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Arthur Felderhoff elected to CCAD Board of Directors

by Elaine Schad
Muenster resident Arthur Felderhoff is among a new slate of board members elected to the Cooke County Appraisal District board of directors, CCAD Chief Appraiser Ross Fry announced this week.

Two incumbents and two new members have been re-elected to the Cooke County Appraisal

District board of directors, but one vacancy remains, officials said.

The five-member CCAD board is elected every two years by the school districts and cities that levy taxes in Cooke County through a contract with the CCAD. Board members represent the taxing entities and set policy for the CCAD, officials said.

Sandra Currie of Gainesville retained her seat with a total of 1,290 votes as did incumbent Lloyd Marshall of Callisburg, who received 1,318 votes. New members on the board will be Jake Lawson of Gainesville, who received 1,000 votes, and Arthur Felderhoff of Muenster, who received 1,318 votes. All will take office in January and will serve through Dec. 31, 1993.

Felderhoff's votes came from the Era, Lindsay, Muenster and Sivells Bend school districts, the City of Muenster and Cooke County. Currie received votes from Cooke County and the City of Gainesville. Lawson's votes came from the Gainesville School District, while Marshall's votes came from Gainesville ISD, Callisburg ISD and Valley View ISD.

The new board is expected to appoint a member to the remaining vacancy at its January meeting, said CCAD Chief Appraiser Ross Fry. The seat was left vacant when four nominees for the position declined to run after their names already had been placed on the ballot, he said.

Outgoing CCAD members include Roger Martin of Gainesville, Robert Klement of Muenster and Gary Lewis of Callisburg. Their terms expire Dec. 31, 1991, official said.



KENNETH WALTERSCHEID JR., Muenster's most recent Eagle Scout, is shown with, l to r, his sister Jeannene, his mother Alice and his brother Erik. (Story will be delayed until the next issue due to typesetting difficulties). Dave Fette Photo

Cooke County Electric Co-op sends \$381,454 to present, former members

by Eric Williams
Cooke County Electric Cooperative mailed checks totaling \$381,454 to members and former members in December 1991 and plans to mail an additional \$185,409 in July.

The December checks represent patronage capital accumulated by the Cooperative during 1968. Cooperative Directors voted to return the 1968 margins to customers in December and one half of the patronage capital for the year 1969 in July, 1992.

Patronage capital represents the margin between cooperative earnings and expenses during a fiscal year. The cooperative records the margins and assigns them to members based on consumer classification and the amount of electric service purchased.

"The return of patronage capital is one advantage enjoyed by members of an electric cooperative," said Philip Slater, CCECA General Manager. In the operations of "for-profit" utilities, the margins belong to the stockholders rather than the consumers.

As a non-profit corporation, the Cooperative ultimately returns margins to customers on a first-in, first-out basis. However, the cooperative cannot immediately return the funds. They are used to provide operating capital and reserves necessary for efficient operation. Cooke County Electric Cooperative has used the accumulated capital to expand its electrical system, upgrade distribution lines and improve system reliability - all without adding long-term debt.

Avoiding debt is one strategy

CCEC has employed to hold down its cost of providing electric service. Cooke County Electric Cooperative member-consumers enjoy rates that are among the lowest in Texas. CCEC has increased its base rate only since November, 1973.

Cooke County Electric Cooperative was formed in 1939 to supply electric power to consumers in rural areas. Most of its members live in Cooke and Montague counties, though it also provides electric power to portions of Grayson, Denton and Wise counties. It currently serves 9,868 meters.

Cooke County Electric Cooperative is a member of Brazos Electric Power Cooperative, a Waco-based generation and transmission cooperative that provides wholesale power to 20 rural electric cooperatives.



MUENSTER PUBLIC SCHOOL fourth graders play their musical selection under the direction of Charlotte Taylor during the MPS Band's Annual Christmas Concert. Janie Hartman Photo

Band presents Christmas Concert

The Muenster Public School Bands presented their annual Christmas Concert Thursday, Dec. 12.

All of the bands performed for the concert. The Fourth Grade Flutophone Band, Fifth Grade Beginning Band and Sixth Grade Band all performed two Christmas carols each. The Junior High Band played three favorite carols. The High School Band played five numbers. They opened with "The Merry Bells of Christmas" and closed the

concert with "White Christmas."

Senior band members, Tonya Knabe and Daniel de la Mata, were recognized. The High School Band officers were presented including Kim Stewart, president; Chelby Schoppa, vice president; Marlene Hess, secretary/treasurer; Tonya Knabe, reporter; Daniel de la Mata, senior representative; Darlene Hess, junior representative; Misty Knabe, sophomore representative; Julie

Walterscheid, freshmen representative; and Jeff Flusche, eighth grade representative.

The Drum Majors and Flag Corp officers were also recognized.

The bands hope that all that attended the concert enjoyed the music of the season as much as the students did performing it for the audience. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from all of the bands.

Muenster officer involved in accident

Muenster Police Officer Robert Stovall and his patrol car were involved in an auto accident at approximately 1 a.m. Sunday morning while in search of a white car that had reportedly been traveling 80 to 90 miles per hour down Main Street.

Stovall's vehicle was hit when a vehicle driven by Mike Hess failed to yield the right-of-way near the 600 block of Division Street. Stovall and a passenger in the Hess vehicle, Willie Hess, were transported to the Muenster Hospital where

they were admitted and released later that afternoon.

According to Muenster Chief of Police Helen Tompkins, Stovall was not in pursuit at the time of the accident, but was searching for the car that had been reported speeding and passing on the right side down Main. The car's occupants had

been evicted from The Ranch earlier Saturday evening by the local police.

The accident was investigated by DPS Officer Mike Compton who was unavailable for comment. The Muenster Fire Department was also called to assist at the accident scene.



MUENSTER POLICE DEPARTMENT Car, driven by Officer Bob Stovall, after it was involved in a collision last weekend. The vehicle was totaled. Janie Hartman Photo

Christmas shopping plays a vital role in local merchants' profits

by Janet Felderhoff
The money we, the consumers, spend Christmas shopping makes a big difference in which business will thrive and which will struggle or even go under. Each item purchased has a tax attached and a percent of this tax is returned to the city each month. This means money spent out of Muenster is returned to a city other than our own to pay for their streets.

An informal survey of several local businesses was interesting in that all but one said that about half of their customers were from out of town and for some it was up to 75 percent.

Gehrig's Hardware was the only one of the five businesses surveyed that said the majority of their patrons were local people. Jim and Cindy Gehrig bought the store in 1975 and are the fourth generation to run the business that opened in the early 1900s.

Gehrig's offers a wide variety of items that range from tools, to hunting and fishing supplies, to housewares, to fine collectables such as porcelain

dolls and Hummels. "We're selling a little bit of everything this Christmas," said Cindy Gehrig. "Business has been good and we're pleased so far with Christmas sales which seem to be about the same as last year. We look forward to the Christmas shopping season to tide us through the slow months."

The Crafty Olde German hasn't been in business a year yet, so they have nothing to compare the progress of sales to, but are satisfied. "Gift sales have started to pick up this past week, especially over the weekend," commented Peggy Grewing. Their customers are going for personalized items such as the "Count Your Blessings" gift, teachers' gifts and Christmas decorations.

"Right now, we're getting a lot of business from Gainesville and other out-of-town people - over 50 percent," Peggy said. "People are panic shopping now. They're just trying to find something for the hard-to-shop-for. We're glad to have them. You can never have enough business."

Melvin Luke at Ben Franklin's feels that Christmas shopping at their variety store is about the same as usual. About half of their patrons are local people. Popular gift items at Ben Franklin's are the Ertle Farm toys, tractors, Barbie dolls and other basic items. "There aren't any new toys that are really hot this year," Melvin remarked. "The toy manufacturers are in trouble and couldn't afford to bring out any new toys."

Edelweiss Kinderhaus opened for the start of the Christmas shopping season last year. "Business has been good, better than last year primarily because we have more stock and this naturally increases sales," said co-owner June Bartush. She estimates that about half of their sales are to local people. "I think that Muenster people have really supported the store. Tourist traffic is here also now."

Squiggle-wiggle writers and porcelain dolls seem to be the Kinderhaus' best selling items. "Porcelain dolls are selling quicker than the less expensive

vinyl dolls," June said. "I think this is because people like to collect them and there is still a part of them that is a child-at-heart. It's not unusual for an older lady to buy one to keep for herself."

At Hamric's, Janie Monday noted that sales are down a little from last year, but she expects shopping over the weekend and Monday and Tuesday to be strong. Janie estimates that about 75 percent of their patrons are from out of town all year round.

"People are buying less of the big ticket items," commented Janie. "They're spending differently. It makes you grateful to the people who do shop here." Hamric's best selling gift items for Christmas '91 are the new ties with their bright colors and bold patterns, and, of course, sweaters.

Who is guilty of last-minute shopping, especially on Christmas Eve? Mostly men, agreed the majority of the merchants. Many of them put off their shopping as long as possible and are desperate to find a nice gift. All of the store Please See MERCHANTS, Pg. 2

Businesses beware!

Helen Tompkins, Muenster Police Chief, reported that the plate glass door of Bayer's Kolonialwaren had been knocked in sometime Friday night, Dec. 13.

The burglar took cigarettes and a box containing a credit card machine. There are no suspects for the break-in at the present time.

Good News!

'And you, Bethlehem, land of Judah, are by no means least among the princes of Judah, since from you shall come a ruler who is to shepherd my people Israel.'

Matthew 2:6

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:
Ho...Ho...Ho...Boys and Girls! You better watch out ... you better not cry ... you better not pout ... I'm telling you why.

I'M COMING TO TOWN!
I sure hope you come to see me. I will be at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Muenster on Sunday, Dec. 22, at 7 p.m. I'm looking forward to visiting with you and hearing all of your Christmas wishes.

My friends at the Knights of Columbus Hall will help me give goody bags to all you boys and girls who come to see me. We are going to have lots of fun. I'll see you there!

Love, Santa Claus
P.S. Merry Christmas to you and your families!



THE NEWLY-INSTALLED BRIDGE over the Brushy Elm Creek is near completion. Construction was started in late September.

Janie Hartman Photo

Councilman Roane resigns

by Elaine Schad
Valley View Town Alderman John Roane submitted a letter of resignation recently to the Valley View town council, officials said.

Roane, whose term expires in May 1992, said he is resigning because of an increasing workload at his job at Texas Instruments and at his local business.

The council is expected to formally accept Roane's resignation and fill the vacancy at its January meeting, officials said.

Roane has not attended a city council meeting since early October, when he left during the meeting after several citizens questioned the council concerning possible open meetings violations of a September meeting of the city's public safety committee, officials said. Roane's father, Mayor Owen Roane, left during the same meeting, but has returned to his duties with the city, officials said.

'91 city, county sales tax rebates reach record total

"Sales tax rebates to Texas cities and counties totaled a record \$1.4 billion in 1991, a 10 percent increase over the \$1.2 billion collected last year," State Comptroller John Sharp said.

"In 1968 when 280 cities first started collecting a local sales tax, they received a total of \$48 million in rebates for the year," Sharp said.

Collectively cities in Cooke County received 5.32 percent more in monthly rebates during 1991 (\$1,482,657.88) than they did in 1990 (\$1,407,809.40). Muenster's total for 1991 (\$106,592.28) has dropped 10.39 percent from 1990 (\$118,951.40). "Likewise, in 1988 when 81 Texas counties first began collecting the sales tax, they received \$70 million in rebates for the year," Sharp said.

In 1991 Cooke County received a total of \$688,448.61 which was an increase of 34.47 percent over 1990's total of \$511,957.58.

Sharp made the comparisons in announcing the December sales

tax rebates made by his office to nearly 1,000 Texas cities and counties.

December's payments to 883 cities totaled \$80.2 million for a year-end total of \$1.2 billion, compared to 1990's 12-month total of \$1.1 billion, or a 9-percent increase.

The total sum of all December rebate checks going to Cooke County cities was \$87,451.64. Muenster's December check for \$4,628.78 was down 9.23 percent and Gainesville's \$74,366.95 was down 2.86 percent from the previous December. Lindsay's \$2,911.79 rebate was up 2.55 percent, Oak Ridge's \$3,267.20 was up 34.73, and Valley View's \$2,276.92 increased 79.31 percent.

Payments of \$9.4 million to 106 counties brought 1991 payments to \$138.4 million, a year-to-date increase of 17 percent over last year's total of almost \$118 million.

Cooke County's December rebate check was \$43,741.84 which was down 5.72 percent from December 1990's payment of \$46,394.33.

Food, shelter aid announced by Gramm

A total of \$9.2 million has been earmarked to be spent in 93 Texas counties to help provide emergency food and shelter, U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm says.

The money is available to local sponsoring organizations through the Emergency Food and Shelter National Board Program, which is overseen by the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

Local sponsors, including both public and private agencies, must now apply for the funding.

"This program has five basic operating principles: Fast response, allocations to the neediest areas, public-private cooperation, local decision making and minimum, but accountable reporting," the senator said.

The board is chaired by a FEMA representative and made up of representatives from the American Red Cross, Catholic Charities USA, Council of Jewish Federations, National Council of Churches, Salvation Army and United Way.

Local Texas counties earmarked for the allocations, and the amount set aside for each, are: Collin/Dallas/Denton counties, \$1,366,899; Cooke County, \$12,490; and Wise County, \$13,828.

Rural Reflections

by Janet Felderhoff

Christmas traditions are so special. They create memories to be treasured and revive special memories that have been tucked away for years.

Even though I grew up on a farm in the country, there weren't many trees and naturally brushy areas, except for the willows around ponds and hackberry trees planted by Grandpa. So, usually on Dec. 8, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, a Holy Day when Dad did only necessary chores, we would drive to a wooded area north of Muenster to hunt our Christmas tree.

This was one of the best parts of the Christmas holidays. Probably because being a dairy family, the times when the whole family could do something special together were rare. When a year came along that one of us couldn't be along, it just wasn't quite as much fun.

A Christmas tree is special and we kids tried hard to select the best one in the woods. Usually the one that we wanted was actually much too large for the house and would have required that a hole be cut in the roof to stand it upright.

It was such an adventure to hike through the brush, hoping to see a deer, squirrel, raccoon or some other woodland animal while fighting briars and brambles. While looking for a Christmas tree, we also looked for other cedar trees laden with berries to cut boughs to decorate with. Of course, Dad had to climb a tree to get the traditional mistletoe to be hung in the living room.

When the honored tree was

finally cut down and brought home, it was up to Mom to fix all of the previously-unseen blemishes. When it was decorated with icicles, balls and lights, we thought that there had never been a more beautiful tree.

It was a real letdown when Mom finally decided to buy an artificial tree because several of us were allergic to the cedar trees. Today's artificial trees are lovely and convenient and can be decorated to perfection, but there will never be one as special as those sticky cedar trees hauled up from gullies out near the Red River.

Another longtime tradition that has lost some of its special magic is Sacred Heart's Midnight Mass that is no longer held at midnight and doesn't have all of the touching significances it once had.

The most wonderful Midnight Mass that I ever attended, in fact the most memorable of any Christmas Mass, was in 1975. It

started to snow before it was time to go to Mass. That was back when you went 30 minutes to an hour early to be sure and get a seat because people came from all around for the beautiful and moving service.

Snowflakes were floating slowly down as if carried by angels. They were large flakes and there wasn't any wind. When we saw the nativity scene by church with spotlights and snowflakes creating special effects, it took our breath away. It was so magical that anyone who was privileged to witness it could never forget the scene. It was what you would imagine that first Christmas to have been like - peace on earth, good will to all men, the birth of a very special King - a Father's sacrificial gift to his children - the birth of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Happy Christmas and may you and your family have many traditions to build memories on.

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Christmas trees are beautiful - but watch out for mold and pollen in the home. Trees release airborne pollens and molds, especially as they dry out, and terpene, a chemical in the tree's oil, is allergenic.

Stress may exacerbate skin disorders. At least one dermatologist/psychiatrist at the University of California at San Francisco finds that anti-anxiety medication helps.

Antibiotics given before surgery lowers the risk of infection after, even for low-risk procedures, an eight-hospital study found.

New vaccines against pertussis are under consideration by the FDA, and the National Institutes of Health will start tests soon. Acellular vaccines work without the whole killed bacterial cells that cause side effects. Testing will take at least two years.

Children should be on a low-fat diet starting at the age of two to avoid heart disease later in life, says the director of the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute.

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owners agreed that they were still happy to see them even on Christmas Eve.

When queried on what could be done to get more Muenster people to shop at home more, there were a variety of answers.

"Maybe we need to let them know how much we need them and how much we need their business," suggested Janie Monday. "We're very dependent on the Christmas season for profits and perhaps if they were more aware of this."

June Bartush feels that there is room for more variety, but that some people just enjoy going out of town for the trip.

"I don't know," said Peggy Grewing. "People think that they are saving money by going out of town, but when you consider the cost of eating out, hiring a sitter, and the fact that you're beating the city out of sales tax, are you really saving?"

Cindy Gehrig said, "We can't complain. We have a lot of loyal customers." Jim Gehrig laughed and said, "We could burn down Wal-Mart."

"This has been the greatest year for my own shopping in Muenster because of all the new stores," remarked Janie Monday. "It's great to have such a big selection here on Muenster's streets."

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Services held for Angeline Eckart

Following by less than six months the death of her husband, Angeline Christina Eckart died suddenly at home on Dec. 16, 1991.

She was born on June 17, 1918 in Muenster to John Walterscheid and Katherine Haverkamp Walterscheid.

On Oct. 22, 1940, she was married to James John Eckart in Sacred Heart Church of Muenster. He preceded her in death on June 21, 1991.

Angeline Eckart was a member of St. Anne's Society, Sacred Heart Church and talented homemaker. She was a loving wife, mother and grandmother. Her hobbies included quilt making and other home crafts.

She is survived by five daughters, Mary Ann Koesler, Agnes Hesse, Dolores Hofbauer, all of Muenster, Betty Simmel of Argyle, Rose Black of Myra; and six sons, Don Eckart of Muenster, Jim Eckart Jr. of Myra, Jerry Eckart of Forestburg, John Eckart of Spokane, Washington, Mike Eckart and Steve Eckart of Denton.

Also two sisters, Bertha Hacker and Dorothy Mae Yosten, both of Muenster; and three brothers, Raymond Walterscheid, Norbert Walterscheid and Hank Walterscheid, all of Muenster. There are 31 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.



ANGELINE ECKART

by her parents; one sister, Sr. Thomasine Walterscheid; and two brothers, Alphonse Walterscheid and Andrew Walterscheid.

Mass of Christian Burial was held on Thursday, Dec. 19, in Sacred Heart Church at 10 a.m., officiated by her brother-in-law, Father Stephen Eckart, OSB, Father Victor Gillespie, OSB, Father Camillus Cooney, OSB, and Father Nicholas Fuhrmann, OSB.

In addition to her husband, James, Angeline Christina Eckart was preceded in death

Participating in the special liturgy was the Sacred Heart Men's Choir, who also sang for her husband's funeral. Sacred songs were "Pilgrim's Song," "How Great Thou Art," "Holy God We Praise Thy Name," and "Amazing Grace."

Granddaughters presented the liturgy, including First and Second Readings by Carol Koesler and Jayna Hofbauer; Offertory Petitions by Janet Hesse, and Offertory gifts by Donna and Jennifer Black, granddaughters, and Kristen Yosten, great-granddaughter. The Meditation following Communion was read by Connie Black.

Mass servers were grandsons David Hesse and Stephen Hofbauer and great-grandsons Nicholas Yosten and Jonathan Yosten.

Eucharistic Ministers were Raymond and Peggy Walterscheid and Norbert and Mary Ann Walterscheid.

A Rosary Service and Wake Service were held in McCoy Chapel on Wednesday.

Burial was in Sacred Heart Cemetery, directed by McCoy Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Jeff Simmel, Ken Hesse, Paul Black, Max Koesler, Neil Hesse, Danny Black, Jason Hofbauer, Joe Koesler, Kelly Colwell and Jim Eckart III.



MUESTER JUNIOR HIGH BAND'S brass section, including the trombones, joined in the school's annual Christmas Band Concert last week. Janie Hartman Photo

Replacement program set by BRK firm

BRK Electronics has announced a testing and replacement program for two models of AC-powered smoke detectors manufactured between November 1987 and March 1990, according to State Fire Marshal Ernest Emerson.

The company reported that tests of smoke detector models 1839I and 2839I indicate that the horns on some of these detectors might fail to function due to contamination of electrical contacts, Emerson said. BRK has notified the Consumer Product Safety Commission and is continuing its investigation while undertaking the replacement program.

Specific models affected by this program are 1839I1, 1839WI-12, 1839WI-M, 1839I12R, 2839I, 2839WI and 2839TH. According to BRK, nearly all of the affected detectors were installed in new homes, apartments and mobile homes purchased in 1988, 1989 and 1990. The detectors do not contain batteries.

Consumers should use the following steps to test their smoke alarms immediately:

1. Examine the user's manual to identify the model.
2. Hold down the test button for 20 seconds.
3. If the horn does not sound loudly, call the BRK toll-free telephone number 1-800-723-6990, to obtain a free replacement detector.

Because the detectors are AC-powered, BRK said the consumer should not attempt to remove or replace the detector before speaking with a BRK representative or reading the user's manual and following directions completely.

The state fire marshal was advised of the testing and replacement program by BRK Electronics. The Office of the State Fire Marshal, a division of the Texas Commission on Fire Protection, operates several programs that are concerned with fire alarm operations and safety, including the licensing of fire alarm companies and investigation of reported problems involving fire alarm equipment.

Muenster ISD approves new grading policy

by Elaine Schad

Muenster school trustees approved a new grading policy for the elementary school and discussed revision of the grading policy for high school students at its regular December meeting.

The board approved a revised elementary grading policy which will be explained in a letter to parents, said Muenster Superintendent Steve Cooper. He said the policy, which will take effect beginning with the second semester, will hopefully result in a solid policy that will streamline grading processes.

The high school grading policy has brought some concern from the community, administrators, teachers and parents, said Mr. Cooper. The main problem seems to be that the six weeks tests may be weighted too heavily in terms of the overall grade, he said.

"We want to look at it really closely and try to come up with something we won't have to change three or four years down the line," said Mr. Cooper. School officials have received input from teachers and the community, and are expected to have a new policy in place by the time school begins in the Fall, he said.

In other business, trustees heard an update on the current school funding situation. The county education district began distributing local property tax

monies to the school districts last week, said Mr. Cooper.

There is fear on the part of some that, if the Supreme Court rules the county education districts unconstitutional when it hears the case in January, that the distribution of local property tax money may be cut off and force some schools to close. "It will be interesting on how we would deal from that point on," said Mr. Cooper. "The plaintiffs are wanting to put things on hold, and that would be disastrous," he said. Mr. Cooper added that he hopes the court will have some common sense and allow school districts to complete the school year without a disruption of local tax funding.

In other business, trustees:

- Approved the 1990-1991 school audit.
- Approved a contract with the Cooke County Appraisal District for the assessment and collection of taxes.
- Approved early release days as deemed necessary by the administration to provide for 20 hours of in service training for local teachers.
- Amended the band budget for supplies and repairs by category, with no additional funds added.
- Tabled the superintendent's evaluation.
- Set the board's next meeting for Jan. 16.

Valley View Chief of Police dies

by Elaine Schad

Valley View city officials are discussing options for police protection for their city following the unexpected death this week of their only patrolman.

Funeral services were held this week for Valley View Police Chief Tom Tatom, who died Friday of an apparent heart attack while answering a disturbance call on duty, officials said.

The town council was scheduled to meet in emergency session this week to determine their next step in providing protection for their

city. The Cooke County Sheriff's Department provides backup patrols for the city, officials said.

Chief Tatom, 53, was called to a residence on Monterey Trail about 8:35 p.m. in the community of about 600 residents in southern Cooke County, officials said. After investigating the disturbance, he turned around to return to his patrol car when he fell face down on the cement driveway, said Justice of the Peace Royce Martin.

A registered nurse who lived nearby administered first aid

and Tatom was transported to Gainesville Memorial Hospital by ambulance where he was pronounced dead about 10:22 p.m., officials said. Tatom had been recovering from a recent illness, said Martin.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the First United Methodist Church in Valley View where he was a member. Masonic graveside rites were held at Valley View Cemetery. Vernie Keel Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

The family suggests that memorials be made to the Shrine Burn Hospital in Galveston.

Tatom was born on April 14, 1938 in San Antonio to Harley and Lillie Mae Tatom. He married his wife, Arlene, on Feb. 14, 1983, in Pensacola, Fla.

Cooperative announces 1992 Youth Tour Contest

An area high school student will win an exciting all-expenses paid trip to Washington, D.C. next summer in a contest sponsored by Cooke County Electric Cooperative.

CCEC Directors have voted to participate in the 1992 Texas Electric Cooperatives Government in Action Youth Tour. They were pleased by the number of students who entered the 1991 contest and the glowing reports given by Kimberly Bryan, the 1991 winner.

"The 1991 Youth Tour contest demonstrated the high quality of youth present in the Cooke County Electric Cooperative service area," said CCEC General Manager Philip Slater. "It was very rewarding to see the talent demonstrated in the essays and oral presentation by the young participants. The Cooperative was proud of all who entered. We're anticipating another good contest in 1992."

Bryan, now a senior at Gainesville High School, says anyone who thinks they have a chance to win should compete for the trip. She described her Washington visit as an inspiring and life-changing experience. Not only did she meet U.S. Rep. Charles Stenholm, who personally took her and other youths on a tour of the Capitol, she saw dozens of interesting and historic sites. And she made wonderful friendships. Bryan still gets letters and phone calls from young people she came to know during the trip.

Independent judges will select the 1992 winner in a two-tiered contest. Each high school student age 14-19 who lives in a home served by Cooke County Electric Cooperative is eligible to enter, except the previous winner and children of CCEC Directors.

There will be three categories of essays. Students can write about (1)



KIMBERLY BRYAN

The History of Cooke County Electric Cooperative, (2) Wise Use and Conservation of Energy, and (3) How the Availability of Electricity Improves the Quality of Life and Rural Texas.

Five finalists will be selected by a panel of independent judges. Those finalists will be asked to deliver a speech based on their essays. The speeches will be judged by a separate panel and the winner and a runner up will be chosen. The runner up is important, because schedule conflicts occasionally prevent the winner from going on the tour.

Essays are due in the Cooperative office by 5 p.m. on Feb. 26, 1992. Finalists will be notified as quickly as possible after judging. The speech contest is tentatively scheduled for the afternoon of Sunday, March 8.

Each student who submits an essay will receive a T-shirt and finalists who don't win the Washington trip will receive a special prize.

Anyone who wants to enter

should contact Eric Williams, member relations specialist, at the Cooperative office on Highway 82 East in Muenster. The telephone number is 759-2211. Williams will provide forms to be submitted with the essays, as well as material and references that can be useful in drafting the essays.

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Auxiliary to go caroling

Muenster Memorial Hospital Auxiliary members have made arrangements to go Christmas caroling on Sunday, Dec. 22. Spouses and non-members are welcome to come along for the fun. Interested persons should meet at the MMH south parking lot bet-

ween 6:30 and 6:45 p.m. (rain or shine!) A hay trailer will carry carolers to various stops including St. Richard's Villa. After caroling the Muenster Hospital will provide coffee and donuts.

Bishop Delaney administers Sacrament of Confirmation to 30 on Dec. 8

Thirty young adults of Sacred Heart Parish received the Sacrament of Confirmation administered by Bishop Joseph P. Delaney of Fort Worth, in rites celebrated in Sacred Heart Church on Sunday evening, Dec. 8, 1991 at 7 p.m.

At the beginning of Mass, candidates and their sponsors were in procession to reserved seats, marked by red ribbon and red bows, as the congregation sang "Everyone Moved By The Spirit."

Concelebrating with Bishop Delaney were Rev. Victor Gillespie OSB and Rev. Camillus Cooney OSB.

Melissa Miller, a candidate, gave the First Reading. John Nasche, a sponsor and teacher, gave the Second Reading. Father Victor read the Gospel and presented the candidates by name to the bishop.

Bishop Delaney reminded the candidates of their call to be witnesses for Christ, and led them in a renewal of baptismal promises. This was followed by the laying on of hands and the individual anointing.

Songs during anointing were "Miracle of Life;" "Lord, You Are More Precious;" "I Exalt Thee;" and "Spirit of the Living God."

Those receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation, and their sponsors are, with confirmandi named first: Mandy Barnhill, Anne Poole; Madelyn Baxter, Imogene Zimmerer; Helen Baxter, Elvira

Flusche; Deann Bayer, Melanie Bayer; Jordon Bayer, Vickie Bayer; Werner Becker III, Kenny Krebs; Joseph Bedowitz, John Nasche; Darren Bindel, Kevin Anderle; Stacie Cler, Kim Cler; Julie Felderhoff, Rose Henschel; Melissa Fisher, Jeannene Bayer; Lori Graham, Chris Kubis; Michael Hacker, Carol Fleitman; Justin Hartman, John Dangelmayr; Michelle Hennigan, Kim Hennigan; Barry Hess, Arnold Hess; Darlene Hess, Patsy Fleitman; Marlene Hess, Jane Klement; Angela Hofbauer, Anne Hesse; Allison Klement, Carla Truebenbach; Brian Knabe, Monte Endres; Melissa Miller, Gloria Culpepper; Dianne Pagel, Laura Pagel; Lisa Russell, Marlene Endres; Kody Truebenbach, Raymond Stewart; April Truebenbach, Dale Schilling; Amber Vogel, Marcia Vogel; DaLana Walterscheid, Lanette Fisher; Kenneth Walterscheid, Deano Bayer; Christy Yosten, Debbie Schmitt.

The Sunday Mass continued after the anointing. Marlene Hess read the general intercessions and prayers of the faithful. Madelyn Baxter, Werner Becker III and April Truebenbach presented Offertory gifts. The Offertory song was "Rise Up, Jerusalem;" the Communion hymn was "I Have Loved You;" and the recessional was "In the Day of the Lord."

Music ministers for the liturgy were Ruth Felderhoff organist, and Pam Fette and Eric Gray guitarists, joined by Emily Klement and Dave Fette vocalists, and Ronnie and Tina Weinzapfel on trumpets.

Eucharistic ministers included Dale and Dolores Hofbauer, Clinton and Debbie Endres and Tara Walterscheid.

Altar servers for the Mass were brothers of some of the newly confirmed, including Adam Barnhill, Michael Becker, Lucas Hartman, Patrick Miller and Maurus Hacker, Jr.

Ushers were Maurus Hacker, Harold Bindel, John Pagel and Bill Miller.

A reception followed in the Sacred Heart Community Center for the newly confirmed and their families, hosted by the Social Activities Commission.

The newly confirmed have been preparing since the beginning of the year, with meetings, classes, retreats, and service projects.

A special expression of thanks was offered to Loretta Felderhoff who typed the Mass programs, and to Shirley Knabe who prepared and lettered the certificates.



BISHOP JOSEPH DELANEY administers the Sacrament of Confirmation to Mandy Barnhill, right. Other participants pictured are Mandy's sponsor, Anne Poole, and Fr. Camillus Cooney. Photo courtesy Frances Bayer

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HOLLY ROHMER

Holly gets visit from Santa at her first birthday party

Holly Carol celebrated her first birthday on Sunday, Dec. 15 in the home of her parents, Kenny and Cindy Rohmer. Holly's actual birthday is Dec. 19.

Her guests were treated to a buffet of pick up foods and later served a chili supper. Holly, assisted by her 3-year-old sisters, Jayna and Kalyn, blew out the candle on her birthday cake. It was a snow covered cake with ice skating penguins carrying sprigs of holly. The cake was made by Cathie Fuhrmann of The Farmer's Kitchen.

A guest appearance from Santa himself made the evening extra special. Polaroids were taken as Holly, her sisters and cousins sat on Santa's lap. The pictures were then given to the cousins as a remembrance of the occasion. Gifts were then opened.

Those attending were Grandpa Tony and Grandma Marjorie Rohmer; Adam, Renee and Jeffrey Schniederjan; Steve, Kim, Nicole and Michelle Rohmer; Bill, Laurie, Daniel and Amanda Rohmer; and Terry, Lisa and Delana Rohmer. Unable to attend but sending birthday wishes were Papa and Granny Eikman.

Upon their departure Holly's cousins were given candy filled stockings and cardboard Christmas trees to decorate with star stickers.

Franciscans have meeting, supper Dec. 8

Fifteen members of the Secular Franciscan Order of Sacred Heart Parish assembled in church on Dec. 8 at 3 p.m. for their regular meeting. Opening prayer and monthly theme, "The Father is a Vine-Dresser and brings new light and life."

Honoring the Blessed Mother on her feast, the Joyful Mysteries of the Scriptural Rosary were recited for the intentions of all the aching, suffering and sick people, especially those in our midst.

All prayers were led by the president. During the business session, the secretary gave the minutes of the previous meeting and the treasurer reported the balance of treasury.

A Christmas party followed with a pot-luck luncheon, served at the home of Lu Vogel, president, honoring newly professed members.

The next meeting will be held on Jan. 6, 1992 in church at 3 p.m.

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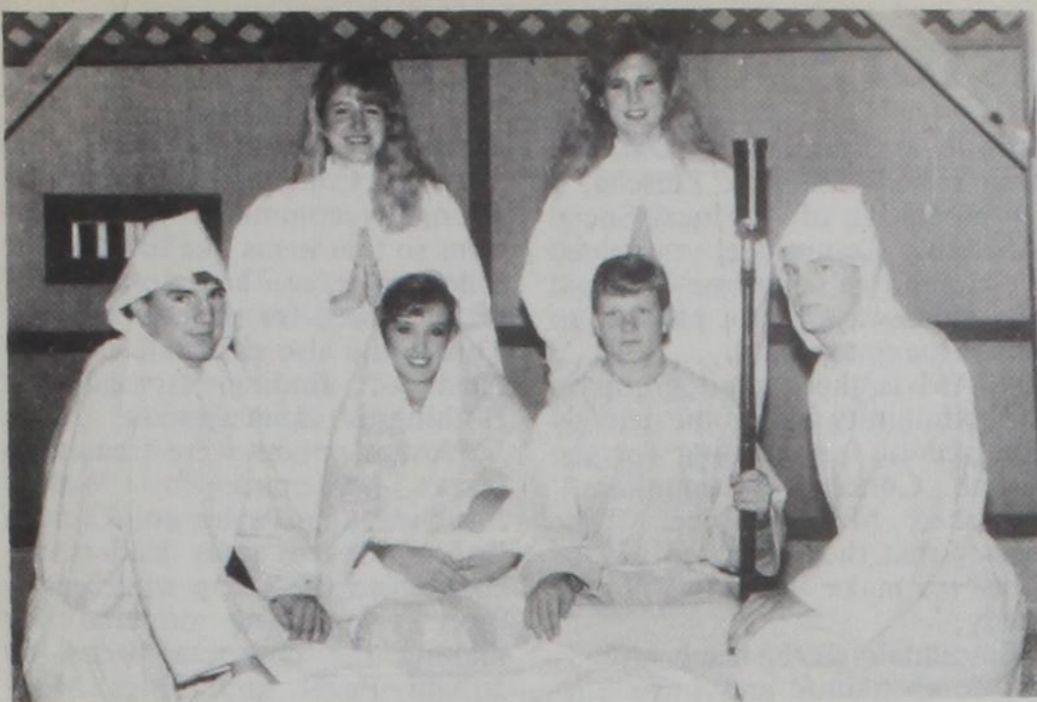
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SENIORS shown participating in Sacred Heart CCD Program's Christmas play are, l to r, back row - Tina Klement and Leslie Klement; front row - Mike Vogel, Julie Hess, Rex Huchton and Ryan Sicking.
 Dave Fette Photo

Homemakers donate to local charities

The Bluebonnet Extension Club finished the year by sharing its good fortune with others. On Dec. 15, Littlest Angel chairpersons Eileen Fisher and Janice Bayer delivered 7 bicycles, 3 tricycles, 2 Tyke bikes and gifts for four young angels to the army. A check for \$200 was deposited to the Social Concerns Committee. Earlier in the month the Bluebonnets voted to help defray the cost of the orchestra for the Cooke County Chorale's presentation of the Messiah. A donation to the Teen Drug Free Dance was also delivered. On Dec. 16, members Maryanne Fleitman and Bobbie Jane Slater delivered gifts, cookies and other "party fixings" to the Gainesville State School.

Members enjoyed an "indoor" hay ride and weiner roast at the home of Loyd and Gwen Trubenbach in October. When rainy weather forced the party indoors, hay bales and old fashioned homemade quilts were spread in front of the fireplace where guests enjoyed their roasted weiners. Ruth Felderhoff brought along a portable keyboard and "pumpkin" carols were enjoyed by young and old alike.

On Dec. 7, the Bluebonnets hosted their annual Christmas party for their spouses. This party was again held in the beautifully decorated home of Loyd and Gwen Trubenbach. A German Christmas theme was used and menu items included sauerbraten, roladen, German potato salad, and a sauerkraut salad from a recipe from Eddie Fleitman's mother. Topping the meal off was a Black Forest Cake, cheese cake and a fresh apple cake. After the gift exchange members and spouses sang Christmas carols in English and German. Song sheets and music was once again a treat from President Ruth Felderhoff.

Membership in the Bluebonnet Club is open to anyone in the community. Officers for the 1992 year were elected at the October meeting and are: Ruth Felderhoff, president; Maryanne Fleitman, council delegate and vice president; Patti Bayer, treasurer; Eileen Fisher, secretary. Anyone wishing more information may contact any of these officers. The January meeting will include bicycle rally business and a group trip to "A is My Name is Alice" at the Butterfield Stage.



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Love Fund established for Stephanie Hoenig

Beta Kappa has opened a Love Fund at Muenster State Bank for Stephanie Hoenig, the infant daughter of Bryan and Dianne Hoenig.

Camp closes at Subiaco

by Elaine Schad

After 50 years of serving young boys from Cooke County and many parts of Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and other states, Subiaco Academy will no longer offer its popular annual summer camp.

According to the November - December issue of *The Abbey Message*, which is published by the New Subiaco Abbey in Subiaco, Ark., Abbot Jerome Kodell announced the closing of the summer camp during a meeting in October.

Among the reasons for the decision is the increasing age of the monks operating the camp and the decreasing number of monks available to serve the camp, according to the publication.

In an announcement to the community, Abbot Jerome wrote: "It is sad to close a work we have conducted for 50 years. The consolation is that we served very well in this apostolate over the years; and that we ended on a strong note with a good week of Camp in 1991."

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1 name missed in Geography Bee winners

In the story about the Geography Bee at Sacred Heart School, carried on last week's paper, the name of one student was missed. The list of names given for grades 4,5,6,7 and 8 should have included Adrienne Bartel, daughter of Walter and Celine Bartel, a fourth grader who won the third place ribbon. Sorry we made the mistake, Adrienne!

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MEMBERS OF JAM (Jesus Alive in Muenster) spent Sunday afternoon in the cafeteria kitchen baking loaves of pumpkin bread. Sunday evening, they caroled for several hours, sold the bread pre-ordered and gave the money for charities to the Social Concerns Committee. Several members are shown, l to r, standing - Sarina Fuhrmann, Laura Vogel, Darlene Hess, Shawn Lee, Marlene Hess; kneeling - Ashley Hartman and Becky Fleitman.
Janie Hartman Photo

JAM's fun evening garners funds for Social Concerns

About 20 JAM (Jesus Alive in Muenster) members spent Sunday afternoon baking loaves of pumpkin bread which were sold that evening during a Christmas caroling excursion. The purpose of the project was to raise money to donate to the local Social Concerns Committee.

The youths sold about 100 loaves of the holiday bread, making 47 stops to homes that had requested it. Caroling was done at each stop. It took two-and-a-half hours to make all of the deliveries.

Some of the deliveries were prepaid gifts and the arrival of the carolers was a surprise. Louise Trubebach invited the group to her home for hot chocolate. Their last stop was at the Danny and Janet Voth residence where Janet treated them to chocolate chip cookies.

On the group's return to the Community Center it was announced that the day's work of chopping, baking, decorating, and making deliveries had been wor-

thwhile as more than \$200 had been raised. Jeannine Flusche, a representative of the local Social Concerns Committee, explained the committee's purpose and told of various ways that it planned to help in the community.

"JAM is the second group in the community to become actively involved in fund raising for the Social Concerns Committee," remarked Mrs. Flusche. "The money that they collected will be used to make baskets for the needy."

Since many of the needy already use food stamps and have adequate food, but are unable to buy

necessary personal items, the Social Concerns Committee strongly recommends cash donations so that items like toothpaste, toilet paper, etc. and clothing can be purchased for them as needed. This would also eliminate the problem of finding storage for clothing and canned goods.

JAM members were treated to pizzas homemade by Wanda Flusche, Janie Taylor and Clinton Endres. Seven adult leaders accompanied the group while caroling. Pecans were donated for making the pumpkin bread by JoAnn Pagel and Sister Mary John Seyler.

DWI a tragedy, Gramm warns as New Year's Eve approaches

Alcohol-related driving deaths have declined steadily since 1982, according to U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm, who called for Texans to take special care on the highways during the holiday season.

"According to a nationwide study by the Center for Disease Control, drunk driving fatalities

are declining - and that's great news," Gramm noted.

"But the approach of New Year's Eve and New Year's Day, the two days each year which generate more drunk-driving deaths and injuries than any others, the time has come to take special care," he said.

Gramm, Dr. Red Duke of the University of Texas Health Science Center and officials from Mothers Against Drunk Driving and the Texas Department of Public Safety this year are repeating the successful public education campaign against drunk driving that they staged in 1987.

The senator noted that while fatality rates are down nationwide and "while everybody can be proud of the progress that has been made, drunken driving remains a tragedy and a crime."

"Ultimately, the responsibility for stopping this menace falls to each of us as individuals," Gramm said.

Food Show completes project

by Evelyn Yeatts
County Extension Agent-H.E.

What is a 4-H Foods Project? It's learning why broccoli and carrots are good for you to eat. It's knowing that how a food is prepared affects the total calorie content. It's going to the grocery store, reading food labels and comparing prices. It's learning what food groups are needed, and how much food is needed from each group and why.

A Foods and Nutrition Project also includes learning about how exercise combined with nutritious foods are good for your health. It's planning a day's menu including adequate foods from all food groups. It's learning about how a food can be more attractive with the use of garnishes. A food project is also the combining of different colors, and textures for a more interesting meal. It's learning about kitchen and food safety.

Oh yes, it's also learning how to prepare and taste new foods.

This year under the guidance of food leaders over the county, over 150 4-H'ers participated in Food Project Group meetings. The Food Project was brought to a close officially Saturday, Dec. 7, with 78 4-H'ers participating. They prepared a food dish at home, made a daily menu using their food and impressed judges with all of their nutrition knowledge.

During the judging leaders worked with the 4-H'ers on making Christmas decorations. These will be used in decorating an old fashioned Christmas tree in the courthouse basement, and tray decorations for a local rest home.

A program on Angels, Angels and More Angels was presented to 4-H mothers while the judging took place. This was presented by Phyllis Aston, owner of the Sewing Center.

This year two new divisions were added to the Food Show making it the largest food show in several years. In an Open Category 4-H'ers prepared a food that was judged, but were not questioned on Nutrition knowledge. These 4-H'ers were not eligible for District.

Another new division was the participation for only the newest 4-H'ers - the 4-H Clover Kids for K-2 students.

The food show, which was held in Whaley United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall, was sponsored by Gainesville National Bank.

Top winners in each food group will participate in the District 4-H Food Show on March 14, 1992.

Winning first in the different food groups locally are: **Senior Fruit and Vegetables division**, Sherilyn Sicking, Muenster; **Senior Bread and Cereal division**, Clifford

Lutkenhaus, Lindsay Sr.; **Senior Snacks and Desserts**, Charlene Lutkenhaus, Lindsay Sr.; **Junior Bread and Cereal division**, Mark Lutkenhaus, Lindsay Jr.; **Junior Snacks and Desserts**, Jackie Henschel, Muenster.

Placing second and named as Alternate to the District Show were: **Senior Main Dish division**, Robert Lutkenhaus, Lindsay Jr.; **Senior Bread and Cereal division**, Danetta Bryant, Valley View; **Junior Main Dish division**, Molly Trammell, Lindsay Jr.; **Junior Fruit and Vegetables**, April Sandmann, Lindsay Jr.; Also participating in the Food Show with their ribbons were: **Senior Main Dish division**, blue ribbon, Sara Flusche, Lindsay Sr.; **Junior Main Dish Division**, blue ribbons, Amy Hoberer, Lindsay Jr.; Karah O'Dell, Lindsay Jr.; and Jennifer Pearse, Valley View; **Junior Fruit and Vegetables**, blue ribbons, Audra Bryant, Valley View; Andrea Fuhrmann, Lindsay Jr.; Leah Hermes, Lindsay Jr.; Karlee O'Dell, Lindsay Jr.; and Amy Sandmann, Lindsay Jr.

Junior Fruit and Vegetables, red ribbons, Rachel Lively, Lindsay Jr.; and Abby Trammell, Lindsay Jr.

Junior Bread and Cereal, blue ribbons, Abbie Bezner, Lindsay Jr.; Emily Felderhoff, Muenster; Amanda Schad, Lindsay Jr.;

Junior Bread and Cereal Division, red ribbons, Anna Bayer, Lindsay Jr.; Kristen Creed, Muenster; Ashlie Privett, Lindsay Jr.; and Diana Schad, Lindsay Jr.; **Junior Snacks and Desserts**, blue ribbons, Allison Bayer, Muenster; Ellen Bezner, Lindsay Jr.; Dea Cler, Lindsay Jr.; Karen Cler, Lindsay Jr.; Megan Sandmann, Lindsay Jr.; Brandon Schroeder, Lindsay Jr.; Stephanie Stoffels, Lindsay Jr.; Meghan Taylor, Lindsay Jr.; Sadie Trammell, Lindsay Jr.; and Sarah Trammell, Lindsay Jr.;

Junior Snacks and Desserts, red ribbons, Kristie Lutkenhaus, Muenster; Amber Taylor, Lindsay Jr.; and Jamie Zwinggi, Lindsay Jr.; **Open Food Show**, blue ribbons, Danny Felderhoff, Muenster; Laura Lutkenhaus, Lindsay Sr.; George Lutkenhaus, Lindsay Sr.; Shawn Neu, Lindsay Jr.; **Open Food Show**, red ribbons, Russell Fleitman, Lindsay Jr.

Clover Kids received peach participation ribbons. All of the participants were from the Lindsay Clover Kids Club. They were: Dominic Fuhrmann, Melissa Fuhrmann, Kimberly Hermes, Genevieve Knauf, Kenna Krebs, Sara Luttmer, Eric Neu, Mark Neu, Robin Neu, Whitney Neu, Chad Stoffels, Emmy Trammell, and Hannah Trammell.

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Family members from both the Luke and Vowell families attended. A chicken spaghetti supper, and a "Suzy's Zoo" duck theme cake and ice cream were served.

Joining the honoree with his parents and four-year-old brother, Preston, were his grandparents, Dan and Barbara Luke of Gainesville, formerly of Muenster, and Lynn and Glenda Vowell of Irving, formerly of Valley View; and Mrs. Olga Vowell, his great-grandmother, of Dallas.

Parker Ramon Luke is also the



PARKER LUKE

grandson of the late Dolores Henzler Luke.

6th grade takes field trip

The sixth grade from Muenster Public School went on a field trip to Fair Park in Dallas on Monday, Dec. 9. They went to the Aquarium Exhibit, Science Place II, and to the Planetarium. The purpose of this trip was to learn the patterns in the sky and find that there is more to sports than just having fun.

The first program they saw was titled "The Science of Sports." During this program they observed two trained rats playing basketball. Then they viewed how hardness can determine how high a ball will bounce. Then they saw the aquarium. They viewed over 200 fish. Next they saw the Planetarium. They learned about star alignments and star clusters. It

was very educational. Last they packed up and headed home. The two teachers, Mrs. Ahrens and Mrs. Popp, had invited some help: Mrs. Reiter, Mrs. Hacker, Mrs. Anderle and Mrs. Felderhoff.

Reported by Lucas Hartman, Scott Hermes, Chrisyon Harris, Jeff Wilde

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New Arrivals —

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Bryan and Dianne Hoenig of Gainesville are proud to announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, Stephanie Lynne was born November 22, 1991 at 7:18 a.m. in Denton Community Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs. 12 ozs. and measured 20½ inches long. Grandparents are Janet Hoenig and Phyllis Youngblood of Muenster, Gene and Peggy Hoenig of Gainesville and Tom A. Youngblood of Fort Worth. Great-grandparents include Bill and Lucille Lutkenhaus, Ed and Aileen Cler and Tony and Aileen Hoenig, all of Muenster.

Koesler

Fred and Elaine Koesler are proud to announce the arrival of their second child, a son, Andrew Clay Koesler. He was born

December 12, 1991 at 8:29 p.m. in Medical Plaza Hospital of Sherman, weighing 6 lbs. 13 ozs. and measuring 20¼ inches in length. Also welcoming Andrew is his 3-year-old brother Evan. Grandparents are Norbert and Elizabeth Koesler and Steve and Juliana Grewing.

Fette

Dan and Claudette Fette of Flower Mound announce the birth of a son, Benjamin Eugene Fette, on Wednesday, Dec. 18, 1991, at 8:05 a.m. at the Denton Birthing Center. He weighed 9 lb. 10 oz. Benjamin Eugene joins two brothers at home, Aaron and Gabriel. The grandparents are Lt. Col. Ret. and Mrs. Eugene Voelkel of Bryan and Mrs. R.N. Fette of Muenster.

Sandmann is Baylor grad

Jacqueline Rose Sandmann graduated from Baylor University on Saturday, Dec. 14. Commencement Exercises were held at the Ferrell Center on Baylor University Campus in Waco, Texas.

Ms. Sandmann received a Bachelor of Business Administration degree with a Major in Accounting and Minor in Information Systems. She plans to take the CPA exam in May of 1992.

While in college, Ms. Sandmann was a member of the Epsilon Delta Pi Honor Society, the Accounting Society and Angel Flight Service Sorority. As an Angel Flight member, she held several local and regional offices. She also volunteered services as an accounting tutor and a grader for several professors.

Jacqueline Rose graduated from Lindsay High School in May of 1988.

Attending the Commencement were her parents, Edward and Aileen Sandmann of Lindsay, her fiancé, Chris Hamilton and his parents, Ernest and Mary Ann Hamilton, all of Memphis, Tenn. Not able to attend but sending best wishes were her grandmother Mrs. Cecilia Schmitz of Lindsay and her sisters and their families, Garry and Susan Fetsch, and Paul



JACQUELINE SANDMANN

and Brenda Becker of Muenster; also Curtis and Carol Conway of Moore, Okla. and seven nieces and nephews.

Ms. Sandmann will be married on Dec. 28, 1991 and move to Memphis, Tenn. She will be attending graduate school at Memphis State University in the Fall of 1992.

Home Extension Club holds Christmas party Dec. 11

Members of the Muenster Home Extension Club held their traditional Christmas party on Dec. 11 with a noon dinner in the Cooke County Electric Co-op Community Room. They brought a bountiful variety of meats, salads and desserts, which were served with coffee or tea.

Party favors were small baskets filled with foil-wrapped candies made by Dorothy Fisher.

Inspiration was given by Florence Williams. After dinner, a reading "Christmas Lost and Found" was given by Dorothy Fisher; and a poem "Twas the eve before Christmas" was read by Irene Klement. Members exchanged gifts and a short business meeting followed.

Six members volunteered to help with the State School Christmas party for boys on Monday, Dec. 16 at the state school in Gainesville. A get-well card was signed for Dorothy Yosten, who is recovering from surgery. Before adjournment the group joined in a prayer chain for Stephanie Hoenig, great-granddaughter of Lucille Lutkenhaus. The infant underwent open-heart surgery on Dec. 12.

Members attending were Olivia Wimmer, Adeline Sicking, Louise Bayer, Florence Fisher, Lucille Lutkenhaus, Ann Herr, Dorothy Fisher, Armella Lutkenhaus, Anna Henschel, Sue Wieler, Liz Koesler, Rose Rohmer, Irene Klement, Florence Williams, Bertha

Pick and Jackie Bilderback. Unable to attend were Dorothy Hesse, Odelia Detten and Dorothy Yosten.

The next meeting will be held on Jan. 7 at the home of Irene Klement.

Telephone Company recognizes employees

The Muenster Telephone Corporation held its annual Christmas Party Saturday, Dec. 7. The party began with a hospitality hour at 6:00 p.m. in the company meeting room. The Center Restaurant catered the steak dinner.

After the meal Alvin Fuhrman, president, gave a short talk on the past year's accomplishments and also what is expected to happen in 1992. He presented employment award pins to Paulette Swirczynski for 20 years of employment, and Gene Fuhrman for 5 years of employment.

Alvin also recognized two new employees, Rick Matson and Jeff Miller and his wife Cynthia. Alvin recognized Julie Beheler, fiancée of Steve Sandusky.

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Noel Barnhill is one!

Noel Barnhill, daughter of Gary and Barbie Barnhill, turned one year old on Dec. 10 and was honored with a supper and party in the home of her grandparents, Hank and Louise Walterscheid.

Pictures were made and gifts opened. Later the children helped their Grandma put up the Christmas tree and decorations.

A "Crayola Cake," made by the Farmer's Kitchen, was served with ice cream. Party favors were coloring books, crayolas and treat bags.



NOEL BARNHILL

Guests included Noel's mother Barbie Barnhill and her brother, Noah; Grandma and Grandpa Walterscheid; Donna Teafatiller and Alison; Nancy Sicking and Jonathan; Nick and Robynn Walterscheid and DeeDee and Alisha.



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Heather celebrates five

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SACRED HEART second grade students, accompanied by their teacher, Sr. Genevieve McConnell, walked to the Muenster Bank last Thursday to select an angel from the Littlest Angel Tree. Tanya Hess got the honor of taking the angel from the tree. The children then went to a local merchant to choose gifts for their angel.
Janie Hartman Photo

St. Mary's students recognized

by Elaine Schad
Five seventh grade students from St. Mary's School in Gainesville have qualified for participation in this year's Talent Search for mathematically and verbally advantaged students sponsored by Duke University's Talented Identification Program (TIP), according to St. Mary's School officials. Students who have qualified from St. Mary's include Duane Fuhrmann, son of Dennis and Deborah Fuhrmann of Gainesville; Kristy Lemons, daughter of Robert "Doc" and Rita Lemons of Gainesville; Kelly Rigler, daughter of Michael G. and Michael Ann Rigler of Gainesville; Eddie Schad, son of E.J. and Elaine Schad of Valley View; and Brent Foster, son of Sam and Sharon Burkhardt of Thackerville, Okla.

The program identifies students from a 16-state region in the south, southwest and midwest United States who have scored at least in the 97th percentile on achievement or ability testing. The students will take the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT), which is normally taken only by college-bound seniors in



Evan parties at McDonald's

Evan Joseph Koesler, son of Fred and Elaine Koesler, celebrated his third birthday on Sunday, Dec. 1 with a party at McDonald's in Gainesville. Evan's actual birthday is Dec. 31.

Small guests enjoyed playing games and eating "Happy Meals" and birthday cake. Evan opened gifts as videos and pictures were taken.

Attending Evan's party were his parents; grandparents Norbert and Elizabeth Koesler and Juliana Grewing; Aunt and Uncle George and Sheila Kleinart; cousins, Daniel and Kara Kleinart, Polly Fette, Megan and Carrie Grewing, Shannon and Craig Grewing, Raegan and Kristian Koesler, and Bridgette Klement.

Sending birthday greetings were Grandpa Steve Grewing and cousin Kyle Koesler.



JESSICA WALTERSCHEID and her grandmother, Juanita Knabe, visit with Santa.

Santa visits VFW

Santa made a special visit on Thursday, Dec. 12 at the local V.F.W. No. 6205 home. There were about 20 young children along with 14 grandmothers and mothers welcoming him. Santa had his picture made with each child and presented each a small gift promising to make his official visit at Christmas time. The children sang songs for him and later had refreshments of cookies and soda. Auxiliary members serving as chairmen of the event were Juanita Knabe, refreshments; Janet Barnhill, tree decorations; Frances Bayer, Santa and gifts. Santa came to the party with someone he knows quite well, Trudy Felderhoff.

New Eyes for the Needy sets goal for 60th year

New Eyes for the Needy is about to celebrate its 60th year of helping the needy. In honor of this milestone, the organization has set a goal of 1,000,000 pairs of eyeglasses to be recycled during 1992. What started as a simple idea - recycling used eyeglasses for those who couldn't afford to buy their own - has become a nationwide cause. Radio stations in almost every state will be sending forth public service announcements for New Eyes requesting eyeglasses for recycling.

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Every week New Eyes holds sales of antique jewelry and silver along with resalable costume jewelry. Proceeds from these sales add significantly to the funds which New Eyes can use for the purchase of new eyeglasses.

Many organizations have made a project of collecting for New Eyes. You can find collection boxes in banks, shopping centers

and libraries. The Lions and Kiwanis clubs are among those who help collect used glasses. Every day hundreds of packages arrive from all over the country at New Eyes headquarters.

You can help New Eyes achieve this remarkable goal. Send your used eyeglasses or unwanted jewelry to New Eyes for the Needy, Short Hills, New Jersey 07078.

VFW Auxiliary holds Christmas meeting

The Ladies Auxiliary to the VFW Post 6205 met for their regular monthly meeting on Dec. 9. Following the business meeting, they joined the VFW members for a Christmas social.

During the meeting, members voted to give a Christmas check to one more special child, making a total of five special children who are sent a Christmas check to help with expenses. Agnes Hesse reported that \$75 worth of items were collected to be distributed at the Denton State School for Christmas. It was also decided to

donate \$10 to Home Hospice in memory of Auxiliary members.

Plans were made to deliver Christmas goody baskets to local shut-ins and the less fortunate. It was announced that Santa would be on hand Dec. 12 to visit with children and grandchildren of veterans during the children's Christmas party.

There were 13 members present for the meeting. Frances Bayer presided; Ida Bindel, secretary, read the minutes; and Lucille Hesse, treasurer, gave her report. Lucille Hesse won the door prize.

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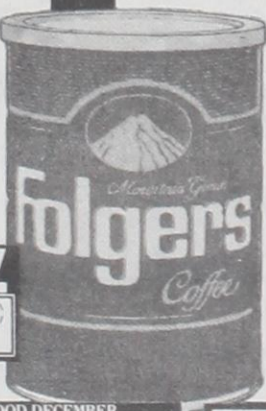
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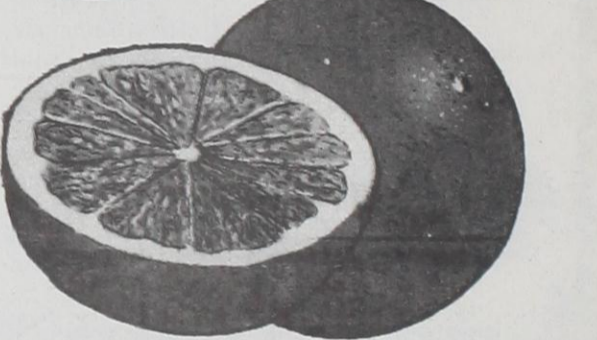
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Pat Davidson Gilliland travels to Holy Land...

Jerusalem trip proves 'instant education'

Copyright 1991 Oklahoma Publishing Co. from Nov. 10, 1991 issue, Section A of The Daily Oklahoman. Used with permission. Editor's Note: Religion Editor Pat Gilliland returned recently from a trip to Israel, during which she was the guest of the Israel Government Tourism Office and El Al Israel Airlines. Following are some of her impressions.

by Pat Gilliland Religion Editor
"You've arrived here at a very unique moment in history."

The first time I heard the statement was the afternoon of my arrival in Jerusalem, but the words of my tour guide were echoed by him and others throughout my eight-day stay in Israel.

Though the Middle East peace talks were unfolding across the Mediterranean in Madrid, Spain, I could feel both the hopeful excitement and the tension they brought to what is known worldwide as the Holy Land.

It was instant education. I quickly realized I had a mistaken notion of the West Bank - one of the sticky issues in the peace talks -

as something "out there." I was shocked to learn that this disputed land was now occupied by Israel adjoins Jerusalem on three sides and includes Bethlehem. I naively had assumed these areas were undisputed Israeli land.

As my tour group viewed historic religious sites and ruins that ranged up to 4,000 years old, I became increasingly aware of how this area had been in turmoil much of that time.

However, much remains confusing. It will take some time for me to understand the various levels of religious and political struggles in the region. The lines aren't always clear.

There are Jews, Muslims, Christians, Arabs, Palestinians, Syrians and Jordanians. But it is confusing as to which are nationalities, which are religious groups and which are individuals.

As our tour bus entered Jerusalem on Oct. 29, our guide, Mishi Neubach, spoke of a terrorist attack that killed two people on a bus the previous day.

At a Jerusalem hotel, I bought a copy of the English-language Jerusalem Post newspaper and read more about the attack, still unable to perceive the difference between the bus and my own. It wasn't until I returned to Oklahoma, read local news accounts that I realized the bus carried people who lived at a controversial settlement in the disputed land, and who were returning from a Tel Aviv rally in opposition to territorial concessions.

Another sign of the times was the rescheduling of our trip to Bethlehem, the birthplace of Jesus. Our guide explained that Friday is a Muslim holy day and that he preferred to avoid the potential unrest from Arabs living in the Israeli-controlled land.

A visit to the nearby Shepherd's Field, considered the place where shepherds saw a star alerting them to Christ's birth, was to be made with "armed escorts," but later was canceled. Our guide said he did not want stones on the bus.

"What we do is what I feel is safe under the conditions," Neubach said.

Storefronts in Bethlehem were boarded up and covered with graffiti.

I soon associated these circumstances with a new word: intefadeh - the uprising and strike by Palestinians in the occupied territory.

During a visit Oct. 30 to an immigration absorption center, where Jews from Ethiopia begin their transition to a new culture and lifestyle, our introduction and explanation of the program was competed with a television broadcast of the opening of the peace talks.

A question about a "shelter" in front of the compound's grocery store brought another reminder of the proximity of the disputed territory. We were told that the nearby hills were part of the West Bank and were within fringe range of the compound.

A popular topic among my tour group - which included 11 Southern Baptist journalists, three religion writers from secular newspapers and six spouses - was whether it was safe, at this time, to travel in Israel.

Our hostess, Lori Samet, a New York City-based representative of the Israeli airline El Al, and Neubach, a Jewish resident of Jerusalem who is a "freelance" guide for the Ministry of Tourism, were persuasive in assuring us of our safety.

On Oct. 31, I had my only chance to get an unrestricted impression of the city, walking with a traveling companion on Ben Yehuda street. It is a modern festival-type area of shops, restaurants and entertainment. I had the peaceful sense of being on San Antonio's River Walk.

But that night, I dreamed of bombs falling. "Oh, no. It's happening. We're here and it's happening." I awakened with an awareness of how deeply rooted fears can be.

Reflecting on my first three days in Israel, I decided my fears were groundless. A terrorist attack seemed no more or less likely than the chances of a drive-by shooting or a mass murder in the United States.

On the flight over, one of my companions remarked that one has to be a little fatalistic when flying. But in this group, myself included, faithfulness was the predominant attitude. If you can't feel the protection of your God on a trip to the Holy Land, where can you?

As for me, I'm a homebody and never dreamed of traveling abroad, much less to Israel. It was the assurances of friends, family and acquaintances that this would be "the chance of a lifetime" that ultimately convinced me to go, plus the gut feeling that if ever there would be a safe trip to a volatile area, it would be with the nation's tourism department as my host.

I'm glad I took advantage of the opportunity. I got a feel for the

land - its people, its beauty, its conflicts and its potential - that I never would have grasped from reading a book or watching a film.

I also have a stronger sense of the importance of peace in the area and how difficult it will be to achieve.

In the words of our guide, "I'm

not optimistic and I'm not pessimistic. If this dream comes true, I'll be happy."

Editor's Note: Pat Gilliland is the former Pat Davidson, daughter of Charles and Alice Davidson of Muenster. She is a graduate of Muenster High School.



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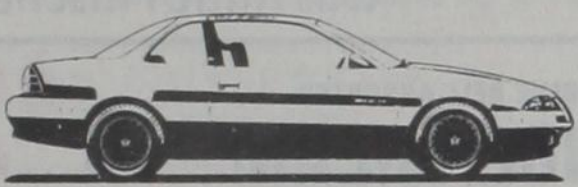


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Country Tidings

by Ruth Smith

Announcements

The Rosston Baptist Church will have their Christmas program Sunday, Dec. 22 at 6 p.m. If you want to participate with the gifts bring a lady's or man's gift. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Maberry Sr. were in Denton Friday for Della to get x-rays on her hip that she injured when she fell on the ice.

Fred and Wilma Knight visited the Maberrys Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Christian went to Stephenville Saturday where they visited their son, Bill and family and their son Fred Christian who is recuperating from surgery performed last week. The C.H. Christians returned home Sunday.

Wayne Hutson of Bloomfield, New Mexico came Monday for a few days' visit with Kenneth and Mozelle Hutson and other relatives.

Mrs. Josephine Berry, Ruth and Jim Penton and Wilma Richardson and Rev. Elwood Poore made their monthly visit to St. Richard's Villa in Muenster Sunday evening.

Byron and Colby Berry of Denton visited their grandmother Mrs. Josephine Berry.

Miss Lois Bewley and Clyde visited Loveta and Clifton Bewley Monday.

Pete and Vera Holley, Wes Holley and boys of Whitesboro visited Miss Lois Bewley and Clyde Sunday afternoon.

Lois and Clyde visited Mozelle and Kenneth Hutson Sunday evening.

Maxine and Archie Peers of Krum visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hudspeth Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jackson were hosts in their home Sunday, Dec. 15 for a Christmas party and dinner and gift exchange.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gage of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Brogdon of Miami, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jackson of Decatur, Vaton Selby and John Ragsdale of Dallas, Mrs. Janice Bird and Scarlett and Amber of Paradise, Charles and Beth Dill and family, Larry and Debra Dill and Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Dill, all local; and Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Jackson and Jeremy of Lewisville.

Chris McCandless and his mother Cathy of Keller visited Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jackson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Odessa Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cook of Marietta, Ok. went to Lubbock Saturday where they visited Mrs. Myrl Gorey. They returned home Sunday.

Information has been requested by Wendy Jacobs, 2327 Horseshoe Dr., Alexandria, La. 71301 for descendants of the late Ellis and William Pickering, who are buried in the Coker Cemetery near Bulcher. Other relatives are Milburn and Ervin. Also information was requested about the old abandoned church at Bulcher. Ellis Pickering was a brother of Wendy Jacobs' great-great-grandfather, Levi.

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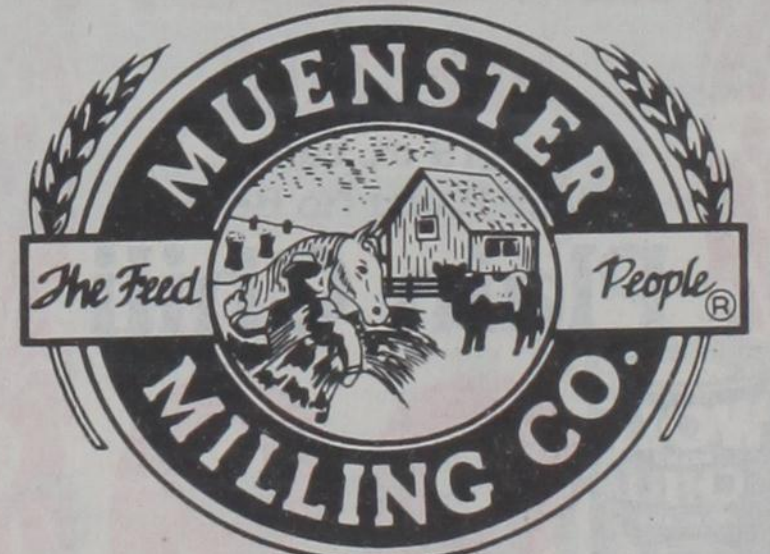


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County Agent's Report by Craig Rosenbaum

Pruning Tips

Pruning plants is one of the most important aspects of home gardening. Pruning is the act of removing unwanted growth to make the plant grow the way it should be.

Shade trees probably require less pruning than other groups of ornamental plants. Some pruning is necessary on shade trees for safety and for the health and beauty of the trees.

Broken, dead or diseased branches need pruning to prevent the fungus that produces wood decay from penetrating into the part of the tree where the branches are attached. Branches that overlap and those that interfere with telephone lines are removed to prevent rubbing and eventual decay.

The removal of many small branches is more desirable than the removal of a few large ones. Do not remove a large portion of the top of any tree. This practice favors fungus and insect attack

and also increases the possibility of bark scalding due to sudden exposure of tender tissues to strong sun rays.

Split, dead and broken branches are hazardous to life and property. Low-hanging live branches should be removed to a height of 10 feet when they interfere with traffic.

Caution should be used when pruning diseased wood so that the infection will not be spread by the tools. Keep all pruning tools disinfected by dipping them in denatured alcohol before each cut. The infected twigs and branches should be removed at least 3 inches below the point of infection.

Pruning ornamental shrubs and small flowering trees depends on the growth habit and blooming characteristics of the plant. Spring-blooming deciduous species are pruned after they bloom. If such plants are pruned in early spring before they start the growth that is followed by the

bloom, the greater portion of the flowering shoots are removed.

Shrubs and trees that bloom during the summer and fall are usually pruned in late fall and winter. This gives them sufficient time to produce flowering stems from early spring until the time they flower.

Nandinas and other summer flowering shrubs that have similar growth habits should have many of the older stems removed at the ground. Small weak stems also should be removed in the same manner to allow the young vigorous stems to continue to develop the beauty of the shrubs.

Shrubs grown for their showy fruit, such as pyracantha, elaeagnus and hollies should be thinned lightly during the dormant season when needed and old or weak stems should be removed. This group usually will go several years without any pruning beyond that needed to keep them neat.

Evergreen shrubs, such as ligustrum, pittosporum, euonymus and others where flower production is not important, can be pruned anytime. But, consider carefully the shapes to which your evergreen hedges are to be trimmed. Trim the shrubs so the hedge is wider at the base than at the top. This allows more light to reach the lower foliage and it remains in better health and is more compact.

Anytime a plant is pruned, it immediately signals certain stimuli which produce new growth. To encourage a plant to spread, remove its leader; to grow more upright, prune its side branches; to grow more open in the center, remove some of the branches back to the interior of the trunk; to grow more compact, clip the ends of all branches.

You can't do any job properly without the right pruning tools. Most useful of all and the first to buy are hand shears. If you plan to buy only one pair of hand shears, select the heavier type because there will be less danger of straining or springing the cutting blades. Also, select shears with an effective safety catch to keep the shears closed when not in use.

Long-handled pruners are for cutting heavier branches up to one inch in diameter. Pole pruners enable you to reach up and cut off branches an inch in diameter. Hand saws with coarse, widest teeth should be used on larger branches. Power chain saws are used for large limbs.

Safety rules are very important. Check your tools often. If possible, prune when the weather is dry. When temperatures are low and the trees are wet, the job of pruning is always dangerous. When electric wires run through or near the tree, the danger of electrical shock is increased in wet weather.

Bark peeling and fungus growths are a sign of dying and dead branches. Never depend on support on limbs that show these symptoms.

Any gardener must understand that the job is not finished when the pruning tools are cleaned and put away. The wound dressing or tree paint used on the larger wounds needs to be inspected periodically and recoated once or twice a year. Clean the wound with a stiff wire brush to remove all blisters and loose flakes. Do not cover the new growth or callus formation with any of the additional coats of wound dressing.

When pruning is done properly you will be rewarded with your particular objective. You have directed the course of nature in your plants in one of the few ways that nature permits you to do so.

Stenholm looks for agreement by Christmas

by Kathleen Davis

COLLEGE STATION - U.S. Rep. Charles Stenholm wants a signed world trade agreement for Christmas. But a couple of controversial issues are stalling his gift wish.

Stenholm, D-Texas, told participants at the recent Plant Protection Conference in College Station that both the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) and the proposed North American Free Trade Agreement could benefit Texas farmers.

"My hope is to have a GATT agreement by Christmas. It's extremely important for Texas agriculture," Stenholm said. "But no agreement is better than a bad agreement."

The Texas congressman said the deadlock with GATT pertains to phytosanitary rules (compliance with unified methods to prevent insects or plant and animal diseases from spreading among countries), and export subsidies practiced by some nations.

As for the North American accord, Stenholm said, an agree-

ment would be difficult before the U.S. presidential elections in 1992 or the Canadian elections in 1993, although "Mexico wants it now." Salinas has done a lot in a relatively short period of time, but they still have a long way to come on phytosanitary and labor issues before an agreement could be reached," Stenholm said.

GATT is the legal framework by which some 100 nations can participate in global trade. Agriculture, which had not been included in previous GATT agreements, has been blamed for much of the failure by the member countries to concur during this round which has been on the table since 1986.

The North American Free Trade Agreement would loosen restrictions between the United States, Canada and Mexico. Talks began last June.

Farm Bureau members oppose term limits for elected officials

LUBBOCK - Voting delegates to the 58th annual Texas Farm Bureau convention demonstrated opposition toward setting term limits for state and federal elected officials and voiced displeasure with the proposed high speed rail or "Bullet Train," calling for alternatives and strict guidelines should the train become a reality in the 21st Century.

The delegates also elected S. M. True, a cotton grain and cattle producer from Plainview, to a 10th one-year term as president of the state's largest general farm organization. True was opposed in the election by retiring TFB Vice President Don Smith.

Following adjournment of the convention, the Board of Directors met and elected Bob Stallman of Columbus as vice president and re-elected Billie Ray Huddleston of Celina as secretary-treasurer.

In other action, delegates:

- Opposed any tax on personal property.

- Supported the establishment of an agricultural division within the Texas Water Commission, with the exception of underground water control.

- Called for utilizing all available resources to protect the common law doctrine of rules-of-capture for underground water.

- Supported the continued development of agri-business and value-added processing of Texas products by the Texas Department of Agriculture.

- Called for repeal of County Education Districts.

Voting delegates, also approved several national recommendations to be forwarded to the American Farm Bureau Federation for consideration at the 72nd annual meeting Jan. 12-16 in Kansas City.

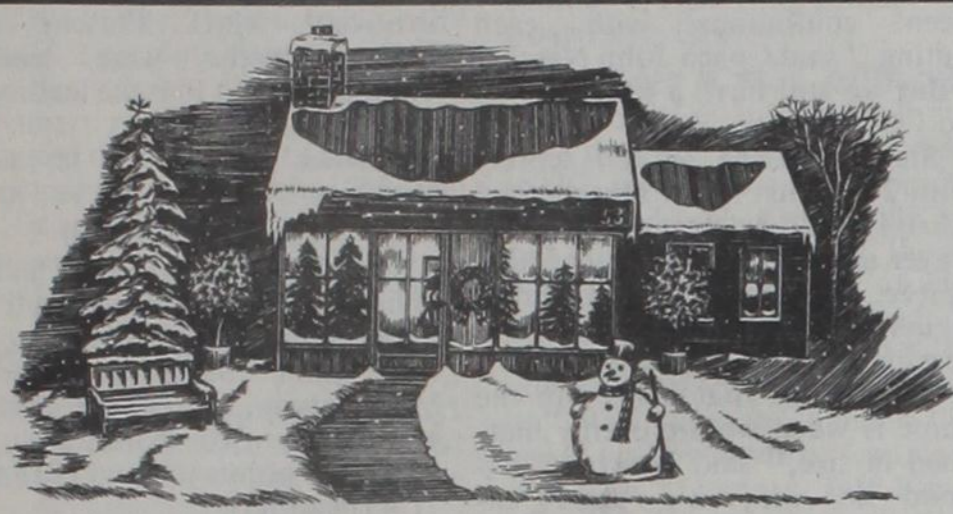
A host of state and national dignitaries visited the convention,

including U.S. Rep. Charles Stenholm (D-Stamford), Texas Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry and State Treasurer Kay Bailey Hutchison.

Stenholm told the delegates that the long awaited disaster assistance bill was passed shortly before Congress recessed, and was awaiting the President's signature. Perry announced his plans to run again in 1994 for the Texas Agriculture Commissioner's post. Hutchison reiterated her opposition to any state income tax and voiced support of her office in working with the Texas Department of Agriculture on loan programs for farmers and ranchers.

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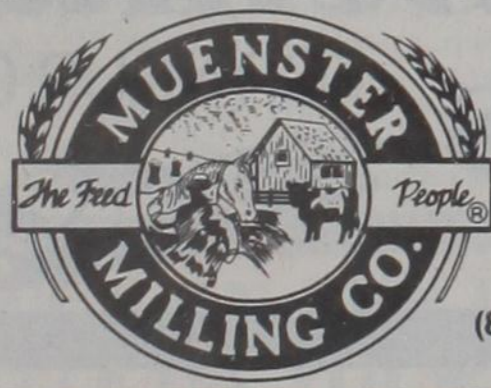
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Sports

Hornets settle for 2nd, Hornettes win tourney

Muenster's Lady Hornets varsity roundballers won all three tournament games last weekend in Chico to claim the tournament championship and improved their season record 12-0. DaLana Walterscheid, Amy Otto and Theresa Kubis made the All-Tournament Team.

Muenster started action against Denton Liberty Christian Thursday evening. "The girls scored a team-high 76 points and chalked up another win," said Coach Brian Strother. "They started fast and never looked back, they were explosive from the field."

Five Lady Hornets scored in the double figures and everyone got to play. DaLana Walterscheid led in scoring with 14, while Theresa Kubis added 13. A trio of Amy Otto, Candise Abney and Dianne Pagel scored 10 each. Danell Reiter hit 9, Leslie Klement 8 and Cheryl Hacker 2. "It was a good, relaxing win with no pressure, which is nice when playing three games in three days," concluded Strother on the win.

Muenster	21	16	22	17	76
Lib. Christian	5	8	4	4	21

In the second round with Petrolia, the Lady Hornets again earned a victory. "It was hard to get up for a team you already beat by 40 points," said Strother. Muenster started off good, but slacked off until the final quarter. "Petrolia attempted a comeback the third quarter, but we got hot in the fourth and shut them down defensively," said the Hornet coach on the 58-36 win.

Theresa Kubis had a game- and career-high of 25 points. Candise Abney came off the bench with 9 points. DaLana Walterscheid added 8, Danell Reiter 7, with Amy Otto, Dianne Pagel and Kristi Bier-schenk also putting points on the scoreboard.

Muenster	17	16	9	16	58
Petrolia	5	12	13	6	36

Muenster knew that the championship game Saturday with Paradise was going to be tough, though they beat them once before 35-30 in a grind-out game. "The bench won this game for us," said Muenster Coach Strother. "DaLana (Walterscheid) came off the bench shooting red hot." Walterscheid had 8 of her 16 points the first quarter. "DaLana is a great competitor. She played her best all-around game."

After a close 31-26 half, Muenster turned their defense up a notch, allowing Paradise only 9 points the remainder of the game. Danell Reiter iced the game in the final quarter with 6 of 7 free throws. Amy Otto was clearing the boards all night with 14 rebounds for the game. "The girls played great all weekend. This is a really special team with a great streak going," concluded Coach Strother.

DaLana Walterscheid was the leading scorer with 21. Danell Reiter added 13, Candise Abney and Theresa Kubis 7 each. Amy Otto and Dianne Pagel also scored.

Muenster	16	15	8	16	55
Paradise	13	13	4	5	35

Doug Hennigan led the Hornets in two victories before falling in the championship round to Nocona. He was also selected to the All-Tournament Team.

The Hornets began action Thursday against a young Denton Liberty Christian team and put them away early. The game turned into a free-throw seminar with Muenster shooting 47 shots, making 24. "We started fast with a 23-point first quarter and 51 for the half, while holding them to 10 points," said Strother. "It was a fun game, everybody played and scored. Muenster won 95-23. "Doug Hennigan was high scorer with 24, with Kody Truebenbach adding 18, Mike Gobble 13, and Mike Hacker 11. Justin Ramsey, Jay Hennigan, Darren Bindel and Jason Huchton all scored for the Hornets."

"This was a big game for us and our system," said Coach Brian Strother on their second-round game with Chico. "We had to make a few adjustments, keeping pressure on Chico all night." The coach credits Doug Hennigan for doing it all - playmaker, scorer, defensive player and rebounder. Also Mike Hacker for a great game of rebounding, blocking shots and scoring.

First half scoring see-sawed back and forth with Muenster leading both quarters. Hennigan scored 13 of his 19 points the first half.

The fourth quarter was with the lead changing hands, coaches disagreeing with the officials, the clock going out and Muenster hitting big free throws. With 21 seconds on the clock, Mike Hacker hit 1 of 2 free throws. Chico threw the ball off the Hornets' press. Hennigan was fouled with 10 seconds and iced the game, hitting both ends of a 1-and-1. "It was a great win for us against a good caliber team," concluded the coach.

Doug Hennigan was leading scorer with 19. Mike Gobble added 12 and Mike Hacker 11. Kody Truebenbach added 9 and Justin Ramsey 4 for the Hornets.

Muenster	14	19	6	16	55
Chico	11	16	11	12	50

The Hornets fell 74-42 in the championship game with 2A Nocona Saturday night in the final tournament contest. "This was a game we had no legs and Nocona came out hot and we never recovered," said Coach Brian Strother. "Our shooting was cold to say the least. The guys played great and I'm really proud of them."

Nocona had a 10-point lead the first quarter, extending that to 17 at halftime. The Hornets continued to fall as the game progressed, ending in a 74-42 score. "Our goal was to win 2 of 3, we achieved our goal. We would have liked to give a better showing, but sometimes that happens," concluded Strother.

Doug Hennigan was high point maker with 11, with brother Jay



JOHN NASCHE and the Tigers take a breather.
Janie Hartman Photo

adding 8. Kody Truebenbach and Mike Gobble hit 6 each with Mike Hacker, Ryan Sicking and Justin Ramsey finishing out the list of scorers for Muenster.

Muenster	14	7	5	16	42
Nocona	25	14	17	18	74

Lindsay Coach Benton resigns

by Elaine Schad

The Lindsay School District is looking for a new head football coach following the resignation of Pat Benton, officials said this week.

Coach Benton, 41, said he has resigned effective the end of the school year. He declined to comment on his reason for resigning except to say that he enjoyed his stay at Lindsay, and that he would be seeking new opportunities. School officials had no comment on the resignation.

Coach Benton posted a 14-15-1 record during his three years as head football coach at Lindsay. The Knights posted their best performance while under Benton this year, playing third in their district with a 5-4-1 record.

Before coming to Lindsay, Coach Benton was head baseball coach at Gainesville High School for six years and coached junior high athletics at San Angelo Central High School prior to taking the jobs in Cooke County.

Muenster takes win from Gunter

Muenster's varsity basketball teams traveled to Gunter Tuesday night and came home victorious, 49-35.

The ninth-ranked Lady Hornets kept their record clean, taking their 13th season win. The girls came out fast, playing good solid defense. Theresa Kubis hit 14 of Muenster's 18 first-quarter points. "Our defense is our strength. All the girls play good team defense," commented Coach Brian Strother. "Gunter never could make a run."

Theresa Kubis was high point maker with 21. Amy Otto added 10, Danell Reiter 8, Candise Abney 6, Leslie Klement and DaLana Walterscheid 2 apiece. "The girls really ran the offense well with patience," concluded Strother. Muenster was 6 of 7 at the free throw line.

Muenster	18	9	9	13	49
Gunter	6	12	7	10	35

The Hornets were in a fast-paced game from the start, with both teams hitting everything. Muenster took a 19-16 advantage over Gunter the first quarter, then fell behind 1 point at the halftime buzzer.

Justin Ramsey carried the Hornets the third quarter with 10 points. Mike Hacker came off the bench, scoring 8 with 8 rebounds. "He's really playing well, grabbing rebounds and blocking shots," said Strother.

The fourth quarter was all defense. Doug Hennigan was leading rebounder with 10, but Mike Hacker was pulling down the last two big ones.

Scoring for the Hornets were Justin Ramsey 16, Kody Truebenbach 11, Doug Hennigan 9, Steven Fisher 6, Jay Hennigan 3, Darren Bindel 2 and Ryan Sicking 1.

"We are slowing down a little, but we are playing better as a team," concluded the coach.

Muenster	19	10	17	10	56
Gunter	16	14	17	6	53

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Sacred Heart, Lindsay compete in tourney

Results from the tournament held last weekend include:

Sacred Heart vs. Lindsay
The Tigerettes dropped their opening round game of the Forestburg tournament to Lindsay by a 49-27 count.

After a close first quarter, an 18-point second period propelled the Knightettes past the Tigerettes for the fourth time this season. The strong Knightette defense held the Tigerettes to their lowest point total of the season. Deann Bayer led the Tigerettes with 6, followed by Jennifer Walter and Jo Vagher with 5 each. Shirley Henscheid scored 4, April Truebenbach hit for 3, Christy Yosten 3, and Mandy Barnhill and Deanna Hess each scored 1.

Christy Secret, Debbie Fangman and Laura Lutkenhaus all scored in the double digits with 14, 12 and 10 points respectively. Cassandra Fuhrmann added 6, Jessica Fuhrmann 4, Susie Arendt 2 and Janell Fuhrmann a point for Lindsay.

Sacred Heart vs. Lindsay

The Lindsay Knights took their fourth win this season over the Sacred Heart Tigers in the opening round of the Forestburg tournament Thursday. "We showed improvement, we're still coming around," said Coach John Nasche. "We were in the game until the second half."

Lindsay scored 39 second half points, while the Tigers were held for only 6 in the 3rd before scoring 13 in the final quarter.

"Our goal was to keep them under 70 points and we reached it," continued Nasche. "Poor free shooting, 9 of 20, kept us at bay."

Stevan Nasche led the Tigers with 15 points. Aaron Berres added 6, Mike Gehrig 4 and Kelly Bayer and Mark Flusche put in 3 points each. Jason Hofbauer, Jeremy Bayer and Chris Hess rounded out Sacred Heart's scoring. "Mark Flusche was excellent on defense, holding Fleitman to only 12 points," concluded Nasche.

All ten Knight players scored, with Kenny Fleitman, Ronnie Dieter and Will Thomason leading with 12, 11 and 10 points respectively. Jason Benton and Pat Corcoran added 8 apiece, while Wylie Harris put in 6. Travis Huchton, Jeff Hermes and Jeff Pearson scored 4 points each and Shane Huchton put in 2.

Sacred Heart	8	9	6	13	36
Lindsay	14	16	19	20	69

Sacred Heart vs. Forestburg

The Sacred Heart Tigerettes stopped a 5-game losing streak Friday evening in the Forestburg tournament with a 74-15 win.

A 48-point Tigerette first half lifted the Tigerettes over the Lady Horns in the second round. Four Tigerettes hit in double figures for the first time this season led by Deann Bayer's 14. Classmates April Truebenbach swished 13 and Mandy Barnhill and Christy Yosten each scored 10.

Rounding out the scoring for Sacred Heart were Julie Felderhoff and Jo Vagher 8 apiece, Shirley Henscheid 6, Erica

Schilling and Deanna Hess 2 each and Jennifer Walter with 1.

Lindsay vs. Goldburg

All ten girls scored in the Knightettes' 52-18 win over Goldburg in second round tournament action.

After a slow first quarter, Lindsay hit 17 points to take a 17-point halftime lead over their opponents, then dominated the second half 28-11 for the final score.

Laura Lutkenhaus led with 11 points. Cassandra Fuhrmann and Debbie Fangman added 8 each while Telisha Krebs and Jessica Fuhrmann each hit 5. Susie Arendt, Janelle Hellinger, Christi Secret, Suzanna Hellinger and Janelle Fuhrmann rounded out the scoring.

Lindsay	7	17	14	14	52
Goldburg	3	4	8	3	18

Sacred Heart vs. Goldburg

The Tigers got their first victory of the season in Round Two of tournament action with a 57-47 win over Goldburg. "I was pleased with the win, our improvement has been continuous with each outing," said Coach John Nasche. "But we still have a long way to go."

Stevan Nasche led all scorers with 24 points. Mark Flusche and Chris Hess added 8 each, with Kelly Bayer and Aaron Berres scoring 6 apiece. Joe Bedowitz and Brian Reiter rounded out the Tigers' scoring.

"One thing that helps win the game is when we are evenly matched in size," said Nasche. "It's good to win, it's good encouragement."

Sacred Heart	13	13	14	17	57
Goldburg	8	14	10	15	47

Lindsay vs. Forestburg

Kenny Fleitman led the Lindsay Knights to a 66-54 victory in the second round of boys' action with 26 points.

Forestburg led 21-16 the first quarter with Ronnie Dieter and Fleitman doing all of the Knights' scoring. An even second quarter gave the Longhorns a 36-31 lead at halftime. Lindsay dominated the second half scoring 35 points to Forestburg's 18 to take the win.

Also scoring for the Knights were Ronnie Dieter with 18, Wylie Harris 10, Will Thompson 9 and Shane Huchton 3.

Three Longhorns hit double figures: Clint Carlton 19, Luis Capuchina 17, and Jason Morris 12. Dill and Hardy also scored for Forestburg.

Lindsay	16	15	18	17	66
Forestburg	21	15	8	10	54

Sacred Heart vs. Era

Deann Bayer's 18 points weren't enough to stop the Lady Hornets of Era in the consolation championship. Era's inside game was effective early as the Tigerettes fell behind 32-19 at the half. The Tigerettes slipped to a 19-point disadvantage before a fourth quarter rally pitted the Tigerettes down by 6 with two minutes to go. Two missed opportunities by the Tigerettes allowed the Lady Hornets of Era to take the 54-44 win.

Also scoring for the Tigerettes were Christy Yosten 7, Shirley Henscheid, Mandy Barnhill and

April Truebenbach 4 each, Jennifer Walter hit for 3, and Julie Felderhoff and Jo Vagher 2 each.

Sacred Heart vs. Slidell

"It was our best game of the year, but we fell 56-82," said Coach John Nasche. "Their height advantage hurt, but our fast break offense is coming around and the defense is improving."

The Tigers fell behind 51-20 at halftime, but came on stronger the remainder of the game. "Conditioning helped to outscore them the second half, if we could start out more mentally, it would be better," said the Tiger coach.

Stevan Nasche was high scorer for Sacred Heart with 19 points. Chris Hess hit 9, while Mark Flusche added 8. Joseph Bedowitz dunked 6 and Mike Gehrig 4, while Weldon Bayer, Neil Berres, Jason Hess, Kelly Bayer and Aaron Berres each hit 2 points.

The Tiger freethrowing is improving, hitting 13 of 20, but they were still plagued with numerous turnovers. Mark Flusche and Stevan Nasche were leading rebounders with Flusche leading in steals.

Sacred Heart	10	10	18	18	56
Slidell	22	29	15	16	82

Lindsay vs. Slidell

The Knightettes were handed their second District loss to a tough Slidell team in the girls' championship game Saturday. Jennifer McLaughlin scored 28 points, assisted by two teammates that totaled 33 points to hand Lindsay a 71-43 beating.

The Lady Greyhounds jumped out to a 27-6 first period lead before Lindsay knew what hit them. A close second quarter slowed the score to 37-14 at halftime. After a high-scoring third, the final quarter saw the Lady Knights outscore Slidell by one.

Janelle Hellinger was Lindsay's leader with 16 points. Cassandra Fuhrmann added 8, with Christi Secret, Debbie Fangman, Laura Lutkenhaus, Susie Arendt, and Telisha Krebs all adding points.

Lindsay	6	8	11	14	43
Slidell	27	10	21	13	71

Lindsay vs. Era

Lindsay and Era were matched against each other in the Boys' Championship match Saturday. The Era Hornets came out the champs by 2 points.

After a close first quarter, Lindsay's shooting went cold, completing only 3 free shots the second quarter, to trail 26-12 at halftime. The Knights' shooting improved the second half, scoring 30 points to Era's 18, but ended 2 points short.

Kenny Fleitman once again was Lindsay's leading scorer with 14 points. Ronnie Dieter followed with 12. Will Thompson added 10, six as free throws the final quarter, while Wylie Harris hit in 6 to round out Lindsay's scoring.

Jorge Rodriguez led all scorers with 18 points. Nathan Potts added 12 for the Hornets. Other Era players putting in baskets were D. Proffer, Matt Lyons and Marty Rehm.

Lindsay	9	3	14	16	42
Era	11	15	7	11	44

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Junior High/Junior Varsity Action

Muenster 8th vs. Saint Jo

In their last game before the holiday break, the Muenster junior high girls, short three players due to illness and playing two of the seven suited with illness, still came out ahead and defeated the Saint Jo Lady Cubs 31-17 Monday night.

Saint Jo started well, taking the lead the first quarters. The Lady Stingers were down 9-2 before Carrie Hess and Audrey Knabe started scoring and closed the gap to 9-7 at halftime.

Muenster made some adjustments the second half and DaLana Endres scored 3 easy buckets from Knabe to put Muenster on top to stay. "The girls really buckled down, played good defense and shut down Saint Jo's defense," said Coach Brian Strother.

Audrey Knabe was Muenster's leading scorer with 14 points. She also hit 8 of 12 free throws to help put the game away. Carrie Hess chipped in 10 and DaLana 7. "This was a great win for the girls to go 4-0 in the first round of District play," concluded the coach. The Lady Stingers are 5-0 for the season. All seven team members present played and contributed to the win, including Julia Fleitman, Mary Knabe, Melissa Biffle and Leasha Perryman.

Muenster	2	5	8	16	31
Saint Jo	3	6	2	6	17

S.H. vs. Prairie Valley

The Sacred Heart Junior High vaulted back into first place in the NTIBC Monday night when they beat Prairie Valley 28-23.

The young Bulldogs were undefeated coming into the Tigers' Den, with the Cubs having only one loss. The win gives Sacred Heart the lead in the first half of conference play.

"We started out slow with a strong second quarter to take, and kept the lead," said Coach John Nasche. "We won on rebounds."

Putting the points on the board for the Cubs were John Klement 13, Paul Swirczynski 8, Douglas Novack 3, Brandon Bayer and Jake McCoy 2 each. Others noted for fine play included Joe McCoy, Scott Poole and Michael Becker.

S.H. vs. Prairie Valley

Ten first period points by the Lady Bulldogs of Prairie Valley proved to be the difference in NTIBC action Monday evening at the Tiger Den. The Lady Cubs' Brandi Fleitman connected on the only two first period points for her team, as the Lady Cubs dropped 3-3 on the season.

Intense defensive pressure by the Lady Cubs in the final three periods kept them in the game and helped the young Tigerettes to pull within 3 points with 2:30 remaining. A couple of missed opportunities by the Lady Cubs and 4 Prairie Valley free throws ended the Lady Cubs' hopes, 26-17.

Brandi Fleitman led the Lady Cubs with her personal best of 6 points, and teammates Dobe Fleitman, Leslie Grewing and Nicole Endres hit for 2 each. After the holidays the Lady Cubs will travel to Terral on Monday, Jan. 6 and then participate in the Montague Tournament Jan. 9-11.

Muenster B vs. Collinsville

The Muenster Hornets Girls' "B" team lost a close game to the Collinsville Junior High "B" girls last Monday night, 27-19. The game was actually closer than the score showed, as the girls were behind by only one point at halftime, 12-11. Collinsville then

pulled ahead by scoring 10 points in the third, and Muenster pulled out 8 in the final period, but could not make up the deficit.

LeAnn Klement led the girls with 7 points. Christina Metzler and Brandi Lutkenhaus each hit for 5, and Becky Fette rounded out the scoring with 2. Jennifer Sicking, Holly Mullins, Donna Black, Mindy Hennigan, Amanda Russell and Wendy Pels also played.

Muenster A vs. Collinsville

The Muenster "A" girls defeated Collinsville to push their record to 4-0 Monday night. Led by Carrie Hess with 11 and Audrey Knabe with 6, the girls played Collinsville closer than the fans would have enjoyed. The girls won 28-26 in a game down to the final shot.

Julia Fleitman and Melissa Biffle had 4 points each and played excellent defense to help secure the win. The other girls contributing to the win were Andrea Klement, Misty Klement and Leasha Perryman. "These girls all showed a great deal of heart, coming from behind to win the game," said Coach Kyle Baker.

Muenster A vs. Collinsville

The Muenster Junior High "A" boys dropped their season record to 2-2 with a loss to Collinsville Monday, 67-37. Collinsville jumped out to a huge lead in the first quarter with a 22-0 lead, of which the Hornets never recovered. The score at halftime was 40-8. The boys from Muenster then "showed up" and drew the game a little closer with Eric Miller leading the way with 11 points. Jeff Flusche added 10, Darrell Charles 9, James Klement 5, and Cody Sicking scored 2 in limited playing time.

The team will be trying to get back on its winning ways next Monday night at Saint Jo. The boys will be trying to nail down second place in District, and can do so with a win Monday night, having only lost to Era. "The boys are working hard and are improving every day and can produce some very exciting basketball which we plan to take to Saint Jo next week," said Coach Kyle Baker.

Lindsay vs. Collinsville

Lindsay's sub-varsity Knights battled a tough Collinsville team Tuesday night, taking a 65-30 beating. "Collinsville took two of their starters from varsity to play JV," said Lindsay Coach George Thomason. "Why - I don't know."

The young Pirates took an early lead, extending it to 35-11 at halftime before putting the Knights away.

George Lutkenhaus was high scorer for Lindsay with 14 points. Kyle Sandmann added 7. Keith Webb, Greg Arendt, Doug Hellingner and Chad Hair all added points.

Lindsay 6 5 13 6 30
Collinsville 13 22 26 14 65

SH vs. Saint Jo

Sacred Heart's junior varsity boys picked up their first win of the season Tuesday night, defeating Saint Jo 39-37 with only seconds remaining in the game.

The Tigers started with a slow pace, with only 6 players, to keep from tiring, then opened up in the second for a 17-16 halftime lead. Sacred Heart kept the lead through the third quarter, but lost and regained it several times in the fourth.

Saint Jo tied the game 37-37 with 45 seconds on a fast break lay-up.

Possession changed several times when the Tigers took the ball down court with 10 seconds. Jeremy Bayer shot from the free throw line with only two seconds on the clock to give the Tigers the win.

"It was only a matter of time," said Coach John Nasche. "We lost to Chico early, then two close games to Lindsay. We have lots of talent with several playing JV and varsity."

Jason Hofbauer was high scorer with 11 points. Mike Gehrig added 10 and Jason Hess hit 7. Jeremy Bayer put in 5, Brian Reiter 4 and Weldon Bayer 2. All players scored.

Sacred Heart	5	12	11	11	39
Saint Jo	7	9	9	12	37

Lindsay "A" vs. VV

Lindsay junior high girls battled a close ball game with Valley View's 8th graders, 38-24. The game was closer than the score indicates.

The Lady Squires jumped out to an early substantial lead, holding the young Eagles to only 2 points the first quarter. Valley View made a partial comeback, closing Lindsay's lead to 7 points at half. The Birds got to 5 points away going in to the final quarter before Lindsay shot down their offense, grabbing the win with a 12-period point.

Julie Arendt was leading scorer with 12 points. Keleigh O'Dell added 10 with Christina Fuhrmann's 9 and Andrea Gieb with 7.

Lindsay	13	7	6	12	38
Valley View	2	11	8	3	24

Lindsay vs. Alvord

The young Lady Squires of Lindsay Junior High hosted Alvord, adding another victory to their season record with a 42-21 win.

Keleigh O'Dell was high scorer with 8 points. Julie Arendt and Christine Fuhrmann each added 7. Four players scored 4 points - Andrea Gieb, Amber Griffith, Michelle Secrest and Donna Lester. Jennifer Bezner and Elizabeth Cler also added points.

Lindsay took the lead early and put the icing on the cake, hitting 18 points the third quarter while the young Pups were held scoreless.

Lindsay	11	6	18	7	42
Alvord	2	7	0	12	21

Muenster "B" vs. St. Jo

Led by Jonathan Otto's 6 points and 4 blocked shots, the Junior High "B" boys won their first game Monday night 10-2 over the Saint Jo Panther's "B" team. The boys fell behind at halftime 2-0, but really turned up the heat in the third quarter, scoring 8 points and holding Saint Jo scoreless. This win helped the "B" team get on the winning track before the holidays.

The team's next game is Jan. 6, 1992 against Lindsay. Bradley Fisher and Ryan Klement helped out by scoring 2 points each. "The boys are really looking forward to playing again," concluded Coach Kyle Baker.

Muenster "A" vs. St. Jo

In a very close game against Saint Jo, the Junior High "A" boys won 35-34. James Klement led all scorers with 16. Jeff Flusche added 10. Darrell Charles added 4 and Eric Miller had 3. The boys pulled out the win to go to 3-2 overall, and push their district record to 3-1, and sew up 2nd in district. The game stopped a 2-game slide, and should go into the holidays with a winning record; the team hopes to continue to win as they play Lindsay on Jan. 6.

Muenster "B" vs. St. Jo

The Junior High girls' "B" team got on the winning way by defeating the Saint Jo Junior High Panthers 17-6 Monday night in Saint Jo. "Led by Brandi Lutkenhaus with 11 points, the girls played excellent defense and scored enough points to win the game easily," said Coach Kyle Baker. The girls stepped out to a 7-0 halftime score, and held Saint Jo to only 6 in the second half. The defense excelled as the team held another under 10 points for the first time this year. The girls have improved greatly and the game was finished before the third quarter was over. In the fourth quarter, LeAnn Klement, Donna Black and Amanda Russell added 2 points each and this put the game away for good.



JEREMY BAYER makes his last second shot to give the JV Tigers their first win. Janie Hartman Photo

Muenster JV plays in G'ville tourney

The Muenster Junior Varsity Hornets went to Gainesville Friday and Saturday nights for the Gainesville JV tournament. The boys played the Northwest Texans in the first round. Led by Cory Cain and Eric Van Swearingen, the boys played their best but were simply outclassed by the larger 4-A school. Brian Knabe also added to the team's effort.

In the second game, the boys played a traditional rival, Collinsville, in a game that was a lot closer and harder fought than Friday's game. Led in scoring by Brian Knabe, Cody Klement and Daniel de la Mata, the Hornets were ahead after three quarters 41-30. The Pirates then scored 21 points in the fourth quarter to squeak out a 51-49 victory. The Hornets had a chance to send the game into overtime, but missed several shots with time running out.



BRIAN ROHMER shoots for two. Janie Hartman Photo

Lindsay B vs. Valley View

Lindsay's junior high girls' "B" team fell to Valley View's 7th grade team Monday night to the sound of 28-5.

Molly Trammell scored 2 points the first quarter, then hit 3 of 4 free throws the second period for Lindsay's only score. Thirteen girls saw action in the game. This included Sandy Schriber, Chasa Webb, Erin Eberhart, Amber Geray, April Sandmann, Angela Bengfort, Jennifer Hoberer, Donna Lester, Michele Young, Jilly Hsu, Julie Zimmerer and Michelle Murrell.

Lindsay	2	3	0	0	5
Valley View	10	4	6	8	28

Lindsay A vs. Valley View

The Lindsay Squires were handed a defeat when the Valley View Eagles protected their nest, winning 50-26.

Lindsay started stone cold with only one basket the first quarter. Slow playing continued with Lindsay falling behind 23-9 at halftime. Valley View was flying high the final period when they outscored the Squires 21-7.

Jeff Hale led Lindsay with 11 points with Dave Brown adding 7. Other scorers included Garrett Hellingner, George Gilbert, Zachary Brown and Aaron Krebs. J. Krahl and J. Slover led Valley View with 14 and 10 points.

Lindsay	2	7	10	7	26
Valley View	10	13	6	21	50

Lindsay B vs. Alvord

Lindsay's junior high "B" team hosted the Alvord Pups on Dec. 12, taking a 24-22 win.

An even first half left a tied game on the scoreboard midway through the game but only 2 points by the Puppies gave the Squires a 5-point edge going into the final quarter. Alvord attempted a comeback, but

Lindsay's defense held them back to keep the lead.

Scoring for the Squires were Aaron Krebs with 10 points, Hank Huchton added 7, Matthew Murrell 3, Richard Haaven and T.J. Baldwin with 2 apiece. Chris Bezner also played.

Lindsay	6	5	7	6	24
Alvord	5	6	2	9	22

Lindsay A vs. Alvord

The junior high "A" Squires were handed a 33-25 defeat by Alvord recently. After trailing by 1 the first period, Lindsay took a 1-point lead into the locker room. Alvord outscored Lindsay 20-11 the second half to take the win.

Jeff Hale dominated the boards with 16 points for Lindsay. Others scoring were Zachary Bowman, Zack Shumacher, George Gilbert, Greg Dulock and Dave Brown.

Lindsay	6	8	6	6	25
Alvord	7	6	10	10	33

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Tigerettes score win!

Playing their last game before the holidays the Sacred Heart Tigerettes slipped by the Lady Panthers of Saint Jo, 74-45. The Tigerettes fell behind 3-0 before Jo Vagher hit for four and April Truebenbach swished two charity tosses to give the Tigerettes the lead for good. The first period ended with the Tigerettes on top 17-15. Truebenbach and Vagher both ended the period with 6 each.

Twelve second-period points by Deann Bayer off of some slick passing by Jennifer Walter pushed the Tigerettes out to a 40-26 halftime edge. The Tigerettes controlled the offensive boards as they cleared the glass for 27. The Tigerettes were held to only 10 points in the third but found the range in the final frame for 24 and the impressive 74-45 win. "We had some great individual performances tonight," said Coach LeBrasseur. "We worked as a well-oiled unit tonight!"

Some of those great individual performances that LeBrasseur was referring to were 5 three's by Deann Bayer, 12 assists and 12 steals by Jennifer Walter, 15 points by

April Truebenbach, 10 offensive rebounds by Jo Vagher and 9 rebounds by Christy Yosten. Also 6 steals by Mandy Barnhill and 5 by Julie Felderhoff. Shirley Henscheid was credited with outstanding defensive play.

Scoring for the Tigerettes were Deann Bayer with a game high of 25, April Truebenbach with 15, Jo Vagher 10, Julie Felderhoff 8, Jennifer Walter, Christy Yosten and Shirley Henscheid 4 each. Erica Schilling and Mandy Barnhill each tossed in a pair.

Tigerette Tales

The Tigerettes played their eleventh consecutive game without a complete roster. Senior forward Vickie Bayer is expected back late in the week. The 74 points scored by the Tigerettes were a season high. The Tigerettes only committed 5 turnovers the first half. Walter's 12 assists and 12 steals were individual highs



DEANN BAYER shoots over two Saint Jo defenders in Sacred Heart's 74-45 win Tuesday night. Janie Hartman Photo

Lindsay takes two from Collinsville Tuesday night

Lindsay's varsity basketball team came out victorious over Collinsville Tuesday night, beginning with a one-sided girls' game. "Collinsville couldn't get going - they're young," said Lindsay Coach George Thomason.

The Lady Knights filled the baskets the first half taking a 25-4 score into the locker room. Lindsay's defense held Collinsville to 13 points with hot shooting putting 44 points on the second half board for the Knightettes.

"Our girls have been doing well offensively all season. We have several different girls that are scoring," said Thomason. "Defense is playing extra good also."

Lindsay substituted throughout the game. Everyone played, everyone scored. Christi Secret was high scorer with 18, Jessica Fuhrmann added 16. Cassandra Fuhrmann hit 8 while Laura Lutkenhaus and Janelle Hellingner put in 6. Also scoring were Suzanna Hellingner, Janel Fuhrmann, Susie Arendt, Tisha Krebs, and Debbie Fangman.

Lindsay 12 13 19 25 69
Collinsville 4 0 6 7 17

The Knights improved their season record to 11-2 with a 66-50 win over the Pirates. Ronnie Dieter and Kenny Fleitman led Lindsay with 24 and 18 points, respectively.

Lindsay had a small lead the first quarter but Collinsville came back closing the score at halftime. The

Knights dominated the second half 40-25 for the win.

"We're still playing different players, we haven't settled on a set five," said Lindsay's coach. "We're still experimenting, looking for that certain group. We haven't come together as a group. We may continue mixing the players depending on the situation."

Other Knights scoring were Wylie Harris 7, Will Thomason 6, Jeff Hermes 4, Travis Huchton 3, Jeff Pearson and Pat Corcoran 2 apiece. Randy Lawson led Collinsville with 29 points.

Lindsay will play at Whitesboro Friday night, then in the Cooke County Holiday Classic next weekend.

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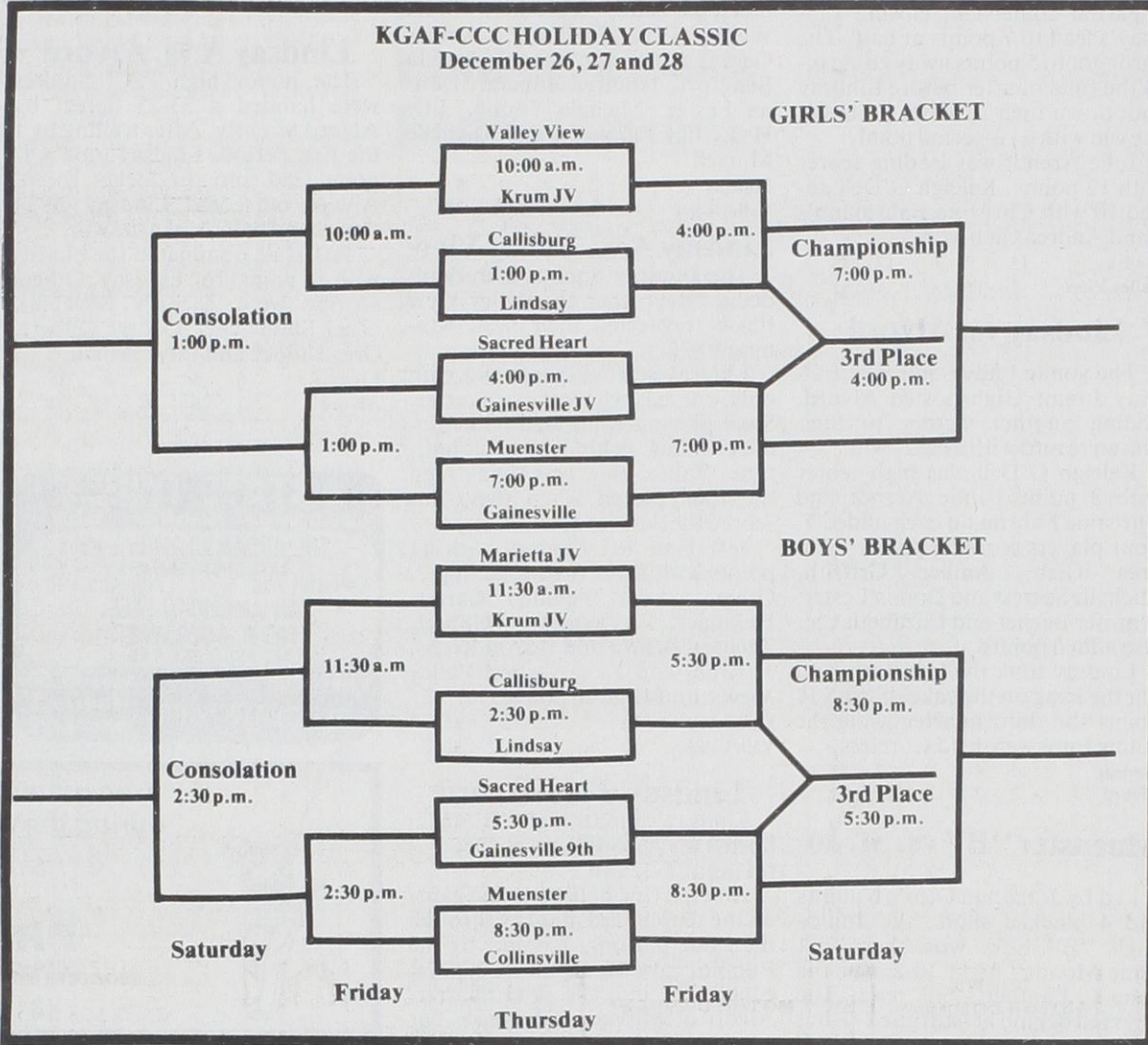
Tigers declawed by Panthers

Sacred Heart hosted Saint Jo in a basketball contest Tuesday night and were handed a 61-40 loss. "Slowly but surely, the Tigers are progressing," said Coach John Nasche. "Lack of height hurts, but we're real scrappy."

After a slow first, the Tigers had Saint Jo "right where we wanted them, they were tired." The Panthers changed their defense the second half, making Sacred Heart turn over the ball 25 times. "We have to eliminate our turnovers - we don't have the offense to overcome them," said Nasche.

Stevan Nasche was high scorer for the Tigers with 24 points. Also adding points were Aaron Berres 6, Kelly Bayer and Joseph Bedowitz 2 each and Mike Gehrig and Mark Flusche with a free throw apiece. Coach Nasche was also impressed with his defense, led by Chris Hess.

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Pd. Pol. Adv. by Jerry Woodlock Campaign Treas., Rt. 1 Box 20 Gainesville, TX 76240

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Pd. Pol. Adv. by Bill Pratt, Rt. 2, Gainesville, TX 76240

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Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Tyldon L. Bewley, Deceased, in Docket No. 13,406, pending in the County Court of Cooke County, Texas, were issued to: Fay Segler, Dolores Bell Hendrix and Lynda Evans.
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Looking back at 1991

Dec. 21, 1990

Muenster Christmas decorations are reminiscent of land of Christmas enchantment as area fulfills hopes of Chamber of Commerce and looks like pages from a storybook. Nativity scene at Muenster Enterprise wins first place in Best Business, third place in Best Religious, and ties for third place for Most Unique. Danny Bayer wins Best Residential. Art Bayer wins Best Rural and Best Religious. Sacred Heart High School wins Most Unique. Joe Kuykendall wins Most Humorous. Ash Street won the Best Street Block. Littlest Angel project helps brighten Christmas in Cooke County. Rosalee Bayer is honored upon retirement as Precinct 4 Commissioner. Muenster's two new Eagle Scouts are Mark Flusche, son of the Harold Flusches, and Douglas Evans, son of Lupe Evans. Weddings: Debbie Fisher and Jack Brittain; Lisa Page Campbell to Brad Wimmer. New arrivals: Taylor Nicole to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Martin; Bradley Dean to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hennigan; Marissa Ann to Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Pels; Ashley Rae to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnson; Dray David Neal to Mr. and Mrs. Greg Dennington; Noel Marie to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Barnhill; Jordanne Elizabeth to Mr. and Mrs. Damian Hellman.



County Commissioners are sworn in.

establishes scholarship for Cooke County College. Telephone Company announces rate reduction. Weddings: Mildred Grewing marries Michael Eugene Maxwell. Vanessa Maria Hill marries Mark Kendon Yosten. Tejay Fleitman is stationed in Saudi Arabia. New arrivals: Geoffrey Evan Betts to Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Betts; Holly Carol to Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Rohmer; William Aaron to Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Roper. Both Lindsay teams are winners in Cooke County Classic Tournament during the holidays. Brad McDaniel of Muenster named to Honorable Mention on All-State Class A football team. Lindsay puts two - Corcoran and Hermes on same team.

Jan. 11, 1991

Ash Street Bridge spanning Brushy Elm Creek to be replaced with construction beginning in July. Detour will be from bridge to 6th Street to Main Street to Hwy. 82. Donna Biffle nominated to presidency of Muenster Memorial Hospital Auxiliary. Kenneth Wiesman is featured in Brown & Root publication. Obituaries: Vernon Clayton dies at age 55; infant Mary Theresa Walterscheid dies at

birth. Weddings: Amy Leigh Henscheid marries Frank Andrew Popp. New arrivals: Mitchell Joseph to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hesse; Nathan Edward to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Winters. Muenster and Lindsay fans "jammed the gym" for Muenster's opening district game between Hornets and Knights. Tigerettes beat Alvord 41-39. Tigers lose to Alvord 58-71. Forestburg Elementary students hold Math-A-Thon for St. Jude's Hospital Research Center, raising \$518.18.

Jan. 18, 1991

Beginning Feb. 1, Ross Fry is new chief of Cooke County Appraisal District. Muenster ISD students shine in recent TAAS test results. Obituaries: V.L. Sparkman dies in Oklahoma; Alfred Neu dies in Lindsay; Catherine Fuhrmann Buck dies in Georgia. Mr. and Mrs. Walt Klement observe golden wedding. Susan Page marries Thomas David Souther. New arrivals: Samuel Ben Sparkman to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sparkman; Erin Tenille to Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Cler. Basketball: MHS teams defeat Forestburg teams. MHS defeats Collinsville teams. Tigerettes sweep wins over Liberty Christian, Prosper and Lexington Academy. Tigers lose to Denton Liberty, Prosper and Lexington Academy.



Hornets at Cooke County Classic.

Jan. 4, 1991

J.D. and Gloria Coker and four children lose home and pickup in fire on Dec. 23. First State Bank collects items for shipment to service people in Middle East. Twenty-five-year-old resident of Forestburg arrested for cattle thefts and farm equipment thefts. Muenster records 50.52 inches of rain in 1990. Frances Spaeth



Muenster basketball.



Young Tigers struggle in tough season.

Hornettes win over Era; Hornets lose to Era. Both Lindsay teams win over Saint Jo.



Newly-formed Hospital Auxiliary elects officers.

Jan. 25, 1991

Newly re-activated Muenster Memorial Hospital Auxiliary elects officers. Ella Smith reaches 100th birthday at St. Richard's Villa. Lindsay High School's Black Knights feel kinship to the 561st "Black Knights" Tactical Squadron in Desert Storm. Catholic Schools Week is Jan. 28-Feb. 1. Bill Lutkenhaus is feted on 80th birthday. Leroy Hermes is Cum Laude graduate of Angelo State University. New baby: Dylan to Laurie and David Flusche Jr. Basketball: Tigerettes 66, Lindsay Lady Knights 44. Tigers 41, Notre Dame of Wichita Falls 76. Hornettes 57, Saint Jo 24. Hornets 83, Collinsville 75. Lindsay girls 75, Era girls 63. Lindsay Knights and Detroit tie at 65-65 - Lindsay wins in overtime. Antique Farm Toy Show slated for Feb. 23.



Ella Smith reaches her 100th birthday.

Feb. 1, 1991

Chamber of Commerce hears Tom Johnson, Economic Developer with Texoma Council of Governments, as guest speaker at annual banquet. He complimented local festivals as great successes, saying "Talking to Muenster about conducting festivals is like talking to God about conducting miracles. Restoration continues at Cooke County Courthouse. Lindsay students also excel at TAAS tests, far exceeding statewide averages. Doctor recruitment committee continues search for doctors for Muenster Hospital.



Remodeling begins in Hoedebeck Building.

Armed robbery occurs at Red River Liquor. Weddings: Kristy Stelzer and Joe Koesler marry on Dec. 31. Jeffrey G. Wimmer graduates at University of North Texas in December in Industrial Technology. Basketball: Era girls 42, Muenster girls 39. Muenster boys 75, Era boys 65. Lindsay girls 44, Muenster girls 24. Lindsay boys 66, Muenster boys 48. Sacred Heart girls 60, Liberty Christian 21. Tigers 50, Brookhollow 70. Knightettes 55, Saint Jo 29. Knights 66, Saint Jo 38.

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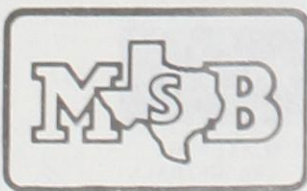
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The Muenster Enterprise Staff

The Muenster Enterprise will not be published next week, December 27!



Muenster Chamber of Commerce officers.

Feb. 8, 1991

Project Yellow Ribbon sponsors parade in support of Desert Storm and servicemen in Persian Gulf War. Ed Schneider retires after 45 years with Cooke County Electric Co-op. Rosston postmaster wins award. Michael Becker wins SHS Geography Bee. Lucas Hartman wins at Muenster Public School Geography Bee. Jamie Hellman wins Spelling Bee at Public School. Five are injured in head-on collision on Fisher Road. Joe Paul Walterscheid, 19, is most seriously injured and is Care-Flited to Harris Hospital in Fort Worth. New arrivals: a son, Jacob Colt Biffle to Brad and Cindy Biffle; a daughter, Kyle Renee to Steve and Dayna Tonnison; a son, Eric Donald to Don and Shawna Schneider. Basketball in TAPPS District IV Tournament: Tigerettes will play Alamo Catholic High at Wichita Falls on Friday, Feb. 8, at 3:15 p.m. Tigers will play at 8:30 p.m. Hornets play Saint Jo in last game of basketball season, with wins. Lindsay wins over Collinsville. Travis L. Whitt dies at Bulcher at 79.

Muenster gets census report for 1990. Muenster's count is 1387, down from 1401 in 1980. Extensive report on success of Germanfest presented by Jack Murdock, treasurer. Obituaries: Mother of Dave Berres dies in Gainesville at 63. Maye Coventry of Saint Jo dies at 81. New arrivals: a daughter, Ana-Karen, to Rogelio and Terry Zavala; twins, Mason and Jason, to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Evans; Angelika to Tracy (T-jay) and Michele Fleitman in Ger-



Accident claims life of Jason Beyer - starts new drug and alcohol awareness in Muenster.

daughter, Kelley Quinn, to Coach and Mrs. Eddie Stock. In Bi-District Basketball, Lindsay Knights 54, Ponder Lions 49. In Area Playoffs, Lindsay 74, Bland Tigers 68. Lindsay advances to Regional at Kilgore. Will play Neches. In Bi-District Basketball Era 56, Alvord 50. In Area Playoffs, Era 59, Celeste 54. Era advances to Regional at Kilgore, will play Avery.



Hospital Health Fair successful.

March 8, 1991

Winds gusting up to 40 miles per hour held 12 area fire departments from noon until past midnight as 6,000 acres burned between Bonita and Saint Jo. Flames reached up to 200 feet in the air. Homes threatened. New 2-way portable radios presented to Muenster police officers by county attorney. Gregg's Chevrolet-Geo, Inc. forced to close dealership as GMAC ends 66-year history in



Desert Storm Rally.

many; Paul to Ken and Evelyn Melvin. VFW Auxiliary begins plans for rally in "Support of Our Troops." Beta Kappa begins plans for Prayer Vigil and for Blood Drive. Basketball: Lindsay Knightettes lose to Ponder 59 to 60 in Bi-District; Era Hornets lose to Slidell 21-60. Muenster FFA and 4-H set Livestock Show for March 3.



Artist decorates Fischer's Meat Market.

Feb. 15, 1991

Cooke County Desert Storm Parade and Rally draws 3,000 in emotional crowd of marchers, whose patriotic spirits soar. Werner Becker Jr., Sister Mary Helen Fuhrmann and Patsy Henry receive awards at Catholic Schools Education Banquet in Fort Worth on Feb. 2. Forestburg boy dies in barn fire. Kelly Ray Matthews, age 28, dies in Lindsay. Alvord rancher fatally shot by two teenagers. NET team will return on March 16 for weekend ministry. New arrivals: Christine Renee to Carla and Tracy Wilson in Germany; Abigail Nicole to Deana and Terry Holbert; KyLeigh to Steve and Pat Zimmerer; Michelle Lynn to Steve and Kim Rohmer; Cory David to Clara and David Reynolds; Kaylyn Ann to Chris and Patricia Moster. Tigerettes lose 51-48 to Trinity Christian of Cedar Hill, closing season in second place. Tigers end season in third place. Lindsay Knightettes are District Girls Champs. Era Hornets are District Boys Champs.



County bridges being replaced.

March 1, 1991

One-car rollover claims life of Jason Beyer at age 18. Beta Kappa sponsors Blood Drive on March 7. Public School Week announces events for March 4-8, including Open House on Tuesday, March 5. Kiwanians induct three new members. Lloyd Reiter is new president of First Bank & Trust of Springtown. Muenster Public Library reports 2470 hours of volunteer work by assistants in 1990. Yearly total circulation was 16,658. July circulation was the highest; December was the lowest. Amanda Wimmer and Kerri Ann Barnhill win DAR essay contest, "What The Bill of Rights Means to Me." Weddings: Sharla Katherine Hermes to Robert Joseph Davis. Lisa Martinez is TWU graduate with degree in Occupational Therapy and minor in Psychiatry; is employed at VA Hospital in Waco. New arrivals: a daughter, Laurel Ann, to Rev. and Mrs. Chuck Frazier; a



Tigerettes battle in District Tournament.

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Muenster. Muenster Hospital Auxiliary plans purchase of cardiac/vital signs monitor for emergency room. Tornado drill plans observance of Texas Severe Weather Awareness Week. Many improvements continue at Sacred Heart Cemetery, directed by Walter and Carol Grewing. Anna Hoenig, 79, dies in New York. New arrival: Beverly Ann to Keith and Collette Bayer. Weddings: Denise Hermes and Dwayne Pagel are married on Feb. 2, 1991. MHS hosts first 1991 track meet.



County gives Muenster radios. Basketball: Lindsay Knights lose 68-50 in Quarterfinals with sharp

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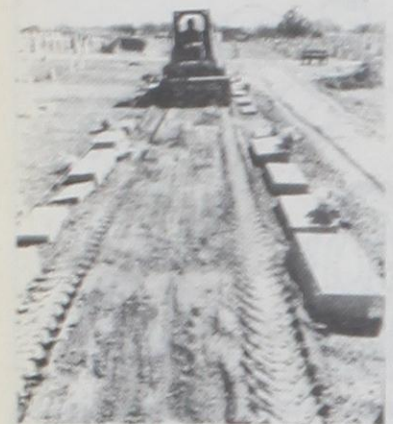
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Graveyard before repairs. Neches team. Era Hornets lose 68-58 against Avery. Muenster 4-H and FFA have 76 entries in stock show on Sunday, March 3; begin preparations for county show. Fischer's Meat Market observes 64th anniversary from March 11 to March 16.

March 15, 1991
Cooke County Commissioners begin negotiations to support



Work continues in cemetery.

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right-of-way purchases on a feeder-road network to reach new bridge spanning Red River. Public hearing draws no opposition to antennas on water tower. Day Care Center, Public School and Sacred Heart School cooperate in tornado drills sponsored by City of Muenster, but many complain that siren is not loud enough. J.J. Dowd and Sharon Fuhrmann named to TAPPS All-State Basketball Team. Muenster city sales tax for January is down 43.74 percent compared to January of last year. Muenster Kiwanis Club members have installed a new flagpole and greatly enlarged flower bed at Mid-Park. Dedication to the troops will follow. Local blood



Workers straighten children's tombstones. ed with premium sale of more than 250 market animals. Jeremy Bayer's steer wins reserve champion and champion county-bred



Kiwanis Club begins work on memorial. drive falls short by 19 pints. More improvements continue at Sacred Heart Cemetery. Craig Voth and Amy Lovett are married in Sacred Heart Church. Peggy Hamric wins House of Representatives seat in Austin. Pearl Evans honored at age 80 with celebration and open house. Lindsay girls basketball

team and Era boys basketball team dominate All-District selections in 34-A. Vicki Walterscheid shines in SMU-Texas Tech game in Southwest Conference Tournament. MHS tracksters bring home seven gold medals and girls championship trophy from Paradise Track Meet. Lindsay Knightettes win third and Knights fifth. MHS hosts Junior High Meet for 19 area schools.

March 22, 1991
Three-day Cooke County Junior Livestock Show is concluded.



MHS Band soloist.

March 29, 1991
Easter schedule dominates weekend. Muenster High School 11th annual Invitational Track Meet plays to "perfect" weather, "great" turnout and "excellent" direction on March 23. Sacred Heart's 5th annual Invitational Relays set for March 29. Board of Trustees sets opening of school for Aug. 19, 1991, to complete semester before Christmas holidays. Groundbreaking held for St. Mary's Centennial Center. Obituaries: Richard Hess dies in Irving at 53; Florence Mossman dies in Lubbock; Anna R. Pelzel



Exchange student shares culture. steer. Cory Schad of Lindsay wins for his reserve champion county-bred steer. MHS will host 59 teams at 11th annual Hornet Invitational Track Meet Saturday. Four candidates announce for position 6 on school trustee election. A power outage plunged



Muenster FFA competes at County Show. large section of Muenster into blackout for about 1 1/2 hours nighttime on March 23, when a cross arm fire causes damage in a freak accident. Dr. Enrique Juarez rejoins medical staff at Muenster Memorial Hospital and opens office in former Dr. Marvin Knight's suite. Richard Hess dies in Irving. Kiwanis VFW and President Bush announce dates that coincide on April 7 for patriotic observances. Weddings: Philip Jerome Klement marries Deborah Michelle Dooley. New arrivals: Brooke Michele to Brett and Julie Walford; Amber Kaye to Danny and Linda Nortman; Brandy Leigh to Richard and Missy Dangelmayr; Rose Kathleen to Dr. and Mrs. Wade Brorsen. Muenster Hornets host first golf tournament of season and win on March 12. Candidates for hospital board are Chuck Bartush Jr. Sharon Felderhoff, Margie Starke and Alphonse Felderhoff.



Tigers compete in local meet.



Poultry - a popular project at County Show.

of Pilot Point dies at 81. Weddings: Connie Sue Klement marries Craig Alan Stoffels. Dawn Knabe and Melissa Bayer honored by Soroptomist Club. Muenster Hospital Auxiliary honors "Doctors' Day" March 30. New arrivals: Christopher Roy to Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Woolman; Kevin Bradley Paynter to Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Paynter, Muenster Hornettes take first place and Lindsay

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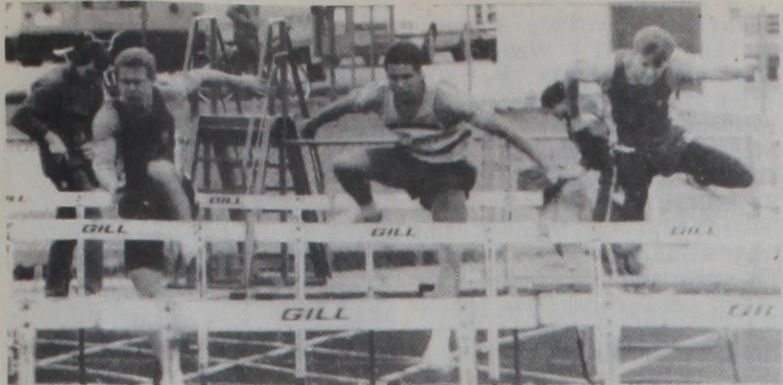
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Clearing hurdles at Muenster's Meet. Takes second in girls' divisions of MHS Invitational Track and Relays. Era boys take first place and Muenster boys take second place. Muenster Enterprise publishes outstanding Spring Lawn and Garden edition.



Drainage repair along Hwy. 82. Weddings: Linda Biffle to H.T. Ellender. Butterfield Stage to present the exuberant musical, "MAME." New arrivals: Jeffrey Adam to Mr. and Mrs. Adam Schniederjan; Shellie Marie to Mr. and Mrs. Tim Herr. Sophie Stofels honored in Lindsay on 95th



4-H'ers continue trash pick-up.



James Bright demonstrates protection used in Desert Storm. Sacred Heart School wins 6-school literary meet. Poster contracted



Father Sebastian adds flowers to church grounds.



Hwy. 82 construction.

April 5, 1991
Muenster has both top spellers in Cooke County Bee: Loretta Reiter at Sacred Heart School, Jamie Hellman at Muenster Public School, runner-up. Long-term lease is in negotiation stage to use property adjoining south side of City Park for recreation space. Germanfest chairman appeals for City Council's help to pay for extra outside-of-park police protection for Germanfest weekend, but is denied. Hospital Auxiliary honors National Hospital Admitting Personnel Week, honoring admitting,

New storm sewer pipe installation will alleviate flooding between Main Street and intersection of Pecan and U.S. Highway 82. Cooke County College trustees approve tuition increase, in face of state funding cutbacks. Obituaries: Dorine Droll dies at 80; Elise Hennigan dies at 90.

birthday. Darlene Hess named national sales manager of crystal importer and distributor ACC. Agnes Seyler honored on 90th birthday. Lindsay ISD wins District 17-A UIL Literary Meet and Muenster ISD takes second as two dominate competition. Muenster Hornettes beat Howe to capture top slot in Sacred Heart Relays. SH Junior High boys take third in Valley View Track Meet. MHS girls golf team places third in Henrietta Tournament. Peach crop looks good so far for 1991, says Fredericksburg horticulturist.

Webelos earn Cub Scouting's Arrow of Light Award. Muenster loses four citizens to death this week: Joseph W. Fleitmann, 83, Steve Moser, 76, Alvina Hellman, 69, Anna Mae Stoffels, 59; and, in Saint Jo, Louise Donnell, mother of Ralph Donnell Jr., dies at age 83. Weddings; Kerry Ann Haverkamp to Michael Dangelmayr; Janie Lynn Schmuacher to Michael Lutkenhaus; Deane Meyer to Brian Bindel. Care-Flite ambulance gives emergency response program at Cooke County Electric Co-op. New arrivals: Jordan Allan to Mr. and Mrs. Brian Wiesman; Joseph Craig to Mr. and Mrs. William Martin; Lauren Diana to Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Haverkamp. SHHS students compete in TAPPS Academic Arts events. Three German students spend Spring Break in Muenster, visiting Walterscheid and Flusche families. Bluebonnet

April 12, 1991
Write-in will be feature of City Council election on May 4. At Muenster ISD, four will compete for one open position. At FHA state meeting, two Muenster Public High School students will be recognized: Hiroko Miura and Kristen Klement. Ribbon cutting held for opening of Dr. Juarez' office in Saint Jo. Edelweiss

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Student Councils hold drug awareness meeting.

Kinderhaus window damaged by high-powered BB gun. Forestburg Volunteer Fire Dept. shows new fire truck at meeting of Montague County Fire Fighters Association. Spokesman for Gainesville Rattlesnake Roundup tells Day Care Center about safety tips. Three



Ben Bindel receives MDA recognition.

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District track action.

for last year was a miserable flop, and Muenster businessmen demanded a new issue. Muenster Memorial Hospital Auxiliary recognizes Laboratory Personnel during National Medical Laboratory Week. Police Chief Helen Tompkins issued request and warning to wayward pedestrians who monopolize middle of the streets. Obituaries: Katie Herr dies at age 86. Weddings: Lawrence Wimmers celebrate golden anniversary. Cub Scouts and Webelos clean up litter along FM 373 for 2 1/2 miles south and pick up 70 city garbage bags with litter consisting of beer boxes, ice sacks, glass bottles, plastic food and drink containers and feed sacks. Students of both schools plan a program to discuss substance abuse. Muenster Public School Junior High Band receives

Division I rating in competition. New babies: Kristan Ann to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hoberer; Alexander Harrison York to Mr. and Mrs. Ed York. Muenster High School begins course planning for 1991-92 school year. Hornets of Muenster and Hornets of Era win District Track Meet. Muenster wins two gold and one bronze medals in UIL District Tennis Meet. Tigerettes place 6th in Tom Landry Relays against 25 teams.

April 26, 1991

Welcome to Germanfest 1991! The 'Fest starts today, Friday, April 26. Sacred Heart Tigerettes win District Track Meet by beating Lubbock Christian by 1 point. Lindsay High School wins Regional UIL Meet at Abilene in academic contest, and Muenster High School finishes second. Super entertainment and election

of directors and lots of prizes will highlight the annual meeting of Cooke County Electric Co-op on April 29. Shelly St. John will be featured singer and Sam Houston will bring homespun humor. Muenster's newest business is named "Crafty Olde German" and is located in the Hoedebeck GMC building; offers rental space to crafters who were screened by

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Womack; Lisa Marie to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Miller. Competing in Regional Track and Field Meet in Abilene, Brad McDaniel wins in shot put and advances to State. Lady Hornets get bronze medal at Regional Meet in Golf. Four from Lindsay advance to State level in Track Meet in Abilene. Kristy Krebs gets gold medal in 400m

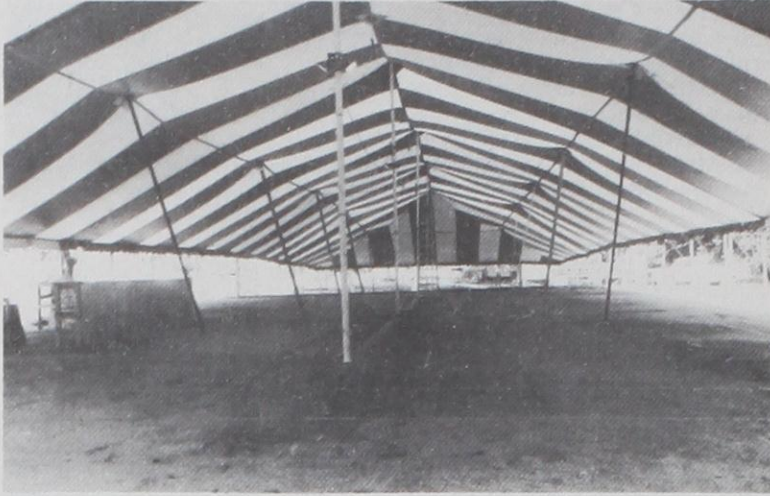
Felderhoff; Benjamin Ryan to Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Walterscheid. Qualifying at MHS for State Track Meet are Roxie Knabe, Tina Klement, Dianne Pagel and Brad McDaniel. Qualifying at Lindsay are Janelle Hellinger, Sherry Hess, Rachelle Sharp and Kristy Krebs. Sacred Heart High School's tennis team advances to State. **Muenster Enterprise** publishes Soil Conservation special issue to observe 50th anniversary of Upper Elm-Red Soil and Water Conservation District. Cyril Walterscheid of Muenster is Zone 3 Outstanding Conservation Farmer. Many family reunions dominate honors for 28 First Communicants in Sacred Heart Parish.



State Track Medalists Roxie Knabe and Tina Klement.

May 17, 1991

Muenster Memorial Hospital sponsors Health Fair as service to community - is also good image



Empty tent awaits thousands of Germanfest visitors.

owners Terri Cagle and Peggy Grewing to meet certain criteria: "quality," "handmade," "unique" and "affordably priced."



Kiwanis Club raises the flags on Mid-Park.

Teens of both schools host drug abuse program. 4-H Club and adult leaders clear trash from Hwy. 82 in special project. Candidates for School Board asked to answer questions on current issues. Father Sebastian Beshoner and Muenster Garden Club observe National and State Arbor Day with planting of six crape myrtle shrubs at Community Center. New baby: Heather Lee Fette to Chuck and Susie Fette. Weddings: Connie Sue Hodges of Dallas to John Alvin Woods of Forestburg. Sacred Heart Tigers finish third in District Track Meet. Twenty-eight children receive First Holy Communion in Sacred Heart Church on April 21.



SH students in TAPPS competition.

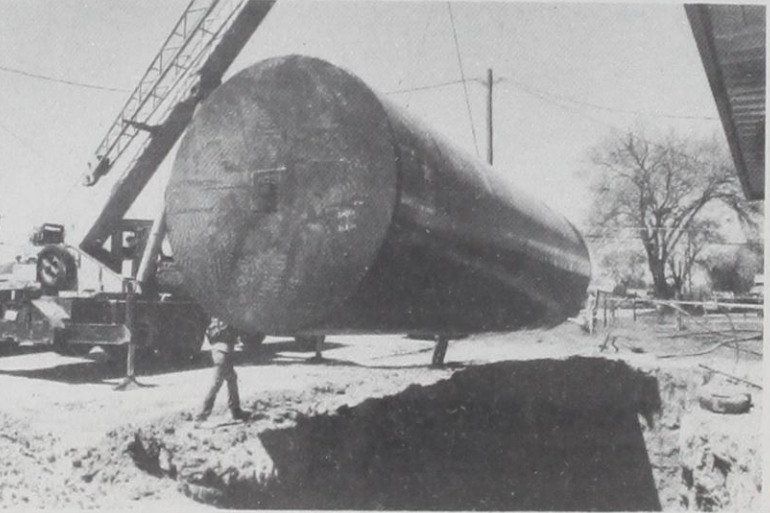
dash and second place in long jump and triple jump. In TAPPS Meet, Sharon Fuhrmann wins gold medal in shot put and discus toss. At TAPPS State Track and Field Competition in Waco, Mark Flusche races to third place in 1600m run and Jody Fleitman gets fourth place in 3200m run. Stevan Nasche gets third in pole vault. In UIL Class 2A competition, Valley View brings home first place in Academics.



MHS UIL State Qualifiers.

May 10, 1991

Mary Ann Grant, widow of the late A.V. Grant, wins write-in race for position 3 on City Council. Winners for Saturday's election were Mary Ted Henscheid, Mrs. Grant and Gilbert Kubis. On the Muenster ISD School Board, Tom Hartman was elected to Place 6.



Neil's Phillips 66 gets new underground gas tanks.

May 3, 1991

Lady Hornets of MHS win Regional 11-A Track and Field Meet and three students will advance to State. Germanfest blessed with favorable, but "iffy," weather. Visitors respond with glee and promise to "come back again next year." Write-in campaign for City Council race gathers momentum at last minute. Other races are uncontested. Six hundred attend annual Cooke County Electric Co-op Meeting.



Muenster Mill introduces new feed.

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TAPPS Regional Qualifiers

academics awards banquet held in Community Center on May 13. MHS sports banquet held next night, May 14, at Community Center. PTO sponsors divided traditional awards banquet of previous years into two separate events to place more emphasis on academic side of school life. Sales tax rebate payments increase for Muenster and Lindsay. Police



Marcia Vogel, Hustlin' Hornet for 1990-91.

chief alerts local residents to rabies menace from skunks roaming city in daytime. Cooke County EMS strives for excellence, on call 24 hours a day with three well-equipped ambulances and a rescue



Cooke County EMS featured.

truck. Fraziers resign at First Baptist Church and return to Tennessee; church will seek a new pastor. TU Electric plans local fix-up, paint-up project at home



Sacred Heart Tigers challenged by Exes.



SH bikers take off.

of Anna Margaret Tempel. New baby: Laura Elaine to Mike and Elaine Davidson. Weddings: Anne Marie Blythe to Dr. Stephen Bryan Little. Subiaco Academy local graduates: Ryan Gehrig of Muenster and Steve Schmitz of Gainesville. Sam Bright promoted by Frost National Bank. Three MHS Hornets combine for sixth place in State Track and Field Meet. One Hornet of MHS competes. Four Lindsay Knightettes earn medals at State Meet. Four SHHS compete in TAPPS Meet and Sharon Fuhrmann gets two gold medals in discus and shot put.

graduate. Therefore, there were 31 in the senior class. Valedictorian is Mindy Graham, salutatorian is Melissa Bayer. MHS seniors enjoy



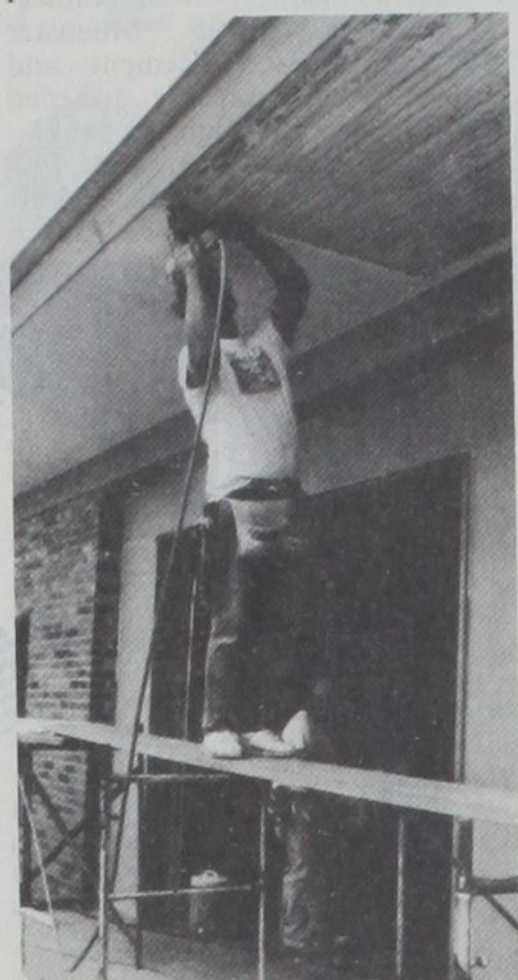
MHS Valedictorian Mindy Graham.



MHS Salutatorian Melissa Bayer.

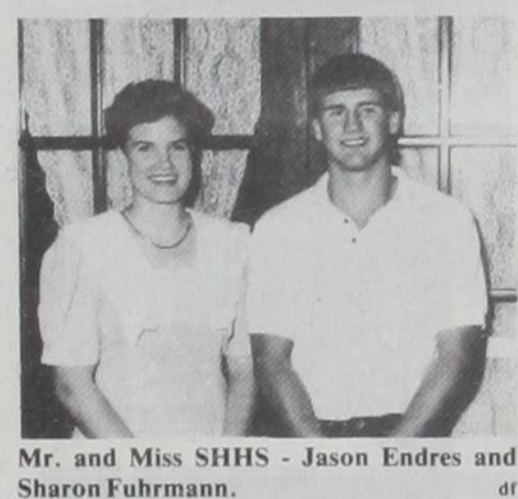
Career Day. Explosion takes life of Kenneth Walterscheid at age 39. Memorial Day held in Muenster with several traditional services. Weddings: Angela Barr and Thomas Kevin Kell are married in candlelight ceremony. Mindy Ray Klement, formerly of Muenster, named to Dean's Honor List at UT of Austin. Darla Bindel is graduate of Cooke County College. Eighteen seniors named in Sacred Heart High School graduation. All Sacred Heart athletes honored at Athletic Awards Banquet on May 16. Field Day events at SHS include bicycle rally at 9 a.m. Muller-Herr reunion draws 120 relatives.

June 7, 1991
Bishop Joseph Delaney speaks to 17 seniors at graduation; valedictorian is Sharon Fuhrmann and salutatorian is Robin Greathouse. City Council told of possibility of new industry in Muenster. Traditional benefit picnic for parish set for Sunday, June 9. Funeral held for Dora Henscheid, age 89. Three separate accidents cause injuries and property loss. Sheriff John Aston of Cooke County is saved by air bag

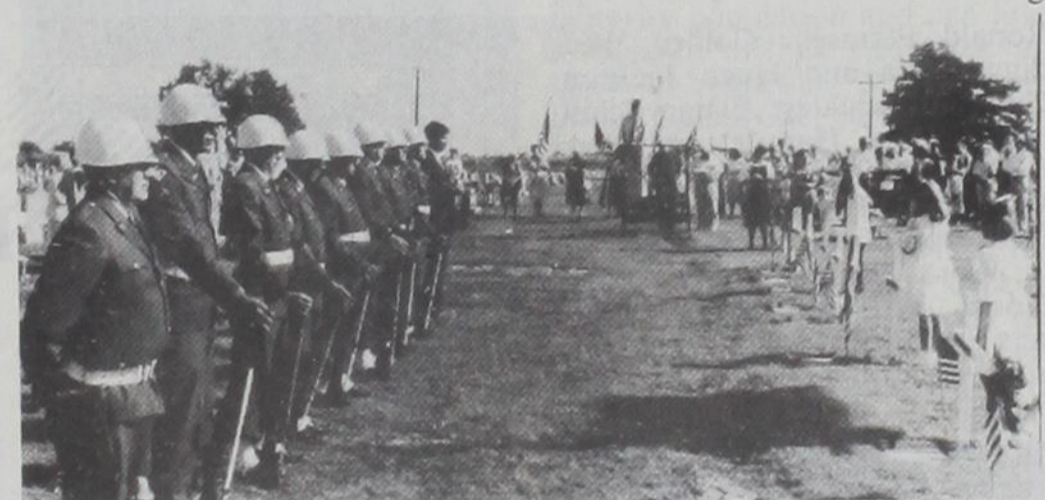


Frybrant remodels outside of warehouse.

May 24, 1991
Cooke County College trustees get news of further cutbacks in current appropriations from the state. Sacred Heart High seniors Sharon Fuhrmann and Jason Endres named Miss and Mr. Sacred



Mr. and Miss SHHS - Jason Endres and Sharon Fuhrmann.



Memorial Day services.

Heart by faculty. SHHS senior class is honored at banquet. Parish sets annual pre-Father's Day Picnic for June 9 at Community Center. Liquor Control Board member and five officers from Cooke County Sheriff's office issue tickets to minors in possession of alcohol and one business establishment for selling to a minor in surprise Friday and Saturday visits. Nine tickets issued - rumors of 40-plus tickets issued are refuted. Recycling must become a way of life, says feature article in Enterprise this week. Two brothers, Lt. Col. Ron J. Fuhrmann and Lt. Col. Mike J. Fuhrmann, are Marine helicopter commanding officers. Six Valley View children are in First Holy Communion class. Louise Gieb Seals dies in Dallas. New arrivals: Cory Alan Beane to Mr. and Mrs. Butch Beane; Justin Tanner Sparkman to Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Sparkman. Russ Linn will be honored on 101st birthday on Saturday, June 8. Thirty-one will take part in commencement exercises at MHS. Twenty-five take part in Lindsay High School commencement exercises. Rita Walterscheid is graduate of Midwestern State University. Stephen Schmitt is Texas A&M University graduate. Lydia Kay Walterscheid is honor graduate of University of Dallas in Irving.

May 31, 1991
Linus Wright, former United States Under Secretary of Education and former Superintendent of Dallas Independent School District, is guest speaker on Friday, May 24, when 29 students graduate at Muenster High School. Two foreign exchange students, also members of the senior class, were included but must return to their homeland to

after collision with grain truck; Rhonda Reiter Silmon swerves to miss dog and is pinned in overturned car on Hwy. 82 east of town; David Fette, in a small pickup, gets cuts and bruises when struck head-on by Suburban, but his vehicle is total loss - a good comparison to "David and Goliath," but this time, Goliath



Robin Greathouse, SH Salutatorian. Sharon Fuhrmann, SH Valedictorian.

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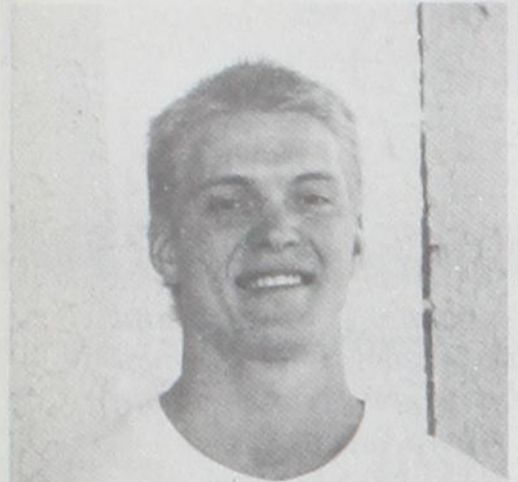
Muenster Chamber of Commerce



Muenster VFD assists in auto accident.

Dieter, 27, of Lindsay, dies in truck accident in Maryland. Henry Sandmann of Valley View helps rescue three men in Lake Ray Roberts boat accident. St. Thomas church of Pilot Point will celebrate 100 years. Stanley Knabe, son of Herb and Edna Knabe, returns from Operation Desert Storm. Weddings: Laura Ann Schilling marries Eric Weems. Msgr. Hubert J. Neu observes 40th year in priesthood. Stewart and Christine Hughes are honored in surprise party on 40th wedding anniversary. Gregory Robert Luke gets Master's degree at Texas A&M University. Darrell and the Shawna Herr win "Yard of the Month" honors for June. New

won. New arrivals: Samuel Wade Brouse to Mr. and Mrs. Monty Brouse; Jared Stephen Flusche to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flusche. College graduations: Sally Stoffels gets degree at Texas A&M University; Cheryl Dennison is graduate of TWU. Ted Heers transfers to Mount Pleasant. Weddings: Kristi Pagel marries Tim Schneider; Jerri Kelley marries Robert Francis Phillips III. Two Muenster Public School teachers honored upon retirement: Carol Dyer for 26 years and Janie Weinzapfel for 30 years.



Mike Pagel joins Enterprise staff for the summer.

June 14, 1991

"Anything of value that you want to keep needs to be locked up, kept out of sight or chained," says Chief of Police Helen Tompkins, as local thefts continue to be reported. Community Service Program is proposed, utilizing misdemeanor offenders sentenced by the county judge to a certain number of hours of community service instead of jail time or a fine. Sunday's traditional parish gathering surpasses many previous years. Mike Pagel, sports writer, joins Enterprise staff. Darrell



Muenster Summer Basketball Camp.



Watching T-ball action from infield.

arrivals: Kyle William Bezner for Pat and Tammy Bezner; Charity Michelle Ray Wimmer to Marlin and Charity Shannon Wimmer; Tanner Keith Herr for Brian and Sylvia Herr. Plans go forward for Turtle Hill Golf Course.

June 21, 1991

Muenster Independent School District must join county Education District. When new state education funding bill takes full effect, MISD will be the county's biggest loser. A member of Congressman Charles Stenholm's staff will be in this area once a month to assist, confer and answer questions. Muenster Memorial Hospital Board considers another rehabilitation center in south wing

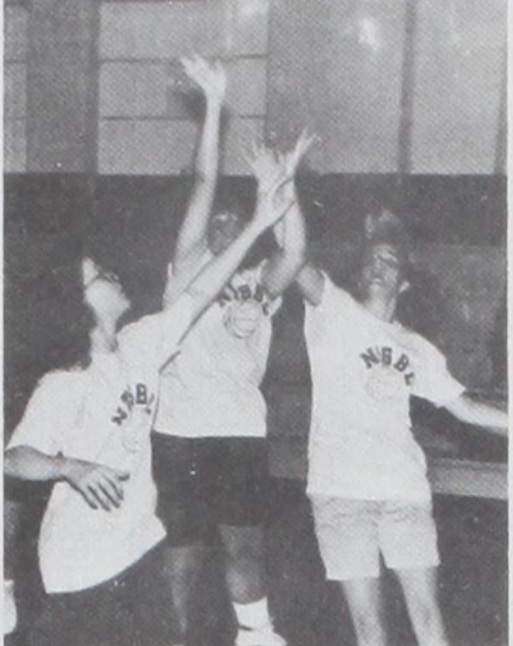


Greg Flusche at bat.



Combining oats - a dusty job.

of hospital. Muenster Public School is getting roof repairs - board extends contracts of Metzler and Trubebach; announces new teachers for '91-'92; approves 48 transfer requests; authorizes liaison to work with parents and sponsors who organize prom each year. St. Thomas Church of Pilot Point will observe its centennial year.

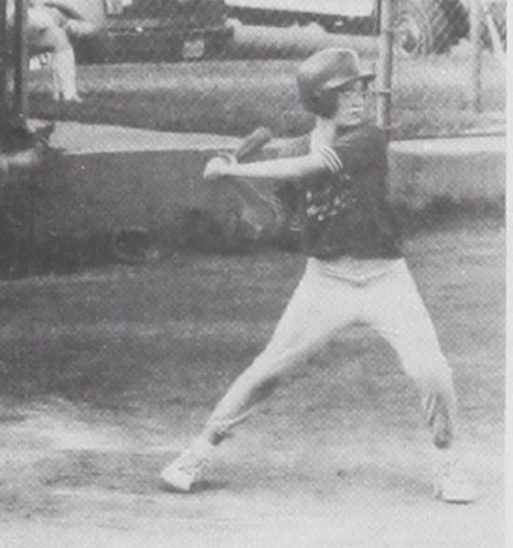


North Texas Summer Basketball League.



Keeping cool.

Mary Katherine Wolf dies at age 85. Weddings: Kimberly Hess to Bret Walterscheid; Llorie Neal to Darren Cheaney; Carla Hoenig to



Summers softball.

Ronald Petrask. Golden Wedding: Dora and Hugh Jackson. College graduates: Elaine Schilling, Danna Hamric and Jerri Kelley Phillips from Texas Woman's University; Patricia Herr from Texas A&M University. Lora Hennigan gets Master Florist certificate. Ryan Gehrig gets Eagle Scout Scholarship from South Central Region Trust Fund. Sr. Mary Lin Koesler gets high



Summers softball.

nursing award from Floresville Memorial Hospital.

June 28, 1991

The Cooke County Appraisal District Board of Directors approves preliminary appraisal budget for fiscal 1992. Cooke County Commissioners Court does not grant tax abatement to new industry - pleads need of more time. Negotiations for county landfill site begin. Texas Highway Dept. officials inform Chamber of Commerce about delay in construction of connecting roads. Two Muenster students, Kristen Klement and Robin Greathouse, are awarded Girl Scouting's highest rank - equal to Eagle Rank for Boy Scouts. Obituaries: James Eckart dies at 76; Doyle Cogburn, mayor

of Lindsay, dies at 61; Ann Walterscheid at 80; Gertrude Fette at 83; Bob Breeding at 43. Scott family of Forestburg will welcome foreign exchange student in August. Vacation Bible School concludes full week of classes. Cooke County Cub Scouts complete week of day camp in Muenster. Muenster Enterprise publishes special Agriculture issue in tab.

July 5, 1991

Muenster and Cooke County will cooperate on paving project involving several streets in northeast section of city. Renewed Materials Industries (RMI) are busy organizing for opening of



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County paves busy roads. Muenster's newest plant. Muenster State Bank ranks 44th in top 100 of U.S. small community banks, and fourth in Texas among the same group. Muenster Memorial Hospital Board of Directors and Administrator respond to concerns of local citizens and decide against drug rehab center for adults. Jim Bleything announces candidacy for Cooke County sheriff. W.J. Luke attains National Accreditation in taxation



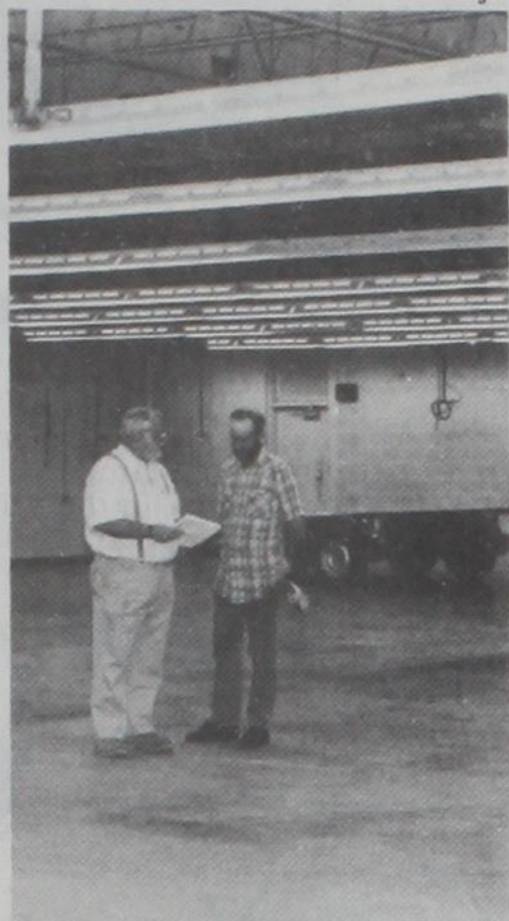
Swim lessons.



Thanks, friends.

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RMI takes over west Valenite building. and is authorized to use the service mark Accredited Tax Advisor. Hiroko Miura is a Texas delegate to National Leadership program of FHA. Greg Schwartz is graduate of UT Medical Branch of Galveston. Weddings: Jan Fleitman marries Brett Marion; Lynn Muller marries Robert Hanson. Muenster Memorial Hospital Auxiliary begins plans for fundraising activities. New arrival: Delanna Renee Rohmer to Mr. and Mrs. Terry Rohmer.



Gus Felderhoff works on Eagle project.

July 12, 1991
Renewed Materials Industries in Muenster gets final tax abatement approval from city, school district and county. Newly-formed Cooke County Education District Board of Trustees elects Gainesville man chairman; Callisburg man vice chairman; and Lindsay man secretary. Each county ISD has one member. Father Sebastian Beshoner, OSB, is transferred to Paris, Ark. and Father Camillus Cooney, OSB, becomes associate pastor at Sacred Heart Church. Muenster Chamber of Commerce luncheon meeting hears overview of controversial school tax situation by Supt. Steve Cooper. More than 400 children benefit from free Red Cross swimming lessons in two-week event. Muenster is only place in Texas still offering instruction free. Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems rents space to install a cellular telephone enhancer on Muenster water tower.. Fire in prairie hay field



Myra VFD assists in hayfield fire.

owned by Loyd Trubenbach is controlled by Myra, Muenster and Lindsay Volunteer Fire Departments. Obituaries: Frank H. Stoffels dies at 64; Erle D. Chastain dies at 59. Lindsay Centennial nears and preparations shift gears. Weddings: Cara Lee Fraser marries Kary Phillips; Anne Felderhoff marries Neil Hesse; Rhonda Bayer marries Curtis Pagel. Herbert Meurers celebrate 60th wedding anniversary. Elaine Schilling earns Dental Hygiene license; will enter Baylor College of Dentistry on Sept. 3. New arrivals: Meagan Renee to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Martin; Michelle Anastasia to Mr. and Mrs. William Schmidkofer; Rose Catherine to Mr. and Mrs. John Hermes; Stacie Danielle to Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Knabe; Samantha Michelle to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Metzler.



Craig Monday sworn in as Jaycee president.



Ben Bindel, Jaycees' Outstanding Citizen.

July 19, 1991
Ben Bindel receives Outstanding Citizen of 1991 honor at annual Jaycee Banquet and Craig Monday is installed as 1991-92 president. Cooke County Appraisal District buys new computer system for more than \$121,000. Forestburg will have annual Watermelon Festival on Aug. 17. Cooke County College certifies 1991 is largest class in 67-year history. Weddings: Lydia Walterscheid marries Drew Springer; Karla Endres marries Dean R. Havran. Obituaries: Patsy Haverkamp Flores dies in Wichita Falls; JoAnna Wilde dies in Gainesville. New arrival: Tyler Joseph Hess to Stanley and Tonya Hess. Two foreign exchange students, Hiroko Miura of Japan and Rajko Jelen of Germany, return to their homes after spending academic year at MHS in homes of host families. Hornet cheerleaders recognized for athletic skills and dedication at National Cheerleaders Assoc. Camp at UNT of Denton.



Radio tower mounted on water tower.




Addition to the Nasche family.

July 26, 1991
Arsonists start 16 fires, dry windy conditions bode trouble; no suspects, who probably escaped to the north. Absentee voting starts for two elections scheduled for Aug. 10. Muenster ISD budget hinges on Texas Legislature. Sacred Heart School Board elects officers and Tom Swirczynski is new president. Rosston holds Sam Bass Pioneer Day on Saturday,




Riders at Rosston's Sam Bass Day. Vacation Bible School continues nightly throughout week. Lindsay ISD plans to add eight new classrooms. Valley View School Board will add four-hour Saturday day for students needing special help, or have attendance deficiencies, or have behavior pro-

blems or have not completed assignments. Christopher Joseph Fette appointed vice-president and general manager of Dover Chemical Corporation. He is son of Muenster native, Capt. Christopher J. Fette. New arrivals: Shelby Nicole to Mr. and



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Scott Stalder remodels the old Dutchman and opens The Lindsay House.

Mrs. Melvin Hess; Jennifer Lea to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thacker; Emily Ann to Mr. and Mrs. Craig Stoffels; Trey Joseph to Mr. and Mrs. Joey Lancaster. Weddings: Katherine Jemay Hacker marries Vernon R. Keen; Sandra Ann Walterscheid marries Kevin Joe Reeves. The 1991 Old Ladies Softball League has first game Tuesday, July 30, and Red team defeats Pink team 17-15. Lindsay Jaycees have second annual 2-man scramble golf tournament on July 21, won by John Woods and Mack Metzler. NTSBL championship won by Black team over Gray team in 28-24 victory. The CCC softball team will participate in USSSA State Tournament in the Metroplex. Red boys' team in NTSBL is in championship victory 54-48 over Gray boys' team.

Aug. 9, 1991
Election scheduled for Aug. 10 causes more confusion than any in recent years. All voters must go to two polling places to cast their votes. Muenster Madness Bike Rally on Aug. 17 will benefit Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, for fourth successive year. Ash Street bridge will be constructed; city pays its 20 percent share up front as required by law and Highway Dept. will pay its 80 percent; however, previously estimated price has doubled. City Council



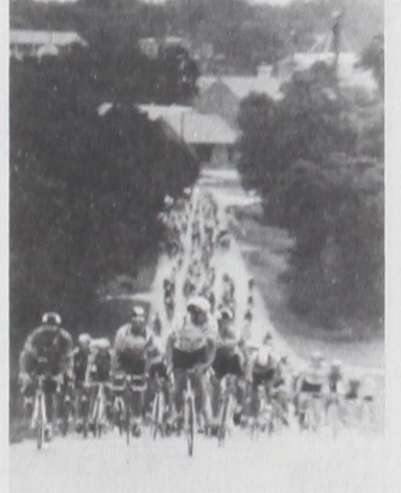
Workers complete Hwy. 82 repairs. Also hears complaints about grass lawns at City Park. U.S. Congressman Dick Arme is present for Town Hall meeting in Gainesville. Muenster Volunteer Fire Dept. will sponsor annual popular barbecue supper on Aug. 17 to increase funds for purchase of a new rural fire truck. The 1961 model rural fire truck now in use is aging and needs many pieces replaced. Gainesville Chamber of

West," which is sponsored by Community Revitalization, Inc. and Cooke County Arts Council, Inc. on three days. City employees are replacing 280 feet of cast iron water line with PVC pipe after leak causes street damage on Sixth Street. Muenster gets greatest increase in Cooke County over last year in property values, according to certified tax roll released by Tax Appraisal District. Phillip Slater elected to statewide board of directors of the Association of Texas Electric Cooperatives. The former Dutchman Restaurant has been renamed "The Lindsay House" and the former Cat's Meow has been renamed "The North Forty," and both will re-open for business. David Bright family wins August "Yard of the Month" award. Obituary: Doris Watson, mother of Sue Haverkamp, dies at 81. Weddings: Carmen Schmitz marries Bradley Gene Crowsey; Jamie Cox marries Toby James Kubis. Family honors Lloyd Preschers on silver anniversary. New arrivals: Abe Clement Fuhrmann to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Fuhrmann; Kirk Michael to Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Felderhoff. Dave Campbell's 1991 Texas Football Magazine picks Muenster Hornets, Regional III leader, high up in pre-season Top 10. He also picks Sacred Heart Tigers as top team in TAPPS District 2. Old Ladies Softball League in Muenster has excellent hitting, scoring and fielding game and stars begin to come front and center, for both Blue and Yellow teams, although Yellow wins 29-6.



First Baptist Church Vacation Bible School.

Aug. 16, 1991
Weekend elections draw only very small crowds. Voters plead confusion; only 18 percent voter participation noted. MISD resumes classes Aug. 19, 1991 with added faculty members and enlarged curriculum. Twenty-two report to Coach John Nasche as two-a-days begin for football. Obituaries: Tillie Schoech dies at age 77; Margaret Hellman Baker dies at 79; Thelma LeFevre dies at 86. Dr. Antonetti and Herman Carroll will accompany a team of surgeons, nurses, technicians and anesthesiologists to Catija, Mexico on mission of mercy to perform corrective surgeries, primarily on children. Albert and Wilda Stoffels observe golden wedding. Graduates: Kent Wolf gets Master's degree in Industrial Technology at UNT in Denton; Drue Bynum graduates at West Point on June 1 and is commissioned Second Lieutenant. President George Bush is commencement speaker. Weddings: Larry Fleitman and Rachel Yvonne Hurst marry in Texarkana; Tina Rose Wimmer marries Forrest E. Moore in Oklahoma. Twelve Boy Scouts experience two weeks at Camp Philmont in Cimmaron, New Mexico. Football teams begin two-a-days. New arrivals: Joshua August Hess to Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hess; Madelyn Rae Voth to Mr. and Mrs. Craig Voth; Chase Allen Fette to Mr. and Mrs. Tony Fette; Amanda Camille to Mr. and Mrs. Giles Hundt.



Muenster Madness on Hess Hill.

Aug. 23, 1991
Volunteers are prominent in success of crowded weekend activities, including Firemen's Barbecue, Muenster Madness Bike Rally, Cutting Horse Competition and Watermelon Festival. Congressman Charles Stenholm will visit in Muenster on Wednesday, Aug. 28, 2:30-3:30 p.m. Antique Farm Tractor and Equipment Show set for Aug. 24-25. Sacred Heart School opens on Aug. 26. Fourth Annual Ranch Rodeo, sponsored by Cooke County Young Farmers and Ranchers, will be held in Saint Jo Aug. 23-24. Obituaries: Pauline Hellman dies at 79; Mrs. W. W. Otto dies at 89; Ferd Haverkamp dies of cancer at age 49. At Muenster High School, the Industrial Arts class will construct a portable classroom facility as one of its projects in 1991-92 - giving



Future cheerleaders at Mini-Camp.

hands-on experience to students and alleviating overcrowding in the Wood Shop area. Weddings: Jeannene Walterscheid marries Deano Bayer; Becky Pelzel weds Glen Stogsdill. Mark Miller gets Masters degree at TCU in Finance. Shari Voth opens Mane Attractions Beauty Salon in new building on North Mesquite Street. Scottish Young Farmer visits in Cooke County. Football: Hornets will scrimmage the Perrin-Whitt Pirates Friday; Tigers will scrimmage Notre Dame of Wichita Falls Friday; Lindsay Knights will meet Jacksboro Tigers Friday in first scrimmage of season. Jack and Jewel Dill win first "Outstanding Citizen Award" in Forestburg.

Aug. 30, 1991
U.S. Congressman Charles Stenholm meets with Muenster constituents in Town Hall meeting on Aug. 28. Questions and answers cover wide range of interests. City Council holds special meeting on budget amendments and City Park. St. Mary's Church and School of Gainesville observe centennial year. United Way campaign opens on September 6. Ryan Gehrig earns prestigious Eagle Rank in Boy Scouts. Sixth Annual Antique Machinery Show held in Lindsay on Aug. 24-25. Obituary: Bonnie Cheaney dies in Gainesville at 64. Golden wedding observed by Wilfred and Polly Reiter. New arrival: Cassey Rose to Mr. and Mrs. Darryl Hinkle. Bishop Joseph P. Delaney celebrates Mass here for CCD on Sept. 4. RENEW program in Sacred Heart Parish will open its third season. Football: Muenster Hornets lose in rough scrimmage with Perrin; Tigers scrimmage Notre Dame; Lindsay Knights scrimmage Jacksboro.

Sept. 6, 1991
Muenster Hospital welcomes Alfred R. Antonetti, M.D., P.A., F.A.C.S. of Dallas for consultation and surgery. Representatives of Muenster Hospital spend week in Catija, Mexico on mission of mercy, joining a team of professionals and performing more than 70 surgeries on patients who wouldn't otherwise receive it. Camp Howze celebration set for Sept. 12-14. Hospital Auxiliary plans for benefit dance Oct. 12. Ryan Gehrig honored as Muenster's newest Eagle Scout. Two foreign exchange students are enrolled at Muenster High School, one from Japan, the other from Spain. Myra Volunteer Fire Department sponsors annual barbecue to benefit fund. The Talent Identification Program (TIP), sponsored by Duke University, honors 11 seventh graders at Sacred Heart School. The

Manufacturing Technique class at MHS is constructing a 24'x45' classroom for the Woodshop and Drafting courses, building "from the ground up." Amy Henscheid Popp graduates from TWU on

Aug. 10 with Bachelor of Science degree in Education and minor in English. Rene Stelzer opens "A Scribe to Greatness" in Denton. New arrival: Michael Allen Rohmer to Mr. and Mrs. Chris



Work continues on Ash Street bridge.

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Rohmer. Football: Lindsay scrimmages Callisburg, and prepares for Windthorst; Tigers scrimmage Alvord and prepare for Era; Muenster Hornets prepare for Callisburg. Muenster Cross Country girls' team opens season at Keller.

Sept. 13, 1991
Cooke County Commissioners approve a \$6.6 million budget for fiscal 1992, grant no pay raises, may study to reclassify county job positions. Muenster City Council adopts new budget, refuses pay raise requests, considers codification of city ordinances. Cooke County United Way starts campaign Sept. 6. Sacred Heart School holds Academic Awards program to honor "A" and "B" Honor Roll students. Ric Williamson, Texas Representative, is speaker at Chamber of Commerce Tuesday luncheon at The Center. Cooke County Appraisal District will serve as administrator of Cooke County Education District. Sacred Heart Trust Fund hosts dinner attended by 168. Obituaries: Leo Magee dies at 86; Arthur Bauer dies at 72. Weddings: Laura Jean Hess marries Joe Pangel; Patricia Owens marries Walter Hoening. Violet and Charlie Stelzer celebrate 65th wedding anniversary. Evelyn Gail and Henry Luebbert celebrate 55th wedding anniversary. Kelly Schilling is graduate of Texas A&M University. Catholic State League Convention set for Sept. 21-22. New arrival: Sara Morgan McKenzie to Susan and Brad McKenzie. Muenster Memorial Hospital Auxiliary honors the housekeeping staff of Muenster Hospital during Hospital Environmental Services Week. Old Theatre Mall plans to turn upper floor into Antique Mall and advertises space for rent. Cross Country entries compete at Denton Meet, with 40 schools represented and Muenster girls placing third and Individual Medalist Tina Klement taking first place in 1A school division. Football: Sacred Heart Tigers and Era tie at 22 each; Muenster Hornets 36, Callisburg 19; Lindsay Knights 14, Windthorst 10; Sacred Heart JV 8, Era JV 14; Muenster JV 14, Callisburg JV 6. Beta Kappa Sorority hears guest speaker on organ transplants. Sondra Hughes Mohon makes perfect score on TASP Test for college entrance at CCC, first time in history of this college.

Sept. 20, 1991
Cooke County Commissioners approve new boundary lines for four county precincts. Precincts 3 and 4 will add additional residents, but lose parts of their original areas. Cooke County celebrates Camp Howze Days. Home-School Society and Student Council honor academic achievers at Sacred Heart School. Pat Dennis & Associates accounting firm sold to Duane Knabe - Pat moves to job at North Dallas church. Debbie Hess named to chairmanship of Cooke County Republican Party. Muenster Garden Center honored by Stihl Company for sales and service. Scott and Claudia Stalder open "The Lindsay House" in former Dutchman location. Muenster ISD will host second annual Cross Country Meet on Saturday, Sept. 21, at Turtle Hill Ranch. Obituaries: Catherine Hermes dies at home at age 86; Elfreda Dangelmayr dies in hospital following long illness at age 81. Weddings: Patricia Herr marries R. Todd Davis; Joe Yosten and Michelle Huddleston marry in Valley View; Lisa Hennigan marries Darrell Gary Hess. Leslie Hess is TWU graduate in Dental Hygiene. New arrival: Chelsea Anne Felderhoff to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Felderhoff. Graduates of both schools hold 40th reunion. Football: Muenster Hornets 39, S&S Rams 0; SHHS Tigers 6, Windthorst 15; Lindsay Knights 19, Chico 20.

Sept. 27, 1991
Homecoming Week is set for Oct. 5 at Sacred Heart School. Homecoming King will be crowned Friday, Oct. 4, at 5 p.m. Homecoming Queen will be announced Saturday night, preceding the Tigers-Lindsay Knight game. Removal of old Ash Street Bridge over Brushy Elm Creek makes way for new one. Bridge will be moved to replace a condemned span northwest of Muenster. New bridge should be ready in 60 days. Lindsay Jaycees and Cooke County Fair Board co-sponsor Oktoberfest on Oct. 6. Muenster Chamber of Commerce to sponsor Oktoberfest celebration on Oct. 19. New St. Mary's Centennial Center of Gainesville to be dedicated Sunday, Sept. 29, preceded by full weekend of planned events and activities. Cooke County Commissioners set county tax rate at 37 cents per \$100 of assessed property value. Gainesville Memorial Hospital plans Health and Safety Fair on Sept. 28. Bill Pratt will run for sheriff. Muenster's local sales tax rebate check drops by 50 percent. Kenneth Walterscheid Jr. earns

Boy Scouting's Vigil Honor from Order of the Arrow. MPS and SHS each receive a computer, a monitor and a printer from Muenster merchants through massive collection of sales receipts. Obituaries: Bill Graham dies in Gainesville at 67; Julius F. Loerwald dies at 80 in VA Hospital of Dallas. Muenster Hospital Auxiliary honors Food Service employees and kitchen staff during special week, Sept. 22-28. New arrival: John Jacob for Mr. and Mrs. Frank West. Weddings: Sondra Hess marries Jeff Fisher; in California, Donna Kay Hoedebeck marries Charles Walker Jr. Sam and Inez Sparkman celebrate golden wedding on Sept. 21, 1991. Hoedebeck GMC and Gene and Elsie Hoedebeck in Muenster announce closing of business after 41 years. Will retire to their farm. Chad Fleitman graduates at ITT Technical Institute in Arlington with Associate degree in Applied Science in Electronic Engineering Technology. Football: Tigers 14, Collinsville 40; Hornets 24, Bryson 0; Lindsay Knights 14, Whitewright 28.

Second Annual Cross Country Meet at Turtle Hill Ranch north of Muenster hosts 38 schools from 1A to 5A. Tina Klement clocks fastest time and is first place individualist.

Oct. 4, 1991
Homecoming at MHS is set for Oct. 11. Homecoming Queen candidates have been announced; Queen will be crowned when the Hornets play Collinsville. Two physicians have signed Letters of Intent with Muenster Memorial Hospital, a general practitioner and a urologist. Industrial Foundation begins Fund Drive. Accident on four-wheeler sends Kurt Hermes to Harris Hospital. Electrical fire at AMPI plant is nipped by almost miraculous succession of events and extensive damage is



Sacred Heart's Queen's Court.



Muenster Royalty.

avoided. Antique car owned by Doc Reinart, age 67, and restored by Mitch Rains, age 28, is winner of four major trophies and is feature written by Janet Felderhoff. Two churches here establish Social Concerns Committee. Wedding: Shari Voth marries Shawn Flusche. Golden weddings: Albert A. and Frances Knabe observe 50th anniversary; Leo and Mitzi Hess celebrate 50th in Yakima, Washington. Margaret Hartman is honored on her 85th birthday. Linda Vogel, a 12-year employee, is honored by Muenster Memorial Hospital Auxiliary during Hospital Purchasing and Materials Week. New arrivals: Scott Andrew to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Endres; triplets, Natalie Alexis, Christopher Ryan and Steven Lewis to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Valliere; Jacob Michael to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Harpel. "Yard of the Month" honors go to Allen and Martha Sicking for September. Football: Hornets stay on top, 44, to defeat Gunter 0; Sacred Heart Tigers lose to Saint Jo, 6-0; Lindsay Knights lose to Nocona, 35-0. Muenster High Cross Country competes at SMU Meet and places 9th. Several major colleges also sent teams. Tina Klement places 4th out of 143 runners.

Oct. 11, 1991
Planning for Oktoberfest nears completion; excitement and anticipation promise a great crowd pleaser; business community looks forward to big attendance of out-of-town and local shoppers; athletic contests have big appeal. Lisa Schilling is Sacred Heart High School Homecoming Queen; named on Oct. 4. Garbage collection increased rates and change of days presented to Muenster City Council by Texas Waste Management, Inc. Muenster Memorial Hospital Auxiliary's Dance set for Oct. 12. MHS Homecoming tonight, Hornet game is with Collinsville, and Football Homecoming Queen will be crowned. Wedding: Marcy Jeanne Nichols marries John Albert Rumelhart, grandson of Margaret Fisher. Lindsay homecoming Queen will be revealed at ceremonies on Knight Field tonight, Oct. 11. New arrivals: Twins for Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Kell, Ashleigh Shayne and Shelby Nicole, are granddaughters of Louise and Johnny Fisher; Virginia (Ginger) for Mr. and Mrs. John Bartush; Kody Joseph for Mr. and Mrs. Karl Klement. Football: Hornets 8, Nocona 28; Lindsay Knights 16, Sacred Heart 6.

Lawrence Walsh, joins Muenster Memorial Hospital staff. KC Good Neighbor award will be event of Sunday, Oct. 27. Obituary: Daisy Thompson dies here at age 86. Muenster Memorial Hospital Auxiliary honors Pharmacy staff and technician. Muenster ISD participates in Cooke County Adopt-A-Deputy program. Kiwanis Student of the Month honors two from both schools:



Hospital Auxiliary brings back the '50s.

Oct. 18, 1991
Oktoberfest schedule will continue from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., all on Main Street, downtown Muenster, with all-day-long entertainment and events. Jami Flusche crowned Homecoming Queen at Muenster High School. Susie Arendt is Lindsay's Homecoming Queen. Charlene Lutkenhaus of Lindsay and Sean Herbold are Cooke County's Gold Star Award winners. Loyd Trubenbach's black mare, Doc's Tee Coyote, is world champion among novice cutting horses in American Cutting Horse Association World Finals in Will Rogers Coliseum on Sept. 25-29. Muenster Memorial Hospital Auxiliary rejoices over successful benefit dance and is able to make last payment on the vital signs monitor purchased for the Emergency Room. Obituary: Oran Edelen dies in Oklahoma - is former resident. Work continues on street repair and repaving. Curtis J. Klement is admitted to partnership of Coopers & Lybrand. New arrivals: Trenton Wayne to Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Myers; Stephanie Nicole to Mr. and Mrs. Brian Bindel; Christina Pauline to Mr. and Mrs. Don Wiese. Football: Muenster Hornets 14, Collinsville 0; SHHS Tigers 8, Cistercian 36; Lindsay Knights 24, Jesuit JV 8. Muenster High Cross Country competes at Lake Dallas, prepares for District.



Duane Knabe opens accounting business.

Oct. 25, 1991
Oktoberfest is real crowd pleaser, businessman pleaser and participant pleaser. Another general practitioner, Dr.



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HOLIDAY GREETINGS

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Danny Knight
Commissioner Precinct 1

Jerry Lewis
Commissioner Precinct 3

Virgil Hess
Commissioner Precinct 4

D. August Boto
County Attorney

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Dorothy Smith
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Precinct 1 - Place 2

Bill Freeman
Justice of the Peace
Precinct 1 - Place 1

Phil Adams
District Attorney

Jerry W. Woodlock
235th District Judge

John Aston
County Sheriff

Janet Johnson
County Treasurer



Crafty Olde German opens.



John Bartush Jr. wins North Texas Junior High Independent Junior High League Cross Country Championship. Four Fuhrmann brothers of Lindsay win Goodyear National Association of Conservation Districts 1991 award for outstanding soil stewardship. New arrivals: Keia LaRue to Mr. and Mrs. Brian Strother; Jackie Christine to Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Klement; Austin John to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reiter; Derek Wayne to Mr. and Mrs. Weldon "Butch" Schmidkofer.

Nov. 1, 1991

County Judge Jim Robertson resigns post to enter private legal practice - has served since 1981. Herman Carroll receives KC Good Neighbor Award for 1991. Rev. Andy Cherry returns to serve Muenster First Baptist Church as pastor. Home of aged Theo Miller is vandalized during Saturday night unauthorized party - police receive report of large number of cars on property and investigate about 10:30 p.m., taking names of more than 80 partying people - police report extensive destruction. Muenster United Way has not reached goal, but not all envelopes have been turned in. Muenster Chamber of Commerce sets Nov. 30 for Christmas Parade, with Daryl Ferber as



Tina Klement led Lady Hornets to Cross Country Championship. jh

parade chairman. Sacred Heart Parish sets Nov. 24 for pre-Thanksgiving dinner, bazaar benefit picnic. Repair work on Main St. in front of City Hall is delayed by rains, says supervisor of Texas Transportation Department. Ricky Walterscheid is member of NET that will give its fourth retreat in Muenster on Nov. 12-14. Wedding: Kellye Ann Lehman marries Jimmy David Beavers. Elsie Fuhrman honored on 97th birthday. Football: Sacred Heart Tigers 15, Tyler Street 23; Muenster Hornets game with Saint Jo halted because of lightning, as Hornets lead 32-0; Lindsay Knights 27, Era 0. District Cross Country held in Muenster with 80 runners and numerous junior varsity athletes in competition. Muenster takes championship for fourth consecutive year. Tina Klement earns gold medal for third consecutive year.



Tigers get first victory. jh

Nov. 8, 1991

Cooke County has new County Judge appointed to succeed Jim Robertson, who resigned to open a private law practice. The new judge is Ray B. Russell, a former longtime Dallas Fire Dept. captain, now a resident of Era. A confession to Montague and Cooke County officers clears several theft cases, but conviction sets prison sentence and fine for 26-year-old Forestburg man. MHS Vocational Agriculture request to build livestock pens on school property is put on hold. Three minors caught setting Halloween fires, potentially arson and felony. Restitution is required, says Chief of Police Thompkins. Obituary: Joseph F. Starke Jr. dies at 67, in Wichita Falls. Weddings: Karri Lynn Ramsey marries Mark Christian Rigsby; Karen Renee Mendenhall marries Rodney Edward Berend; Rochelle Rae (Shelly) Krahl marries James Gregory Burris. American Red Cross Bloodmobile collects 76 units in drive here on Oct. 30. Keith Klement is recognized as outstanding senior at Texas Tech in Range and Wildlife Dept. of the University. Muenster Memorial Hospital Auxiliary salutes Radiology Dept. of Muenster Memorial Hospital and honors Radiology Technicians, Kay Bynum and Tom Hesse. New arrivals: Isaac John to Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Davis; Andi Jae to Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Wisdom; Corey Rae to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Sicking. Christmas Lighting Contest sponsored by Chamber of Commerce to offer prizes paid with Muenster Marks. Football: Muenster Hornets 28, Era 0, making Muenster Hornets District Champions; Sacred Heart Tigers 12, Notre Dame 6, Tigers will advance to playoffs; Lindsay Knights 14 Collinsville 16.



Grace Sutton opens Alpine Lace Tea Room. jh

Nov. 15, 1991

Dr. Lawrence J. Walsh opens office for practice of Family Medicine, located in the new south wing section of Muenster Memorial Hospital. Cooke County readies for new 9-1-1 emergency system to go on line in January; however, Muenster and Valley View residents already have access to the 9-1-1 number. Grace Sutton opens Alpine Lace Tea Room with great response from lunch customers on Wednesday, Nov. 13. Location adjoins Crafty Olde German in Hoedebeck Building. Muenster will welcome Christmas season with three-day Christkindlmarkt. "Holiday Magic" booth at Community Center pre-Thanksgiving benefit dinner and bazaar will offer quality and beauty in variety of handmade items. Herbie Knabe, fire chief, warns of hazards created by burning in abundant vegetation or on windy days. The Muenster area has noted an unusual increase in Brown Recluse spiders - more than a half-dozen patients have been treated at Muenster Memorial Hospital for spider bites and some have been severe, requiring hospitalization. Christmas holiday season is beginning with Handel's "Messiah" on Dec. 1; "The Story of THE Star" at Cooke County College Planetarium from Nov. 19 to Dec. 10; FFA sells Christmas gift summer sausage; many businesses hold "Open House" to encourage shoppers. Obituary: Geraldine Reedy, mother of Barbara Luke, dies at age 75. New arrivals: John Cody to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Penny; Tyler Anthony to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pagel; Levi Anthony to Mr. and Mrs. Karl Trubenbach. Cromeens win at Oklahoma City Quarter Horse Show by entering 4-year-old sorrel mare, "Sally Silly." Football: SH Tigers lose second district game to Lubbock Christian, 30-8; Lindsay Knights 36, Saint Jo 18; Muenster Hornets prepare for Bi-District against Coolidge, with game to be played in Burleson. Students of Alton Ladd win second place trophies and belt promotions by Master Choi at Martial Arts Tae Kwon Do event. Hornets place second in Class A Region II Cross Country Meet; will compete at Georgetown in State competition on Nov. 16.

FAMILY MEDICINE



Family Medicine Clinic opens. df

Nov. 22, 1991

Fifteen arrested in Cooke County drug bust, one man is from Muenster. CCAD tax statements are being mailed out more than a month late. Roach Video and Photography is Muenster's newest business, family owned by Sheila, Randy, Nell and Winston Roach. State Representative Ric Williamson (D-Weatherford) opens office on North Main Street. Food drive is sponsored by MISD Student



Roach Family takes over local studio. jh

Council, during National Education Week. "Sweet Shop" and "Christmas Magic" featured at Parish Picnic Sunday, employing new schedule for 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tina Klement ends high school track career third in state. Dr. Lawrence Walsh holds Open House in south hospital annex. Cooke County sales tax rebates are up, but Muenster's is down. Lindsay ISD will construct seven-classroom addition in 1992. Handel's "Messiah" will be performed in Sacred Heart Church in Muenster on Sunday, Dec. 1. United Way goal of \$11,000 is

within reach. All area health care givers will be honored at 10:30 Mass on Thanksgiving Day in Sacred Heart Church. Christmas Parade and Christkindlmarkt scheduled for Nov. 30 and weekend of Nov. 29, 30 and Dec. 1, respectively. New arrival: Ryan Matthew Miller to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Miller. VFW Auxiliary sponsors "In Lieu of Christmas Cards." National Evangelization Team ministers to Muenster youth, marking the fourth visit; Ricky Walterscheid is member of team. Football: Muenster Hornets take Bi-District victory over Coolidge Yellow Jackets 21-6 in Burleson; will play Blue Ridge Tigers at Clark Stadium in Plano Friday night, Nov. 22, in Area competition. Sacred Heart Tigers of Muenster meet Sacred Heart Indians of Hallettsville in TAPPS Bi-District and lose 48-0. Hornets win first basketball game with Collinsville 72-27. Latest technology is employed by Bob Vogels to increase production of top cows. Story by Janet Felderhoff is featured in Enterprise.



Hornets celebrate Area Championship. df

Nov. 29, 1991

Christkindlmarkt will rekindle some holiday customs practiced in Olde World Germany, says Muenster Chamber of Commerce. Pre-Thanks-giving parish picnic is eminently successful, "offering something for everyone." Featured story highlights George Schmidkofer Pecan Orchard, by Janet Felderhoff. Handel's "Messiah" will be special treat for Sunday, Dec. 1, at Sacred Heart Church. "Little Angel" trees are displayed in five places. New business at Old Theatre Mall is Tammy's Naitique. Sheriff John Aston announces for re-election. Obituaries: Mamie Lee (Breeding) Case dies at age 70; J.B. Whitaker dies at 74; Pete Orona dies at 59. Weddings: Carla Raelene Rogers marries Michael John Hermes. Mass in Sacred Heart Church honors health care providers. Seventeen from Muenster give retreat at St. Mary's School in Gainesville. Home Hospice fundraiser, "Light Up A Life" will be event of Dec. 1 to Dec. 19. Leslie Klement and Tina Klement are named Gainesville Soroptomist Club Students of the Month. Football: Muenster defeats 8th-ranked Blue Ridge Tigers in Area Playoffs, 16-12. Hornets will play Oakwood Panthers in Regional competition at Roysie City stadium on Friday, Nov. 29, at 8 p.m. Sacred Heart Tigerettes open basketball season with wins against Calvary Baptist 53-19 and against Lady Dragons of Chico 61-21. Boys Club 5th and 6th grade football, sponsored by CBJ Tire Co. takes championship with season record of 8-0. A number of Muenster golfers participate in Danny Darwin's Celebrity Golf Tournament.



MPS students rewrite the "Twelve Days of Christmas" for Muenster Christmas Parade. jh

Dec. 6, 1991

Muenster City Council, in lengthy meeting, studies codification of ordinances; controversy encountered as monthly bills are scrutinized; questions authorization of certain purchases. Christkindlmarkt is success in spite of bad weather. "We're ready to do it again next year," say sponsors. Gainesville sponsors "A Victorian Christmas" parade Dec. 7. Muenster Mill introduces its own brand of dog food. Bids opened Dec. 5 for construction of new bridge to span Red River northwest of Cooke-Montague County line. "Sparkling Enchanted Storybook Land" is theme for Christmas Lighting Contest - voting deadline is Dec. 23. Lindsay Centennial books ready for distribution or sales. Obituaries: Frank A. Kathman dies at age 75; Gertrude Cler dies at age 84. Serious accident sends Sister Henriann Fuhrmann to Harris Hospital by CareFlite. Muenster surpasses United Way goal. Weddings: Elizabeth Rose Fuhrmann and Philip A. Baker are married in Lindsay; Linda Lou Raudman Coursey and Kevin Felderhoff are married in Birmingham, Alabama. Don and Dorothy Endres celebrate 40th wedding anniversary. New arrival: Winter Diane Dittfurth to Mr. and Mrs. David Dittfurth. Football season ends with Regional Championship game at Roysie City Nov. 29 in heavy rainstorm that causes one-hour delay at halftime. Hornets lose to Oakwood 22-14. Basketball: Muenster Hornets 64, Valley View Eaglettes 32. Sacred Heart Tigeres 24, Lindsay Knights 91. MHS Hornets lose to Prosper in thriller 67-64. Tigerettes lose to Lindsay 35-32 and 47-40. Tigerettes play Leopardettes twice, winning one and losing one.



Hornets lose to Oakwood at Regional Playoffs. jh

Dec. 13, 1991

Four SHHS Tigers make All-State team. Don Metzler appointed new Lindsay mayor. Gainesville Police Officer Jim Bleything, candidate for Cooke County Sheriff, switches to Republican Party. Joe Nichols announces candidacy in county sheriff's election in Democratic Primary. Cooke County Court handles 161 cases on docket on Dec. 3, 1991, a record number for an "Announcement" docket call. The "Bread Barn," an old storage shed in Gainesville, used for distribution of illegal drugs, is torn down with official approval. Cooke County United Way campaign surpasses 1991 goal. Celine Dittfurth of Muenster earned the Division Leader Award; The Muenster Enterprise was one of four recipients of Special Awards plaques. Cooke County Chorale presents Dec. 1 Sunday afternoon

program to crowd of more than 300. Clyde Fisher is elected Texas representative for National Board of Directors of National Beer Wholesalers Association. Oklahoma company submits low bid for construction of new Red River bridge in northwestern Cooke and Montague counties. Lindsay City Council discusses zoning change request that may clear the way for new parish hall/family center. MHS and SHHS Student Councils sponsor Christmas Dance with several adults active in planning process. Grass fires plague Volunteer Fire Departments. SH Pre-School Parent Group sponsors major fundraiser, New Year's Eve Dance. Wedding: Jennifer Ann Reeves marries James H. (Bert) Colwell. JAM will carol Sunday and sell pumpkin bread. Joan Walterscheid earns certification as Diabetic Instructor. Achievement awards won by Illinois Bend and Ross Point for community improvement. Saint Jo sponsors Tour of Homes on Dec. 15. CDA sends 24 goodie bags to local shut-ins. Cooke County Young Farmers and Ranchers win big statewide award and Matt Bezner wins use of 1992 Ford 1/2-ton pickup. Forestburg FHA attends Leadership Conference. Bart Sicking at Sacred Heart and Lucas Hartman at Muenster Public School win in Geography Bees. New babies: Gregory

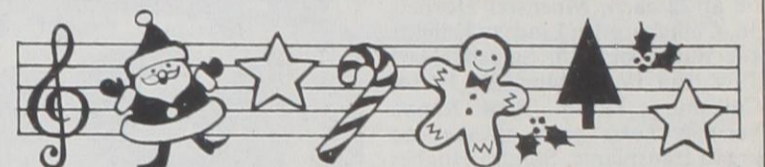


R & R Pipe - Soccer League Champions. jh

Thomas for Mr. and Mrs. Roger Luttmir; Taylor Elizabeth for Mr. and Mrs. Randy Miller; Timothy Bryant for Mr. and Mrs. Tim Cole. Kiwanis Club honors Students of the Month for November: from Muenster Public School are Kristie Lutkenhaus, grade 3, and Tina Klement, senior; from Sacred Heart School are Kenneth Grewing and Stevan Nasche. Muenster Hospital Auxiliary elects Peggy Grewing president. Basketball: Lindsay Tournament sees Lady Hornets win over Lindsay Knightettes and Lindsay Knights win over Muenster Hornets in final championship games.



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