid.

They were identically attired in apricot, off-shoulder, southern style satin gowns, with lace, puffed sleeves and sweetheart neckline, and tea-length in front with a gently sweep in back. Each carried three long-stemmed flowers, and wore a flowered wreath in her hair.

The flower girl was Kristine Hartman, niece of the bride, wearing a white dress with peach sash; ring bearer was Aaron Biffle, son of the groom; and Kirk Hartman, bride's nephew, carried the Unity

candle to the altar.

Billy Biffle of Forestburg was his brother's best man and Fred Biffle of Forestburg, also a brother, was groomsman.

Ushers were Charles Howard of Rosston, groom's brother-in-law, and John Hartman of Muenster, bride's brother.

Music for the wedding was presented by Ruth Felderhoff, organist, and Christy Hesse and Wendell Black, vocalists. Before Mass, they sang "You and I," "Follow Me," and "Let It Be Me." Also for the ceremony and Mass, songs were "Edelweiss," "Sunrise, Sunset," "Für Elise," "Wedding Song," "One Hand, One Heart," "Panis Angelicus" and for the bride's entrance, "Pachelbel." The recessional was "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring."

Veronica Klement gave the Readings, Petitions and Prayers of the Faithful. Dorothy Hartman and Herman Hartman, the bride's godparents, and Larry Wyrick, the groom's godfather, presented Offertory gifts. Tim Hartman, bride's brother, made a VCR recording of the Mass and reception.

RECEPTION

A reception followed in St. Peter's Parish Hall.

Joanie Wyrick and Diane Cravens, friends of the couple, presided at the guest book.

Dinner was catered by Louise Schad and her sisters. Guests danced to music by Doug Martin and the Rustlers. Lucy Westbrook, friend of the couple, decorated the bride's table with lace tablecloths, silver and crystal appointments, and a centerpiece of apricot and country blue flowers.

The bride's cake, an original by The Farmer's Kitchen, was a two-tiered sweetheart cake designed with Grecian columns and garlands of apricot roses accented with country blue. The groom's cake was European in style, with a windmill theme, in reference to the groom's occupation.

Assisting with serving cakes were nieces of the groom Rhonda Jacobs, Julie Beheler and Jennifer Biffle.

The couple returned Thursday from a wedding trip to Puerto Vallarta, Mexico. They are residing on a farm southwest of Myra.

A shower honored the bride - elect when her sisters, Karla Jo and Marilyn Hartman, and a friend Diane Cravens, were hostesses in the home of Cissy Klement.



MRS. GERALD BIFFLE
...nee Jeanann Hartman Lee...
Photo by Lemons Photography of Nocona

Marysville Church holds homecoming

More than 250 persons attended the Marysville Baptist Church Homecoming service on Sunday, May 1. Many were former residents who came to their hometown to renew old ties, visit relatives and enjoy seeing again those they met there in earlier years.

Receiving special recognition and also a prize were Violet (Davidson) Cooke, 84, of Boyd, a former resident, born and raised in Marysville; and Earl Reeves, 85, also a former resident. They were the oldest persons attending.

Also attending were a former

pastor and his wife, Rev. Gene Hawkins, now of Lubbock, Director of Missions for the Lubbock Baptist Association. Mrs. Hawkins' mother, Mildred Shaw, was also a former resident of Marysville.

The Sunday morning worship service was conducted by the pastor of Marysville Baptist Church, Rev. Aubrey Spires.

A picnic lunch followed, with visiting and reunion throughout the afternoon.

Guests attended from California, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Texas.

May 7 is camp deadline

Cooke County Day Camp registrations should be turned in Saturday, May 7, at The Hut in Muenster between the hours of 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

One representative from each pack is asked to come with their pack's registration and one check for their total fees. Registration is for all Cub Scouts and Webelos

Scouts of Cooke County for day camps being held at Hills & Hollows on June 13 and 17 and Cub Scout Day Camp held at Muenster City Park June 20-24.

Kitty Howard, Cooke County Registrar, will be on hand to receive registration. After this date, there will be a \$5.00 late charge.

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Forestburg PTO hosts appreciation supper May 12

The Forestburg PTO will have a Teacher-Employee Appreciation Supper Thursday, May 12, at 7:30 p.m. at the Forestburg Community Center. Everyone is invited to attend.

Bring a covered dish, vegetable, salad and dessert. Remember, this is a pot luck supper!

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MR. and MRS. BERNARD GIEB

Giebs celebrate 40th anniversary

Bernard and Christine Gieb of Lindsay celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary on April 16, 1988 by repeating their wedding vows during a 5 p.m. Mass of Thanksgiving in St. Peter's Church.

Father Cletus Post officiated and the couple's original attendants were present and witnessed the ceremony. They were Gladys (Sicking) Gieb of Muenster and Mary Ann (Sicking) Pels of Pilot Point, sisters of Christine; and Gene Gieb of Muenster, brother of Bernard Gieb, and Harold Nortman of Lindsay, nephew of Bernard.

Eucharistic ministers were a niece and nephew, Tom and Gloria Fuhrmann of Sulphur Springs.

The celebration recalled the day Bernard Gieb, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gieb, and the former Christine Sicking, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sicking, were married in Sacred Heart Church on March 30, 1948.

He is a lifetime farmer and

retired from Weber Aircraft, and she is a homemaker. They are members of St. Peter's Church and are the parents of Louis Gieb of Lindsay; Anita Eugster of Gainesville; Martha Dennis of Saint Jo; Sharon Bridges of Gainesville; Monica Gieb of Dallas; Margie Rogers of Denton; and Jeanette Gieb (deceased).

A reception and dinner followed the anniversary Mass, and were held in the Lindsay Parish Hall.

Guests from out-of-town included Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tubbs of Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. Julius Gieb of Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gieb of Bastrop; Louise, Georgeann and Stacy Seals of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Fallon and Jimmy of Sherman; Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Davis of Arlington; Mr. and Mrs. Byron Black and Sherrie of Dallas; Connie Taylor of Carrollton; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fuhrmann of Sulphur Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pels and Brenda of Pilot Point; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pels of Pilot Point; Mr. and Mrs. Bill McLane

of Sapulpa, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Chris McLane of Sapulpa; Muenster, Saint Jo, Denton and Lindsay.

Lunch Menus

LINDSAY SCHOOL MENU

May 9-13

Mon. - Spaghetti and Meat Sauce, corn, hot bread, butter, honey, okra, pears, milk.

Tues. - Chicken, creamed potatoes, gravy, bread, English pea salad, sliced peaches, milk.

Wed. - Charbroiled Steak, potatoes, gravy, bread, butter, green beans, pineapple chunks, milk.

Thur. - Hamburgers w/Trimnings, tator tots, ice cream, milk.

Fri. - Pizza, pinto beans, bread, lettuce salad, fruit, milk.

ERASCHOO LUNCHESES

May 9-13

Mon. - Steak, gravy, creamed potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, butter, cake, milk.

Tues. - Enchiladas, cheese and chili, pinto beans, broccoli, chocolate pie, milk.

Wed. - Nachos, Spanish rice, baked beans, tossed salad, Pineapple Delight, milk.

Thur. - Sloppy Joes, tator tots, macaroni and cheese, jello with fruit, cinnamon rolls, milk.

Fri. - Cheeseburgers w/Trimnings, French fries, baked beans, Apple Brown Betty, milk.

SACRED HEART SCHOOL S.N.A.P. MENU

May 9-13

Mon. - Toasted Cheese Sandwiches, tomato soup, crackers, celery, apples, milk.

Tues. - Oven Fried Chicken, potato salad, green beans, fruit, bread, milk.

Wed. - Meat Loaf, tator tots, broccoli and cauliflower, applesauce, bread, milk.

Thur. - Chicken Pot Pie, cheese

sticks, cole slaw, pineapple, bread, milk.

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

MUENSTER LUNCH MENU

May 9-13

Mon. - Hot Dogs, beans, lettuce salad, fruit, milk.

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

Wed. - Spaghetti and Meat Sauce, green beans, lettuce salad, homemade bread, cake, milk.

Thur. - Hamburgers w/Trimnings, fruit, brownies, milk.

Fri. - Chicken Fried Steak, potatoes and gravy, corn, cole slaw, rolls, milk.

FORESTBURG SCHOOL

May 9-13

Mon. - LUNCH: Chicken Nuggets, creamed potatoes, lima beans, tomato and lettuce, bread, peaches, milk. BREAKFAST: Cereal, juice, milk.

Tues. - LUNCH: Frito Pie, green beans, corn, sliced tomatoes, bread, fruit jello w/bananas, milk. BREAKFAST: Donuts, juice, milk.

Wed. - LUNCH: Turkey and Dressing, candied potatoes, rice, mixed vegetables, cranberry sauce, fruit cocktail, bread, milk. BREAKFAST: Cereal, juice, milk.

Thur. - LUNCH: Barbecue Weiners, potato salad, pinto beans, applesauce, cookies, bread, milk. BREAKFAST: Biscuit and gravy w/sausage, juice, milk.

Fri. - LUNCH: Hamburgers, tator tots, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, peaches, milk. BREAKFAST: Buttered toast, jello, honey, juice, milk.

Public School second grade sees dairy

The second grade class of Muenster Public School went on a field trip to the Klement Brothers Dairy on April 22, 1988.

While there, they enjoyed the opportunity to pet and bottle-feed the baby calves. Then the children went into the barn to watch the milking that was in progress.

Leon Klement explained how the milkers work, and how the milk is piped into the storage tank where it is kept cold.

The children also got to see the feed given to the cows while they

were being milked. The children were impressed with the absolute cleanliness everywhere, and the care given to keep the milk pure.

As a treat, the owners Ron and Leon Klement, gave each student balloons, stickers and pencils with milk slogans im. printed. Also, everyone received an ice cream bar.

The students were accompanied by their teachers, Jane Weinzapfel and Theresa Walterscheid, and the bus driver, Jerry Eckart.



DENISE BRIGHT

Convention set for June 11 & 12 in Dallas

"Celebrate '88," a convention for youth of the Fort Worth diocese, incoming sophomores to this year's graduates, will be held on June 11-12, 1988 at the University of Dallas. Cost of the weekend is \$25 per person, which includes all meals, housing and a T-shirt.

Guest speakers for the weekend will be Bobby Valentine, manager of the Texas Rangers; Wayne Romo, master of ceremonies; John Austin, disc jockey; and Bishop Joseph Delaney, celebrant of the special liturgy.

Included in the weekend are a choice of workshops; general sessions; a banquet; a dance with music by ON-N-ON; and a special liturgy by Bishop Delaney.

Dress is casual. A sleeping bag, towels and toiletries and money for snacks will be needed.

All applications must be turned in by May 10. This deadline is absolute. All applications must be signed by applicant and parent and must include \$25 check to TIA (Teens In Action). Contact Linda Knabe immediately for applications.

Mrs. Thomas Bright is corporate pilot

Denise Bright is the wife of Muenster native, Marine Corps Captain Thomas Bright, the daughter-in-law of David and Juanita Bright of Muenster and daughter of Allen and Fran Stoneking of Ida Grove, Iowa.

She is also the first woman corporate pilot in Teledyne Ryan Aeronautical's 66-year history.

She brings 3,000 hours of flying experience in jets as well as prop-driven passenger aircraft to the company's Flight Services department. She flies Teledyne Ryan Aeronautical's Cessna Conquest, seven-passenger, twin-engine aircraft, transporting executives to destinations throughout Southern California. The aircraft is in service 60 to 80 hours monthly.

After being employed by a commuter airline operating out of Dulles International and Washington International, flying through some of the nation's most densely-traveled air corridors, she added short-haul expertise to qualifications that made her TRA's "top selection."

As an employee of Teledyne Ryan Aeronautical, she has joined the staff of Flight Services Manager Ray Cote in flying Cessna Conquest passengers throughout Southern California.

This information was gathered from "The Achiever," the company's official employee communications periodical, which stated: "Denise Bright-ens the cockpit of the company plane."

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GERMANFEST Continued from Page 1

Representing students of both schools were Kelly Lamkin of Sacred Heart and Eric Danksreiter of Muenster High School, who gave Readings from Scriptures.

Other innovations for Germanfest '88 included the Castle Theater featuring magicians, storytellers and clowns.

Also the Sausage Man who wandered through the park, extending a welcome, peace and good cheer; entertaining children and spreading a festive attitude.

The Texas Stage was enlarged this year, and had a brand new dance floor in front of it - well used throughout the weekend.

There were 10 new arts and crafts booths in addition to the old favorites; and eight new concessions.

The much larger main tent for concessions enabled many guests to sit at tables to enjoy their meals, while hundreds of others

used tables and benches outdoors or on the grass under trees.

Most vendors and concessionaires pleaded their inability to complete reports at short notice, especially before press deadline. Therefore, much more will be reported and printed in next week's **Enterprise**. **Watch for reports!**

Among the first to report a contest was George Grounds who told the "Bartender Triathlon," sponsored by Bud Light, Gilbert Endres Distributing. One hundred twenty-four teams participated during the Germanfest weekend. The winning team was David Wright and Jeff Covey of Cartwright, Oklahoma, whose winning time was 12.97 seconds. The race was carried on in this manner: In the first leg (or 1/3 of the race) team member No. 1 pulled team member No. 2, who was carrying four 32-ounce mugs of water, in a

little wagon for 50 yards; in the second leg No. 2 handed the mugs to No. 1 who jumped on a three-wheeled standard bicycle to ride 50 yards; in the last leg, No. 2 ran 50 yards, carrying the water-filled mugs to the finish line and emptied the contents into a bucket.

Each entrant received a T-shirt. Trophies were given for each of the five daily races and one large overall trophy.

George Grounds said, "It was a great crowd-pleaser. We plan to do it again next year. All proceeds went to Home Hospice of Cooke County in the amount of \$1,117.00."

Also reporting early Wednesday was Ronnie Hess, co-chairman of the German Fun Run, sponsored by Muenster Knights of Columbus and First Texas Savings.

A total of 3,175 runners were registered by the start of the race Sunday afternoon. Of these, in the 15K race, there were 755 men and 257 women. The three top runners in the Men's 15K and their times were: Doug Low of Fort Worth, 49:42; Scott Graham of Dallas, 50:14; and Lonnie James of Bartlesville, Okla., 51:00. The three top women runners in the 15K were: Sandy Covill of McKinney, 57:43; Kerry Mudgett of Dallas, 58:28; and Kitty Belzeski of Denton, 1:04:30.

First Muenster runners in the 15K were Janet Hess, 1:06:26 and Michael Hacker, Chris Klement and Harry Scoggins in their respective age groups.

In the Men's 5K, top runners were: Michael Jenkins of Dallas, 15:28; Cliff McCurdy of Sanger, 15:30; Bill Clark, 15:40; Barry Lucas, 15:46; and Peter Henelbacht of Dallas, 16:00.

In the Women's 5K, top runners were: Kathy Rolt of Australia, 18:09; Stephanie Hudgins of Sherman, 19:12; Heidi McGee of Fort Worth, 19:37; Cathy Gingerich of Fort Worth, 20:00; and Tina Klement of Muenster, 20:12.

More extensive reports will be given in next week's **Enterprise**. Runners who have requested newspapers will receive both.

Only the total number of riders in the Seventh Annual Metric Century Bike Ride was available at press deadline. According to Susan Apple and Patty Bayer, co-chairmen, that total was 2,820 riders, a significant gain of registrants each year.

Joe Pagel reported winners in the Arm Wrestling Contest as follows: Lightweight Men's - 18 participated; 1st, Russell Kirk; 2nd, Greg Bell, Muenster; 3rd, Chad Driswell.

Middleweight Men's - 10 participated; 1st, Greg McLaughlin; 2nd, Matt Bezner, Lindsay; 3rd, Mike Hesse, Muenster.

Heavyweight Men's - 10 participated; 1st, Monty Moore; 2nd, James Porterfield; 3rd, Jack Schoppa.

Women's Division - 4 participated; 1st, Kerri Haverkamp, Muenster; 2nd, Teresa Brewer; 3rd, Amy Johnson.

The Arm Wrestling Contest was sponsored by Dr Pepper Bottling Co. Co-chairmen were Joe Pagel, Ben Bindel and Dwayne Pagel.

Martindale Feed Mill of Valley View was 1st place winner in the Tug-Of-War Contest. The 2nd place winner was Drag Lines of Muenster. There were eight men's teams and two women's teams. Old Milwaukee was sponsor of the Tug-Of-War Contest.

In the contests for Herr Germanfest and Fraulein Germanfest, Justin Barnhill of Muenster and Maris Moore of Wichita Falls were Saturday's winners. On Sunday, Clayton Conrad of Benbrook and Casey Morris were winners.

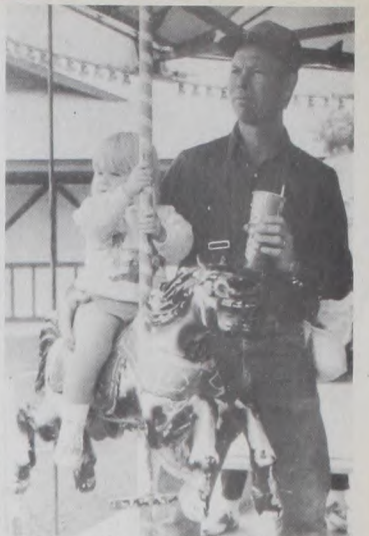
When such great crowds mingle, when relatives and friends compare notes, there are always delightful stories resulting, for example:

A Muenster man met an old friend and buddy from the Korean

Photos by Dave Fette, Ed Griffin and Janie Hartman



The roving clowns.



Rudy and Kristin Koesler.



UNT Sabre Drill Team at Opening Ceremonies



Hofbauer's wins theme award for third year.



Eric and Pam Praise the Lord at Sunday morning service.



Bicycle Rally



Zac Kircher pitching 'shoes in Cook-Off area.



Jesse Walterscheid digging in to pull.



Muenster's Drag Line team.



Dusty Rhodes on bass, Randy Erwin yodeling.

conflict, when both families sat down at the same table at Germanfest. In the 23 ensuing years since returning home, they had not seen each other and both had changed. After wondering through an entire meal, one expressed his thoughts and asked questions and two old friends were reunited. They were Alan Househalter of Carrollton and Leonard Bayer of Muenster, both serving in the 7th Infantry Division.

In another story, David Lehnertz of Spokane, Washington related that he has attended every Germanfest except the first two. He and his wife, Jane, are guests of his mother, Mrs. Agnes Lehnertz.

In another story, Mrs. Paul Fisher told of stopping for a few minutes in the pavilion to listen to the music. She and the lady seated

next to her began a conversation and discovered that both had kin-
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Arm Wrestling.



Rocko painting faces.



Miles of runners on the Fun Run.



Joe Fenton and Cook-Off winner.



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Sacred Heart Talent Show moved to Community Center parking lot

Thirty acts will be presented for entertainment in the first annual Sacred Heart Talent Show to be held on Friday, May 6, 1988. A special invitation is extended to the Muenster community to attend the festivities. The show begins at 7 p.m. on the parking lot in front of the Community Center. Entrance fee will be \$3.00 for adults

and \$1.00 for those 12 and under. The talent show will follow the "Walk for Catholic Education" slated for the 3:30-6 p.m. time slot.

Local talent abounds in Muenster and you now have a chance to appreciate that talent. The show will begin at Sacred Heart Kindergarten leads the au-

dience in recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance. Allison Knabe will then present her rendition of the National Anthem.

Song acts included in the evening will be presented by Tricia Gieb; Eric Gray; Dr. Martin Kralicke, Bill Luke, Clyde Fisher, Werner Becker Sr.; Donetta Hess; Micki Gerstberger; Jodi Allen; Becky Fette; Julie Fleitman, Dobe Friday-Fleitman, Brand Gilpin, Leslie Grewing, Carrie Hess, Leann Klement, Tanya Knauf, Toni Trubenbach, Tara Yosten;

St. John's May Crowning held May 1

by Elaine Schad
St. John's Church in Valley View celebrated the Marian Year and the beginning of the month dedicated to Mary with a May Crowning Sunday, May 1.

Children in the St. John's religious education program marched in procession preceding the Mass to the music of "Bring Flowers." Sharon Rauschuber, a high school student, crowned Mary during the singing of "Mary, We Crown You." Organist was Kay Neu. Rev. Gerald Cooney, pastor, led the congregation in the Marian Year Prayer of Pope John Paul II. Casey Kupper and Greg Hacker, altar boys, led the procession with Father Cooney.

Barbara Rauschuber and Janell Kupper, religious education teachers, organized the May Crowning. Students participating in the procession included Daniel and Thomas Ford; Deanna Meurer; Cody and Chuck Butler; Diana, Barbara and Jason Devers; Julie, Joey and Jeremy Prescher; Bryan, Susan, Kimberly, Jennifer and Daryl Kupper; Emmy and Eddie Schad; Jason and Glenn Hacker; Michelle Serna; Edgar Ouellette; Ben O' Connor; and Mary Kubicek.

Christy Hesse; Sacred Heart Preschool; Emily Klement; Doug Yosten; Linda Flusche; Christi Klement; Pam and David Fette.

Dance routines will be presented by three groups from Gina's School of Dance including Melissa Biffle, DaLana Endres, Mary Knabe, Andrea Klement, Misty Klement, Jennifer Campbell, Laura Vogel, Amy Otto, Candice Abney, Tracy Vogel and Christin Cain. Other dance routines will be performed by Tanya Knauf, Tammy Hennigan, John Bartush, Paul Swirczynski, Joel Schilling, Bart Sicking, Jennifer Campbell, Leslie Grewing, Shawna Conover and Becky Endres.

Lip sync performances will be made by Aaron Hess and Matthew Fuhrmann, Jennie Endres, Amy Fisher, Erica Schilling; and Aaron Berres and Albert Hennigan.

Piano recitals will be performed by Tonya Sicking and Tami Sicking, accompanied by Ruth Felderhoff.

Dobe Friday-Fleitman will present a poem recitation.

Gymnastics Sports Center will present students Lori Graham, Brandi Grewing, Stephanie Grewing, Deanna Hess, Kimberly

Sturm and Stephanie Hess.

Skits will be performed by Sacred Heart 8th grade, Angelo Nasche, Mary Bayer, Billie Friday-Fleitman and Jeannine Flusche.

Refreshments will be served at the concession stand. Hamburgers and barbecue sandwiches with all

the trimmings will be available before and during the show. The talent show is being sponsored by the Sacred Heart Development Committee.

Special attention is called to the time and place - Community Center parking lot at 7 p.m.

Vacation Bible School enrollment due soon

This year, the Vacation Bible School is being planned for the week of June 13 through June 17, 1988. "Glad Days" will be the theme for this year's school, to be held each weekday morning from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Children four years of age by Sept. 1, to those who have completed the fifth grade, will be involved in various activities included in the "Glad Days" theme.

Please fill out and return at Ben

Franklin the following enrollment form, or mail to Terri Luke, P.O. Box 274, Muenster, TX 76252. For more information, contact Mary Endres at 759-4810, or Terri Luke at 759-2296 or 759-4273 for more information.

We will need to know how many children to expect, so please turn in your forms as soon as possible - hopefully by May 15, 1988.

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Hospital Notes

- Mon., April 25 - Dan Richard Randolph (expired), Gainesville.
- Tues., April 26 - Andrew Joe Luttmer, Gainesville.
- Wed., April 27 - Amy Sue Reiter, Sefrino Serna, Gainesville; Blake Scott, Forestburg.
- Thur., April 28 - Dorine Marie Droll, Muenster.
- Fri., April 29 - Carol Ann Grewing, Muenster.
- Sat., April 30 - Walter Joseph Grewing, Muenster.
- Sun., May 1 - Robert Joseph Hermes, Muenster.

Lindsay CYC approves logo

The Lindsay CYC held their regular meeting after the 10 a.m. Mass Sunday, April 24, 1988. Amy Sandmann gave the opening prayer. Julie Sandmann, treasurer, gave the treasurer's report.

CYC Sunday was scheduled for the third Sunday in May on May 15, 1988. May Crowning will be held on May 4, 1988 before Novena. We will decorate on May 3, 1988 after school.

The club approved the logo for the CYC flag. They also decided to donate money to Cindy Mabe.

Election of officers was held. Officers are as follows: Charlie Wolfe, president; Sandra Hess, vice president; Stacey Williams and Lucy Fuhrmann, reporter and secretary; Charlie Wolfe, scrapbook.

Personal —

Mrs. Margaret Reiter had her sister, Anselma Knabe of Fort Worth, as a guest for the weekend.

Mmes. Reiter and Knabe attended Germanfest and helped Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cardwell (Mrs. Cardwell is another sister) sell their Texas Best Cinnamon Rolls at the Fest.

Schedule of Meetings

- Muenster 4-H**
The regular 4-H meeting will be held Tuesday, May 10, at 7 p.m. at the Sacred Heart High School.
- Trash pickup**
The Muenster 4-H Club will have a trash pickup on Saturday, May 7, at 1:30 p.m. Everyone is to meet under the 4-H Adopt-A-Highway sign.

Book review May 5

The Cooke County College Library will host its Brown Bag Book Review Thursday, May 5, at 12:10 p.m. in the college library.

Rayburn, by D.B. Hardman and Donald Bacon, will be reviewed by Ron Melugin. The public is invited.

New Arrivals

Baxter

Thelma and Brad Baxter of Jacksboro announce the birth of a son, Jeremy Brad, on April 21, 1988 in Muenster Memorial Hospital at 8:48 a.m., weighing 8 lb. 11 1/4 oz. and measuring 20 1/2 inches in length. He is a brother for Whitney. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herbie Yosten of Muenster, Wylie Lewis of Gainesville and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Meyers of Mansfield, Texas. The great-grandparents are Mrs. Susie Noggler of Muenster and Mr. and Mrs. M.E. Hankins of Nocona. Mrs. Brad Baxter is the former Thelma Lewis.

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Net Loans	63,257,156.66	58,470,094.63
Cash and Due From Banks	5,422,395.97	4,847,212.32
Time Deposits in Banks	9,830,000.00	13,395,000.00
Federal Funds Sold	18,770,000.00	12,595,000.00
U.S. Treasury Securities	12,987,780.29	12,982,732.54
U.S. Agency Securities	0.00	1,986,243.10
Municipal Securities	6,564,994.52	2,434,428.81
Other Securities	0.00	975,201.35
Bank Premises	2,265,516.84	2,039,321.45
Furniture and Equipment	590,084.52	480,012.48
Other Assets	4,367,503.13	4,100,509.63
TOTAL	\$124,055,431.93	\$114,305,756.25
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		
Deposits	\$114,364,180.47	\$105,995,833.58
Other Liabilities	1,074,389.84	645,192.58
Total Liabilities	115,438,570.31	106,641,026.16
Capital	2,000,000.00	2,000,000.00
Surplus	3,000,000.00	3,000,000.00
Undivided Profits	3,616,861.62	2,664,730.09
TOTAL	\$124,055,431.93	\$114,305,756.25

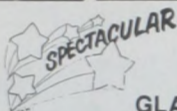
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SPORTS

Girls finish fourth, six go to state meet

The Muenster Hornettes finished fourth in last weekend's Class A Regional Track and Field Meet. Karnac, last year's champions, took first place honors with 103 points, Muenster finished with 35.

Deanna Bierschenk earned a gold medal in the 800m run with a time of 2:27.18 to break her own school record.

Deanna was also a member of the second place 1600m relay team. Along with Shonna Reiter, Lisa Robison and LaNell Sicking, the relay team finished with a time of 4:16.88.

"We're very proud of the mile relay team and all the qualifiers, but the relay was special," said Coach Ted Heers. "Lindsay had knocked us out last year at Regionals, so the girls were determined and they ran a beautiful race."

Freshman Kim Anderle took second place in the high jump, clearing 4'10". She now holds the

Knightettes place 2nd at Regional Track Meet

The Lindsay girls' track team produced 64 points to finish second in the Class A Regional Track and Field Meet last weekend at Kilgore.

Felicia Hellinger was the lone gold winner for the Knightettes, winning the 400m dash with a time of 61:51.

Winning silver medals were Kristi Krebs with a 2:31.94 in the 800m run and Lucy Fuhrmann finishing 13:10.46 in the 3200m.

Lucy also finished third in the 1600m run, clocking in at 6:01.77.

The 400m relay team brought home the bronze with a time of 51:46. Team members included Julie Fuhrmann, Felicia Hellinger, Kristi Krebs and Debbie Nortman.

The Lady Knights' 1600m relay team was "knocked out" of state qualification, settling for a third place. The team of Felicia Hellinger, Julie Fuhrmann, Lucy Fuhrmann and Kristi Krebs finished with a 4:18.36.

In field events, Angela Fuhrmann finished 4th with a triple jump of 32'9 1/4". Felicia Hellinger's 15'7 3/4" long jump placed 4th and Julie Fuhrmann tossed the discus 91'3" for a 5th place.

Others competing but unable to

school record at 5'01". LaNell Sicking finished 4th in the 400m dash with a time of 65:3.

In the boys' division, Stuart Hess, ranked the top Texas Class A high school shot putter, settled for third place with a throw of 53'3". His season best was a 56' toss. Stuart also placed second in the discus with a throw of 158'9", a new personal best for the year.

Yancy Culp also had a new personal best. In the 1600m run, he finished 6th overall, clocking in at 4:53.8.

The Hornets' 400m relay team, James Hennigan, Jeff Walterscheid, Marshall Smith and Scot Vogel, finished 7th with a 45:5 time. Chris Klement ran the 3200m run in 11:15, coming in 11th.

All first and second place Regional finishers qualify for the State Track and Field Meet to be held in Austin May 13 and 14.

place were Angela Fuhrmann in the hurdles and Jolanda Wimmer in the discus.

Lucy Fuhrmann, Felicia Hellinger and Kristi Krebs qualified for the State Track and Field Meet in Austin May 13 and 14.

7th Grade to have Car Wash May 7

Reported by Staci Whittington

The 7th grade class of Muenster Public School has had another class meeting. We've decided to have a car wash this weekend Saturday, May 7. It will be held at the Muenster Baptist Church from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

We'll have eight kids for each shift and four adults. We'll wash the outside, the tires, and even vacuum the inside and wash off the dash. It's all free (but donations will be accepted).

If you'd like, we'll have a free pickup and delivery. Hope we get to wash your car! Remember, this Saturday, May 7.

Muenster has top tracksters in Texas

In Class 1A, according to Texas Track and Field News, Muenster and Sacred Heart High Schools have several top contenders in high school track (before UIL Regional and TAPS State meets).

Tigerette Molly Koelzer and Hornet Stuart Hess lead the 1A classification in the 400m dash and shot put.

Molly's fastest time of 58:6 slips by the second place time of 59:5 in the 400m dash. The Sacred Heart

speedster also boasts the second fastest time in the 800m run with a time of 2:22.5, only .1 second behind the leader. She is also rated 13th in the 200m dash and a member of the 1600m relay, 8th in the state. Molly holds school records in all four running events.

Stuart, a senior at Muenster High, has the farthest shot put throw at a distance of 56'0", 4 inches ahead of the second place.

Hess has the fourth place in the discus with a toss of 156'07", the leader has a 176'10" throw.

J. Shane Wimmer also was listed for his long jump of 20'11 1/4" and Mike Dieter of Lindsay was 14th in the state with a time of 22:7 in the 200m dash.

Other local girl runners making the Track and Field News listing include, from Sacred Heart, Vickie Schmitt in the shot put; Lisa Hamric in the 100m hurdles; Amy Walterscheid, 200m dash; Michelle Walter and Amy Bayer, 1600m run; and the 1600m relay

team of Molly Koelzer, Michelle Walter, LaBecah Hess, and Amy Walterscheid.

Kim Anderle and Deanna Bierschenk are listed in the high jump and 800m run for the Hornettes.

Lucy Fuhrmann of Lindsay has the fifth fastest time in the 3200m run with a time of 12:52.1 and is listed in the top 20 in the 1600m run. Teammate Kristy Krebs has a time of 2:33.4 in the 800m run.

Please see related track stories for updates on times and distances.

Dana advances to State Meet in tennis

Dana Wimmer of Muenster High School returned from the Region III tennis tournament last week with a third place finish in the eight-district tournament, becoming the alternate for the state meet. The tournament was held at Kilgore College on April 25 and 26.

In her first scheduled match on Wednesday, Dana drew a bye. In

her first real action, she defeated Lori Tudor of Martin's Mill 6-0, 6-0. In the following match with Missi Talley of Trinidad, she won easily again, 6-0, 6-0. In her lone defeat, she lost a close match to LaShundra Rundles of Detroit, the eventual second place finisher by a score of 6-2, 3-6, 7-5, throwing her into the match for third place against Sandra Sumrow of Celeste, which she won in straight sets, 6-3, 6-3, to capture third place.

In other action featuring a Muenster student, Jennifer Carroll won her first match over Kathy Gilbert of Kenner handily by a score of 6-1, 6-2, but lost her second match to senior Antoinette Rousey of Gary, the eventual regional champion. The loss eliminated her from the tournament in the second round.

Bill Biffle Memorial Ranch Rodeo this weekend

In recent years, a growing number of communities have held ranch rodeos - rodeos for the everyday working cowboy.

Ranch rodeo action will come to the Muenster area this weekend with the Bill Biffle Memorial Ranch Rodeo, held at the Seldom Seen Ranch at Forestburg. Action begins at 1 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Admission is \$2.00 for adults with children admitted free.

Come out and enjoy a day on the ranch. See the working cowboys participate in calf branding, pasture roping, calf penning and wild cow milking. One of the great things about the show is the fun that everyone seems to have, because of the amateur status of the participants, each event is extraordinarily entertaining.

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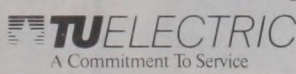
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Sacred Heart Tigerettes claim State Championship in Waco

For the second year in a row, the Sacred Heart Tigerettes claimed the State Championship in Waco Saturday. The Tigerettes were favored to take the championship but with the season-ending injury to Michelle Walter, the Tigerettes' mentors knew it would be a battle. "Michelle helps us earn 30 points a meet, and when she went down we knew we would be in for a battle," exclaimed a jubilant Coach Ron Hess. The battle turned into a war for the Tigerettes as the Eagles of Lubbock Christian were leading the Tigerettes going into the 1600m relay by a 97 1/2 count to 96 for the Tigerettes.

LaBecah Hess' opening leg on the 1600m relay put the Tigerettes in second place behind Lubbock Christian. Senior Danna Hamric, filling in for Walter, turned in a great performance to keep the Tigerettes on the heels of the Eagles. Amy Walterscheid took the baton from Hamric and passed Blackwood on the back stretch to give Tigerette ace Molly Koelzer the lead. Koelzer took the stick and the race was over as she pulled 40 yards ahead of the field to break the tape. The 1600m relay team's win gave the Tigerettes 116 points to the Eagles 109. Evangel Temple nosed out the Eagles for second place.

The 1988 State Track and Field Championship is the Tigerettes' second in two years. The Tigerettes are ranked on top of three categories in the small school division - Class A in the recent Track and Field News poll. With the win on Saturday, the Tigerettes have won six meets this season against one loss. "The girls' record speaks for itself," said Coach Hess. "I am so proud of their effort here today and all season long." "They

are one of the top teams in the state and they proved their ranking today."

The meet for the Tigerettes was not without great performances. Senior Molly Koelzer closed out a brilliant track career as she collected three golds. First in the 800m run, the 1600m relay and the 400m dash. Koelzer's 59:05 set a new meet record in the 400m. Sophomore distance lady Amy Bayer claimed a gold in the 3200m run with a PR of 12:53 and a gold in the 1600m with a PR of 5:50.

Junior thrower Vickie Schmitt brought home two golds in the shot and discus, with throws of 94'2 1/2" and 32'2 1/2". Amy also set a new school record in the 1600m run. Teammate Donna Walterscheid picked up a bronze in the discus and a 5th place finish in the shot. Freshman Sharon Fuhrmann scored points for the Tigerettes with a 4th place put in the shot and a 6th place discus toss.

Tigerette hurdler Lisa Hamric raced to a third in the hurdles and a 6th in the triple jump. Sophomore sprinter Amy Walterscheid turned in a PR of 26:6 for a 4th place finish in the 200m. LaBecah Hess clocked in a 64:2 for a 5th in the 400m. Teammates Danna Hamric and Angela Endres scored 5th and 6th respectively in the 800m run.

The Tigerette relay squads turned in a personal best in the 400m with a 53:44 for a 4th place finish. That squad consists of Debbie Schmitt, Lisa Hamric, LaBecah Hess and Amy Walterscheid. The 1600m relay squad's time of 4:15.2 was a gold medal winner. Participants included LaBecah Hess, Danna Hamric, Amy Walterscheid and Molly Koelzer.

Sacred Heart's lone Tiger,



AMY BAYER accepts the gold medal in the distance runs.

Deano Bayer, ended a brilliant career with a gold-winning toss in the discus and a second place put in the shot. Bayer, a senior, closed out an outstanding career for the Tigers by setting a new TAPS state record in the discus with a throw of 138'4".



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TIGERETTES-STATE CHAMPS

Tigerette State Meet Photos by Deano Bayer and Harvey Schmitt



CLOCKWISE - Deano Bayer; Angela Endres to Amy Walterscheid; and Molly Koelzer.



Nocona offers coed volleyball tournament

There will be a Co-ed Volleyball Tournament in Nocona, Texas May 13 and 14. Players should be seniors in high school or older. Cost per team is \$30.00. Proceeds will go toward sending Boy Scout Troop 108 to summer camp. T-shirts will be given to first, second and third place teams. For more information, call Bill or Marcia Hawthorne at 817-825-6948. Deadline for entry is May 9, so that we can make up

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Wrestling match set for May 14 in Gainesville

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the current WCCW Heavyweight Champion "Ice Man" King Parsons.

Germanfest

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of Muenster, Texas and her acquaintance of Munster, West Germany. One of the kindest, most generous acts of friendship and caring was witnessed by many at Germanfest, who saw a member of a motorcycle club, "The Forsaken Few," minister to a physically handicapped member of their group. They took him along in his wheelchair, and gave him his food and every care, and are now receiving the praise of all who came in contact during the visit here.

The rest of the card features fan favorite Wild Bill Irwin against former WCCW Heavyweight Champ Black Bart and "Maniac" Matt Borne against The Hood. Tickets for the event are \$7.00 for advance ringside (\$8.00 at the door) and \$6.00 for general admission and are available at Watts Brothers Pharmacy, Olney Savings, Gainesville National Bank, Kwidk Kar Kare, Gainesville Cable TV, Tom Thumb-Page, First State Bank and D.I. One Stop in Muenster.

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Election

An election was held on Oct. 6, 1987 at Muenster to elect a director for Zone 3. Jake G. Biffle, Jr. was re-elected.

Awards Banquet

The 38th Annual Awards Banquet was held May 7, 1987 at the National Guard Armory in Bowie. Award winners were George C. Deen, Fort Worth, and C.R. Riggs, Sunset, for Zone I; Duane Robertson, Nocona, for Zone II; Thomas C. Binford, Gainesville, for Zone III; Billy P. Farr, Gainesville, for Zone IV; and Ernest B. Strawn, Howe, for Zone V. Special awards were given to the Founders of the Awards Program and Montague County Commissioners' Court. The District and sponsors presented winners with handcarved wooden plaques.

The Zone winners were also presented with SCSA belt buckles. Mr. Joe Weinzapfel of Muenster again purchased a one-year subscription to the Soil Conservation Society of America to all award winners. The District Board appreciates the banks, newspapers, radio and television stations for sponsoring this awards banquet.

The 27th Annual Essay Writing Contest

Lucy Fuhrmann of Lindsay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fuhrmann, won first place. Alison Tyson of Denison, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J.P. Tyson, won second place. Doug Rozycki of Whitesboro, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rozycki, won third place. Their essays were printed in area newspapers in the Conservation Edition last spring.

Annual State Meeting: Oct. 12, 13 and 14, 1987

State meeting of the Texas Soil and Water Conservation District Directors was held in Galveston. Attending were Clyde Hale, Chairman; James K. Brite, Jr., Vice-Chairman; Ray J. Svacina, District Conservationist; and Sharon Kirkpatrick, District Clerk.

New Director - William Hermes
William Hermes of Hood was appointed director for Zone IV of

the Upper Elm-Red SWCD in November. William is a farmer in the Hood Community. He has been very active in all agricultural activities in the county. He served as committeeman on the ASCS County Committee for eight years.

Technicians Monies

Another year of the State providing funds for Technical Assistants has certainly been appreciated. We have one full-time technician in Nocona and a part-time technician in Gainesville and Sherman. They are working with the SCS personnel in the field office on staking and checking conservation practices.

Soil Stewardship Week

Soil Stewardship Week was honored with news releases in newspapers, on radio and television in Gainesville, Nocona and Sherman.

Cattlemen's Round-Up

The Annual Cattlemen's Round-Up was held in Bowie with over 850 attending. Director of Zone I, James K. Brite, Jr., was on the Livestock Committee.

Texas Awards Banquet

Clyde Hale, Chairman, and James K. Brite, Jr., Vice-Chairman, attended the Texas Awards Banquet in Stephenville on May 5, 1987. Also attending were Lucy Fuhrmann, Essay Winner, and her mother. Lucy's essay

won the Zone V State Award.

Hale Elected President

Clyde Hale was elected president of the Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts at the Annual State Meeting in October. Hale will serve for a one-year term over the association.

Brite Elected Vice-Chairman

James Brite was elected Vice-Chairman of the North Central Texas Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts in September. The association covers 40 counties in the North Central Texas area.

NACD/Deutz-Allis Conservation Award

The NACD/Deutz-Allis Conservation Award was presented to Mrs. Nancy Terry of Denison. The award is presented for an outstanding teaching program in environmental education and in the principles of sound natural resource management. For the past 18 years, Mrs. Terry has encouraged her students to compete in the Conservation District's Essay Contest. She does an outstanding job as an English teacher and as a conservation promoter. Mrs. Terry emphasizes conservation as an appropriate area for research and writing in the English classroom. She encourages her students to write and also to think about what can, or should, be done in the field of



conservation. Her success rate is what has gained her this recognition. Usually she has over 150 entries each year. Her students have received five first place awards, one second place, and one third place.

Youth Range Workshop

Hugh Hamilton of Bowie attended the 33rd Annual Texas Section of the Society for Range Management Youth Workshop during the summer. We were proud to sponsor Hugh to attend this workshop.

FFA students provide helping hand

Two FFA Chapters assisted in time of need this past year. The Bowie FFA Chapter provided assistance with arrangements, setting up tables and chairs, and cleaning up for the District Awards Banquet held in May.

In April, the Lindsay FFA Chapter assisted with arrangements for the Annual Awards Planning Meeting which was held at Site 9, Elm Fork Creek.

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"April 27 to May 2 is National Volunteer Week," Svacina said. "We would be happy to process your application during that week or any other time during the year."

Svacina said anyone may apply - retirees, professionals and non-professionals and students - anyone interested in conservation.

"Earth Team members can work part-time or full-time, outdoors, or in a local Soil Conservation Service office," Svacina said. "Volunteers must be at least 16 years of age, and there is no maximum age limit."

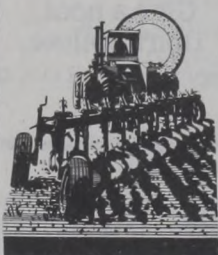
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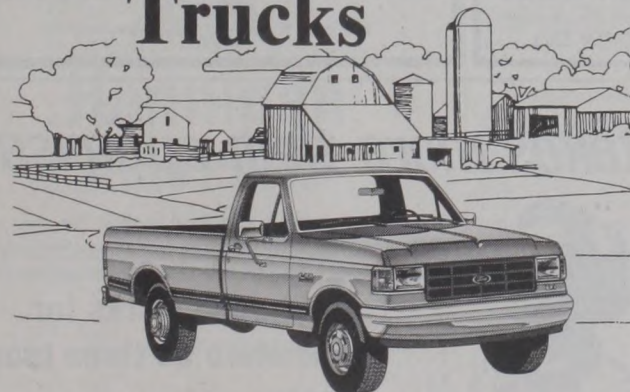


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106-Individuals and Groups Applying Practices	1,329 No.		
108-Conservation Plans	48,034 Ac.		
120-Gov. Agencies Assisted	39 No.		
152-Cost Share Contracts Signed	36 No.		
152-Cost Share Contracts Signed	11,078 Ac.		
342-Critical Area Planting	661 Ac.		
372-Ponds	55 No.		
410-Grade Stabilization Structures	19 No.		
412-Grassed Waterways	69 Ac.		
600-Terraces	191,000 Ft.		
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GFCP	23 No.	10,555 Ac.	\$426,369.03

Former Ag teacher is Zone I winner

Garlin Scroggins, of Bowie, is the 1988 recipient of the Upper Elm-Red Soil and Water Conservation District's Zone I Outstanding Conservation Rancher of the Year award. Scroggins is a native of Montague County, growing up on his father's farm west of Bowie.

Garlin and his wife, Bonnie, have been closely associated with agriculture by devoting his career to Vocational Agriculture. Garlin graduated from Texas A&M University in 1948 with a degree in Agricultural Education. He taught Vocational Agriculture for 17 years, served as Area Supervisor of Vocational Agriculture headquartered at Denton and then served as Executive Secretary and later State Director of the Texas Future Farmers of America headquartered at Austin. In 1983, he retired and moved back to Bowie.

In 1961, Scroggins purchased 240 acres of land near the community of Dye Mound. The ranch had several resource problems that limited the potential of the land. Oak brush and several severely eroding gullied areas existed. Some of the gullies were 15 to 20 feet deep. Forage production was almost nil.

Scroggins knew that for the ranch to be productive, he would have to control the brush and erosion. In 1966, he made application for the Great Plains Conservation Program. A contract was developed.

Under the Great Plains Conservation Program, 27 acres of brush were cleared and 29 acres of gullies and eroding areas were shaped and revegetated to bermudagrass. Coastal bermudagrass was established on 33 acres of pastureland and 14 acres of rangeland was reseeded to a mixture of bluestem grasses. Two grade stabilization structures were constructed to help stabilize some

eroding gullies. A cross fence 2800 feet long was constructed to divide one pasture into two to allow better grazing management. With all items of the contract completed, the contract expired in 1970.

In 1977, Scroggins contacted the Soil Conservation service to help him control some erosion on some gullies that had become active. He signed an agreement to carry out work under the Critical Area Treatment Program. Under this program, two diversion terraces and two grade stabilization structures were constructed and seven acres of gullies were shaped and revegetated.

"Controlling erosion is pretty important," states Scroggins. "Good management increases the quantity and quality of the grass that is growing in each pasture."

Scroggins applies a balanced fertilizer on the bermudagrass in his coastal pasture and also on all the critical areas, diversions and structures. Weeds and oak sprouts are controlled by shredding.

Wildlife has benefited from the conservation measures that Scroggins has carried out on his ranch. Controlled grazing helps to provide food and escape cover for small game such as quail. Trees and brush areas that were left provide shelter and escape cover for deer and turkey also. The structures provide water for wildlife. They were stocked with bass and catfish providing hours of enjoyment and recreation.

Scroggins acknowledges that conservation of soil and water resources is important. The Directors of the Upper Elm Red Soil and Water Conservation District extend their congratulations to Garlin for the excellent work that he has done in controlling erosion on his ranch.



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Sawyer selected for 44 years of service

Year after year of conservation and soil improvement is what has paid off for Lyle Sawyer of Nocona. Named Outstanding Conservationist in 1951, Sawyer has maintained a high level of management and improvement ever since. His operation consists of 565 acres of owned and leased land. He has always been very proud of the homeplace and the work he has done on it.

Mr. Sawyer moved to Texas from Montana in 1922 and began dairy farming by milking several cows and selling milk to his neighbors. He and his wife, Leta, started dairy farming on a larger scale in 1940. Even in these early years, Lyle realized the need to carry out some kind of conservation.

In 1944, he began installing terraces on cropland to help control erosion. Then in 1945, he became a cooperater with the Upper Elm-Red SWCD. After many hard years in the dairy business, Lyle retired from milking and started running beef cattle.

Fields that were once used to raise feed for the dairy animals have since been planted to permanent vegetation like Kleingrass and clover. Lyle feels that having clover in some pastures is beneficial not only to his livestock but also the land. Years of watching grasses grow have taught Lyle the need for proper management. Prior to applying fertilizer each year, he will mow down last season's old growth to be sure the new growth has every advantage possible.

Coastal bermuda pastures are also important in Lyle's livestock operation. Each year he will apply fertilizer and a herbicide in order to produce the amount of high quality forage needed. Over the years, Lyle has built up what he considers a good cow herd. He enjoys seeing good grass and fat cows.

One program Lyle has recently become involved in is the Conservation Reserve Program. He has placed 80 acres of cropland into



LYLE and LETA SAWYER

the program and planted it to permanent grass. This has allowed him to retire his remaining cropland and eliminate any future erosion problems.

Through his years of farming and ranching, Lyle has done an

outstanding job of carrying out a conservation program on the land he loves. Because of this, the Directors of the Upper Elm-Red SWCD are proud to present him with the Conservation Farmer of the Year, Zone II.

Forestburg FFA brings home 3 firsts

Forestburg FFA entered five judging teams in the Area V FFA contests in Commerce Saturday on the campus of East Texas State University and won three first place plaques.

In the plant identification contest, David Morris was high individual scorer with 333, Jason Morris was third with 258 and Douglas Allen fifth with 211. Team placings were: Forestburg FFA, 1st; Era FFA, 2nd; and Valley View FFA, 3rd.

Vernon Forrester of Forestburg

was high individual in the range and pasture judging with 244, Terry Allen was third with 241, and Billy Covington fourth with 233. Alternate team member was Jamie Lively. Team placings were: Forestburg FFA, 1st; Era FFA, 2nd; Bowie FFA, 3rd; and Mabank FFA, 4th.

In the land judging contest, Chad Hudspeth was high individual with 225, Bart Sirman and Toby Vann tied for 8th individual with 187. Brent Holland was team alternate. The top five teams among the 18 entered were: Forestburg FFA, 1st; Mabank FFA, 2nd; Callisburg FFA, 3rd; Bowie FFA, 4th; Tom Bean FFA, 5th.

Forestburg's livestock judging team, composed of Bryan Stradley, Marshall Hardy and Alan Mann, placed 26th among the 47 teams entered.

Participating in the dairy judging were: Jaime Capuchina, Dee Bell and Ricky Landers.

Get your Montague Co. History Book

Those wishing to purchase a Montague County History Book at prepublication price don't have too much time left, Chairman Melvin Fenoglio told members of the Montague County Historical Commission last week.

To alert the public, commission members directed the chairman to conduct an advertising campaign in local newspapers. Prepublication price is \$47.50 plus sales tax.

After 1,000 books are sold, it is expected that the publishing company will raise the price to at least \$60.00 plus sales tax, the chairman added. Better than 860 books have already been sold, and book reservations are arriving daily.

The history book has been in the planning and developing stages for almost a year. It will be a large book, containing some 750 to 1000 pages, and will be an encompassing book.

A survey history of the county, histories of all present communities, histories of 26 communities past, history of education, organizations, cemeteries, post offices, human interest stories relating to the past and present, hall of fame characters, 1000 family histories, 100 business histories, and a large pictorial section will all be included in the book.

The book is expected to be off the press in October of 1988. Reservations for the book may be made upon payment of \$20.00, the balance to be paid when the book is picked up by the owner. Book orders may be placed with Melvin Fenoglio, Box 13, Montague, Texas 76251.

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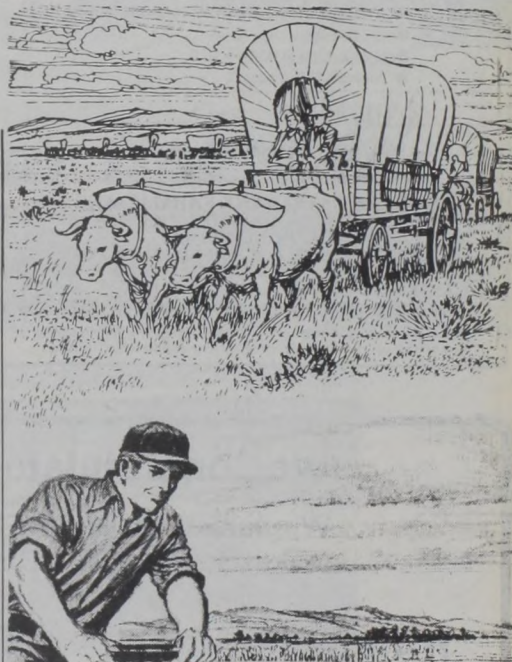
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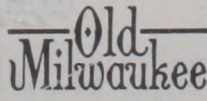


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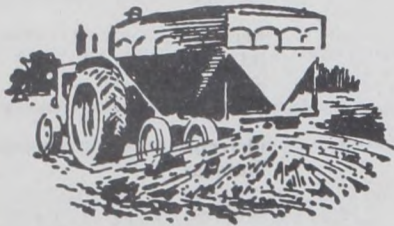
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District announces essay contest results

Clyde Hale, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Upper Elm-Red Soil and Water Conservation District, announced the winners in the 28th Annual Essay Writing Contest today. Hale stated, "There were several excellent essays entered from all over the three-county district and all students and teachers are to be commended for their interest and participation in the 1988 District Conservation Contest. The top

essays were so close it was hard to decide which one was first, second and third.

The first place winner was Fred Bogs of Denison, Texas; second place winner was Richard Zemcik of Denison, Texas; and third place winner was Kris Rediger of Tom Bean, Texas. Judges for the contest were Eric Williams, editor of the Gainesville Daily Register, and his staff.

FRED BOGS, 1st Place Winner

Fred Bogs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Bogs, Jr., is a sophomore at Denison High School. Mrs. Nancy Terry is the teacher.

AFTERTHOUGHTS

The tall farmer eyed his land and studied his loaded U-Haul trailer as an outsider would have. The farm he was leaving had been his father's, grandfather's and great-grandfather's before it ever thought about being his. He studied his huge, rough, well-worked hands. He had put as much work into the land as any of them. The shortcuts he took were taken by farmers across the nation.

His Indian blood was both crying to him and scolding him, "The earth is my mother; I must preserve, protect and reap it without waste." He walked over the fine, dry soil. He had seen the decline of his soil take place over the 20 years he worked it. Now the land was a desert. His long, downward-sloping rows ended in ruts and washes. He couldn't hope to plow this God-forsaken mess. He nearly wept. Twenty years of his blood, sweat and tears were contained in that soil. His father grew rich cotton fields with regularity. Why did he have to watch his soil, his life, wither?

He picked up a discarded layman's pamphlet on soil erosion. Stuff he had known forever. Why did he put himself above it?

Before him lay the prospect of scraping by on a city job. Someday he might return to a housing development, underneath which would lay his ruined farm.

RICHARD ZEMCIK 2nd Place Winner

The second place winner in the Upper Elm-Red SWCD Essay Contest is Richard Zemcik, son of John and Mary Zemcik of Denison. Richard is a sophomore at Denison High School, taught by Mrs. Nancy Terry.

THE EMISSARY

A car moved deliberately down a narrow, well-traveled road. An open field on the driver's side possessed a brilliant green color that contrasted with the deep blue of the clear mountain air and sky above. The field was bound on its sides by barbed wire fences which were softened by the dense moss that enclosed their steel and timber. This field stretched from miles down the line to the front door of a single story, small white house like a thick carpet that was rolled out to greet nature. Tightly packed evergreens filled the skyline. A few clouds that looked so incredibly close sat what seemed to be inches above the treetops, but not a single cloud top extended higher than the vivid rainbow that arched across the sky. The rainbow seemed to start in the valley on the other side of a nearby crest and it looked as if it diminished on the other side of the trees which lined the fence that was binding the majestic green fields on the driver's side.

A road with a deep black hue and shallow ruts that were filled with water came near an end as the wheels of the road-beaten car met resistance and slowed to a stop. The door of the vehicle opened and the words, "Liebelt Chemical Company, Inc.," became visible. A stout young man carrying a briefcase and the makings of a

Corbetts continue farming tradition

The outstanding conservation award winners for Zone IV are Larry and Sandy Corbett.

Their 406-acre farm is located near Dexter. Larry became a District Cooperator in 1977. He is the fourth generation to live, and work, on the farm.

Larry, Sandy, and their son, Clay, live in the house that was built in 1874, which they have restored and remodeled.

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Larry is extremely proud of the fact that all of the wooden fence posts and the old wires have been removed, and replaced, with new T-posts and wire, and that steel gates have been hung.

Throughout the years the Corbetts have applied, and carried out, many conservation practices including pasture planting, critical area shaping, pond construction, and pasture and hayland management.

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The farm has 10 individual pastures through which Larry rotates his Brangus cattle on a two- to three-day rotation period.

This provides better distribution of grazing and allows cattle to utilize higher quality forage.

The Corbetts are aware of the need for conservation practices and the benefits of keeping a vegetative cover on the soil to prevent erosion.

The Board of Directors congratulate Larry and Sandy Corbett for the hard work and a job well done!



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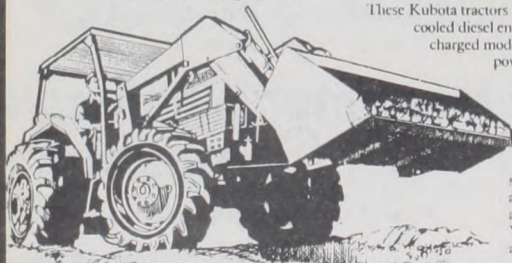


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Sam and his wife, Norma, have lived on this farm for five years. They have three children: Allan, Leah, and Neal. Neal is the only child still at home, and he is attending Grayson County College.

When Sam first bought this farm, you could not drive across it without going around gullies. Many of these gullies were more than 10 feet deep. Sam entered into a Long Term Contract with the Soil Conservation Service for help with shaping the gullies and planning a long-term management pro-

gram. Sam is a contractor by profession so he was able to do all of his own shaping. He shaped 29 acres. He then sprigged coastal bermudagrass to these acres plus another 80 acres. Sam has done a very good job of managing this acreage and now has a very good grass cover that protects the soil. This pastureland is now being used for the production of hay.

Sam has also built four ponds with his own equipment. Two of these he stocked with catfish. He built a floating fish feeder out of PVC pipe to keep the food where he wants it and to keep it from washing ashore. Sam and his family enjoy feeding, catching and eating these fish.

Zone V of the Upper Elm-Red SWCD is proud to have Sam Norton as their Outstanding Farmer.

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ESSAYS

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outside he paused for a moment, and looked at the place. He envisioned a huge building with several other buildings beside it. There were loading docks and giant trucks all around. The man took a piece of white paper from his briefcase and wrote a short note, a date, and a telephone number. As he was walking to tape the note on the door of the house, he looked up where the smoke stacks would be, expecting to see that pleasant rainbow. Instead he saw a big black haze of smoke. On the ground he could see the skeletons of hundreds of tightly packed trees next to a brown, muddy, contaminated field dotted with little pools of yellow water. His throat and skin burned from the humid, polluted air. The young man got back into his car and drove home.

Later that night, the farmer that lived in the small white house found a yellowed sheet of paper with ink smeared to the point of being illegible lying in one of the ruts of his smooth little road. He threw the piece of trash away then went back outside to enjoy the purity of his land so many miles from the havoc below - yet fewer than he may think.

KRIS REDIGER 3rd Place Winner

Kris Rediger is a freshman at Tom Bean High School. Bruce Anderson is his teacher. Karen and Mike Rediger are Kris' parents.

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In a speech on March 4, 1969, the U.S. Public Health Service's Charles Johnson, Jr., said, "Today we have problems - and they are growing every year - which point to a need for greater attention to water quality."

Another remark was made by Donald A. Slater, speaking for the National League of Cities. He said, "Unless pollution is controlled, water cannot be reused."

Both of these statements are true. If we pay more attention to all of our other problems, the biggest problem, water pollution, will get worse.

May 6, 1938

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FARM AND RANCH NEWS



164-H'ers to attend Roundup

by Evelyn Yeatts,
County Extension Agent
Hours of preparation, practice and study paid off for 52 4-H'ers as they participated in the recent

Be Manned or Unmanned?"
Winning first place and blue ribbons in the junior division were:

-Clifford Lutkenhaus with a method demonstration, "A Scissor Is A Scissor," in the Clothing Educational Activity.

-Eric Vann gave a demonstration, "Hold Your Fire" in entomology.

-Kimberly McKown gave a demonstration, "Here! Hear!," in Family Life Educational Activity.

-Charlene Lutkenhaus with a demonstration, "Quick Breads to the Rescue," in Foods and Nutritional Educational Event.

-Robert Lutkenhaus with a demonstration, "Play It Safe," in Focus on Health.

-Amy Ashby, Jamie Alexander, Cori Barthold, J.R. Calvert, Bethany Clark, Christy Hargrove, Vada Smith, Jenna Yanez and Melissa Woods with a Share-The-Fun act, "Compost Scripts."

Two 4-H'ers received blue ribbons who participated in Method Demonstrations for the first time. Michael Becker presented "Leaflets Three - Let It Be" in Safety and Holly Howell presented "Friday Night Fit" in the Sheep and/or Goats category.

On April 16 4-H'ers participated in other areas of District competition. The Rifle Contest was held at the University of Texas at Arlington.

The Senior Team placed first, earning the right to participate in State Roundup in June also. On the winning team were Leo Sandmann, Michael Proffer, Robin Snowden and Jared Bayer.

The hours of practice also paid off for the junior team which won first. On the winning team were Daniel Proffer, Danny Miller,

Clifford Lutkenhaus and Amy Fette.

On April 16 at Tarleton in Stephenville, 4-H participated in Dairy Cattle Judging and in Livestock Judging. The Junior Dairy Team placed first in the District contest. Team members were Jennifer Kupper, Todd Martindale, Brenda Friedrich and Cindy Martindale.

The Junior Livestock Judging Team composed of Jeremy Bayer, Marty Rehm and Shiann Howell placed fourth.

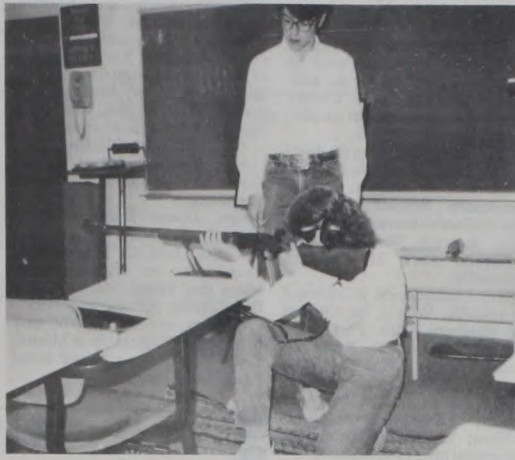
Another Junior Judging Team participated in an Invitational Dairy Judging Contest at Tarleton. The team composed of Casey Kupper, Daryl Kupper, Susan Kupper and Bucky Martindale placed third.

Also participating in the Invitational Livestock Judging Contest were Jordan Bayer, Holly Howell, Chad Phillips and Clint Alphin.

Congratulations are in order for all of these 4-H'ers who represented Cooke County in District Competition!



JUNIOR and Senior 4-H Rifle Teams, l to r, back - Coach Sue Tuggle, Danny Miller, Michael Proffer, Robin Snowden and Coach Ricky Tuggle; front - Clifford Lutkenhaus, Daniel Proffer, Pat Hogan, Werner Becker and Amy Fette. Not pictured are Leo Sandmann, Jared Bayer and Sheryllyn Sicking.



SHERILYN SICKING and Michael Proffer in their gun safety demonstration.

County Agent's Report

by Craig Rosenbaum

Loose smut is one of the most destructive smut diseases that can develop in wheat, barley and oats.

This disease can cause considerable yield loss while totally destroying the head. In fields around the county this year, we have seen loose smut in both hard and soft wheat varieties. Past years we only encountered the disease in some of the soft wheat varieties.

Injury to the plant is clearly evident after all heads emerge. Heads will frequently be shorter than normal heads and take on a shapeless black mass of spore powder. This sooty spore is what

flowering heads of wheat and barley. The loose smut that infects wheat will only infect wheat while the same is true with the barley.

The fungus grows inside the normal grain and is picked up during harvest. Warm weather aids in infection to normal susceptible plants. This fungus is carried inside the seed and therefore, special treatment must be used for its control. When infected seeds are sown, the fungus actively grows in the new plant.

Producers should check their fields now for the presence of loose smut if they plan to keep seed for next season's planting. Fields showing heavy infestations should not be kept for planting seed. Chemicals with a systemic activity are the only ones effective in control of loose smut.

Another fungus found in our fields now is called sooty mold. This will appear also as a blackish-grey coating on the heads. This fungus generally is found on plants that are already dying or weakened by other diseases. Damage from this mold is not severe. It can be distinguished from the loose smut in that you will see the head and grain on plants affected with the sooty mold.

infects normal appearing grain. Winds and rain cause the spores to travel during pollination and infect next year's seed crop. The black spores are carried to the



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Market Report

by Bill Hamer

The sale tally for the past week at Muenster Livestock Auction was 365 cattle and 64 hogs. Hogs were steady; cows and bulls were steady; stockers were steady and active; feeders were steady to weak on heavy cattle.

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Medium to Good..... \$45 to \$48
Canners to Cutters..... \$35 to \$45
Hard Kinds..... \$30 to \$40
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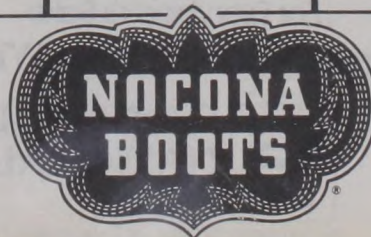
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Rosston and Forestburg News

Ruth Smith

Announcements

The Annual Pie Supper for the New Harp Cemetery Fund will be Friday evening, May 6, at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

The ladies are asked to bring pies and the men bring the money. Those who can't attend and wish to contribute may mail their contributions to: New Harp Cemetery Association, c/o Ran Greenead, Secretary, Rt. 1 Box 177, Forestburg, TX 76239.

The Rosston Cemetery Association will have its annual memorial service and business meeting Saturday, May 14, 1988 at the Rosston Methodist Church.

Rev. Marshall Stewart, pastor of the Church of Nazarene at Prairie Point, will be the speaker.

Lunch will be held at the Ross Point Community Center.

Rev. Roy Montgomery, 85, dies
Funeral services for Rev. Roy Edgar Montgomery of Rhome

were held Saturday, April 30, at 10 a.m. in the First United Methodist Church in Decatur. Officiating were Reverends Fred Kandler, Sean Wicker, Tom Benoy and Ed Miller. Graveside services and interment were in Hibbit Cemetery at 2 p.m. near Walnut Bend in Cooke County under the direction of Coker Funeral Home in Decatur.

Rev. Montgomery was born Oct. 5, 1902 in Oklahoma. He passed away Thursday at Decatur Community Hospital. He had been in ill health for two years.

He married Winnie Estelle Thompson April 21, 1928 in Gainesville.

Rev. Montgomery is survived by his wife, Winnie, of Rhome; two daughters, Mrs. Peggy Lou Harrison and Mrs. Betty Jo Franks of Fort Worth; one son, Ronnie Lon Montgomery of Dallas; one brother, John Montgomery of Denton; seven grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Rev. Montgomery was a member of the Rhome United Methodist Church and was pastor there. He had served as pastor for many churches throughout the area, including the Era Methodist Church. He was very well known throughout this area with his church work. He was a member of the Boyd Masonic Lodge 497.

Maberrys stay busy

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Maberry attended the graveside services of Rev. Roy Montgomery. The Maberry and Montgomery families were longtime friends, sharing many fond memories. While in the Dexter area, Marvin and Della visited the Hal Dicks.

Mrs. Marvin Maberry left April 16 for Sylvester to visit her sister, Mrs. Docie McCain and Mrs. Addie Maberry. Then April 18, they all went to Temple to Scott and White Clinic for a checkup with their doctors. They returned to Sylvester April 23. Then Mrs. Maberry returned to her home April 27.

Funeral services for Mrs. Maberry's nephew, Fred White of Hamlin, were held Saturday, April 16, in the Sylvester Baptist Church at 1 p.m. Interment was at Sylvester. Mrs. Maberry was unable to attend the funeral due to heavy traffic.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knight of Era visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Maberry Sunday afternoon.

Greshams take trip

Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Gresham left Monday, April 25, on a business trip to San Angelo, Midland and Lubbock. They returned home Wednesday, April 27.

Guests of Mrs. Hanson

Jim Call of Gainesville visited his mother, Mrs. Joyce Hanson, Wednesday and spent the night.

Sunday Mrs. Hanson motored over to her daughter, Mrs. Carol Jakse, and family. Then they went to Bowie and brought Amy Broussart home from the Bowie hospital. Amy had an appendectomy surgery Thursday night. She is doing satisfactorily and was able to be dismissed from the hospital and recuperate at home.

Personal

Mrs. Odessa Berry and James Berry visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cook in Denton. They spent the day Tuesday.

Christians attend reception

Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Christian

were in Fort Worth shopping Thursday.

C.H. Christian visited his brother, Jim Christian, in Oak Tree Lodge in Gainesville. He reports Jim is doing okay.

Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Christian attended the reception and wedding shower for their grandson and wife, Kevin and Rhonda Christian, at the Lions Club building in Springtown Saturday evening, April 30. Kevin is the son of Jimmy and Sandy Christian. A large number of relatives and friends attended. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Hughes also attended.

Mrs. Shults visits kin

Mrs. Shirley Harvill of Vernon visited Mrs. Louise Shults Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Louise Shults went to Lindsey, Oklahoma to visit Mr. and Mrs. John C. Blankenship. They drove to Harrah, Okla. where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Nifong, Johnny and Nikki. Then they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Craig Blankenship in Moore, Okla. Mrs. Shults returned home Sunday afternoon.

Guests of Mrs. Berry

Mrs. Josephine Berry had as her guests Monday afternoon Miss Kathryn Fortenberry of Slidell, and her sister, Mrs. Helen (Fortenberry) Holder of California, and her friend, Maggie from San Angelo, as well as Paul and Patsy Dangelmayr.

Mrs. Josephine Berry and Mrs. Lillian Dale were Muenster visitors Tuesday and had lunch at The Center.

Mrs. Josephine Berry went to Gainesville Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. Sara Blankenship, who had been transferred from AMI Hospital to Gainesville Hospital Extended Care Unit Tuesday.

Mrs. Berry visited with her nephew, Jimmy Tom Blankenship of Dallas, who was visiting his mother, Mrs. Blankenship.

Weekend guest

Mrs. Cornelia Holzbog of Denison spent Friday and Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Juanita Greenead. She also visited with Mr. Vint Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. Ran Greenead and Matt.

Sunday afternoon Mrs. Juanita Greenead and Mrs. Cornelia Holzbog visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gaylor in Alvord.

Personal

Miss Lois Bewley and Clyde had as their guests Monday afternoon, Ira and Juanita Bewley of Pampa and their daughter, Jean Hempkin of Denver, Colorado.

Cindy and Eugene Ferguson of Gainesville had lunch Sunday with Lois Bewley and Clyde. Mrs. Corvella Robeson visited them Sunday afternoon.

Jacksons' news

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jackson were shopping Thursday afternoon in Gainesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson visited Mr. and Mrs. S.T. Warford at Slidell Saturday afternoon.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Jackson attended church at the Forestburg United Methodist Church. Then Mrs. Myrt Denham was their guest for lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson attended church at the United Methodist Church in Saint Jo Sunday evening.

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Coming Events

by Myrt Denham

Pie Supper coming May 6

Let us not forget the Annual New Harp Pie Supper Friday night, May 6, at 7 p.m. in the Community Center there. Proceeds go to the upkeep of the two cemeteries.

Biffle Memorial Rodeo set for May 7 and 8

Saturday and Sunday, May 7 and 8, are the dates of the Annual Biffle Memorial Rodeo at the Seldom Seen Ranch six miles southeast of Forestburg.

May 7 is day to vote

Be sure to go cast your vote at the School Board Election Saturday, May 7. Doors open at 7 a.m. and close at 7 p.m.

Neighborhood Crime Watch

The Forestburg Neighborhood Crime Watch will have its next meeting Monday night, May 9, at 8 p.m. in the Community Center. Hope you can make it!

Friends help Brants move to new home

Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Embry, Gayle Edwards, Chris and Veronica Greenead, Doug Edwards and friend all drove to Dallas Saturday to help Pam and Mark Brant move into their new home on Saturday, April 30. Pam is Charles and Gayle Edwards daughter.

Personal

Merle and Clifford Hudspeth had their 51st wedding anniversary on Sunday, May 1.

Students and teachers at Omni Theater

The Beta Club and their teacher, Mrs. Carol Harris, plus Mary Lou McCandless attended the movie, "The Grand Canyon," at the Omni Theater in Fort Worth on Thursday, April 28.

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