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Representative Williamson answers Chamber's questions

"It's high time that, as community organizations, we step forward and say the taxing system (in Texas) is broken and it's time to fix it." State Representative Richard F. (Ric) Williamson, representing District 63 - Cooke, Parker and Wise Counties, was the guest speaker at the Muenster Chamber of Commerce luncheon meeting Tuesday. He spoke about the totality of the tax system and answered many other questions. Williamson questioned the logic of an unequal tax system that has the third highest property tax in the nation with only 43 percent of us paying all of that property tax.

When asked what he would propose as an alternative, Williamson categorized all taxes into three groups: tax on wealth which he considered unfair to tax accumulated wealth over and over; tax on productivity like income tax which he felt was more acceptable

but was counterproductive; and his preference, a tax based on consumption. The common example of this is the Texas sales tax. But Williamson offered the major change of taxing every transaction, that is, every sale of every product or service. He claimed that change could effectively lower the sales tax rate a full point and eliminate the need for property tax in most areas.

Clyde Fisher asked about the possibility of income from horse racing and a state lottery. Ric answered that studies indicate that racing was a dying attraction with the gamblers getting generally older and that it hadn't proved to be a money-maker yet. Concerning the lottery, Williamson said, "I think it would be a loss for the community (in that certain funds go out and never come back unless you win), but I'm not against the voters deciding."

Juanita Bright asked, "What

about government waste?" "Until two years ago, Texas did not have a uniform general accounting system," Williamson answered. "I helped build that system and it will very soon be in full usage." He indicated there would be much better efficiency in government when the legislators and planners could tell how much money was being spent in relation to productivity. "However, we must still work through partisan politics and I don't see that getting much better," he said.

Concerning the recent Red River bridge controversy, the representative said he got into the negotiations too late to win Muenster's favorite location, but he felt good about the compromise.

Debbie Hess questioned Williamson on his voting record, especially concerning a recent vote on capital punishment for murderers of children. "Didn't you apologize for missing that vote to support the law and why did you miss it?" she asked. Ric said he would have certainly voted to support the law which was authored by a good friend, Jim Tallas of Fort Bend County. The author could have had at least four votes just from the meeting I was in, but he didn't let any of us know when he called for a vote out of order with only two hours left in the last day of the legislative session due to an unusual chain of events. We had no idea Jim had asked for the vote," Williamson said. "I can give you reasons for each and every vote I've missed, some hopeless, some sure things, some insignificant when I was working on projects important

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THE LEADERS in the 100K race pass through a rest stop in the 3rd Annual Muenster Madness Bike Rally. Approximately 1,000 bikers peddled the scenic rural road around Muenster. Janie Hartman Photo

Employees address the board

by Elaine Schad

Six employees of the Cooke County Appraisal District made public statements before the CCAD Board of Directors this week, urging them to come see what they do in their day-to-day work and asking for their support.

Four appraisers, including Jack Schoppa, Brenda Urrutia, Kim Vessels and Doug Smithson, read statements to the board along with

CCAD Business Manager Rosaleigh Woods and mapping department employee Debbie Smallwood. Since the statements were made during the audience agenda item of a special meeting of the CCAD Board, members made no comment following the statements.

"It's so hard to do a job when there's been so many negative things being said about us," said Ms. Smallwood. "We just wanted the board to know how well we pull together and how hard we work," she said. "We urged the board members to come in and meet us," she said. "Some of them don't even know us or know what we do."

The statements come two weeks after some Cooke County residents charged that excessive appraisal

values were placed on some properties in Cooke County. About 66 residents in Lake Kiowa have threatened to file a group lawsuit against the appraisal district, protesting the values. The City of Muenster for two years has criticized the appraisal district, with officials claiming that their city tax rolls contained numerous errors.

Schoppa defended the values placed on county properties by the appraisers. "We want people to know that there is a basis for what we do," he said. "We don't grab it (the values) out of the clear blue sky." Schoppa said appraisers must follow guidelines and schedules set down for appraising properties.

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STATE REPRESENTATIVE Ric Williamson presented a framed numbered legislative print and stamp to the Muenster Public Library Tuesday at the library before speaking to the Chamber of Commerce lunch. The "1989 Gulf Coast Conservation Stamp and Legislative Print," by John Dearman, was presented to Representative Williamson by the Gulf Coast Conservation Association. "Over the years I have been honored to have received such presentations and wish to share these pieces of art with libraries in my district for their many patrons, and my constituents, to enjoy," Williamson said. Accepting the gift is librarian Bobbie Jean Slater and, I, or, Agatha Wolf, Teresa Fowler and Betty Felderhoff.

Tolling of school bells marks vacation's end

The carefree days of summer vacation have almost all slipped away. On Aug. 27 and 28, students in area schools will be answering the first call of the bells that will dictate their daily school routine for the next nine months of the 1990-91 school year.

Sacred Heart students will report on Monday, Aug. 27, and Muenster Public School's students begin classes on the following day. Teachers at Muenster Public School have already begun their inservice training days and Sacred Heart's staff will start on Monday.

Already the practice fields of both schools are echoing with football drills twice each day. The cheerleaders and drill teams have been active and the Marching Hornet Band will begin practice Monday evening.

A complete list of both schools' faculties will be published in next week's Enterprise, including information on new faculty members.

Sacred Heart School enters 100th year of education

In keeping with the tradition established in January 1890 by the founding fathers of Muenster to educate children both spiritually and academically, Sacred Heart School will open its doors for the 1990-91 school term with 100 years of experience in offering a good Catholic education.

Jack Murdock is beginning his third year as principal of the school. Sacred Heart teachers will report to him on Monday, Aug. 20, for a week of classroom preparations and intensive workshop training.

Included in the week's activities are a number of workshops, some will be sponsored by the Fort Worth Diocese. All elementary teachers are expected to attend the one which will be held on Aug. 23. There are also plans for a Teacher Retreat Day on Friday.

Mr. Murdock credits the faculty of Sacred Heart for much of the success that the school's students have experienced through the years. They view each student as an individual and give each student the special attention they need, he said.

"Over and over, I've seen faculty members give of themselves for beyond reasonable expectations to help a student find success," Murdock recently stated. "We have an extraordinary faculty in terms of teaching ability. They

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Public School starts with new administration

Muenster High School welcomes two students from foreign countries this year. Rajko Jelen, from West Germany, and Hiroka Miura, from Japan, will be attending Muenster High this year as part of the Youth for Understanding Study Abroad Program.

Both Rajko and Hiroka will be seniors and plan to participate in several extracurricular activities. Muenster students will have the opportunity to learn about life in Japan and West Germany, while sharing their own culture and experiences with Rajko and Hiroka.

New faces in the teaching ranks at Muenster ISD will be Grady Roller and Darla Lile. Coach Roller is familiar to most people in the area from his days as coach at Lindsay. Coach Roller will be teaching Physical Education and History. Darla Lile will be teaching first grade. She is a graduate of TWU and is a resident of Gainesville.

Muenster ISD has a number of new faces in administration. Jerry Metzler replaced Bert Gibbs as the junior high/high school principal and Steve Cooper was hired in Charles Coffey's place as superintendent. Carol (Mrs. Mark) Klement is the new secretary in the superintendent's office.

Other than the new gifted and talented program to be implemented this year, Muenster plans no curriculum changes. The basic course offerings will still be provided. There will be greater em-

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Chamber Rodeo runs Thursday thru Saturday

The third weekend in August is rodeo time in Gainesville. This year's Fourth Annual Chamber of Commerce Rodeo will feature over 300 contestants competing for \$17,500.00 in prize money. The rodeo runs Thursday through Saturday at the Gainesville Riding Club Arena on Old Highway 77 and starts each evening at 8 p.m.

Featured events will be bareback bronc riding, saddleback bronc riding, calf roping, steer wrestling, barrel racing, team roping and bull riding. Special for the kids are calf scramble and sheep riding events.

1990 Miss Rodeo Gainesville, Teresa Padgett, will preside over the festivities. She was crowned at the Rodeo Queen Pageant last Saturday at the Cooke County College Little Theater.

A freshman at Gainesville High, Teresa is the daughter of C.J. and Carla Padgett. She is active in band, sports and many horse organizations.



TERESA PADGETT is Miss Rodeo Gainesville 1990

Thursday night, Aug. 16, is Family Night. Children under 12 are admitted free when accompanied by an adult.

Friday night will feature a rodeo Please See RODEO, Page 3

Gainesville Ford bids grand opening "hello"

Marsha Phelps, the owner of Gainesville Ford-Mercury for the last four months, has an exciting Grand Opening planned to give the dealership's formal "Hello" to Gainesville and the rest of Cooke County. The dates have been set for August 16, 17 and 18.

"It has been an excellent four months," remarked Ms. Phelps. "My outlook for the future is very, very optimistic. Gainesville is a very viable town; more than people sometimes think."

Ms. Phelps, a Chicago native, holds a Masters degree in Business Administration from the University of Chicago. She taught college classes in advertising, retailing and marketing. "I like it here in Texas, especially Gainesville, because it is much more colorful," she said. She spent the last three years train-

ing with Ford Motor Co. to learn how to operate a dealership.

The new owner said that she is happy to welcome Jerry Stroud on board as the new general sales manager. Nelson Zanchetta has also recently joined the staff as service manager. Both men have over 20 years of experience in the business.

Passersby can see some noticeable changes to the exterior of Gainesville Ford-Mercury. The interior has also been moderately redecorated to make it brighter and more comfortable.

The service facility is now equipped with state-of-the-art service equipment, and is better stocked. Their diagnostic machines will enable mechanics to quickly detect problems in autos Please See FORD, Page 10



ERIC DANKESREITER of Muenster is shown with Texas 17th District Congressman Charles W. Stenholm on the steps of the House of Representatives building, during the student's month-long internship in the nation's capitol.

Dankesreiter completes Washington internship

Eric Dankesreiter, a 1989 graduate of Muenster High School and son of Tom and Rosemary Dankesreiter, has returned home after completing a month-long internship in the Washington, D.C. office of Congressman Charles Stenholm.

Dankesreiter and three other college students from the 17th District were selected to serve on the Congressman's staff as part of the LBJ Intern Program.

Eric told The Muenster Enterprise: "I learned much about how our government works, and reasons why sometimes it doesn't. Our government is special because it reacts to its people. Much too often Americans have no idea of what our government is involved in, and no reaction is perceived."

Eric said his daily work schedule included updating files, research, and communicating with constituents. He worked with the staff on the Balanced Budget Amendment, and was able to sit in the gallery of the House of Representatives when both that Amendment and the 1990 Farm Bill were debated on the House floor.

Eric said he was able to watch the workings of the congressional body from the visitors' gallery on other occasions, and several times was fortunate to benefit from Mr. Stenholm's personal explanation of action on the House floor.

"The Congressman is very personable and very gracious. He gave of his valuable time to help the student interns...The 17th District is fortunate to be represented by Charles W. Stenholm, D-Stamford and Muenster is fortunate to be in the 17th District," Eric Dankesreiter told The Enterprise.

According to a press release, while on Capitol Hill, he attended the Texas Democratic Delegation luncheon where he met Congressman Jack Brooks and Texas State Attorney General Jim Mattox. He also attended hearings on the budget and the civil war in Angola, and heard lectures by Senator Strom Thurmond and Senator Bob Dole. He attended the celebration on July 4 at the base of the Washington Monument, and took part in a breakfast honoring Texas Sarah McClendon Please See ERIC, Page 10

Letters to the Editor

Dear Dave,

In this time of political upheaval, social unrest and all the other problems of modern-day man, one question always comes to mind: why.

Why has always been a word to question - as a teenager, when you were told "no," you always responded "why;" as an adult, "why" took on another meaning - it meant "I don't know," but if it meant money or success, you knew "why."

In this day and time, "why" has become "why not." It is not a request for permission, but rather a statement of contempt - contempt not only for laws or social order, but lack of respect for principles, beliefs - mothers against daughters, fathers against sons, and brothers against sisters.

Misunderstanding affects us all. If we have any chance to get along as the family of man we have to use our God-given talents: **think, try and forgive.**

RENEW might be a second chance. Can you or I afford to not try, think or forgive? We all have choices, but why suffer? Join me in participating in the RENEW program at Sacred Heart Parish beginning with Sign-up Sunday on Sept. 2!

Phil Rigby
Muenster, TX

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CHAMBER

to the state and this district. I just ask people to consider my job performance and results over my 66 months in office, not just a simple voting record over the last six months.

Dennis Hess commented on the still-unacceptable Workers' Compensation insurance situation. Ric said only two measures will help: first, broaden the market so more insurance companies can bear the load and, second, set a time limit on settlement. He suggested 180 days, or any limit as long as there is a limit. "I voted for the last version of workers' compensation reform because I thought it was the best we could get, but it didn't help us much. I think we (the legislature) will revisit workers' compensation next year."

Steve Cooper asked about the minimum school tax rate to guarantee state funding just before meeting adjournment. Williamson answered that he sees no way to get away from the minimums until we change the taxing system.

Dear Editor:

As you well know, passing the Workers' Compensation reform bill last December was not one of the easiest jobs that ever confronted the Legislature. It took 18 months of study, a regular session and two special sessions to accomplish.

We believe the reform bill will be good for business, though it is not an overnight cure for every problem in the system. But it is important that this bill, and the new commission appointed by Governor Clements, be given a chance to work.

It is unfortunate that Rob Mosbacher, Jr. has tried to make the reform bill an issue in his campaign for Lieutenant Governor by wrongly and unfairly accusing his opponent, Bob Bullock, of being against the bill and wanting to rewrite the reforms.

Mr. Mosbacher's accusations are without basis.

Certainly, as State Comptroller, Mr. Bullock did not have a vote in the Legislature, but he provided very helpful and timely information as requested to assist the Legislature and the Governor as we addressed the reform issue.

By contrast, Mr. Mosbacher played no role in the reform - except to come to the Lieutenant Governor's office one time during which he made it clear that he didn't even know that Worker's Compensation is not mandatory in Texas. His campaign charges are based on an equal lack of facts.

Comptroller Bullock believes as we do that the reform legislation and Governor Clements' new commission must be given the time needed to implement the new law and give it a chance to work.

Sincerely,
William P. Hobby
Lieutenant Governor
Austin, TX

John T. Montford, Senator
Co-Sponsor
Workers' Compensation
Reform Bill
Austin, TX 78711

Bob Glasgow, Senator
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Please join.



Heart attack takes A. V. Grant at 92

Alton V. Grant, age 92, a resident of Muenster since 1946, died Tuesday, Aug. 14, 1990 about 8:48 p.m. in Muenster Memorial Hospital, the victim of a sudden, massive heart attack. His wife said he had attended SNAP at noon, had enjoyed his usual supper and suddenly collapsed at home after 8 p.m.

Although his pace had slowed through the years, he remained in comparative good health and was admired by hundreds of friends for his stamina and his rebounding interest in world affairs and politics.

Always outspoken, he had the courage of his own convictions, which he explained vividly in one of the books he wrote, "This I Remember," an account of the political climate during his lifetime.



ALTON V. GRANT

Born on Sept. 19, 1897, A.V. Grant was a veteran of World War I. In his 30s, while residing in

Longview, he led the "Bonus Army" from Texas and Louisiana into Washington, D.C. to join veterans around the nation. They traveled by train (some of the events are recorded in his book), and pitched their tents on the street in front of the White House, while they pleaded for even minimal financial help for all World War I veterans, some whose problems were truly acute.

While encamped in front of the White House, the veterans were favored by a visit from President Herbert Hoover and his staff. He emerged from his offices to address the troops. Grant's orders brought the unorganized troops into military precision to render a salute to the President of the United States. Grant admitted to a moment of intense pride in the men. In later conversations, he recalled that Douglas MacArthur was already a member of the Military in Washington in those years.

Alton V. Grant was the son of Reuben and Emma (Smith) Grant; he was born in Eros, Louisiana. He

was married to Marianne Mueller in Glen Rose, Texas on Oct. 7, 1955. He maintained a law office in Muenster since moving here.

Survivors include his wife, Marianne; two daughters, Coleen Hardin of Austin and Leila Khalil of Arlington; and one son, Victor Grant of Temple. Also two sisters, Doris Buckley of Austin and Marie Slaton of Savannah, Georgia; and one brother, Theron Grant of Savannah. Also 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers and four sisters.

Funeral services were held Thursday, Aug. 16, at 2 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Saint Jo, with C.E. Cole and Rev. Tim Williams officiating. Burial in Mountain Park Cemetery of Saint Jo was directed by McCoy Funeral Home of Muenster. The body reposed in the McCoy Chapel in Muenster until time for church services.

Pallbearers were Andy Nowlin, Charles F. Bartush, Victor Grant, Ralph Grant, Peter Grant and Rick Hardin.

Mrs. Carl Herr, 75, dies in Denton

Former Muenster resident, Mrs. Carl Herr, (Ann), age 75, died on August 9, 1990 in Good Samaritan Home of Denton after a lingering illness of about one year. She was hospitalized at Denton Regional Medical Center recently and transferred to Good Samaritan for about two weeks prior to her death.

Mass of Christian Burial was offered in Immaculate Conception Catholic Church at 10 a.m. Saturday, officiated by Father Dan Williams. Interment was in Sacred Heart Cemetery of Muenster at 2 p.m. where graveside services were held by Father Sebastian Beshoner O.S.B. Ann Herr was buried beside her husband, who preceded her in death on Feb. 27, 1987.

Pallbearers were Melvin Herr, John Travelle, Joe Mickahek, Philip Mickahek, Randy Fischer,

and Leonard Berend. Honorary pallbearer was Dan Webb.

Goen-Hudgins Funeral Home of Denton directed funeral arrangements and burial.

Ann Herr, the former Ann Berend, was born on Oct. 22, 1914 in Pilot Point. She married Carl J. Herr on Jan. 5, 1942 in Pilot Point. They lived on a farm north of Muenster for many years. She served two terms as president of St. Anne's Society.

Before her marriage she operated a clothing store in Pilot Point in the late 1930s. Just prior to her marriage she was employed in Fort Worth. After Carl and Ann Herr moved from Muenster to Denton in 1949, she became an employee of the Denton Post Office Dept. as a postal clerk, where she remained until her retirement.

She was an active member of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church and an active volunteer in the RSVP, the Retired Senior Volunteer Program, where she worked in the clothing room. She also worked for a cancer support group and a widowed support group.

Survivors include three brothers, Frank Berend of San Diego, Calif.; Henry Berend of Pilot Point and Joe Berend of Lewisville, Tx. Also two sisters, JoAnn Burger of Green Valley, Tx. and Hedwig McIntosh of Ventura, Calif. Also two nieces, Joan Fischer of Pilot Point and Jewelene Parton of Argyle. Also two nephews, Richard Burger of Pilot Point and Melvin Herr of Denton, and three sisters-in-law, Katie Herr, Ida Mae Herr and Ursula Herr and a number of nieces and nephews, all of Muenster and several other areas.

Bullock sends tax rep. to Gainesville August 22

AUSTIN - State Comptroller Bob Bullock said Wednesday that a representative from his agency will be in Gainesville on Wednesday, August 22 to answer questions about Texas taxes and assist taxpayers with paperwork and problems.

Kevin Brogan, Enforcement Officer, Sherman Enforcement Office will be at the Gainesville Chamber of Commerce from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The public is welcome and there is no charge.



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Muenster ISD budget hearing set for Aug. 30

Muenster ISD will have a budget hearing for discussion of 1990-91 budget at 7:30 p.m. on August 30 in the Administration Building on East 7th Street.

toward the private bidding process. Williams contends that his proposed cuts would save some \$1.6 billion annually.

Williams told the group that he is in favor of traditional values. "Once a man told me, 'Clayton, you can't ride into the 21st century on a horse.' Well, you sure can if you have a good one," he said.

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CCAD

Ms. Smallwood told the board that it is vital to upgrade the mapping department. "If we don't have it correct in the mapping department, then that's where it all begins," she said. A proposal in the CCAD fiscal 1991 budget includes an expenditure of \$50,000 for a new computer for the mapping department, but that budget has not yet been approved by taxing entities. One board member, CCAD President Roger Martin, said he would prefer that the research for the mapping be completed and that the board see a demonstration of any computer before agreeing to its purchase.

In the latter part of his statement, Schoppa told the board that the entire \$50,000 expenditure may not be necessary for the mapping department. "I'd hate the county be out \$50,000 on a computer when \$10,000 could give us the same thing," he said. "We could use that money for a lot of other things, and salaries would be one of them," he said.

In a survey, CCAD Chief Appraiser Pat Pickett presented to the board last month, she indicated that CCAD employees were receiving less than the statewide average in salaries for similar positions in other appraisal districts.

All six employees encouraged the board to come into the office and familiarize themselves with the operation of the appraisal district. "We all hear the same gossip on the street," said Schoppa. "We work hard, and I think we do a good job," he said. "We'd just like them to know both sides of the story so that they can make their decision from an informed point of view."

Also at the meeting, the CCAD Board of Directors met in executive session for about an hour and a half, but took no vote following the session. The board's next regular meeting is set for Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Appraisal District Office board room, 201 West California Street.

Williams urges, stay in school

by Elaine Schad

Texas must develop more programs that will keep the state's children in school, Republican gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams told a crowd of about 350 people during a recent campaign stop in Cooke County at the Gainesville Civic Center.

One of every three children in Texas are dropping out of school, said Williams. "We're going to have to be people efficient, and keep these kids off drugs," he said.

Williams wants to offer incentives to those students who have gone through drug rehabilitation programs, go on to graduate from high school and who wish to attend college, possibly in the form of college tuition assistance. For those not college bound, Williams would like to make more vocational training opportunities available to help both the student and business productivity. Williams said he'd pay for the new programs by reducing the bureaucracy in Austin and by reducing the mandates placed on education. "The career ladder will be thrown out the window," he said. Williams said he is in favor of returning more local control to parents and to local school boards. He also would favor a voucher system, which would allow parents to send their children to the school of their choice.

If he becomes the next governor, local property taxpayers can be assured that their taxes won't rise because of what is being done in Austin, Williams said. "I'll veto anything that Austin mandates that means raising taxes for you," he said. "Taxation without representation; they had a tea party in Boston over that, didn't they?"

Williams said he would be in favor of a Constitutional amendment that would give the state's electorate the right of initiative and referendum. He would not favor any new kinds of taxation that would replace the property tax, saying that better management of current tax dollars is the better answer.

Williams hit hard at several issues that were crime-related. He said he would be in favor of capital punishment for drug pushers, "who sell dope to our children." Williams would like to double the number of prisons in the state.

Williams said he is in favor of a system whereby young offenders would attend a military-type boot camp as part of their rehabilitation. That would be followed by work projects, where the offenders would work in national parks and other areas to aid in community service projects. If they successfully complete both of those programs, Williams suggested that the offense would then be wiped from their record, so they would be able to look toward a positive future, he said. Williams would also be in favor of providing scholarships to help those young people go on to college or vocational programs.


Williams said he would pay for his proposed \$1.5 billion in new programs through better management in government. He would eliminate what he called the "fleet" of state aircraft used by legislators in favor of private bidding. He would eliminate the practice of using the highest available union wage to be paid to workers on state projects, again going

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION OF NONDISCRIMINATION IN VOCATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Muenster I.S.D. offers vocational programs in Agricultural Science and Vocational Home Economics Education. Admission to these programs is based on students electing to enroll in the course desired.

It is the policy of Muenster I.S.D. not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, or handicap in its vocational programs, services, or activities as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.


For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Jerry Metzler, at 135 East Seventh Street, Muenster, Texas, 759-2281.



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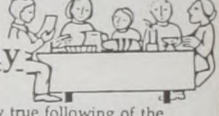
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Sunday Liturgy



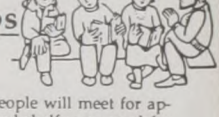
Eucharist has always been at the heart of what it means to be Christian. During each of the six weeks of RENEW, our Sunday Liturgy will draw our attention to the RENEW themes of the week. When we prayerfully share in Eucharist, we participate in RENEW in our parish and our diocese.

Home / Family



Any true renewal, any true following of the Lord, can not be shut up in a church building, but must find its way into our hearts, our homes. During each of the six weeks of RENEW, there will be opportunities for us to experience the RENEW theme at home alone or with families.

Small Groups



Groups of 10 to 12 people will meet for approximately an hour and a half once a week for the six weeks of each RENEW season. RENEW discussion materials provide an opportunity for us to share and better understand the meaning of our faith, and by doing so, strengthen our commitment and celebrate our unity in Christ.

Parish Activities

We, like those first Christians, still need to be reminded of the truths of our faith. During the weeks of RENEW, parishes will offer a variety of opportunities for us to consider the RENEW themes. They may be devotional, educational, or social.

RENEW aims at:

- Helping people to grow in their relationship with Jesus.
- Developing vibrant faith communities.
- Encouraging people to act justly, empowered by the Holy Spirit.
- Strengthening the parish to live the Gospel.

FALL, 1990 The Lord's Call:

For More information contact the RENEW team in your parish
Roger and Janie Taylor

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TU Electric announces first rate increase since 1984

TU Electric announced that it is implementing an average annual 10.2 percent increase in rates under bond in accordance with state law.

The increase will mean an additional \$7 to \$8 per month on the average residential bill. The first bills to reflect a portion of the increase are expected to reach customers on about August 16.

This is TU Electric's first

general rate increase in more than six years. By taking advantage of declining fuel costs, the company has been able to lower its rates twice since 1984. The increase announced will bring rates back to about their 1984 level.

TU Electric's present rates are the sixth lowest among the nation's 25 largest cities and are second lowest among the investor-owned electric utilities in Texas.

"The new rates are necessary at this time to prevent further deterioration of the company's financial integrity," said Erle Nye, Chairman and Chief Executive of TU Electric. "The increase we requested and are placing into effect is the minimum necessary to allow us to continue providing reliable and competitively priced electric service."

TU Electric filed a request on January 16 with local regulators and the Public Utility Commission of Texas for an annual revenue increase of 10.2 percent, which would raise the company's annual

revenues by \$442 million. Hearings on the request began before the PUC on April 26 and are continuing.

TU Electric offers a number of programs to make bill paying easier, including average billing and special services for senior citizens, and sponsors the Energy Aid program which is administered by local social service organizations.

TU Electric serves more than 5 million people in 87 counties of North Central, West and East Texas.

Paul Klement dies in Dallas at age 50

Mass of Christian Burial was offered for Paul David Klement, age 50, on Monday, Aug. 13, 1990 at St. Pius X Church in Dallas at 11 a.m., officiated by the pastor, Msgr. Thomas H. Weinzapfel and Father Nicholas Fuhrmann of St. Mary's Church, Gainesville. His death on Aug. 9 was very sudden, and followed a heart attack.

Klement was born on Nov. 22, 1939 to Albert and Gertrude (Reiter) Klement. His mother preceded him in death when he was 9 years old.

Paul Klement attended St. Mary's Grade School and was a graduate of Gainesville High School and Southern Methodist University, Dallas. He was a Certified Public Accountant and established his own firm in Dallas, and until recently maintained a second firm in Gainesville.

He married the former Shirley Ann Hoedebeck in St. Mary's Church of Gainesville on July 19, 1958. He was a member of St. Pius X Church in Dallas, which he served as financial advisor. He was a former officer of the Catholic Life Insurance Union and a member of the Knights of Columbus in addition to membership in several professional organizations in Dallas.

Survivors include his wife, Shirley of the home; and sons Paul David, Jr. of Grand Prairie; Gregory Lee of Houston; and John Albert of College Station. Also daughters, Lisa Marie Klement of Dallas; and Karen Elizabeth Motes of College Station.

Also his brothers Melvin Klement of Dilwyn, Virginia; Richard Klement and Jim Klement of Gainesville and his father and step-mother Albert and Veronica Klement of Lindsay.

A Rosary service was held on Sunday at St. Pius X Church.

Burial in Sacred Heart Cemetery in Rowlett was directed by Sparkman Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Keith Hoedebeck, David Klement, Ralph Klement, Regi Klement, Timmy Klement and David Zimmerman.

A large number of Cooke County friends and relatives attended the Rosary service and the funeral. Many relatives attended from Lindsay and Muenster.

The family suggested memorials be made to The Homeless Organization in Dallas.

Addresses for cards of sympathy and condolences may be obtained from Charlotte Zimmerman of Lindsay, sister of Mrs. Paul Klement.



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dance at the VFW Hall on Hwy. 77 starting at 10 p.m. Kelly Wolf will entertain. Admission is \$5.00 each.

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Felix Yostens celebrate fiftieth



MR. and MRS. FELIX YOSTEN
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Mr. and Mrs. Felix Yosten observed the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding during a Mass of Thanksgiving in Sacred Heart Church on Sunday, Aug. 12, 1990 at 10:30 a.m., officiated by Father Sebastian Beshoner, OSB, who also imparted a special blessing for the honor couple.

The entrance procession was led by the Yosten's eldest daughter, Linda Yosten of Mountain View, California, and the youngest daughter, Monica McCoy of Muenster, along with her son Jake, followed by Monica's daughter, Misti, and her guest, Toby Fuhrmann. The second eldest daughter, Gloria Joy Blanchard of Sunnyside, California, followed with her two children, Michelle and Brian. Daughter, Bernadette Chadwick of Eugene, Oregon, followed with her husband, Curt, and their son, Charles.

Then came son, Tom Yosten, and wife, Joyce, and their children, Emily, Christal and Nathan of Denton; son, Cy Yosten, and wife, Angie, and children Laura, Estelle and Phillip of Greenville; their eldest, Mark, and his guest, Maria Hills, and eldest daughter, Gina, and guest, Noble Walker Jr.

The original wedding attendants, Josephine (Yosten) Mayer of Chicago, Ill., and Jane (Mages) Kinstley of Baton Rouge, La. and Eddie Mages of Gainesville and Ferd Yosten of Fort Worth preceded the honor couple, Felix and Betty Yosten. Mass servers following were grandsons Sam and

Michael Yosten and friends Paul Swirczynski and Scott Poole, and Father Sebastian Beshoner completed the entrance procession.

First and Second Readings were given by Misti McCoy and the Responsorial Psalm by Jake McCoy. Michelle Blanchard read the Petitions; Offertory gifts were presented by grandsons Brian Blanchard, Charles Chadwick, Nathan Yosten and Phillip Yosten. Songs selected by the honor couple were led by Diane Grewing, Christi Klement, Melissa Bayer and Denise Bayer and Jim Endres with guitar accompaniment.

RECEPTION

A reception at the Community Center was hosted by the Yosten's children and spouses, who chose a Hawaiian theme for decor. The band gazebo was decorated with Hawaiian flowers and a scenic mural was designed and painted by Laura Yosten. Guest tables with white cloths were decorated with silk flower arrangements of rich pink, white, royal blue and light blue, and lighted candles - the skillful handiwork of Angie Yosten.

An impressive four-tier anniversary cake decorated with flowers and a gold 50th anniversary wreath was displayed on its own table. A chocolate groom's cake with white turtle doves and a grandparents' cake were also served. The cakes were designed, baked and decorated by Monica McCoy.

A small guest table, draped in lace, displayed Betty Yosten's

bridal portrait near the guest registry. A white trellis on a back wall displayed Betty's bridal gown. Also shown was the baptismal gown used by all the children and photos of wedding, courtship and silver anniversary.

Guests arrived at 11:30 a.m. after Mass to be greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Yosten and to socialize. An open bar was provided with beer and soft drinks. A sumptuous dinner was served at 12:45 p.m. and Father Sebastian opened with a blessing. After dinner, Gloria Blanchard gave a formal acknowledgement of the couple to the guests. The anniversary cake was served with coffee.

At 2 p.m., the entire community was welcomed to share the special day. Punch, cake, hor d'oeuvres and beer were served. At 3 p.m., "Andy Serna and the Captive Hearts," a country-western band, arrived to provide music for dancing. Betty and Felix led the first dance to the strains of "Sweet Fraulein." At 4:30 p.m., 200 balloons were released from an overhead net to an enthusiastic crowd of dancers. The closing dance, a medley of rock and roll songs, was played at 5 p.m.

The event was organized by Monica McCoy and the preparations were carried out by all the children, spouses and grandchildren.

Among out-of-town guests at the celebration were Dora Berend, Leroy and Joann Berend, Marian and Nick Yosten, Annette, Cecilia and Tom Albracht, all of Hereford; Doris and Joe Zinser of Conrad, Ark.; Marie Moore of Dallas; Bill Nissen of Nocona; Ferd and Harriet Yosten of Fort Worth; Judy Vetter of Houston; Yvonne and Ray McCoy of Grapevine; Earl and Leona Lehertz of Bossier City, La.; Dan and Judy Phillips of Dallas; Jane Kinstley of Baton Rouge, La.; and Shirley Mages of Carrollton. Joining were friends and relatives from Gainesville, Valley View, Lindsay and Muenster.

Reflections and "remember when" with joyful reminiscing were included in conversations among guests and the honor couple, as they recalled the day of the wedding, when the former Betty Mages became the bride of Felix Yosten.

She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mages of Era, and he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yosten of Muenster. They were married in St. Peter's Church of Lindsay on Tuesday, Sept. 10, 1940 at 8 a.m., by Father Conrad Herda, OSB.

Regina Fuhrmann, organist, and the church choir provided music for the Nuptial Mass. The altar was decorated with a profusion of late summer flowers.

The bride wore a white satin floor-length gown, with long sleeves, fitted bodice, and a skirt extending into full graceful folds. Her silk tulle veil was full length and was held by a wreath of valley lilies. She carried an arm bouquet of white carnations, lilies and fern. And she wore an heirloom gold cross and chain belonging to her grandmother.

The bride's sister, Jane (Mages) Kinstley was maid of honor, wearing a white pebble crepe dress, with fitted jacket of gold embroidery. The groom's sister, Josephine (Yosten) Mayer was bridesmaid, wearing a white taffeta dress, with short bolero jacket. Both had corsages of mixed snapdragons and wore shoulder-length tulle veils. Edward Mages was best man and Ferd Yosten was groomsmen.

A wedding breakfast for 40 was held in the home of the bride's parents, and a wedding dance in the Lindsay Hall concluded the celebration.

After a wedding trip to Colorado and New Mexico, the couple made their first home on a farm 2½ east of Saint Jo.

St. Richard's Villa News

The birthday party was held at St. Richard's Villa on July 5 at 7 p.m. Honorees were Barney Barnett, Betsy Master, Mildred Fulton and Bessie Hutson. Cakes were furnished by Mrs. Ben Fulton and Betty Rose Walterscheid.

Gean and Yvonne Scott, Buddy Yosten and L. Perkins provided entertainment. Brandi and Betty Gilpin served punch and cake. Dexter Reynolds assisted in party preparations and clean up.

A dance recital was presented on July 13 by students of JoEll Hellman. Fourteen students participated. Residents expressed appreciation and said they are looking forward to a return visit.

Other musical entertainment during July was presented by Mildred Lawson, Linda Flusche and Joe Hoening.

Residents and staff express thanks to July volunteers, Betty Felderhoff, Maurine Griggs, Caroline Hess, Dorothy Yosten, Betty Yosten, Romana Bayer, Marie Henscheid, Amanda Fuhrmann, Lu Vogel, Augusta Walterscheid, Ed and Thelma Dill, Bertha Pick, Agnes Klement, Martha Sicking, Margaret Schmitt and Louise Knauf. Special thanks to Lucille Hess and Millie Voth, who come every month with homemade cookies and bananas.

Residents express gratitude to Methodist, Catholic, Baptist and Church of Christ ministers who provide church services on Sundays and during the week. Special thanks to Father Joe Weinzapfel who comes out each Monday to celebrate Holy Mass.

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Homemakers Club for the gift of two extra subscriptions to the Muenster Enterprise. Residents look forward to Fridays when the mail brings the gift.

Visitors from out-of-town who came to St. Richard's Villa include Earline Mages of Farmers Branch; Ruth Christian of Forestburg; Doyle and Ivy Selby of Era; Douglas and Anna Jo Selby of Gainesville; Mrs. Wayne Selby (Pat) of Era; Greg Selby of Era; Lon and Vivia Stephenson of Gainesville; Gene and Glandora Davenport of Gainesville; Cynthia Reiter of Post; John Lehre of Dallas; Larry and Lana Hawkins of Rowlett; Earl and Leona Lehertz of Bossier City, La.; Dora Jackson of Azle; Mary Haverkamp of Gainesville; Sr. Florentine Tempel of Jonesboro, Ark.; Mrs. Anastasia Herb of Dallas; Lanny Ray Kelley of Era; Judy Hartman of Denton; Lisa Hawkins of Rowlett; Chad Hawkins of Rowlett; Ronald and Sue Hutson of Gainesville; Suzie and Jessica Bezner of Lindsay; Alfred C. Haverkamp of Dallas; Charlotte Swirczynski of Gainesville; Bo and Pat Lester of Ponca City, Okla.; Lee Hines of Gainesville; Mae Garner of Gainesville; Amy McElreath of Gainesville; Cassandra Franklin of Durant; Henry Grewing of Myra; Eugene, Peggy and Erica Kleiss of Parish, Ark.; Lonnie Samek of Forestburg; Marilyn Sherrill of Myra and C.R. and Lucy Reiter of Hawley.



Megan celebrates six!



MEGAN GREWING

Megan Rose Grewing, daughter of Glenn and Connie Grewing, turned six years old on July 27, 1990. To celebrate the event, her parents hosted a party in Muenster City Park.

A "Little Mermaid" decorated cake, ice cream and soft drinks were served to guests. Gifts were opened and pictures were made. Megan gave each child a treat sack as the party ended.

Joining Megan on her special day were her parents, her brother Christopher, her sister Carrie; Grandma Flo Walterscheid; Grandma Judy Grewing; Godmother Aunt Sheila Kleinert and Daniel; cousins Michael, Randy, Shannon and Craig Grewing; Aunt Diane Grewing; friends and classmates Annette and Michelle Bayer; Jami Gerstberger; Kelly Grewing; Jennifer Hoedebeck; Lisa Felderhoff; Carolyn and Emily Sears; Ricky

Endres; Daniel Bartush; Cindy Tempel; Brooke Endres; and Jayna Biffle.

In May, Megan had a "Celebration of Life" at Sacred Heart Pre-School, when her mother showed photos and told highlights of Megan's life as she blew out candles, and the "Birthday Song" was sung by the children.

Cupcakes, made by Megan and her mother, were served to all the little classmates for snacktime. Her teachers, Pam Dangelmayr and Kathy Berres, helped with the celebration. Others attending were Grandma Flo Walterscheid and sister Carrie.

School reunion set for Sept. 3 at Mt. Springs

The Mountain Springs community will host its ninth annual, 10-area-schools reunion on Labor Day, Sept. 3, beginning at 10 a.m.

A planned program will begin at 11 a.m., and lunch will be served at 12 noon at Mountain Springs Community Club House.

Those attending are asked to bring a picnic lunch. Tea and coffee will be provided by the club. Sponsors ask that all friends and families be invited.

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ASSETS	June 30	
	1989	1990
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Other Loans	35,684,855.30	36,093,302.78
Less Unearned Interest	(704,676.99)	(730,875.80)
Less Reserve for Loan Losses	(1,490,772.33)	(1,531,024.06)
Net Loans	55,196,334.27	53,856,084.03
Cash and Due From Banks	4,155,244.68	4,454,014.74
Time Deposits in Banks	1,550,000.00	450,000.00
Federal Funds Sold	17,905,000.00	11,905,000.00
U.S. Treasury Securities	12,670,668.90	14,070,744.81
U.S. Agency Securities	9,382,884.45	10,991,744.72
Municipal Securities	2,618,120.53	2,247,074.01
Other Securities	1,774,674.17	2,832,319.44
Bank Premises	1,955,070.88	1,883,421.70
Furniture and Equipment	509,756.81	426,530.55
Other Assets	3,809,934.68	4,020,917.68
TOTAL	\$111,527,689.37	\$107,137,851.68
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		
Deposits	\$102,615,401.76	\$ 97,638,409.37
Other Liabilities	961,716.52	824,485.80
Total Liabilities	103,577,118.28	98,462,895.17
Capital Surplus	2,000,000.00	2,000,000.00
Undivided Profits	3,900,000.00	3,000,000.00
	2,950,571.09	3,674,956.51
TOTAL	\$111,527,689.37	\$107,137,851.68

Joe Knaufs observe golden wedding Aug. 11

A day of remembering, celebrating and rejoicing, culminating in a day of thanksgiving, were observed in an anniversary Mass for Joe and Marie Knauf on Saturday, Aug. 11, officiated by Father Victor Gillespie O.S.B. at 5 p.m. in Sacred Heart Church.

They recalled the day, Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1940, when the former Marie Pels, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pels, Sr., was married to Joe Knauf, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Knauf. The elders were Münster pioneers. Father Frowin Koerd officiated the Nuptial Mass at 7 a.m.

The Sacred Heart Men's Choir sang "The Mass of the Angels," with Anthony Luke at the organ.

Their attendants were her sister, Nellie Pels Martin, and his brother, Ed Knauf.

The bride wore a white chiffon long wedding gown, designed with shirred bodice, fitted waist and billowy skirt, high neckline and short puffed sleeves, and a white panne satin sleeveless bolero. Her fingertip veil was held by a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried an arm bouquet of white carnations and ferns.

The bridesmaid wore a peach chiffon gown, duplicate of the bridal design, and she wore a peach gladioli corsage.

A breakfast followed the wedding Mass, and noon dinner and reception were held in the home of the bride's parents, and after a trip to South Texas, the couple lived for a time on the Knauf homeplace. After several years, they farmed at Wolf Ridge and later moved back to the old Knauf farm. Twelve years ago they built a new home on West Eighth Street in Münster and are semi-retired. Early this summer they won Yard of the Month honors from the Münster Garden Club for their excellent landscaping.

ANNIVERSARY MASS

The anniversary Mass was attended by the Knaufs' five children and spouses and twelve grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, and many relatives and friends.

Also participating were the original wedding attendants and their respective spouses, Nellie and Lawrence Martin and Ed and Louise Knauf.

Appropriate liturgical music was presented by Christy Hesse and David Bayer, vocalists and



JOE and MARIE KNAUF

Ruth Felderhoff, organist.

Granddaughters of the honor couple, Jolanda Wimmer and Lisa Schilling gave the Readings; grandsons Brad Wimmer and Jeff Wimmer, T.J. Walterscheid and Jon Schilling carried Offertory gifts to the altar; grandsons Michael and Joel Schilling were Mass servers.

RECEPTION

A reception followed in the Knights of Columbus Hall. Hosts were the honor couple's three daughters and spouses, Eunice and Tim Wimmer, Annette and Sonny Walterscheid, Eileen and Junior Schilling, and two sons, Leon Knauf and Milton Knauf.

Granddaughter Lydia Walterscheid read the family history during a program following dinner.

Dinner was catered by Emil Rohmer. The decorated anniversary cake was baked and served by Betty Rose Walterscheid. All decorations and corsages were made by Annette Walterscheid.

About 130 relatives and friends attended the reception and dinner, and danced to music by the Knaufs' grandson, Brad Wimmer. Family pictures and many group pictures were made throughout the evening.

A special joy was the attendance of a granddaughter, Lydia Walterscheid, who flew home from Los Angeles especially to be present for her grandparents' important day. For the past month and probably for the next three months Lydia will receive special therapy as she recovers from serious injuries sustained in a swimming accident last year. She will graduate with high honors from the University of Dallas after completing one more semester and will then enroll in Law School, as was planned before the accident.

Among out of town visitors at the anniversary celebration were Drew Springer of Dallas; Jolanda Wimmer and Mark Fleitman from Texas Tech University; a brother-in-law, Henry Weske and his daughter Arlene Barnhart and her son Jeff of Phoenix, Arizona; Jerry Pels of Houston; Buster and Jane Wilkes of Austin; among other guests from Denton, Dallas, Gainesville, Lindsay, Saint Jo and Münster.

Looking back on the special day, Marie and Joe Knauf commented "It was a most memorable day that we will always cherish. The beautiful cards we received are truly appreciated and are being enjoyed over and over."

Baptisms —

Walterscheid

Lee Thomas Walterscheid, son of Terry and Dianne Walterscheid of Münster, was baptized in Sacred Heart Church on Sunday, August 12, 1990, following the 10:30 a.m. Mass. Father Victor Gillespie O.S.B. officiated for Lee's baptism.

Lee's chosen godparents were Dr. Steve Kralicke of Grapevine and Mary Lou Reinwald of Irving. He wore an all white, long baptismal gown and cap bought especially for him by his parents.

After the ceremony, the family and relatives gathered at the Walterscheid home for a noon meal. A two-tiered white and pale blue baptismal cake, made by Cathie Fuhrmann, was served after the dinner.

Gifts and cards were opened and video taping by Harry Reinwald went on throughout the day.

The celebration was then moved to Lee's maternal grandparents' home for an afternoon of swimming and visiting.

Relatives attending the baptism were Lee's brothers Casey, Tyler and Jordan Walterscheid; Grand-

parents Martin and Betty Kralicke; Kim, Lisa, Dustin and Bret Walterscheid; Steve, Jill, Travis and Robert Kralicke of Grapevine; Harry, Mary Lou, Amelia, Harrison and Samuel Reinwald of Irving; and Kevin, Laura, Jared and Jeffrey Pels of Coppell. Out-of-town for the weekend and unable to attend were Lee's paternal grandparents Willie and Queenie Walterscheid.

Hess

Shelby Lee Anna Hess, daughter of Eric and Sandy Hess, was baptized on Sunday, Aug. 12, 1990, following the 10 a.m. Mass in St. Peter's Church of Lindsay, with Father Bart Landermeyer officiating. Shelby wore a white satin Christening gown.

Her godparents were Gary and Margo Hess.

Attending the baptism were Shelby's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S.L. Stover and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Hess. Also her aunts, Joy Hess and Gina Hess, and a friend, Mrs. Pat Barba.

Mrs. Clara Hellingner recorded the special occasion on video.

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phasis on some of those programs, one being the computer courses. With the addition of computers, mostly from federal funds, greater flexibility and access will be achieved. The daily schedule of classes has been revised to provide greater consistency in meeting the needs of students.

One change that has been made to the physical plant has been the relocation of the library and the computer room. The library and computer lab have been moved to the old junior high wing. This move will provide much easier access to both the library and computer room because of its central location. The old library and computer lab will be utilized as classrooms. In addition, part of the old library will house a teacher workroom.

MUSD is expecting another exciting and productive year, according to Superintendent Cooper. Münster has a tradition of success as part of its background and foundation. Through the years, Münster ISD has garnered a reputation as being a very strong academic institution. "This is in no small measure to be credited to the dedicated and conscientious

teachers who have taught for years at our school," stated Cooper. "Parents and their extraordinary support are also critical ingredients to the success that MUSD enjoys. We certainly have great expectations for this to continue."

MUSD recently received state totals on TEAMS tests taken last spring. This breakdown of test results revealed the percentage of students statewide passing all three tests last school year. Münster ISD did an outstanding job when compared to districts statewide with similar student demographics, size, wealth, etc.

Compared to schools in this region, MUSD was also "heads and shoulders" above their results, according to Cooper. The last comparison was county-wide.

Münster ISD will pre-register all students in grades six through twelve on Friday, August 24. Registration will be in the high school library according to the following schedule: 8:00 to 8:30, grade twelve; 8:45 to 9:15, grade eleven; 9:30 to 10:00, grade ten; 10:15 to 10:45, grade nine; 11:00 to 11:30, grade eight; 1:00 to 1:30, grade seven; 1:45 to 2:15, grade six; 2:30 to 3:15, late registration and new students registration. Any student that didn't register during the time slot or a new student to Münster ISD will register during late registration.

Students in grades kindergarten through five who are new to the district will register in the elementary principal's office in the elementary building from 10:00 to 12:00.

Any student not registering on Friday will need to report to the high school principal's office at 8:00 a.m. Tuesday, August 28. All students that do register on August 24 will report to the homeroom period assigned to them at pre-registration.

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Jan Cain receives award

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During the gala awards ceremony, the company rewarded top achievers with prizes totaling more than \$6 million. For her achievements, Cain was presented with an engraved plaque and diamond bar pin if she exceeded all previous years' production.

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could all be earning much more teaching in the public schools, but they daily demonstrate a special sense of mission for the children of Sacred Heart School, and I believe their commitment is communicated to the lives of the children they work with daily."

Sacred Heart students throughout the entire school average in the top 25 percent of the nation in academic achievement in nationally standardized tests. They have also been highly successful in many areas of academic achievement, art contest, athletic events, leadership opportunities, etc.

The Fort Worth Diocese has a new associate superintendent, Sr. Marguerite Connors. She is from the Diocese of Corpus Christi. She is replacing Sr. Gabriel who will be the new principal at Our Mother of Mercy.

During the July School Board meeting, an election of officers was held. Werner Becker Jr. was elected president; Tom Swirczynski, vice-president; and Debbie Hess, secretary. Gary Endres was welcomed as a new member and he is the parish representative.

Endres replaces Denis Walterscheid who is now working with the Diocese's Task Force Committee. The purpose of the committee is to seek ways to bring additional funding to schools in the Fort Worth Diocese.

Parents of Sacred Heart Pre-School and Kindergarten students are asked to meet at 7:30 p.m. on Aug. 24 in the Pre-School building. There will also be an open house that same night for the first grade. The first grade room will be open from 5 to 7 p.m.

Classes begin at 7:50 a.m. each morning. On Monday, Aug. 27, the school year will begin with an all-school celebration of Mass in Sacred Heart Church.

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After completing 1500 hours at CCC, she went to State Board in Austin and is now a licensed cosmetologist. Since August 15, Vickie is working Monday through Saturday. She welcomes walk-ins and has late appointments available on Tuesdays. Her specialties include men's and women's haircuts, perms, colors, manicures, pedicures, brow and lash tints, and arches.

Vickie is a 1989 graduate of Sacred Heart High School and is the daughter of Della and Harvey Schmitt. "I am excited about finally working on a professional level, and eager to serve my friends as well as new clients." She may be phoned at 759-4740 or 759-4237.



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At Muenster children in grades kindergarten through five may buy lunch for 80 cents and grades six through twelve for \$1.10. Also breakfast for 50 cents. Meals are also available free or at a reduced-price.

At Forestburg students in grades kindergarten through six may buy lunch for \$1.00 and students in grades seven through twelve for \$1.25. Breakfast is served for 50 cents. Meals are also available free or at a reduced-price.

If the family now gets Food Stamps or Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) for a child, that child can get free meals.

If the total household income is at or below the amounts on the Income Chart, the child can get free meals or reduced-price meals for 40 cents for lunch and 30 cents for breakfast.

If the family has a foster child, the child may be eligible for benefits regardless of the family income.

member. If this is not listed, the application must have the names of everyone in the household, the amount of income each household member not gets, where it comes from and how often it is received, the social security number of either the primary wage earner or the household member who signs the application or the word "none" if the member does not have a social security number and the signature of an adult household member. An application that is not complete cannot be approved.

Other information

-Verification: Eligibility may be checked by school officials at any time during the school year. Information may be requested to prove that the child should get free or reduced-price meals.

-Fair hearing: If the family is in disagreement with the school's decision on the application or the results of verification, a discussion may be set up with the school. The family also has a right to a fair hearing. Information for this can be obtained by calling or writing (Muenster) Steve Cooper, P.O.

Box 608, Muenster, TX 76252, phone 759-2281; or (Forestburg) Mr. Hollis Adams, Superintendent, P.O. Box 415, Forestburg, TX 76239, phone 964-2323.

-Reporting changes: If a child gets free meals based on income information, the school must be notified if the household size decreases or income increases by more than \$50 per month or \$600 per year. If a child gets meals based on AFDC/food stamp information, the school must be advised if the family no longer gets AFDC or food stamps for the child.

-Confidentiality: The information given on the application will be used only to allow the children to get free or reduced-price meals and to verify eligibility.

-Reapplication: Application may be made for free and reduced-price meals at any time during the school year. If a family is not eligible now but has a change, such as a decrease in household income, an increase in household size, become unemployed or get food stamps or AFDC for a child, an application may be filled out then.

-In the operation of the child feeding programs, no child will be discriminated against because of race, sex, color, national origin, age, or handicap. If there is any question of discrimination, write to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.

The family will be notified when the application is approved or denied.

INCOME CHART
Effective from July 1, 1990 to June 30, 1991

Household Size	Annual	Month	Week
1.....	11,618	969	224
2.....	15,577	1,299	300
3.....	19,536	1,628	376
4.....	23,495	1,958	452
5.....	27,454	2,288	528
6.....	31,413	2,618	605
7.....	35,372	2,948	681
8.....	39,331	3,278	757

For each additional family member add +3,959 +330 +77

How to apply:

To get free or reduced-price meals for children, carefully complete the application and return it to the school. If the family now gets food stamps or AFDC for the child, the application must have the child's name, the food stamp or AFDC case number and the signature of an adult household

New Arrivals —

Fleitman

Patrick Fleitman, Jr. is proud to announce the arrival of his baby sister, Mary Elizabeth. She was born on Thursday, August 2, 1990 at 11:59 p.m. in Woman's Pavilion of Denton. Mary Elizabeth weighed 6 lbs. 8 oz. and was 19 inches long. Proud parents are Patrick and Vickey Fleitman of Capps Corner. Paternal grandparents are Anton and Anna Marie Fleitman of Muenster. The maternal grandparents are Lois Franklin of Capps Corner and the late Burna Franklin. The baby is blessed with several aunts and uncles on her father's side and an uncle on her mother's side.

Deichler

Shannon and Bill Deichler of Muenster announce the birth of their second daughter, Allison Martha, in Presbyterian Hospital of Dallas on Aug. 9, 1990 at 2:25 p.m., weighing 7 lb. 11 oz. She joins a sister, Katherine Jane, at home. Their grandparents are Bobbie Jane and Philip Slater of Muenster and Rev. W.E. and Martha Deichler of Tully, N.Y. The great-grandparents are Myrtle Deichler of Fairport, N.Y. and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Slater, Sr. of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Bob Sims of Graham, Texas. The two little girls are namesakes of their grandmothers.

Bloedel

Pam and Dana Bloedel of Sanger are happy to announce the arrival of a son, Trenton James, on Wednesday, August 15, 1990 at 1:26 a.m. He weighed 9 lbs. 4 ozs. and measured 21 inches in length. Trenton joins a sister, Kimberly, age 2. Grandparents are Gene and Judy Hartman of Denton and Buzz and Jean Bloedel of New Ulm, Minn. Mrs. Victor Hartman and Eula Grace Cain of Muenster are the great-grandparents.

8th Arts Fest set for September

SHERMAN - Arts and crafts, food, entertainment, children's activities and more will highlight the eighth annual Red River Valley Arts Fest, set for September 15, on the grounds of the Sherman Municipal Building.

The sale of original handcrafted items in more than 180 booths once again tops the list of attractions, says Milly Haring, craft chairman. Booth space is still available for individuals, groups or clubs wishing to participate. Booth fees are \$50 for a 10-foot square space, and interested persons may call Haring at 892-3113 or 893-2814 for more information.

Booth space also is available for food sales during the one-day Arts Fest. Fees for non-profit groups are \$50 for space plus a \$75 charge for electricity, if required, and \$150 for profit vendors plus \$75 for electricity, if required. For more information contact food chairman Laura Gregor at 893-2696.

Arts Fest will again host the K-LAKE 5K and Fun Run on the morning of the festival. Entry fee is \$8 if pre-registered and \$10 on the day of the race.

Other Arts Fest Activities this year include three stages of continuous musical entertainment; children's activities that include hands-on crafts, dog show and hay ride; the Sherman Art League's annual judged show and sale; and a special exhibit on the history of the old Red River Valley Fair at the Red River Historical Museum.

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Janie Hartman Photos

Conference attended by SH Council members

Two members of the Sacred Heart Student Council, Dawn Knabe and Jenny Yosten, accompanied by Edna Knabe, attended the TEED Summer Conference. TEED stands for Texas Energy Education Development. The conference was held at Rice University, Houston, the week of July 31 through August 3. Forty-seven students and 21 sponsors from across the state participated in the conference. The goal for the week was to better inform students of quickly disappearing energy resources, and provide ways individuals or schools could help conserve. During the week the students heard talks about renewable and nonrenewable resources, exchanged project ideas with other schools, and used solar power to roast hot dogs. For the week the large group was broken down into five Task Forces. Each Task Force had a different project to accomplish along with meeting new friends.

On Wednesday the group went by bus to the Shell Oil Company. Half of the group toured Shell Oil while the others toured Rohm and

Hass Texas, a chemical company. Later that day the group toured the Houston Museum of Natural Science. The museum contains a large variety of exhibits including oil drilling procedures, dinosaur skeletons, wildlife exhibits, rocks and minerals, and a hands-on discovery place.

Thursday was the day of the weatherization project. The group was taken to Houston Light and Power Company. First, talks were given on energy conservation. The students were then divided into six teams and received instructions on weatherizing homes. Work stations were set up for the students to practice what they had learned. After a lunch provided by HL&P, the teams were taken to an older neighborhood in town where they weatherized actual homes.

The students attending the four day conference will share their gained knowledge with their fellow students and community throughout the year. It was hard work but everyone seemed to agree it was rewarding.

St. Mary's holds reunion

A reunion of alumni and graduates of St. Mary's High School of Gainesville was held on Saturday, August 11, 1990 in St. Mary's Parish Hall. Approximately 150 attended. Special recognition was given in certain notable categories. Mrs. Catherine Luttmner was recognized as the oldest graduate present; a graduate who came from El Paso traveled the greatest distance; one who attended in 1919, Mrs. Luttmner, was honored; a number of students who attended between 1929 up to 1952 were present.

Winners for door prizes received green plants that had been used on guest tables. Mrs. Richard Neu won the main table floral arrangement.

Father Nicholas Fuhrmann offered the 4 p.m. Mass in St. Mary's Church.

Dinner at 6 p.m., catered by the Hermes sisters, followed a hospitality hour. Adam Wolf was master of ceremonies during the evening's program.

Entertainment during the evening featured Kelly Wolf and Company.

The committee in charge of planning included Eunice Wolf, Eleanor Felderhoff, Maryanne Fleitman, Doris Kuhn, Thekla Gossett, Walter and Georgia Wolf, Betty Wolf, Lee Wolf, Adam Wolf and Mary Arendt.

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RENEW - RSVP to Christ

by Dorothy Fleitman

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The RENEW program has been designed to help people communicate - on a family level, - on a person to person level, - on a parish level, - and, most importantly, to communicate with God.

During the five seasons of RENEW, prayer and Scripture Readings will help us to grow in our faith. We will learn to open our hearts and feel what God is saying to us. We will learn to share and live our faith, at home, in small groups, and as a faith community.

This is an opportunity for everyone to become more active members of God's family and to develop a closer relationship with Christ.

Remember, sign-ups for the first season of RENEW will be held on Sunday, September 2.

Beta Kappa plans year

Sharon Felderhoff hosted the Aug. 13 meeting of Beta Kappa Service Sorority and presided for the business meeting. Thirteen members attended.

Uppermost in minds of members was the loss of a friend, co-worker and former president, Lynn Dangelmayr. Members paused after the opening of the meeting to observe a moment of silent prayer in her memory, and to recall her dedication to Beta Kappa.

Later in the meeting, a card of thanks received from John Dangelmayr was read to the group.

4-H record books judged

Submitted by Sherilyn Sicking

Twenty 4-Hers from Cooke County had their record books judged recently in county competition. They were judged by the Montague county agent and adult leader. The results are as follows:

Juniors, blue ribbons - Diana Bouldin, clothing; Michael Becker, dairy; Bonnie Brooks, dog care and training; Emily Felderhoff, foods and nutrition; Gayle Pierce, recreation; Randal Paclik, sheep.

Juniors, red ribbons - Lucas Bayer, dairy goats.

Intermediate, blue ribbons - Heath Bayer, agriculture; Robert Lutkenhaus, beef; Greg Brooks, conservation of natural resources; Marie Martin, recreation; Holly Howell, sheep.

Senior, blue ribbons - Sherilyn Sicking, achievement; Werner Becker, agriculture; Weldon Bayer, agriculture; Clifford Lutkenhaus, beef; Charlene Lutkenhaus, breads; Sean Herbold, horse; Shiann Howell, sheep; Michael Proffer, shooting sports.

The judges for Montague County that day were agents, Evelyn Yeatts and Cassie Bullock. Adult leaders were Barbara Bayer, Linda Becker, and Evelyn Sicking.

Nineteen books competed in District competition on July 17 in Dallas at the District 4-H center. Those results are as follows:

Juniors - Winning first in District, Bonnie Brooks, blue. Placing second: Diana Bouldin, blue; Michael Becker, blue; Lucas Bayer, red; Gayle Pierce, blue. Placing third: Emily Felderhoff, blue. Also Randal Paclik, blue.

Intermediate - Winning first in District, Greg Brooks, blue. Placing second: Heath Bayer, red; Marie Martin, blue. Also Robert Lutkenhaus, blue; and Holly Howell, red.

Seniors - Winning first in District, Michael Proffer, blue. Placing second: Sherilyn Sicking, blue; Charlene Lutkenhaus, blue. Also Werner Becker, red; Clifford Lutkenhaus, red; Sean Herbold, blue; and Shiann Howell, red.

Michael Proffer's record book advanced to State competition. He is anxiously waiting for the results. Only Senior record books advance to the state level.

The judges from Cooke County judging at the district level were Linda Becker, Carolyn Lutkenhaus and Evelyn Sicking.

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32 Hornets report for gridiron action

Even though Muenster Coach Grady Roller is entering his first season as the Hornet football coach, he is well known in the area, after coaching at Lindsay for six years.

Roller feels his team of 32 players is a balanced group and was glad to see that number of boys out.

The team will be split into varsity and junior varsity. "The JV will be mostly freshmen (ten) and a few sophomores," said Roller. "Several sophomores will be key players on the varsity squad." Roller hopes to play a junior varsity schedule, but if a large number of players get hurt, the players will be moved up to varsity. "You don't get good sitting on the sidelines," commented the coach.

"They're real good looking young men, we're working hard and I'm throwing a lot of new stuff at them and they're responding real well," said the coach.

Roller said the defense is the nucleus of the team. He noted Brad McDaniel and Paul Black for having great potential. "The linebacker looks real strong," the coach said about Troy Pagel, Chris Kubis and Mike Vogel. "The big change is on defense, it's all new for them, we're now concentrating on the basics." Roller also noted that the secondary and offensive line are looking good. "The quarterback position is still up for grabs," said the Muenster coach, with three trying for the spot. Most places will be officially filled after the scrimmages.

Roller sees good leadership in his six senior players. Defensive tackles Brad McDaniel and Paul Black and linebacker Troy Pagel top the list. Terry Felderhoff moved to cornerback with Kelly Colwell in the center spot and Scott Hudspeth as guard. Coach Roller has always told his players "Your ball club's usually no better than your seniors and the leadership they possess."

The Hornets lost ten lettermen and starters from last year's 4-2

district season, which put Muenster third behind Valley View and Era.

"Enthusiasm is good," said Roller, "we're going through the motions and learning. We can't go full speed until we get it down. It will all come together in two or three weeks."

Muenster will host Perrin on Thursday, Aug. 23 for the season's first scrimmage.

"The little things make a championship team and those are usually the hardest things," concluded the Hornet coach.

Grady Roller is assisted by Brian Strother and Tim Ratliff.

DiStefano is swim meet champion

Michael DiStefano, son of Charlie and Peggy Jo DiStefano of Missouri City and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Reiter of Muenster won several medals in the Pepsi Games of Texas Swim Meet on Aug. 4, 1990.

He competed in the 13-14 year olds division. He won first place and a gold medal in the Medley Relay, anchor 50m free style. He won third place and a bronze medal in the 50 meter breast stroke and took fourth place in the 100 meter Individual IM.

Michael DiStefano competed in the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation State Swimming Championship at Alfred Loo's Natatorium in Dallas.

He is an eighth grade graduate of St. Thomas Moore School in Houston where he will also attend Strait Jesuit High School this fall.

Attending the swim meet on Saturday, Aug. 4 were his parents, his grandparents Reiter and his sister Julie.



SACRED HEART TIGERS wait their turn to push the blocking sleigh as two-a-days began this week.

Janie Hartman Photo



HORNET COACH GRADY ROLLER discusses offensive strategy as the players take a break during Tuesday morning's practice.

Janie Hartman Photo

Muenster Golf Assn. News ...

by Dan Hamric

The August tournament of the Muenster Golf Association was held Sunday, August 5 as 16 "he and she" teams competed for the prize money. The teams were flighted with the top five teams in the first flight, the middle five teams in the second flight, and the remaining six teams in the third flight.

Taking top honors at two under par was the brother-sister team of Shane and Dana Wimmer. They carded a 69 beating out Sonny and Lamarylis Fore who finished at even par 71. Dan and Fay Hamric finished third at 73.

Second flight money went to Earl Fisher and Bertha Hamric who nudged Don and Dot Endres on a score card playoff. Both teams carded a 76. Joe Hennigan and Kim Eldred finished third with a 77.

Third flight winners were another brother-sister act of John and Mary Beth Bartush. They carded a 78 and beat out Brian Hess and Danna Hamric by two shots. Third place honors went to Tom and Lucille Hesse with an 81.

Hermie Grewing and Fay Hamric won the pre-tournament putting contest as each ran a 75 foot putt up to "gimmie" distance.

Next action for MGA will be the club championship which has been tentatively set for September 9 at Nocona Municipal.

Tigers looking up!

Last year was not a typical one for Sacred Heart. Finishing the season 2-8 with 11 players, the Tigers had a hard time all season, trying to keep enough players on the field.

The numbers are usually small at Sacred Heart, but this year is a little different. Twenty-seven students reported to Coach John Nasche this week. "We still hope to get a few more players," said Nasche. "We are optimistic with the addition of new players that we will be able to continue a J.V. schedule throughout the season."

At the present, Coach Nasche is planning Junior Varsity games. "I want the freshmen out there playing, they need the time."

The Tigers have seven seniors working out - Shawn Dangelmayr, Jason Endres, Arnie Hess, Ryan Hess, Darrell Mullins, Jon Schilling and Jason Beyer. Beyer, a transfer student from Mesquite, played for Bishop Lynch High School last season.

Dangelmayr, Beyer and Stevan Nasche are "neck and neck," fighting for the quarterback position. "It's tough to pick starters this early in the season," said Coach Nasche. Working the backfield will be Ryan Hess, Chris Hess, Darren Klement and "one of the quarterbacks," noted the coach. Linemen will be picked from Jason Endres, Darrell Mullins, Jon Schilling, Kelly Bell, Bill Park, Gary Hess, Scott Hennigan, Werner Becker, Tom Greathouse and

Jordan Bayer. Tight ends are Larry Switzer and Greg Hess.

"We have a lot of depth, we may have lots of substituting on the line," Nasche said. "We could have offensive and defensive linemen that won't have to play both ways."

Nasche said the Tigers' weakness is team speed, "but we have very good quickness." He doesn't believe size is really a problem, "we could have more, but it's not a factor." The varsity average weight is 165-175 pounds.

Coach Nasche warned the boys that he will make earlier curfews for players struggling with grades. "The desire, discipline and excitement are there," concluded the coach. "I'm really pleased with their effort and have nothing but good things to say."

John Nasche is assisted by Danny Walterscheid and Mike Stoffels. The Tigers will scrimmage Brookhollow at home at 7 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 24.

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Football looks hopeful for LHS Knights

Second year coach for the Lindsay Knights, Pat Benton's main objective is to turn around the misfortunes of last year's winless district season.

"The boys and I are enthusiastic about this season, and we're getting after it so far," said Coach Benton.

The Lindsay leader stated that his squad doesn't have a strong point yet, but the boys are physically stronger than last year, a little bigger and have a little more speed.

Forty-three players reported to practice Monday morning, including twelve seniors and twelve juniors. "Our strong point is having enough upper classmen," said Benton. "Each position is going to be pushed. We'll have enough depth, unlike last year, to have a good quality backup."

The Knights lost ten senior lettermen and returned seven offensive and seven defensive starters. Scott Hermes returns at quarterback, joined by Ronnie Dieter and Jessie Barnes in the backfield. Pat Corcoran returns as a tightend - safety with Herb Price, David Parsons, Matt Zimmerer and Pat Schully on the line. They plan to run the wing-T on offense and a 52 on defense.

Lindsay's weakness is size. "We're still not as big as some teams, but we're bigger than last year," said Benton. "We hope we don't have the problem like we did last year." The Knights have only one starter weighing in over 200 pounds.

Coach Benton figures a close toss-up between Collinsville, Muenster, Era and Lindsay for district honors. "All four are going to be equal."

Lindsay will have their first challenge on Friday, Aug. 24 in Jacksboro at 6:00 p.m.

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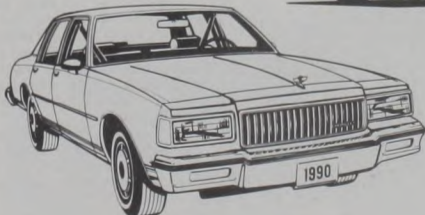
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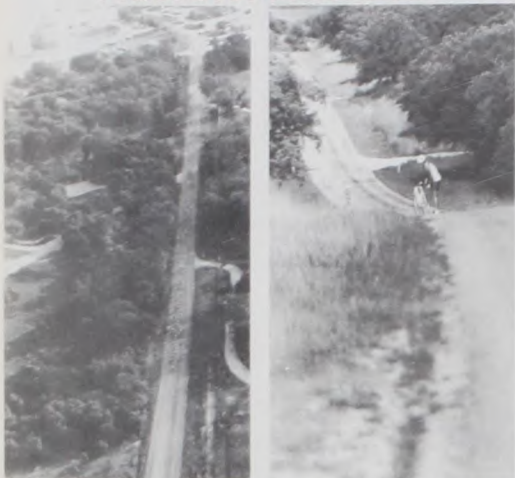
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BIKERS PEDDLE up Hess Hill as the Rally begins. At right, a temporary breakdown on the return ride home. *Janie Hartman Photos*



AT THE FIRST REST STOP, above, a biker repairs the brakes of his bike and, below, Mark Grewing gives refreshments to a participant. *Dave Fette Photos*



TWO BIKERS on the last hump of Gehrig's Hill. *Janie Hartman Photo*

ERIC

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who has reported on the White House for almost fifty years. Dankesreiter said "The most amazing thing about working in Washington, D.C. is the realization that everything our government does is a reaction to its people. That was made even more evident by working in Congressman Stenholm's office. He reads every letter that constituents write to him, and there are lots of letters!"

He said he was impressed with the enthusiasm in Stenholm's office. "I intend to work for the government in some capacity after I graduate," said Dankesreiter. "The experiences that I have had during this internship have reinforced my desire to become a part of our government."

Since high school graduation, Eric Dankesreiter has attended Cooke County College where he has completed 47 hours of college credit, maintaining a 4.7 grade point average. He is a member of Phi Theta Kappa and was awarded a \$200 scholarship per semester from the fraternity. He will transfer to Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Classes will begin on Aug. 27. He will pursue a major in Political Science and a minor in English.

Other children of the Tom and Rosemary Dankesreiter family are a daughter Dana, Mrs. John Walterscheid, a daughter Amy and a son, Tommy Joe. The oldest child of the family, David, died of leukemia at age 6. Grandparents are Lawrence Dankesreiter of Muenster and Mrs. Theresa Hermes of Lindsay.

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Friday, August 17, 1990

7:00 p.m. Muenster City Park

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that are brought in for servicing. Grand Opening festivities will kick-off Thursday evening at 5:30 p.m. when Gainesville Ford - Mercury will host members of the media, several civic organization heads, and some new and old customers who have been invited to tour the dealership inside and out.

The guests should literally get a "bang" out of the gunfight that has been scheduled at 6:30 p.m. for their entertainment.

On Friday a Jail and Bail Lock-up will be sponsored by Gainesville Ford-Mercury to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association. Around 46 Gainesville executives will be arrested and locked up in a jail cell on the premises of the dealership.

The "prisoners" will have to raise enough money to pay their bail. This can be achieved by phoning friends to add a little cash to their bail fund. All of the proceeds from the bail will go to MDA.

According to reports received by Ms. Phelps from MDA they have already outperformed most sponsors. The usual number of prisoners is close to 20.

Two gunfights will be staged for the enjoyment of those who attend on Friday. The old west type gunfights will take place at 12:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Gainesville High School girls' drill team will be selling hot dogs as a fund raiser. Their stand will be located outside Gainesville Ford-Mercury. The dealership and Tom Thumb in Gainesville are sponsoring the endeavour.

Plans on Saturday include a magician's show from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. Gunfight shows are again on the agenda for 10:30 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. A truck from Gainesville Ford-Mercury will be a part of the Gainesville Rodeo Parade on Saturday. It will also participate in the rodeo when it is used to pick up barrels, etc.

All during the Grand Opening any customer purchasing any vehicle off the Gainesville Ford - Mercury lot will get to choose between a trip for two to Las Vegas or \$500 off the sticker price of the vehicle.

Marsha Phelps describes herself as a natural born penny-pincher and states that she knows how it feels to be put through the mill when trying to buy a car. "I am going to go out of my way to make sure that we price cars attractively and make the buying process as easy and pleasant for them (the customer) as possible," she stated.

Perhaps more important, added Ms. Phelps, was that she wants to help customers on the service end. "They can count on us for modestly priced, high quality, continual car care," she commented. "I'm promising them that."

Ms. Phelps encourages any customer who doesn't get what they asked for to contact her personally. She said that her office is always open and her phone number is 665-5531 if anyone has questions to ask her. "I'm committed," concluded the owner. "I hope to have a long and enjoyable business relationship here in Gainesville. One unhappy customer means that he and many of his friends are customers lost forever."

Notice of Effective Tax Rate (for use by most taxing units)

1990 Property Tax Rates in City of Muenster

This notice concerns 1990 property tax rates for City of Muenster. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:		192,278
• Last year's operating taxes	\$	-
• Last year's debt taxes	\$	172,278
• Last year's total taxes	\$	45,059,029
• Last year's tax base	\$	234,266
• Last year's total tax rate	\$	190,952

This year's effective tax rate:

• Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$	190,952
• This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$	45,497,089
• This year's effective tax rate	\$	41970

(In the first year a city or county collects the additional sales tax it must insert the following lines unless it made in first adjustment last year)

• Sales tax adjustment rate	\$	-0-	/100
• Effective tax rate	\$	-0-	/100

• 1.03 = maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearing \$.43229 /100

This year's rollback tax rate:

• Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$	190,952
• This year's adjusted tax base	\$	45,497,089
• This year's effective operating rate	\$	41970
• 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	\$	-0-
• This year's debt rate	\$	-0-

(A school district must insert the following lines)

• This year's rollback rate before adjustment	\$	-0-	/100
• Rate to recoup lost state funds	\$	-	/100
• A. Adjusted rollback rate	\$	-	/100
• B. Rate that would result in maximum state funds	\$	-	/100
Rollback Rate (greater of A or B)	\$	-	/100
• This year's rollback rate	\$	-	/100

(A city or county that collects the additional sales tax (including one that collects the tax for the first time this year) must insert the following lines)

• Sales tax adjustment rate	\$	-0-	/100
• Rollback tax rate	\$	-0-	/100

SCHEDULE A: Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following balances will probably be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
Muenster City Treasury	\$153,056.39

SCHEDULE B: 1990 Debt Service

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid	Interest to be Paid	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
N/A				N/A
Total required for 1990 debt service			-0-	
- Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A			-0-	
- Excess collections last year			-0-	
- Total to be paid from taxes in 1990			-0-	
• Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only 22% of its taxes in 1990			-0-	
• Total Debt Service Levy			-0-	

SCHEDULE C: Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax

(For counties and cities with additional 1/2 cent sales tax)

In calculating its effective and rollback tax rates, the unit estimated that it will receive \$ -0- in additional sales and use tax revenues.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rate calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at COOKE COUNTY TAX OFFICE.

Name of person preparing this notice: Joyce Zwirggl
 Title: Tax Assessor Collr.
 Date prepared: 8-8-1990

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE

The City of Muenster will hold a public hearing on a proposal to increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll in 1989 by 0.799 percent. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property.

The public hearing will be held on **August 27, 1990-7:30P.M. at City Hall.**

FOR the proposal: Joe Koesler, Al Hess, Aubrey Tuggle, Arthur Hennigan, Willie Wimmer.
AGAINST the proposal: None
PRESENT and not voting: None
ABSENT: None

The statement above shows the percentage increase the proposed rate represents over the Effective tax rate that the unit published on August 17, 1990.

The following table compares taxes on an average home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average home this year. Again, your individual taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable value of your property.

	Last Year	This Year
Average home value	35,000	35,000
General exemptions available (amount available on the average home, not including senior citizen's or disabled person's exemptions)		
Average taxable value	35,000	35,000
Tax rate	.43069	.45323
Tax	150.75	158.63 (proposed)

Under this proposal taxes on the average home would increase by \$7.88 - Seven dollars and eighty-eight cents or 5 (five) percent compared with last year's taxes.

Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate would increase by \$.02254 per \$100 of taxable value or 5 (five) percent compared to last year's tax rate. These tax rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property.

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Last year's tax rate:		-
• Last year's operating taxes	\$	-
• Last year's debt taxes	\$	47,572
• Last year's total taxes	\$	47,572
• Last year's tax base	\$	4,947,090
• Last year's total tax rate	\$	10584

This year's effective tax rate:

• Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$	47,244
• This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$	42,955,330
• This year's effective tax rate	\$	10998

(In the first year a city or county collects the additional sales tax it must insert the following lines unless it made in first adjustment last year)

• Sales tax adjustment rate	\$	-0-	/100
• Effective tax rate	\$	-0-	/100

• 1.03 = maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearing \$.11328 /100

This year's rollback tax rate:

• Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$	-
• This year's adjusted tax base	\$	42,955,330
• This year's effective operating rate	\$	-
• 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	\$	-
• This year's debt rate	\$	12503

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• This year's rollback rate before adjustment	\$	-0-	/100
• Rate to recoup lost state funds	\$	-	/100
• A. Adjusted rollback rate	\$	-	/100
• B. Rate that would result in maximum state funds	\$	-	/100
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• This year's rollback rate	\$	-	/100

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• Rollback tax rate	\$	-0-	/100

SCHEDULE A: Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following balances will probably be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
Interest & Sinking Fund	\$ 10,635.62

SCHEDULE B: 1990 Debt Service

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid	Interest to be Paid	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
Bond Series 1983-1990	\$10,000	\$42,640	-	\$52,640
Total required for 1990 debt service			\$52,640	
- Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A			-	
- Excess collections last year			-	
- Total to be paid from taxes in 1990			52,640	
• Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only 22% of its taxes in 1990			1,628	
• Total Debt Service Levy			\$54,268	

SCHEDULE C: Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax

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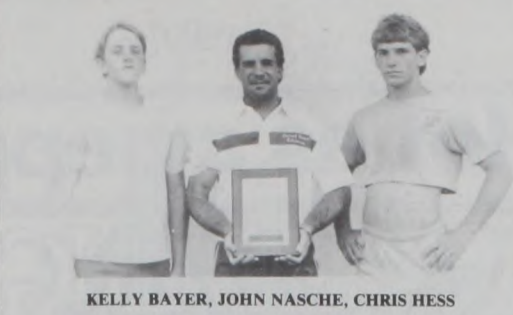
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Three Sacred Heart weightlifters competed in the YMCA USPF (United States Powerlifting Federation) Texas Open and returned home with winning plaques. Competing Saturday, Aug. 4 at the Irving YMCA were Chris Hess, Kelly Bayer and Coach John Nasche. Each of the three were in different divisions.

"The match was tough for the first time lifters," said Nasche. "There was lots of competition in every division."

The lifters were judged by total weight combined from the best of three lifts - the bench, squat and

White bass, channel cats excel at Roberts

A recent gill net survey on Lake Ray Roberts indicates that the lake has great potential for white bass and the channel catfish population is improving, according to Texas Parks and Wildlife Department fishery biologists.

Biologists caught 3.9 white bass per net, of which 98 percent were legal size (10 inches or longer). The largest was almost 15 inches long and weighed 1.5 pounds. John Moczgamba, assistant district fisheries supervisor in Denison, said the best place to find white bass on Ray Roberts is in open water areas near drop-offs.

The survey also produced 4.5 channel catfish per net, up from 4.1 in 1988, said Bruce Hysmith, district fisheries supervisor in Denison. Survey results show that

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Hess finished second with a total of 826.4 pounds, 65 pounds light of first place. Bayer lifted 550.9 pounds for third in his classification, while Nasche finished second, lifting 1041.4 pounds, 70 pounds behind the winner.

"I was very pleased with these two boys," said Nasche. "Hopefully we'll have more competing next time." Short notice and other activities hampered attendance. "Summer workouts made the big difference in the guys' performance," concluded the coach.

The first player to make a hole-in-one on any of the Par 3 holes will receive a 1990 Toyota from Grayson Motors. The holes are No. 4, 7, 12 or 14. The Toyotas offered include two Camrys, a Celica GT and a 4x4 pickup.

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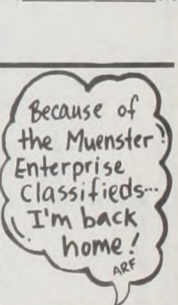
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Prices lower on school clothes

COLLEGE STATION - Although sharp increases in the cost of clothing were seen this Spring, parents may find back-to-school prices slightly lower. "Prices were up this year on clothing for women by 5 percent and toddlers and infants by as much as 10.3 percent," said Dr. Ann Beard, clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "But overall, prices have dropped within a year by 1.7 percent for boys and 1.5 percent for girls." Since clothing prices for boys and girls have dropped, bargains may be easier to find, Beard said. However, style is costly and very important to young people who like to dress similar to their peers. To get the most for your money when shopping for clothes, Beard suggests following these tips: -Make a list of specific items needed before you go shopping. Also, include the quantity of items needed. -Take your child shopping with

you. Before you go, prepare him or her for what you are looking for, and shop only for the child since children get tired easily. -Consider the child's growth patterns. Don't buy more than what is needed. Children grow rapidly and may outgrow what you buy before the school year is over. -Consider purchasing two or three outfits that can be mixed and matched for a more useful wardrobe. -Consider the special activities your child will be involved in. If special clothing will be needed for each activity, consider these as a share of the clothing budget. Decide if parts of these garments could be worn with regular school clothing as a wardrobe extender. Less expensive tops such as brightly-colored T-shirts can add variety to a wardrobe. -Choose styles and fabrics that will grow with the child. Raglan sleeves, cuffs on pants, adjustable straps and waistbands, large hems

in dresses and tops are features that can add to the wear-life of a garment. -Also, consider the care factors. Knits, especially cotton or cotton/polyester, are easy to care for and stretch for comfort. Choose durable fabrics such as denim and corduroy to withstand children's abuse and repeated laundering. "Take special care when buying shoes for children," Beard said. "Don't ask for the size you think your child needs, have both feet measured by reputable shoe salesmen." Shoes should be sturdy and provide support, she said. Buy at least two pairs that can be interchanged for longer wear and comfort. "Your child should never wear hand-me-down shoes," Beard said. "Hand-me-down shoes force the child's feet to conform to the footprint already in the shoe."

BACK-TO-SCHOOL

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Rep. Perry looking for ways to improve farming

by Elaine Schad

One of the greatest challenges facing Texas agriculture in coming years will be finding an efficient way to expand the state's roll in processing its raw agricultural products, the Republican candidate for Texas Agriculture Commissioner said during a recent campaign stop in Gainesville.

Rick Perry, who will face incumbent Democrat Jim Hightower in November, said the future of Texas agriculture could depend on how well processors of raw agricultural products can be encouraged to move to the state. "We've been very good at producing," said Perry. "But we process less than 6 percent of our own products here in Texas."

A concerted emphasis should be placed on ways to process more products in Texas rather than shipping them to other states and foreign countries to be processed, said Perry. This would create more jobs and strengthen markets, he said. If the number of value-added processing facilities could be increased by just 1 percent, it would mean an additional \$2.2 billion to the Texas economy, Perry said.

While the tide is slowly turning, Perry agrees with Republican gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams that two major roadblocks remain that could prevent more processors from moving into the state. One is a regulated trucking industry where it is cheaper to send goods from St. Louis to El Paso than it is to transport goods from Dallas to El Paso. Another is the state's workman's compensation laws, which still has some of the highest premiums and some of the lowest benefits in the nation, he said.

Perry, 40, a native of Haskell and a fifth-generation Texas farmer and rancher, was named as one of the 10 most effective lawmakers by *The Dallas Morning News* in 1989. He has served as representative of the 64th Texas Legislative District since 1984. Perry was a member of the House Committee on Agriculture and Livestock in 1985 and 1986 and served on the Southern Legislative Conference Agriculture and Rural Development Committee from 1987 to 1988.

Perry, who was elected to the Texas House of Representatives in 1984 as a Democrat, switched last year to the Republican Party. Perry said he made the switch because he felt uncomfortable with many positions taken by national Democratic leaders on such issues as defense.

Perry has been hitting hard at incumbent Agriculture Commissioner

Jim Hightower, stating he is "flying too high on the hog at the taxpayer's expense." Perry points to what he claims are Hightower's continual abuse of state aircraft, citing one month - April of this year - which he said Hightower cost taxpayers \$5,736.04.

Perry claims that on April 4, 1990, Hightower flew lobbyist Connie Johnson to Houston and back to Austin at state expense. On April 6, he said Hightower flew in a state plane to a rock concert in Indianapolis, and on April 21, Hightower flew rock star Steve Fromholz and a friend to several Texas cities in what Hightower claimed were meetings with area farmers.

Perry has called on Hightower to reimburse the state government for what he claims is misuse of the airplane and to stop using it for campaigning and personal activities.

Hightower's funds need investigation

WACO - Texas Commissioner of Agriculture Jim Hightower's "mishandling" of producer funds in a crop inspection program needs investigating more than ever, Vernie Glasson, Texas Farm Bureau executive director, charged August 9.

"Hightower has kept more than a million dollars of producers' money instead of turning it over to the crop inspection program. Perhaps he should tell the public why."

"Sure we wrote to the American Farm Bureau Federation office in Washington, D.C., asking it to urge the USDA to complete the investigation we had requested last fall. The USDA has not obliged our request, and is at fault for not using its resources to dig into the mess we have at TDA."

"Agriculture is an important industry in Texas, and our farmers and ranchers deserve a department that works on their behalf. Jim Hightower has successfully turned the department into an activist political movement that is not concerned about agriculture."

"Hightower is unqualified to serve. Texas agriculture has suffered due to his lack of leadership for the past seven years, and our farmer and rancher members have given us policy direction to make a change," Glasson said.



WORK CONTINUES at Muenster Milling's North Main Elevator, including the placement of a second new ingredient bin. The bin was constructed at the site, then lifted 67 feet by a crane to its new location.

Janie Hartman Photo

Structure wheat program to avoid building stocks

WASHINGTON, D.C. - National Farmers Union leaders are urging USDA Secretary Clayton Yetter to announce acreage reduction provisions for the 1991 wheat program soon, and to establish set-aside levels that won't lead to a build-up of wheat stocks.

During a meeting in Washington last week, NFU board members, including Texas Farmers Union President Joe Rankin, voted to encourage Yetter to reverse the precedent he set last year in allowing wheat to

plant on 105 percent of farmers' bases. "Now that harvest is here, we're seeing record-setting wheat crops in some states and the build-up of supply levels to the extent that they are depressing prices," said Rankin.

Rankin says that two years of drought in major wheat-producing states led to a "God-given supply management program" that depleted stocks and allowed wheat prices to rise. "If there's anything good about a drought, it's that it shrinks surpluses and allows those farmers who could raise a crop to get a fair price for it."

Farmers Union leaders expressed opposition to Yetter's 105 percent announcement last year. They say the "fencerow-to-fencerow" production has lowered wheat prices, especially as stock levels rose during the harvest season. "Although we need adequate commodity reserve levels to use in instances of natural disaster, we cannot continually add to those surpluses until they drive our prices down," Rankin said.

Under provisions of the 1985 farm bill the secretary of agriculture has the discretion to set acreage reduction requirements within certain windows. Yetter used the discretion last year to allow farmers to produce on their entire wheat base, plus an additional 5 percent, thus discontinuing supply-management set-aside requirements that were utilized during previous years.

At the time, Yetter said the increased acreage was necessary to maintain the supply of wheat needed for domestic and export needs. But, NFU said increasing the level of land in production was a "knee-jerk" reaction to two years of short supplies as a result of the drought. "Our stock levels had only then reached a point where they weren't depressing prices. Now, with a better crop year, and more land in production, we've gone right back to boom stocks and bust prices." "All we're saying now is let's not make the same mistake again."

Although the NFU board did not recommend a specific set-aside level, Swenson said USDA officials should work from export and domestic demand estimates to determine the amount of wheat that will be needed in the next crop year.

Mother Nature won't wait on government

by Lloyd Bentsen

There's no question that the Federal Government is powerful. But for all its power, Government doesn't have the slightest effect on the merest whims of Mother Nature.

Mother Nature can't be rearranged or rescheduled and farmers, for one, have to run their business by her clock. She dictates planting and harvesting deadlines with an authority none of us dares to challenge.

Every five years Congress enacts a new farm bill. Getting this bill signed into law is a long and complicated process. Quite often farmers need to know what future farm policy is going to be before the new bill is actually passed because they face planting deadlines. They can't plant their crops and plan their season based on laws that are about to be changed.

We can't leave our farmers out on a limb like that.

Efficient farming demands advance planning. Some farmers have to arrange to rent land, others may have to arrange financing, and all farmers need adequate time to buy seed and prepare the soil. Farmers can't wait on the Congress or the Administration to make up their minds on the new farm programs.

America's farmers have the responsibility of putting food on much of the world's table. We can't sit by and watch them get squeezed between Mother Nature and government inaction.

County Agent's Report

by Craig Rosenbaum

White Grub Control

June beetles, the adult stage of the white grub, have been flying since the first of June in Dallas. Each year since 1978, Dr. Robert Crocker, TAEX Entomologist, has monitored these flights with black light traps. These years of data show that the periods of peak beetle activity vary greatly between years. In most cases, beetles emerge following rainfall. This relationship explains the variable timing of beetle flights from year to year. Determining major flight periods is useful in estimating the optimum period to inspect and, if necessary, treat turf for white grubs.

Results of a computer model designed by Dr. Crocker indicate the optimal time for applying an insecticide treatment should lie somewhere between about August 10 and August 28. Small and medium sized grubs can now be found in some turfgrass areas; however, the largest numbers of first and second instar grubs, the optimal size for killing with soil insecticides, should occur during this treatment window.

Actually, most lawns will probably not require treatment with insecticides. Treatment with insecticides is not recommended unless more than four white grubs per square foot can be found in the top 4-6 inches of soil.

Unnecessary treatments with insecticides are not only expensive, they can result in destruction of beneficial organisms and needlessly pollute the environment.

Lawn should be well watered several days before the insecticide is applied. Most soil brings white grubs closer to the soil surface, increasing the chance for successful insecticidal control.

Thoroughly water white grub treatments into the soil. When using liquid insecticides, lawns should be watered immediately after application - preferably before spray deposits dry. Granular formulations require watering - in within 1-2 days after application. This ensures that the insecticide is carried down into the root zone of the soil where white

grubs feed.

Crop Tour Aug. 22

The summer rains have caused milo, soybean, and hay crops to make excellent growth following a late Spring planting. In most instances milo crops were at least a month late in being planted this Spring due to excess early moisture. Milo plots at the J.H. Bayer and Sons farm have made excellent growth and many characteristics of head size and type along with insect resistance. The soybean plots on the Herman Hartman farm have made equally good growth and bean set.

A tour will be held on both locations on Wednesday, August 22 to evaluate growth and varietal characteristics. The tour will begin at 8:30 a.m. at the soybean plots located approximately two miles south of Muenster next to the Herman Hartman home. At 10:00 we will review the milo plots at the J.H. Bayer and Sons farm near Hays. Additional directions can be obtained by calling the County Extension Office. Grain producers are urged to attend.

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Country Tidings

by Ruth Smith

Watermelon Festival's this weekend!

The Forestburg Watermelon Festival will be Saturday, August 18. The day starts with a bike race (12 and under cash prizes) at 8:30 a.m. At 9:30 a.m. a Munchkin Run (12 and under cash prizes) will be held. The parade will start at 10:30 a.m., followed by the Old West Gunfighters. Barbecue lunch will be served with all the trimmings and fruit cobbler starting at 11:30 a.m. The Fiddler's Contest will begin at 1:15 p.m. First place will win \$50 and second place, \$25.

Afternoon entertainment includes: Egg Toss, Watermelon Toss, Cow Drop, Children's Calf Roping, Greased Watermelon Relay, Girls vs. Boys Softball Game, and a volleyball tournament. A dance at the community center follows with doors opening at 7:30 p.m.

Different bands will be playing all afternoon long. Among those playing will be Bob and the Drifters, Willie Bynum and the Oklahoma Okies (Bluegrass), Nothing Fancy (Country and Western), Volkman Sisters (Gospel), Bluegrass Commission, Square Dance, Country Cut Ups (Country and Western), Easy Money (Bluegrass), and Wassie and Family.

Everyone is invited to come and enjoy the fun. There will be entertainment for everyone and all ages with a good meal. There will also be other features including arts and crafts. Older fashions from the 1800s will be on display.

Come one, come all, this is the last call for this year. "See you there."

Cooks honor Jack Berry

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cook of Marietta, Ok. arrived Tuesday at the Jack Berry home for a surprise birthday dinner to celebrate Jack's birthday. His birthday was August 6. Birthday cake and ice cream were also served.

Relatives attend Couger reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Ran Greenead and Matt, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson and Garrett and Lance, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Houston and

Jayme all attended the Couger Reunion at Palo Pinto Creek over the weekend.

Hudspeths visit in Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hudspeth left Friday for Cordell, Ok. to visit a cousin of Clifford's, the Ester Day family. As they returned home they drove by Lawton, Ok. and saw the Wild Life Reserve. They returned home Monday morning.

Three attend DAR meeting

Mrs. Della Maberry, Mrs. Maurine Griggs and Mrs. Edith Eldridge attended the DAR meeting at the home of Mrs. Limmie Shobe in Gainesville Saturday.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Maberry attended the fish fry Saturday evening at the Era Masonic Building at Era.

Jamie Bullard visits grandparents

Mrs. Marla Bullard and Jamie of Daingerfield, came Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Maberry. Mrs. Bullard returned home Sunday but Jamie remained for a few days to visit with her grandparents and other relatives.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. S.T. Warford of Sidell were in Dallas Friday.

Friends join at "Get-To-Gather"

Mrs. Josephine Berry and Mrs. Gladys Balthrop attended the Get-To-Gather party at the home of Mrs. Ima King in Bowie Friday. It was an all day affair with everyone bringing a covered dish for lunch. About 16 old-time friends came.

Guests of Callie Presley

Mrs. Callie Presley had as her guests in her home Sunday: Johnnie, Ruth and Calvin Blankenship of Elk City, Ok.; Thomas Blankenship, Dustin, Mandi, and Nathan of Lindsay, Ok.; Johnnie and JoAnn Laird, Miesha and Shanta; and Joline and Chamus Madows of Oklahoma City, Ok.; Rance Michell of Dallas; Juanita Cote, Delia Sutton, and Bobby, Rebecca and Zachary Presley.

Rebecca Presley had as her overnight guest Saturday Mandi Blankenship of Lindsay, Okla.

Rebecca visited with Erin Affin of Era Monday and Tuesday.

Ross Sutton honored on birthday

Ross Sutton was honored for his birthday with a fish fry at his home. His birthday was August 1. Ross and his sister, Juanita Cote, caught the fish.

Those attending were Paula and Rick Kerr, Callie Presley, Juanita Cote, Travis and Sue Sutton, Chris Bennett of Gainesville and the honoree. Ross' wife Brenda was unable to attend due to having to help with their new grandchild in Arlington.

Forestburg to register

All students in grades 7-12 must register on Wednesday, August 22 in the Science or Home Ec. Room. See the schedule listed below for the registration times. It is important to register at the assigned time. Parents are invited and encouraged to help students select the classes that they need and want. Lockers will be assigned at registration on a first come, first served basis.

The schedule of classes will probably be changed based on the registration needs of students. If the scheduled time is missed, students may not get the classes wanted, so please make every effort to come at the appropriate time.

Twelfth grade, 9:00 to 10:00; eleventh grade, 10:00 to 11:00; tenth grade, 11:00 to 12:00; ninth grade (parents should accompany students), 1:00 to 2:00; eighth grade, 2:00 to 2:30; and seventh grade, 2:30 to 3:00.

The first day of school will begin on Monday, August 27 at 8:00 a.m. Kindergarten through sixth grade will register in their classrooms.

Ex-employees reunion Sat.

The ex-employees of Russell - Newman Mfg. Co. are having their annual reunion at Boggs Park in Saint Jo, Friday, August 17 at 7 p.m.

Each family is asked to bring a covered dish.

All ex-employees and their families are urged to attend. Hope to see everyone there. Many Cooke County people worked for the company the 21 years that it was in Saint Jo.

Texas Agriculture Facts ...

Submitted by the Texas Agricultural Statistics Service August 6, 1990

July farm prices up from last year

The Texas index of prices received by farmers and ranchers increased 6 percent from last year to 167 percent of the 1977 base. The index was down 2 percent from the June level.

Prices for most commodities were higher than last year, except lambs, sheep, broilers, eggs and wool. Lower prices for beef cattle, calves and eggs contributed to a 2-percent drop from June. Prices for hogs, broilers and milk were up from last month, while prices for lambs, sheep and wool were unchanged.

Prices producers paid for feeder cattle and calves, corn and commercial feeds and gasoline were higher than in April, but prices for feeder pigs, diesel fuel, alfalfa hay and building materials were lower.

Cattle on feed - Cattle and calves being fed in Texas feedlots totaled 2.06 million head on July 1, up 9 percent from last year.

Texas feeders intend to market 1.35 million head during the July - September period.

Cattle sales - Sales of cattle and calves at Texas auction markets during June totaled 553 thousand head, up 17 percent from last year, according to figures released by the Texas Animal Health Commission.

Hog sales during June declined 16 percent, while auction sales of sheep and lambs dropped 8 percent.

Number of farms - The number of farms and ranches in Texas totaled 186,000 on June 1, unchanged from last year's total. Total land in Texas farms and ranches was still at a record low 132.0 million acres, unchanged from 1989. The average size of a Texas

farm or ranch was 710 acres.

Texas milk production - June milk production in Texas totaled 440 million pounds, up 4 percent from last year but down 11 percent from the May level.

The number of milk cows totaled 396 thousand head. Production per cow averaged 1,110 pounds, compared with 1,090 pounds a year ago.

Texas catfish - The total water surface for Texas catfish production increased 82 percent from last year to 3,000 acres.

The July 1990 grower inventory included 169 thousand pounds of stockers, and 201 pounds of fry and fingerlings.

The July 1 hatchery inventory included 279 thousand pounds of broodfish.

Texas red meat - Texas red meat production totaled 353 million pounds during June.

June commercial cattle slaughter totaled 525,400 head. Live weight totaled 557.29 million pounds.

The monthly hog kill, at 19,400 head, had a total live weight of 6.54 million pounds.

Calf slaughter totaled 7,300 head, and live weight was 2.78 million pounds. Commercial sheep and lamb slaughter, at 51,600 head with 5.89 million pounds.

Texas events

A full schedule of Texas-style entertainment, rich in heritage, culture, and small-town charm, is found in the latest **Texas Events Calendar**, just released by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

The quarterly calendar, spanning the months of September, October, and November, lists more than 1,000 ways Texans have fun in the Fall.

Packed with quilt shows, rodeos, golf tournaments, and musical jamborees, the Fall calendar tells the when and where of it all. Free individual copies are available at any of the highway department's 11 Texas Travel Information Centers, or by writing **Texas Events Calendar**, P.O. Box 5064, Austin, Texas 78763

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Bluegrass Fest set for Sept. 8

The Mountain Springs community will host its 12th annual Blue Grass Festival on Sept. 8, from noon until 10 p.m.

There will be an abundance of Blue Grass and Gospel Music. Food and cold drinks will be available, provided by the Mountain Springs Community Club. Visitors are urged to bring their own lawn chairs.

Admission will be \$4.00 for adults. Children under 12 are free, if accompanied by parents. Proceeds will benefit the Valley View Volunteer Fire Department.

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Schedule Of Classes Fall 1990

Cooke County College

Fall Semester '90 Enrollment Dates

ON-CAMPUS REGISTRATION

Registration for the Fall '90 Semester will be conducted in the Cooke County College Student Center on:

Thursday, August 23 8:30 AM to 8:00 PM

LATE REGISTRATION

Monday, August 27 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM
and 4:30 to 6:30 PM
Tuesday, August 28 9:00 AM to 6:30 PM
Wednesday, August 29 9:00 AM to 6:30 PM
Thursday, August 30 9:00 AM to 6:30 PM
Friday, August 31 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Students registering late registration (August 27 - August 31) will be assessed a \$5.00 late registration fee - no exceptions.

CLASSES BEGIN MONDAY, AUGUST 27, 1990
SEMESTER ENDS DECEMBER 14, 1990

BOWIE & NOCONA CLASSES

TUESDAY, AUGUST 21, 6:00 to 7:30 PM

Bowie High School Lobby, 800 N. Mill
Bowie Late Registration (\$5 Late Fee) - BHS Lobby:
Monday - Thursday, August 27-30, 5:30-6:30 PM

Nocona Late Registration (\$5 Late Fee) - NHS*
Monday, August 27, 5:00-6:30 PM

*Nocona High School, Cooke & Cottonwood Rd.

