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Research Center studying native saltwater plants

... needed at Truscott Brine Lake to help evaporation

The Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center is working on a very interesting project to help solve a problem at the Truscott Brine Lake.

The Truscott Lake was constructed to control the salt level and improve the quality of water in the Red River. It was built to last 100 years, but is now one-third full in less than 10 years. The lake has no outlet works. It is maintained through the action of evaporation on the pool.

The Corps of Engineers contacted Dr. Jerry Cox, Resident Director of Research at Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center in Vernon, to ask if there was some kind of plants to put around the edges of the Truscott Brine Lake to draw out more water than was occurring through evaporation.

Dr. Cox decided that the best approach to this problem was to travel to coastal areas around the United States and collect plants that can withstand salt water and grow in a climate similar to ours.

Morris Houck, Manager of the Plant Material Center in Knox City, contacted several plant material centers on the south and east coast and has brought in a variety of cord grasses and shrubs which are native to our area. Some of these grasses are at the Munday Research Station and will be transplanted at the lake in August or September if all goes well. Several Munday youth will be given the opportunity to help with the planting.

Maurine Williams, an employee at the Munday research center, is taking care of the plants at the local station and at the Truscott Lake.

Dr. Cox will also be traveling through several states searching for other plants native to the United States for this project.

According to the director of research, the next step is to build several ponds, plant these native grasses in the bottom, sides and around the edges, and then fill the ponds with salt water from the Truscott Brine Lake. The plants will be submerged, partially submerged, and never submerged. In this way it will be determined



DR. JERRY COX, (at left), Resident Director of Research at Texas A&M Agricultural Research and Extension Center in Lockett, and Roxanne Montandon, Research Associate in Entomology, are just two of many scientists at the center who are studying ways to help the farmers and ranchers with their crops and livestock.



MAURINE WILLIAMS takes care of the native grasses at the Munday Research Station which will be transplanted at the Truscott Brine Lake. They hope to find plants that are adaptable to our climate and can grow in salt water to help remove water from the lake faster than is being evaporated. The lake has no other water outlets.

which plants will have the greatest potential.

Three of the ponds will have fresh water and three will have salt water from the lake. "If we get a bunch of plants that die, we can say it was the salt but we don't really know that unless we have

Taste of Munday committee looking for musical talent

Plans are underway for the annual *Taste of Munday* sponsored by the Munday Chamber of Commerce. The date has been set for Sunday, August 7, at the Munday High School gym.

Munday's fine cooks will once again prepare their specialties for the public.

There will be a change in this year's *Taste of Munday*. Instead of a fashion show, area musical talent will be in the spotlight. The chamber committee is looking for quartets, trios, duets, soloists, or pianists to volunteer their time to participate in this program.

If you would like to join in the talent part of the festivities, or if you know of someone who musically inclined, please call Melissa Josselet, chairman, or the Chamber office.

Tickets for the event will be sold at the door.

fresh water to compare it with. Maybe they were going to die anyway. It's a way of checking it," Dr. Cox explained.

The idea is to see which plants will stay green the year around, because they want the water to be pumped out year round, not just

County 4-H'ers attend District Teen Leader Lab

Twenty-two counties from the Rolling Plains - 3 Extension District were on hand for the annual 4-H Teen Leader Lab held June 22-24 at the Texas 4-H Center on Lake Brownwood. The theme for the weekend was "Open Your Eyes", and 155 4-H members, adult leaders, and County Extension agents met at Brownwood to be a part of this educational and fun leadership experience.

The Lab included educational workshops - "Ag Literacy", Leadership, Thinking Hats, Teamwork and Trust - as well as special features of this year's lab including team competition, election of officers and leadership. Election of the 1994-95 District 4-H Council officers was held; the new officers are: President - Joe Wilson, Wilbarger County; 1st Vice President - Mandi Allen, Hardeman County; 2nd Vice President - Catredrein Reece, Foard County; Secretary-Treasurer - Susie Jones, Childress County; Public Relations Chairman - Angie Anderson, Wise County.

These officers will provide leadership for District 4-H activities scheduled in the Rolling Plains District for the coming year. Dickens County Agent Robert Herrington and Wichita County Extension Agent Dana Tarter served as agent advisors for the weekend event. The Teen Leader Lab Planning Committee included 4-H'ers from Haskell, Throckmorton, Knox, and Baylor Counties. Participating in the Teen Leader Lab from Knox County were: Jason Patterson - Voting Delegate, Kandis Longan - Voting Delegate, Amanda Baker, Nathan Bloxham, Kay-Kay Kiser, Mindy Zeissel and County Extension Agents Paul Weiser and Jane Rowan.

Immunization Clinic to be held July 18

The Texas Department of Health will hold an immunization clinic on July 18, 1994 at the Knox City Community Center located at 212 South Third. The hours will be from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and will be open through the noon hour.

Adult TD's (Tetanus-Diphtheria) will also be available. A parent or legal guardian must accompany minor children.

All shots are free until August 31 regardless of income. For more information call 817-864-2609.

the summer time.

Dr. Cox and Dr. Ainsley, a plant physiologist at the Research Center, will then go out and measure the water losses in each pond and try to predict how much water can be expected to pump out of the lake through the vegetation.

Baptist youth raising funds for mission trip and camp

The youth of First Baptist Church will sponsor a car wash from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, July 16, at Munday Tire & Appliance. All donations will be used to help pay for their portion of a mission trip and summer camp.

The youth will travel to Tulsa, Oklahoma for their mission trip where they will spend the week leading a Backyard Bible Club and working in various ministry stations in the area. This trip will allow them to meet new people and minister to their physical and spiritual needs. They will leave July 17 and return July 22.

Those planning to attend are Haley Hutchinson, Tracee Tomlinson, Jennifer Slayton, Nikki Milhoan, Cynthia Thomas, Angela Santisteven, Taneka Hamilton and Kristy Yruegas.

Approximately 20 youth and sponsors will travel to Big Country Baptist Assembly in Leuders for their summer camp beginning July 25 through July 29. The week will be filled with recreation, wor-

ship, Bible Study and other special events. Summer camp is a tradition which offers youth a chance to have a fun time in a wholesome environment. If you would like more information about these or any of the other activities related to the youth ministry of First Baptist Church, please contact the church office.

If some of the plants being tested are determined to be doing what is needed at the Truscott Lake, the Corps of Engineers will probably start using them at a number of different brine lakes, such as the one being constructed at Crowell, Dr. Cox said.

The salt which is contaminating water in the Red River basin today was laid down in the Permian geologic age, 220 to 270 million years ago. An inland sea became isolated and evaporated, leaving the salt behind. Over geologic time the salt was covered with rock and silt. Today, some of these deposits are only 50 feet deep.

When it rains, the water soaks in and flows through the ground. When this water reaches a salt deposit, some of the salt dissolves creating brine, which continues to flow underground as groundwater. Then the brine reaches a break in the earth, a spring or seep forms and the brine flows onto the surface.

Following a comprehensive study of the water quality of the Red River basin, it was determined that 10 natural salt source areas contribute a daily average of about 3,600 tons of salt to the river.

Little League all-stars invited to swim party

Little League all-stars including 9-10 year old Pee-Wee all-stars, 11-12 year old Little League all-stars, and girls softball all-stars are invited to the Munday City Pool at 6 p.m. on Thursday, July 14 for a swim party. The swim party will be followed by a supper of hamburgers and homemade ice cream. Players are asked to please bring your all-star uniforms to the party.

Friends, family invited to Family Night at Munday Nursing Center

Family night at Munday Nursing Center will be Thursday, July 14. A salad supper will be held at 6 p.m. followed by entertainment by Rebus Guess and group. Everyone is asked to bring their favorite dish and share this fun time with the residents. Nursing home residents seeking instructor to organize quilting club

Eight of those sources are located around this area. Downstream waters were rendered unusable for most purposes due to the brine.

Structural measures to help control the chloride pollution at these sites were developed by the Tulsa District Corps of Engineers. This was the purpose of the Truscott Brine Lake.

An independent panel of experts has since found that the project continues to perform beyond design expectations.

With the salt removed, irrigation could be expanded and municipal and industrial water supply users would be able to use more of the water from the Red River with reduced water treatment costs to as far away as Shreveport, Louisiana.

The identification, evaluation, and utilization of salt tolerant plants to maximize brine water removal in Truscott Lake is just one of many projects at the Texas A&M Research Center.

Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center's main office is located in Lockett, near Vernon. Munday is one of the smaller branches of the center, as is Chillicothe, and they have 20,000 acres on the Waggoner Ranch.

The combined centers employ around 50 people including a group of scientists - a wheat breeder, an entomologist for cotton and wheat, an agronomist who looks at implements to manage crops, irrigation and drainage, and a ranching group which includes doctors who specialize in grazing systems, an animal nutritionist, and a plant specialist.

"We are here to help the farmers and ranchers stay in business in the future," Dr. Cox said.

For more information, contact the local Texas A & M Research Station or Dr. Jerry Cox in Vernon.

Farewell reception for the Fitzgeralds to be held Friday

The Munday Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture Board of Directors are hosting a farewell reception Friday, July 15, for Larry and Lynn Fitzgerald.

Friends are invited to stop by the Perry Patton Community Center from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. and wish them well on their move to Cisco.

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Nursing home residents seeking instructor to organize quilting club

Several Munday Nursing Center residents enjoy quilting and would like to start a quilting club, according to Nancy Cypert, activities director.

If you would be interested in helping with this activity, please call Nancy at 422-4541.

Harmon Cable adds new channels to the lineup

Gus Cagle, General Manager of Harmon Cable Communications, announced today that Harmon Cable will launch Trinity Broadcasting Network (TBN) and E! Entertainment television on July 14, 1994.

TBN is America's most viewed religious network featuring 24 hours of the best in faith and inspirational programming. The network, airing on channel 28, features several different denominations. "We are pleased to add TBN to our lineup. We try to bring programming in that people want and TBN is consistently asked for," said Harmon Cable general manager, Gus Cagle.

The channel features a wide variety of program formats including children, worship, talk, news, sports, music, variety specials and

much more. Original programming includes Praise the Lord, hosted by Paul and Jan Crouch; Date with Dale, with Dale Evans; Back on Course with Gavin and Patti MacLeod; The Word, with Efreim Zimbalist, Jr. and a talk show featuring Meadowlark Lemon.

E! Entertainment Television's programming reflects America's passion for the world of entertainment. The 24 hour network's series, specials and news coverage have established E! as the authority on entertainment, with its access to the biggest celebrities and comprehensive coverage of industry events. "E! is the television equivalent of a newspaper entertainment section," stated Cagle. E! will broadcast on Harmon Cable channel 29.

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Pathways

by Randy White
 pastor, First Baptist Church

There's always been only one
 way to change the world.

Programs won't do it. Crusades
 won't do it. Money won't do it.
 Placards and protests won't do it.
 Votes won't do it.

The only way to change the
 world is to change it one by one.

One person changes another
 person. One day changes the next
 day. One experience changes
 your outlook. One failure changes
 the way you try next time.

So for those of us who want to
 see change in the world, we must
 take the long look. We'd like to
 start a program or buy a product or
 organize a protest or vote for
 change, but none of these will
 bring effective, real change. We
 like instant results in changing the
 world. We won't get it.

There's always only been one
 way to change the world. It's
 always been a slow process. It's
 always been one by one. Make a
 step today, a stride tomorrow.
 Eventually, one by one and day by
 day, you'll arrive where you want
 to be. To paraphrase a great new
 Hymn of the church, we make
 change "One by one, one by one,
 changing neighbors, changing
 nations one by one . . . changing
 people where we meet them one
 by one."

"Lord, help me to hang in there
 for the long run as one by one You
 change the world. Amen"

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THE MUNDAY MOGUL VARIETY CHEERLEADERS recently returned from the Big Country Cheerleader Camp held at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. Attending were, in back row, Gina Vaughn, daughter of Jamie and Debbie Vaughn, Mindy Zeissel, daughter of Wayne and Barbara Zeissel, Lori Clem, daughter of Daron and Christie Parker, Michelle Phillips, daughter of Ronnie and Rosa Phillips, and Mascot Brandi Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Hall; front row, Kizzie Shields, daughter of Edward and Kellie Shields, Lanesa Wilson, daughter of Charlie and Debbie Pankhurst and Mr. and Mrs. Lowry Wilson Jr., and Kandis Longan, daughter of Bill and Karen Longan.

Cheerleaders and Mascot attend Big Country Cheerleader Camp

The Munday varsity and J squad cheerleaders were among approxi-
 mately 400 participants in the 1994
 Big Country Cheerleader Camp
 held on the campus of Hardin-
 Simmons University in Abilene
 June 27-30.

The four-day camp was con-
 ducted by Southwest Camps of
 Cisco, with Mr. Eris Ritchie as
 camp director. Instructional staff
 and programs were supplied by
 the National Cheerleaders Asso-
 ciation.

Varsity cheerleaders attending
 were sophomores Kizzie Shields,
 Lanesa Wilson, Kandis Longan,
 and Mindy Zeissel; juniors Lori
 Clem and Michelle Phillips; and
 senior Gina Vaughn.

The J Squad, who will cheer at
 both junior high and junior varsity
 games, include seventh graders
 Laci Myers and Amber Reed;
 eighth graders Briana Alexander
 and Angela Albus, and freshmen
 Ambra Welch, Shelley Scott and
 Jennifer Yates. Three of the girls
 are new to the cheerleading scene,
 Briana, Amber and Laci. The four
 "veterans" helped the "rookies" fit
 right in and they all worked ex-
 tremely hard and accomplished a
 great deal.

The girls were accompanied by
 their school sponsor, Mary Jane
 Kuehler.

The cheerleaders were taught
 many new cheers, chants, stunts,

dances and spirit ideas from a sev-
 enteen-member NCA staff from
 the national headquarters in Dal-
 las. Throughout the HOT!! week
 of camp, the cheerleaders worked
 extremely hard and earned many
 rewards from that hard work.

On the first day of camp, the
 Mogul varsity cheerleaders were
 encouraged by an NCA staff mem-
 ber to compete for nationals. They
 competed, but they missed a bid to
 nationals by four points. This was
 quite an accomplishment though,
 considering the girls had not even
 been prepared to make a bid.

During the week, both groups of
 Munday cheerleaders earned ex-
 cellent and superior ribbons dur-
 ing their nightly evaluations, and
 also a spirit stick which is awarded
 to a squad that shows sportsman-
 ship, spirit, enthusiasm, and team
 work. The varsity squad also
 earned a TEAM award which is
 given to a squad that shows suc-
 cessful communications, unity and
 leadership at camp.

On the last day of camp, the
 Munday girls were notified that
 the NCA staff had nominated the
 varsity and J squad as one of the
 "top team finalists." A squad had
 to show outstanding performance
 and leadership throughout the
 week to be nominated for this
 award.

Munday was the only Class A
 varsity squad nominated to be a
 finalist. All the others were 3A
 and 4A schools. This nomination
 allowed the them to compete for
Squad of Excellence. Even though
 the local girls were not chosen,
 they performed extremely well,
 just as they had all week.

The J squad competed for this
 award against Merkel Middle
 School, a 3A school, by perform-
 ing a cheer they had learned at
 camp. They presented their cheer
 in front of a huge crowd of people
 filling the Hardin-Simmons gym,
 including NCA staff, all the other
 cheerleaders attending this camp,
 their sponsors, and all visitors.
 After Merkel and Munday com-

peted, the Munday J squad was
 proclaimed the winner, and won
 the honor of *Squad of Excellence*.
 They received a trophy proclaim-
 ing them as the top team in their
 division.

This was quite an accomplish-
 ment for such a young squad. We
 look forward to many more ac-
 complishments from this group of
 girls.

Also attending the squad with
 the Varsity cheerleaders was

sophomore Brandi Hall, daughter
 of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Hall.
 Brandi is the "Mogul" for the 1994-
 95 season.

While at camp, Brandi learned
 all about being a mascot, such as
 working with cheerleaders, crowd
 interaction/motivation, character,
 pantomime, and skit preparation.
 She earned a superior ribbon for a
 skit she performed for evaluation.
 Brandi will be a great asset to the
 varsity squad.

Congratulations girls on all of
 your accomplishments this year at
 cheerleading camp.



Look Who's Here!

Wayne and Kelly Hutchinson
 of Archer City are proud to an-
 nounce the birth of their son, Hagen
 Layne, who was born June 22,
 1994, at Wichita General Hospi-
 tal. Hagen tipped the scales to 8
 lbs. 6 ozs. and stretched out 20 1/2
 inches long.

Grandparents are Wayne and
 Nona Hutchinson of Chico and
 Johnny and Marilyn Earp of
 Weinert. Great-grandmothers are
 Jeane White of Abilene and
 Frances Smith of Weinert.

Shackelford clan meets in Missouri for family reunion

Beautiful Branson, Missouri was
 the site for the Shackelford re-
 union held June 25 and 26.

Sixty relatives met at the Lei-
 sure Country Inn for a time of
 visiting and fun. They enjoyed
 lots of shows, including Mickey
 Gilley, Charlie Pride, Don Will-
 iams, Mel Tillis, and more. The
 manager of the Inn even put a big
 sign on the billboard outside wel-
 coming the Shackelford reunion
 clan.

Attending were Pearl Louise and
 Joe Jones of Childress, Jo Ima Hill
 of Munday, and Doris Harlan of
 Fort Worth, plus relatives from
 Oregon, Colorado, Louisiana,
 Oklahoma, Missouri, and else-
 where in Texas.

The next reunion will be held at
 Portland, Oregon, in 1996.

Norris Morgan of Weatherford
 visited his mother, Lala Morgan,
 on Tuesday of last week. His
 brother, Gerald, came by to visit
 him. Norris called his Aunt Ursel
 Phillips and wished her a happy
 birthday and visited over the
 phone. He also visited his other
 brother, Melton, before returning
 home.

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THE GIRLS' ALL-STAR SOFTBALL TEAM won their first game at the Knox City tournament last week against Sheppard Air Force Base by a score of 15-14. They were defeated Wednesday night by Iowa Park, 12-2, but won again Thursday night, defeating Knox City 21-2. Friday night ended their baseball season when Sheppard Air Force Base sought revenge and outscored them 13-3. Team members and coaches in top row are Coach Dulah Lambeth, Keisha Collier, Shareka Allen, Nicole Allen, Daniela Martinez, Trish Garber, Coach Phillis Urbanczyk and Jessie Carlson; kneeling, Jenny Ramirez, Crystal Zeissel, Nicole Urbanczyk, Amanda Myers, Miranda Zeissel, and Erica Gray.



MUNDAY LITTLE LEAGUE ALL-STARS had some tough competition, but did a great job at the Seymour Tournament last week. They were defeated by Seymour, 3-1, then beat Knox City 18-2, but lost once again to Seymour 15-4. Team members and coaches include, back row, B J Brown, Coach Bill Longan, Eric Hager, Corey Hardemon, Brian Urbanczyk, Jay Fernandez, Eric Beaty, Jason Key, and Coach Richard Albus; kneeling, Will Longan, Ociel Castorena, Lane Murphy, Johnny Dockins, Laci Myers, and Alan Albus. Seymour won the tournament and will advance to District 6 competition this week in Haskell. It has been an exciting summer, one that the boys will remember for a long time to come.

Knox County Commissioners Court meets in regular session

The Knox County Commissioners Court met in regular session on May 9, 1994, in the District Courtroom in the Knox County Courthouse with following members present, to-wit:

Leonard Phipps - Commissioner, Precinct 1; Bobby Roberson - Commissioner, Precinct 2; Philip Homer - Commissioner, Precinct 3; Johnny Birkenfeld - Commissioner, Precinct 4 and Judge David N. Perdue, presiding. Also attending was Evelyn Balis, Mike Carlson, Danny Speck, and Paul Weiser.

Minutes of the April 11, 1994 meetings were presented to the Court. Leonard Phipps moved to approve the minutes. Bobby Roberson seconded the motion. All voted in favor.

Jan Rolston met with the Court with the 9-1-1 status report. Jan reported that the mapping was almost completed and they were getting ready to start on the data base. A new computer will be needed and three bids have been received as of now. The cost of the computer will be covered by grant funding from the Council of Governments.

Public Hearing was held to consider date changes on hormone herbicide regulations to extend the period of time in which there are no regulations from April 1 to mid-to-late April. Paul Weiser, Knox County Extension Agent, addressed the Court on the above mentioned matter. A few citizens attended the meeting and gave their opinions on the matter. After discussion Philip Homer made a motion to move the April 1 deadline to April 15. Bobby Roberson seconded the motion. All voted in favor.

Judge Perdue addressed the Court on the status of the Texas Forest Service Distribution Center in Knox County. The center would store used fire fighting equipment from different air bases. Maintenance of the property would be the responsibility

of the Forest Service. The Distribution Center would be of no cost to the County. Philip Homer moved to offer an invitation, to the Forest Service, to locate the Center in Knox County. Second was made by Johnny Birkenfeld. All voted in favor.

Mike Carlson, County Sheriff, approached the Court about the radio problem in the County. Also addressing the problem were representatives of the fire departments and the EMS. Representatives for the fire departments were Jimmy Harlan and Gerald Myers of Goree, Bill Longan and Bill Williams of Munday, and Roland Marion of Knox City. Representing the EMS were Rance Marion and Lissa Myers and Jan Rolston for 9-1-1. The representatives stated that the pagers were not working in Goree and only partially in Munday. This causes serious delays in response to the different emergencies. Another problem is the lack of radio reception in parts of the County. Ken Deathridge, of Abilene Communications, listened to the problems and will work up a proposal on what is needed to correct the problems. The proposal will be presented to the Court at a later date.

Evelyn Balis, County Treasurer, presented all accounts and financial statements. After reviewing the accounts and statements, Johnny Birkenfeld moved to approve. Second was made by Bobby Roberson. All voted in favor.

The matter of appointing a Veterans' Service Officer was brought back by Judge Perdue. After further discussion Bobby Roberson made a motion to appoint John Gillispie. Seconded by Leonard Phipps. Philip Homer moved to appoint Calvin Gamble. Seconded by Johnny Birkenfeld. John Gillispie received 3 votes and Calvin Gamble received 1.

Johnny Birkenfeld made a motion to adjourn. Philip Homer seconded the motion. All voted in favor.



CIPRANA GONZALES

Funeral Mass for Ciprana Gonzales is held Tuesday

Ciprana Gonzales, 74, died Saturday, July 9, 1994, in the Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Rosary was said at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the McCauley-Smith Funeral Home. Funeral Mass was held at 10 a.m. Tuesday at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Rhineland with the Rev. George Foley officiating. Burial was in the Goree Cemetery under the direction of McCauley-Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. Gonzales was born in Beeville and moved to the Munday-Goree area in 1950. She was a homemaker and a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church. She was the widow of Mariano Garcia Gonzales, whom she married in 1943 in Beeville. She was also preceded in death by a son, Oden, in 1970.

Survivors include five sons, Ernesto Gonzales of Munday, Mariano Gonzales Jr. of Goree, Jose Gonzales of Jayton, Jesse Gonzales of Knox City and David Gonzales of Haskell; two daughters, Angelita Pena of Haskell and Mary DeHaro of Munday; 26 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Serving as pallbearers were Manuel Ramos, Pete Perez, Vincente Perez, Ignacio Andrade, Juan Garcia and David Castillo.

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Nursing Center News

By Virginia Williams

The First Baptist Church of Goree had the church service on Sunday, July 3, at 3 o'clock. Rev. Darrell Dossey had a very interesting service from Matthew 1:1-25. Peggy Myers played the piano and Peggy Hosea led the singing. The First Baptist Church of Goree will be having Vacation Bible School August 1-5 from 8:30-11:00 a.m.

Eunice Strickland, who has been in the Knox County Hospital for a week, returned to the Nursing Center Sunday morning. She is better but will have to stay in bed for a while. Her son, Woodie Strickland of Abilene, came and spent an hour with her playing dominos.

Virginia Cary came and had Bible Study and singing and read some very interesting poems and then had a prayer. We all enjoyed her visit.

Elizabeth Watson of Goree visited Monday with Mrs. Presnall, Gladys Lambeth, Alma Phillips, Etta Mae Frazier and others.

Gorgean Meadors and Mrs. Watson visited Bea Mitchell.

Cecil and Maxine Welch of Anson visited T. J. Partidge.

Pat Owens visited Bea Mitchell on Sunday.

We're happy to have Mag back working with us after a month of wonderful vacation. She spent 10 days in Florida.

Tuesday afternoon Rev. W. O. Smith had a very interesting Bible Study from Paul verse 17.

Olga Jim Reid and Eula Mae Parks called bingo Tuesday. Audrey Gulley, Fleta Mayo and Etta Frazier won the blackout.

Calisa visited Bea Mitchell. Calisa made Bea a bracelet.

Gayle Gulley visited Audrey Gulley Sunday evening.

Mildred Cook visited Venta Home at the rest home on July 3.

Monday afternoon Bilbe Study began with Steve Smith playing his guitar. We all sang *Leaning on the Everlasting Arms* and *America the Beautiful* since it was July 4th. Pastor Randy White's service was from Acts 22:17-23 on God's leadership in our lives. Norrene Hawkins and Carolyn Welch also helped with singing and Carolyn played the piano.

The resident council met Friday afternoon. We discussed the upcoming events for July. There were several members present and they voted on choice meal for July. We discussed residents rights and medicare/medicaid benefits.

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WEATHER REPORT

Following is the weather report for seven days ending Monday, July 11, 1994 as compiled and recorded by Glynn Weaver, local U.S. weather observer.

	HIGH	LOW	RAIN
July 5	99	77	
July 6	97	68	.06
July 7	106	74	.26
July 8	90	73	
July 9	87	66	
July 10	91	69	.16
July 11	102	71	

Moisture year to date - 9.80

THANKS FOR READING THE MUNDAY COURIER



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT: J. B. and Sharon Rutherford of Stamford are pleased to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Alesha Dawn, to Shawn Lee Reed, son of Jim Reed and Marianne Reed of Levelland.

The bride-elect is a 1993 graduate of Levelland High School and is currently attending South Plains College. Her fiancé is a 1992 graduate of Levelland High School and a 1994 graduate of South Plains College. He will transfer to Texas Tech University in the fall. He is employed by NTS Communications in Levelland.

Alesha is the granddaughter of Truman Cypert of Munday. Shawn is the grandson of Howard and Fern Maddera of Levelland.

The couple will exchange vows Saturday, August 6, 1994 at 6:00 in the evening at the First United Methodist Church in Knox City.

From A Carpenter's Son

Don Whetsell - Pastor
First Methodist Church, Munday - Goree

Q: Is it true John Wesley said there are no Methodists in Heaven?

A: No, there is no historical or otherwise accurate record that this, or the famous dream, where he is said to have had visions of Heaven and Hell, ever occurred. This occurrence falls under the heading "religious urban legends" along with St. George slaying a fire breathing dragon and the "Holy Grail."

Having said that, however, let me point out that Wesley, and Martin Luther, were just the sort of persons who would have agreed wholeheartedly with the sentiment of that vision. It is true that both Luther and Wesley were adamant that the movements they began not use the designations "Lutheran" or "Wesleyan". They felt this way because they were humble and God-fearing men. I cannot say about Luther's movement, (which Wesley approved of), but as for the people called "Methodist", they had the term forced on them by the public at large. It was a nickname, an insulting one at that, because we were "so dum methodical."

We received it much the same

Engagement Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of Munday would like to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their son, Marshall, to Carolyn Phillips, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jesse H. George of Duncan, Oklahoma.

The couple plans to marry on August 13, 1994.

Munday native Patsy Combs dies at Lubbock

Patsy Combs, 61, died Thursday, June 30, 1994 at Lubbock.

Funeral services were held at 12 p.m. Saturday, July 2 at Melonie Park Baptist Church in Lubbock with the pastor Rev. Paul "Doc" Henry officiating. Burial was at 4 p.m. at Johnson Memorial Cemetery in Munday.

Mrs. Combs was born December 11, 1932 in Munday to the late D. E. "Tuck" and Mary Lee Whitworth Sr. She worked for Mutual of Omaha for twenty years and was a Baptist. She moved to Lubbock in 1991 from Rockwall.

Survivors include two sons, J. Craig Combs of Lubbock and T. Clay Combs of Colorado Springs, Colorado; one daughter, Cindy Welborn of Rockwall; two brothers, Richard Whitworth of New Port, California and Don Whitworth of Las Vegas, Nevada; one sister, Bobbie Selbo of Phoenix, Arizona; and nine grandchildren.

The family asked that memorials be made to the American Cancer Society.

way as the early church came to be known as "Christians" instead of "The Way", as they preferred to call themselves. Acts 11:26.

It is clear from scripture, that God himself, does not consider what we call "Christianity" to be a new and separate religion at all, but instead the true fulfillment of the traditional Hebrew religion, referring to those who are in Christ as the "children of Abraham."

I bring all this up for one reason: I really don't think God is all that concerned with what we call ourselves as his servants. We could call ourselves "The Royal Bouncing Up and Down with Joy, Waiting for His Return Committee" if we wanted to. It would make for some interesting signage, but if we truly loved our fellow people, worked for justice, helped the needy and spread the Good News about Jesus, among other things, we'd still be pleasing to God.

Likewise, calling yourself "The Best Store in Town" does not make you the best store in town. It does make you sound rather arrogant however, which brings me to my next point.

The precise reason that very few denominations since the Catholic Church, (Catholic means universal, as in the Body of Christ) have ever taken on the designation of "Christian", is because to do so would imply that they were and everybody else was not. As United Methodist, we are not willing to make such an arrogant claim. We don't even believe that we are the only ones that do it right! That is why we accept the baptism of any "Christian" Church (and I use the term generically), and it is also why we serve communion to any who call Christ their Lord. The United Methodist Church itself is the result of merger after merger

of different denominations, the latest being the Evangelical United Brethren. And it is the United Methodist Church which began the "Walk to Emmaus" movement, an ecumenical experience that has succeeded in uniting people from all denominations under the banner of Jesus Christ.

Let us dig down past the superficial things of our faith, such as the name we go by and how we are organized, and instead move on to what Paul calls the deeper things of the faith, such as love, sacrifice, and the witness of Christ to this dying world.

Let us join hands with our brothers and sisters in Christ across the world, here and now, because if you can't get along with them now, your first billion years in heaven are going to be a real bummer!

I believe that there will be Baptists, Pentecostal, Catholic, Assembly of God, Lutheran, Presbyterian, Methodist, Episcopalian, Church of Christ, Non-Denominational, Interdenominational and many others in both Heaven and Hell. Because when you get there, God will not ask you what you were called, but instead "Did you hear my call?"

Local's grandson to attend Abilene Christian University

Cody Salyers, former Abilene High center fielder, has signed a

letter-of-intent to play baseball at Abilene Christian University.

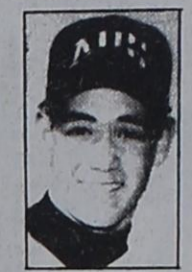
A 1994 graduate of Abilene High, he is the son of Ron and June Salyers of Abilene

and the grandson of Jinx Bumison of Munday and the late Keith Bumison.

Salyers finished District 4-5A play with a .378 batting average, and was a first-team all-district selection.

He was also a part-time starter at point guard on the Eagles' basketball team, which finished fourth in district and 18-11 overall.

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GARAGE SALE

MOVING SALE: Saturday, 8 a.m.-noon. 620 N. 3rd. Stereo turntable & speakers, linens, baby toys, adjustable pole for basketball goal still in box, men's silk & wool suits (med.-lg.), smoked glass dining table and chairs, misc. items. Lynn Fitzgerald, 422-4691. 40-1tp

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

GBG Operating Corp., 900 8th St., Suite 409, Wichita Falls, TX 76301, has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Tanehill Sand formation, P. V. Cartwright (West) Lease, I.D. 20607, Well Number 1. The proposed injection well is located 2 miles SE Goree in the Goree field, in Knox County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 1,620 to 1,672 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711-2967 (Telephone 512/463-6790). 40-1tc

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Prospective bidders are encouraged to attend the Pre-Bidders Conference which will be held at the Texas Department of Transportation's District Office at: 1700 Ave. F NW, Childress, Texas. Time & date: 10:00 A.M. Monday, July 18, 1994.

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At Your Service

by Dr. Larry Fitzgerald
Minister, Church of Christ

Q: What is the Holy Spirit?
A: A better question would be: "Who is the Holy Spirit?"

The Bible teaches us that God exists in the form of three persons - God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit.

God the Father loved us so much He sent God the Son to die for our sins (John 3:16; John 1:1-4, 29-36; Philippians 2:4-11). In turn, God the Son loved us so much that He sent God the Holy Spirit to empower us to obtain saving grace and to be our guide in the Christian life (Titus 3:5; John 14:16, 26; 15:26; 16:7).

The Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit are not three gods nor are they "part" of God. They are three personalities in one God. Each is a personality with emotions and all three should be referred to as "He" and never "it". The King James version of the Bible wrongly refers to the Holy Spirit as an "it" while the more modern versions correctly refer to the Spirit as "He".

By the way, when God the Son (Jesus Christ) offered himself as a sacrifice for our sins, He did so through the Holy Spirit (Hebrews 9:14).

If you have a question for Larry, write him c/o Box 211, Munday, TX 76371.

It's A Boy!!

Monty and Erlinda Booe of Munday are happy to announce the arrival of their son, Matthew Ryan.

Matthew was born at 9:06 p.m. Tuesday, July 5, 1994, at Abilene Regional Hospital. He weighed 8 lbs. 13 ozs. and was 21 3/4 inches long.

The proud grandparents are Sylvério and Mary Escamilla, and M.M. and Ruby Booe, all of Munday.

Historical Society hosting Get Acquainted meeting at Haskell National Bank

The Haskell County Historical and Genealogical Society will host a "Get Acquainted" reception Sunday, July 17, from 2-4 p.m. at the Haskell National Bank Community Building, 600 South 1st Street, in Haskell.

The society meets on the first Monday of each month at 7 p.m. For more information call 817-673-8230.



YARD OF THE WEEK is that of James and Shirley Amerson at 581 South 12th Avenue. Judges chose the yard for the overall neatness and the colorful periwinkles. "Planter of the Month" is the planter in front of the Munday Downtown Park. Betty Baker planted white periwinkles in her "adopted" planter.

Heat Units - Indicators of Cotton Growth and Development

Robert Lemon, Extension Agronomist, Vernon.

The growth and development of the cotton plant follows a well defined and consistent order of events. With respect to moisture, temperature is the over-riding factor governing the development of the plant. One of the most useful ways to assess cotton development is the degree day or heat unit concept, commonly known as DD-60's.

The heat unit approach uses temperature rather than calendar days as an indicator of plant development. The concept is based on a developmental threshold of 60° F

-- above 60° the crop grows and below 60° little growth occurs. Temperatures above 100° are considered as 100°.

The basic formula for calculating heat units involves adding the maximum and minimum temperatures for each day, dividing by 2 and subtracting 60 (threshold temperature). Calculation of the accumulated heat units and information on heat unit requirement to attain a particular stage of growth can be used as a tool to help producers better manage their crop.

Stage of Development	Average DD60's Required
Plant to emergence	60
Plant to 1st square	480
Plant to 1st bloom	900
Plant to peak bloom	1600
Plant to 1st open boll	1900
Plant to 70% open boll	2500

Weekly total, July 4 thru July 10: 180

Accumulated Total: 1228

VERA NEWS

By Mrs. Thelma Coulston

Barbara Hodges of Hackett, Ark. and daughter, Celia Jones of Pocolo, Ok. spent the holiday weekend in the home of Mrs. Frances Kuchan.

Lometa Doss and Dixie Peacock of Red Springs were business visitors in Vernon, Thursday and in Wichita Falls on Friday.

Brenda Beck of Denton visited Monday through Wednesday in the home of her parents, Harold and Edith Beck.

Betty Kinnibrugh and her father, Bill Townsend, took Kyle Kinnibrugh to Woodson, Monday where he spent the week with his aunt, Gordon and Rhonda Thomas and two children. Kyle also attended a basketball camp in Woodson. The Thomas family spent Saturday with Billy and Betty Kinnibrugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bratcher and Mr. and Mrs. Rob Bratcher and two little daughters of Seymour visited Saturday evening in the Claudell Bratcher home.

Claudell and Mary and Larry and Patti were business visitors in Abilene Sunday afternoon.

Marguerite Beck of Seymour is spending this week in the home of her son, Jerry and Lynda Beck and family.

Joyce Scott and daughter, Ranell Walker and little daughter, Kaylie of Seymour visited Friday and Saturday with the Eddie Stephen-

son family in Levelland. Brenda Campbell of Hart is spending a few days in the home of her sister, the Randall Kinnibrugh family.

The Toby Crooks of Seymour were Sunday visitors with her parents, the Jerrell Trainhams.

Byron Hughes of Hobbs, New Mexico visited friends in the community, Sunday afternoon.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

July 13 - Corey Moore.
July 15 - Michelle Tilley.
July 16 - Keith Wilde.
July 17 - Johnny Melton, Tamara McGaughey, Zachary Beaty.
July 18 - Sheena Alexander.

Calendar of Events

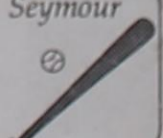
July 13 - St. Anne's Mothers Society.
July 14 - School Board.
July 15 - Farewell reception for Larry and Lynn Fitzgerald, 4:30-5:30 p.m., Community Center.
July 18 - Munday Fire Department.
July 19 - Lions Club.

We would like to take this opportunity to say a very special thank you for the honor and privilege we had in working with the Yankees and the Little League All-Star team.

Also, we want to thank the moms who worked in the concession stand, for making the program such a success, the all-star parents, grandparents and friends who supported us, for helping with transportation to Seymour and money for meals.

We are very proud of this group of kids.

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Gulley, Smith unite in morning ceremony

Amanda Elaine Gulley and Jonathan Mark Smith were united in marriage on Saturday, June 25, 1994 in a morning ceremony at the First Baptist Church in Munday, Texas. The sanctuary was enhanced with rose centered pew bows on each pew. Boston ferns filled the windows and banked the candle lighted altar. An arrangement of fresh flowers was centered underneath the lighted cross.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Brueggeman of Haskell, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Gulley of Munday, Texas. She was given away by her father and mother. Her grandparents are Mrs. B. R. Winchester and the late Mr. Winchester and Mrs. Thurman Gulley and the late Mr. Gulley.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith of Munday. His grandparents are Mrs. Ervin Booe and the late Mr. Booe of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma and Mrs. Douglas Smith and the late Mr. Smith.

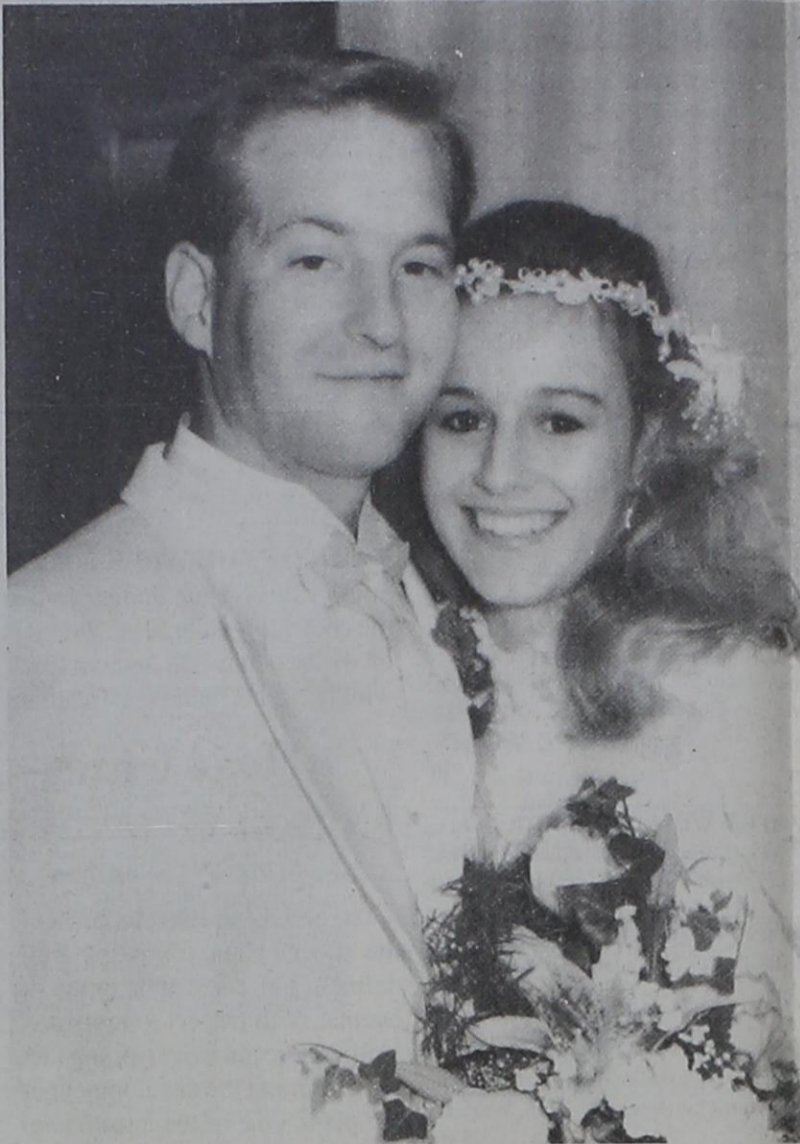
Bro. Ray Hunter, minister of the Church of Christ in Caddo Mills, Texas, officiated the double ring ceremony.

The bride was beautifully attired in a formal gown of white satin, featuring a wedding band neckline and dramatic leg-o-mutton sleeves. The beaded bodice was highlighted by an exquisite beaded Schiffli lace pattern which extended to the back of the gown creating an open heart pattern. From an elegant pearl-sprinkled bow swept a magnificent semi-cathedral train displaying matching beaded appliques which gracefully encircled the hemline of the gown. The waist length veil featured a beaded crown of pearls. She carried a bouquet of fire and ice and white roses accented with star gazer lilies, English ivy, Queen Anne's lace, lily of the valley, and pearl studded Stephanotis.

In keeping with tradition the bride borrowed her maternal grandmother's wedding pearls, wore an heirloom diamond ring, a new wedding dress, the lace garter trimmed in blue, and a six pence in her right shoe.

The groom wore a full dress long-tailed white tuxedo by Robert Wagoner. The tuxedo featured a white cummerbund and white bow tie. The boutonniere was a fire and ice rose from the bride's bouquet accented with lily of the valley.

Mrs. Rhonda Smith was the



MR. and MRS. JONATHAN MARK SMITH
... the former Amanda Elaine Gulley

matron of honor and Steven Smith, brother of the groom, served as best man. Bridesmaids were Nantonia Anderson of Haskell and Melissa Berryhill of Munday. The groomsmen were Gary Kuehler and Chris Key of Munday. Mike Buntun and Joe Buntun were ushers and candle lighters for the wedding.

The matron of honor and the bridesmaids wore high-low tea length dresses which featured a pearl outlined scalloped neckline and tulip sleeves. The groomsmen and ushers wore silver shadow drake tuxedos accented with mauve cummerbunds and bow ties.

Ms. Becky Ratliff and Mrs. Janice Dutton provided special music and Bro. Ray Hunter and Mr. Lyndle Reeves were soloists for the ceremony. Instrumental selections included *O Perfect Love, Air, Through the Eyes of Loves, Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring, Cannon in D, Trumpet Voluntary, Bridal Chorus* and the *Wedding March, To You Sweetheart*, written by Mary Hickman for her son's wedding, was sung by Mr. Ray Hunter and *The Lord's Prayer* was vocalized by Mr.

Lyndle Reeves.

Ms. Sherry Booe, aunt of the groom, registered the guests in the bride's book.

The bride's sisters, Cassandra Gulley, Elizabeth Gulley, and Malinda Brueggeman gave out satin roses filled with bird seed. Her brother, Joseph Gulley, distributed bags of rice to throw on the couple as they departed in a chauffeur driven limousine for a wedding trip to Oklahoma City.

The groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith, were hosts for a rehearsal dinner in the Perry Patton Community Center on Friday night. The center was decorated with lattice draped panels centered with an ivy entwined heart featuring a picture of Jonathan and Amanda. Fresh flowers and a Precious Moments Bride and Groom decorated the tables for the thirty-five guests.

The bride's family hosted a luncheon and reception in the church fellowship hall immediately following the marriage ceremony. The bride's table featured a three tiered white fountain cake decorated with fresh flowers and topped with crystal swans. An ornate staircase descended to a satellite, double tiered Italian cream cake. A branched candelabra was decorated with fresh flowers to accent the bridal bouquet that was placed on the Battenburg lace covered table. The couple cut the cake and drank from crystal glasses. Mrs. Amy Crabtree and Mrs. Lynn Finley served cake, punch and mints from silver and crystal appointments.

On the groom's table, sour cream chocolate cake and coffee were served from a silver coffee service. The table was decorated with a silver epergne featuring cascading sugar coated grapes. A replica

of the University of Oklahoma horse drawn prairie "sooner" wagon with a miniature bride and groom completed the table setting. Mr. and Mrs. Smith cut the cake and made a toast from stemmed glasses featuring the University Logo. Ms. Tonya Kuchler and Mrs. Cheryl Houtchens served cake, coffee and fruit from the groom's table.

Tables were placed around a flower decked gazebo to provide additional seating for guests.

Hostesses assisting with the wedding luncheon and reception were Mrs. Frances Parker, Mrs. Amy Crabtree, Mrs. Sammie Kingston, Mrs. Linda Buntun, Mrs. Joan Hutchinson, Mrs. Ernestine Dickerson, Mrs. Shirley Gass, Mrs. Brenda Shawver, Mrs. Joy Ball, Mrs. Leona Partridge,

Mrs. Linda Reddell, Mrs. Becky Offutt and Mrs. Kathleen Diggs. gave a dinner party for friends and couples in the wedding party.

The bride and groom are graduates of Munday High School. Jonathan is currently a student at the University of Oklahoma. They will be living in Norman, Oklahoma and both will attend the University of Oklahoma this fall.

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